

MABLE MORAN AWARD

The Mable Moran Award annually recognizes a member who celebrates artistic swimming and nurtures a passion for artistic swimming in others.

1 BACKGROUND

The Mable Moran Award is an annual monetary award of \$500 established in Mable Moran's memory. Mable was very much a part of the development of artistic swimming in BC and Canada serving as a coach and official. She was passionate about celebrating personal achievement and ensuring young athletes have a positive experience and develop a life-long love of the sport.

In honour of Mable, this award recognizes members – athletes, coaches, officials, clubs, teams, volunteers, etc. – who demonstrate notable effort to instill passion for artistic swimming in others. The Mable Moran Award is intended to support the recipient in their ongoing pursuit of endeavours or activities that influence, build, connect, lead, and foster growth of artistic swimming in BC.

2 ELIGIBILITY CRITERIA

Nominations for this award must meet the following eligibility criteria:

- a) Be a resident of BC and registered member of a BC Artistic Swimming for a minimum of two membership years prior to the nomination.
- b) Be a member in good standing with Canada Artistic Swimming, BC Artistic Swimming and the applicant's Club.
- c) BC Artistic Swimming members in all roles – athletes, coaches, officials, clubs, teams, volunteers, etc. – are eligible for nomination.

3 GENERAL RULES

- a) BC Artistic Swimming will select one award recipient per year based on nominations submitted by members.
- b) The award will be presented at an appropriate event as determined by BC Artistic Swimming.
- c) The Mable Moran Award supports recipients in their ongoing pursuit of activities that nurture a love of artistic swimming in others. The funds will support activities, including but not limited to:
 - **Athlete Recipients:** Offsetting artistic swimming registration or program fees, or the pursuit of coach or judge education or training, or activities that continue to instill passion for artistic swimming in others.
 - **Coach Recipients:** Supporting coach or judge development training or education, or activities that continue to instill passion in their athletes, team(s), or club.
 - **Official Recipients:** Supporting judge development training, travel to out-of-province events or competition, or activities that continue to instill passion for artistic swimming in BC.
 - **Club/Team/Volunteer Recipients:** Further support efforts to instill passion and a love for artistic swimming among its members.

- d) Recipients will be asked to supply BC Artistic Swimming with photos and a report outlining how the funds were used to support their ongoing efforts celebrate artistic swimming and to nurture a love of the sport. Photo submissions and the recipient's story will be shared with the artistic swimming community through social media.

4 APPLICATION PROCESS

An application form must be completed in full and submitted prior to the indicated deadline. All requested supporting information must accompany the application.

The BC Artistic Swimming Awards Committee will review and make award recommendations. Decisions of the Awards Committee are subject to approval by the Board of Directors. The committee will NOT consider late submissions.

5 PREVIOUS AWARD RECIPIENTS

BC Artistic Swimming will retain a list of the annual Mable Moran Award Recipients on its website.

6 CONTACT INFORMATION

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