



ASAA Executive and Board Vacancies

The following positions on the ASAA Executive and Sport Commissioners are available as of May 2011.

ASAA Boys Athletic Director
 Boys Volleyball Commissioner
 Boys Rugby Commissioner
 Cross Country Running Commissioner
 Sportsmanship Commissioner

If you are interested in any of these positions, please contact [Michelle](#) at the ASAA office for more information. Deadline to submit resumes is May 2, 2011.

Reminders

Here are some important reminders

- The deadline for Notices of Motion to be heard at the Annual General Meeting is April 1. They will be posted on the ASAA website no later than April 21
- We are also still accepting nominations for the Most Sportsmanlike Coach and Media Recognition Awards until April 1. If you know of someone you would like to have recognized for outstanding service to high school athletics in either category, submit the nomination forms to the ASAA office.

[Information on Most Sportsmanlike Coach Award](#)

[Information on Media Recognition Award](#)

Attend Your Zone Meeting

The date, location and time of your Spring Zone Meeting is posted here. Please contact your Zone Secretary if you have any questions about the meeting.

>> [Spring Zone Dates and Locations](#)

2011/12 Championship Host Bids

Bids for vacant championships for the fall 2011 and spring 2012 school year will now be considered at any of the subsequent Executive Committee meetings if a bid comes in. Click [HERE](#) for a bid application form.

4A Girls Volleyball	November 24-26, 2011
4A Boys Volleyball	November 24-26, 2011
Curling	March 2-3, 2012
4A Girls Basketball	March 15-17, 2012
4A Boys Basketball	March 15-17, 2012
Team Handball	April 27-28, 2012

>> [Bid Criteria](#)

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Important Dates and Deadlines

April 1:
 Bid application deadline for 2012 Fall sports
 Notices of Motion deadline
 Nomination deadline for Most Sportsmanlike Coach and Media Recognition awards

April 11:
 Central Zone Meeting

April 13:
 North Central Zone Meeting

April 14:
 Executive Committee Meeting

April 15:
 Badminton registration deadline

April 19:
 South Central Zone Meeting

April 20:
 Edmonton Metro Zone Meeting

April 21:

Awards

The ASAA is honoured to announce that Ian MacGillivray has been selected to win the Robert H. Routledge Award. This award is presented annually in the recognition of outstanding service to the students of Alberta schools in the promotion and operation of an athletic program.

We are also happy to announce that the following people have been selected to be inducted into the Alberta High School Sports Hall of Fame for 2011:

Tom Inkster - Coach

Barb Young - Coach

Marg Derbyshire - Administrator

Christine Nordhagen - Athlete

Terry Danyluk - Athlete

Sportsmanship

Congratulations to the following schools for showing excellent sportsmanship at their respective Provincial events!

>> [Sportsmanship Winners](#)

Online Coach Education

As reported on the ASAA website as well as at ASAA zone and board meetings, the ASAA has been working towards the launch of a landmark changing online coach education program. The initiative, made possible by a sizeable grant from the Rural Alberta Development Fund, will provide easy access to quality educational content for coaches from any computer - home, work or school. Course content will be specifically geared to coaching in an INTERSCHOLASTIC environment. This online initiative is a first for school sport in Canada and provides a tremendous opportunity to increase the level of professionalism and accountability among coaches working in schools across the province. In turn it is anticipated that the educational athletic experiences for student athletes will be enhanced.



>> [Read more here](#)

SUBWAY Much Music Dance Party

Edmonton Public Zone Meeting

April 22:
Team Handball deadline to add additional players

April 26:
North West Zone Meeting

May 1:
Rugby registration deadline

May 2:
South Zone Meeting

May 9:
North East Zone Meeting

May 11:
Executive Committee Meeting

May 12-13:
Annual General Meeting
Edmonton

May 15:
Track & Field registration
deadline





There's still time to enter your school to win a MuchMusic Video Dance Party!

SUBWAY has teamed up with MuchMusic to offer ASAA member schools a chance to win a MuchMusic Video Dance Party. Click the link below to read the rules and regulations.

[>> SUBWAY Much Video Dance Party Contest](#)

AIAAA

2011 will be a very busy year for the AIAAA. As we approach our 1st Annual Athletic Directors Conference from June 16-18 in Calgary, Alberta, we are excited to launch 3 new Leadership Training Courses.

In addition to the conference, 2011 has already been an exciting year from an organizational perspective. In January, the AIAAA presented to the Canadian School Sport Federation in Ottawa to discuss potential future expansion of the association. With ongoing course deliveries (already 4 courses delivered in 2011) and new course developments, 2011 will mark exciting times for the AIAAA.

CIS-CCAA High School Student-Athlete Survey

Each year thousands of Canadian high school student athletes graduate and choose to continue their athletic and academic careers at a post secondary institution either in Canada or abroad. CIS and the CCAA share a common goal of creating the best possible experience for all student athletes at their respective institutions. In an effort to enhance their quality programs and exceed student expectations, CIS and CCAA have joined forces to identify which factors are influencing student athlete choice to enroll in post secondary institutions.

The Canadian Interuniversity Sport (CIS) and the Canadian Colleges Athletic Association (CCAA) is asking for your help with distributing a short 10-minute survey to graduating high school athletes within Alberta.

The survey is open until April 10. A short cover note (click the link below) can be provided to the student-athletes (below).

Thank you in advance for taking the time to help influence post-secondary sport in Canada.

[Click here for the survey \(english\)](#)

[Cliquez ici pour accéder au sondage \(french\)](#)

[>> Cover Note to students](#)



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