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SINGAPORE PHYSICAL EDUCATION ASSOCIATION

OUTSTANDING PHYSICAL EDUCATION TEACHER AWARD 2009

PURPOSE

The SPEA conducts a biennial award to recognize the outstanding contributions teachers of physical education have made to the development and promotion of PE in Singapore. It aims to inject greater interest in the subject and to encourage and motivate PE teachers to raise their level of professional practice. The successful candidates, one from Primary category, one from Secondary (Sec)/Junior College (JC) and one from Institute of Technical Education (ITE) category will each receive a plaque and a cash award at this year's SPEA Annual General Meeting in May 2010. Merit awards and commendation certificates will also be awarded to shortlisted nominees.

ELIGIBILITY

• Nominees must be physical education specialists with at least **five** years of teaching experience. However, **associate or relief** teachers are **not** eligible for nomination.

A *Specialist* is defined as a PE teacher having **one** of the following qualifications:

- ♣ Degree in physical education from tertiary institutions or universities; Postgraduate Diploma in Education [PGDE (PE)]; Diploma in Education (PE); Advanced Certificate in Education and Certificate in Education of which the principal subject is Physical Education.
- ♣ Degree or Diploma in Sports related courses from tertiary institutions or universities and Certificate in Technical Education (for ITE PE lecturers only)"

• Nominations can be made either by colleagues/peers or school principals. Previous years' winners are not eligible for nominations.

SELECTION CRITERIA

Evidence should be provided of the teacher's:

- Good knowledge of physical education and the ability to communicate this knowledge in ways that contributes to students' understanding and skill development;
- Creative and innovative use of teaching strategies to teach both hard and soft skills to enhance learning;
- Exemplary contribution and achievement to the development and promotion of the school's PE programme during the past 3 years (2007-2009); and
- Professional practice and conduct that is highly esteemed by members of the PE community.

PROCESS

• Nomination forms must be **completed fully** using the enclosed forms (2 pages) and be submitted via **e-mail** (postmaster@spea.org.sg) or by post (c/o Chow Mei Peng, 230 Stadium Boulevard, Singapore 397799) by **Wednesday, 24th Mar 2010 (Extended Deadline)**.

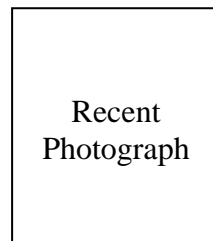
• All nominations must be submitted **through the Principal's Office**.

• Incomplete applications will not be considered. The "self-portrait" section of the form provides an opportunity for the nominee to furnish information about himself/herself with regards to the teaching of and accomplishments in physical education. Information about teaching methods and strategies used to communicate knowledge and inspire students, and contributions to the school's physical education programme, should be included to support your nomination.

• The Award Selection Committee will review all nominations and all shortlisted candidates will be notified for lesson observation/ interview by **1st April 2010**. Shortlisted nominees must allow the Award Selection Committee to observe a PE lesson during **5th to 16th April 2010**. A final review and selection of the most outstanding PE teacher(s) will be conducted in **end April 2010**.



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NOMINATION FORM
 (Closing Date: **Wednesday, 24th March 2010**)



Part A: To be completed by the Nominee

1. Name: Mr / Mrs / Mdm / Miss / Dr* _____

2. Address: _____ S ()

3. Telephone: _____ (school) _____ (home) Pager/Handphone _____

4. Email address: _____ 5. Years of Teaching Experience: _____

6. School/Institution attached to (2007): _____

(2008): _____

(2009): _____

7. Highest Professional Qualification: _____ Year awarded: _____

8. List PE Training/Courses attended over the past 3 years starting from the most recent:

PE Training/Courses	Year	Certification

9. List PE Teaching Responsibilities over the past 3 years:

PE Teaching Responsibilities	Level/Year	No. of Periods

10. List other relevant contributions beyond teaching commitments over the past three years.

Description	Year/Position held

11. "Self-Portrait"-- Provide information on your accomplishments in teaching physical education, citing specific examples where appropriate in the space provided (max. 200 words).

This nomination is made by: Colleague or Peer / Principal*

** Please delete accordingly*

Signature of Nominee: _____ Date: _____

Part B. To be completed by the Nominator

Please support your nomination with relevant information in the space provided. (max.100 words)

Name: _____ Designation: _____ Mobile: _____

Signature: _____ Date: _____

Part C. To be completed by Principal * Please delete appropriately

This Nomination is: * Strongly Recommended / Recommended / Not Supported

Comments:

Name and signature of Principal: _____ School Stamp /Date: _____