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FROM: THE NHIAA AWARDS COMMITTEE
R. PATRICK CORBIN, EXECUTIVE DIRECTOR

SUBJECT: 15-YEAR JAMES W. DESMARAIS SERVICE AWARD PROGRAM

DATE: 2009-2010

The NHIAA Awards Committee is soliciting your input for nominations for the 2009-10 James W. Desmarais Service Award (s).

The criteria for this award are as follows:

- 1) LENGTH OF SERVICE: Minimum of 15 years to the NHIAA, either on a committee or other type of service.
- 2) TYPE OF SERVICE: Service of a quality nature. Nominees for each year to be decided by the NHIAA Awards Committee, who are appointed by the President of the NHIAA. The award is presented annually in recognition of outstanding contributions to the NHIAA and to fostering the tenets of interscholastic athletics in New Hampshire.
- 3) NOMINATION: Nominations are to be submitted to the Executive Director of the NHIAA no later than April 15th of each year. The Committee shall review nominees with recommendations submitted to the Council at the May Council Meeting. The Service Award shall be presented at the Annual Meeting in September.
- 4) NUMBER OF AWARDS: No more than three (3) awards shall be presented in any one year.
- 5) AWARDS: Each recipient shall receive an appropriate award presented by the NHIAA. A permanent plaque will be inscribed with the recipient's name and will be displayed at the NHIAA Office.

If you know of qualified candidates for this award, please complete the attached nomination form and return to the NHIAA Office no later than April 15, 2010. Thank you!

