

## Lubbock Basketball Officials Chapter Newcomer of the Year Award

The Lubbock Basketball Officials Chapter Newcomer of the Year Award is an award that recognizes current members of the Lubbock Basketball Officials Chapter for their body of work in basketball officiating during their initial season. The award is for on court and off court representation as a new member of the Lubbock Basketball Officials Chapter.

To be eligible for the Lubbock Basketball Officials Chapter Newcomer of the Year Award, all candidates shall meet the following requirements:

- Must be a member in good standing in the Lubbock Basketball Officials Chapter.
- Must be nominated by a member in good standing from the Lubbock Chapter.
- Must be a first year official with THSBOA and the LBOC. Transfers from other chapters and/or organizations are not eligible.
- Committee members will individually vote for no more than three (3) of the eligible candidates who have been nominated. A maximum of five (5) top vote getters will advance to the committee ballots.
- The Committee, as a whole, will then vote on the top five (5) eligible candidates, during the regular vote process. This vote will be done individually and counted collectively.
- A winning candidate must appear on 50% of the committee ballots, not including abstained voters. Of those that appear on 50% of the ballots, the winner will be selected based on the amount of first place votes. In the event of a tie, the tiebreaker will be second place votes and then third place votes.
- Must be nominated by submission in writing, using the 'Award Nomination Letter' from January 1 through April 15 of the current season.

All nominations that meet the aforementioned requirements will be considered for the award. There will only be one award per season. All nominations must be submitted from January 1 through April 15 of the current season to be considered. The award will be presented to the winner or a representative of the winner, at the first stated chapter meeting the following season.

The winner will receive an individual award in the form of a trophy, plaque, or something similar. The winner will also be added to a chapter kept plaque each year. All awards selected are at the discretion of the funding entity in cooperation with the committee.

Any and all changes to the award and process of selection must be approved by the Board of Directors of the Lubbock Basketball Officials Chapter.