



MITCA

Assistant Coaches of the Year Award

This award is given to assistant coaches who have been a coach for at least 8 years, a MITCA member for 5 years, and has been nominated by his/her head coach with either support of the athletic director, opposing coaches, or a parent. A coach can only be nominated once every 5 years; a maximum of 4 coaches will be selected each year



Year	Name	School	Specialty
2026	Brad Moore	Novi	
2025	Matt Burton	East Kentwood	
2024	Andy Rosa	Benzie Central	
2024	Jeff McCune	East Kentwood	
2024	Tom Brown	Northville	
2023	Linda Tatro	Hart	
2023	Gary Streight	Hartland	
2023	Mario Diaz	Saugatuck	Sprint Coach
2022	Mario Guerrero	Frankenmuth	
2019	Charles Richards	Berrien Springs	
2019	Konrad Visser	Traverse City Central	
2019	John Sames	Detroit Country Day	
2018	Ben Howell	Caledonia	
2018	Marie Hamay	Addison	
2018	Theresa Byrne	Bad Axe	
2018	Richard White	Grand Ledge	
2017	Rob Hayes	Frankenmuth	
2017	Fred Fitch	Frankenmuth	Cross Country
2017	Joe Ciaravino	Grosse Pointe North	Cross Country
2017	Art Vlahon	New Lorthrop	Hurdles, Throws
2017	Wyatt LeClear	Shepherd	Hurdles, High Jump
2016	Spencer Carr	Eau Claire	
2016	Leslie Hamilton	Fremont	Cross Country
2016	Jason Werner	Pewamo-Westphalia	Distance, Long Jump
2016	Carl Spina	Saline	Distance
2015	Don Lukens	Traverse City Central	Cross Country
2014	Chris Luda	Traverse City Central	Hurdles, Long Jump
2014	Eric Tudevold	Union City	All Around
2013	Ted Sabinas	Ceder Spring	Distance, Long Jump
2013	Joseph Hansen	Detroit Country Day	Throws
2013	John Thomas	Sparta	All Around
2012	Jack Benitez	Dearborn Divine Child	Cross Country
2012	Dean Wheeler	Fremont	Distance
2012	Shawn McNamara	Gross Pointe South	All Around
2011	Lawerence Perry	Detroit Country Day	Hurdles
2011	David Castle	North Branch	All Around
2009	Vernon Williams	Livonia Churchill	Jumps Coach
2009	Lee Schneider	Pewamo-Westphalia	Hurdles/Sprints
2009	Dick Dietrick	Pine River	Distance/Pole vault
2008	Mark Simms	Algonac	Throws

2007	Joe Orczyk	Brighton	
2007	Leo Lamberti	Grosse Pointe South	Cross Country
2007	Roger Price	Reading	
2006	Rod Sorenson	Ann Arbor Huron	Sprints/Relays
2006	Harry Weaver	Detroit Renaissance	All Around
2006	Jerry Drake	Frankenmuth	Throws
2006	Charlie Hallman	Westland John Glenn	Throws
2005	Howard Roberson	Bath	Sprints/Hurdles/Jumps
2005	Jim Meehan	Cranbrook	Cross Country
2005	Thomas Clifford	G R West Catholic	Cross Country
2005	Dave Peake	Grand Ledge	Sprints/Relays
2005	Mike Raffin	Whitmore Lake	Cross Country
2005	Chris Jonik	Ypsilanti	Pole Vault
2004	Linda Wright	Harbor Beach	All Around
2004	Sid Smith	Kent City	All Around
2004	Barry Meier	Marysville	Cross Country
2004	Tom Brown	Traverse City West	Cross Country
2003	Miks McConnell	Camden-Frontier	Throws
2003	Pat Poirer	Dearborn Divine Child	Throws
2003	Aundra Robinson	Kalamazoo Central	All Around
2003	Cindy Hasselbring	Milan	All Around
2002	Crystal Westfield	Ann Arbor Pioneer	Field Events
2002	Mike Stuart	Flint Carman-Ainssworth	All Around
2002	Pete Powers	Vandercook Lake	Throws
2001	Dave Ruth	Lutheran West	
2000	Doug Frank	Bridgeport	All Around
1999	Jackie Gilliam	Gladwin	Junior High C.C.
1999	Pat Broton	Hesperia	High School C.C.
1998	No Nominees		
1997	Paul Beyer	Gladwin	Throws
1996	Dave Hodgkinson	Caledonia	Girls Track
1996	Kirk Parkhurst	Fremont	Junior High Track
1996	Randy Peters	Muskegon Reeths-Puffer	Distance
1996	John Kreuchauf	Temperance-Bedford	Throws
1995	Jon Wozniak	Okemos	Throws
1994	Mark Ryan	Carson City Crystal	Distance
1994	Bill Hecht	Carson City Crystal	Throws
1994	Don Baese	Carson City Crystal	Junior High Track
1993	Kirk Parkhurst	Fremont	Cross Country
1992	Tim Donahey	Traverse City	Throws
1991	George Arrick	Dearborn	Throws
1991	Ryan Flanary	Monroe	Throws
1990	Dan Deyo	Ann Arbor Pioneer	
1990	Vickie Shields	Ann Arbor Pioneer	