Alberta Bicycle Association <u>Awards</u>

President's Award

The President's Award is given annually to an individual who has made significant contributions to the development of cycling in Alberta.

Athlete of the Year Awards – Male and Female

Athlete of the Year Awards are presented annually to the male athlete and the female athlete earning, respectively, the best results in national and/or international races. Athletes eligible for this award compete in the following UCI categories: Junior Men, Junior Women, U23 Men, Elite Men, and Elite Women.

Coach of the Year

The Coach of the Year Award is presented annually to an NCCP-certified ABA coach who demonstrates a philosophy of fair play and displays respect for officials, fellow competitors, and parents. This coach demonstrates concern for the all-round development of the athlete, applies relevant training theory and coaching techniques, and demonstrates the ability to improve athletic performance.

Athlete of the Year and Coach of the Year award recipients are selected by the ABA Board of Directors. Nominations for award recipients are welcome from members of the ABA, and may be directed to <u>info@albertabicycle.ab.ca</u>. Should a suitable recipient not be identified, the ABA retains the right not to present awards described above.