SASKATCHEWAN ARTISTIC SWIMMING
ATHLETE RECOGNITION AWARDS

Criteria for Award Nominations:

- Family members are not eligible to nominate an individual.
- The athlete must have been a registered Recreation, Limited Competitive or Competitive swimmer within the 2025-2026 season.
- The athlete must have competed in the 2025-2026 season. An athlete can only be nominated by the nominator in one category (with the exception of the Duet/Team award.)

The **ATHLETE RECOGNITION AWARDS** are as follows:

- **MOST IMPROVED "PROVINCIAL PATHWAY" ATHLETE:** An athlete who competed in the **Provincial Pathway** category, in the water and/or in the land skills routine and has demonstrated the most significant improvement at the Provincial level over the past competitive season. Competition results should show evidence of improvement; however, attitude, team spirit, flexibility and fitness are also taken into consideration and must be included in the submission.

- **MOST IMPROVED "NATIONAL PATHWAY" ATHLETE:** An athlete who competed in the **National Pathway and/or Junior/Senior AQUA** category and has demonstrated the most significant improvement at the National Level over the past competitive season. Competition results must show evidence of improvement; however, attitude, team spirit, flexibility and fitness are also taken into consideration and should be included in the submission.

- **"RECREATION" ATHLETE OF THE YEAR:** An athlete who has shown the greatest commitment to the sport. The athlete must be able to overcome obstacles in a positive manner and display all of the "best" aspects of the sport of artistic swimming in the **Recreation** category.

- **"PROVINCIAL PATHWAY" ATHLETE OF THE YEAR":** An athlete who has shown the greatest commitment to the sport. The athlete must be able to overcome obstacles in a positive manner and display all of the "best" aspects of the sport of artistic swimming in the **Provincial Pathway** category.

- **"LIMITED COMPETITIVE" ATHLETE OF THE YEAR":** An athlete who has shown the greatest commitment to the sport. The athlete must be able to overcome obstacles in a

positive manner and display all of the “best” aspects of the sport of artistic swimming in the **Limited Competitive** category.

- **“NATIONAL PATHWAY” ATHLETE OF THE YEAR:** An athlete who has shown the greatest commitment to the sport. The athlete must be able to overcome obstacles in a positive manner and display all of the “best” aspects of the sport of artistic swimming in the **National Pathway** and/or Junior/Senior AQUA category.

- **“MASTER” ATHLETE OF THE YEAR:** An athlete who has shown the greatest commitment to the sport. The athlete must be an inspiration to young women/men, able to overcome obstacles in a positive manner and display all of the “best” aspects of the sport of artistic swimming in the **Masters** category.

- **DUET OR TEAM OF THE YEAR:** A duet or team who has shown the greatest commitment to the sport. Attitude, team spirit, flexibility and fitness are also taken into consideration and should be included in the submission. Duet or team may be Recreation, Limited Competitive or Competitive.