

## Nominations Form: 2026 Boating Educator of the Year Award

## Deadline to Submit March 31, 2026

## **Eligibility:**

Educators and volunteers from state and local agencies and from nonprofit organizations are eligible. Boating law administrators should nominate candidates who have made an outstanding contribution to boating safety through education. A nominee should be someone in the education field who goes above and beyond to engage students and boaters, raise awareness, and make boating education and education initiatives relevant, thorough and exciting. Posthumous nominations are not eligible.

Three regional finalists will be chosen from among the state nominees and will win a paid trip to the NASBLA Annual Conférence where the national winner will be announced and recognized during the Awards Ceremony.

Nominations for this award must be submitted by a boating law administrator.

## Instructions to nominate an educator:

- 1. Fill out this electronic form.
- **2. Upload a letter of nomination below**. The letter of nomination should summarize the exceptional achievement of the nominee that led to his or her nomination. *Please note: Any narrative exceeding 750-words will be edited at NASBLA's discretion.*
- **3. Upload a high-quality photograph** of the nominee for use by NASBLA in a slide show at the awards banquet and online.

Feel free to attach additional information supporting the nomination such as sample program materials, news releases, letters of recognition, etc.

* 1. Candidate Information:
Name & Title:
Agency
Work Address
City/Town City/Town
State/Province select state
ZIP/Postal Code
Work Email Address
Work Phone Number
* 2. Nominated by:
**This is where the award certificate will be mailed.**
Name & Title:
Agency
Work Address
City/Town
State/Province select state
ZIP/Postal Code
Work Email Address
Work Phone Number
* 3. Letter of Nomination
Please upload a letter of nomination that summarizes the educator's accomplishments that led to his or her nomination.
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4. Candidate Photo
Please upload at least one high-resolution photo of the nominee. Uploaded photos will be used in various formats by NASBLA.
Choose File No file chosen

