

## David Powell Memorial Award

The David Powell Memorial Award is engraved with the following:

This award is presented annually to a member of CBQ (Canadian Bible Quizzing) that throughout the season shows infectious enthusiasm, honesty, an relentlessly encouraging attitude, and most importantly an exceptional love of quizzing, sincere love for God, and love for his/her neighbour. "I want to run, jump, and spread life in this world..." ~ David Powell

### Selection Procedure/Timeline

1. At the first tournament of the year, re-introduce the award for the benefit of new teams/quizzers/coaches.
2. At the second meet, remind coaches at lunch that nominations will be due next quiz meet.
3. At the third meet, coaches/officials will bring nominations, together with a description of why they feel the particular quizzer is eligible to receive the award, to the attention of the board.
4. Before the final meet the board will review the nominations, consult with coaches, quizzers, parents, etc. as they feel is appropriate and necessary, and make a decision.
5. Plaque presented at the final quiz meet by a board member and the quizzer's coach.

### Guidelines for the nomination process

It is recommended that each quizzing group nominate at least one (but at most roughly one quizzer per team) from your own group. For example, a group of eleven quizzers (three teams) could nominate three or even four quizzers as long as there are three or four who the coaches feel are worthy of the award. They may nominate only one or two if they feel it is appropriate. Similarly, a group of four quizzers should feel comfortable nominating one or two of their own quizzers.

In addition to this, nominations for quizzers from other groups are able to be made.

**All** nominations must be accompanied by a description of the nominee in how it relates to the award. When working with your quizzers (if your group decides to do so) please emphasize the qualities listed on the award and steer discussion away from the 'popularity contest' direction.