

2025 SCSBL Awards Criteria

All-Star Teams

Eligibility:

- Each team selects 3 players to be placed on the All-Star ballot.
- Players must have played in at least 6 regular-season games.

Voting Pool:

- A total of 20 players will make up the All-Star pool:
 - 18 players selected (3 per team)
 - 2 players added by the Commissioner
- Each voter selects 10 out of 20 eligible players:
 - Coaches may not vote for their own players
 - All other voters may vote for any of the 20

Voting Process:

- Conducted via Google Doc
- Voting window: Opens June 18 @ Noon, closes June 21 @ Noon

Scoring System:

- 1st = 10 pts
- 2nd = 9 pts
- 3rd = 8 pts
- 4th = 7 pts
- 5th = 6 pts
- 6th = 5 pts

- 7th = 4 pts
- 8th = 3 pts
- 9th = 2 pts
- 10th = 1 pt

Selections:

- Top 5 vote-getters = First Team All-Stars
- Next 5 vote-getters = Second Team All-Stars

Tiebreakers (Applies to All-Star Teams & League MVP):

If a tie occurs for final All-Star spots or MVP:

1. Most ballot appearances
2. Most regular season points
3. Most regular season game appearances
4. If still tied: The Commissioner decides

Voting Panel - 18 Voters Total

2 representatives per team (12):

- AMD: Coach Bria & Coach Yartin
- BeeGraphix: Coach Larry & Coach Eric
- Cedarbrook GC: Coach Bobby & Coach Jellison
- Howard Hanna: Coach Nick & Coach Kaitlyn
- Monessen Florist: Coach Chad & Coach Bella
- The Trailside: Coach Dan & Coach Paul

Additional Voters (6):

- Mon Valley Independent Writers: Jeremy Sellew, Liam Belan, Adam Brewer
- Scoreboard Keeper: Alyssa Terza
- VIP Voters: Matt Rieg (UPG), Matt Regula

League MVP

- Must have played in at least 6 regular-season games
- Player with the most total All-Star points is the MVP
- No separate ballot

Breakthrough Player of the Year

Eligibility:

- Played in at least 6 regular-season games
- First- or second-year player (rising sophomore or below)
- Never previously selected as an All-Star
- Recognized for consistent impact on all aspects of the game

Voting Format:

- Ballot includes all eligible players
- Coaches may NOT vote for their own players
- Each voter selects 1 player
- No tiebreakers - if tied, Co-Champions are named

Defensive Player of the Year

Eligibility:

- Played in at least 6 regular-season games
- Recognized for on-ball defense, rebounding, steals, blocks, etc.

Voting Format:

- Ballot consists of the 20-player All-Star pool
- Coaches may NOT vote for their own players
- Each voter selects 1 player
- No tiebreakers - if tied, Co-Champions are named

2025 Coach Selections

AMD:

- Makayla Canty - Rising Senior / 2026
- DaShae Cochran - Rising Senior / 2026
- Kaelynn Settles - Rising Senior / 2026

BeeGraphix:

- Lauren Borella - Rising Senior / 2026
- Madison Clair - Rising Senior / 2026
- Aierra Jenkins - Rising Senior / 2026

Cedarbrook GC:

- Torrie DeStefano - Rising Senior / 2026
- Bella Dumbroski - Rising Sophomore / 2028
- Raya Johnson - Rising Sophomore / 2028

Monessen Florist:

- Aubrey Brown - Rising Sophomore / 2028
- Bently Layhue - Rising Senior / 2026
- Mycah McCabe - Rising Freshman / 2029

Slagus Howard Hanna:

- Isabella Niles - Rising Senior / 2026
- Jules Ott - Rising Senior / 2026
- Mia Sostaric - Rising Senior / 2026

The Trailside:

- Nolan Althof - Rising Junior / 2027
- Abby Genes - Rising Senior / 2026
- Addison Wach - Rising Freshman / 2029

Commissioner Selections:

- Giuliana Giannikas - Rising Freshman / 2029 - AMD
- Emma Larkin - Rising Senior / 2026 - BeeGraphix