

The Awards Program

The APC Aboriginal Fisheries Awards program is an annual program that recognizes the most deserving fishermen and related industry workers from across the region.

Award categories include:

- Best Deckhand
- Best Captain
- Best Fishery Coordinator
- Best Young Businessperson
- And More!



Captains are responsible for making sure the crew can work safely to find the fish, work the gear, and bring back the catch in top notch condition.

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Recognizing
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APCFNC Commercial Fisheries Awards.

What's it for?

The APCFNC Aboriginal Fisheries Awards Program is meant to recognize and reward deserving First Nations members involved in the fishery at all levels.

Each year, awards will be given out in numerous categories at the community and regional levels.

The awards program will help communities recognize and honour the excellent work of its members. As well, the awards will celebrate major success stories from around the region.

How do you apply?

Application forms are available in band offices and online from the APCFNC's website (www.apcfnc.ca)

Applications must be filled out for each nominee and signed by the person making the nomination.

Once nominations are received, a selection committee will make the final determination on awards winners.

What happens if you win?

All award winners will receive a certificate signed by their Band Chief and APCFNC leadership. Each certificate will be accompanied by an individualized letter recognizing their contributions to Aboriginal Fisheries

As well, prizes (yet to be determined) will be given to award recipients. And, all award winners will receive some form of media coverage in order to publicize their achievements.

Each year, an awards ceremony will be held to honour and celebrate the achievements of all award recipients.

Fill out an application and send it to:

**Awards Office
APCFNC Secretariat
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