



***HAWKS ATHLETIC CLUB***  
***2019 - 2020***  
***PLAYER RECOGNITION AWARD***

***RILEY CARTER***

The Hawks Player Recognition Award goes to the player on each team who best demonstrates the qualities of fair play, dedication, team work, perseverance, respect, leadership, sportsmanship, and athleticism. As a coach, this boils down to three key words we like to emphasize to our players: focus, effort, and attitude.

When asked to identify a player who fit this description it was a simple and unanimous decision: ***Riley Carter***.

Riley was a pleasure to coach this year. He showed great respect to the coaches on the bench as well as the players on his team. He was a real leader both on and off this ice. He was the first one to offer words of inspiration for his team during a tough game. He often had words of encouragement in the locker room after a loss. He celebrated every players' successes and cheered them all on. He put his whole heart into the game and his team. The team began to look to Riley to lead them into the battle and set the tone for the game.

Riley you are a natural leader and great role model. It was a pleasure to have you on the team. Congratulations on your award Riley, you truly deserve it.

**Atom - NW282 Hawks**  
**Michael Shappka - Head Coach**