



Responsible Sports™ supports volunteer youth sport coaches and parents who help our children succeed both on and off the field.



The Responsible Coaching Awards: Celebrating Responsible Youth Sport Coaches

Responsible Sports™ is a community outreach initiative from Liberty Mutual, based on the central theme of our Responsibility campaign. This campaign celebrates the countless acts of responsibility shown by people in their everyday lives and encourages all people to take personal ownership in ensuring positive outcomes in life. The overarching goal of the Responsible Sports program is to ensure that our kids experience the best that sports have to offer in environments that promote and display responsibility in action.

Liberty Mutual is proud to support the men and women who everyday volunteer their time to coach youth sports. We recognize that these coaches are an integral part of the fabric of our communities, instilling in our children the lessons learned from sports both on and off the field. That's why we've established the **Responsible Coaching Awards** – to recognize and celebrate these valuable coaches.

Coach Gregg Hibbeler Named Liberty Mutual's Soccer Coach of the Year for Missouri



Gregg Hibbeler
Kansas City, MO
Soccer –
Missouri State Coach of the Year

Club Name:
QWEST Soccer Club

Team Location:
Kansas City, MO

Team Sport:
Soccer

Team Level:
Under 11; U-7 thru U-14

Essay:
Coach Hibbeler's promotion of youth soccer can be seen through his coaching and teaching the children, interaction with parents, and mentoring new coaches on the game he truly loves. He makes each practice fun and exciting for the children in a safe and encouraging environment. I have had the pleasure to work with Coach Hibbeler and know first hand that his approach to teaching the game builds confidence, pride and self-esteem within the children that goes beyond the soccer field into everyday life. His teams exhibit outstanding sportsmanship to opposing teams and referees alike. Coach Hibbeler's teams consistently succeed and have fun doing so. He ensures that all children play and improve their skills and are recognized equally at the end of each season. Whether he is coaching his teams, promoting youth soccer, or upgrading his license, Coach Hibbeler's dedication is definitely visible in the community.

Resume Entry:

Teams:
QWEST Rangers U-11 Boys, QWEST Incredibles U-7 Girls, QWEST Sparx U-11 Girls, QWEST Ambush U-12 Girls, QWEST Cavaliers U-14 Girls

Position:
Head Coach, Club Founder

Team Accomplishments: RANGERS Boys
* 4 league championships * 2 tournament championships * 1 tournament finalist * 2 tournament semifinalist. Currently ranked #7 in State of Missouri and #49 in Region II U-11 Boys by www.gotsoccer.com The core group of players have risen from recreational soccer to recognition as one of the city's / state's top teams in just 3 short years.

"Winning this award is a tremendous honor since Missouri has so many coaches equally deserving of this tribute. This recognition is testament to the hard work and success of my players and the dedication of their families. My greatest passion will continue to be sharing my knowledge and love of the game with today's youth."