

# **KARATE NOVA SCOTIA**

## **Sport NS Coordinator Report**

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**Annual General Meeting - 2022**

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As the incoming Sport NS PSO coordinator, I have not had much time working with KNS, but the hard work and dedication from the Board of Directors, Technical Director and Provincial Coach is clear. With the removal of COVID restrictions, this group of individuals was able to come together and successfully host a variety of tournaments and events on short notice.

KNS recently took part in an assessment called the Sport Development Tool. The tool helps Sport NS assess Provincial Sport Organizations for three main avenues of funding that Provincial Sport Organizations are eligible for – Core Funding, Excellence Funding and Participation Funding by evaluating four main metrics: organizational effectiveness, participation, coaching and umpiring and excellence. KNS has received positive feedback and I believe KNS has put themselves in a strong position to be a growing and popular sport over the next 2-4 years, and am hopeful the funding will continue at its current level, if not improve.

In the coming year, I look forward to continuing working with the Board of Directors and Staff to continue our work on creating and updating policies, offering clinics and courses, and assisting in tournament hosting.

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