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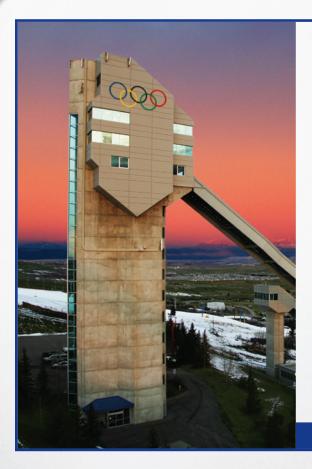
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## Mike Boyles



It is my great pleasure to welcome you to the 60th Sportsman of the Year Gala Dinner, and on behalf of the Calgary Booster Club, thank you for taking the time to support our dinner with your attendance this evening. By making the Booster Club dinner a part of your social calendar you affirm the value that athletics have in our community and you honour the individuals that are being recognized this evening for their leadership, their sportsmanship and their contributions to sport in Calgary.

Tonight we recognize a historical achievement for the Calgary Booster Club as we celebrate the diamond anniversary for an organization that is used to shining the spotlight on others, not on itself. Often standing behind the scenes, The Calgary Booster Club has endeavored through its history to provide assistance to aspiring athletic champions, to recognize leadership and contributions by volunteers, coaches and administrators that have made Calgary's athletic programs so vibrant, and to celebrate athletic accomplishments in our city, both individual and collective. I firmly believe that Calgary is the epicenter for sporting excellence in Canada and The Calgary Booster Club is proud of the contributions that they have made to helping support that excellence.

I would be remiss not to recognize the many men and women who have over the past 60 years served as directors of The Calgary Booster Club. My sincerest acknowledgment to the founding members of the club, the past directors, honourary life directors, and to the current directors of the club, for your dedication and collective efforts over these 60 years. I have a deep respect and admiration for your willingness to volunteer your time, your efforts, your professionalism and your dedication. You have all helped create and continue to foster a sporting legacy in Calgary.

The Calgary Booster Club has a large family of support with our sponsors, partners, media, leaders, officials, coaches and athletes. If this is your first Sportsman of the Year Dinner, welcome to the Calgary Booster Club family, enjoy the evening, the history and I hope that you will join us again in the future. To all of our returning friends I hope that tonight brings you many smiles as you reminisce and share with us in so many wonderful people and events from the past 60 years.

Congratulations to tonight's recognized Honoured Athletic Leaders, special achievement recipients, Male Athlete of the Year – Jon Cornish, Female Athlete of the Year – Kaillie Humphries and our 60th Sportsman of the Year – Tony Spoletini. The Calgary Booster Club is honoured to be able to recognize you all this evening. Enjoy the evening and thank you for helping the Calgary Booster Club continue to "Develop and Encourage Athletic Endeavour and Sports Excellence in Calgary."

Yours in Sport, Mike Boyles

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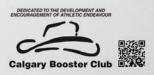
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### MESSAGE FROM HONOURABLE ALISON M. REDFORD, QC PREMIER OF ALBERTA



On behalf of the Government of Alberta, I am very pleased to welcome you to the 60th annual Sportsman of the Year Dinner.

Sports, physical activity and wellness play an important role in defining who we are as Albertans. For 60 years, the Calgary Booster Club has recognized leaders in our athletic community.

Congratulations to Tony Spoletini, 2013 Sportsman of the Year; Jon Cornish, Male Athlete of the Year; and Kaillie Humphries, Female Athlete of the Year. Congratulations also to the committed pillars of our athletic society: Doug Bird, Brian Hanes, Patrick Jarvis, Christine Laverty, Don and Mylene Saxton, Vini Sciore, David Smith, Leslie Sproule and Len Wong. I also extend special recognition to the Olympic Oval Organizing Committee, which is being recognized for its exceptional support of speed skating.

Tonight's honourees join an elite group of Calgarians who have contributed to building Calgary's reputation as a hub for sports excellence. I believe that future generations will be inspired by your dedication and commitment to athletics. Your efforts inspire Albertans to strive for their goals.

Thank you to the Calgary Booster Club and to everyone involved with tonight's event. Best wishes for an enjoyable and memorable evening.

Alison M. Redford, QC April 16, 2013

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#### A MESSAGE FROM MAYOR NAHEED NENSHI



On behalf of my City Council colleagues and the citizens of Calgary, it is my privilege to welcome all of you to the 60th Annual Sportsman of the Year Gala hosted by the Calgary Booster Club.

Calgary is known around the world for its commitment to athletic excellence. The contribution of tonight's honourees to their chosen sport is a large reason why we enjoy this well-earned reputation.

The Calgary Booster Club has made an excellent choice in honouring Tony Spoletini as its 60th Sportsman of the Year. An accomplished athlete in his own right – he was part of championship football teams at the high school, university, and professional levels – Mr. Spoletini has spent the past thirty years encouraging sportsmanship and philanthropy throughout our community. Whether he's coaching the next generation of football stars or sponsoring a charitable event, Mr. Spoletini has dedicated his time and talent to making Calgary a better place and we are all grateful for that.

All of those being recognized as Honoured Athletic Leaders tonight must be commended for their commitment to sport and to our community. While they all come from very different backgrounds, each has chosen to use his or her skills to mentor and develop our young athletes. No doubt their positive impact in this area will be felt for years to come.

We are fortunate that Calgary and its citizens will continue to benefit from the knowledge and expertise of all of tonight's Honourees. Thank you to the Calgary Booster Club for recognizing all of these individuals for their achievements.

Sincerely.

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The Calgary Booster Club is very honoured to have Tony Spoletini as our 60th Sportsman of the Year for 2013. Tony is the oldest son of Italian immigrants. He has brought honour and pride to the Spoletini family name in Calgary through his many achievements and successes. Successful individuals are those whose drive, commitment, vision and passion set them apart. Tony has all of these attributes and more!

Success has always been an integral part of Tony's life. As a youth he succeeded on the soccer pitch and the football field. His high school team, the St. Francis Browns, were undefeated and City Champions for two seasons. He joined the University of Calgary Dinos, as a 17 year old freshman, he was a member of two Vanier Cup Championships and Canada West Rookie of the Year. He was signed by the CFL Edmonton Eskimos and was a member of the 1987 Grey Cup team. He signed as a free agent in 1989 with the Calgary Stampeder's, played in the Grey Cup and lost to the Toronto Argonauts in 1991.

Tony retired from professional football in 1992 and joined his Stamp teammate Mike Palumbo and cousin Tom Spoletini in the highly successful restaurant /catering, Spolumbos, Fine Foods and Deli. Spolumbos is a name recognized by many Calgarians not only for their fine products but also for their ongoing support for diverse organizations from church groups to the sport and fine art community.

Tony's passion for football has never wavered. He has been one of the key people in the growth of Calgary minor football. He has coached Atom, Bantam, and Midget football dedicating hundreds of hours to young athletes. A parent of his Bantam football team wrote of his passion, fairness and remarkable sense of humour. "Win, lose or draw Tony could be found leading his team in song, in a humorous game or exercise. His young charges felt the real joy of playing the game".

Tony was instrumental in developing grass roots football within Calgary and surrounding rural areas. He was a leader in the development of the Calgary and Area Midget Football Spring league which has provided many players a new opportunity to play football.

Tony is credited as being the driving force behind the improvement and development of football venues in Calgary, He teamed with Calgary Cowboys Football Association executives and the Calgary Shriners to fund and build "Shriners Field" complete with lights: home field for the Midget and an Atom football leagues. As vice president of the Greater Calgary Amateur Football Association, he was in charge of fund raising and one of three members overseeing construction of the facilities at Shouldice Athletic Park. The facility is cited as one of the finest of its kind in Canada made up of three artificial turf fields, grandstands, press boxes, scoreboards, lights and entry plaza.



Tony has given back to his Alma Mator. He was a volunteer coach and is a significant supporter and important member of the annual Dino's 5th Quarter fund raising dinner as Co-chairman and Co-Master of Ceremonies. He is valued as a mentor and resource for the officer group and board of directors of this group. His personnel efforts have raised substantial dollars for Dino football scholarships. Tony has also volunteered his time as the color commenter for the Dino football games on QR77 radio.

He has been responsible for coordinating the Stampeders alumni spring football camps which not only provides young players a chance to learn the game from former CFL players but also raises money for the Alberta Children's Hospital. Tony is a former board member and currently an active member of the Stampeder alumni.

Tony also supports his Italian roots as a member of the Italian Sportsman Dinner Board. His personality, wit and charm as co master of ceremonies annually attracts sold out dinners. His amazing humour and talent has Tony volunteering at countless speaking and emceeing engagements for charities.

Tony has been recognized by Dinos Athletics - Lou Goodwin Award for Outstanding Service 2008 and Football Alberta- Outstanding Service Award for Football in Alberta 2009. In 2013 he was awarded The Queen Elizabeth II Diamond Jubilee Medal. He has also been inducted into the Alberta Sports Hall of Fame in 2010 as a member of the 1983 - 1985 Dinos.

Tony has brought his passion to every facet of his life: dedication to his family, Lisa and their three sons, philanthropic, he and his business partners support numerous causes and as a committed but humble volunteer. His vision and drive has resulted in the development of football facilities which will benefit thousands of young athletes and adults for many years to come. His coaching and contributions to the development football leagues for Calgary youth insures his "love of the game" will continue to inspire.

Tony is truly a unique personality in the fabric of Calgary's sporting community. For his efforts in promoting youth football programs and developing facilities, the Calgary Booster Club is proud to honour Tony Spoletini as our 60th Sportsman of the Year.

## 60 Years of Tradition PAST SPORTSMEN OF THE YEAR CALGARY BOOSTER CLUB



2012 Carol Kyle



2011 Bob Vickers



2010 Frank Sisson



2009 Wilf Kaiser



2008 Alf Fischer



2007 Doug Mitchell



2006 Jim Holden



2005 Russ Parker



2004 Stan Schwartz



2003 Frank King



2002 Jim Courchesne



2001 John Semkuley



2000 Eldon Godfrey



1999 Bill Warren



1998 Donald Phelps



1997 Tom Humphrey\*



1996 Ted Rhodes\*



1995 Joe Shea

\*Deceased

## 60 Years of Tradition PAST SPORTSMEN OF THE YEAR CALGARY BOOSTER CLUB



1994 Margaret Scott



1993 Murray Copot\*



1992 Tony Anselmo\*



1991 Bill Salt



1990 Dorothy Read\*



1989 Ted Bancks\*



1988 Keith Evans



1987 Doug Rooke



1986 Marg & Ron Southern



1985 George Blundun\*



1984 Jim (Deak) Cassidy



1983 Keith Kendal



1982 Bob MacNichol\*



1981 Stan Jaycock



1980 Ray Kingsmith\*



1979 Bill Phillips\*



1978 Harry Maubert\*



1977 Dr. Lou Goodwin\*

\*Deceased

## CALGARY BOOSTER CLUB 60 Years of Tradition PAST SPORTSMEN OF THE YEAR



1976 Henry Viney\*



1975 Arthur "Scotty" Kay\*



1974 Tom Cheney\*



1973 John Mayell\*



1972 Jack Setters\*



1971 Charlie Scott\*



1970 Dr. Ward Steckle\*



1969 Doug Kyle



1968 Les Ferguson\*



1967 Ed Corbett\*



1966 Bob Freeze\*



1965 Stu Peppard\*



1964 Jack Bannerman\*



1963 Jerry Trudel\*



1962 Jimmy Condon\*



1961 Harold Brandreth\*



1960 Frank Woodman\*



1959 Pete Egan\*

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## CALGARY BOOSTER CLUB 60 Years of Tradition

## PAST SPORTSMEN OF THE YEAR



1958 Art Davis



1957 Lloyd Turner\*



1956 Father Jim Whelihan\*



1955 Rose Kohn\*



1954 Eugene "Musty" McGill\*

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1965-66 – Lou Goodwin*
1966-67 – Stu Adams*

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1989 - Frank King

1999 Dennis Kadatz

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## Honoured Athletic Leaders:

Doug Bird Brian Hanes **Patrick Jarvis Christine Laverty** Mylene Camu-Saxton and Don Saxton Vini Sciore Dr. David Smith Leslie Sproule Len T. Wong Organizing Committee Calgary - Speed Skating Athletes of the Year:

Kaillie Humphries



Jon Cornish

## Thank You!

marks the last of 15 in a row where I have put together video production, staging, scripting and overall direction.

I've produced the Booster Club Sportsman of the Year Dinner over parts of 3 decades, since 1999, and this

But...all good things do come to an end.

It's been a great experience and I'd like to thank the Booster Club for having me take part and also congratulate them for being an important part of Calgary's history these past 60 years. Allot of tasks are yet ahead, but no doubt the Booster Club will be up to the challenge.

Good luck and "break a leg" tonight, Tony!

2013 Sportsman of the Year



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Congratulations to Tony Spoletini, Sportsman of the Year and to all the 2013 Calgary Booster Club Athletes and Leaders



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#### **DOUG BIRD - Swimming**

Doug is described as a consummate volunteer, a skilled leader and a respected mentor by those who know and have the pleasure of working with him. Doug was introduced to the world of competitive swimming when his children joined the University of Calgary Swim Club, a community he continues to embrace long after his children have left the sport. Doug has been involved with the U of C Swim Club, the Southern Region of Swim Alberta, Swim Alberta and Swimming Canada for more than 25 years. He has taken on just about every role from volunteer official to chair of Swim Canada's Presidents Council, an advisory body to the Chief Executive Officer. Doug is the current president of Swim Alberta, a position he has held since 2004 and has served on the board since 2000.

A Master Official, Doug regularly works local, provincial and national meets at all levels from developmental to Olympic Trials, Senior and CIS Championships. He contributes to Swim Alberta's officials committee as a teacher, as mentor to new referees and by assisting in updating and revising clinics. His greatest love is working with computers and mentoring officials learning to operate the electronic timing at swim meets.

Doug is Past President of the Lindsay Park Sports Society. He was chair of the building committee that guided the major expansion of the Talisman Centre with the addition of the second 50M pool, three gymnasiums, the large public weight room and the sports medicine clinic. This expansion has provided not only athletes but also Calgarians with greatly needed training and exercise facilities. He is currently a member of the Talisman Centre, John Currie Amateur Sport Legacy Fund committee, which oversees the distribution of Western Canada Games legacy bursaries.

Doug is married with two children, is a master swimmer and who along with his wife Karen stay in shape by running and biking.

For his outstanding leadership and significant contributions to the Sport of Swimming and the Talisman Centre, The Calgary Booster Club is pleased to recognize Dour Bird as an Honoured Athletic Leader.



#### **BRIAN HANES - Baseball**

Brian has coached youth baseball at every level for over twenty years, including college. Starting in 1988 until 1995 he was active with the Calgary East Little League program and All Star Teams. He moved on to coach with the Babe Ruth Baseball Giants and Dodgers Organizations. During this period he was also responsible for the 16-18 age group all Star Travel Teams. He has coached a number of league champions and regional finalists and has taken teams to the Senior Babe Ruth World Series in Ohio in both 2006 and 2008. He is a former associate scout with Major League Baseball's Texas Ranger organization.

Through numerous training camps, club teams, travel teams and individual training sessions, Brian has coached thousands of young players. Current and former players consistently express their appreciation for his team management skills and for his ability to instill values of teamwork, self-discipline, respect and love of baseball. Brian is recognized as one of the most knowledgeable people in developing young players. Parents and coaches often seek his advice, which he readily and patiently shares.

Brian's efforts on behalf of Babe Ruth Calgary have been tireless. He has been a long serving member on the board of Babe Ruth Calgary and has been president of the Coaches Association since it was founded in 2003. He has been instrumental in evaluating and instituting rule changes, scheduling, planning preseason evaluations and practice schedules and liaising between the Board of Directors and the Umpires Association.

Founder and president of a company called "Total Baseball" which assists Babe Ruth baseball players in the search and selection of suitable college programs. He has assisted more than 40 players in playing college baseball and pursuing their education.

In 2012, Brian was named Babe Ruth Calgary, AAA Manager of the Year.

For his efforts in developing young players and for his long service to Babe Ruth Calgary, Brian is most deserving of recognition as a Calgary Booster Club Honoured Athletic Leader.



#### **PATRICK JARVIS, Paralympics**

Patrick has a life-long passion for sport as demonstrated by his involvement at many levels and in many capacities.

A Paralympian, Patrick competed at the 1992 Paralympic Summer Games in Barcelona (Athletics) switching to track after having started as an alpine ski racer. He was the Chef de Mission for the Canadian Team at the 1998 Paralympic Winter Games and the official CPC representative at three Paralympic Games: Sydney, Salt Lake City and Athens.

Patrick has been involved with Canadian Paralympic sport as a volunteer since 1987, including 13 years on the Canadian Paralympic Committee (CPC) Board serving seven years as the CPC President. He also held an executive position as CEO of the Canadian Paralympic Foundation.

He was a member of the Secretary of State's Working Group on Sport for Persons with a Disability, the first National Sport Advisory Committee to the Secretary of State for Amateur Sport. Patrick has served on a number of boards and committees including the Board of Directors of the Organizing Committee for the Vancouver 2010 Olympic and Paralympic Winter Games; IOC Evaluation Commission for the 2012 Games and subsequent IOC Coordination Commission for the London Olympic and Paralympic Games: WinSport; 2010 Legacies Now (Vancouver); the University of Guelph Board of Governors and the governing Board of the International Paralympic Committee.

Still active in sports, including basketball, curling, skiing and cycling he ran the Chicago Marathon for the "fun of it" and then ran the Boston Marathon in a "Run Jarvis Run" fundraiser for Paralympic sports.

For decades Patrick has empowered people with disabilities to seek their full potential through sport. Based on his extensive involvement with Paralympics movement, he was named as a Member of the Order of Canada in 2010.

It is with pride and admiration, that the Calgary Booster Club recognizes Patrick Jarvis as an Honoured Athletic Leader.



#### **Christine Laverty - Athletics, Cross Country**

Christine Laverty has been a track and field coach in Calgary for the past 16 years. Christine began her coaching career as a youth age coach with "Calgary Track West" and later with "Calgary Track and Field". She was the distance and x-country coach with CalTaf, and was later promoted to the head coaching role. Early in her coaching career in Calgary she began her provincial coaching interests where she was selected to many Provincial teams. Some of her athletes performed well at the national level and her hard work and dedication to the sport was being recognized at the National level and she was soon representing Canada as one of the top coaches in Canada. She continues to coach athletes to the national level. She has been a National team coach from 2006 – 2013.

Prior to coming to Calgary Christine grew up in Quebec where she began her volunteering and coaching in the sports of x-country, track and field and gymnastics. In total Christine has been involved in Athletics for 39 years and counting. Christine has had many accomplishments in her short time in Calgary. Christine was chairperson for the Canadian National Championships in 2011 and the Canadian Olympic Trials and National Championships in 2012 here in Calgary.

She is also Chair of the Calgary Track Council the main organizing body which brings all track clubs together to plan current and future meets along with coordinating local facility use.

Christine has won many awards for her work in track and field over the years. In 2001 and 2006 she was presented with the Development coach of the year Award and 2010 the George Gemer Award for her years of contribution to the sport of Athletics in Alberta. Her most recent honour was in 2012 as she was named the Volunteer of the Year for Athletics Alberta.

It is with a great deal of pleasure that the Calgary Booster Club presents Christine Laverty as an Honoured Athletic Leader for 2013.



#### Don & Mylene Saxton (Volleyball)

Both Don and Mylene Saxton are former players on the Canadian Volleyball Teams. In ensuing years, they played on and coached a number of very successful teams. Their personal accomplishments have provided a foundation from which they provide guidance, encouragement and skill development of young volleyball players.

In 1994, they purchased the Tennis Bubble and converted it into a hard court and beach volleyball facility – The Volleydome. Owning and operating the Volleydome led to starting youth teams as part of the Canuck Stuff Club. They administered the club and coached teams which numbered up to twenty-five teams before they stepped aside for a parent board to run the club.

Don and Mylene continued to coach teams, to give workshops for coaches, to provide input to the Board and to inspire athletes. While it is sometimes difficult to separate the business side of the Volleydome from their volunteer work, it is clear that most of their work with the youth programs has been done on a volunteer basis. Their accomplishments have been recognized by the volleyball community with coaching and builder awards and selections as provincial team coaches.

The Calgary Booster Club is indeed pleased to recognize Don and Mylene Saxton as Honoured Athletic Leaders.



#### Vini Sciore - Football

Vini Sciore has spent over 30 years contributing to football and athletics in the City of Calgary's High Schools. Vini has been an outstanding educator, coach and mentor in the Calgary Catholic School District for over 30 years and during that time has coached football, rugby, and soccer.

Vini has been instrumental in developing the junior football program at its roots at St. Mary's High School since 1990. His dedication to coaching has not been an easy task as he has struggled to get enough student athletes to participate on these inner city High School teams.

Vini is a man of character and integrity and enjoys seeing students come into the program with no football skills and leave with the knowledge and understanding to play at the senior level and beyond. Even though Vini would say that his major accomplishment is providing students an opportunity to participate in athletics, his football teams have captured 8 City Championships and 7 City Finalists awards. He also captured a City title in Soccer.

Vini is also an outstanding husband and father and he is also involved in the community as a volunteer. He has been a hockey manager and director from 2001 – 2011 with the NWCA hockey association; and was involved in the inception of the NWCAA Michael Gee hockey scholarship. Vini is a former director of the Calgary Italian Club. Vini is also an accomplished musician, he and his band have entertained many Calgarians at their weddings, birthdays and retirement parties.

It is for his passion and dedication to young athletes that we recognize Vini Sciore as an Honoured Athletic Leader in 2013.



#### DR. DAVID SMITH - Sports Science

For the past 30 years Dr. David (Doc) Smith has been instrumental in designing and implementing training programs for elite athletes.

Dr. Smith is a "leader of leaders" and a "mentor of mentors" for Canadian sport. His contribution to Canadian sport performance is undeniable. He has had a major influence on 9 national sports: Swimming, Speed Skating, Volleyball, Synchronized Swimming, Cross Country Skiing, Biathlon, Paralympic Skiing, Women's Olympic Hockey Team, and Track Cycling. He has been an Exercise Physiology consultant for the Canadian Olympic Committee initially beginning at Sarajevo, Winter Games 1984, and most recently at his tenth Olympic Games at London, 2012. His leading edge research and leadership have directly contributed to Canadian Olympic medals and World records.

As Director of Sport Science for the Canadian Sport Centre Calgary (CSCC), Dr. Smith has provided a critical link to the U of C, Human Performance Laboratory with his research and expertise in training systems. Dr. Smith's work is recognized throughout the world. He has particular expertise in altitude protocols and no one is "doing it like he does". His understanding of sustained intensity has been a key to performance improvement in endurance sports. His protocols, as they pertain to blood and lab testing to monitor the advancement of athletes, are unique. His mentorship has resulted in tremendous growth in the Canadian sport system and his graduate students and exercise physiology technicians have played key roles.

Dr. Smith's knowledge and insights are impacting a significant population beyond sport. His work with patients and doctors at the Tom Baker Cancer Centre in developing fitness programs for cancer survivors has significantly improved fitness, energy levels, and overall quality of life.

Doc Smith, as he is called by his students, recently retired as a professor in the Faculty of Kinesiology, University of Calgary but he continues to be actively involved as the Director of Sport Science at the Canadian Sport Centre, Calgary and WinSport Canada.

The Calgary Booster Club is proud to recognize Dr. David Smith for his leadership, mentorship and ground breaking research.



#### **Leslie Sproule - Synchronized Swimming**

Leslie Sproule started as an athlete in Synchronized Swimming and transitioned into coaching where she has coached from Grassroots to the Olympic Games for the past 32 years. Besides working with athletes, she has mentored coaches and helped developed programs in Calgary, Alberta, Canada, Malaysia, India and Brazil. She has consulted in 22 countries worldwide. Her book "Coaching Synchronized Swimming" has sold in 25 countries since 1998.

Although Leslie is not an official, she has trained officials both nationally and internationally. She is seen by FINA, the International Federation for Aquatic Sports, as a leading expert and visionary for Synchronized Swimming.

Leslie has also developed dryland training programs for swim and water polo clubs as well as the Men's National Water polo team. She is a recipient of the 3M Canada Coaching Excellence Award and was inducted into the Alberta Sports Hall of Fame as a builder in 2008. Her volunteer work involves her passion; coaching. She sits on the Board of Directors for Coach Alberta, Sport Alberta, Coaches of Canada and the Technical Synchronized Swimming Committee for the Pan American countries.

The Calgary Booster club is indeed proud to present Leslie Sproule as an Honoured Athletic Leader.



#### Len T. Wong - Basketball Official

Len started his involvement in basketball in 1974 as a Basketball manager for the Western Canada High School Senior girls Basketball team. The following year he was asked by the coach, Lawrence King to see if he would referee some of the basketball games, and from then on Len's Basketball officiating career started and has been refereeing for over 36 years.

He started to excel with the CBOA as a Basketball Official and quickly rose through the ranks. Len transferred down to Las Vegas, Nevada to finish off his Hotel Degree and continued to officiate down in Las Vegas being mentored by Chuck Minker, one of the top Officials and Commissioner in Las Vegas. Len's talent was recognized and he was assigned Senior Boys Division 1 Varsity and Division 1 Senior Men's Basketball in a short time.

He returned to Calgary after graduating with his Hotel degree and continued his referee career, excelling with the CBOA and was officiating University Basketball within a couple of years.

Over the years, Len has worked in many high profile games on a regular basis, including both City and Provincial High School Championships. He is still active at the CCAA College Level Official and has officiated at the University level for 20 Years. He has also represented Calgary and Alberta at a number of National Championships including CCAA College Men's and Women's College Championships and Summer Games Tournaments.

One of Len's memorable experiences was refereeing a scrimmage game for the NBA Vancouver Grizzlie's in Calgary and recently officiated one of the ABA Pro League games of the Calgary Crush. He also was involved with the Scorers bench as play by play Statistician for the Calgary 88's pro Basketball League.

Len's contributions to the game go well beyond his on floor accomplishments. Len has also contributed to the game of Basketball in various behind the scene capacities as an Executive Member of the (CBOA) Calgary Basketball Officials Association assuming various volunteer positions including those of President, Past President, Vice President, and Treasurer. Len also served as Vice President of the Alberta Basketball Officials Association (ABOA) for one term. He has been involved in the continuing education of younger officials by helping them enhance their referee skills with his knowledge and promoting the ABOA and CBOA philosophy and guidelines. Len is a highly respected member of the CBOA and ABOA Provincial Panel of Basketball Evaluators being assigned numerous High School Provincial Championships as an Evaluator/Assignor.

Len's professional career keeps him very busy and is one of Calgary's Top Real Estate Agents, coaching and mentoring his team of eight. He also belongs to the Calgary Chamber of Commerce and is one of the Calgary Flames Ambassadors assisting various charities. He still makes time for playing golf, working out and loves his Yoga.

For his commitment to Basketball Officiating, Len is a truly deserving recipient of The Calgary Booster Club's Honoured Athletic Leader Award.

## SPECIAL AWARD Organizing Committee Calgary - Speed Skating

The Organizing Committee Calgary, a living legacy of the 88 Olympic Winter Games has been actively providing leadership and volunteers for speed skating events since they were established after the 1988 Calgary Winter Olympic Games. The volunteers continue to dedicate their time and energy to the sport of speed skating by organizing international competitions held at the Olympic Oval on behalf of Speed Skate Canada and have produced 28 World Cups and World Championships over the past 25 years.

The impact of the OCC is far-reaching. Locally, in Calgary, they have a direct impact on the economy, and have brought thousands of local, national and international visitors to the city over the past 25 years. They have brought local, national and international athletes, coaches, sports administrators and media into the city as well. Their events showcase the Olympic Oval and the city on the world stage, highlighting Calgary's long-standing commitment to excellence in sport.

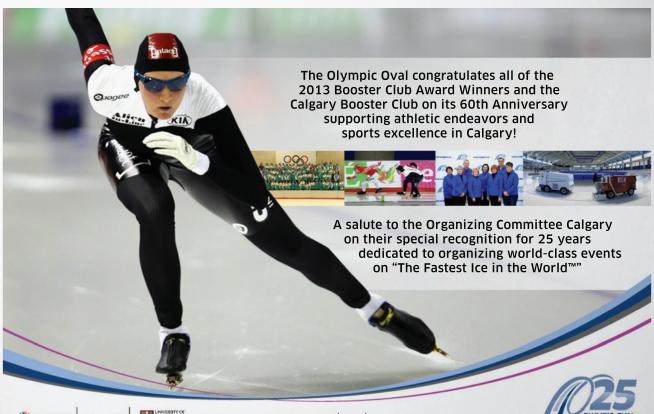
The group works in association with Speed Skating Canada, the Alberta Amateur Speed Skating Association, International Skating Union and the Olympic Oval, and has developed as international reputation for the high quality events it hosts.

It is with a great deal of pleasure that the Calgary Booster Club presents the Organizing Committee Calgary with a Special Recognition Awards for its outstanding support of speed skating in Calgary.

On the photo from left to right: Lynn Nixon, Jim Kelly, Lynda Murch, Gregg Planert, Catherine Humeny, Nannette Ho-Covernton, Eryn Paterson, Alice Humeny, Mark Messer, Janice Dawson

Absent: Antonio Faiola, Russell Reimer, Nathalie Smith-MacInnis









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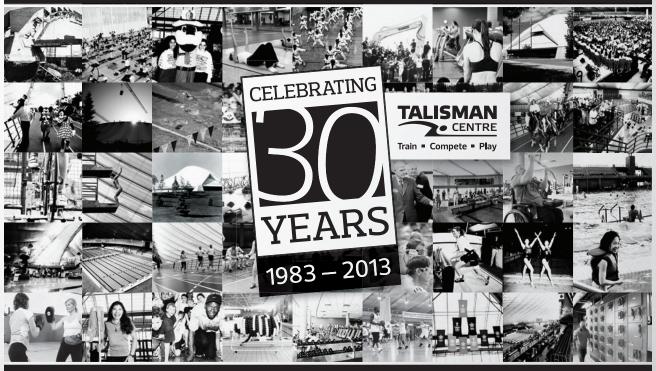




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The Calgary Booster Club would like to thank The Calgary Foundation's generous grant for a "History and Archival Project for Amateur Sports in Calgary".

## Congratulations to **Tony Spoletini**, 2013 Sportsman of the Year!



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## The Calgary Booster Club and Talisman Centre

Talisman Centre congratulates The Calgary Booster Club on 60 years of dedicated volunteer service to The City of Calgary. Through perseverance and visionary leadership, they were instrumental in pushing forward the successful bid for the 1988 Winter Olympic Games in Calgary. That landmark achievement alone ensures The Calgary Booster Club a prominent place in Calgary's history books. "One of The Calgary Booster Club's greatest achievements was being the catalyst for the 1988 Calgary Winter Olympic games, while Talisman Centre was the catalyst for the 1983 Western Canada Summer Games," says Jeff Booke, Chief Executive Officer of Talisman Centre.

The Booster Club volunteers are hard at work year-round to develop and encourage athletic endeavour in the city. The Booster Club famously recognizes the Calgary Sportsman of the Year, Honoured Athletic Leaders, as well as female and male athletes of the year. They also support and recognize athletic excellence in High School sports, and provide a number of generous athletic grants and awards.

The Calgary Booster Club's passion and dedication to athletic endeavour make them a perfect fit with Talisman Centre, and the two organizations have enjoyed a long and mutually beneficial friendship for 30 years. In 2012, The Calgary Booster Club Sports Wall of Fame was reintroduced as a digital display at Talisman Centre and also features the 1988 Calgary Winter Olympic torch and 2010 Vancouver Winter Olympic torch. This video display provides The Calgary Booster Club with a new and vibrant public portal to promote its events, awards, and celebrate athletic achievement.

From providing funds and volunteers for athletic events, to the awarding of scholarships and grants to high school, and post-secondary programs, as well as recognizing outstanding contributions made by Calgary athletes and athletic leaders, The Calgary Booster Club has been one of this city's most valuable organizations for 60 years.

Talisman Centre is proud to have a close relationship with The Calgary Booster Club and looks forward to celebrating athletic endeavours with them for many years to come.

#### SPORTS WALL OF FAME AND OLYMPIC TORCH DISPLAY

For over 60 years the Calgary Booster Club has woven itself into the fabric of our community. Often standing behind the scenes, the Club has endeavoured to recognize the leadership that has made Calgary athletic programs so vibrant and to celebrate and support individual athletic accomplishments.

In 1984 the Calgary Booster Club approved the concept of a permanent display of recognition for leadership and athletic award winners. An agreement was reached between the Club and Board of Directors of the Talisman Centre to house the display in their highly used public athletic facility, The Calgary Booster Club Sports Wall of Fame was opened to the public on December 9, 1987. By 1998 no more names could be added and the display was beginning to deteriorate. The original wall was removed during 2010 renovations when Talisman Centre was closed for roof repairs.

On November 15, 2012 a new" living" Sport Wall of Fame was installed. A TV monitor displays photos and biographies of Calgary sports leaders and athletes recognized by the Club since 1953.



#### **APPRECIATION**

With thanks for funding received in support of the Calgary Booster Club Archive and Recognition Project



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#### SPORTS WALL OF FAME AND OLYMPIC TORCH DISPLAY

## 1988 Olympic Torch.

On February 13, 1988, Harry Maubert, 1978 Sportsman of the Year, representing the Calgary Booster Club, used the torch to officially light the cauldron at the Olympic Plaza.

Petro Canada, sponsor of the Cross Canada torch relay presented this torch to the Club on June 6, 1988 in recognition of the Calgary Booster Club's major contribution to the XV Olympic Winter Games.

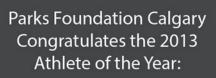
## 2010 Olympic Torch

The 2010 torch was donated by Ernie McCullough, a founding member of the Calgary Boost Club and president of the Calgary Olympic Development Association (CODA) which submitted Calgary's first Olympic bid.

This torch is of special significance not only because of Ernie's early contributions but also because he represented Canada as a track and field athlete at the 1948 London Games. Sixty two years later, he carried this torch as part of the cross Canada relay tour.











### TONY SPOLETINI

Congratulations also to: Kaillie Humphries, Jon Cornish, and all the 2013 athletic leaders.

Your commitment to excellence inspires us all.

Since 1985, Parks Foundation Calgary has created opportunities to improve the quality of life of Calgarians. PFC has the ability to bring together diverse agencies to enhance Calgary's parks, river valleys and amateur sports.

Parks Foundation Calgary has proudly awarded more than \$9 million towards the development of amateur sports through our Amateur Sport Grant Program - a partnership between the Calgary Flames, Saddledome Foundation, and PFC.

Our long-standing partnership with The Calgary Booster Club enables us to further support amateur sport and we are so proud of all this year's honoured athletes.

## **CALGARY BOOSTER CLUB**

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# Henry Viney Trophy

The Calgary Athlete of the Year Award was started in 1958 by the Calgary Press Radio TV Sports Club. The award was given to the top male or female athlete in Calgary until 1987 when the Henry Viney Trophy was instituted for the top female athlete of the year. The Calgary Booster Club has coordinated the recognition program since 1990 after the Sports Media Club folded. The Calgary Booster Club honoured its first athlete at the 1956 Sportsman of the Year Dinner - a young football star named Normie Kwong, who was Alberta's Lieutenant-Governor from 2005-2010.

This award, named in honour of Henry Viney, the long-time Sports Director of CFCN Radio-Television, was established in 1987 by the Calgary Sports Media Club. Viney, over a career that spanned some 50 years, covered every major sporting event around the globe and received many major awards including Canadian Sportscaster of the Year (1967 Foster Hewitt Award) and the Calgary Booster Club Sportsman of the Year (1976). The "little man with the big cigar" passed away in 1980.

1987 – CAROLYN WALDO, Syncl	hronized Swimming
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1988 - CAROLYN WALDO, Synchronized Swimming

1989 - CAROLYN WALDO/MICHELLE CAMERON, Synchronized Swimming

1990 - VERONICA VANDER SCHEE, Basketball

1991 – JODI EVANS, Basketball

1992 - KERRIN LEE GARTNER, Skiing

1993 - KERRIN LEE GARTNER, Skiing

1994 – LISA HARVEY, Cross Country

1995 - SUSAN AUCH, Speed Skating

1996 - SUSAN AUCH, Speed Skating

1997 - CHRISTINE NORDHAGEN, Wrestling

1998 - CATRIONA LE MAY DOAN, Speed Skating

1999 - CATRIONA LE MAY DOAN, Speed Skating

2000 - LEIGHANN DOAN, Basketball

2001 - CATRIONA LE MAY DOAN, Speed Skating

2002 - CATRIONA LE MAY DOAN, Speed Skating

2003 - CATRIONA LE MAY DOAN, Speed Skating

2004 - TARYN SWIATEK, Soccer

2005 - CINDY KLASSEN, Speed Skating

2006 - CINDY KLASSEN, Speed Skating

2007 - CINDY KLASSEN, Speed Skating

2008 - HAYLEY WICKENHEISER, Hockey

2009 - CAROL HUYNH, Wrestling

2010 - MELISSA HOLLINGSWORTH, Skeleton

2011 - CHERYL BERNARD, Curling

2012 - CHRISTINE NESBITT, Speed Skating

# HENRY VINEY TROPHY WINNER Kaillie Humphries



Kaillie dominated the international women's bobsleigh scene during 2012 and early 2013 by capturing 8 straight wins and making 12 podium appearances including ten victories and the 2012 World Women's Bobsleigh Championship. During that span she teamed with three brakeman - Emily Baadsvik, Jenny Ciochetti and since the Fall, Chelsea Valois. The 27 year old Calgarian started in the sport as a 17 year old after retiring as an alpine ski racer. She served four years as a brakeman before stepping into the driver's seat in 2006-2007. She became the first Olympic champion claiming gold with brakeman Heather Moyse at the 2010 Vancouver Games.

Kaillie is also committed to the community. During the Christmas season she and her family are involved in a dinner program for the homeless; she is also active with elementary schools as a speaker and mentor. Others considered for the Viney Trophy: Alex Gough (Luge), Carol Huynh (Wrestling), Erin McLeod (Soccer), Christine Nesbitt (Speedskating), Hayley Wickenheiser (Hockey) and Nicole Zhang (Golf).

## SCOTT-MAMINI AWARD WINNER





It was a banner year for Jon Cornish who in his first year as a starter won the CFL rushing title accumulating 1457 yards and breaking Normie Kwong's 56 year old single season rushing record for Canadians. The result of the record breaking effort was the 2012 CFL Most Outstanding Canadian award as well as runner-up honors as the league's Most Outstanding Player. He was member of the West Division, CFL and CFL Player's Association all-star teams in 2012.

The 29 year old New Westminster, BC native now lives in Calgary year round. He was chosen by the Stamps in the second round (13th overall) at the 2006 CFL Draft. He served as a member of the special teams unit and as the back-up running back before stepping into the spotlight during the 2011 season. Jon repeats as the winner of the Scott-Mamini Award and joins twelve previous football winners.

Other athletes in contention for the award: Eric Dzwilewski (Football), Kevin Glenn (Football), Jamie Gregg (Speedskating), Jim Henderson (Baseball), Kevin Koe (Curling) and Nik Lewis (Football).

# Scott-Mamini Award

The Scott-Mamini Award, initiated by the Calgary Press-Radio-TV Sports Club in 1958, was presented annually to the city's Athlete of the Year as chosen by the media. That format continued until 1987 when the Scott-Mamini became the Male Athlete of the Year recognition. It is named for Harry Scott, Sports Editor at the Calgary Albertan and Bob Mamini, the Sports Department Head at the Calgary Herald. Both men were highly respected across the country during the 1930's and 1940's.

1958 – AL ROLLINS, Hockey
1959 – DON LUZZI, Football
1960 – DOUG KYLE, Track & Field
1961 – KEITH ALEXANDER, Golf
1962 – DOUG BARKLEY, Hockey
1963 – HARVIE WYLIE, Football
1964 – JAMIE PAULSON, Badminton
1965 – LOVELL COLEMAN, Football
1966 - RON NORTHCOTT, Curling
1967 – WAYNE HARRIS, Football
1968 - RON NORTHCOTT, Curling
1969 – BOB WYLIE, Golf
1970 – PETE SAVINKOFF, Fastball
1971 - BARBARA SIMPSON, Equestrian
1972 – JOHN DAVIDSON, Hockey
1973 – JOHN HELTON, Football

1974 - BILL BENKO, Wrestling

1976 - WILLIE BURDEN, Football

1975 - KATHY PRIESTNER, Speed Skating

1977 – PAUL GOWSELL, Curling
1978 - HELEN VANDERBURG, Synchronized Swimmi
1979 – KEN READ, Alpine Skiing
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1981 – JAMES SYKES, Football
1982 – KARL TILLEMAN, Basketball
1983 – WILLIE deWIT, Boxing
1984 – REGGIE LEMELIN, Hockey
1985 – TOM PONTING, Swimming
1986 – ED LUKOWICH, Curling
1987 – RICK JOHNSON, Football
1988 – JOE NIEUWENDYK, Hockey
1989 – MIKE VERNON, Hockey
1990 – MARK TEWKSBURY, Swimming
1991 – BOB WYLIE, Golf
1992 – MARK TEWKSBURY, Swimming

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1994 - DAVID SAPUNJIS, Football

1995 - RICHARD BOHNE, Basketball

	1996 – DON BLAIR, Football
ning	1997 – CURTIS MYDEN, Swimming
	1998 – MIKE VERNON, Hockey
	1999 – JEFF GARCIA, Football
	2000 – JEREMY WOTHERSPOON, Speed Skating
	2001 – DAVE DICKENSON, Football
	2002 – JAROME IGINLA, Hockey
	2003 – JAROME IGINLA, Hockey
	2004 – JEREMY WOTHERSPOON, Speed Skating
	2005 - KYLE SHEWFELT, Gymnastics
	2006 – LEE GRAVES, Rodeo
	2007 – MIIKKA KIPRUSOFF, Hockey
	2008 - STEPHEN AMES, Golf
	2009 – HENRY BURRIS, Football
	2010 – JOHN KUCERA, Alpine Skiing
	2011 – JON MONTGOMERY, Skeleton
	2012 – JON CORNISH, Football

# CALGARY BOOSTER CLUB AND Parks Foundation

## **2013 ENDOWMENT FUND GRANTS**

In 1990, the Calgary Booster Club, in association with the Alberta Sport Council, established the Sportsman of the Year Endowment Fund. In 2000, the management of the fund changed.

The Art Smith Amateur Sport Legacy Fund is a partnership between the Calgary Booster Club and the Parks Foundation Calgary. Together these two groups have created and will continue to build an endowment fund to provide much needed assistance for amateur athletes. Because The Art Smith Amateur Sport Legacy is an endowment fund, your gift can be used now and will still be at work for many years to come. To check out the many ways you can gain taxable benefits, please visit www.parksfdn.com, or call (403) 541-0609, or send an email to info@calgarybooster.com.

# 2013 SPORTSMAN OF THE YEAR ART SMITH SPORT LEGACY ENDOWMENT GRANT AND SCHOLARSHIP RECIPIENTS

The following athletes were selected after considering performance ranking and financial need. The Calgary Booster Club is proud to recognize the commitment and achievement of the following athletes and hopes that this grant will help further their training and competitive opportunities.

Nickalas Blevins - Rugby
Madison Charney - Skeleton
John Conway - Water Polo
Hillary Fast - Long Track Speed Skating
Barrett Martineau - Skeleton

Joshua Mauer - Ski Jumping
Halle Pratt - Synchronized Swimming
Kali Sayers - Modern Pentathlon
Christopher Spring - Bobsleigh
Craig Thomas - Track and Field, Decathlon

For a list of all previous endowment recipients, go to calgaryboosterclub.com/endowment-fund-awards.

## **RECOGNITION PARTNERSHIP**

The City of Calgary and the Calgary Booster Club have partnered since 1996 to recognize the achievements of Calgary-based athletes and teams who have won a national championship or a medal at international competitions. Athletic excellence is recognized with a letter signed by Mayor Nenshi. We invite local teams and sport groups to let us know when you win a national championship or international medal. For more information, check our web site at www.calgaryboosterclub.com.

## **Honoured Athletes**

MADISON ALLEN - CIS Champion, Duet, Synchronized Swimming EMILY BAADSVIK - World Championships, Team Event, Bronze, Bobsleigh/Skeleton DON BAYLY - National Champion, Men's 55 Middle Distance, Orienteering JORDAN BELCHOS - National Single Distance Champion, 10,000m, Long Track Speed Skating ALLISON BEVERIDGE - UCI Pan-American Champion, Women's Team Pursuit, Track Cycling MORGAN BIRD - Para Pan Am SWAD Champion, 100m Fly, Swimming JASON BLOCK - CIS Champion, 50m Breast, 100m Breast, 4x100m Medley Relay, Swimming JUSTINE BOUCHARD - National Champion, 63kg, Wrestling NOAH BOWMAN - Winter X Games, Ski Half Pipe, Silver, Freestyle Skiing GABRIELLA BRISSON - National Champion, Duet, Synchronized Swimming CHRIS BRUNET - National U16 Champion, Beach Volleyball STEPHIE CALKINS - National 13 & U Champion, 50m Free, 50m Fly, Swimming JENNY CIOCHETTI – World Champion, Bobsleigh DAYNA CLAY – World U23 Championships, Silver, Luge LINDSAY DELMAR - CIS Champion, 4x100m Free Relay & 4x200m Free Relay, Swimming FIONA DOYLE - CIS Champion, 4x100m Free Relay & 4x200m Free Relay, Swimming SAM EDNEY - World Championships, Team Relay, Bronze, Luge JOHN FAIRBAIRN - World Championships, Team Event, Bronze, Bobsleigh/Skeleton MATHIEU GIROUX - National Single Distance Champion, 1500m, Long Track Speed Skating ALEX GOUGH - World Championships, Team Relay, Bronze, Luge JAMIE GREGG - National Single Distance Champion, 500m & 1000m, Long Track Speed Skating ROSALIND GROENEWOUD - Winter X Games Champion, Ski Super Pipe, Freestyle Skiing KATE HANLEY - National Junior Champion, 500m, 1000m, 1500m, 3000m & All-round, Long Track Speed Skating

## **RECOGNITION PARTNERSHIP**

BREANNA HENDRIKS - CIS Champion, 4x200m Free Relay, Swimming

TAYLOR HENRICH - Youth Olympics, Team Event, Bronze, Ski Jumping

MARIAH HENSEL - CIS Champion, 4x200m Relay, Track and Field

 ${\tt MELLISA\ HOLLINGSWORTH-World\ Championships,\ Silver,\ Skeleton;\ Team\ Event,\ Bronze;}$ 

Bobsleigh/Skeleton

CLAUDIA HOLZNER - National Champion, Duet, Synchronized Swimming

KAILLIE HUMPHRIES – World Champion, Bobsleigh; World Championships, Team Event, Bronze, Bobsleigh/Skeleton

CAROL HUYNH - National Champion, 48kg, Wrestling

KITTY JONES - National Champion, Women's 55 Long Distance, Orienteering

CINDY KLASSEN – World Cup Overall, Team Pursuit, Gold; World Single Distances Championships, Team Pursuit, Silver; National Single Distance Champion, 5000m; Long Track Speed Skating

DUSTY KOREK - Youth Olympics, Team Event, Bronze, Ski Jumping

KELSEY LOTWIN - CIS Champion, 4x200m Relay, Track and Field

MICHAEL LOWENSTEIN - CIS Champion, 4x100m Medley Relay, Swimming

JUSTIN KRIPPS - World Championships, Team Event, Bronze, Bobsleigh/Skeleton

JESSE LUMSDEN - World Championships, Two-man, Silver, Bobsleigh

CHRISTIN LUNDGREN - North American Championships, Women's 60 Middle & Long Distance,

Gold; National Champion, Women's 55 Middle Distance; Orienteering

ANTHONY LYONS - National 16 Champion, 200m Free, Swimming

CHARLOTTE MACNAUGHTON - National Champion, Women's 35 Sprint Distance, Orienteering

RACHEL MCINTOSH - CIS Champion, Pentathlon, Track and Field

CAELI MCKAY - National Junior Champion, 1m & 3M Springboard, Diving

ALISON MCKENNEY - CIS Champion, Solo. Synchronized Swimming

NATHANIEL MAH - Youth Olympics, Team Event, Bronze, Ski Jumping

DEREK MEEUWISSE - National U16 Champion, Beach Volleyball

COLIN MIAZGA - CIS Champion, 4x100m Medley Relay, Swimming

LACEY MILLER - CIS Champion, 4x200m Relay, Track and Field

SEANNA MITCHELL - CIS Champion, 4x100m Free Relay, Swimming

## **RECOGNITION PARTNERSHIP**

CHRISTINE NESBITT – World Cup Overall, 1000m, 1500m & Team Pursuit, Gold; World Single Distances Championships, 1000m and 1500m, Gold, Team Pursuit, Silver; World Sprint Champion, 1000m; National Single Distance Champion, 500m, 1000m, 1500m & 3000m; Long Track Speed Skating

MUNCEF OUARDI - World Sprint Championships, 500m, Bronze, Long Track Speed Skating

MARION OWEN - National Champion, Women's 55 Sprint Distance, Orienteering

TREVOR PHILIP - National Champion, Slalom, Alpine Skiing

ALEXANDRA PRETORIUS - World Cup Grand Prix, Gold, Ski Jumping

ANNA PRYCE – National Champion, Women's 12 Sprint Distance, Orienteering

BEN PRYCE - National Champion, Men's 12 Sprint & Middle Distance, Orienteering

TIM RANDALL - World Championships, Team Event, Bronze, Bobsleigh/Skeleton

ERIK READ - Nor-Am Cup Overall Champion, Alpine Skiing

AMANDA REASON - CIS Champion, 50m Free, 4x100m Free Relay, 4x200m Free Relay, Swimming

MAGALI ROBERT - National Champion, Women's 35 Middle & Long Distance, Orienteering

LYNDON RUSH - World Championships, Two-man, Silver, Bobsleigh

BRITTANY SCHUSSLER – World Cup Overall, Team Pursuit, Gold; World Single Distances Championships, Team Pursuit, Silver; Long Track Speed Skating

HANNAH SMITH - Para Pan AM, 100m Breast, Silver, Swimming

TRAVIS SMITH - UCI Pan-American Championships, Kierin, Bronze, Team Sprint, Silver, Track Cycling

JUSTIN SNITH - World U23 Championships, Two-man, Silver; World Championships, Team Relay, Bronze, Luge

MONIQUE SULLIVAN – UCI Pan-American Champion, Keirin and Sprint, Track Cycling

GLEB SUVOROV - CIS Champion, 50m Back, 100m Back, 200m Medley, 4x100m Medley Relay, Swimming

MICHAEL SVOBODA - North American Champion, Men's 18 Middle Distance, Orienteering

DAVID SVOBODA - North American Champion, Men's 12 Middle Distance, Orienteering

EMILY WAGNER - National Age Group Champion, 100m & 200m Back, Swimming

KATRINA WALDHOUSER - CIS Champion, Duet, Synchronized Swimming

TRISTAN WALKER - World U23 Championships, Two-man, Silver; World Championships, Team Relay, Bronze, Luge

STEFAN WAPLES – National Single Distance Champion, 5000m, Long Track Speed Skating

ERICA WIEBE - National Champion, 72kg; CIS Champion, 72kg; Wrestling

RUSSELL WOOD - National 17-18 years Champion, 50m, 100m & 200m Back, Swimming

JENN ZIMMER - CIS Champion, 4x200m Relay, Track and Field

## **RECOGNITION PARTNERSHIP**

## **Team Achievement**

BOWNESS MONSTER WATER POLO TEAM - National Champions (David Allen, Christopher Baradoy, Kent Hardisty, Pat McGinn, Nathaniel Miller, Noah Miller, Luke Murtha, Connor Pardy, Jordan Thomson, Nicholas Youngblud)

CALGARY AQUABELLES – Junior JT Team – Gold – 2012 Canadian Open (Gabriella Brisson, Claudia Holzner, Jordan McKenzie, Savanah Sami-Bacon, Kylene Schell, Erica Slavin, Valerie Titov, Kali Wong, Olivia Zawadiuk), Synchronized Swimming

CALGARY AQUABELLES – Junior 13-15 JT Team – Gold- 2012 Espoir Championships (McKenna Armstrong-Vanlaar, Breanne Bauer, Carly Buckley, Jacqueline Coulter, Astrid Lauf, Stephanie Mattson, Maxime McLean, Halle Pratt, Abby Russell), Synchronized Swimming

#### UNIVERSITY OF CALGARY WOMEN'S HOCKEY TEAM - CIS Champions

(Sarah Astle, Erin Davidson, Iya Gavrilova, Maddison Gee, Alex Gowie, Brianne Harris, Calaine Inglis, Casey Irving, Elana Lovell, Jennifer Mallard, Erika Mitschke, Tanya Morgan, Chelsea Peterson, Stephanie Ramsay, Erin Rennison, Jenna Smith, Kira Sonnenberg, Bronwyn Stevens, Amanda Tapp, Sinead Tracey, Hayley Wickenheiser, Melissa Zubik, Stephanie Zvonkovic)

UNIVERSITY OF CALGARY SYNCHRONIZED SWIM TEAM, Canadian University Synchro Swim League Champions (Madison Allen, Sarah Benson, Shannon Benson, Alison McKenny, Shauna Tucker, Amy Tucker, Pauline Tapuska, Katrina Waldhouser)

To see a complete list of previous winners, go to www.calgaryboosterclub.com/archives-friends-city-of-calgary.





# CSHSAA

# **Athletics since 1913**

The Calgary Booster Club and The Calgary Senior High School Athletic Association have partnered since 1956 in awarding grade 12 student athlete scholarships.

The Calgary Senior High School Association was established in 1913 to provide competitive athletic opportunities for students in Calgary high Schools The Association believes that the interscholastic athletic program, as a recognized part of the school program, is educationally sound and enhances the physical, mental, emotional and social development of young people.

The CSHSAA is unique in many ways, but is recognized nationally for its belief that the amalgamation of Calgary's two educational systems into one common athletic association is in the best interests of the residents of Calgary. As such, the Calgary Board of Education and the Calgary Catholic School District have worked together harmoniously for decades. The Association and the Calgary Booster Club have partnered since 1956 in funding hundreds of student athletes scholarships based on academic and athletic excellence.

To see a list of previous winners, go to www.calgaryboosterclub.com/archives-cshsaa-awards.



# CALGARY BOOSTER CLUB 2011-2012 Senior High School

## ATHLETIC ASSOCIATION AWARD WINNERS



#### 2011

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#### 2012

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## MASTER OF CEREMONIES FOR THE EVENING





Beesley may have been born in Kamloops, BC but for the past 26 years he has called Calgary home with his wife Joanne, daughter Darcy and son Dylan. One of the first events he hosted was the Opening Ceremonies of the '88 Winter Olympics at Olympic Plaza - since then he has become one of Calgary's most recognized voices hosting everything from CTV's One Night Stand and Miss Calgary Pageant to the Calgary Stampede Talent Showdown and Spruce Meadows.

He was the Calgary Stampeders sideline announcer from 1996-2000 and is the Arena-Voice of your Calgary Flames for the past 17 seasons. Beesley has spent the last 30 years in the radio and television industry and is now a Radio Broadcast Instructor at SAIT.



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## Athlete Awards 2012 - 2013

## **UNIVERSITY OF CALGARY**



#### ANDREW BUCKLEY - Football

In his second year with the football team, Andrew Buckley helped the Dinos to a fifth consecutive Canada West Hardy Cup title while continuing to excel in the classroom. The Kinesiology major, a graduate of Calgary's Rundle College, posted a 3.93 GPA over 27 credits – 50 per cent more than the minimum requirement. On the field, Buckley completed 46 of 61 passes for 550 yards and four touchdowns on the season, good enough for an impressive 159.7 quarterback rating.

## CORY MEEUWISSE - Men's Volleyball

Second-year Kinesiology student Cory Meeuwisse took over as the starting libero for the Dinos men's volleyball team this season, leading the squad in digs per set with 2.38. The graduate of Sir Winston Churchill High School in Calgary completed 27 credits in the Faculty of Kinesiology, recording a GPA of 3.82.

### **CAROLINA ROMEO - Field Hockey**

Carolina Romeo made history in 2008 when she became the youngest female student-athlete in CIS history, joining the Dinos field hockey team at the age of 15. Five years later, she leaves the Dinos as a first team CIS All-Canadian and is preparing to graduate with a degree in mechanical engineering from the Schulich School of Engineering. The former Chancellor's Club scholar posted a GPA of 3.81 over 30 credits in the past academic year.

## **HAYLEY WICKENHEISER – Women's Hockey**

Named the top female academic student-athlete in Canada West for two consecutive years, the women's hockey legend continues to impress on the ice and in the classroom for the Dinos. In addition to her countless awards – to which she added first team All-Canadian status and Canada West MVP honours this season – the Canadian hockey legend put up a perfect 4.00 GPA over the last academic year as she works toward her Kinesiology degree with the goal of attending medical school.





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# 2013 SPORTSMAN OF THE YEAR

Tony Spoletini

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# MALE ATHLETE OF THE YEAR

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# Athlete Awards 2012 - 2013

## MOUNT ROYAL UNIVERSITY



## Female Rookie of the Year: Carolyn O'Dwyer, Volleyball

As one of the top rookies in Canadian Interuniversity Sports (CIS), O'Dwyer took home two top honours as the Canada West Female Volleyball Rookie of the Year - also being named a CIS All-Rookie Team member. Averaging 3.15 kills per set, O'Dwyer ranked fifth in the conference in kills, a phenomenal feat for a freshman. Her 25 kills against UBCO was the fourth best single performance in the Canada West this season. The science major isn't all offence though as she finished second in digs per set for Cougars. Carolyn is also active with the Cougars on the Court program helping teach sport to elementary school children.

### Female Athlete of the Year: Julia Pasieka, Volleyball

As one of the top offensive players in the conference, Pasieka cracked the Canada West top ten for hitting percentage this season with the women's volleyball team. The Calgary native was also the second highest point getter for MRU with over 3 points per set. Pasieka, a Bachelor of Arts student, co-captained the lady Cougars this year and led the team with 85 blocks, helping the team to a fourth place finish in the Canada West in only their first year. Julia is also a strong leader off the court volunteering with Webber Academy both in the classroom and on the court.

### Male Rookie of the Year: Marcus Ernewein, Volleyball

Starting in 20 of 22 matches for the Cougar Men's Volleyball team, Ernewein led the Cougar's offence all season. A Spruce Grove native, Ernewein led the team with over 8.5 assists per set and was fifth in Canada West for total assists. Enrolled in the Sport and Recreation program, Ernewein was also a solid defender coming in 13th overall in Canada for digs. Off the court, Ernewein also volunteers with the Calgary Catholic Athlete mentoring program.

## Male Athlete of the Year: Colton de Man, Volleyball

One of the top players in Canada West, de Man was named as a Canada West Second Team All-Star. de Man also led the Canada West and CIS in total kills and in points scored. He was the first MRU student-athlete to be named Canada West Athlete of the Week and was a two-time MRU Athlete of the Week. de Man leads the men's volleyball team on and off the court as their captain and representative for the Student-Athlete Advisory Council.

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#### Lisa Giles - Female Athlete of the Year

Lisa Giles is a second year cross country runner for the Trojans with many top-knotch accolades earned along the way. Native of Calgary, Lisa is enrolled in SAIT's Environmental Technology program where she boasts an impressive 4.0 GPA. This year her accomplishments started off with five top five finishes in ACAC competition, that included two third place finishes. With the Trojans Cross Country squad's emphasis on team before self outlook this year, Lisa's 5th place finish at Provincials helped her team earn an ACAC bronze medal, and a trip to CCAA Nationals where she placed ninth overall. Lisa's accomplishments also include an ACAC All Conference team and CCAA second team all star honors, along with CCAA Academic All Canadian recognition.

### Clinton Pettapiece - Male athlete of the Year

Clinton Pettapiece wrapped up his final year of eligibility this season with a diploma in Pre Employment Carpentry. This year Clinton stepped up and took on a leadership role, being named as an assistant captain for

his team that consisted of 17 first year players. His teammates looked to him as a source of veteran leadership and for his superb on ice vision to create scoring opportunities which allowed the Trojans to finish second overall in the standings and earn a berth to the provincial semi finals. With 11 goals and 31 assists this season, he also finished atop the ACAC in playoff goals and assists. Clinton topped off his career with a silver medal showing at the ACAC Championships, Clinton was nominated several times by coaching staff over the course of the season for the weekly Trojan Awards, and was rewarded twice with being recognized as the ACAC Athlete of the Week.



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2013 Sportsman of the Year-Tony Spoletini
2012 Athletes of the Year-Kaillie Humphries & Jon Cornish



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# NATIONAL SPORT SCHOOL Calgary Booster Club

# Citizen Award Recipients 2011 - 2012





#### **GRADE 9 - Daina Tuchscherer**

Work and quiet leadership are two of her best personal qualities. She fits into any group easily and works positively to complete all group work. She leads by example – she only offers constructive comments to her peers and staff members. When she travelled extensively she still managed to return to school and develop strong relationships with her peers. The National Sport School is a better place since Daina has joined the school She is one of our best citizens.

## **GRADE 10 - Kali Wong**

As well as being a bronze medalist in synchronized swimming duets at the 2011 Canada Winter Games, Kali Wong brings her strong attitude and work effort to the National Sport School. She is a friendly, hardworking student that is always available to help other students and staff. Kali is a quiet leader and her positive energy helps motivate other students. Whether at the pool or school Kali is "just an all-around nice person" who fits into any group. Her pleasant personality makes the National Sport School a better place; she is one of our best citizens.

#### **GRADE 11 - Chelsea Shaul**

Our Grade 11 winner is a swimmer! Chelsea Shaul is a passionate individual who embraces her teammates, school, and community.

She is a natural leader in her sport. Last year she was the "Group Leader" for the Junior National Group—she mentored her peers while encouraging and elevating the morale of the group with her supportive nature.

Chelsea had her most challenging year last year in swimming both physically and mentally. When the going got tough, she kept going and made an effort to turn a challenging training environment into a positive one. Chelsea has strong personal values. She strongly protects her friends and peers.

She was also known as the "mother bear" of the female swimmers in her group. She coordinated some group activities, outside of swimming, for these swimmers to help build camaraderie and cohesiveness within this group of a wide age range and abilities. Chelsea is known for being a great ambassador not only for her club, UCSC, but for swimming as a whole.

She frequently speaks publicly for the Speakers' Bureau and Awards Evenings for NSS. She is always a role model and a conscientious citizen.

# NATIONAL SPORT SCHOOL Calgary Booster Club

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#### **GRADE 12 - Katrina Henning**

Katrina possesses exceptional academic qualities and grades. Her success at the National Sport School is remarkable. She is a keenly perceptive and organized student. Leadership is embedded in Katrina's nature! She is a leader within the National Sport School, her sporting community and within the Calgary community. At school she volunteered for leading positions of:

- academic awards emcee last year
- organized, planned, produced, and lead the Remembrance Day Ceremony on November 11, 2011.
- participates in the Leadership group at National Sport School. This is a forum for student governance.

It is in this community where she displays other leadership attributes. Katrina instructs younger swimmers. She coaches 4 to 6 year olds twice a week with the Cascade Swim Club of Calgary. Her goal is to help younger athletes develop their technique while learning to the love the sport as she does. Officiating at the junior circuit swim meets is another way she demonstrates her commitment to the swimming community. She volunteers time to the Canadian Breast Cancer Association. She has assisted at various events but recently she helped with the Calgary Run for the Cure in October of 2011. She worked at the Kids Booth. In December of 2011, she volunteered for the Canadian Sport Hall of Fame Induction ceremony. She has committed to continue to volunteer at upcoming events at the Canadian Sport Hall of Fame for 2012. Her leadership at school, in the swimming community and in the community at large are a display of excellent distinction.



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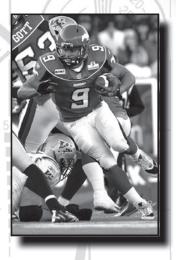
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