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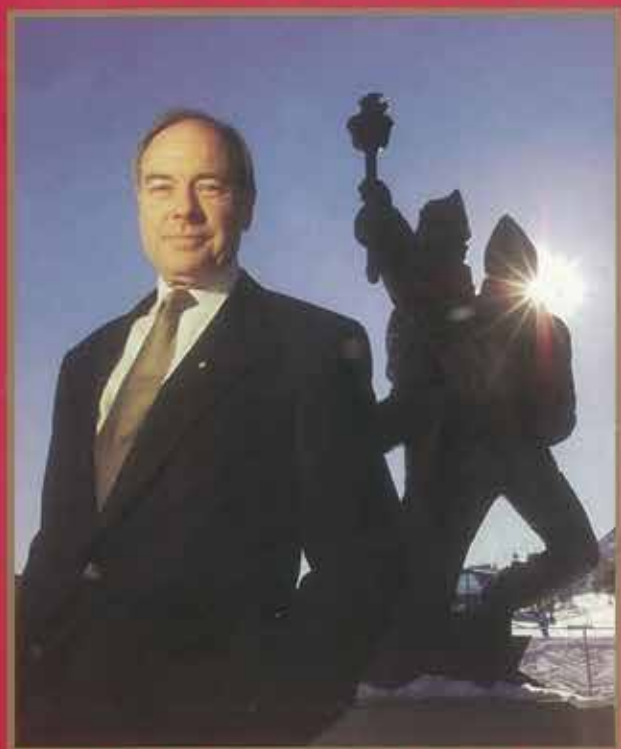


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Calgary’s Athletes of the Year,
and the 50th
Sportsman of the Year
Frank King*

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The Calgary Booster Club is very proud to present the 50th Annual Sportsman of the Year Dinner.

This Dinner is very special and very exciting, as it celebrates fifty continuous years of honoring our Sportsman of the Year and our Athletic Leaders, all who have devoted a tremendous number of hours developing our young athletes and teams in their particular sports in our community.

We are very pleased and honored to have representatives of five of the original Founding Members of the Calgary Booster Club here with us tonight to help celebrate a vision they had fifty years ago. These gentlemen are Art Smith, Ron Butlin, Curly Hunt, Ernie McCullough, and Jack Quigley. I'm sure when they had this dream, they never thought it would last half a century. Thank you so much from the present and past Directors of the Booster Club, for helping to make Calgary the number one Winter Sports City in North America, and maybe the world. Through your vision many years ago, we have had the benefit of hosting the 1988 Winter Olympics, and it has resulted in our club's contribution of over two million dollars to the Calgary Sports Legacy.

The Fiftieth Anniversary Celebration has been very exciting, with the selection of Frank King as the 2003 Sportsman of the Year. Frank played a key role in not only bringing the '88 Games to Calgary, but also in making them a very successful event. Today, we are enjoying the legacy left behind from his efforts. We have also published and distributed a book to everyone in attendance tonight, covering the first fifty years of our organization and our accomplishments. I hope you find it exciting and informative.

The Calgary Booster Club is proud of the Calgarians we honor tonight. We are also very appreciative of the support given by you, our supporters and advertisers, who contribute to the financial success of this evening and allow us to continue to assist amateur athletics within our city.

In closing, please allow me to thank my fellow Calgary Booster Club Directors for all their hard work in making this event a success. We thank you for attending and for your continued support of our club. We trust that you will have an enjoyable evening.

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**MESSAGE FROM HONOURABLE
RALPH KLEIN
PREMIER OF ALBERTA**

On behalf of the Government of Alberta, I am pleased to extend a warm welcome to everyone attending the 50th Annual Sportsman of the Year Dinner and Awards Gala. This event is truly a showcase that recognizes dedicated sports leaders who contribute so much to the many facets of Calgary's sports community.

This event also illustrates the strength found within our volunteer community that is continually developing Alberta's athletes in all sports and at all age levels.

I take this opportunity to congratulate the many members of the the Calgary Booster Club who have dedicated their time and expertise for half a century to ensure the success of this annual event. Your hard work behind the scenes is invaluable, and I commend you on your efforts!

The Alberta government strongly believes that athletes and good citizens result from hard work, commitment, and strong families, as well as from opportunities for competition and growth. Congratulations to the award winners who have contributed so much to sports and to the community. Best wishes for another enjoyable gala!



Ralph Klein

March 15, 2003

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A MESSAGE FROM MAYOR DAVE BRONCONNIER

On behalf of City Council and the people of Calgary, I am pleased to extend greetings to everyone attending the Calgary Booster Club's 50th Annual Sportsman of the Year Dinner.

It is my pleasure to congratulate Frank King as 2003 Sportsman of the Year. As 2003 is the 15th Anniversary of the Olympic Games in Calgary, I can think of no one more deserving of this honour than Frank.

As the driving force behind what is widely regarded as the most successful Winter Olympics ever staged, Frank has helped establish a sporting legacy for Calgary that keeps our city in the top rank of world sites for winter sport excellence. But rather than consider his Olympic role as the crown atop a successful volunteer career in Calgary's sporting community, Frank continues to put his considerable experience and enthusiasm behind all manner of sport initiatives in our city. Frank represents the true spirit of Calgary and has certainly earned tonight's prestigious honour.

I would also like to congratulate the athletes recognized this evening for their pursuit of athletic excellence, and all the volunteers for their generous support of amateur sports. Congratulations also to the Calgary Booster Club for 50 years of outstanding tradition of celebrating the achievements of amateur sport enthusiasts in our city.

Good luck to everyone, keep up the excellent work and best wishes for a wonderful evening.

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Frank King. If there is a name synonymous with the 1988 Olympic Winter Games in Calgary, his is it.

You could say that King exemplified the phrase—dare to dream. It was at that fateful Booster Club meeting, back in September 1978, when King and fellow Club member, Bob Niven, made a decision that would change their lives, that of the Booster Club's and the entire City of Calgary's. When the idea of Calgary hosting the Olympic Winter Games was debated vigorously by the directorship, the Club president intervened and asked if anyone was interested in pursuing the matter further. When King and Niven raised their hands to accept the task, little did they know the enormous impact that decision would have.

As Chairman of the Calgary Olympic Development Association (CODA) from 1979 to 1982 and OCO '88 from 1981 to 1988, King dedicated over ten years of his life to creating what Juan Antonio Samaranch, then President of the International Olympic Committee, called "the best Olympic Winter Games ever organized". Using the lessons learned from previous Olympic bids, King and his team opted on a theme of legacy. At the time of the Calgary bid, the city was sorely lacking in sports facilities. One of the ongoing legacies of the Games would be the facilities it left behind. Today, these include the Pengrowth Saddledome, Olympic Oval, and Canada Olympic Park—all home to numerous international events.

Calgary's Olympic Winter Games stepped into new territory by creating a long list of "firsts". The Games were extended from 12 days to 16. It was the first to establish an athlete's endowment fund, receive a record-high television contract, to use 95% volunteer labor, to have six additional venue cauldrons, plus many other firsts.

While the name Frank King would eventually be whispered throughout every household in Calgary, the man was an active booster of local sports from behind the scenes like many others in the community. King coached basketball and hockey. He served for many years as a director with the Calgary Booster Club. He initiated and organized a senior men's basketball league in both Edmonton and Calgary. As an athlete, King played numerous sports in high school and university. He also clocked in at 3 hours, 20 minutes in the 1979 Boston Marathon.

After the 1988 Olympic Winter Games, King served as Co-President of Canada 125 (Canada's Birthday Celebration) from 1991 to 1992, was a member of the World Police & Fire Games Committee (1992-1994) and is a current director of the Vancouver/Whistler Olympic Bid Committee.

Among his many accolades, King was made an officer of the Order of Canada in 1988, received the Olympic Order in Gold from the International Olympic Committee in 1988, the Canadian Olympic Order in 1997, the Alberta Premier's Order of Excellence (1981 and 1988), the Governor General's 125 Medal (1992), and the Queen's Golden Jubilee Medal in 2002. Frank published *It's How You Play the Game. The inside story of the Calgary Olympics* (ISBN 0-9694287-5-8) in 1991.

One only has to look throughout the city's current skyline to see the significant impact Frank King has made on this community. If it wasn't for a raised hand at a typical Booster Club meeting several years ago, the world-class venues we now enjoy might still be just a dream.

PROCLAMATION

The Calgary Booster Club believes that athletics play a critical part in developing the character of our youth and the cohesiveness of Calgary's community. Devoted sports enthusiasts who wanted to boost amateur sport in Calgary founded the Calgary Booster Club, a non-profit volunteer organization, in 1951. The organization has evolved into a group dedicated to the development, encouragement, and recognition of athletic endeavors.

Whereas: The Calgary Booster Club has raised and disbursed over \$1.4 million in grants, scholarships, and awards to athletes and sport associations;

Whereas: For 50 consecutive years, Calgary's Sportsman of the Year has been recognized at an annual dinner;

Whereas: The City of Calgary and the Calgary Booster Club have partnered to recognize athletes and teams who have won national championships or who have honoured our community by winning medals at international competitions.

On behalf of City Council and the citizens of Calgary, I hereby proclaim the week of March 9 - 15, 2003 as:

"CALGARY BOOSTER CLUB WEEK"



DAVE BRONCONNIER
MAYOR





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Recognition Partnership

The City of Calgary and the Calgary Booster Club have partnered to recognize the achievements of Calgary-based athletes and teams who have won a national championship or an international medal. Athletic excellence is recognized with letters of congratulations from the Mayor and Club president and a certificate. We invite local teams or sport groups to let us know when you win a national championship or international medal. For more information, check out the web site www.calgaryboosterclub.com or contact us at Box 1411, Calgary, AB T2P 2L6 or fax 238-7350.

Honoured Athletes

GRANT ALBRECHT – Olympian, Luge
LINDSAY ALCOCK – Olympian, Skeleton
DANA ANTAL – Olympian, Gold Medal, Hockey
SUSAN AUCH – Olympian, Long Track Speed Skating
KELLY BECHARD – Olympian, Gold Medal, Hockey
JENNIFER BOTTERILL – Olympian, Gold Medal, Hockey
THERESE BRISSON – Olympian, Gold Medal, Hockey
EMILY BRYDON – Olympian, Alpine Skiing
HELEN BUCK – World Masters Games, Two Gold and Silver, Archery
WARRAN BUCK – World Masters Games, Two Gold, Silver, Bronze, Archery
KRISTI CAMERON – National Summer Champion, 200 m, Swimming
CASSIE CAMPBELL – Olympian, Gold Medal, Hockey
KYLE CONNELLY – Olympian, Luge
EARLE CONNOR – IPC World Championships, Gold, 100m & 200m, Athletics
SCOTT EDWARD – National Junior Champion, 100kg, Judo
STEVEN ELM – Olympian, Long Track Speed Skating
DONALD FARLEY – Olympian, Cross Country Skiing
ALLISON FORSYTH – Olympian, Alpine Skiing
AMANDA FORTIER – Olympian, Cross Country Skiing
NATHAN GAFUIK – Pan American Junior Championships, Bronze, High Bar & Team, Gymnastics
ERIN GAMMEL – Pan Pacific Games, Bronze, 400 Medley, Swimming
DUFF GIBSON – Olympian, Skeleton
DANIELLE GOYETTE – Olympian, Gold Medal, Hockey
ERIN GREENAN – National Junior Champion, Women’s Singles, Badminton
KRISTINA GROVES – Olympian, Long Track Speed Skating

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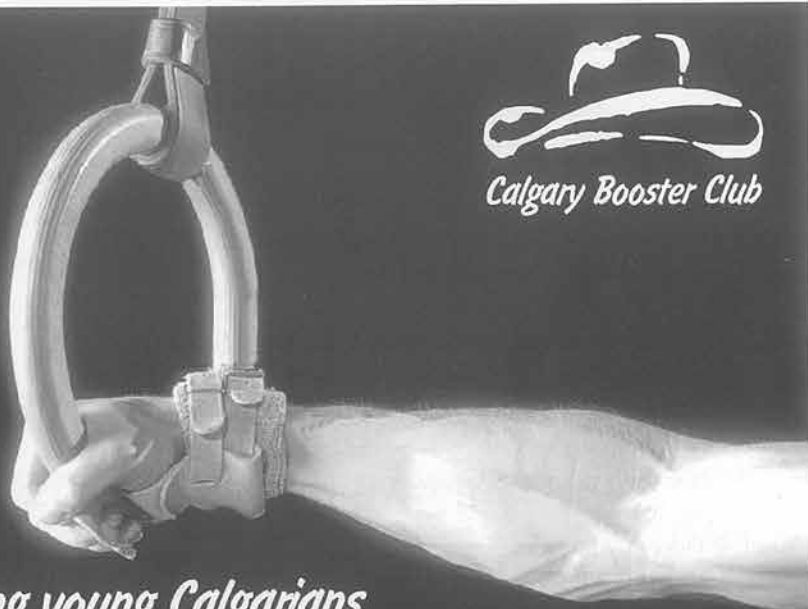
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WILLIAM HARRIOTT – Paralympian, Alpine Skiing
ERICA HART – Indo-Pacific Championships, Silver, 15/16 Trampoline and Double Mini Trampoline
GERALDINE HEANY – Olympian, Gold Medal, Hockey
JAROME IGINLA – Olympian, Gold Medal, Hockey
MIKE IRELAND – Olympian, Long Track Speed Skating
ASHLEY HILTON – National Midget Champion, Basketball
BECKY KELLAR – Olympian, Gold Medal, Hockey
JOANNE KELLY – World Champion, Wheelchair Basketball
MICHELLE KELLY – Olympian, Skeleton
MORGAN KNABE – Commonwealth Games, Silver, 100 Breast, Bronze, 400 Medley, Swimming
MARK KNOLL – Olympian, Long Track Speed Skating
ALANNA KRAUS – Olympian, Bronze Medal, Relay, Short Track Speed Skating
CHARLINE LABONTE – Olympian, Gold Medal, Hockey
DANIELLE LALONDE – National Midget Champion, Basketball
REGAN LAUSCHER – Olympian, Luge
KEN LEBLANC – Olympian, Bobsleigh
LARRY LEE – National Senior Champion, Over 50, Table Tennis
CATRIONA LE MAY DOAN – Olympian, Gold Medal, Women’s Long Track 500m, Speed Skating
JUDY LEYDEN – National Champion, Women’s Single & Double Scull, Rowing
PIERRE LUEDERS – Olympian, Bobsleigh
MARILYN MACARTHUR – National Midget Champion, Basketball
KEVIN MARSHALL – Olympian, Long Track Speed Skating
COLIN MCKEAGE – National Wheelchair Champion, Men’s Singles, Tennis
DARIN MCBEATH – Olympian, Alpine Skiing
JODY MCKELLAR – Great West Junior Gym Fest, Silver, Vault & All Round, Bronze, Floor & Beam, Gymnastics
PAULA MCKENZIE – Olympian, Bobsleigh
ERIN MCLEOD – World Under 19 Championships, Silver, Soccer
CHRIS MOFFAT – Olympian, Luge
MIKE MOFFAT – Olympian, Luge
DUSTIN MOLICKI – Olympian, Long Track Speed Skating
JUSTIN MULLALY – National Junior Champion, Mixed Doubles, Badminton
CHAD MURRAY – National Summer Champion, 200 IM & 400 IM, Swimming
KENDRA OHAMA – World Champion, Wheelchair Basketball
ANDREA OPPENHEIMER – National Midget Champion, Basketball
CAROLINE OULLETTE – Olympian, Gold Medal, Hockey

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- CINDY OVERLAND - Olympian, Long Track Speed Skating
JEFF PAIN – Olympian, Skeleton
RICHARD PASCAL – Olympian, Skeleton
CHERIE PIPER – Olympian, Gold Medal, Hockey
CHEYL POUNDER – Olympian, Gold Medal, Hockey
LORI RADKE – World Champion, Wheelchair Basketball
MICHELLE ROWE – World Under 19 Championships, Silver, Soccer
KIM ST. PIERRE – Olympian, Gold Medal, Hockey
RICK SAY – Commonwealth Games, Bronze, 200 Free, Swimming
KELSI SEMESCHUK – National Youth Champion, Trampoline
TAMMY LEE SHEWCHUK – Olympian, Gold Medal, Hockey
KYLE SHEWFELT – National Champion, Vault & High Bar; Commonwealth Games, Gold,
Vault, & Floor, Gymnastics
WARREN SHOULDICE – World Junior Champion, Aerials, Freestyle Skiing
TYLER SEITZ – Olympian, Luge
SAMI JO SMALL – Olympian, Gold Medal, Hockey
CHRISTINA SMITH – Olympian, Bobsleigh
LINDSAY SMITH – National Junior Champion, Women’s Doubles, Badminton
COLLEEN SOSTORICS – Olympian, Gold Medal, Hockey
EMMA SPOONER – National Summer Champion, 50 Breast, Swimming
KYLIE STONE – Pan American Junior Championships, Silver, Floor, Vault & Team, Bronze,
Beam; Commonwealth Games, Bronze, Floor & Team, Gymnastics
TAMMY SUN – National Junior Champion, Women’s Doubles & Mixed Doubles,
Badminton
VICKY SUNOHARA – Olympian, Gold Medal, Hockey
LAUREN VANOOSTEN - National Summer Champion, 100 & 200 Breast, Swimming
JULIE WARNOCK – National Champion, Double Mini Trampoline; Indo-Pacific
Championships, Silver, 17+ Tumbling
HAYLEY WICKENHEISER – Olympian, Gold Medal, Hockey
KAROLINA WISNIEWSKA – Paralympian, Silver, Slalom & Giant Slalom, Bronze, Downhill
& Super G, Alpine Skiing
ADAM WONG – National Junior Champion, Floor, High Bar, Pommel Horse, Rings & All
Around; Pan American Championships, Bronze, Rings & Team
LAUREN WOOLSTENCROFT – Paralympian, Gold, Super G & Slalom, Bronze, Giant
Slalom, Alpine Skiing
JEREMY WOTHERSPOON – Olympian, Long Track Speed Skating

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Russ Peake, CFCN-TV Sports director is the Master of Ceremonies for the 50th Sportsmen's Dinner. The popular media veteran born in Marwayne, Alberta began his broadcasting career at age 17 at CKRD Red Deer in 1956. Five years later he made the move to Calgary when a new radio station CHQR went on the air. Later he moved to CFCN where he, Henry Viney and Ken Newans became a formidable broadcast team.

Forty-seven years after the humble beginnings in Red Deer he's still at it, covering the immense variety of sports action and personalities in Calgary and area. He has covered world championship competitions in rodeo and curling as well as the Olympic Games and the World Series.

In 1981 Russ received the Scotty Harper Award for the curling story of the year. And in 1983 his impressive efforts were rewarded with the Alberta Sports Hall of Fame Bell Memorial Award given for his long-time focus on amateur sports.

Russ and his wife Helen have two adult daughters. Outside of the media he has been very involved in curling, softball, little league and amateur rodeo.

"The Peaker" is a consummate professional; he's knowledgeable, unflappable and witty. The Calgary Booster Club is proud to have Russ Peake as the 50th M.C. of the Sportsman of the Year celebration.

The value in influencing the development of our youth will have far reaching effects for generations to come. The Calgary Booster Club invites you to become a major participant in our Medal Club and help inspire our youth in maximizing their potential as athletes and as community leaders.

Your company logo or banner will be proudly displayed at sponsored or co-sponsored events. You will receive a commemorative plaque to display at your place of business as well as recognition on our Booster Medal Club Display. Each Medal Club member will receive full page advertising in our Dinner Program and any programs associated with a sponsored event. In addition, you will receive invitations to the Annual President's Reception and dinner tickets to the Sportsman of the Year Dinner (Two premier events and opportunities to meet with the athletes whose development has been assisted by your contribution.)

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**LINDA ANDERSON**

Prior to moving to Calgary in 1978, Linda was active in a myriad of Yukon sports activities. Serving as an executive with softball and volleyball associations, Linda was a Founding Director of the Yukon Sports Federation. She also coached junior and women's softball.

A gifted athlete herself, Linda has performed in high-level competition in basketball, canoeing, curling and softball. In canoeing, she made the Olympic trials, Canadian championships and Quebec Provincial Champions. She competed as Runner Up in Territorial Mixed Curling Playdowns, received a Canadian Junior Basketball Championship, Canadian Senior A Softball Championship plus Western Canadian

Masters Gold Medal. Linda also participated in badminton, cross country skiing, gymnastics, handball, track and field, volleyball and water skiing.

You can be sure to see Linda's name appear whenever a major tournament takes place. Throughout the past 25 years, she has managed and contributed to the Olympic Torch Relay Committee, National Senior A Men's Softball, Western Canadian Women's Masters Softball, National Co-ed Slowpitch, Western Canadian Bantam Girls and Boys Championship Fastpitch, Calgary Women's Fastpitch, World Police and Fireman Games, Canadian Senior Women's Hockey Championships, Special Olympics, Canadian Winter Games, and Curling World Championships to name a few.

Linda has been well recognized as one of Calgary's bright and shining stars in the community. She has received a Government of Alberta Achievement Award, Alberta Amateur Softball Association Merit Award and a Calgary District Amateur Softball Association Merit Award.

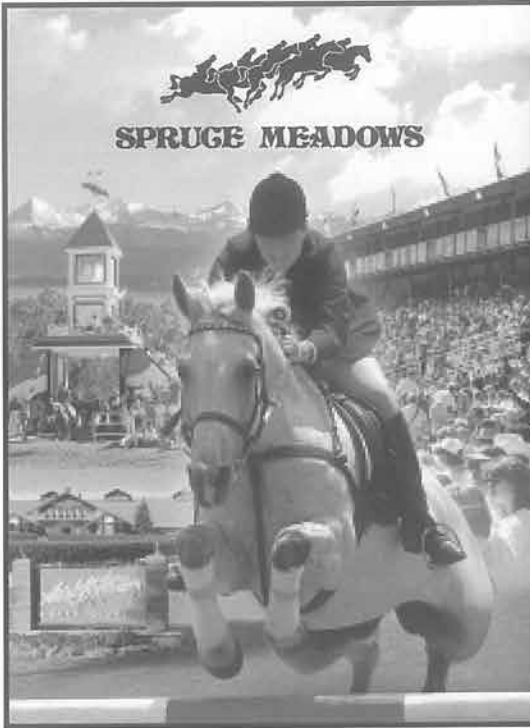
**KEN BARRIE**

In an effort to see his sons through their early years in hockey, Ken took on the role of official. Little did he know he'd be doing it for 19 years. Ken has officiated approximately 100 games in each of those seasons—most at the minor hockey level. His tireless effort to strive for honesty and fairness influenced his two sons to follow suit and become referees.

Ken set up an amateur community referee program in his community, ran on and off-ice hockey clinics, and supervised other officials.

But officiating isn't Ken's only involvement to Calgary sports. He's been a Director of the Special Olympics for over seven years (two years as Past President and two as Vice President). His peers will tell you he has made a direct contribution to the growth of Special Olympics and has helped it become the most successful disabled sport organization in the province. He did this by ensuring that discussions and decisions were athlete-centered and focused on providing quality sports programs for athletes with mental disabilities. Ken was selected as one of Alberta's representatives to the Prairie Regional Conference on sport, hosted by the Federal government in 2001/2002.

Whether it was for Special Olympics, University of Calgary Dinosaur sports programs, high school or his children's sports teams, Ken has worked numerous bingo and casinos to help raise funds. Ken is indeed an avid supporter of many community sports programs in our city.



Congratulations to

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**Booster Club on the
50th Anniversary of
the Sportsman's Dinner**

The Olympic Oval would like to congratulate this year's
Calgary Booster Club Female and Male Athlete of the Year:

Catriona Le May Doan - Speed Skating

Jarome Iginla - Hockey

The Olympic Oval would also like to recognize
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**JOHN KINSMAN**

He played professional hockey with the Buffalo Sabres, Cincinnati Swords and Charlotte Checkers, and was a CIAU Western Conference First All Star, but what John Kinsman will be best remembered for is coaching amateur sports for the past 29 years. John is most known for his involvement in football at the high school level. He spent eight years at John G. Diefenbaker High School, three years at James Fowler High School and a combined total of 18 years at Crescent Heights High School.

His commitment to the high school gridiron extends to the boardroom as he served on the Football Executive of the High School Athletic Association for the past 11 years. He has also helped develop coaching clinics through the University of Calgary. In three decades of football, John has never missed a practice, attended coaching development clinics, participated in team movie nights, helped with fundraising and has relished in the role of mentor to his players.

John coached girls' softball teams from 1990 to 1999 and helped take teams to the provincial and national level during six of those years. He has also coached rugby, track and field, and hockey at both the school and in the community. But perhaps the best way to describe John is through the eyes of one of his football players.

"Coach Kins is a players' coach. He gives confidence to the players, as well as teaching us new football skills. He motivates us to always give our best effort for the team, ourselves and for the school. He coaches us to all work together for a common goal."

**WALLY KOZAK**

Value driven and motivated to make a difference in the game and serve the larger purpose of Sport and how it serves the improvement of a community, the nation and the world as a whole.

This is Wally Kozak...the man who has helped take women's hockey to its greatest level. An assistant coach of Canada's Olympic Gold Medal Women's Hockey Team in 2002, Wally's involvement in women's hockey stems back over several seasons. Many will remember his time as a mentor to men's and women's hockey programs in Japan in preparation for the Nagano Olympics where he conducted coaching clinics throughout that country and served as

coach of Japan's Women's Olympic Hockey Team in 1998.

His hockey background can easily fill every page in this book. In 1994-98, he was assistant coach with Dave King of Canada's National Men's Hockey Team. In 1989-91, he was an assistant coach of Canada's Spengler Cup Team at Davos, Switzerland where he won gold, silver and bronze medals. He served as head coach of the Calgary Wranglers in 1985, Calgary Canucks in 1982-83 and the list goes on.

Besides coaching, Wally has spent the past 25 years operating hockey schools, running hockey conditioning camps for elite players from Midget to professional, as course conductor for NCCP hockey technical and general theory clinics, as Physical Education Department Head at Father Lacombe High School and he has coached ringette, softball, football, wrestling and track and field.

Wally received a recognition award from the Alberta Amateur Hockey Association for his contribution to hockey development in Alberta in 1992. He also received a National Coaching Award in 1999 for the development of the female hockey program.

Congratulations!

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BOOSTERS HELP OUT. Jack Quigley, left and Carly Hunt, center, members of the Calgary Booster Club, present a plaque to Lin Thillwall of the Calgary Hockey Commission. The money will be used to help promote minor hockey in Calgary.

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**JIM MURRAY**

Jim Murray is one of those individuals you can always count on. Upon an early retirement from a professional career, he thrust himself into full-time volunteering for youth curling. Receiving his instructional and coaching certification in the early 1990s, from there he played a major role in the formation of the Calgary Youth Curling Association in 1991. Joining the CYCA board as committee chairman in 1993, Jim was president in 1997 to 2000 and remains an active board member to this day.

One of the responsibilities he took on, starting in 1994, was to ensure a partnership between the CYCA and schools so as many students as possible could benefit from the sport of curling. This program provided for four hours of ice time plus in-school instruction for each student. Since then, throughout an eight-year span, curling has touched the lives of nearly 20,000 students. That translates into at least 200 hours of ice time for each session plus countless hours of preparation, arranging instructors, ice and equipment, to which Jim has been personally involved.

Jim has coached several youth teams, coordinates and instructs the Family Leisure Centre junior program each weekend, trains parents on how to assist the junior coordinator at the club level and is a willing volunteer at all major curling events—including the Men's Canadian Brier, Junior Canadians and Senior Canadians.

Jim attained a Level 1 Officiating Certificate in 1997 to become a volunteer official for many provincial championships. He worked as a statistician at the 1998 Target Junior Canadian Championships, 2000 Seniors Canadian Championships and the 2000 Brier in Edmonton.

Curling is and will always be his first love. It's a sport that has provided a positive outlet for many of our city's youth, thanks to the efforts of Jim Murray.

**BARB MYDEN**

For over 20 years, Barb Myden's name has been synonymous with competitive swimming. As a volunteer and official, she earned the honor of Swim Alberta Official of the Year three times. She created teaching materials used to develop Alberta's officials. Her card tracking system, for marking the progress of officials as they move through various levels, is still in use today.

Starting in 1979, Barb obtained her master official status in 1984. As an instructor, Barb has spent thousands of hours running clinics, teaching more than 800 officials. She is the past chair of the Alberta Officials committee (1985-1995) and served on the provincial board from 1987 to

1996. Her course education materials are used as training tools nation-wide.

Many of the meets and tournaments in which Barb officiated include the Commonwealth Games in Victoria, World Cup in Victoria and Edmonton, Pan Pacific Championships in Edmonton, Pan Am Games in Winnipeg, Canada Games in Saskatoon, Olympic Trials in Montreal, National Swim Championships in Toronto, Winnipeg, Calgary, Edmonton and Victoria plus Junior Nationals in Calgary.

Besides running the Calgary High School Meet for 12 years, Barb has coordinated officials for Nationals in Calgary (1989, 1991), Masters Nationals in Calgary (1991), and mentored officials chairs of Junior Nationals (1997, 1998) and Masters in Calgary (2001).

Barb was named as a Fina official for open water in recognition of her contribution to Canadian officiating.



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SHARON TRENAMAN

Upon her arrival to Canada in 1984, Sharon Trenaman immediately began contributing her skills as a manager and squash professional to Calgary's Kings Court Club, Edgemont Club and the Calgary Winter Club, where she has remained since 1986.

Combining strong technical skills with a keen work ethic and great people skills, Sharon is able to accomplish major projects through her leadership, thus attracting volunteers to her vision. As a coach, she is able to encourage her protégés to give back to the sport as instructors. She was hired as Squash Alberta's first provincial coach in 1993 and was a member of the Squash Canada Coaching Committee from 1989

to 1992. Many of her athletes became national contenders. She helped coach a squash team's first appearance in the 1991 Canada Winter Games, and then was named Technical Advisor for the 1995 Canada Winter Games. For the Junior Women's National team, Sharon was an assistant coach from 1989 to 1993, head coach in 1994, and in 1995, she coached the Canadian Junior Women's team at the World Junior Women's Championships in Australia.

As part of her NCCP Level 4 certification, Sharon initiated and hosted the National Junior Teams Tournament—a pilot project. She helped organize the inaugural squash programs in Calgary, coordinated the Sport Outreach program and conducted Sport Outreach clinics.

Thanks to Sharon, squash grew to include all regions of Alberta, leaving a legacy of contact people and self-sustaining squash programs throughout each region.



GREG WATSON

Kids love his crazy sense of humor. Greg Watson is a man who will chauffeur a group of students throughout Calgary for physical education purposes, talking non-stop, sharing jokes, offering wisdom but most of all, giving a tireless effort to instill a positive environment for young people.

As a program builder, Greg created a comprehensive and engaging list of activities at Sir Winston Churchill High School, which attracted quality teachers and community support. His commitment served both genders and he made sure the programs were attractive to girls as much as boys—that teams and classes were overseen by a strong staff

who had the kids' best interests at heart.

Greg spent countless hours motivating and developing youth as athletes and human beings. His friends describe him as *fiery, funny, honest and caring*. Greg coached football at Sir Winston Churchill High School and at Henry Wisewood High School for well over 20 years. He coached girls and boys basketball, wrestling, rugby, diving, track and field, hockey, speed skating and kayaking. In football, his teams have missed the playoffs only once in 26 years and were semi finalists in all but five. In basketball, Greg coached City Champions or city finalists in junior girls, junior boys and senior girls as an assistant coach. He coached his rugby team to City Champions in 1982 and coached many city medallists in track and field, diving and wrestling.

Greg worked as a hockey referee and football official, served on the executive of many volunteer boards, presented workshops, chaired invitational tournaments, among many other positions. He received the CSHSAA Gary Deman Award for Head Football Coach of the Year in 2001.



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**LYLE WATSON**

Absolute determination. That's what Lyle Watson has meant to many of the young people he has coached over the past 28 years. Instilling an attitude of good sportsmanship, fairness and leading by example are what makes Lyle Watson a true gem to this community.

Lyle coached basketball, football and soccer at numerous high school, university and community levels. He refereed girls basketball tournaments, ran evaluation camps, fundraised and basically rolled up his sleeves whenever anything was needed. He played high school football, played both basketball and wrestled for Red Deer College while playing football for the Red Deer Packers. Greg also won a

Vanier Cup in 1972 as a member of the University of Alberta Golden Bears.

The best way to describe Lyle is through the eyes of a former player. *He was an inspiration to every small, shy, clumsy or uncoordinated teenager. He can help the great athletes get better but he helped the struggling, marginal players to be great. For me, it was the one-on-one time that Lyle spent with me that was so influential. He explained things simply. He showed by example. He never lost his temper. He always praised improvement or effort. He followed up and took the time to monitor progress. He gave people a chance to play.*

He once told me about a young girl who was a level below his senior basketball team. She was tall but a bit overweight and didn't use her height to her advantage on the court. Lyle took her under his wing, gave her positive reinforcement, showed her some basic skills and explained the strategy of using her natural gifts as a post. He went to watch her first game after their lesson and sure enough, when she got the ball, she executed what he had told her to try and scored a beautiful basket. As she ran down the court, she searched for him in the crowd. When she spotted him, she smiled and pumped her fist and went on to lead her team to a win. I found the story very touching but then realized, he told it to me to help me with my own motivation about losing weight. As usual, I left Lyle's company feeling better about myself and with absolute determination to keep going.

**JOHN WELBOURN**

When John Welbourn's son, Daniel, insisted he wanted to play baseball in 1986, who knew that 16 years later, John would still be involved in Little League? One can safely say that this man has greatly impacted the lives of thousands.

His dream was to make Calgary West Little League one of the top four Little Leagues in all of Canada. On-field accomplishments and the sheer numbers of players who signed up for participation (1000 to 1200 annually plus 200 volunteers) were evidence of that success during his tenure as president.

Also active at the national and international levels of baseball, John was District Administrator for south Calgary where he oversaw 3000 to 4000 players, 1500 adult volunteers and the development of seven Little Leagues. He was Director and Vice President of Little League Canada and a key representative for the Canadian Contingent at two international Little League Congresses. He was a member of Little League Alberta and served as a representative to the Alberta Amateur Baseball Council.

One thing is certain, since son Daniel took his first pitch, John has held more than two or three positions as coach, administrator, or umpire each and every year since. In 2002 alone, he was Director of Little League Baseball, Canada – Prairie Division; Vice President of Little League Baseball Canada – District #8 in Calgary; was Calgary Liaison to the Japanese Baseball Team that toured Alberta; a member of Little League Alberta and Little League Alberta representative to the Alberta Amateur Baseball Council. He does all this while maintaining a successful law practice.



1954
Eugene "Musty" McGill*



1955
Rose Kohn*



1956
Father Jim Whelihan*



1957
Lloyd Turner*



1958
Art Davis



1964
Jack Bannerman*



1965
Stu Peppard*



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Keith Evans



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Margaret Scott



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Joe Shea



1996
Ted Rhodes



1997
Tom Humphrey



1998
Donald Phelps

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1959
Pete Egan*



1960
Frank Woodman*



1961
Harold Brandreth*



1962
Jimmy Condon*



1963
Jerry Trudel*



1969
Doug Kyle



1970
Dr. Ward Steckle*



1971
Charlie Scott*



1972
Jack Settlers



1973
John Mayell



1979
Bill Phillips*



1980
Ray Kingsmith*



1981
Stan Jaycock



1982
Bob MacNichol*



1983
Keith Kendal



1989
Ted Bancks



1990
Dorothy Read



1991
Bill Salt



1992
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Dennis Hull



Tonight's guest speaker has many identities. He's the brother of the "The Golden Jet", Bobby Hull and the uncle of "The Golden Brett", Brett Hull, both hockey superstars. He's also been a history teacher, athletic director, NHL color commentator and entrepreneur. Above all he's a hockey great in his own right and as a much sought after speaker and comedian, a very funny man.

Dennis Hull's hockey roots began with the St. Catherine's junior team which ultimately led to the jump to the National Hockey League and the parent Chicago Blackhawks in 1965. For the next 14 seasons – 13 with Chicago and one season with Detroit, he terrorized goaltenders with a shot that equalled or surpassed that of brother Bobby. Over his career,

he amassed 303 goals and 351 assists in the regular season and added 33 goals and 33 helpers in 95 playoff games.

Career highlights include 6 selections to the All-Star game and being named to the 1972 Team Canada roster which battled Russia in the legendary Summit Series. Dennis says his biggest hockey thrill was his first game versus his hockey idol Gordie Howe.

When his playing days ended, Dennis returned to school attaining his degree from Brock University. Later he served as a history teacher at the prestigious Ridley College and Athletic Director at Illinois Tech in Chicago. He has also worked as a color commentator for the San Jose Sharks and has had numerous business interests.

The Calgary Booster Club is delighted to welcome Dennis Hull back to the city and to the Dinner as guest speaker for the 50th edition. We know you will be thoroughly entertained with his wealth of unique stories covering sports, family and life in general.

CALGARY BOOSTER CLUB

Support and Partnership Funding

The Calgary Booster Club is proud of its ongoing commitment to sponsor amateur sport through grants, scholarships, and awards to athletes and sporting bodies who demonstrate excellence, determination and development.

Support during the season includes:

• Calgary Senior High School Athletic Association	\$22,000
• Post Secondary School Awards	6,000
• Bowling Scholarships	2,000
• Curling Scholarships	2,000
• Kids on Course	10,000

Partnership Funding

• Various Sport Bodies and Groups through partnership in a Bingo Association	\$15,000
• Sportsman of the Year Endowment Fund	11,000

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Upgrading of the Sport Wall of Fame display at Talisman Centre



Recognition of the Founding Members of the Calgary Booster Club on a Commemorative Bronze plaque



Creation of a historical book to celebrate Calgarians' contributions to sport as athletes, officials, and administrators



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2001-2002 Calgary Senior High School Athletic Association Award Winners

<u>AWARD</u>	<u>SPORT</u>	<u>AWARD WINNER</u>	<u>SCHOOL</u>
Harry Hood Memorial Award	Football (Division 1)	Kyle Markin	Henry Wise Wood
Henry Philip Taylor Memorial Award	Football (Division 2)	Alex Andrews	Bowness
Myrna Empey Award	Women's Volleyball	Jori Hardin	Henry Wise Wood
Alan Taylor Award	Men's Volleyball	Scott Else	Sir Winston Churchill
Dr. Arlene McGinn Award	Women's Basketball	Sarah Craig	Dr. E.P. Scarlett
Laurie Robertson Memorial Award	Men's Basketball	Josh Feist	Lester B. Pearson
Kevin Pelehos Award	Badminton	Angela Hudec	Bishop Carroll
Carol Ericson Award	Women's Field Hockey	Not Awarded (Labour Unrest)	
Joe Massey Award	Men's Rugby	Not Awarded (Labour Unrest)	
Nev Anderson Award	Women's Rugby	Not Awarded (Labour Unrest)	

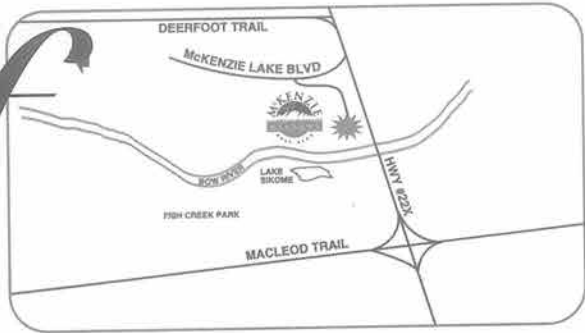
Major Awards

<u>AWARD</u>	<u>AWARD WINNER</u>	<u>SCHOOL</u>
Erv Hickie Award (Small School Award Top Female Athlete)	Shelley Hayden	Jack James
John Schellenberg Award (Small School Award Top Male Athlete)	Alden Peidad	Sir William Van Horne
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Shirley Blundell	St. Mary's	B.J. Kelly	Father Lacombe
Caitlin Colvin	Lester B. Pearson	Lynn Peterson	Bowness
Sarah Craig	Dr. E.P. Scarlett	Brandan Schiffner	Western Canada



*College and University
Athlete of the Year Awards*

Mount Royal College

Male Athlete of the Year ~ Andrew Montgomery ~ Golf

Female Athlete of the Year ~ Kim Chow ~ Badminton



Southern Alberta Institute of Technology

Male Athlete of the Year ~ Lyle Steenbergen ~ Men's Hockey

Female Athlete of the Year ~ Leisha Bohnine ~ Women's Basketball



University of Calgary

Male Athlete of the Year ~ Matthew Farrell ~ Wrestling

Female Athlete of the Year ~ Samantha Anderson ~ Track & Field





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CALGARY BOOSTER CLUB SPORTSMAN OF THE YEAR

Endowment Fund Grants

In 1990, the Calgary Booster Club, in association with the Alberta Sport Council, established the Sportsman of the Year Endowment Fund. The interest generated by the Fund is used to provide awards to Calgary's finest high performance athletes. The Calgary Booster Club and the Alberta Sport, Recreation, Parks & Wildlife Foundation recognize and appreciate the commitment and achievements of these athletes and hope the awards help them to attain their goals.

An award is presented in honour of one of the Calgary Booster Club's Sportsmen of the Year and Honorary Life Directors. The Club considers it a pleasure to have supported the following athletes since 1990:

<u>Sportsmen of the Year</u>	<u>Endowment Fund Winners</u>	<u>When Awarded</u>
1954 Eugene "Musty" McGill	Sandra Eglton	Spring 1994
1955 Mrs. Rose Kohn	Andrea Coulter	Spring 1994
1956 Father Jim Whelihan	Michael Bryden	Fall 1994
1957 Lloyd Turner	Dave MacEachern	Fall 1994
1958 Art Davis	Karen Clarke	Winter 1991
1959 Pete Egan	Ingrid Liepa	Fall 1994
1960 Frank Woodman	Catriona Le May	Spring 1995
1961 Harold Brandreth	Stacy Leavitt	Spring 1995
1962 Jimmy Condon	Deborah Bergeson	Spring 1998
1963 Jerry Turdel	Todd Allison	Winter 1992
1964 Jack Bannerman	Corrine Keddie	Winter 1993
1965 Stu Peppard	Jason Brockman	Spring 1998
1966 Bob Freese	Jodi Hayes	Winter 1992
1967 Ed Corbett	Andrea Nugent	Spring 1992
1968 Les Ferguson	Igor Kopecky	Spring 1997
1969 Doug Kyle	Gary Malcolm	Winter 1992
1970 Ward Steckle	Ashley Hegland	Spring 1991
1971 Charlie Scott	Kirstin Berg	Spring 1991
1972 Jack Setters	Gary Vander Meulen	Spring 1991
1973 John Mayell	Kelly Carter-Erdman	Winter 1991
1974 Tom Cheney	Susan Hornung	Spring 1998
1975 Arthur "Scotty" Kay	Georgette Reed	Spring 1998
1976 Henry Viney	Chris Renaud	Spring 1998
1977 Dr. Lou Goodwin	Robert Gasper	Winter 1991
1978 Harry Maubert	Jon Cleveland	Spring 1991
1979 Bill Phillips	Kevin Boyles	Spring 1992
1980 Ray Kingsmith	Tyler Seitz	Spring 1998
1981 Stan Jaycock	Guy Scheffer	Winter 1992
1982 Rob MacNichol	Keith & Colin Morgan	Spring 1992
1983 Keith Kendal	Susan Auch	Spring 1993
1984 Jim (Deak) Cassidy	Chris Garwah	Spring 1992
1985 George Blundun	Yvonne Visser	Winter 1993
1986 Marg & Ron Southern	Kurt Innes	Winter 1992
1987 Doug Rooke	Lisa Harvey	Winter 1991
1988 Keith Evans	Kevyn Marie Stafford	Spring 1993
1989 Ted Bancks	Susan Emerson	Spring 1992
1990 Dorothy Read	Becky Howie	Spring 1991
1991 Bill Salt	Trevor Gunderson	Spring 1991
1992 Tony Anselmo	Pat Henry & LeeLee Morrison-Henry	Winter 1991
1993 Murray Copot	Kendra Ohama	Spring 1993
1994 Marg Scott	Kris Watson	Spring 1994
1995 Joe Shea	Hayley Wickenheiser	Spring 1995
1996 Ted Rhodes	Jeremy Wotherspoon	Spring 1997
1997 Tom Humphrey	Andrea Coulter	Spring 1997
1998 Donald Phelps	Karen Stevens	Spring 1998
1999 Bill Warren	Kathy Tough	Spring 1998

<u>Honorary Life Director</u>	<u>Endowment Fund Winners</u>	<u>When Awarded</u>
1999 Rod Antoniuk Ray Barry Ron Butlin Jim (Deak) Cassidy William Ed Code W.D. Dickie, Q.C. Bill Dockery Joe Ferguson Dr. Lou Goodwin	Eryn Bulmer - Diving Junior Donald - Volleyball, Indoor Jeremy Hill - Fencing Robin McKeever - Skiing, Cross Country Erin Reardon - Rowing Chris Renaud - Swimming Kara Solmundson - Badminton Michelle Stilwell - Basketball, Wheelchair Nola Zwarich - Rowing	Spring 1999 Spring 1999 Spring 1999 Spring 1999 Spring 1999 Spring 1999 Spring 1999 Spring 1999 Spring 1999
2000 Clarence Gourlay Harry Hobbs Tom Humphrey Curly Hunt Don Ingram Dennis Kadatz Frank King Sim Laing John Langille	Eryn Bulmer - Diving Selina Elm - Speed Skating Steven Elm - Speed Skating Andy Hutchinson - Wrestling Kamini Jain - Sprint Canoe/Kayak Joe Melton - Swimming Keith Morgan - Judo Erin Reardon - Rowing Carol Scheibel - Hockey	Spring 2000 Spring 2000 Spring 2000 Spring 2000 Spring 2000 Spring 2000 Spring 2000 Spring 2000 Spring 2000
2001 Jack MacDonald Gerry Maier Bill Manarey Roy C. Maxwell Don Ingram Dennis Kadatz John Mayell Ken McKenna Art Meyer R.W. Milner Doug Mitchell, Q.C.	Jeremy Batchelor - Freestyle Skiing Duclos Bongiovanni - Synchronized Swimming Stephanie Buzinski - Figure Skating Bryan Donnelly - Rowing Blythe Hartley - Diving Ryan Johnson - Freestyle Moguls Janina Louie - Figure Skating Jeff Pain - Skeleton Andrew Quinn - Speed Skating Cord Spero - Freestyle Skiing Trevor White - Alpine Skiing	Spring 2001 Spring 2001 Spring 2001 Spring 2001 Spring 2001 Spring 2001 Spring 2001 Spring 2001 Spring 2001 Spring 2001 Spring 2001
2002 Art Smith Jack Quigley Ernie McCullough The Honourable W.K. Moore, QC Robert (Skip) Morgan Bill Niell R.D. Niven	Philippe Camden - Tumbling Kristy Cameron - Swimming Dena Durand - Swimming Nathan Gafuik - Gymnastics Kelsi Semeschuk - Trampoline and Tumbling Kylie Stone - Gymnastics Danielle Wotherspoon - Speed Skating	Spring 2002 Spring 2002 Spring 2002 Spring 2002 Spring 2002 Spring 2002 Spring 2002

2003 SPORTSMAN OF THE YEAR ENDOWMENT FUND

These athletes each receive an endowment award after careful consideration of performance ranking in their sport and for financial need. Each of these athletes receives a cheque to aid them in furthering their training and competition opportunities.

Endowment Fund Winners

Tracy Cameron - Rowing	Kelsi Semeschuk- Trampoline and Tumbling
Selina Elm - Speed Skating	Kylie Stone - Gymnastics
Steven Elm - Speed Skating	Tammy Sun - Badminton
Andrew Haley - Swimmer with a Disability	Danielle Wotherspoon - Speed Skating
Jayson Krause - Bobsleigh	Ekaterina Zavialova - Snowboarding
Jody Patrick - Badminton	

The Booster Club is looking for assistance in increasing the Endowment Fund.
If you can contribute, contact Myrna Empey at 253-7194.



"The Fastest Woman on Ice" has been awarded the Henry Viney Trophy for the fifth time, reflecting an incredible 2002 season that has seen her capture the World, Olympic and World Cup titles in the 500m discipline. She has broken 8 World Records (most of them her own), and currently holds the 500m record with a time of 37.22 set in Calgary, dominating this distance with a string of 20 victories. She has competed in 4 Winter Olympics, with the distinction of being the first Canadian to defend a gold medal in any Olympic event. Catriona's achievements have earned her the 2002 Lou

Marsh Award as Canada's Athlete of the Year and the 1998, 2001 and 2002 Canadian Female Athlete of the Year award.

Commencing her Speedskating career 24 years ago with the Saskatoon Lions Club, Catriona first proved her advanced proficiency on a national scale with a Bronze Medal at the 1983 Canada Winter Games. Since then she has continued to develop her power as a skater, and her many successes have secured her reputation as a potent figure in international competition. To say that her name is synonymous with Speedskating is an understatement. She has made an everlasting and inexorable mark on the face of her sport, and our community, and the Booster Club is proud to congratulate her yet again.

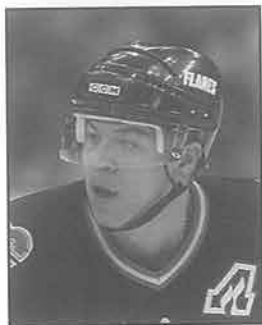
PAST WINNERS

Henry Viney Trophy

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, Synchronized Swimming
- 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

Jarome Iginla



Traded by the Dallas Stars to the Calgary Flames seven years ago, Jerome Iginla has built a luminary career in our midst. When the Flames organization brought Jarome Iginla in, they hoped he would develop into a rock-solid, do-it-all wing who could provide both scoring and leadership. He became this type of player within a few years, and added nuances to his game with each passing season. A versatile and valuable player, Jerome has made an indelible impression on Calgary hockey enthusiasts.

During the 2001-2002 season, Jarome Iginla averaged 22:21 minutes of ice-time per game, and led the NHL in points (96) and goals (52 – the only player to reach the 50 goal mark). The

list of awards garnered due to this outstanding year of hockey, is more than suggestive of his exceptional talent as an athlete. For the NHL leader in overall points, Jarome has been awarded the Art Ross Trophy. As the NHL's leading goal scorer, he has been awarded the Maurice Rocket Richard Trophy. The Lester B. Pearson Award, given by the NHL Players Association, has also been bestowed upon Jarome as the league's Most Valuable Player. He also won the Molson Cup, and the Scurlfield Humanitarian Award for a second consecutive season. Furthermore, in a year of the highest decorations, he managed to earn a Gold Medal for Canada by scoring 2 goals and adding an assist in the final game of the 2002 Olympics. This incredible 2001-2002 season has cemented Jarome's place as a legendary player, and the Calgary Booster Club respectfully recognizes this remarkable individual for his accomplishments.

PAST WINNERS

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.

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| 1958 – AL ROLLINS, Hockey | 1975 – KATHY PRIESTNER, Speed Skating | 1990 – MARK TEWKSBURY, Swimming |
| 1959 – DON LUZZI, Football | 1976 – WILLIE BURDEN, Football | 1991 – BOB WYLIE, Golf |
| 1960 – DOUG KYLE, Track & Field | 1977 – PAUL GOWSELL, Curling | 1992 – MARK TEWKSBURY, Swimming |
| 1961 – KEITH ALEXANDER, Golf | 1978 – HELEN VANDERBURG, Synchronized Swimming | 1993 – MARK TEWKSBURY, Swimming |
| 1962 – DOUG BARKLEY, Hockey | 1979 – KEN READ, Alpine Skiing | 1994 – DAVID SAPUNJIS, Football |
| 1963 – HARVIE WYLIE, Football | 1980 – KEN READ, Alpine Skiing | 1995 – RICHARD BOHNE, Basketball |
| 1964 – JAMIE PAULSON, Badminton | 1981 – JAMES SYKES, Football | 1996 – DON BLAIR, Football |
| 1965 – LOVELL COLEMAN, Football | 1982 – KARL TILLEMANN, Basketball | 1997 – CURTIS MYDEN, Swimming |
| 1966 – RON NORTHCOTT, Curling | 1983 – WILLIE deWIT, Boxing | 1998 – MIKE VERNON, Hockey |
| 1967 – WAYNE HARRIS, Football | 1984 – REGGIE LEMELIN, Hockey | 1999 – JEFF GARCIA, Football |
| 1968 – RON NORTHCOTT, Curling | 1985 – TOM PONTING, Swimming | 2000 – JEREMY WOTHERSPOON, Speed Skating |
| 1969 – BOB WYLIE, Golf | 1986 – ED LUKOWICH, Curling | 2001 – DAVE DICKENSON, Football |
| 1970 – PETE SAVINKOFF, Fastball | 1987 – RICK JOHNSON, Football | 2002 – JAROME IGINLA, Hockey |
| 1971 – BARBARA SIMPSON, Equestrian | 1988 – JOE NIEUWENDYK, Hockey | |
| 1972 – JOHN DAVIDSON, Hockey | 1989 – MIKE VERNON, Hockey | |
| 1973 – JOHN HELTON, Football | | |
| 1974 – BILL BENKO, Wrestling | | |

HISTORICAL BOOK PROJECT

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It is our hope that this book, which is scheduled for distribution to Calgary schools and libraries, will establish a legacy of sport on which future generations of athletes and athletic leaders can build.

The Calgary Booster Club
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THE CALGARY BOOSTER CLUB

“Dedicated to the development and encouragement of athletic endeavour”

The Calgary Booster Club hosts its 50th Sportsman’s Dinner this year, and celebrates a long and proud tradition of athletic involvement in Calgary. The founders of the club held their first informal meeting at the Club Cafe in downtown Calgary in 1951. Perhaps the greatest contribution occurred in 1979 as the club played its role as the catalyst for the 1988 Winter Olympic Games bid. Directors of the club continue to serve Calgarians in promoting and supporting amateur sport in the following ways:

Recognition of Calgary’s Outstanding Sportsmen

- Recognizes annually, the Calgary Sportsman of the Year
- Recognizes, with the Calgary Sports Media, the City’s Female Athlete of the Year, who receives the Henry Viney Award
- Recognizes, with the Calgary Sports Media, the City’s Male Athlete of the Year, who receives the Scott-Mamini Trophy

Co-sponsorship with the Calgary Senior High School Athletic Association

- Recognizes annually fourteen student athletes for outstanding achievement academically, athletically, and within the community
- Hosts annual volleyball and basketball tournaments and the Swim and Dive Meet
- Awards up to ten annual scholastic/athletic scholarships to assist in post-secondary education
- Hosts two Awards Banquets and two Awards Luncheons

Co-sponsorship with the Silver Dollar Bowl

- Presents one male and one female scholarship recognizing academics, citizenship and bowling achievement

Sponsorship of Post-Secondary Grants

- Awards up to ten annual scholastic/athletic grants to post-secondary athletes

Sponsorship of Programs with Calgary Sport Associations and the City of Calgary

- Co-sponsors of the Sportsman’s of the Year Endowment Fund with the Calgary Sport Legacy Fund
- Sponsors the Kids on Course Golf Program
- In partnership with the City of Calgary, acknowledges the achievements of Calgary athletes who have won a national championship or an international medal
- Awards grants to sports groups/teams

Ongoing Annual Programs

- Maintains the Sportsman’s Wall at Canada Olympic Park
- Maintains the Wall of Fame at the Talisman Centre
- Has representation on the Board of Directors of the Calgary Olympic Development Association
- Hosts the annual Calgary Booster Club Golf Tournament
- Established the Booster Medal Club

Historic Contributions

- Initiated the 1988 Calgary Winter Olympic Games bid
- Hosted the Calgary International Track and Field Meets
- Co-hosted the annual Calgary Fall Road Race
- Hosted the outdoor Provincial Track and Field Meet

Is your Sport Group interested in a Sport Partnership endeavour?

Call our President Don Young

Telephone: (403) 541-8220 (leave a message)

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- enjoy volunteering your time
- and want to improve the sport programs
- in the city of Calgary

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For Membership Information, please contact:

Mary Ann Downing

Chairperson, Membership Committee

Telephone: 281-8815



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CALGARY BOOSTER CLUB *Executive Directors*

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THIRD VICE-PRESIDENT.....	Pat Franks
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CALGARY BOOSTER CLUB *Board of Directors 2002-2003*

Don Beamer	Erv Hickie	Leon Nellissen
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Past Honoured Athletic Leaders

1972

Joe Shea {Minor Hockey & Baseball}
George Blundun {Figure Skating}

1973

Dale Parsons {Minor Football}
Russ Parker {Baseball}

1974

John Semkuley {Football}
George Kingston {Hockey}

1975

Mary-Ann Reeves {Synchronized Swimming}
Bill Salt {Soccer}
Graeme Smith {Curling}

1976

John Elick {Baseball}
Jack Schofield {Minor Hockey}
Bill Phillips {Trainer}

1977

Stan Jaycock {Hockey}
Jean Jarrell {Gymnastics}
Ken McIntosh {Hockey}

1978

Peter Connellan {Football}
Gary DeMan {Football/Basketball}
Jim McLuskey {Gymnastics}
Art Pollitt {Boxing}

1979

Joan French {Fastball}
Jack Kenyon {Basketball}
Ken Marchand {Skiing}
Bob MacNichol {Soccer}

1980

Bob Allan {Swimming}
George Cooke {Hockey}
Jim Jarrell {Gymnastics}
Jim Milligan {Football}
Debbie Muir {Synchronized Swimming}

1981

Clarence Baldwin {Bowling}
Murray Copot {Hockey}
Ron McCartney {Baseball}
Margaret Scott {Synchronized Swimming}
Roger Takaoka {Basketball}

1982

Keith Kendal {Football}
Vilis Skrastins {Cross Country Skiing}
Ron Johnson {Hockey}
Maurice Lehodey {Skiing}
Rummy Serediuk {Wrestling}
Raymond Williams {Little League Baseball}

1983

Bob Bratton {Volleyball}
Keith Evans {Football}
Mike Lashuk {Football}
Ted Rhodes {Disabled Skiing}
Bob Arkley {Hockey}
Lorne Larson {Football}
Doug Rooke {Trainer/Manager}

1984

John Cannon {Track & Field}
Jim Courchesne {Football/Lacrosse}
Arlene McGinn {Basketball}
Chanarong Ratanaseunsuang {Badminton}
Deryk Snelling {Swimming}
Ray Spillers {Baseball}
Fred Toone {Football}
Frank Wright {Rugby}

1985

Ted Bancks {Football & Hockey}
Herb Benthon {Canoeing}
Nestor Kelba {Wrestling}
Paul Knoll {Judo}
Peter McKenzie {Soccer}
Norma Tough {Minor Softball}
Bob Whitburn {Football}

1986

Jack Dunbar {Boxing}
Jack Evans {Rugby}
Dorothy Read {Alpine Skiing}
Marlene Saunders {Minor Softball}
Frances Willis {Ringette}

1987

Malcolm Cullen {Skiing}
Stew Hendry {Sport in General}
Lawrence King {School Athletics}
Jim Ostrowerka {Baseball}
Frank Sisson {Bowling}
Don Taylor {Community}
Derek Wright {Boxing & Rugby}

Past Honoured Athletic Leaders

1988

Phil Allen {Basketball}
 Al Johnston {Hockey, Baseball}
 Brad Kilb {Volleyball}
 Pat Matsuoka {Hockey, Baseball}
 Ken Morris {Hockey, Baseball}
 Jim Runnett {Baseball, Curling}

1989

Nev Anderson {Football, Rugby, Basketball}
 Rick Coleman {Football}
 Rod Jarvis {Baseball}
 John Kelly {Baseball}
 Dr. Bob Rose {Basketball}
 Carl Saarinen {Football, Basketball, Track & Field}

1990

Tony Anselmo {Community}
 Doug Hansen {Luge}
 Tom Humphrey {Community}
 Fred Kazakoff {Rugby}
 Robert (Skip) Morgan {Basketball, School Athletics}
 Roy West {School Activities}

1991

Ken Bracko {Hockey, Community Sports}
 Ken Bray {School Athletics, Community Sports}
 Ray Brisson {Baseball}
 Glen Hanson {Baseball, Community Sports}
 Tom Inkster {Wrestling, School Athletics}

1992

Greg Folk {Figure Skating}
 Jerry Gainer {Track & Field}
 Jim Holden {Community Sports}
 Jim Miles {Alpine Skiing}
 Klaas Shipper {Speed Skating}
 Walter Scott {Softball}
 Luigi Pulano {Community Sports}

1993

Herman Kramer {Soccer}
 Joe Massey {Rugby}
 Mary Anne Nicholson {Curling}
 Ron Onishenko {Hockey}
 Ray Palmer {Canoeing}
 Howard Schwartz {Hockey}
 Vern Stewart {Hockey}

1994

Jack Cohen {Volleyball}
 John Csikos {Water Polo}
 Wilf Kaiser {Football}
 Jim Morris {Hockey}
 Wayne Thomas {Basketball}

1995

Frank Bryson {Football}
 Michael Carleton {Cross Country Skiing}
 Bill Carr {Basketball}
 Bill Creighton {Golf/Community}
 Lyle Edwards {Hockey}
 Gary Howard {Basketball}
 Brock Jacobs {Football}
 Ben Meulenbeld {Swimming}
 Don Phelps {Hockey}
 Jack Walters {Speed Skating}

1996

Al Bohonus (posthumous) {School/Comm.}
 Michelle Calkins {Synchronized Swimming}
 Alf Fischer {Skiing/Community}
 Max Gibb {Community}
 Jim "Whitey" Haley {Fastball}
 Ron Logan {Football}
 Tony Schnieder {Hockey}
 Alex Ulaszonek {Athletics/Cross Country}

1997

Dennis Baumgartner {Little League Baseball/Hockey}
 Art Dyck {Basketball}
 Eldon Godfrey {Diving, Golf, Football}
 Tony Krivoblocki {golf}
 Carol Kyle {Athletics}
 Dawn Meades {Synchronized Swimming}
 Doug Mitchell {Sport Builder}
 William Warren {Sport Builder}
 Don Williams {School Athletics/Physical Education}

1998

Margie Berezowski (nee Crosland) {Figure Skating}
 Shirley Boyce {Figure Skating}
 Natale O. Di Leandro {Baseball}
 Carolyn Morgan {Field Hockey}
 Alois (Al) Herback {Baseball}
 Allen (Al) Price {Baseball}
 Kenneth Edward Newans {Sports Broadcasting}
 Stuart Ponting {Swimming}
 Harris C. Toth {Lacrosse}
 Casper Valstar {Hockey}
 Marion & Robert Wooden {Biathlon}

Past Honoured Athletic Leaders

1999

Les Gramantik {Athletics}
Dale Henwood {Sport Builder}
D.B. (Don) Holloway {Community Sport}
Arno Hoogveld {Speed Skating}
Dr. Roger C. Jackson {Sport Builder}
Sheena Meurin {Figure Skating}
J. Edmund Moore {Athletics}
Alan Robert Murray {Sport Builder}
Stanley Joseph Schwartz {Community Football}
Robert Vickers {Disabled Skiing}
Barry Wilkins {Baseball}
Donald J. Young {Baseball/Hockey}

2000

Anne Coul {Disabled Skiing}
Dr. Gene A. Edworthy {Luge}
Marie Esau {Swimming}
Vern Heath {Football Officiating}
James Hyslop {Baseball}
Derry H. MacFarlane {Hockey}
Art Marche {Football}
Rico Rocco Policarpo {Tennis}
Dave Randall {Soccer}
Rod Wojtula {Baseball}
Ed Whalen {Sport Broadcasting}

2001

John H. Cassels {Alpine Skiing}
Gerry (Geraldine) Pauline Dornstauber {Softball}
Diane Jones Konihowski {Sports Builder}
Theresa Helen Maxwell {Women's Sports}
Jack Neumann {Sports Information}
Greg Ryan {Coaching Volleyball}
Alan (Al) Taylor {Basketball/Volleyball}

2002

Don Buchignani {Swimming}
Al Cooper {Football}
Brian Ellis {Soccer}
Donald Maxwell {Sport Administration}
LeRoy Pelletier {Sport Leadership}
Brian Skinner {Curling Administration}



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Frank King.*

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It all stems back to 1951 when a group of like-minded individuals sat together in Calgary's old Club Cafe to discuss a very basic idea – to organize a club of sports enthusiasts to boost both amateur sports and sports in general. Since then, the Calgary Booster Club has proven itself as a unique organization.

(from *CALGARY BOOSTER CLUB Creating a Legacy FOR LOCAL SPORTS*)

FOUNDING MEMBERS

Stu Adams*	Adams Distillers Limited
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CALGARY BOOSTER CLUB

Past Presidents

1952-53 – Vere Carmichael*
 1953-54 – Art Smith
 1954-55 – Ernie McCullough
 1955-56 – Wally Rowan*
 1956-57 – Al Ward*
 1957-58 – Curly Hunt
 1958-59 – Bob Freeze
 1959-60 – Ken Moore
 1960-61 – Bill Dickie
 1961-62 – Ron Butlin
 1962-63 – Ron Butlin
 1963-64 – Bill Pullar*
 1964-65 – Joe Kryczka*
 1965-66 – Lou Goodwin*
 1966-67 – Stu Adams*
 1967-68 – Gerry Maier
 1968-69 – Doug Mitchell
 1969-70 – Jack Prette*
 1970-71 – Jim (Deak) Cassidy

1971-72 – Roy Maxwell
 1972-73 – Don Park
 1973-74 – Tony Schneider*
 1974-75 – Dennis Kadatz
 1975-76 – Jack Wilson
 1976-77 – Bill Warren
 1977-78 – Fred Wuotila
 1978-79 – Bill Nield
 1979-80 – Don Podgurny
 1980-81 – Ted Sullivan
 1981-82 – Trevor Williams
 1982-83 – Skip Morgan
 1983-84 – Wes Dalgleish
 1984-85 – LeRoy Pelletier
 1985-86 – Sim Laing
 1986-87 – Doug Kowel
 1987-88 – Lorne Scott
 1988-89 – John Langille
 1989-90 – Bill Waddell

1990-91 – Rod Antoniuk
 1991-92 – Jack MacDonald
 1992-93 – Don Beamer
 1993-94 – Chuck Rose
 1994-95 – Dr. Brent Humphrey
 1995-96 – Lawrence King
 1996-97 – Reg Verley
 1997-98 – Bob Croteau
 1998-99 – Brian Randall
 1999-00 – Reid Morrison
 2000-01 – Sue Chambers
 2001-02 – Don Buchignani

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Honour Roll

1980 – Jim (Deak) Cassidy
 – Marv McDill*
 1982 – Mr. Justice
 Joe Kryczka*
 – Doug Mitchell, Q.C.
 1984 – Bill Warren, Q.C.
 1985 – Bill Nield
 – Fred Wuotila

1989 – Frank King
 1999 – Dennis Kadatz
 2000 – Art Smith
 2003 – Stu Adams*
 – Roy Beavers*
 – Ron Butlin
 – Vere Carmichael*
 – Harry Cohen*

– Pete Egan*
 – Curly Hunt
 – Dr. Les Maxwell*
 – Ernie McCullough, Jr.
 – Jack Quigley

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 Bill Dockery
 Joe Ferguson
 Dr. Lou Goodwin*
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 Harry Hobbs
 Dr. Brent Humphrey
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 Bill Nield
 R.D. Niven
 Don Park
 Don Podgurny
 Jack Prette*
 Jack Quigley
 Chuck Rose
 Tony Schneider*
 Lorne Scott, Q.C.

John Semkuley
 Art Smith
 Ron Smyth*
 Dr. Ward Steckle*
 Gordon Stitt
 Ted Sullivan
 Reg Verley
 Bill Waddell
 Bill Warren, Q.C.
 Darol Wigham
 Trevor Williams
 Jack Wilson
 Gordon Wood
 Fred Wuotila

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Sports Wall of Fame



In 1984, the Calgary Booster Club approved the concept of a permanent display of recognition for its leadership and athletic award winners. After reviewing potential locations and arranging the necessary funds, an agreement was reached between the Club and the 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. As each year's group of award recipients is announced, their names will be added to the display providing a complete history of the best in Calgary athletes. The Wall will be updated through the current renovations.

Olympic Torch Display



The Calgary Booster Club passed a motion on September 11, 1978 to look into the possibility of Calgary hosting the 1988 Olympic Winter Games.

On February 13, 1988 Harry Maubert, 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 Calgary Booster Club on June 6, 1988 in recognition of the club's major contribution to the XV Olympic Winter Games. The torch is on display in conjunction with the Calgary Booster Club Sports Wall of Fame at the Talisman Centre.

Sportsman's Wall



Since 1954, the annual Sportsmen's Dinner has been dedicated to the person(s) selected Calgary Booster Club Sportsman of the Year. The Sportsman has customarily been one of the city's athletic leaders who has greatly contributed to the local sport scene. To further recognize these outstanding Calgarians, the Booster Club

maintains a permanent pictorial showcase of all Sportsman of the Year honorees.

The Sportsman of the Year Wall was unveiled at the ATCO VIP Centre at Canada Olympic Park on March 25, 1990 and at the time of the unveiling contained the pictures of the Calgary Booster Club's 45 award recipients. As each year's winner is announced, their picture is added to the display.

Past Sportsmen of the Year

1954 – Eugene "Musty" McGill*
 1955 – Rose Kohn*
 1956 – Father Jim Whelihan*
 1957 – Lloyd Turner*
 1958 – Art Davis
 1959 – Pete Egan*
 1960 – Frank Woodman*
 1961 – Harold Brandreth*
 1962 – Jimmy Condon*
 1963 – Jerry Trudel*
 1964 – Jack Bannerman*
 1965 – Stu Peppard*
 1966 – Bob Freeze
 1967 – Ed Corbett*
 1968 – Les Ferguson*
 1969 – Doug Kyle
 1970 – Dr. Ward Steckle*
 1971 – Charlie Scott*
 1972 – Jack Setters
 1973 – John Mayell

1974 – Tom Cheney*
 1975 – Arthur "Scotty" Kay*
 1976 – Henry Viney*
 1977 – Dr. Lou Goodwin*
 1978 – Harry Maubert*
 1979 – Bill Phillips*
 1980 – Ray Kingsmith*
 1981 – Stan Jaycock
 1982 – Bob MacNichol*
 1983 – Keith Kendal
 1984 – Jim (Deak) Cassidy
 1985 – George Blundun*
 1986 – Marg & Ron Southern
 1987 – Doug Rooke
 1988 – Keith Evans
 1989 – Ted Bancks
 1990 – Dorothy Read
 1991 – Bill Salt
 1992 – Tony Anselmo
 1993 – Murray Copot

1994 – Marg Scott
 1995 – Joe Shea
 1996 – Ted Rhodes
 1997 – Tom Humphrey
 1998 – Donald Phelps
 1999 – Bill Warren
 2000 – Eldon Godfrey
 2001 – John Semkuley
 2002 – Jim Courchesne

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On behalf of the 50th Anniversary Celebration Committee, we wish to express our sincere appreciation to all the directors, Past Presidents, Honorary Life Directors, Past Sportsmen of the Year, and other Friends of the Calgary Booster Club who have made significant contributions in the planning and organization of all the events which have been part of our 50th Anniversary Celebration. We also wish to acknowledge our sponsors, program advertisers, and the many people who made donations to make our celebration events so successful. Thank you!

50th Anniversary Committee

Mary Ann Downing	Chairperson
Don Young	President
Don Buchignani	Past President (2001-2002)
Leon Nellissen	President-Elect
Don Park	Past President (1972-1973)
John Semkuley	Past Sportsman of the Year (2001)



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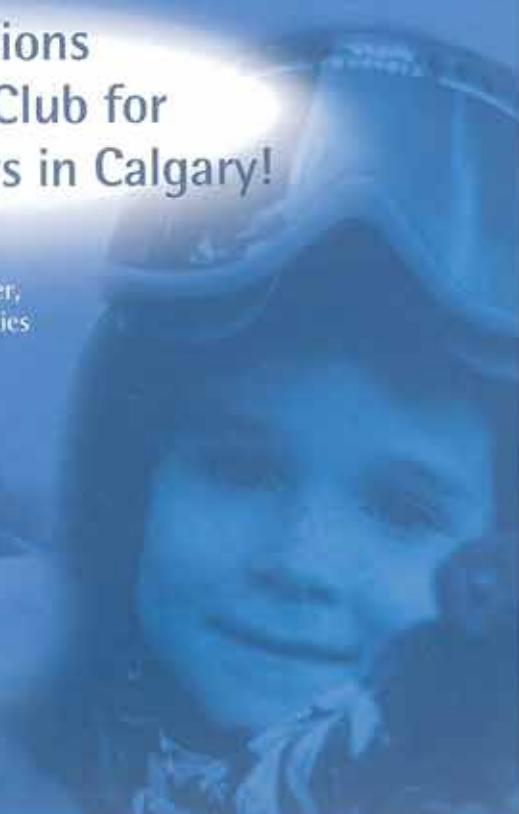


The Husky Snowstars program helps kids have fun, learn to ski and maybe grow up to be champions,

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