

SASKATOON SPORTS HALL OF FAME



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Jerry Shoemaker Hall of Fame president

Builder inductee, 2009

Welcome to this edition of the Saskatoon Sports Hall of Fame newsletter.

On June 19 we announced the 2013 inductees into the Saskatoon Sports Hall of Fame. On behalf of our board I extend congratulations to those individuals selected for induction as builders, athletes and team members for 2013. This year we are inducting four builders, four athletes and three teams.

All of our inductees for 2013 have made outstanding contributions to the sporting community in Saskatoon and have represented our

great city at provincial, regional, national, international and Olympic levels. They are indeed most deserving of the honour bestowed on them.

Our banquet and induction ceremony will be held on Nov. 2 at TCU Place.

The Saskatoon Sports Hall of Fame extends an invitation to all past inductees, past board members and sports fans to attend the induction ceremonies to honour the 2013 inductees.

Hope to see you there.

2013 Hall of Fame inductees

Induction banquet and ceremony Saturday, Nov. 2, TCU Place



Builders

AL BODNARCHUK
sports massage therapy

LOREN PRENTICE
racquetball

Builders



DEAN DICKSON
basketball, football



SHARON TKACHUK
track and field

Athletes



TRACY DUNCAN
rowing



FRANK KURENDA
trapshooting



DAVE OSTERTAG
track and field



DONNA VEALE
basketball, softball

Teams



Steve Laycock rink

Kyler Broad, Chris Haichert, Ben Hebert,
Mike Jantzen, Steve Laycock, coach Barry Fiendel

University of Saskatchewan Huskies 1999-2000, 2000-01 women's track and field

Athletes: Cora Andreas, Lindsay Boyd, Amy Brockman, Becky Brockman, Robin Brown, Nicole Buchholz, Heidi Epp, Jamie Fast, Christine Fleury, Leanne Forgues, Jamie Golding, Kristin Hagel, Kelsie Hendry, Keleah Herron, Marie Hildebrand, Karla Johnson, Sarah Junkin, Janice MacAulay, Deanne Mengel, Kim Moffatt, Jackie Pearce, Randi-Lee Pool, Amber Rollack, Michelle Schmidt, Karlyn Serby, Sara Shymko, Edyta Sieminska, Lisa Soron, Mandi Tasche, Andrea Vinet, Nadine Walker

Head coach: Lyle Sanderson

Assistant coaches: Kevin Cumming, Dave Harder, Todd Johnston, Doug Medernach, Joe Morrissey, John Neufeld, Rick Petrucha, Susanne Petrucha, Randi Lee-Pool, Scott St. Pierre, Ivan Tam, Robyn White

Administrator: Judy Peddle

Manager: Jim Holmstrom

Physiotherapist: Rhonda Shishkin

Statistician: Scott St. Pierre

Trainer: Al Bodnarchuk

Student trainers: Shauna Crothers, Paul Litzenberger, Tara McLeod, Jaymie Raeburn, Bree Rooke, Lana Spelliscy, Laura Spelliscy, Sacha Strelloff, Nancy Thompson



Sports organization KidSport Saskatoon

Gives youth age six to 18 in low income families an opportunity to be in sports programs.



3
years

Mike Babcock of Holy Cross breaks the meet record in winning the junior boys 3,000-metre race in the 1979 Saskatoon high school track and field championships. Carey Nelson of Bedford Road is second in the race and Marshall Toner of Evan Hardy third.

Babcock has gone on to be head coach of the Stanley Cup champion Detroit Red Wings and of Canada's hockey team that won gold at the 2010 Winter Olympics in Vancouver. Both Nelson and Toner are inductees in the Saskatoon Sports Hall of Fame.

Hall inductee Jay Kost of Evan Hardy wins the midget girls high jump and triple jump. Her record of 10.53 metres in midget triple jump lasted 33 years. Dave Ostertag of Holy Cross wins four events in junior boys. Ostertag is being inducted in the Hall this year.



Jay Kost

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years

John (Red) Pollard collects a \$50 prize for being the leading jockey in the annual thoroughbred horse racing meet at the Saskatoon Exhibition in 1930. Pollard wins nine races in the week-long program.

Pollard, 20, is from Edmonton. Although he lost sight in his right eye after being hit by a stray rock in a training ride, Pollard is selected by trainer Tom Smith in the U.S. to ride Seabiscuit. Seabiscuit, a knobby-kneed stallion, wins 89 races in his career and has been featured in two movies and a book.

Pollard's daughter Norah of Connecticut is a folk singer and published poet. In one of her poems inspired by her father, Norah writes:

*in all that sweet smell of manure and hay and sweat,
what did they say to you, the horses?
What did the horses say?*



Red Pollard