

# Sport BC Announces Presidents' Awards Recipients

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Sport BC recognizes the importance of volunteers in sport. The significant role volunteers play in the sport sector is celebrated through Sport BC's Presidents' Awards. The Presidents' Awards presented by Sports With Balls are given to volunteers from Sport BC member and partner organizations who demonstrate the spirit of volunteerism through the dedication, commitment, and tireless energy they give to their sport organizations. The 37 recipients will be celebrated during the **Virtual 54<sup>th</sup> Athlete of the Year Awards** taking place on **Thursday, March 25, 2021**. Congratulations to the 2020 Presidents' Awards Recipients, thank you for all you do for sport in British Columbia.

## SPORT ORGANIZATION

## 2020 PRESIDENTS' AWARDS RECIPIENTS

Badminton BC	Mary-Jo Randall
Baseball BC	Tina Baker
Basketball BC	Tim Heide
BC Adaptive Snowsports	Catrien Dainard
BC Archery	Helena Mmllyniemi
BC Athletics	Peter Fejfar
BC Blind Sports and Recreation	Harvey and Maggie Doucet
BC Diving	Warren Lucoe
BC Fencing	Josh Vander Vies
BC Games Society	Jeremy Grant
BC Golf	Loretta Bulfone
BC Hockey	Ryneld Starr
BC Lacrosse	Gordon McIntosh
BC Provincial Football	Joe Gluska
BC Rugby	Jim Ryan
BC Sailing	Rob Woodbury
BC Soccer	Candace Dodson-Willis
BC Speed Skating	Michael Mong
BC Wheelchair Sports	Brian Ho
Curl BC	David McCombe
Field Hockey BC	John McBryde
Gymnastics BC	Jenna McBain
Judo BC	Bruce Fingarson
Karate BC	Kurt Nordli
PacificSport Fraser Valley	Rick Irving
Rhythmic Gymnastics	Lori Fung
Ringette BC	Michelle MacRae
Skate Canada BC/YK	Brenda Kawasaki

Softball BC  
 Sport Climbing BC  
 SportMed BC  
 Squash BC  
 Swim BC  
 Tennis BC  
 Triathlon BC  
 Volleyball BC  
 Water Polo West

Doug Allin  
 Joanne McLarty  
 Joe Turtle  
 Ruth Castellino  
 Dr. Peter Vizsolyi  
 Janet Jang  
 Susie Ernsting  
 Clara Poitras  
 Helena Fehr

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## About Sports With Balls

Sports With Balls is a collaborative working group of Sport BC members. It is comprised of the following Provincial Sport Organizations: Baseball BC, Basketball BC, BC Lacrosse, BC Rugby, BC Soccer, Softball BC, Ringette BC, Tennis BC, and Volleyball BC. Sport BC is grateful for the consistent and enthusiastic support received from Sports With Balls.



## About Sport BC

Sport BC believes in the power of sport and is committed to building stronger communities through positive sport experiences. Our goal is to enhance and support sport participation in British Columbia ensuring everyone has the opportunity to thrive. Through our KidSport BC, BC Amateur Sport Fund, and ProMOTION Plus along with our services Sport BC Insurance, and Payroll and Group Benefits; Sport BC supports our sixty plus member organizations. Keep up to date @SportBC

## Athlete of the Year Awards

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