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## Sports Hall of Fame - Induction Criteria

**Call for Nominations: To Close Friday Oct 31, 2021**

**Eligibility:** Individual athletes, teams, and builders of all abilities (e.g. officials, coaches, executives) who live or are from the Powell River area and have made significant contributions to sport in Powell River and elsewhere; whose achievements have placed them at the national, international or professional level in their respective sports.

### **Athlete:**

- Must have attained a high level of excellence in athletic competition and brought recognition or honor to Powell River, or whose example has brought great credit to the sport and high respect for the individual.
- The nominee must be an individual with substantial connections to Powell River; including without limitation have been born or trained or competed or attended school or lived in Powell River.
- There must be a waiting period of three years following retirement from the sport.
- In the event of death, the waiting period and other criteria may be waived.
- An individual retired for three years but still competing in Seniors or Masters is eligible for consideration.

### **Builder:**

- The category of builder shall include coaches, officials, executives.
- The nominee must have had a career which has brought recognition or honor to Powell River, and made a significant contribution or whose example has brought great credit to the sport and high respect for the individual or group.
- The nominee must have substantial connections to Powell River.

### **Pioneer:**

- Must have attained a high level of excellence and brought honor to Powell River sport during the period beyond 50 years prior to the current year.
- An exception to the 50-year limit would be individuals or teams in more recently developed sports that have some "pioneering" quality to their accomplishments.

- Teams will be selected for their achievements in one year that best represents their accomplishments.

**Team:**

- Must have attained a high level of excellence and brought recognition or honor to Powell River sport. Powell River teams winning a National, International or World championship, or reaching the ultimate level of achievement in their sport, may be eligible for consideration.
- Team members (players, coaches and executives) are recognized as part of a team and not as an individual member.
- Teams are selected for achievements in one year, not an era.
- A team is not eligible for nomination until three (3) years following the year for which a team is nominated except by winning an Olympic or a World championship medal whereby the nomination is eligible for immediate consideration.

Selection: The members inducted into the Hall of Fame will be individuals or teams whose names have been submitted by nomination to the Sports Hall of Fame Selection Panel. Anyone, except Sports Hall of Fame Committee and Selection Panel members which may include City Councilors and Managers, can submit a nomination for consideration. The Sports Hall of Fame Selection Panel will consider nominations from the current year as well as nominations from two induction years prior.

**General:**

1. An Individual or Team who has been elected to Canada's Sports Hall of Fame or the British Columbia Sports Hall of Fame is not an automatic member of the Powell River Sports Hall of Fame.
2. Each nomination is eligible for consideration for three induction years. Nomination may be resubmitted one year after the three-year eligibility period has passed.
3. The Selection Panel may move nominees to a category other than the one chosen on the nomination form.

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