

EAST FERRIS SPORT HALL OF FAME INDUCTEES 2020



TIM FOSTER

Hockey Official - Builder

Tim was born in Kapuskasing, Ontario and raised in Cochrane, Ontario. He has lived in the Municipality of East Ferris since 1986. Tim is a Level 6 Official, the highest in Canada. He has officiated in Regional (Dudley Hewitt Cup), National (Canadian College Athletic Association) and International (European Junior B Pool Championships), as well as officiating Team Canada Exhibition Tours in the 1990's. He also officiated in the Ontario Hockey League from 1987–1992 as a linesman, and from 1992–1997 as a referee. Tim previously served as Referee-in-Chief for the East Ferris Minor Hockey Association and District 5 of the Northern Ontario Hockey Association. He continues to serve as a supervisor of officials for the NOHA, helping younger officials develop and move on to higher levels. He still actively officiates for various organizations in the area. Since his arrival to the municipality, Tim has refereed in most Family Feud and Old Timer Tournaments in East Ferris. In total, he has refereed over 7000 games and has supervised hundreds of officials, helping some move on to the OHL.



ISABELLE SAUVE

Ultra-Marathons- Athlete

Isabelle was raised in East Ferris and is currently deployed as a police Sergeant in Pikangikum, Ontario. After running for decades and competing in triathlons, she turned to ultramarathons. She has completed nearly a dozen ultramarathons, many of them back-to-back on some of the most challenging terrain in the world. In 2018 she was the overall women's 4 Deserts Champion, which is a year long challenge that has participants complete four 250km+ weeklong ultramarathons, in four radically different destinations across the planet; including Chile, Mongolia, Namibia and Antartica. Isabelle has also completed one Ironman, five Half-Ironmans and three marathons. Isabelle contributes monthly to Blueline Magazine-Canada's Law Enforcement Magazine on wellness issues related to those working in law enforcement. She also coaches and mentors several individuals with respect to health, nutrition, training, running and endurance training.



EAST FERRIS ANNUAL SPORTS RECOGNITION RECIPIENTS 2020



SUZANNE FOSTER

Participaction Community Better Challenge-Builder

As an active community member in Astorville for the past 30 years, Suzanne Foster became the coordinator in 2019 for the East Ferris Senior Games' entry into the national ParticiPACTION Community Better Challenge. This community challenge's goal was to get Canadians more physically active. Suzanne successfully engaged many community organizations and individuals to participate and become more physically active. As a result of Suzanne's dedication and leadership, East Ferris achieved top honours in Canada placing 2nd in Ontario and 3rd in all of Canada out of the many communities who sought the top award.



LYSE AND CLAUDE CARDINAL

Pickleball - Builders

Lyse and Claude Cardinal have been full time residents of Astorville since 2005. Both retired teachers; Lyse as a school principal and Claude as a high school athletic director; they succeeded in generating interest and engaging many adult residents to play pickle ball year-round, starting in 2015. Through their leadership, the municipality now has a tennis court that is easily converted for pickle ball play, a shed to store equipment and the use of the Astorville arena floor in the summer months, to play three times per week.



DEREK CURTIS

Curling-Builder

In 2004, Derek Curtis became an active member of the Nosbonsing Curling Club, taking over the ice maintenance portfolio in 2010. Every October, Derek dedicated over 200 man hours to install the ice, as well as an estimated 300 hours to maintain and prepare the ice surface during the season. His research, attention to detail and dedication to the ice surface brought the Nosbonsing ice conditions to remarkable standards. He also created a system outlining the process, to be used by future ice convenors in achieving the same level of excellence for curling ice quality.