



BRIAN HESLINGTON

Brian Heslington has been a soccer league executive member for forty years. He began with the Chinguacousy Minor Soccer Club (now known as the Brampton East Soccer Club) in 1968. With this group, Heslington served as Field and Grounds Director, House League Director, Discipline Chairman and Registrar over the course of twenty-one years. Heslington was also the President of the Ontario Junior Soccer League from 1972 until 1981.

In 1978, Heslington was one of the founding members of the Peel Halton Soccer Association, of which he is still an executive member. Heslington began as Director at Large, then became the Discipline Chairman and is currently the Registrar.

Some of Heslington's accomplishments include serving on the Computer Task Force for the Ontario Soccer Association, receiving a Distinguished Service Award from the Ontario Soccer Association, a Long Term Service 10-Year City of Brampton Citizens Awards in 1987 and representing the soccer community on the Brampton Sports Hall of Fame Committee from 1998 to 2005.

Inducted May 28, 2008 to the





CECIL WALTER STOKOE

Cecil Stokoe became a Brampton resident in 1974 after immigrating to Canada from the United Kingdom. He has demonstrated his love and passion for the game of tennis ever since.

Stokoe, also known as “Ironman”, “Tiger”, “Ces”, and “Master Cec” has many medals under his belt from the world of tennis. After being diagnosed with Leukemia in 1993, Stokoe continued to play and compete. Stokoe beat the odds by maintaining a very high fitness level, combined with brilliant shot making decisions and control of the game. His devotion, determination and spirit of the game have definitely been proven throughout his years of competition.

At the age of 69, Stokoe competed in the World Masters Championship, winning the World Amateur Singles gold medal in Edmonton, Alberta. From 2002 to 2006, Stokoe competed in the Canadian Senior Games four times, winning three gold medals and one bronze medal.

Stokoe has been a member of the Brampton Tennis Club since 1975. He pioneered house league teams, became the Club President in 1987 and has been an Honorary Member of the Club since 2005.

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CHRISTOPHER ROBIN FELIX

Christopher Felix, also known as “The Cat”, began playing competitive hockey in 1974 with the Chinguacousy Minor Hockey Association. Seven years later his hockey skills brought him to the Ontario Hockey League (OHL).

From 1981 to 1985 Felix played for the Sault Ste. Marie Greyhounds as a stellar offensive defenceman. He had 353 points in 315 OHL games. During this time, Felix was part of the OHL Championship team that won a berth in the Memorial Cup.

Felix was drafted into the NHL and played for the Washington Capital’s farm team the Fort Wayne Komets. With the Komets, Felix scored 22 points in 19 games. He played 35 games with the NHL’s Washington Capitals over four years. He also accompanied the Capitals to Moscow for the Friendship Tour in 1989 to 1990.

Felix also played for Team Canada. As a member of Team Canada from 1987 to 1996, Felix played in the Izvestia Cup, the Spengler Cup and the Olympics. Felix won Gold against Russia in the fight for the Izvestia Cup, won Gold twice in the battle for the Spengler Cup and finished fourth in the ‘88 Calgary Olympics.

After his NHL career Felix played in Europe for Innsbrucker EV. During his time here, Felix was the top scorer for three seasons. He has also played for Klagenfiter, ESV Kaufbeuren and Alder Mennhiem of Germany and Servette of Switzerland.

Throughout his twenty-one years of competitive, semi-professional and professional hockey, Felix played in twelve different leagues and devoted a lot of his time to various Canadian hockey programs. Felix demonstrated his strong leadership skills as an assistant captain or captain on most of his teams.

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DAVID STEWART

David Stewart, a long time resident of Brampton, was a founding member of the Chinguacousy Curling Club in 1974. He served on many of the club's early executives, including President. In 1975 Stewart began his competitive curling career.

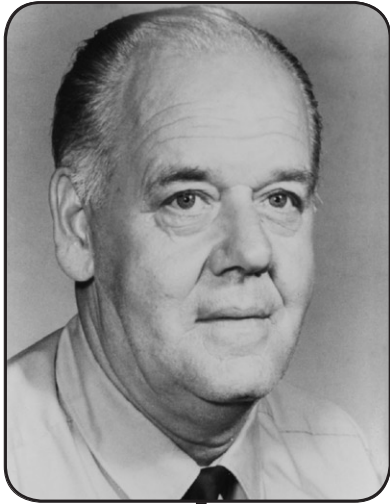
Stewart has played in five Canadian Curling Championships, winning the Canadian Master Men's Championship in 2007, winning in 1996 as a 5th with Bob Turcotte's Senior Mens Team, finishing runner-up in the Seniors in 2002 and runner-up in the Masters in 2004. Stewart won his first two Ontario Championships in Governor Generals in 1982 and Intermediates in 1988 while representing the Chinguacousy Curling Club, and two more in 1996 and 2002 while playing for the Brampton Curling Club. Stewart has competed in fourteen Ontario Championships, winning eight Provincial Championships in 1982, 1988, 1996, 2002, 2004, 2006, 2007 and 2008.

Stewart has won twenty-three zone playdowns while playing for the Chinguacousy Curling Club, the Brampton Curling Club and the Oakville Curling Club. These include one Mixed zone, one Governor-General zone, three Men's zones, three Intermediate Men's zones, one Silver Tankard zone, nine Senior Men's zones and five Master Men's zones. Stewart has achieved great success at these clubs and in competitive levels of curling.

Stewart's skillful strategy and ability has been tested and proven time and time again.

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JAMES CLEVELY

1914 - 1976

James Clevely's background in Lacrosse dates back to 1930, when at the age of 16 he was the team "mascot" for the Brampton Excelsior Jr "A" OLA champions. In 1931 he played with the Brampton Juveniles, who won the Ontario Lacrosse Association Championship. He played for the Brampton Excelsior Senior "A" teams in the O.A.L.A in 1932, 1933, 1935 and 1937. Five years later, in 1942, Clevely's playing career ended and his coaching career began.

Clevely's coaching achievements won him three Ontario Championships, one in Midget in 1944 and two in Juvenile in 1945 and 1946. In 1948, he guided the Brampton Junior 'A' team to the Ontario Lacrosse Association finals. He also coached an Intermediate team in Georgetown in the late 1950's. In addition to his twenty-five years of coaching, Clevely's interests expanded to various executive roles.

Clevely took an active role as an executive member of the Brampton Minor Lacrosse Association. He advanced through the ranks of the Executive and served a term as President. He also helped the formation of the Lakeshore Lacrosse League, opening the door for competition of Brampton teams in West Toronto.

Clevely also coached and managed many teams in Brampton Minor Hockey Association at both the House League and "All Star/Rep" levels, mostly in Novice and Peewee from the mid 50's through the early 60's.

Clevely spent most of his life dedicating his time and talents to lacrosse and the youth of our community, until his death in 1976.

Inducted May 28, 2008 to the





JASON WALKER

Jason Walker is an avid 10-pin Bowler. He has been a Special Olympic athlete for eleven years. At the age of 28, Walker received a 2007 City of Brampton Sports Achievement Award and was recently named 2007 Athlete of the Year, thereby receiving the Ken Giles Award.

After qualifying for the 2007 Special Olympics World Summer Games, Walker brought home a Gold in Individual 10-pin, a Silver in Pairs and a Bronze in the Team category from Shanghai China. His success was due in large part to a regimented training schedule that included bowling at least three times a week, running five kilometres at least twice a week and weight training.

At his first Canadian National Championship in 2006, Walker won two gold medals and one silver medal. In 2004, Walker won the Provincial Spring Games Individual High Pins average.

Walker continues to bowl at least twice a week.

Inducted May 28, 2008 to the



STEVAN KRAJNJAN

Stevan was born in Yugoslavia in 1958 and began playing tennis in local clubs in 1974, winning numerous singles and doubles championships throughout the next 25 years. Stevan played tennis in high school and achieved such titles as Peel Singles and Doubles Champion, as well as Peel-Halton Singles Champion. He was ranked as high as third in Ontario in Class "A" Singles tennis competition. He also won a Peel Singles title in Badminton.

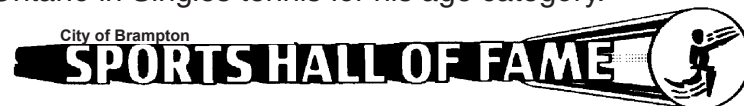
For Stevan, the journey to the World Transplant Games began in 1983, when he began experiencing reduced kidney function, resulting in him going on dialysis until 1987. In 1988 his father Laza donated a kidney and Stevan resumed playing tennis six months after his transplant. Stevan returned to dialysis in 1995 until July 1997, when he received the second kidney transplant, this time donated by his sister Gordana.

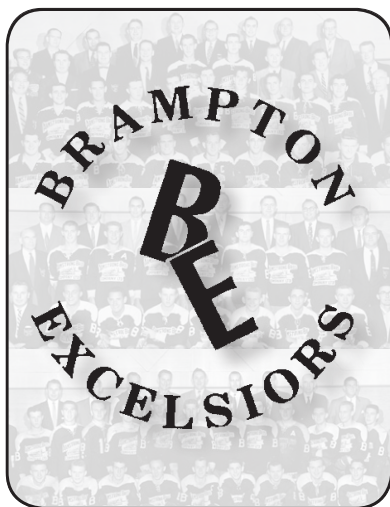
In 1990 Stevan joined the Canadian Transplant team and since that time has represented Canada on the world stage in a variety of racquet events. In 1990 at the United States Transplant Games held in Indianapolis, Indiana, he won 3 gold medals in tennis, and 1 silver medal in each of table tennis and badminton. In 1991 at the World Transplant Games in Budapest, Hungary, he won 2 bronze medals in tennis. At the 1992 United States Transplant Games in Los Angeles, California, Stevan won 3 gold medals in tennis, table tennis and badminton. At the World Transplant Games in Vancouver, British Columbia in 1993, Stevan won the gold medal for singles tennis, the first-ever tennis gold medal for Canada. At the World Transplant Games in Manchester, England in 1995, he won a gold medal in doubles tennis and a silver medal in singles tennis.

Stevan continues to raise awareness about organ donation. Through his competition and successes as a transplant athlete, Stevan hopes to encourage more people to become involved in organ donation.

Stevan attended McMaster University where he played varsity tennis. He received his teaching degree from the University of Toronto. Stevan is currently teaching at Robert H. Lagerquist Senior Public School in Brampton. He is currently ranked fourth in Ontario in Singles tennis for his age category.

Inducted November 21, 2000 to the





BRAMPTON ABC (ARMSTRONG BROS. CONSTRUCTION) JUNIOR LACROSSE EXCELSIORS: 1957-1959

The 1957, 1958 and 1959 Brampton (ABC) Junior A Excelsior teams were a dominant force in lacrosse in Canada, winning three consecutive Minto Cup Canadian Championships. Excelsior players who played for all three Minto Cup Championship teams included Bob Savage, Bob McClure, Dave Beatty, Bert Naylor, Wayne Thompson and Bruce Wanless. Coach George Thompson, trainer Lloyd Ewles and executive members Jack Wilson, Bruce McClure, Herb Armstrong, Charlie Armstrong, Earl Fowler and Al McNair provided ongoing support in each of the championship years.

The Excelsiors were the first club to win three consecutive Canadian Minto Cup Championships. The 1958 Minto Cup Championship team went unbeaten in the Ontario semi-finals, the Ontario finals and the Minto Cup Championship series. The 1959 Excelsiors had eight rookies on the team, including fourteen-year-old John McCauley, the youngest player to play on a Minto Cup Championship Team (a CLA record).

Many players and builders from these teams received various honours for their achievements: Harry Benham, George "Mush" Thompson, Wayne Thompson and Bruce Wanless were later inducted into the Canadian Lacrosse Association Hall of Fame (CLAHF), the Ontario Lacrosse Association Hall of Fame (OLAHF) and the Brampton Sports Hall of Fame (BSHOF). Don Arthurs, Pat Baker and Bert Naylor were inducted into both the CLAHF and the OLAHF. John McCauley was inducted into the OLAHF and BSHOF. Jack Madgett was inducted into the OLAHF. Herb Armstrong, Dave Beatty, Carl Madgett, Bruce McClure and Gord Thompson were inducted into the BSHOF.

1957	Dave Beatty, Lloyd Ewles, John Ford, Don Fullerton, George Grasby, John Jefferson, Larry Kendall, Jack Madgett, Bob McClure, Jim McClure, Bert Naylor, Bob Pulford, Ken Richardson, Bob Savage, Jim Shropshire, George Thompson, Gord Thompson, Wayne Thompson, Bruce Wanless
1958	Barry Ashbee, Pat Baker, Dave Beatty, Lloyd Ewles, Jim Fitzpatrick, John Ford, Steve James, Larry Kendall, Grant Lillie, Bob McClure, Jim McClure, Bert Naylor, Bob Savage, Jim Shropshire, George Thompson, Gord Thompson, Wayne Thompson, Bruce Wanless, Mike Whelan
1959	Barry Ashbee, Don Arthurs, Dave Beatty, Harry Benham, Ed Dowling, Lloyd Ewles, Mike Finnegan, Jim Fitzpatrick, Dave Foster, Steve James, Lee Johnston, Grant Lillie, John McCauley, Bob McClure, Bert Naylor, Dave Riddell, Bob Ronald, Bob Savage, George Thompson, Wayne Thompson, Bruce Wanless, Mike Whelan

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