

## Eight Honourable Categories:

**Athlete • Masters Athlete • Team Coach • Official • Builder • Pioneer Special Achievement**

### 1 - Athlete

An individual who is a Richmond resident or has a strong connection to Richmond through training or participating on a Richmond based team. This athlete must have an extremely high level of achievement in sport including contributions to the Richmond sports community.

### 2 - Masters Athlete

A Masters Athlete is defined by their sport governing body. They are a Richmond resident or have a strong connection to Richmond through training or participating on a Richmond based team. This athlete must have an extremely high level of achievement in sport including contributions to the Richmond sports community.

### 3 - Team

A Richmond team that is comprised of a minimum 75% Richmond residents, who have won a championship at a provincial, national or international level and have left a mark in Richmond sport history.

### 4 - Coach

An individual with an outstanding record of coaching or managing championship teams/athletes, and an extraordinary winning

record or other outstanding coaching accomplishments. Consideration will be given to integrity, sportsmanship and character.

### 5 - Official

An official, umpire or referee that has been an ambassador to Richmond sports and has demonstrated great officiating ability.

### 6 - Builder

An administrator, trainer, manager or board member of a Richmond based sport organization, who is a Richmond resident or has a strong connection to Richmond through sport. This individual has a legacy of contributions to sport and has been an integral part of the long term success of a Richmond sport organization.

### 7 - Pioneer

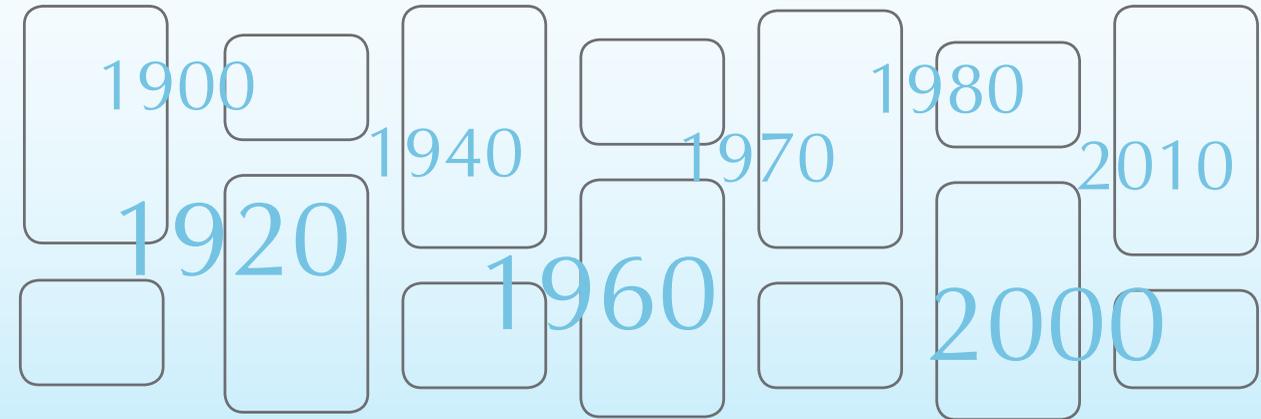
Nominees must exhibit a 'pioneering' quality in athletic, builder or team accomplishments, involving some aspect of innovation or trailblazing that changed the shape of sport in Richmond for those who followed, 40 years prior to the current year. This individual has brought honour and recognition to Richmond sport history.

### 8 - Special Achievement

This special recognition is presented from time to time to an individual who has made a significant contribution to sport in Richmond, and who may not otherwise qualify for induction. This candidate must exemplify good character and dedication, and provide inspiration to present and future generations.

The Richmond Sports Wall of Fame is located in the Richmond Olympic Oval

Download a Nomination Application:  
[www.richmond.ca/sports](http://www.richmond.ca/sports)  
[www.richmondsportscouncil.com](http://www.richmondsportscouncil.com)



**Annual Nomination Deadline:**  
December 31st of each year for induction in the following calendar year.

Nomination Applications Can Be Mailed To:  
City of Richmond  
Parks and Recreation Services  
5599 Lynas Lane  
Richmond, BC V7C 5B2

Or Emailed: [sportswalloffame@richmond.ca](mailto:sportswalloffame@richmond.ca)

For Further Information, Contact:  
604-244-1274

# Richmond Sports Wall of Fame

## Nomination Process

The Richmond Sports Wall of Fame recognizes individuals and teams that have attained a high level of achievement and contributed to sport in Richmond in the following categories:

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## Induction Process

- 1 An individual may nominate an athlete, masters athlete, team, coach, official, builder, pioneer or an individual for special achievement.
- 2 Nominations for the upcoming year will be accepted up to December 31st of the current year.
- 3 Nominations will be reviewed by the Richmond Sports Wall of Fame Nomination Committee after the deadline. The Nomination Committee will then recommend candidates for induction to Richmond City Council.
- 4 As part of the induction process, a public unveiling ceremony will be hosted by the City of Richmond.

## Completing the Application Form

- The Richmond Sports Wall of Fame nomination application forms are available to download at: [www.richmond.ca/sports](http://www.richmond.ca/sports), and [www.richmondsportscouncil.com](http://www.richmondsportscouncil.com)
- Incomplete nominations will be returned.
- List all community (local), provincial, national and/or international involvement and achievements that apply. Include articles if available.
- Include a hard copy photo(s), or link to a video(s) of the nominee. Please provide a description of the photos including names of others appearing in the photo, year of the photo and name of the person who took the photo.
- Mail, deliver or email the completed nomination application to the address on the back of this brochure prior to the due date.
- Please Note: All nominations become the property of the City of Richmond. Late nominations will be kept for consideration the following year. Inductees photos and nomination information will be used as part of the Richmond Sports Wall of Fame digital kiosk located on the second floor of the Richmond Olympic Oval.

## Selection Criteria

- Residency or strong connection to Richmond.
- Achievement at the community, provincial, international or world championship level.
- In good standing with the related provincial, national or international sport (if applicable) at the time of their achievement(s).
- An athlete must be retired from the sport for which they are nominated for a minimum of 5 years.
- Contributions back to the community of Richmond, either in their sport or beyond their specific sport.
- Higher than average proficiency in more than one sport.
- Richmond community sports organization or school team that is composed of a minimum of 75% Richmond residents.
- Teams that have won a championship or title at a national or international level in a specific given year.
- Nomination forms must be submitted by December 31st of each year to be considered for induction in the upcoming year. Unsuccessful nomination forms will be returned to the nominator and accompanying materials will be returned after three years.

## The Nomination Committee

- The Richmond Sports Wall of Fame Nomination Committee recommends candidates to Richmond City Council for induction into the Richmond Sports Wall of Fame. This committee consists of:
- One City of Richmond Council Member (appointed by Council).
  - One Richmond Sports Council Lifetime Member (appointed by Richmond Sports Council).
  - Three current members of the Richmond Sports Council (appointed by Richmond Sports Council).
  - Two City of Richmond staff (Manager of Sport and Community Events, and Park Programs - Sport).
  - All discussions and decisions of the Richmond Sports Wall of Fame Nomination Committee will remain strictly confidential to ensure that individual and group privacy is respected.