



Mount Pearl Annual Athletics Awards 2018



Margaret "Muggs" Tibbo

Winner of the Coach of the Year Award, 2018



Muggs Tibbo has been a driving force in 'para sport' for nearly 40 years, and continues to coach, and help other coaches, officials and volunteers accommodate all athletes.

Last year she initiated a para-athletics branch for PearlGate Track and Field Club. She secured funds for Racing and Throw chairs; assisted para athletes in multiple sports across the province; worked with MUN HKR students; and supported fitness training for para athletes.

She participated in the Athletics Canada Para Development Camp along with NL wheelchair athlete Jeremy Jones, and 10 other top national prospects. Jeremy subsequently won Bronze for 200m wheelchair at the 2018 Canadian Track and Field Championships - a proud moment for athlete and coach.

In 2018 Muggs was inducted to the NL Volunteer Hall of Fame, recognizing a life time of contribution to inclusive sport for athletes with disabilities.