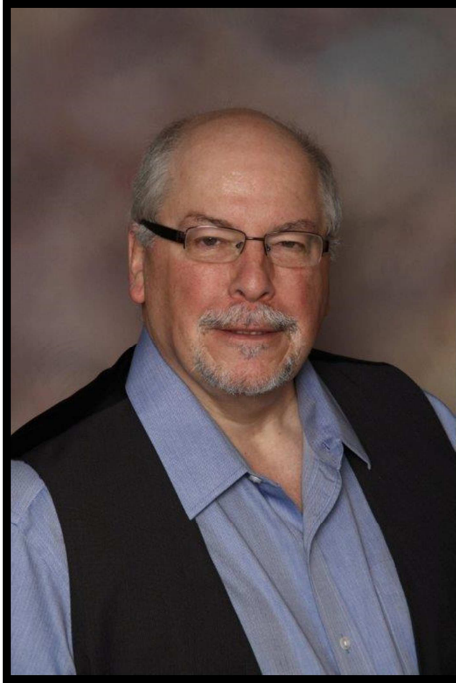




Mount Pearl Sports Hall of Fame Inductee
David Randell
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Dave Randell played an active role in the Mount Pearl youth sports community for two decades, beginning in 1985 when, like many parents, he was drawn into a volunteer coaching position when his children became involved.

He coached Boys U8, U10 and U12 soccer teams from '85 to '88, a U19A boys team in 1994 and 1996, and was Assistant Coach in 1995 for the Mount Pearl Senior High Boys Soccer team which won the AAAA Zone and Regional Championships. Dave also served as a Baseball Assistant Coach from '86 to '88, returning to the sport again in 1999 as Assistant Coach with the Midget 'B' Team which won the Provincial title, and in 2001 as a Bantam "A" Coach.

Following a couple of years, from 1994 to 1997, assisting with the coaching of Mount Pearl Minor Hockey house league teams, Dave became Assistant Coach and Team

Manager with the Bantam 'A' Developmental team in 1998/99. This team won the All-Newfoundland title, and the coaching staff was honoured with the MPMHA Coaching Staff of the Year Award.

From 2001 to 2005, Dave coached the Bantam A Developmental teams for three years. During those years the teams won a number of championships, including two Tricom 1st Place finishes, one Tricom Championship, and one Gold and one Silver All-Newfoundland Medal.

In 2002/03 Dave coached the Midget A Developmental Hockey team which earned a 1st Place finish in Tricom as well as the All-Newfoundland Gold Medal. In 2005/06, Dave coached the Pee wee B Team which won All-Newfoundland Gold.

As a coach, Dave was committed to his personal development. He was certified in Coaching Theory Levels I and II, and received Level II technical certification in baseball, Level III in soccer, and Intermediate Level in hockey.

Dave also contributed a great deal around the Soccer Association Board Room, beginning as Boys Division Coordinator in 1990, and Treasurer from '91 to '95. In addition, he served as Treasurer for the 1997 Cabot Celebrations and the MPSA 25th Anniversary Celebrations as well as the 2005 Adidas Cup National Boys/Girls U16 Tournament.

Between 1997 and 2003 Dave served as Treasurer of the Mount Pearl Sport Alliance for all but one year. For two of the three years from 2001–2004, Dave acted as Treasurer for the Frosty Festival as well.

In 1999 Dave was offered the role of Treasurer for the 2000 NL Summer Games. These games were a financial success, providing a legacy of cash, equipment and facilities to sport groups, and an endowment to establish the Mount Pearl Youth Opportunity Fund Foundation, an organization that Dave continues with today.

The Sport Alliance recognizes Dave Randell's outstanding contribution to youth sport with his induction to the Mount Pearl Sports Hall of Fame.
