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**Mount Pearl Sports Hall of Fame Inductee**  
**Dian Hogarth**  
*Builder 2001*

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Dian Hogarth has been involved with the Mount Pearl Track & Field Club since 1992. Through her tireless volunteerism, Dian has kept the Track & Field facilities up and running. In fact, under her leadership, the Track & Field Club made a profit off of their facilities which was used to further support their athletes' careers. Dian has been a driving force for the club and its athletes, and a partnership and friendship between Dian and those associated with the club has long been established as an affectionate reciprocal relationship.

Dian was never one to store away equipment for the winter as the summer season came to an end. Dian would move the equipment to local schools where she could administer an indoor program for her devoted athletes. Dian's volunteerism is extensive, she volunteers in all capacities; whether it is organizing and officiating at local, regional, provincial and national events or cleaning the facilities (literally scrubbing the

track itself), Dian could be counted on to help out.

Dian has been the President, the Secretary and the Treasurer of the Track & Field Club, taking on multiple roles at a time and excelling at all of them without a hitch. First and foremost however, she is a mentor to her athletes. Her primary role was to support and encourage all of those who were involved in Track & Field. Dian's commitment has much to do with the growth of the club as well. In 1992 Dian had commenced weekly practices at Mount Pearl Junior High for the 3 to 4 athletes that were involved. Now however, the Club has grown to over 50 athletes.

When an International Junior Meet was set to take place in Montreal in the year 2000, Dian took hold of the reins for fundraising events. She would see to it that all athletes would participate in such a tremendous event. Moreover, Dian simultaneously took on a significant amount of responsibility with the Organizing Committee for the Track & Field events for the 2000 Provincial Summer Games. The growth and survival of the Pearlgate Track & Field Club is credited to Dian and her tireless work ethic.

The Mount Pearl Sport Alliance recognizes Dian Hogarth's outstanding contributions with her induction to the Mount Pearl Sports Hall of Fame.

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