

Special Olympics PEI 2018 AGM Nomination Report

We would like to start by thanking retiring board members.

Gary Bowness, Director at Large, for his time and talents over the past two years. Gary was instrumental in connecting SOPEI to various business associations to expand the reach of the organizations partnership connections. In addition, Gary is a long time support of the Enriching Lives Gala auction as donor. Our sincere thanks to Gary.

Matt Judson, who served as the first Athlete Representative on the SOPEI Board of Directors. Matthew brought the view point of an athlete to the board conversation and ensured that the decision making of the board was inclusive of all athletes, no matter their age or ability.

Thank you to both Gary and Matt and we wish you both well in your future endeavours.

The role of athlete rep will be filled by our provincial Canadian Athlete Leadership Council member, Heidi Mallet. This is an appointed role and therefore not included in the elections tonight.

Tonight the following positions are up for election:

- Directors at Large

All other positions are not up for election or renewal at this time.

Nominations will be from the floor for Director at Large position.

- 1) Are there any further nominations.
- 2) Are there any further nominations.
- 3) Are there any further nominations.

Could I have someone close the nominations from the floor.

Thank you, nominations are now closed.

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The slate of directors and officers for the 2017-2018 year are as follows:

Past-President: Brad Colwill

President: Jamie Arsenault

Vice-President:	Craig Watson	
Secretary:	Donna Campbell	
Treasurer:	Robert Horne	
Athlete Rep:	Heidi Mallet	
Directors at Large:	Kevin Stonefield	Paul Smith
	Cecil Villard	Charity Hogan
	Laurie McNally	Reid Barnett