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# Athlete of the year finalists announced

Sask. Sport Inc. is proud to announce the finalists for the 1992 Athlete of the Year Award. There have been numerous milestones for Saskatchewan's amateur sport community in the past 12 months and the finalists are responsible for many of these proud moments. The Athlete of the Year Awards highlight the achievements of our athletes and encourage everyone to get involved in healthy, beneficial activities.

Of the 38 athletes and teams nominated, the following have been selected as finalists by the Awards and Recognition Committee. The Athlete of the Year in each category is selected in a vote by the committee, provincial sport governing body and members of the sports media.

The recipients will be announced at the 1992 Athlete of the Year Awards Luncheon, February 12, 1993, at the Ramada Renaissance in Saskatoon.

## Master Athlete of the Year Finalists:

Rob Currie, nominated by the Saskatchewan Rowing Association.

Kenn Thomas, nominated by the Saskatchewan Speed Skating Association.

Irene Kokotailo, nominated by the Saskatchewan Cycling Association.

## Team of the Year Finalists:

Regina Optomist Dolphin Swim Club, nominated by Swim Saskatchewan Inc..

Regina Special Olympics Floor Hockey Team, nominated by the Saskatchewan Special Olympics Society.

Saskatchewan ATA Trapshooting Team, nominated by the Saskatchewan Amateur Trapshooting Association.

## Male Athlete of the Year Finalists:

Tim Berrett, nominated by Saskatchewan Athletics.

Allan Francis, nominated by the Saskatchewan Fencing Association.

Jeff Thue, nominated by the Saskatchewan Wrestling Association.

## Female Athlete of the Year Finalists:

Dawn Birley of Regina, nominated by the Saskatchewan Tae Kwon Do Federation.

Tracy Duncan, nominated by the Saskatchewan Rowing Association.

Stacy Singer, nominated by the Saskatchewan Baton Twirling Association.

The Athlete of the Year Awards are designed to highlight the achievements of our athletes and encourage everyone to get involved in healthy, beneficial activities. Amateur sport is essential to the development of our young people; sport and recreation fuel our economy, providing an economic impact of \$700 million every year; and an active lifestyle improves your physical and mental health, creating a brighter future for all of us.