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The Illinois Hockey Hall of Fame today announced the 11th class of inductees into its Hall of Fame. The honored inductees this year are:

Players Category

Chris Chelios

Nikos Tselios

Dennis Vaske

Builders Category

Andrea Hahn

Pete Humann

Tim Matilla

Tom Miller

Bob Saliba

Officials Category

Derek Martin

Matt Nilles

Illinois hockey has a very long and rich hockey history, due in large part, to the foundation laid down by these inductees. Their tireless dedication in making sure every individual who had a desire to participate in this great sport has had the opportunity to do so.

The IHHF Induction Dinner will be held in their honour on Sunday, January 24, 2016 at the Belvedere Banquet Hall located at 1170 West Devon Avenue in Elk Grove Village beginning at 5:00 pm. Tickets are available by contacting Norm Spiegel at 847/269-2922 or e-mail Norm at jacole@comcast.net.

Joining in honoring this special group of inductees will be several of the past inductees into the Hall of Fame. This year's inductees, and all of the past inductees have demonstrated, through their actions over the years, their personal commitment in making a difference in the lives of thousands of Illinois youth and the Illinois hockey community.

The mission statement of the Illinois Hockey Hall of Fame is as follows:

"To honor the excellence of those individuals who, through their exceptional endeavors both on and off the ice, have contributed in an extraordinary way to enhance the sport and image of hockey in Illinois."

On behalf of everyone involved in the game of hockey, we admire and thank each of the inductees into the Illinois Hockey Hall of Fame class of 2015. They truly are in a class of their own.

Honoring the excellence of those individuals who have enhanced hockey in Illinois.

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Players Category

2014

Lisa Chesson
Steve Cromie
John Murphy

2013

Bates Battaglia
Seans Berens
Joe Day
Mark Kurzawski
Carisa Zaban Wahlig

2012

Tim Breslin
Bob Nardella
Mike Rucinski

2011

Annie Camins
Jack O'Callahan
Jeff Rohlicek
Blake Sloan

2010

Cliff Koroll
Mark La Varre
Steve Richmond

2009

Jim Augustine
Patrick Bryne
Bob Melton

2008

Tom Finks
Steve Glickman

2007

Val Belmonte
Chadd Cassel
Stan Mikita
Scott Paluch

2006

Denis Cyr
Tony Granato
Joe Prescott
Rick Zombo

2005

Chris Chelios
Cammie Granato
Jeff Nelson
Ed Olyeyk

Builders Category

2014

Ray Berens
Derek Denoyer
Ned Forsberg
Rocky Wirtz

2013

Mike Lebarre
Buddy Meyers
Efren Molina
Joe Olson

2012

Bob Arturo
Karl "Butch" Kaebel
Amy Lapoe
Don Levin
Bob Turngren

2011

Jim Campbell
Dan Englebright
DJ La Varre
Kevin Mann

2010

Mickey Norton
Gene Ubriaco

2010

George Hayes
Bob Mathson
Jim Smith
Norm Spiegel
Irv Tiahnybik

2009

Dan Ahern
Tom Gullen
Bill Holke

2008

Peter BardezBanian
Ken Fikis
Jerry Hughes
Tom Kurow
Vee LaCroix
Lou Morgan
Jim Misiora

2007

Sara Bolin
Jay Cohen
Bill Crowley
Hank Curcio
Frank DeCristina, Sr.
Randy Jacobs
2007 -con.
Mark Olson
Doug Schmalz
Holly Spiegel

2006

Rich Becker
Bill Coombe Sr.
Tony Fritz
Ira Greenberg
Paul Hruby
Michael Kirby
Jim McGlynn
Ken Michel
Carl Miller
Dave Shapiro

2005

Terry Beacom
Joe Benedetto
Rich Butera
Jim Carolan
George Fialco
Lee Graziano
Wally Humeniuk
Bob Krolak
Wally Kormylo
Keith Magnuson
Bill Peluse
Steve Pinkstaff
Bill Roche
Tony Rossi
Jerry Saviano
Dick Slifer
Chet Stewart
Sue Varon Spector
William Wirtz Sr.
Joe Zeller

Officials Category

2014

Sjoukje Brown
Jon Raslawski

2013

Bud Monaco
John Opoka

2012

Scott Brand
Paul Ciancanelli

2011

Al Stensland
Scott Zelkin

2010

Jay Jacobs
Andy McElman

2009

Tom Hughes
Dave LaBuda

2008

Don Allord
Mark Johnson
Harry Sator

2007

Phil Lovecchio
Joe Prescott
Jim Smith

2006

Don Jan
Don Olynyk
Sue Varon Spector

2005

Pete Lederer
Jim Rushing
Gary Thomas

2004

Bill Bright
Paul Hruby
Dan Sullivan

2003

Sam Ferrara
Leroy Albrecht
Dick Dockrell
Bob Pulley

2002

Jim Kurtz
Bob Lilla
Fred Pye
Chet Stewart