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The Illinois Hockey Hall of Fame today announced the 4th class of inductees into its Hall of Fame. The honored inductees this year are:

Builders Category

Peter Bardezbanian

Ken Fikis

Jerry Hughes

Tom Kurow

Vee LaCroix

Lou Morgam

Jim Misiora

Players Category

Tom Finks

Steve Glickman

Officials Category

Don Allord

Mark Johnson

Harry Sator

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 25, 2009 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 2008. 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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ILLINOIS HOCKEY HALL OF FAME INDUCTION CLASS OF 2007

Builders Category

Sara Bolin
Jay Cohen
Bill Crowley
Hank Curcio
Frank DeChristina, Sr.

Players Category

Val Belmonte
Chadd Cassel
Stan Mikita
Scott Paluch

Officials Category

Phil Lovecchio
Joe Prescott
Jim Smith

ILLINOIS HOCKEY HALL OF FAME INDUCTION CLASS OF 2006

Builders Category

Rich Becker
Bill Coombe Sr.
Tony Fritz
Ira Greenberg
Paul Hruby

Players Category

Michael Kirby
Jim McGlynn
Ken Michel
Carl Miller
Dave Shapiro

Officials Category

Denis Cyr
Tony Granato
Joe Prescott
Sarah Tueting
Rick Zombo

Don Jan

Don Olynyk

Sue Varon Spector

ILLINOIS HOCKEY HALL OF FAME INAUGURAL INDUCTION CLASS OF 2005

Builders Category

Terry Beacom
Joe Benedetto
Rich Butera
Jim Carolan
George Fialco
Lee Graziano
Wally Humeniuk
Bob Krolak
Wally Kormylo
Keith Magnuson

Players Category

Bill Peluse
Steve Pinkstaff
Bill Roche
Tony Rossi
Jerry Saviano
Dick Slifer
Chet Stewart
Sue Varon Spector
William Wirtz Sr.
Joe Zeller

Officials Category

Chris Chelios
Cammie Granato
Jeff Nelson
Ed Olycyk

Pete Lederer

Jim Rushing

Gary Thomas

ILLINOIS HOCKEY HALL OF FAME OFFICIALS INDUCTION CLASSES

2002

Jim Kurtz
Bob Lilla
Fred Pye
Chet Stewart

2003

Sam Ferrara
Leroy Albrecht
Dick Dockrell
Bob Pulley

2004

Bill Bright
Paul Hruby
Dan Sullivan

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