

# Fred Lynch Memorial Award

**Fred Lynch** of Dartmouth was an individual who brought an abundance of energy, skill, determination, and class to Nova Scotia sports. He will be remembered fondly for his tremendous contributions as a builder in canoeing and hockey.

Lynch gained his first taste of acclaim in 1961 when he coached a Dartmouth-based women’s war canoe team to a North American title. He was successful himself in capturing the Canadian Junior K1 and K2 titles in 1965. He was also the founding father and executive of Canoe Nova Scotia, the Nova Scotia Provincial Instructors School, and the Coaches Association (Atlantic Division).

Fred passed away in 1982 and was inducted into the Nova Scotia Sport Hall of Fame in 1985.



**Facts:**

- Coached 1961 Women’s War Canoe to NA Title
- 1962 Captured Canadian Junior K-1 and K-2 Titles
- 1965 Captured Canadian Junior K-4 Title
- Founded Metro Codiac Canoe Club in Moncton
- 1975 Instrumental in the origin of Pisiquid Aquatic Club
- Coached Pisiquid Aquatic Club for 7 Years
- Founding father and executive of Canoe Nova Scotia
- Canoe NS Prov Instructors School and Coaches Association
- NS Referee-in-Chief since 1977
- Member Rules Committee of CAHA for 4 Years
- 1978 Parent Body’s Rep at the International Ice Hockey Federation

## Nomination Form

I would like to nominate the following person for the Fred Lynch Memorial Award:

Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Address: \_\_\_\_\_

Phone: \_\_\_\_\_

Nominated by (Name): \_\_\_\_\_

Address: \_\_\_\_\_

Phone: \_\_\_\_\_

On a separate sheet(s) of paper please describe why you believe the person you have nominated is deserving of the Award. In other words state the contributions and years of service this person has made to the development of canoeing and or kayaking.

Following are the criteria which the Annual Committee will consider in naming the recipient:

1. Length of service;
2. Significant contribution to canoeing in one or more of the following areas:
 

<input type="checkbox"/> Administration and organization	<input type="checkbox"/> Instruction
<input type="checkbox"/> Design and construction	<input type="checkbox"/> Motivating
<input type="checkbox"/> Environment	<input type="checkbox"/> Participation (includes competition)
<input type="checkbox"/> History	<input type="checkbox"/> Safety

In keeping with the multi-faceted contributions which Fred Lynch gave to canoeing, the Award Committee will give priority to someone who has given noteworthy service in more than one of the areas listed above.

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