

Please join the Canadian Golf Superintendents Association (CGSA) in congratulating the 2019 award winners, long standing members and accredited members who were recognized during the Awards Ceremony on Monday, March 2, 2020 during **The Canadian** Golf Course Management Conference in Ottawa, Ontario.

Recognizing our profession's high achievers, innovators and those who contribute their time and effort to the profession is a very important component of your associations' mandates.

The 2019 CGSA Scholarship winners were announced and the winners are:

- **Connor Hamilton - University of Guelph** receive a **\$1,500** scholarship; and
- **Kyle Hand - University of Guelph** receive a **\$1,000** scholarship

The 2019 Award Winners were called to the stage and were **recognized and presented with their awards; congratulations to the following award winners;**

- **David Boyd**, AGS Emeritus recently retired Superintendent of Heritage Pointe Golf Club in Calgary, Alberta as the CGSA John B. Steel Distinguished Service Award recipient for 2019. To read the news release, please click [here](#).
- **James Beebe**, Golf Course Manager at Priddis Greens Golf & Country Club in Priddis Greens, Alberta is the 2019 CGSA/Bayer Superintendent of the Year Award winner - Sponsored by Bayer. To read the news release, please click [here](#).
- **Graeme Douglas**, Manager, Golf and Hotel Facilities at St. Eugene Golf & Casino Resort in Cranbrook, British Columbia is the 2019 Gordon Witteveen Award winner - Sponsored by Toro. To read the news release, please click [here](#).
- **Reid Solodan**, AGS, Superintendent at Canmore Golf & Curling Club in Canmore, Alberta is the 2019 CGSA/Rain Bird Environmental Achievement Award winner - Sponsored by Rain Bird. To read the news release, please click [here](#).
- **Ben White**, Assistant Superintendent at Markland Wood Golf Club in Etobicoke, Ontario is the 2019 CGSA/Toro Assistant Superintendent of the Year Award winner - Sponsored by Toro. To read the news release, please click [here](#).
- **Ron White**, Equipment Technician at Muskoka Lakes Golf & Country Club in Port Carling, Ontario is the 2019 CGSA/Foley Company Equipment Technician of the Year Award winner - Sponsored by Foley Company. To read the news release, please click [here](#).

25 & 30 Year Members were recognized for their accomplishment and dedication to the CGSA and those in attendance were presented with their lapel pins. Congratulations to the following long-standing members:

CGSA 25 Year Members

Ian Scott, Edmonton AB
Donald Singlehurst, Victoria BC
Dan Tolley, Picture Butte AB
Duke Webber, Vulcan AB
Dean Zilinski, Ryley AB

CGSA 30 Year Members

Chris Altoft, Picton ON
Guy Beatty, Saskatoon SK
Jeff Bennett, Kelowna BC
Wade Bishop, Calgary AB
Martin Carrington, Grande Prairie AB
Tim Clarridge, Port Perry ON
Ray Dlugokecki, Guelph ON
Jim Flett, AGS, Port Carling ON
Doug Francis, Windsor ON
Michael Hamilton, AGS, Brooks AB

Jacques Hebert, Montebello QC
Kenneth Lintott, Nipawin SK
Jim Mcgarvey, AGS Emeritus, North Vancouver BC
Terry Mcneilly, Saskatoon SK
Wade Peckham, Edmonton AB
Wilf Peters, Steinbach MB
Mark Piccolo, Cambridge ON
Mark Puddicombe, Nisku AB

Master Superintendent® (MS™) members awarded for their achievement and presented with their MS lapel pin were:

Keith Blayney, MS, AGS, Master Superintendent Edmonton Petroleum Golf & Country Club
Jason Winter, MS, AGS, Master Superintendent Deer Ridge Golf Club

Master Superintendent® (MS™) recertification, congratulations to:

Lee Strutt, MS, AGS, Farmhouse Woodcote Park who recertified in 2019

Accredited Golf Superintendent AGS® members awarded for their achievement and those in attendance were presented with their lapel pins are as follows:

Sean Brillinger, AGS, Superintendent, Heron Point Golf Links
Tony Graci, AGS, Superintendent, Granite Pointe Golf Club
Dustin How, AGS, Superintendent, Southwood Golf & Country Club
James Muter, AGS, Superintendent, Hazelmere Golf & Tennis Club
Michael Newton, AGS, GM, Golf and Operations, Glacier Greens Golf Course Superintendent, Glacier Greens Golf Course
Stuart Sheridan, AGS, Superintendent, Capilano Golf and Country Club

Accredited Golf Superintendent™ (AGS®) who recertified in 2019/2020 were:

Glenn Genereux, AGS, Windermere Golf & Country Club
Michael Hamilton, AGS, Brooks Golf Club

Accredited Assistant Golf Superintendent AAGS® members awarded for their achievement and those in attendance were presented with their AAGS lapel pins are as follows:

Tyson Arcand, AAGS, Assistant Superintendent, Edmonton Petroleum Golf & Country Club
T-Jay Creamer, AAGS, Assistant Superintendent, Victoria Golf Course
Troy Hurl, AAGS, Assistant Superintendent, Edmonton Calgary Golf and Country Club

Congratulations to all our members who were recognized in the 2019-2020 year. Events of this nature are very important, and the involvement of our ceremony sponsor helps make this event possible. Thank you to all our Award Sponsors!

