



Kim Reid - BUILDER 2017 Hall of Fame Inductee

Kim Reid was born in Selkirk, Manitoba in 1954. At the age of four, he was introduced to the sport of water skiing and began competing at the age of six. He became a member of the Manitoba Water Ski team at the first Canada Summer Games in Dartmouth, Nova Scotia in 1969. Between 1969 and 1992, Kim competed in every national Championship. He was the winner of many National titles and former holder of provincial and national age group slalom records.

ACCOMPLISHMENTS

- 1972 Awarded the Governor's General Medal upon his graduation from high school
- 1978 Received his Bachelor's Degree in Law and was on the Dean's Honor List
- 1978 Awarded the Jack Rice Memorial Scholarship for having the highest mark in administrative law
- 1980 Moved to Calgary to join the Atkinson McMahon law firm

National Elite Team Member from 1971 to 1977

Competed in 3 World Championships

- 1971 Banolas, Spain
 - 1973 Bogota, Columbia
 - 1975 London, England
 - 1971 Best placement at a World Championships - a tie for 7th in slalom
 - 1972 Competed in the 1972 Olympics in Kiel, Germany
 - 1977 Group 1 Championships, Callaway Gardens
- 18 Gold Medals at Canadian National Championships

National Rated Official and Boat Driver

Appointed official and boat driver at numerous National Championships

Appointed boat driver at the 1987 World Championships in London, England & the 1989 World Championships in West Palm Beach, FLA

- 1979-1981 President of Water Ski Canada
- 1982 Vice President Water Ski Alberta
- 1984 President Water Ski Alberta
- 1985 & 1986 Past President, Water Ski Alberta
- 1984-1996 Chairman of the Canadian National Team Development Committee
- 1986-1994 Member of the Canadian Technical Committee
- 1988-1990 Canadian Representative on the International Water Ski Federation Technical Committee
- 1994 Water Ski Canada Builder Award
- 2009 WSWC Rep – Board of directors for the 2009 World Championships, Calgary
- 2010 Inducted into Water Ski Wakeboard Canada Hall of Fame

Peter Pebbles, President
AWARDED THIS DAY OF JUNE 3, 2017