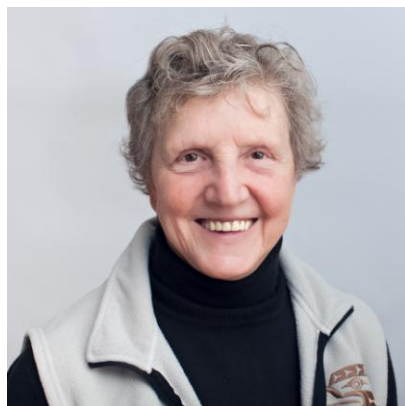


MAE WALDIE, POINTE-CLAIRE MASTERS



Mae first learned to swim in Scotland in 1946, and competed at the local, regional and national level as a member of the Govanhill Amateur Swim Club until she relocated to Canada in 1960. After joining the Pointe Claire Masters in 1975, she became involved with the Quebec Provincial Masters Committee in 1979 and was appointed as the Quebec representative to the Masters Swimming Canada Nationals Committee the following year, working with the Pointe Claire club to bring the Eastern Nationals Masters Championships to Montreal.

During the 1980s, she maintained her involvement as Chair of the Quebec Masters Committee, Chair of the Masters National Rules Committee, co-host of the third Quebec Provincial Masters Championships at Pointe Claire (which drew 600 participants and was ranked as the largest such event in the country), and served as both Vice-Chair And Chair of the Nationals Committee.

In addition, Mae co-Chaired the Pointe Claire Masters committee that spearheaded fundraising to assist fifteen Pointe Claire swimmers and their coach, Marc At-Aubin, to take part in the World Masters Championships in Tokyo in 1986. While there, she and teammate, Gordon Alexandre Knowles, supported Canada's inaugural bid for the 1992 World Championships to be held in Montreal.

She is the first female swimmer in Quebec to be awarded, in 2010, both 'Swimmer of the Year' and 'Top Performing Swimmer' titles. She continues to support and promote masters swimming through interviews with local media outlets during the 2014 Worlds Masters Championships and for the Natural Exhibition at the Montreal Science Centre.

Mae holds the distinction of being the swimmer with the most records broken in Quebec – 385! She is an all-time points leader in Quebec, and has set 69 National records in her career. She currently holds four National records:

Records Broken in 2016:

50fre	50m	80-84	PC	QC	0:44.83	NEP FEB 16
50bak	50m	80-84	PC	QC	0:50.78	NEP FEB 16

Records Broken in 2015:

1500fre	50m	80-84	PC	QC	33:39.43	LSL FEB 15
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Records Broken in 2012:

800fre	50m	75-79	PC	QC	16:38.03	NEP FEB 12
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