

# OFFICIAL OF THE YEAR

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#### **ANNE BEES - Tennis**

Vancouver's Bees is an ITF silver badge referee and in 2023 she will achieve gold badge status, allowing her to serve as tournament referee at Grand Slams. In 2022 she served as assistant referee at the National Bank Open in Toronto and Montreal, assistant referee at the Doha WTA 1000 event, chief of officials at the Odlum Brown Vancouver Open and refereed at ties for both Billie Jean King and Davis Cup events.



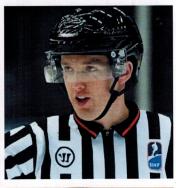
#### **GORDON BENNETT - Gymnastics**

Vancouver's Bennett has served as an international gymnastics official for more than 20 years. He was the sole Canadian judge for women's artistic gymnasts at the Tokyo 2020 Olympics. He was also on the judging roster for the 2021 world championships and for World Cup events. He has also served as chair of the IAWG – the International Assignment Working Group.



### **KEVIN BOWIE - Wheelchair Rugby**

Served as sport Technical Delegate at the 2020 (held in 2021) Paralympic Games in Tokyo and has served on World Wheelchair Rugby's technical commission since 2018. Bowie refereed the gold medal match between United States and Australia at the 2022 world championships. He referees at the provincial level and provides training and education to new officials.



### MICHAEL CAMPBELL - Ice Hockey

Began his officiating career in 2001 with Cloverdale Minor Hockey and has gone on to preside over major international events and games in the AHL and WHL. In 2022 his referee assignments included the 2022 Winter Olympic Games, the Memorial Cup tournament championship game and the 2022 WHL championship (Ed Chynoweth Cup). He also worked the bronze medal game at the 2021 World Junior championships.



### **JANICE HUNTER - Figure Skating**

Hunter first joined the skating officials' ranks in 1969 and since then has become a prominent judge in the sport. Her 2022 assignments included judging at the Winter Olympics, the Canadian championships, Skate Canada International and the ISU Grand Prix Final. Despite long hours of judging, at the end of the day she can often be found updating competition results to the Skating in BC website.