

Gord 'Blackie' Moore

2011 Inductee - Athletes of Distinction Category



Gord "Blackie" Moore started playing fastball at the age of 14, playing Senior men's in Barriere BC. By the age of sixteen, Gord was playing Men's Senior B Ball for the Leland Hotel in Kamloops. He moved to Revelstoke, where played for Loram Int, while working at Mica Dam, and then Dalcan while working at Revestoke Dam. He travelled to many tournaments, collecting many MVP and Pitching awards. In 1982, Gord was picked up by Kamloops Place Inn for the Senior B Provincials in Victoria, winning silver losing 2-1 in the final.



In the 1980's, Gord moved to Alberta and in 1983 played for the Doug Lewis Bulldogs, winning Senior B Provincials and receiving Gold at the Western Canadian in Whitehorse. In 1986, he played for the Horse Lake Dodgers, winning Senior B Provincials and gold at the Western Canadian Championships in Winnipeg. In 1987, he played for the Camrose Merchants competing at the Softball Canada Canadian Championships, where he pitched nine games, finishing fourth overall - just out of the medals. He has attended invitational tournaments in Reno and Hawaii. 2009 brought him together with Lea Kuntz and the Kelowna Centennials and he attended the World Masters Games in Sydney Australia where the team finished fourth.

Gord continued to play Masters Fastball and in 2009 played in the Western Canadian Masters Championships in Kamloops, where his team won the Gold Medal. This past season he competed at the 2010 Master Provincials where he was awarded top pitcher and the team finished with the Silver Medal.

Career Highlights

- 1982 – Senior B Provincials Silver Medalist
- 1983/86 – 2x Senior B Provincials Gold Medalist
- 1983/86 – 2x Western Canadian Championship Gold Medalist
- 1987 – Attended the Softball Canada Canadian Championship, placing 4th
- 2009 – Attended the World Masters Games, placing 4th
- 2009 – Western Canadian Masters Championship Gold Medalist
- 2010 – Master Provincials Silver Medalist and Top Pitcher Award Recipient
- 2011 – Inducted into the Softball BC Hall of Fame