

Vic Buteau

1996 Inductee - Special Recognition Category



Vic Buteau was recognized for his lifelong dedication to the game and exceptional service to Minor Ball in Terrace. Vic contributed 23 years of his life to softball, coaching for six years in the Lower Mainland and 17 years in Terrace. He coached at multiple levels, including Provincial Championships and Summer Games tournaments. One of his career highlights as a coach was in 1994, when his Midget C team competed at the Provincial Championships in Terrace, winning gold.

He also served as an Executive member of Terrace Minor Softball for many years. In his time with Minor Ball in Terrace, he watched the league grow from four teams to over 30. Vic played a key role in developing and supporting the Senior Slopitch and Fastpitch programs in the region. Vic was the Minor Coordinator for 11 years in the Northern Region.

Vic was instrumental in organizing numerous coaching, pitching, catching and umpire clinics within the area. He is remembered as a true builder of the game and a lifelong advocate for the sport he loved. Vic passed away on March 16, 2026, leaving a lasting legacy within the softball community.