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RFANS ANNOUNCES NEW BOARD OF DIRECTORS FOR 2023-2024 AT AGM

Halifax, NS: The Recreation Facility Association of Nova Scotia (RFANS) announced their new 2023-2024 Board of Directors at their annual general meeting Wednesday, June 7, 2023. RFANS would like to take a moment to welcome back all returning Board Members and thank outgoing members Bud MacInnis and Paul Carrol. Thank you for all your dedication and service to RFANS and the facility industry.

RFANS would also like to congratulate two new Board Members, Rylynn Hustad, Programs and Aquatics Manager, Mariners Centre, as the Member at Large and Levi Denny, Mi'kmaw Sports Performance Coordinator with Mi'kmaw Kina'matnewey in Membertou, as the Cape Breton Regional Representative.

The 2023-2024 RFANS Board of Directors includes the following

President	Bob Quigley		
Vice President	Bill Cruikshank		
Past President	Paul H. MacDonald		
Secretary	Lana McMullen		
Treasurer	Scott Preston		
Corporate Rep	Paul Talijaard		
Member at large	Rylynn Hustad		
Ex-Officio	Robin Norrie (CCTH)		
Executive Director	Jennie Greencorn		
		<u>REGIONAL DIRECTORS</u>	
		Cape Breton Rep	Levi Denny
		Central Rep	Shauna Moulton
		Fundy Rep	Shannon Jarvis
		Highland Rep	Angie Tavares
		South Shore Rep	Kelly Cunningham
		Valley Rep	Kevin Bennett

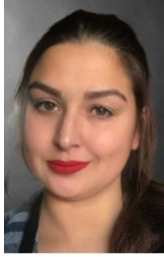
RFANS is looking forward to working with the new Board of Directors. With their leadership, experience, and expertise, RFANS can continue to take on new initiatives as the association grows to meet the needs of the industry.

About The Recreation Facility Association of Nova Scotia:

On January 30th, 1992, the Recreation Facility Association of Nova Scotia was formed by amalgamating the Arena Managers and the Aquatic Facility Managers Associations of Nova Scotia. RFANS continues to serve those memberships and all recreational facilities and provides leadership in developing, promoting, and advocating excellence in recreational facilities, operations, and personnel. For more information, visit our website: www.rfans.com



Rylynn Hustad:



Rylynn is a dedicated professional with over 15 years of experience in the aquatics industry. Rylynn holds a Bachelor of Commerce degree in management and marketing and is currently pursuing a Recreation Management Diploma. Throughout Rylynn’s career, Rylynn has worked in Saskatchewan, British Columbia, and Nova Scotia, gaining valuable insights and expertise at various levels within the industry. Their roles encompassed lifeguarding, instructing, leadership training, supervision, and management, providing Rylynn with a comprehensive understanding of aquatics.

Levi Denny:



Levi Denny is from Eskasoni First Nation and is proud to be fluent in Mi'kmaw. Sport has shaped Levi's way of life, and his lifelong goal is to ensure that sports are safe and inclusive for everybody to enjoy. Levi's experience includes being the Chef De Mission for Team Mi'kmaq NS at the 2023 NAIG game in Halifax, and he is currently a Board Member for Sport NS and was an original member of the Hockey NS Diversity and Inclusion Taskforce. Levi is also on the Board of the Hockey NS Minor Council and Nova Scotia Mi'kmaw Summer Games. He is also a Tripartite Sport and Recreation Committee member Representing the Union of Nova Scotia Mi'kmaq.