



VOLUNTEER WALL OF FAME

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1. What kinds of organizations do you volunteer for?

- After a decade or so of involvement in Club Nordique Mont Ste-Anne, I currently have the role of president of the executive at the Rouge et Or ski club at Laval University (we restarted this club in the Fall of 2008).
- I participated in the organization of many competitions at the regional, provincial and national levels. I was co-chair of the 2007 and 2012 Canadian Championships at Mont Ste-Anne.
- I spent several years working towards bringing the World Cup to Quebec, and that finally happened in December of 2012 (an amazing dream come true thanks to the wonderful work of Gestev and many volunteers).
- Right now I am working on getting government funding that will allow us to do the major renovations necessary to get FIS certification for the trails and facilities at Mont Ste-Anne. The idea being to regularly host World Cup events in Quebec City and at Mont Ste-Anne

2. What is the most rewarding aspect of volunteering?

The feeling of helping our young people grow and develop, and the wonderful smiles on the faces of the athletes and volunteers of all ages who participate in our competitions and who appreciate the work of volunteers.

3. What do you have to say about all the volunteers who make events possible?

I really admire them: they give generously of their time, and they really are indispensable for organizing events and managing club activities.

4. Finish this sentence: I volunteer because ...

I competed when I was younger, and I have 4 beautiful daughters who are very into sport, as well as a spouse who also does volunteer work, and it is important to get involved and give back to our young people. I also think that it is really important for young people to be physically active, and to inspire people of all ages to get moving and enjoy the health benefits of exercise.

