



History of Twin Bridges Volleyball Club

Our Mission

Twin Bridges Volleyball Club strives to inspire a lifelong passion for volleyball, while instilling the life values of sportsmanship, teamwork and perseverance through team competitions.

Our Roots

Twin Bridges was started in Sept. 2004 by the following 10 Founding Members:

Barb Rigg-Garbaty
Lisa Bennett
Crystal Bourque
Allison Colbran
Sue Harrell

Laurie Leckie
Laurie Pearson
Mark Pretty
Stacey Smith
Dave Wu

Founder Barb Rigg-Garbaty has been the driving force behind TBVC since its inception. Her accolades include, but are not limited to:

- Played for the University of Windsor (1975-1979)
- Coaching experience since 1979
- She has coached or mentored over 70% of the past and present Coaches
- Obtained the Twin Bridges first Gold Medal at the Provincials in 2012
- Coached at Lambton College and Lambton Kent Board of education at both the elementary and secondary level
- Provincial Referee
- Referee's Convener for the Secondary Schools in Lambton Kent County
- She has coached 2 generations of players;
 - Coach Allison Colbran and her daughters Kiersten and Mackenzie
 - Coach Lisa Bennett and her daughter Melissa
 - Coach Pauline Turner and her daughter Mackenzie

Our Past Coaches

Adam Armstrong
Al Shaw
Allison Colbran
Amanda Ladenchuk
Amanda Williams
Amy Brand
Anne Ainsworth
Asia Leavins
Barb Bertram
Barb Rigg-Garbaty
Barb Woodrow
Brennan Lumby
Brett Lumby
Brian Maxfield
Brian Reinholt
Cara Patterson-Mathieson
Chris Kingma
Christine Hotke
Crystal Bourque
Dan Nelles
Darren Brown
Dave Wu
Doug Amlin
Ella Lassaline
Emilie Sylvain-Lindsay
Emma Thompson
Erica Martin
Greg Crawford
Guy Cowan
Guy Devine

Henry Garbaty
Hope Borody
Jacey Nienhuis
Jaclyn Nickels
Jennifer Edwards
Jessica Taylor
Jilleen VanLeerzem
Joe Mondoux
Julia Struyf
Julia Vario
Justin Kuskoff
Justine DeBoer
Karen Dargatz
Kasey Campbell
Kate Stewart
Katelyn Gratton
Katrina Cadotte
Katrinya Riddell
Kelsey Crawford
Kim Bueckert
Kristen Lawson
Kyle Martin
Kylene d'Esterre
Lauren Blake
Laurie Leckie
Laurie Pearson
Lisa Bennett
Luann Nickels
Mariah Ferris
Mark Colbran

Mark Pretty
Marnie Vandenbroek-Hookey
Melanie Reinholt
Melissa Bennett
Mike Richardson
Mya Simpson
Natalie Turner
Olivier Lacasse
Paige Price
Paul Sheller
Pauline Turner
Pete Mueller
Pete West
Rick Perdeaux
Rob Cullinan
Sam Cullis
Sarah McCabe
Stacey Smith
Stephanie Blair
Sue Harrell
Sue Tomback
Stan Chervinsky
Tara Faris
Teighan Pite
Theresa Van Koeverden
Tim Langolf
Vanessa Edgar
Wil Luk
Wil Martin

Our Legacy

The Twin Bridges Volleyball Club consists of volunteer coaches, players and parents. Together we work to provide a positive environment where children can learn how to gain confidence, self-esteem and life skills through the sport of volleyball.

We are a non-profit organization that aids in the development and promotion of the sport of volleyball throughout Lambton County

Volleyball is a sport for life and can be played at all levels from beginners to competitive. Since starting this club we have seen 15 players move on to play in College/ University.