



## Team PEI - July 27, 2017

### Winnipeg Bound

Today was departure day for the 157 Team PEI participants who will be participating in week 1 of the 2017 Canada Games in Winnipeg, Manitoba. This group will be in Winnipeg from July 27 to August 5 where they will compete in their respective sports and events, participate in the Opening Ceremonies and live in the athlete's village at the University of Manitoba. On August 5 all the week 1 participants will return to PEI while the 138 remaining participants will make their way to the Games.



There is a lot of different ways to follow the Games and learn more about Team PEI. By visiting the Team PEI website, you can find links to the host society's page for schedules and results, you can go to the [CanadaGamestv.ca](http://CanadaGamestv.ca) where all the sports are being webcasted or you can follow Team PEI social media sites which are listed at the bottom of this newsletter. Thank you for supporting Team PEI and stay tuned for our daily newsletters that will keep you up-to-date on all things related to Team PEI.

[www.teampei.ca](http://www.teampei.ca)

### Opening Ceremonies

PEI will be proudly wearing their colors as they enter the MTS Centre on Friday evening. The ceremonies will be aired on TSN/RDS at 9:00 pm Atlantic time (July 28).

## Logan MacDougall - Team PEI Flag Bearer

Team PEI will be lead into the Opening Ceremonies by Logan MacDougall. The Summerside native will participate in baseball during Week 1 and indoor volleyball for Week 2 of the July 28 to Aug. 13 Games in Winnipeg. The Opening Ceremony will be this Friday, July 28 at 9 p.m. and broadcast live from Winnipeg's Bell MTS Place.

"To be named the flag bearer for P.E.I. is a huge honour for me – it's very special because I'm representing much more than myself, my team and my city – I get to represent the entire province," MacDougall said. "I put on the P.E.I. uniform in any sport I play and wear it with a ton of pride, much like any athlete on Team P.E.I. I'm thrilled to be given the opportunity to represent all these great Island athletes at the Canada Games."



Find out a bit more about [Logan by reading an article](#) written by Baseball PEI when he was named the Craswell-MacLean Memorial Bursary recipient earlier this month.

## Thank you to our Coaches & Managers

During the next two weeks of action, our 21 teams will be lead by 59 volunteer coaches, managers and technical staff who have dedicated many hours preparing their athletes and teams. We want to say a huge thank you to these people for all their work up to now and for their efforts throughout their week at the Games.

You can learn more about all the people representing Team PEI by viewing our media guide.

[Media Guide](#)



## Pin Trading Anyone

An unofficial sport at the Canada Games is pin trading. Every Provincial/Territorial team, most Host Society divisions and nearly all the sponsors and partners have pins to trade.

Team PEI participants will be provided with a number of different pins to trade including a three set of blue jay pins and a 50th anniversary pin featuring our Province's outline, the Confederation Bridge backdropped against a maple leaf. Pins are a great way to strike up a conversation with someone from another province and make great keepsakes for long after the Games.



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