



Alberta Golf Hall of Fame – Distinguished Service

Brent Ellenton

Inducted: 2014

Club Affiliation: Carnmoney G&CC

Brent Ellenton grew up in Olds. As a 14 year old he joined 100 people voluntarily lending a hand with clean up during the construction of the Olds Central Highlands Golf Course. Brent later moved to Calgary in pursuit of his post-secondary goals. He graduated with a degree in Physical Education from the University of Calgary and would later show his interest within Alberta's golf industry. Brent joined the Alberta Golf Association as the Executive Director in 1989, a position that he would hold until his retirement at the end of 2013. Brent's accomplishments and proven leadership within Alberta will provide a lasting impact on the organizations strength and health in future years. A few of Brent's accomplishments include: playing a key role in the amalgamation of the men's and ladies associations in 2000, resurrecting the Alberta Open in 2003, creating the Alberta Golf Hall of Fame in 2005, providing leadership to the National Allied Golf Association of Alberta for 20 years and putting the association in a strong position to move forward with a mortgage free office, 6 full time professional staff and a



volunteer army 100 strong. With more time on his hands in the summer months, Brent will enjoy playing the game that he is so passionate about at the Carnmoney Golf and Country Club in DeWinton, southeast of Calgary.