



Alberta Golf Hall of Fame – Distinguished Service Bill Sturgeon

Inducted: 2006

Club Affiliation: Royal Mayfair Golf and Country Club

Bill Sturgeon was an avid golfer who loved the game and served in many administrative and volunteer positions in clubs in the United States and Canada. At Palm Desert, California, he organized golf leagues and set out the rules and conditions under which the events would be played. He was so proficient and committed to running the tournaments that his club mates selected him as the first non-American president of the Monte Ray Golf Club. In Edmonton, he held many positions on the Board of Governors at the Royal Mayfair Golf and Country Club including that of president in 1975.

Bill was an extremely successful businessman whose community activities were varied and extensive, thus it was fortunate for Alberta Golf that he made time to



become a director in the mid-90s. Bill became an outstanding Alberta Golf Rules Official and contributor to the Alberta Golf Association Board of Directors.

He will be remembered for his great humour, friendly nature and rules tenacity. His selection as one of Alberta's first Distinguished Service Award winners was widely acclaimed.