

CMA President Paul Osland (L) presented the **Athlete of the Year Awards** after the CMA CHampionships in St Catharines were over at Noon on Saturday



Throwers Club President Bill Pearson presented the **Ian Hume Award** for Combined Events to **Marie-Josée Le Jour ON** Marie-Josée will be competing in the PanAm Games next week



Earl Fee presents the **Earl Fee Award** for Track Events to **Karla Del Grande ON**



The **Olga Kotelko Award** for Field Events went to the late **Olga Kotelko**
Accepting the award was Olga's daughter Lynda Rabson – who made a very touching acceptance speech



Ed was on hand to present the **Ed Whitlock Award** for Non-Stadia Events
Recipient **Mark Bennett** was unable to attend. CMA Director Bill McIlwaine (R) donates the plaques every year.



Mark received his plaque from BC Provincial Director Jake Madderom at a race out west on Saturday



Paul presented the plaques to the two **CMA Hall of Fame Inductees – Doug Smith and John Hawkins**
The formal ceremonies were at the PanAm Alumni Dinner on Friday



The PanAm Alumni Banquet hosted the formal **CMA Athlete of the Year and Hall of Fame Induction** ceremonies on Friday, July 24th in Vaughn.

Marie-Josée Le Jour received the inaugural Ian Hume award for Combined Events Athlete of the Year.

Doug Smith was inducted into the Canadian Masters Hall of Fame.



CMA Vice President Vern Christensen made the introductions and **CMA President Paul Osland** presented the awards