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BOMHOF ACCLAIMED AS NEW ONTARIO LACROSSE ASSOCIATION PRESIDENT

TORONTO, ON – November 12th, 2020 – The Ontario Lacrosse Association (OLA) is pleased to announce the acclamation of Jim Bomhof as President of the OLA Board of Directors following the Annual General Membership Meeting on November 7th, 2020. Bomhof succeeds outgoing President Marion Ladouceur, who will assume the role of past-president as a result.

“Marion has committed thousands of hours of her time and energy to the membership and the sport since she first became involved in 1985,” said Stan Cockerton, Executive Director of the Ontario Lacrosse Association. “To attest to her contributions, her 35th anniversary of involvement coincides with her induction into the Ontario Lacrosse Hall of Fame in the Builder category. We sincerely appreciate her sustained contribution to the OLA, and look forward to planning for the future with Jim.”

Bomhof has served as the Vice President Junior to Major on the Ontario Lacrosse Association’s Board of Directors since 2012, and was a volunteer in minor box lacrosse programs within Wellington County as well as the Ontario Junior “B” Lacrosse League as far back as the early 90’s before first joining the OLA Board of Directors.

“I am honoured to continue serving the Ontario Lacrosse Association membership, now in the capacity of President,” said Bomhof upon his acclamation. “I look forward to working with the Board of Directors and staff as we focus on returning to play lacrosse in Ontario. I offer my unreserved gratitude to Marion for her years of service, and am excited to build upon her foundation of success as we move forward.”

Bomhof’s appointment resulted in the vacancy of the VP Junior to Major position—an acting VP Junior to Major will be appointed by the OLA Board of Directors in the interim until the position is up for election at the OLA Annual General Meeting in 2021.

About the Ontario Lacrosse Association:

Since 1897, the Ontario Lacrosse Association (OLA) has been recognized as the administrative governing body which exists to improve, foster, perpetuate and govern of all levels (youth, junior and senior) and disciplines (box, field and women’s field) of lacrosse in the province of Ontario.

In addition to coordinating the operation of the sport, the OLA provides informative resources, technical development programs and additional supplies for those interested in the “fastest game on two feet.” For more information, contact the Ontario Lacrosse Association at (416) 426-7066 or email info@ontariolacrosse.com.