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North Bay Excited to Showcase Area's Top Athletes

North Bay, Ontario — In just 21 days from today, North Bay and area residents will have the opportunity to meet North Bay & Area former and fellow athletes. Discovery North Bay, 100 Ferguson St. will be open to the public on December 30th, 2009 from 2:00pm – 4:00pm to host this exciting “Olympic Athlete Meet & Greet” to kick off the arrival of the flame later in the evening.

Some of the athletes attending will include Kate Pace Lindsay, Barb Olmsted, Allison Herst, The Duhaime Family and Diane O’Grady.

“Discovery North Bay” is very excited to be the host of this “Olympic Athlete Meet & Greet” and we hope area residents will take advantage of this opportunity to meet, talk to and even have their picture taken with some of our very own Olympians” stated Jennifer Buell, Director of Discovery North Bay Museum”.

People who attend the “Olympic Athlete Meet & Greet” will have the opportunity to win a Vancouver 2010 Torch Replica by Birks valued at over \$300. Also the first 20 people to attend the event will be given a free official Olympic Team Canada water bottle.

“We are able to bring “The Olympic Athlete Meet and Greet” to you as a result of the support from our community partner - Ontario Power Generation”, stated Jamie Houston, Chair of the Olympic Torch Relay Committee.



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