

Snowsports Builder Award

The FWSA Snowsports Builder Award is given to individuals who have made an indelible positive impact on snowsports. The builder may be honored for achievements in athletics, the press, publishers, historians, industry, humanitarian work, area development, or technology. In short, they honor those who have made significant contributions to snowsports.

Candace Cable

Achievements, Honors and Awards

2016 – Vice-Chair of LA2028

2012-2016 Skiing Athlete Representative to the U.S.O.C. Athlete Advisory Council.

2010 - Athlete Services Coordinator Team USA Winter Paralympic Games, Vancouver Village.

2004 - Only American Woman to win Over All World Cup Cross Country Ski Championship Title.

2002 - Women's Sports Foundation, Wilma Rudolph Courage Award.

2002 - Flag Bearer – Opening Ceremonies – Team USA Winter Paralympic Games, Salt Lake City.

1998 – Far West Ski Association Jimmie Heuga Award.

1997 - Female Athlete of the Year, National Wheelchair Sports Association.

1985 - 1995 Major Financial Endorsement for Adaptive Athlete Chrysler Corporation.



Wheelchair Racing/Alpine Ski Racing/Cross Country Ski Racing 1979 to 2006

A spinal Cord Injury at the age of 21 in 1975 brought about need to create social relationships with other wheelchair users, to feel connection and inclusion in society. Adaptive sports are an easy way to build self esteem, friendships and health.

Adaptive sports is the perfect vehicle to shift old stigmas about unable disabled to healthy, exciting, viable contributing members of society. Adaptive sports saved my life and defined my purpose. Innovator and designer of adaptive equipment.

- 9 time Paralympian. 4 Summer Paralympics 1980, 1988, 1992, 1996. 5 Winter Paralympics 1992, 1994, 1998, 2002, 2006. 12 Paralympic Medals, 8 Gold Medals.
- Pioneer in the sport of wheel-

chair racing, member of small group that evolved equipment, rules, race director guidelines, endorsements and media presence to where it is today.

- Only person to win the U.S. Wheelchair Racing National Championships “Triple Crown” the 10K, Half Marathon and Marathon in one season - 1983.
- U.S. Wheelchair Sports Team Member 1980 – 1996. U.S. National Track Champion 55 times.
- U.S. Disabled Ski Team Member 1989 – 2006. U.S. National Cross Country Ski Champion 32 times.
- Winner of 84 marathons including 6 Boston Marathons.

Turning Point Tahoe 2006 to Present

Director of chapter of a National Organization

Disability to Possibility Kit 2004-Present

Presenter/Co-Creator

Girls on the Move Bike Event, Special Project of Outward Bound-10 Weeks 2000

Core Rider/Facilitator Workshops, Kits and Activities/Festival and Program Speaker

Only handcyclist, of 22 core riders, pedaling 3865 miles from Portland OR to New York City NY in 10 weeks. Rode 70 miles a day, connecting with 1,500 communities.

Collaborated with YMCA, Girl Scouts and Girls Incorporated. Staged One Day Festivals in 5 major cities offering climbing towers, low challenges, music, presenters, activities and booths with outreach information.