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This months member highlight is:
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1. Have you always loved sports?

Sports has been a huge part of my life. I have a background in martial arts, with a blackbelt in karate. It brought me what I consider my second family. The nature of the sport, injuries are very common. I am lucky to have found a career that allowed me to help those injured and still be involved with the sport I grew up with.

2. Who have you had the privilege to work with so far?

Over the course of almost 10 years of being a massage therapist, I have worked with a variety of athletes, ranging from amateur to professional. I have worked and travelled with Athletics Canada, The Italian National Ball Hockey Team and Tennis Canada. I have also worked with athletes from the NHL, MMA and the CFL.

3. What is your best memory within the profession?

My best memory as a therapist was getting to work behind the bench for the World Ball Hockey Championships with Team Italy.

4. What makes you unique as a therapist?

What makes me unique was the fact that I had some great mentors at the beginning of my career, including an amazing chiropractor who took me under his wing. It changed my practice completely and I believe made me a better therapist than when I finished massage therapy college.

5. What is your biggest dream when it comes to sports?

My biggest dream when it comes to sports is to be part of the medical team for the Olympics!