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Former Selects Delaney, Gillis shine at FIL World Indoor Lacrosse Championships

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Burnaby Mountain Selects Lacrosse

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BURNABY, BC (June 1, 2011) – Two former Burnaby Mountain Selects (BMS), James Delaney (Port Coquitlam, BC / St. Thomas More Collegiate) and Brian Gillis (North Vancouver, BC / Windsor Secondary) were among the tournament scoring leaders at the recently completed Federation of International Lacrosse (FIL) World Indoor Lacrosse Championships, held May 21-28 in Prague, Czech Republic.

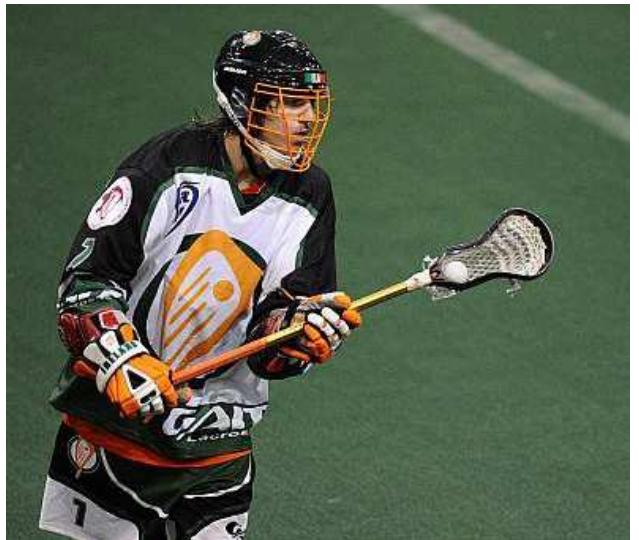
Delaney, who recently completed his sophomore season at Seton Hill University (NCAA Div. II) in Greensburg, Pennsylvania and plays Junior 'A' box lacrosse for the Port Coquitlam Saints, finished second on Team England in scoring and sixth overall amongst tournament points leaders with 16 goals and 10 assists, for 26 points in 5 games.

Gillis, who was also a sophomore this past season at New England College (NCAA Div. II) in Henniker, New Hampshire and plays box lacrosse for the Burnaby Junior 'A' Lakers, led Team Ireland in scoring with 13 points on 9 goals and 4 assists to finish twenty-seventh in overall tournament scoring.

The 2009 BMS grads were in good company on the world stage with several notable lacrosse greats headlining the tournament leader board. Casey Powell, captain of Team USA and a three-time 1st Team All-American at Syracuse University (NCAA Div. I) led the tournament in scoring with 31 points (6g, 15a), while Canadian John Grant Jr., a former USILA National Collegiate Player of the Year who stands second in NCAA Division I single season Total Points, was tenth with 23 points (11g, 12a). American Paul Rabil, a three-time 1st Team All-American at Johns Hopkins University (NCAA Div. I) and past McLaughlin Award recipient as the nation's most outstanding NCAA lacrosse midfielder, finished 31st in tournament scoring with 10 points (8g, 2a).

Both Delaney and Gillis were competing in the FIL World Indoor Lacrosse Championships for the first time in their lacrosse careers. Gillis also represented Ireland at the 2010 FIL World Field Lacrosse Championships in Manchester, England finishing 44th in tournament scoring and third on Team Ireland, with 16 goals and three assists for 19 points in seven games.

Canada won their third straight World Indoor Lacrosse Championships defeating Iroquois 13-6 in the final, while USA claimed bronze with a 16-7 win over host Czech Republic. England placed fifth by beating Australia 23-8; Ireland placed fourth in the Group B Division and did not advance to the play-off round.



ABOUT BURNABY MOUNTAIN SELECTS LACROSSE

Established in 2006 and now widely recognized as one of Canada's top field lacrosse development programs, the Burnaby Mountain Selects Field Lacrosse Program is an amateur sports organization designed to train players in a high performance environment to best prepare them for a collegiate field lacrosse career. Selection and consideration into the program is reserved for a select group of elite student-athletes, who possess the desire to work hard and learn in a competitive team environment, while demonstrating the ability to prioritize their academic goals in the highest regard. More than 300 athletes in grades 5-12 have participated in the Selects program from over 35 communities across British Columbia's Lower Mainland, BC Coast, BC Interior, Washington State and Idaho. The Selects travel to compete in top college recruiting tournaments throughout North America, winning several international events and helping to place over 40% of graduating players in collegiate field lacrosse programs.

The Selects are proudly sponsored by Harrow Sports. For further information on Burnaby Mountain Lacrosse please visit www.selectslacrosse.com or follow the Selects LIVE on Twitter at <http://twitter.com/selectslacrosse>.

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