

# 2019 INDUCTEE

## Rhéal P. **CORMIER**

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### Athlete – Baseball

Rhéal Cormier is among Canada's most prolific baseball players. He played for Team Canada at the 1987 Pan-Am Games and the 1988 Olympics in Seoul. He made his major league debut in 1991 and played for 16 seasons with the Boston Red Sox, Cincinnati Reds, Montreal Expos, Philadelphia Phillies and St. Louis Cardinals. Cormier, a left-handed pitcher, appeared in 683 games, second-most ever by a Canadian. He finished his Major League career with 71 wins and a 4.03 ERA. His best season was in 2003 with the Phillies, where he finished with an 8-0 record and a 1.70 ERA over 84.2 innings pitched. At the age of 41, he represented Team Canada again at the 2008 Olympics in Beijing. Cormier was inducted into Canadian Baseball Hall of Fame in 2012 and New Brunswick Sports Hall of Fame in 2014.

