



MASTERS ATHLETE OF THE MONTH



LUIZ YBARRA

The club is excited to announce that Luiz has been selected as our Masters Athlete of the Month for April! Again, this honor is awarded to only one athlete out of all the masters within our programs across London, St. Mary's, and Stratford.

Luiz swims within our Masters Swim Mornings programming in London and away from his training, has a family of 4 active children, and is also an Interventional Cardiologist and the Co-Director of the Chronic Total Occlusion Percutaneous Coronary Intervention Program at London Health Sciences Centre, University Hospital, London, Ontario, Canada.

To say that Luiz has a full schedule is an understatement... And despite managing a very busy work/life schedule, Luiz consistently demonstrates a commitment and passion for swimming (as we know he brings to all other areas of his life as well) that is truly inspirational.

Therefore, this well-deserved recognition is a result of Luiz's exceptional work ethic, both in and out of the pool, and his remarkable dedication to everything he places his time and energy into. Additionally, his recent performances at the 2025 Swim Ontario Masters Provincial Championships in Markham were outstanding, achieving seasonal best times in all of his events. Notably, he won 3rd place in the 100m freestyle, breaking the 1:00.00 barrier with an impressive time of 59.93... While still ensuring that he was able to go support two of his children that had soccer matches going on in the surrounding GTA (Vaughan & Guelph) throughout the weekend.

Please again accept our congratulations Luiz on this winning this award, which reflects your outstanding commitment and work ethic. We wish you continued success both in and out of the water, and we hope you enjoy a treat of your choice on us to celebrate this achievement!