

## **Builder/Long Service Award**

**Sponsored by Kevin Sutton and the 2<sup>nd</sup> Avenue Family Chiropractic Centre**

Past Winners:

2008: Mark Nagy

2009: Don Gallo

2010 Nominees:

- **Bob Holtsman, Saskatoon.** Nominated by Reagan Wildeman. A fixture at races across Saskatchewan, he is always there to help out, give encouragement and of course capture the day with his amazing photography skills.
- **Doug Mackenzie, Regina.** Nominated by the Regina Multisport Club. Doug, along with Brent Gibson, founded the Regina Multisport Club in 1989. Doug served on the RMC executive until 2006 and it still very active with the club.
- **John Marshall, Saskatoon.** Nominated by Nicole Golden. John's contributions to triathlon extend to all avenues. John has been an accomplished athlete, volunteer official, race director and long serving member of the STAC Board of Directors.
- **Hank Heerspink, Buena Vista, SK.** Nominated by Don Gallo. Hank was the STAC president in the early 1990's. Hank was instrumental in gaining access to Sask Sport Funding.

**Builder/Long Service Award Winner for 2010: Hank Heerspink**



***Picture: Hank received his award from Kevin Sutton, award sponsor from the 2<sup>nd</sup> Avenue Family Chiropractic Centre***

It was during his presidency that STAC first established funding and budget responsibilities. He was a dedicated athlete and organizer.

Hank published the STAC newsletter for several years when he was the STAC Vice President. STAC's initial funding amount from Sask Sport was for \$1200. This amount may seem small by today's funding levels but it broke the ground and laid the foundation for the thriving sport we see today.