

## **Paul Harrison**

Paul Harrison is a former NHL goaltender and police officer who brings a lot of personality to any appearance.

His NFL career spanned from 1975-76 to 1981-82. During that time, he tended the nets of the Minnesota North Stars, Toronto Maple Leafs, Pittsburgh Penguins and Buffalo Sabres.

Upon his retirement from hockey, Paul moved back to his native Timmins to become a police officer where he spent 30 years contributing to his hometown. He is a founding member of the D.A.R.E. program which stands for Drug Abuse Resistance

Education. In addition to speaking with school children about making good life choices, he trained other police officers worldwide about the concepts of D.A.R.E.

Additionally, Harrison gave back by establishing and funding and education program for youth so that they may achieve their goals. He has a strong message for young and old alike on how to build and execute a plan for success in life. In both 2002 and 2012, he was awarded the Queen Elizabeth's Golden and Diamond Jubilee medals for his outstanding community work with youth.

Every giving back, Paul spent over 20 years spearheading the NHL Alumni Hockey Dream Draw in support of grass roots hockey and school based prevention programs. He believes that playing minor



hockey is the original drug prevention program in Canada. Hockey at every level is a positive alternative to drugs and violence. The ski9lls and values learned have a lasting effect on the children involved.

If your organization is looking for an enthusiastic, entertaining and information presentation, Paul Harrison is your man.