

TRÉCELLE BUNN

2023 MRA Race Director of the Year

Tréchelle Bunn, 23, hails from Wampum, Manitoba, and is a proud member of Chan Kagha Otina Dakhóta Oyáte (Birdtail Sioux Dakota Nation). She holds a Bachelor of Arts degree in Criminology with a minor in Indigenous Studies from the University of Manitoba. She is currently pursuing her dream of becoming a lawyer at Robson Hall, the University of Manitoba - Faculty of Law.

A lifelong athlete, Tréchelle began skating at the age of three and went on to play hockey worldwide. In 2023, she concluded her competitive hockey career with the University of Manitoba Bisons Women's Hockey team.

In 2022, Tréchelle combined her passion for sports with activism by founding the Reconciliation Run, Canada's first National Day for Truth and Reconciliation half-marathon. The Reconciliation Run is rooted in the belief of using movement as medicine and serves as an avenue for education and reflection on the National Day for Truth and Reconciliation. The annual half-marathon has made a significant impact, drawing participants from across Turtle Island.

Tréchelle is an accomplished athlete and a dedicated student, race director, and activist, showcasing her commitment to making a positive difference in her community and beyond.