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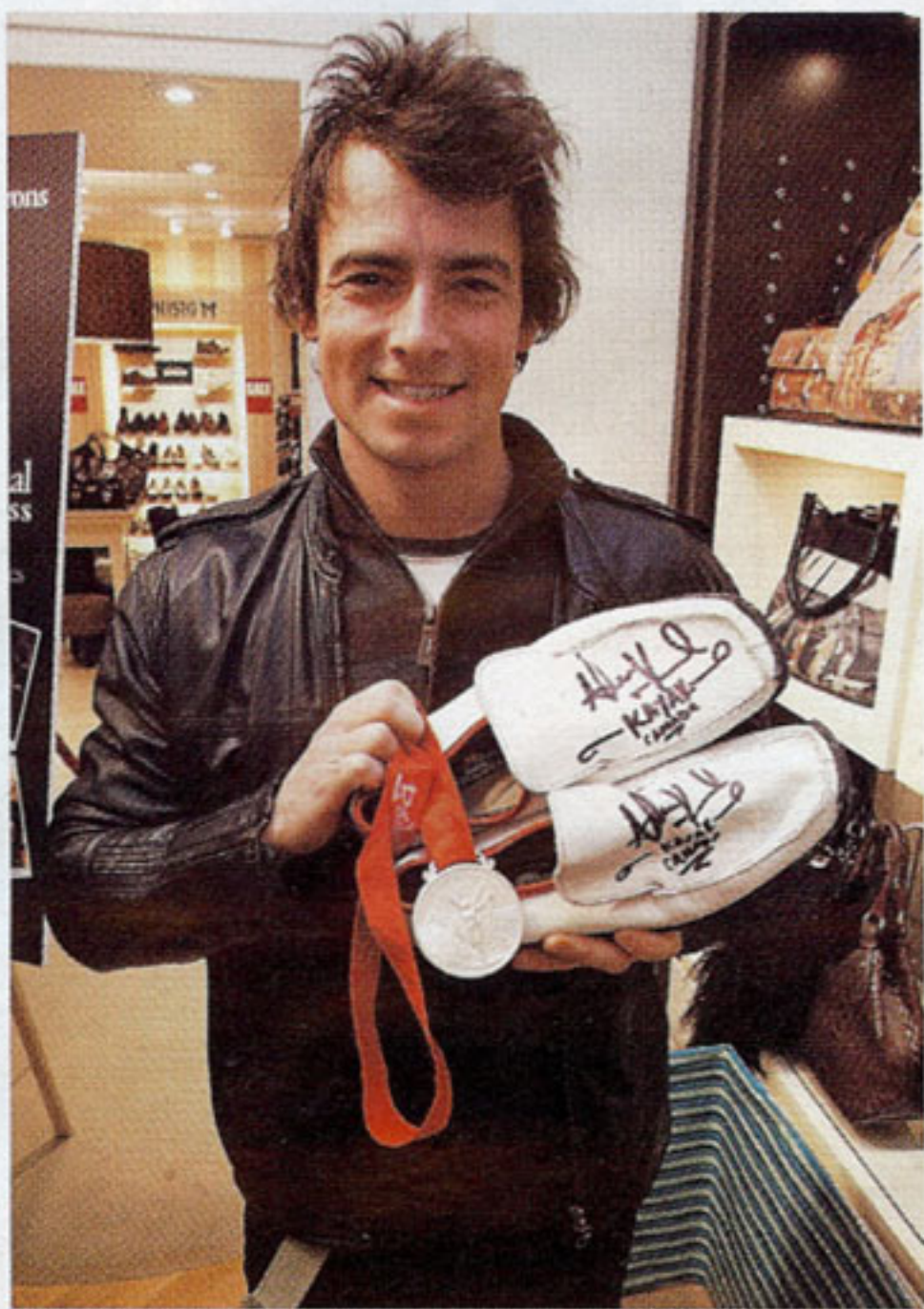
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WHY THEY'RE HOLLYWOOD'S
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INSIDE STORY



ADAM VAN KOEVERDEN HELPS TO 'HEEL' THE HOMELESS

Three-time Olympic medallist Adam van Koeverden (above left) and rock singer Suzie McNeil (above right) were among the celebrities who bared their soles on Jan. 8 at the launch of the 13th annual Shoe Drive for the Homeless at Toronto retailer Ron White's flagship store.

Adam, who won silver in kayaking at the Beijing Olympics last summer, helped kick off the event by donating a signed pair of white leather slip-ons custom-made for him by Roots. "I wore them as I carried the flag and on the silver medal podium," the 26-year-old told *Hello! Canada*. "They're quite special to me."

Suzie, 32, hopes she has inspired others by donating the boots she wore while performing during the half-time show at the 2008 Grey Cup.

"It was a little hard to part with them," she admitted. "But think about homeless people ... it's a hard life."

Joining Adam, Suzie and Ron (below, C) were (behind Ron, L to R) Virgin radio morning host Billie, Broadway star Louise Pitre and *Breakfast Television* host Dina Pugliese. British actor Jeremy Irons also supported the drive by sending a pair of shoes he wore in the 1981 film *The French Lieutenant's Woman* with Meryl Streep.

The shoe drive, which has collected more than 16,000 pairs to date, was founded in 1995 after Ron saw a homeless man sitting on a sidewalk with toes sticking out of battered shoes. He hopes to collect 2,500 pairs by Feb. 15 to distribute to three charities serving the homeless.

