

Twentieth Annual

Athletic

Hall of Fame

Inductions

April 28, 2001

Van Houten Dining Hall

Edinboro

*University
of Pennsylvania*

Hall of Fame Inductee Citations

The following is a list of inductees and the inscription which appears on each Hall of Fame member's plaque. They are cited for the accomplishments they achieved while performing for the University or their meritorious efforts on behalf of Edinboro's athletic program.

Dennis Creehan

His outstanding career as a player and coach with the Fighting Scot Football program. A defensive back, he earned All-ECAC and All-State recognition as a safety, and was also accorded All-District and All-Pittsburgh Press honors. He captained the 1970 team which went 9-1 and won the Lambert Bowl. He was appointed the Fighting Scot head coach in 1979, serving for six seasons and posting a 39-20-1 record. The PSAC West Coach of the Year three times, he led the 1982 Edinboro edition to a 9-2 finish, the PSAC West championship and runner-up in the PSAC.

Sarah (Bishop) Jay

Her outstanding career as a player with the Fighting Scot Women's Basketball program. The guard was a three-time All-PSAC West first team selection, scoring 1,652 career points. She remains the career record-holder for field goals made (693) and free throw percentage (76.0 percent), while ranking among the leaders in field goals attempted, free throws made, free throws attempted, steals and rebounds. As a senior, she helped Edinboro to a 27-3 finish and the PSAC Championship, as the Fighting Scots advanced to the NCAA East Regional championship game. She also was an All-PSAC performer in softball.

Rick Killian

His outstanding performances as a runner for the Fighting Scot Cross Country and Track & Field programs. A former walk-on athlete, he went on to finish as a two-time All-American while competing from 1977-81. He earned All-American honors in the 800 meters as a senior, including a runner-up finish at the NCAA Division II Outdoor National Championships. His time of 1:49.23 remains a school record. He was also a two-time All-PSAC champion, setting the PSAC 800 meter record. In cross country, he helped Edinboro to the 1978 and '80 PSAC Championships.

EDINBORO UNIVERSITY 2000-2001 ALL-AMERICANS

JEFF BARKER, CROSS COUNTRY/TRACK

AARON ROWE, CROSS COUNTRY

YI MIN WU, CROSS COUNTRY

CARRIE McKEON, CROSS COUNTRY

LISA PETSCH, CROSS COUNTRY

ADAM KAUFMAN, MEN'S BASKETBALL

KENNY TATE, MEN'S BASKETBALL

JOSH KOSCHECK, WRESTLING

DAVE SHUNAMON, WRESTLING

ACADEMIC ALL-AMERICANS

KATHY BREISCH, CROSS COUNTRY

CARRIE McKEON, CROSS COUNTRY

AARON ROWE, CROSS COUNTRY

NAT WIBBERLEY, CROSS COUNTRY

MARK WEIDNER, FOOTBALL

EDINBORO UNIVERSITY

LETTERWINNERS

4th year (1997-01)

Mike Alexander - Track & Field
 Keith Allen - Men's Basketball
 Jeff Barker - Cross Country
 Adam Bartsch - Men's Tennis
 Bill Bendis - Baseball
 Ben Boozer - Wrestling
 Tom Gallagher - Men's Basketball
 Ashley Hansen - Cross Country and
 Track & Field
 April Hurd - Softball
 Adam Kaufman - Men's Basketball
 Brian King - Baseball
 Ryan Leahy - Men's Basketball
 Glenn Mannion - Football
 Hethe McCollum - Baseball
 D.K. McDonald - Football
 Carrie McKeon - Cross Country and
 Track & Field
 Julie McNees - Women's Basketball
 Scott Mealy - Track & Field
 Alyssa Murosky - Women's Soccer
 Daryl Myer - Track & Field
 Lisa Poeschl - Volleyball
 Amanda Riley - Softball
 Sarah Roseto - Volleyball and Softball
 Rob Schodt - Men's Basketball
 Ryan Shapert - Wrestling
 Amy Shinskie - Cross Country and
 Track & Field
 Charlie Smith - Men's Swimming
 Brianna Taylor - Softball
 Kim Vay - Women's Basketball
 Mark Weidner - Football

3rd year (1998-01)

Mike Allegretto - Men's Swimming
 Sean Beers - Baseball
 Kurt Bloxham - Track & Field
 Kathy Breisch - Cross Country and
 Track & Field
 Chris Buehner - Football
 Heather Consla - Women's Tennis
 Megan Crowther - Track & Field
 Yanni Diamond - Wrestling
 James Dickerson - Men's Basketball
 Sali Frndak - Women's Soccer
 Abby Galcik - Volleyball
 Erik Glus - Baseball
 David Hart - Football
 David Holton - Football
 Denna Iammarino - Women's Soccer
 Blake Johnson - Men's Basketball
 Syreeta Johnson - Women's Basketball
 Chris Kane - Football
 Ryan Kelly - Cross Country
 Joe Kodnovich - Men's Tennis
 Josh Koscheck - Wrestling
 Annie Lindenberger - Cross Country
 Amy Lindsey - Women's Soccer
 Jaime Luna - Baseball
 Bryan McConnell - Men's Tennis
 Korie Morton - Women's Basketball
 Marlana Mucciarone - Softball
 Yahmin Norwood - Track & Field
 Jennifer Patsy - Softball
 Lisa Petsche - Cross Country and
 Track & Field
 Dupree Quearles - Men's Swimming
 Blake Richetta - Men's Tennis
 Meghan Seth - Softball
 Shaun Shapert - Wrestling

Heidi Shirley - Women's Soccer
 Greg Tarbell - Football
 Kenny Tate - Men's Basketball
 Nat Wibberley - Track & Field
 Wendy Wiggins - Women's Basketball
 Arlena Winn - Women's Basketball
 Yi Min Wu - Cross Country and
 Track & Field

2nd year (1999-01)

Cory Ace - Wrestling
 Derek Armstrong - Men's Basketball
 Pat Ashley - Football
 Gary Barbour - Baseball
 Sonya Bearfield - Women's Tennis
 Joel Burick - Men's Swimming
 Stephanie Burner - Volleyball
 Travis Butcher - Baseball
 Chad Caros - Wrestling
 Lachelle Crawl - Women's Basketball
 Tim Cron - Track & Field
 Derrick Davis - Football
 Jack Davis - Football
 Tania DiFranco - Women's Soccer
 Liz DiLoreto - Women's Swimming
 Michele Frick - Women's Soccer
 David Gartrell - Men's Basketball
 Josh Geis - Football
 Beth Glecos - Women's Soccer
 Jason Gordon - Football
 Fran Graves - Track & Field
 Kelly Griffith - Softball
 Rachel Gryta - Women's Tennis
 Amy Hazen - Women's Soccer
 Bernard Henry - Football
 Krystal Henson - Women's Basketball
 Theresa Hutchison - Track & Field
 Katie Jackowski - Women's Soccer
 Matt Jakovac - Football
 Joe Janke - Track & Field
 Foster Johnson - Football
 Ben Keefer - Football
 Sean Keslar - Football
 Kimmo Lassila - Cross Country and
 Track & Field
 Scott LeBaron - Men's Tennis

Krista Lindenberger - Track & Field
 Andrea Linfield - Women's Soccer
 Kim Liwush - Women's Soccer
 Lynann Lorenz - Cross Country and
 Track & Field
 Stephane Lubin - Football
 Amy Martin - Women's Tennis
 Sean McNicholas - Football
 Jim McPhilomy - Baseball
 Tiffany Miller - Softball
 Travis Myler - Men's Tennis
 Cindy Nelson - Women's Swimming
 Brandon Nicodemus - Football
 Evan Novosel - Track & Field
 Kevin O'Connor - Men's Basketball
 Josh Pearce - Wrestling
 Katie Quatman - Volleyball
 Carmen Quatman - Volleyball
 Katie Raymond - Women's Basketball
 Amy Reed - Women's Swimming
 Jason Roseto - Men's Basketball
 Aaron Rowe - Cross Country and
 Track & Field
 D.J. Sammel - Baseball
 Geoff Schaab - Baseball
 Lindsey Schlieper - Track & Field
 Lisa Seiler - Women's Tennis
 Kent Shrontz - Men's Swimming
 David Shunamon - Wrestling
 David Smith - Football
 Steve Smith - Football
 Charlie Soto - Wrestling
 Jason Spikes - Track & Field
 Amy Stevens - Women's Basketball
 & Women's Soccer
 Andy Stritzinger - Men's Basketball
 Meri Surdoval - Women's Swimming
 Matt Van Emon - Men's Swimming
 Tommie Virgies - Football
 Nicole Vlahovic - Women's Soccer
 Keldrick Walker - Football
 Amber Walsh - Women's Swimming
 Chris Weibl - Baseball
 Melissa Weil - Women's Swimming
 Liz Wells - Women's Soccer
 Nat Wibberley - Cross Country
 Chris Wiggins - Football
 Adann Williams - Women's Basketball
 Anthony Williams - Football

1st year (2000-01)

Jimmy Ansberry - Track & Field
Shannon Askey - Women's Soccer
Carly Baird - Women's Soccer
Keith Brotz - Track & Field
Lincoln Bufalino - Football
Kelly Collins - Women's Soccer
James Cowart - Football
Michelle Curry - Track & Field
Summer Darst - Women's Soccer
Greg Delluomo - Football
Mike Dobies - Baseball
Lynzie Ellison - Women's Soccer
Josh Evans - Wrestling
John Frisk - Baseball
Josh Gaines - Baseball
Jason Gilotty - Baseball
Eugene Grooms - Football
Kelly Hayes - Track & Field
Katie Hermann - Softball
Kelli Higgins - Track & Field
Otto Hoover - Football
Jeff Hrozdk - Track & Field
Mark Hryvniak - Track & Field
Jermaine Hughley - Football
Katie Hummel - Volleyball
Kiriko Ito - Women's Tennis
Joe Janke - Cross Country
Rochelle Jeniger - Track & Field
JoAnn Kennedy - Softball
Matt King - Wrestling
Kathy Kinzer - Women's Tennis
Shannon Kinzie - Track & Field
Brian Korol - Men's Swimming
Natalie Kostelansky - Softball
Daniel Larson - Men's Tennis
Rachel Lisowski - Women's Swimming
Kris Love - Track & Field
Javar Manning - Football
Juli-Ann Marsala - Softball
Mike Martin - Football
Kurt Martine - Men's Swimming
Ryan McElhinny - Men's Basketball
Amy Medicus - Volleyball
Justin Millard - Wrestling
Jennifer Nimelli - Softball

Brandon O'Brien - Baseball
Stacey Oldenburg - Women's Soccer
Jason Oman - Football
Nick Oster - Men's Swimming
Elliott Page - Football
Anthony Peluso - Football
Suzanne Petruska - Women's

Basketball

Dana Polakowski - Volleyball
Darren Redding - Men's Swimming
Joe Reynolds - Cross Country and

Track & Field

Jeff Richardson - Football
Matt Rickert - Baseball
Alonzo Roebuck - Football
Davis Santucci - Men's Tennis
Courtney Simmons - Track & Field
Patricia Sinkuc - Softball
Jocelyn Smith - Cross Country and

Track & Field

Mark Stahurski - Baseball
Amanda Steger - Women's Swimming
Nick Strauch - Baseball
Kelly Sudnik - Softball
Chris Summers - Men's Basketball
Abby Surdoval - Women's Swimming
Andy Thomas - Men's Swimming
Courtney Thompson - Women's

Basketball

Steve Tryon - Football
Aaron Tucker - Football
Joe Valvoda - Football
Jason Velasco - Track & Field
Shannon Walker - Volleyball
Nathan Walters - Men's Swimming
Ashley Walton - Volleyball
Jessica Weed - Women's Soccer
Angelia Wightman - Women's Soccer
John Williams - Football
Megan Zitner - Women's Basketball

and Track & Field

Dominick Masciantonio

His outstanding career as a player with the Fighting Scot Tennis program. He posted an impressive 110-32 record in singles and double competition, reaching the finals in singles and/or doubles of the NAIA District 18 and PSAC Championships each year. He captured six championships, including two PSAC titles, in 1976 and '78, and two NAIA District 18 crowns, in 1977 and '78, along with doubles crowns in the PSAC and NAIA District 18 Tournaments in 1977. He qualified for the NAIA National Championships in 1977 and '78. The 1977 Edinboro team finished with a national ranking of 11th.

Sean O'Day

His outstanding career as a member of the Fighting Scot Wrestling program. Previously inducted into the PSAC and Eastern Wrestling League Halls of Fame, he finished with a 116-24-2 career record. A three-time All-American, he became Edinboro's first-ever Division I National Champion in 1989, winning the 134 lb. title. He placed seventh as a sophomore at 142 lbs. and was second the following year, winning 37 matches each year. In 1988-89, he won the PSAC Championship for the second straight year and became Edinboro's first EWL champion.

Montique Wade

Her outstanding career as a member of the Fighting Scot Women's Basketball program. She concluded her career with 1,775 points and 1,113 rebounds, one of two players to score 1,000 points and pull down 1,000 rebounds. The forward was a three-time All-PSAC West first team selection, and was named the 1989-90 PSAC West Player of the Year after averaging 18.2 points and 10.9 rebounds. Edinboro finished 27-3 that year, winning the PSAC Championship and advancing to the NCAA East Regional championship game. She remains among the career leaders in field goals made and attempted, free throws made and attempted and steals.

Michael Willis

His outstanding career as a player with the Fighting Scot Football program. A free safety, he was a three-time honorable mention All-American, earning Associated Press Little All-America honorable mention accolades in 1988 and '89, and Football Gazette honors in 1989. He was named a first team All-PSAC West performer as a junior and senior. He concluded his career with 329 tackles, leading the Fighting Scots with 111 tackles in 1988. In 1989, he totaled 100 tackles and led Edinboro to an 8-3 record and a first-ever berth in the NCAA Division II Playoffs.

Senior Female Athlete of the Year Nancy Acker Award

1984 – Ellen Mulligan	1993 – Jeannine Jean-Pierre
1985 – Mary Ann Chilcott	1994 – Kathy Balcam
1986 – Coleen Snyder	1995 – Melanie Skolny
1987 – Carrie Yenchak	1996 – Heni Toth
1988 – Libby Austin	1997 – Stephanie Radecki
1989 – Amy Adams	1998 – Heather Gates
1990 – Montique Wade	1999 – Amy Perry
1991 – Kara Hopkins	2000 – Jessica Rowe
1992 – Tammy Walker-Strode	

Senior Male Athlete of the Year Sox Harrison Award

1956 – Richard Yezzi	1979 – Terry Patterson
1957 – John Shesman	1980 – Brian Jordan
1958 – Bernard Twardowski	1981 – Tim Beacham
1959 – Fred Trott	1982 – Lance White
1960 – Emil Magdik	1983 – Greg Beardsley
1961 – David O'Dessa	1984 – Edwin Wright
1962 – no award	1985 – Blair Hrovat
1963 – Arnold Bradshaw	1986 – Mike Haesy
1964 – Richard Forcucci	1987 – Luke Graham
1965 – Dan Petchel	1988 – Dean Hall
1966 – Dave Shenefelt	1989 – Sean O'Day Stewart Dawson
1967 – Jim Dietrich	1990 – Mike Renninger
1968 – Don Dougan	1991 – Chris Rauber
1969 – Frank Smith	1992 – Aaron Brown
1970 – Ted Robison	1993 – Lewis Rosselli
1971 – Ebby Hollins	1994 – Price Williams
1972 – Fred Riley	1995 – Tom Shifflet
1973 – Dave Antognoli Jim Romaniszyn	1996 – Tyrone Mason
1974 – Tom Herr	1997 – Carl Leonard
1975 – Don Gerdich	1998 – Jason Robison
1976 – Dennis Hampton	1999 – Gerald Thompson
1977 – Howard Hackley	2000 – Kevin Welsh
1978 – Dalvin Baehler	

Athletic Hall of Fame Members

1982 Charter Members

Sox Harrison*
Henry Anderson, 1931*
Walt Askins, 1960
Lawrence Blaney,
1932*
Arnold Bradshaw, 1963
Gary Gilbert, 1961
Curly Halmi*
Joseph Leson, 1935*
Emil Magdik, 1960
David O'Dessa, 1961
Dan Petchel, 1965
Fred Riley, 1972
Ted Robison, 1970
Joe Sanford, 1971
Frank Smith, 1969
Frank Soscia, 1942*
John B. Wolfe, 1940
Mike Zahorchak, 1937

1983 Inductees

Nancy Acker*
Dave Antognoli, 1973
William Holland, 1935
Hanio "Hank" Mariotti*
Joseph Massa, 1934*
Loyal Park, 1953
James Romaniszyn,
1973
Jim Sims, 1964

1984 Inductees

Tom Herr, 1974
John McCurry, 1972
Robert McVeigh, 1951
Jerry Mifsud, 1973
Keith Nicolls, 1951
Oscar Palmquist, 1934*
Nettie Mai Ruttle*
Jack Weixel, 1950

1985 Inductees

Harold Arrowsmith,
1932
Robert Camp, 1930*
Bill Engh*
Chuck Lodge, 1952
Jack Sinnott, 1959
Roy Stauffer, 1974
Bernard Twardowski,
1958

1986 Inductees

Art Arrowsmith, 1932*
Fred Caro
William Hoffman, 1932*
Paul Newman, 1964

1987 Inductees

Don Dougan, 1968
James Flynn, 1959
Richard Forcucci, 1964
George "Whitey"
Giesler, 1932
Dale Hrach, 1971
Bud Ruland, 1955
Fred Trott, 1959

1988 Inductees

Kevin Foley, 1976
David Green, 1976
Howard Hackley, 1976
Joe Iacovetta, 1957
Robert "Red" Lytle, 1940
Joe Shesman, 1955
Jay Spitale, 1977
Richard Yezzi, 1956

1989 Inductees

J. Jude Basile, 1976
Leo Bemis, 1941
Jim Kirk, 1974
Dale Loeslein, 1978
Dennis Ranalli, 1974

David Seigh, 1975
Dave Shenefelt, 1966
Tim Smiley, 1978

1990 Inductees

Fred Case, 1939
Dave Knowlton, 1971
Marty Manning, 1961
Bob Thurbon

1991 Inductees

Vyto Bankaitis, 1978
Brian Jordan, 1981
James Krentz, 1980
Terry Patterson, 1977
John Walker, 1975

1992 Inductees

Mark Drennen, 1978
Ed Erdos
Jim Hazlett
Ron Link, 1982
John McBride, 1953
Tina Skidmore, 1981

1993 Inductees

Dalvin Baehler, 1979
Fred Casoli, 1941
Susan Colton, 1972
Roger Doyle, 1978
John Ferraro, 1967
Art McComb
Rich Ruzskiewicz, 1983

1994 Inductees

Greg Beardsley, 1983
Alex Crevar, 1938*
Dennis Rice, 1983
Gary Stanton, 1979
Roger Stubbe, 1974

Athletic Hall of Fame Members Continued

1995 Inductees

Gerry Burbules-Vensel,
1983
Jim Dietrich, 1967
James K. McDonald
Kim Wright, 1982

1996 Inductees

Mary Ann Chilcott,
1985
Alice Kruszka Miller,
1939
Judy Saurer
Steve Senko, 1983
Barry Swanson, 1983

1997 Inductees

Coleen Snyder Conboy,
1986
Guy Conti
Anthony Cutri, 1940
Harry "Sparky" Gorton
Al Hall
Ellen Mulligan, 1986
Jolene Nagel, 1983

1998 Inductees

Matt Furey, 1986
Mike Hahey, 1987
Dr. Gary Means, 1967
Dr. James A. Reed
Jerome Simon, 1974
Tracy Watson, 1986

1999 Inductees

Luil Graham, 1987
Dean Hall, 1988
Libby Austin Leeds,
1987
Delbert Lemmon, 1972
James Prokell, 1972

2000 Inductees

Scott Dodds, 1989
Mike Platt, 1988
Dave Rowan, 1989
Kerrie Yenchak, 1987
Kathy (Mazur)
Zoltowski, 1986

*Deceased

Coach of the Year

2000 – Tim Flynn
1999 – Doug Watts
1998 – Greg Walcavich
1997 – Bruce Baumgartner
Stan Swank
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1993 – Tom Hollman
1992 – John Radovich

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1989 – Stan Swank
1988 – Doug Watts
1987 – Doug Watts
1986 – Jim Sims
1985 – Doug Watts
1984 – Jim Flynn
1983 – Denny Creehan
1982 – Guy Conti

Hall of Fame Board

Bruce Baumgartner –
Chair
Janet Bowker
Dr. James R. Flynn
David Higham

Todd V. Jay
Dr. Naomi Johnson
Dr. Gary Means
David O'Dessa

Dr. Roy Shinn
Robert Shreve
Bernie Twardowski
Michael Zahorchak