



2023
34th Annual
**Ohio High School
Athletic Association
Officials Hall of Fame
Banquet**

Induction Ceremony

Welcome & Introduction:5:45 p.m.
Jerry Fick, Master of Ceremonies (1995 Inductee)

Invocation: Dale VanHoose (2002 Inductee)

Dinner:6:00 p.m.

Menu

Caesar Salad (served dressed)
Chicken Marsala, Fingerling Potatoes
New York Cheesecake with Strawberries

Presentation of Awards

NFHS – Ohio Officials of the Year

— Beau Rugg, Director of Officiating and Sports Management

Recognition of “50 Year” Officials, Watches and Certificates

— Jerry Fick, Master of Ceremonies

Recognition of “25 Year” Officials Certificates

— Jerry Fick, Master of Ceremonies

Recognition of Outgoing Hall of Fame Committee Members

— Jerry Fick, Master of Ceremonies

Hall of Fame Induction

— Jerry Fick, Master of Ceremonies

Closing Remarks

2023 Officials Hall of Fame Inductees



Rick Bayless (Delaware, BK)

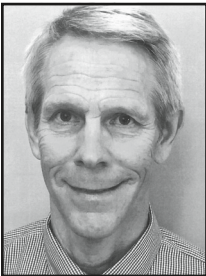
Rick Bayless was an OHSAA basketball official for 38 years. Rick was a very accomplished official. He received 5 OHSAA State Boys Basketball Tournament assignments and 4 OHSAA State Girls Basketball Tournament assignments. Rick was selected for OHSAA regional basketball assignments an incredible 23 straight years. He has always given back to the officiating and OHSAA community. Rick was president of the Marion Basketball Officials Association, clock operator for OHSAA regional Football Playoff games and was the officials host for many years for regular season football contests. One of his supporting letters said: "Rick personifies what it is to be an official. He is fair, consistent and goes out of his way to communicate with both coaches and players during competition."



Dave Campbell (Cincinnati, BK, FB, CC, TF)

Dave Campbell is a certified OHSAA official in four different sports. He is a 36-year basketball official, a 28-year football official a 26-year cross country official and a 26-year track and field official. Dave has great officiating accomplishments in all four sports. He was selected for one OHSAA State Track and Field Championship assignment and 15 OHSAA regional track and field assignments. He was selected as an umpire for OHSAA State Cross Country Championship assignments. Dave has received 11 OHSAA State Football assignments including three OHSAA State Championship final assignments. He has received two OHSAA State Basketball assignments and 12 OHSAA regional basketball assignments. Dave currently

serves as the Southwest District Athletic Board basketball tournament assigner. One of Dave's supporting letters said: "As long as I've known him he has been the utmost professional both on and off the court and field."



Phillip A. Colflesh (Dublin, FB)

Phil Colflesh is currently in his 47th year as a certified OHSAA football official and he was an OHSAA certified basketball official for 11 years. Phil received an OHSAA regional assignment in his short tenure as a basketball official and his football accomplishments as an official are unparalleled. Phil has received 10 OHSAA state final football assignments at three different positions. He also was selected to officiate the Big 33 Pennsylvania versus Ohio All Stars in 1997. Phil is a constant contributor as a presenter for his local association and has been a clinician at state clinics for many years. One of his supporting letters said: "Phil is a man who represents the type of ethics and integrity that every official in sports officiating hopes to mirror."



Charles "Ron" Golemon (Van Wert, BK, BB)

Ron Golemon was a certified OHSAA basketball official for 24 years and has been a certified OHSAA baseball official for 30 years. He has had tournament assignments in both sports including being selected for 18 OHSAA regional baseball tournament assignments and 9 OHSAA State Baseball Championship assignments. Ron's leadership and service to the officiating community is outstanding. He served as secretary/treasurer for the Midwest Buckeye Basketball Officials Association for 19 years. He has served as the Midwest Buckeye Baseball/Softball Umpires Association secretary/treasurer for the past 21 years. He has been an instructor for

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new officials in both basketball and baseball for 20 years. One of his nominating letters said: "Ron's knowledge of the game is superb and his relentless effort to better his umpire skills is remarkable. This is a true testament to his passion for the game of baseball."



Andrew Holloman (Orwell, BB, SB, BK)

Andy Holloman is in his 46th year as a certified OHSAA official in the sports of baseball, basketball and softball. His officiating accomplishments include 2 OHSAA state baseball assignments and two OHSAA state softball assignments. He was inducted into the Grand Valley High School Hall of Fame in 2012 and the Ashtabula County Hall of Fame in 2016. One of his supporting letters said: "Andy is an amazing and wonderful man who cares deeply for his coworkers, customers and student athletes. His professionalism and work ethic is by far the epitome of what an official should be."



Carl Jordan Sr. (Pepper Pike, BK)

Carl Jordan has been a certified OHSAA basketball official in the state of Ohio for 43 years. Carl has been an accomplished basketball official. Carl officiated women's collegiate basketball for over 20 years. He has been assigned 20 OHSAA regional basketball games. Carl has been selected for 6 OHSAA Boys State Tournament assignments and 1 OHSAA State Girls Tournament assignment. Carl is a past president of the Lake Erie Basketball Officials Association. He has also been a member of the Lake Erie Basketball Officials Association Hall of Fame. He has also been a certified OHSAA basketball instructor and advisor to countless officials. One of Carl's supporting letters said: "His flexibility in working with other officials has earned

him an enviable reputation as an excellent official who cares about other officials."



Bill Mason (Granville, BK, LX)

Bill Mason has officiated basketball and Lacrosse for 65 years. He has been an OHSAA certified basketball official for 54 years. He was one of the first OHSSA certified lacrosse officials when the sport was recognized in 2017. Bill is a founding member of the Central Ohio Lacrosse Association (COLA) and remains a current member to this day. He continues to be a leader in COLA and is recognized for developing his wonderfully detailed observation program. Bill was selected to officiate many district basketball finals but was not available to officiate regional and state contests because of his commitment to Lacrosse. In 1996 Bill was inducted into the Orange High School Hall of Fame for contributions to public education and athletic officiating at all

levels. He was inducted into the Ohio chapter of Lacrosse Hall of Fame in 1996 and is still the only person ever honored in all four categories, Pioneer, Player, Coach and Official. Bill was inducted into Dennison University's athletic Hall of Fame in 1997.

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Donald L. Mason (Zanesville, WR)

Don Mason has been a certified wrestling official in the state of Ohio for 43 years. He has achieved great success in the sport including 6 OHSAA State Individual Championship assignments and five Ohio Wrestling Coaches Association dual meet state championship assignments. He has been a sectional official in all 43 years of this service and has been a district official an incredible 41 times. Don was an outstanding wrestler in his own right. He was a four-time Division III NCAA national championship qualifier and a two-time NCAA All American. Don is very active in his community of Zanesville, Ohio, receiving an award for outstanding community service by the Grand Master of all Ohio Masons in 2010. Don was inducted into the

Zanesville City Schools Hall of Fame in 2015.



Cheryl Opperman (Wellington, SB)

Cheryl Opperman had 32 years of experience as an OHSAA certified softball official and is currently in her 40th year as an OHSAA certified Girls volleyball official. Cheryl has had unparalleled success as a tournament official in softball. She has been selected for an incredible 10 OHSAA State Softball Championship assignments. She was also selected to officiate an unbelievable 21 straight OHSAA regional softball contests. Cheryl was chosen as OHSAA Softball Umpire of the Year in 2015. She served as the secretary/treasurer of the Elyria Umpires Association for 13 years. She also served on the Elyria Umpires Association executive committee as president/vice president for four years. Cheryl was a frequent contributor

to northeast district officiating serving as an assistant to Ron Knight at the annual secretary meeting. Cheryl has served her community well as a Girl Scouts of America troop leader for 10 years and a PTA president for multiple school years at New Haven Elementary School.



Michael J. Porpora (Wadsworth, SO)

Michael Porpora is in his 42nd year as a certified OHSAA soccer official. His officiating accomplishments are amazing. He has been selected for 33 OHSAA regional tournament assignments and an incredible 30 OHSAA State Soccer Tournament assignments. Michael has been the center official in 11 OHSAA State Soccer Championships, 7 state semifinals and 27 regional games. Michael is the only official to have refereed all six of the divisional State Soccer Tournament finals as a center official. He is also the youngest official to ever officiate a state OHSAA tournament game at the age of 22. Michael has been selected as the rapper Referee of the Year from the Ohio Scholastic Soccer Coaches Association-Akron district eight

times. He is a Life Member and Hall of Fame inductee for the Greater Akron Soccer Officials Association. He was also inducted into the Ohio Scholastic Soccer Coaches Association Hall of Fame in 2015.



Michael Rauch (Beverly, BK)

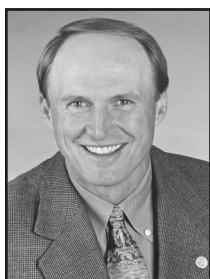
Mike Rauch has been a certified basketball official in the state of Ohio for 38 years. He has many accomplishments on the court including 2 Girls State Basketball final assignments and one Boys State Basketball final assignment. He was named the 2008-2009 District 5 Basketball Official of the Year and 2009-2010 District 12 Basketball Official of the Year. Don has received 18 OHSAA regional tournament assignments. Mike is a retired educator and has been a great mentor to his students and to young officials. One of his supporting letters said: "During my 35 years as a coach and educator, Mike Rauch truly stands out as one of the very best I have ever known."

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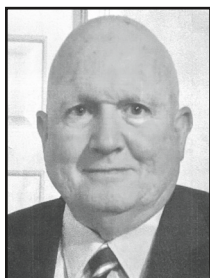
Katie Roesch (Galion, VB, TF, BK)

Katie Roesch has been a certified official for the OHSAA in multiple sports for over 30 years. She currently has 24 years of experience as a volleyball official, 20 years of experience as a track and field official and 30 years of experience as a basketball official. Katie is a member of the Mansfield Volleyball Officials Association and has served in many leadership roles including serving as the volleyball instructor as well as the rules and mechanics interpreter for the past 15 years. She has many accomplishments in each sport she has officiated. Katie has been a track official for 20 years and has officiated at both the district and regional levels of the OHSAA tournament. Katie was selected for an OHSAA Girls State Tournament officiating assignment in basketball in 2008. During Katie's 24 years as a volleyball official she has had the privilege of working in multiple postseason contests including 7 OHSAA State Volleyball assignments. Katie has spent her professional life in education and one of her supporting letters said: "For many years Katie has helped mold and shape the minds of our future leaders of this great nation."



J. Kevin Schwarzel (Athens, BK)

Kevin Schwarzel has been a certified OHSAA basketball official for over 40 years. He is known for his mentoring of younger officials and contributing to the officiating avocation in the Southeast district. Kevin is a very accomplished official and has received assignments in 11 OHSAA State Boys Basketball Championships and two OHSAA Girls State Basketball Championships. He was selected as the Ohio Basketball Official of the Year in 2014. Kevin is an accomplished football official and was assigned to many OHSAA tournament contests before he was selected for the Big Ten football officiating staff 15 years ago. One of his supporting letters said: "Kevin is always ready regardless of if it is a middle school game or the Ohio State-Michigan football game. He treats each game the same. Kevin is well respected by all the coaches, athletic administrators, and his peers in the state of Ohio."



John W. Whitson (Newark, BK, FB, BB)

John Whitson is an active certified OHSAA official in his 38th year. He is certified in the sports of baseball, basketball and football. John is an accomplished official in all three sports. He has been selected to officiate 5 OHSAA State Football Championship games, as well as receiving 3 OHSAA State Girls Basketball assignments and 6 OHSAA State Baseball assignments. John was a Big 10 girls basketball official and college baseball official for over 10 years. He has been a great contributor to his local associations, including serving as rules interpreter in all three sports. He has also been president of his local association in two different sports. John is a frequent clinician at basketball summer camps and has served as a lead instructor for baseball tournament umpires in four person mechanics. One of John's supporting letters said: "His helping train the next generation of officials has been outstanding."

OHSAA Executive Directors

1925-1944	Horace Raymond (H.R.) Townsend
1944-1958	Harold Emswiler
1958-1963	W.J. McConnell
1963-1969	Paul E. Landis
1969-1977	Harold A. Meyer
1977-1980	George D. Bates
1980-1989	Richard L. Armstrong
1990-2004	Clair Muscaro
2004-2018	Daniel B. Ross
2018-2020	Jerry Snodgrass
2020-Present	Doug Ute

OHSAA Executive Staff

Doug Ute	Executive Director
Dr. Kimberlee Kiehl	Chief Operating Officer
Bob Goldring	Director of Communications and Special Projects
Beau Rugg	Director of Officiating & Sports Management
Laura Vermilya	Controller

OHSAA Support Staff

Charles Anderson	Manager of Officiating
Kate Barnett	Sports Administrator
Monroe Britton	Sports Administrator
Molly Downard	Executive Assistant
Alexis Holderman	Membership & Compliance Administrator Assistant
Susan Javery	Senior Accountant
Maurice Jenkins	Staff Accountant
Angie Lawler	Officiating Technology Specialist
Emily Mason	Senior Sports Administrator
Kristin Ronai	Director of Compliance
Brian Timm	Vice President and General Manager, OHSAA Sports Properties
Ron Sayers	Compliance and Eligibility Specialist
Tim Stried	Director of Media Relations
Chris Walker	Production and Facilities Coordinator
Dustin Ware	Sports Administrator
Lizzy Wilson	Manager of Officiating

NFHS Officials Association Ohio Officials of the Year

Nominees must exemplify high standards of ethical conduct, moral character, officiating professionalism and carry the endorsement of their respective state high school association. They shall have made recent, significant contribution to high school officiating in Ohio.

2022/2023

Sport	Name	District
Baseball	Christopher Prokes	SW
Boys Basketball	Chase Hiles	SE
Girls Basketball	Erin Kenney-Levin	SW
Boys Cross Country	Carl Fisher	C
Girls Cross Country	Timothy Stith	NE
Field Hockey	Darcel Arrington	NE
Football	Carl Davidson	NE
Gymnastics	Kathleen McIntire	NE
Ice Hockey	Justin Phillips	NW
Boys Lacrosse	Nick Adamski	NW
Girls Lacrosse	Matthew Farthing	NW
Boys Soccer	Michael Althoff	C
Girls Soccer	Mark Kleman	NW
Softball	Gary Russell	E
Boys Swimming & Diving	Robert Meredith Jr.	SW
Girls Swimming & Diving	John "Jack" Gardner	NE
Boys Track & Field	Karen Sapp	NE
Girls Track & Field	Emily Hickerson	E
Volleyball	Sterling Kaimimoku	SW
Wrestling	Tom Martin	C

OHSAA Officials Recognized for 50 Years of Service

NAME

Richard Brooks	Brian McMichael
Patrick Chimento III	Anthony Montana
Ronald Dessecker	Gerald Narcisi
William Fieger	David Nowak
Scott Foor	Julius Palazzo
Felix Hamilton Jr.	John (Chris) Pavlik
Eunice Harrell	David Pearce
Martin Henderson	Kenneth Rockhold
Leonard Holman Jr.	Terry Roy
Gregory Lawrence	Steve Seminara
Roger Levi Jr.	William Vermillion
Bruce Maurer	Keith Walker

OHSAA Officials Recognized for 25 Years of Service

BASEBALL

Names

Charles Algier
Adam Banbury
Hugo Barajas
Teri Deal
Bob Decker
James Downerd
Daniel Duignan
Joseph Fidler
Kevin Forrer
Ken Gallo
Kevin Guess
Andrew Gum
Phillip Henzler Sr.
Dean Hord
Brian Huelskamp
Michael Jennings

Morris Jones
Richard Kees
Danial Koewler
Saul Lamovsky
Thomas Palmer
Calvin Predieri
Harry Rowe
John Sabo
Joseph Suster Jr.
Randy Thompson
James Toney
Eric Valentine
Scott Welsh
Norman Wheeler Sr.
Cyrus Wright
Raymond Wuertz

BASKETBALL

Names

Thomas Ault
John Badgley
Albert Bailey
Phil Baker
Todd Baker
Robert Beasley
Dave Benfield
Thomas Berning
Todd Bidlack
Brad Brewer
Robert Bricking
James Brown
David Callahan
Duane Campbell
Edward Cooning III
David Curley
Bill Edelburg
Rob Ehrman
Ronald Eisnaugle
Gerald Eldred II
Charles Eppinger
Rex Foster
Daryle Foxx
Mark Froelich
Ryan Glaze
Dale Golak
Gary Grycza
Michael Hampton II
Brian Harrell
Rick Haskins
Charles Johnson
Morris Jones
John Kay
Jeffrey Klepacz

Joseph Koly
David Kuntz
Bruce Lang
Richard Lindgren
Anthony Luchini
Michael Makohus
Jack Mandula
Kent Marshall
Jennifer Mayo-Long
John Mcilduff
Glenn Moberly Jr.
Travis Moser
Pat Murawa
Vickie Napierkowski
Randall Odom
Tad Page
Donald Petrosky
Stacey Ragland
David Reese
Robert Roberts
Rosalie Schneider
Jon Siler
Joe Sims
Greg Spiess
Greg Strickland
Randy Swartz
Lorenzo Toney
Kevin Toth
Thomas Vasiloff
John Vome
Dean Washington
Clayton Weaver
Ronald Wilson

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FOOTBALL

Names

Robert Beasley
Ronald Book
James Brown
David Christensen
Todd Dolwick
Louis Donohue
Ronald Durbin
Daniel Farrar
Douglas Glass
Anthony Hattery
Thomas Holbrook
Mark Ivey
Richard Kees
Don Kemper
Kris Lowdermilk
John Mcilduff
Kenneth Mills

Ted Morse
Thomas Muellauer
Kristopher Myers
Gene Myers
Eddie Norrils
Rex Pierce
William Posey
George Preston
Mark Prysi
Joseph Raschilla
Josh Riley
Richard Stoudt
Brian Swope
Ryan Walters
Rolly Weber
Will Wright

GYMNASTICS

Names

Christina Andres
Jill Skulich

Katherine Smigel

SOCCER

Names

Brice Abbott
Joseph Adinaro
Dennis Badgerow
Rhonda Bellman
Jamie Bialecki
Douglas Billerman
Cheri Clifford
J Darr
Ruchelle Dunwoody
Ted Dyckman
Gary Fornnarino
Roger Foster
Matthew Gasser
Mary Gentile
Rock Gilbert
Karen Gilbert
Ben Heflick
Ray Heidecker

Bernard Hensley
Edward Jarus Jr.
Robert Kaschner
Thomas Lamancusa
Duane Larason
Ben Manlou
Paul Marovich
Gary Mason
Jodie Miles
Aaron Mitchell
Ryan Neff
John Osolin
Ronald Perry
William Sansom
Mark Steedly
Stephanie Stirm
Sharon Van Heck
John Welz

SOFTBALL

Names

Charles Algier
Gus Bunnell
Kenneth Cowell
Bob Decker

Linda Lindeman
Duane May
Edwin Niec
Jeff Overmyer

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SOFTBALL - continued

Jon Derryberry	Calvin Predieri
Michael Dorbish	John Sabo
Dennis Farmer	Jeffery Saunders
Ken Gallo	Joseph Suster Jr.
Tom Hathaway	Timothy Thompson
Phillip Henzler Sr.	James Toney
Mark Hetrick	Donald Trell
Dean Hord	Eric Valentine
Loren Kennedy	Norman Wheeler Sr.
	Raymond Wuertz

SWIMMING & DIVING

Names

Kevin Carmony	Steven Sheblessy
Daniel Mergy	

TRACK & FIELD

Names

Chip Allman	Trina Hagemyer
James Bechtel	Joe Heintzman
Bruce Benedict	Bennie Jones
Rob Conklin	Keith Madaras
Steven Crago	Todd Metzendorf
Larry Dellosa	Brian Stephens
William Goebel	Wayne Wineland

WRESTLING

Names

James Boston	Randy Seymour
Joseph Hrabak	Gary Wilson
Hugo Barajas	Larry Harding
William Dawson	Charlie Hardman
Chris Detray	Jeff Lorence
Joseph Dusseau II	Bradley Potter
David Friend	Antonio Spallino



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Don Bachman
Carel Cosby
Fred Dafler
Norman Kies
Jack McLain

James Allen
Jordan Besozzi
Glen Hursey
James Oberlander
Bob Overly

Frank Allen Deuschle
Sam V. DiBlasi
Robert Richard Diller
Sam Fausto
Kenneth W. Fox

Thomas N. Ballaban
Allan Berger
Carolyn Ann Bowers
Frederick E. Cope
Merlin S. Eidemiller

Charles H. (Charlie) Bennett
Gene Bennett
Bobby Christian
Owen Donahue
Warren H. Jones

Ronald Althoff
Robert W. Brown, Jr.
Howard Cross
Hy Davis
Ron Duncan

James Bline
Kermit A. Blosser
William B. Bruno
Donald Dartt
Jerry Fick
Carl A. Hamill

1989

Bill Newman
Joe Pangrazio
A.H. (Jack) Rhoads
Fred Vicarel
Howard Wirtz

1990

Horace Rainsberger
Harold Rolph
Evan Reese
George Wilson

1991

Donald G. Mack
James J. Mains, Jr.
C. Mel McAfee
Clarence (Pat) McMillin
Ginny Lee Powers

1992

Frank D. (Dick) Hyland
A.J. (Tony) Montonaro
Joseph A. Romano
Allen F. Veigel
Donald N. Welsh

1993

Anthony L. Mieczkowski
Charles (Mike) Mileusnich
Don Rushing
Glenn Sample
Irvin (Bud) Shopbell

1994

Chalmer G. Hixson
Robert Morrison
Octavio (Tubby) Sirgo
Lewis William Spurrier
Joseph Blair Yanity, Jr.

1995

George Hamrick
Tim Murray
Orlando (Ray) Payne
Ken Roll
Roger Sowers
Jack Wilhelm

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1996

Joseph Beyerle
William Bradish
Michael Butch
James Cameron
Jack Collins
Simeon Earich

Glenn Halm
C. Gary Hill
Louis Uher
L. Dale Van Tine
Larry Williamson
Howard Wittenburg

1997

Chester M. DeStefano
Charles Trafford Dick
Brenton S. Kirk, Jr.
Ralph (Junie) Knaup
David Leightenheimer
Vincent Matteucci

William Don Morrison
Donald P. Rinker
Patricia M. Ryan
William E. Stanton
Donald Steinke
Lawrence (Wheaties) Whalen

1998

Angelo A. Candela
Eugene Cowgill
Ronald Eugene Giacomo
John Jay Jones
Paul Raymond King
Thomas Joe Lamb

John C. Nese
Donald L. Pierce
Theodore Michael Riggle
John Shelton
Walter A. Zimmerman

1999

Wilbur L. Booth
William A. Cook
James Eugene Daffler
John Dickerson
Virginia Lee Edwards
Donald E. Fowler, Sr.

Robert E. Hartman
Steve Kish, Jr.
Donald R. Miller
Edward C. Miltko
Joe Swarts
Ralph T. Young

2000

Ronald L. Apperson
James L. Dunkle
Lawrence (Pete) Fields
Robert L. Jones
Richard Leidig
Helen A. Ludwig

Roger Parramore
Mildred R. Schwab
Andrea F. Stuck
Richard L. Woolison
Ernie V. Yerkey

2001

Michael Burbridge
Bob Curry
Robert Haskins
Don Schirmer

Roy Stoneker
Bill Smith
James (Snuffy) Smith
Charles Troike

2002

Robert Alston
Al Amicone
Harold W. Cook
James L. Craig, Sr.
Merle Dutt
Roger L. Hosler

Thomas M. Maloney
Domenic (Nick) Ruggiero
E. Dale VanHoose
Alfred J. Ward
Maralyn West

2003

Rhonda Funkhouser
Robert Guthrie, Jr.
Bernie Harris
Fred Heinlen
John Howell
Wendell Miller

Kirt Rockel
Vern Smith
Leo Stiger
Donis Toler, Sr.
James VanDeGrift
Thomas Venditelli

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2004

Ronald Borden
John Campbell
Larry Deaton
Richard Doty
Ronald Knight
Robert E. Morgan

Richard Robinson
James Rolfes
Robert M. Sagers, Sr.
George Strauthers
James Vreeland
W. Frank Westall

2005

Wendell (Butch) Burbridge
William R. Cox
Louise M. Drummond
Louis J. Galiardi
Edward A. Galloway
Marion (Bud) Giannetto
Sue Grady

Philip J. Kiser
Roger L. Merb
David L. Parson
Barbara A. Prots
Bernadine M. Reinhardt
Donald E. Wright

2006

Leonard Batcha
Dr. Phil Davidson
Bill Fyffe
Tom Graham
Warner Haag
Rick Houseman

Charles Rest
Glenn Ritzenthaler
Dan Ross
Don Schneider
Jack Timmons
Theresa Ulrich

2007

Randy J. Bachman
John Bruggenmeier
Clyde (Pog) Ervin
Patrick C. Havens
Fred P. Heyer
Kyle McNeely

Robert Ray Montgomery
James A. Pepperney, Jr.
Daniel J. Steiner
M. Kelly Whelan
Bryan Keith Wilson
Henry Zaborniak, Jr.

2008

Richard Armstrong
Wendell Babson
Michael J. Coyne
Ron Dessecker
Joe Duncan
David Jones
Charles Lemaster

Roger Levi
Lyle "Joe" McWilliams
Ronald Miller
Dean Purdy
Wayne J. Roller
Gene Scruggs
Jerry Sulecki

2009

John Brown
Alan B. Corwin
Daniel J. Drummond
David M. Kearney
William F. Klamo
John Mang

Dennis E. Morris
Julius M. Palazzo
Diane Plas
Bruce Seabrook
William J. Sopchak
Gary Wright

2010

Linda A. Cairney
K. Andrew Cross
Richard D. Jago
Clair Muscaro
Richard L. Nowak
Samuel M. Radel
Ronald R. Reed

Buehl Roach
Michael Sharkey
Gary E. Switzer
John F. Tipton
Bruce E. Varner
Keith R. Walker
Charles D. West

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2011

Pegi A. Bannan
Ted Dageford
Ronald G. Davis
Edward S. Dohanos
Lowell L. Everingham
John M. Jackson

Jordan G. Kareklas
Robert E. Mansfield
Scott A. Moore
Cynthia L. Saling
Gordon J. Schutt
Eric L. Shroyer

2012

Joe Abernathy
Neal B. Charske
Cynthia Czarny
James H. Desmond
Howard Eckert
George F. Hardesty
Warren L. Hood

Daniel J. Koterba
Beverly R. Little
Bruce Maurer
Glen Schmidt
Lyle J. Smith
Robert H. Spangler
Michael R. Wolf

2013

William Alford II
Robert Bradford
Stamatis Bulugaris
Mel Carter
Walter Ersing
John Hirzel Jr.

William E. Recinella
Larry Teeters
Ray Vaughn
William C. Wirick
Lawrence A. Wolf

2014

Timothy C. Ahart
Tom Burton
Jeffrey G. Diosi
Bonell "Barney" Ellis
Keith Fisher
Phil Garcia
Samuel R. Gomer
James R. Heller

John C. Keener
Linda Jarvis Kochan
David L. May
David W. Nash
Danner M. "Beau" Rugg
Steven L. Trout
Kimberly Stopher Zaborniak

2015

Robert Peterfish
Kenneth Kaiser
Brian Spangler
Marie Anthony
Sue Sheck
Dolores Billhardt
Melvin Staats

Eugene Wodzisz
Joseph Grimes Jr.
Bryan Reamsnyder
John Gurney
Pat Porter
Galen Harris
Elizabeth Van Tine

2016

Raymond T. Anthony
Larry Clemmons
Paul "Doug" Davis
Thomas J. Gardner
Rick R. Haddix
Kim A. Lance
Frederick J. Mamarella
Lovell McKee

Thomas E. McNerlin
Ronald Oaklief
Louis A. Peake
Terry L. Roy
Bobby Sagers
Michael E. Stockner
Richard D. Termeer

2017

Lee G. Barlow
Fred Beekman
James Berry
John J. Crispino
John Derrow
Mark A. Diller
Joyce Garn

Robert A. Graf
Van Parks
Russell D. Pitts
Tom Toohig
Bob Von Kaenel
Jack Winters

OHSAA Officials Hall Of Fame- *Continued*

2018

Henry Armstead
Daniel Barringer
Thomas Bechtel
Rick Crislip
Jeffrey Crosby
Tim Gebhardt
Michael Harbison

Thomas Henson
Billy Holland
Kenneth Katafias
Ed Oberlander
James O'Donnell
Jon Sagers
Karol Warden

2019

Gene Bess
Malt Brown
Michael Cihon
Toby Dunlap
Dale Gabor
Deborah Gentile
Bernard Hensley

Philip Horvath
Robert Juliano
Steven Long
Bob Meuleman
Anthony Montana
Jean Porter
Rolly Weber

2021

Larry Black
Robert Brammer
Truman Claytor
Don Giffin
Don Green
George Gulas
Mark King
Tony Lingardo

Richard Loewenstine
Ken Myers
Danny Oates
Michael Poole
Harry Robinson
Michael Vaschak
John Vicarel

2022

Doug Ayers
Brian Carder
Dee Clay
Carl Davidson
Rick Delaney
Frank Grubb
Butch Minkemeyer

Ken Rockhold
Larry Saxton
Pam Stewart Delaney
Steve Thomas
Scott Welker
Brian Wisner

2023

Rick Bayless
Dave Campbell
Phil Colflesh
Charles "Ron" Golemon
Andrew Holloman
Carl Jordan Sr.
Bill Mason

Donald Mason
Cheryl Opperman
Michael Porpora
Michael Rauch
Katie Roesch
Kevin Schwarzel
John Whitson

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Baseball

Rich Allton
 Bart Andrews
 Graig Bachman
 Jeff Bailey
 Scott Barr
 Jeffrey Baughman
 Gartrell Bentley
 Bobby Bolin
 Kevin Brown
 Matt Carson
 Chet Cooper
 John Craig
 Eddie Deemer
 Robert Deems
 Rudy Denius
 Marvin Doyle
 Garret Drumm
 Dave Duarte
 Todd Dunlap
 Ron Fuller
 Jeff Gorsuch
 Sean Hanley
 Adam Harrel
 Brian Harrell
 Truman Hash
 David Henry
 Thomas Karabin
 Jeff Keckler
 Kerry Kemp
 Steve Kirby
 Matthew Kleiner
 Damon Koverman
 Jered Lawhorn
 Chris Madigan
 Donald Madzia
 Daniel McGinnis
 David McGinnis
 Joshua McNalley
 John Miklus
 Jay Moran
 Andrew Nash
 David O'Donnell
 Brandon Polutnik
 Richard Quintrell
 Ryan Schumacher
 Randy Shellabarger
 Ryan Thompson
 Jason Vein

Basketball – Boys

Joseph Allen
 Ron Banc
 Brett Barnes
 Kevin Birkofer
 Ron Black
 Andre' Bumpus
 Scott Bunting
 Travis Burwell
 Steve DeRoads
 Paul Filippi
 Peyton Forrer

Dan Frank
 Ashraf Greene
 Chase Hiles
 Joseph Jasin
 Kurt Leber
 Kindric Link
 Adam Loudin
 Steven McCray
 Ryan McCurley
 Kevin Milligan
 Garrett Mitchell
 Greg Mock
 Matthew Moser
 Keith Moyer
 Chris Nelson
 Randall Patterson
 Aaron Phillips
 Don Reis
 Charlie Ridenour
 Gregg Ryder
 Nick Schmidt
 Tyson Schnitkey
 Kurt Schooley
 Kevin Schwarzel
 Jacob Sell
 Benjamin Szmigielski
 Allen Thigpen
 Derek Walton

Basketball – Girls

Irshad Bannister
 Brian Bennett
 Craig Berry
 Terry Bogard
 Austin Cape
 Ruben Davila
 Monique Davis
 Jose Davis
 Marilyn De Walt
 Cullen Desantis
 Nichole Diguilio
 Byron Edwards
 Monica England
 Kristopher Estes
 Jason Fraley
 Mallorie Griffith
 Daniel Holland
 Joel Jancsura
 Hanna Keller
 Erin Kenney-Levin
 Kenneth Krebs Jr.
 Sean Kummer
 April Largent
 Charlene Lybbert
 Rick Macer
 Nate Mailach
 Kyle Maust
 Daniel Palmer
 Robert Pullie
 Sarah Rambo
 Markita Roberts
 Chris Sarris

Kent Saunders
 Charles Scott
 April Simmons
 Nicholas Swink
 Steve Tabar
 Clarissa Wallace
 Dylan Woods

Cross Country

Gretchen Acker
 Jim Baumer
 Bruce Benedict
 Rick Campbell
 Cory Campbell
 Wayne Cartwright
 Neal Charske
 Howard Clafin
 Paula Coder
 Jim Fedor
 Jim Fox
 Mike Galleher
 Doug Gilbert
 Harold Grice
 Kim Haddix
 Emily Hickerson
 Sharon Hikade
 Mariah Hohman
 Roger Hosler
 Steven Jones
 Pat Julian
 Robert Kirkpatrick
 Amy Kramer
 Steven Lair
 Tony Longino-Thomas
 Bridget Longino-Thomas
 Kip Mansfield
 Ed Miller
 Andrew Morfier
 Brett Neff
 Doug O'Brien
 Jeff O'Brien
 Susan Pete
 Kurt Plouck
 William Reed
 Dennis Sabo
 Timothy Stith
 Andrea Susil-Williams
 Daniel Weaver

Field Hockey

Darcell Arrington
 Lissa Fickert
 William Gardiner
 TJ Harris
 Vera Johnson
 Linda Kochan
 Antwyan Reynolds
 Christin Weyn

Football

Jeffrey Abshire
 Charles Anderson
 Jason Arthur
 Bruce Bame
 Rick Barnes
 Chris Beckstedt
 Christopher Bentley
 Bobby Bolin
 Ryan Bowers
 Adam Brenner
 Scott Bunting
 Chris Burns
 Sean Burns
 Justin Burton
 Mark Cisco
 Jeff Clere
 Randy Clouser
 Rennie Cousineau
 Brian Crummie
 Michael Dame
 Jarrode Davis
 Matthew Despoth
 Brady Ditullio
 Bruce Durwald II
 Joe Facciolo
 Michael Filkins
 Joshua Fritz
 Gary Garnet
 Steve Gerber
 Jeffrey Gerken
 Tom Gibbons
 Kyle Gilmore
 Jeff Gorsuch
 Frank Grubb
 Truman Hash
 Donald Hazelwood
 Shawn Isaac
 Samuel Johns II
 Nathan Jones
 Tony Jordan
 Ben Jordan-Downs
 Kevin Katafias
 Mark Keller
 Hanna Keller
 Kerry Kemp
 Andrew Keppeler
 Jeff Klaus
 Matthew Kleiner
 Damon Koverman
 Craig Kremer
 Doug Kruthaupt
 Mark Kuhn
 Nathan Leigh
 Kris Lowdermilk
 Rick Macer
 Tim Maddocks
 John Mandula
 Justin McCulla
 Zac Metzger
 Patrick Montana
 Brady Mullholand
 Daniel Palmer

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Patrick Parry
 Bill Pelka
 Jeffrey Rase
 Lance Rice
 Richard (Rocky) Neale
 Joe Roth
 Nathan Saintignon
 Brian Samborsky
 Kurt Schooley
 Brian Shade
 Joseph Shaw
 Andrew Stage
 Bobby Starks
 Morgan Stevens
 Scot Sturgill
 Brian Swope
 Kevin Szink
 Bruce Thompson
 Joe Vulpio
 John Wellbrock
 Marcus Wright
 Henry Zaborniak

Gymnastics

Christina Andres
 Lori Basinger
 Jo Ann Borda
 Melissa Chung
 Rebecca Cox
 Jane Droese
 Barbara Giulivo
 Jennifer Hellmich
 Crystal Holt
 Michele Hoyle
 Maxine Matovic
 Kathleen McIntire
 Michele Reinitz
 Julie Scheiner
 Jill Skulich
 Katherine Smigiel
 Shannon Snare
 James Wickham
 Megan Will
 Callie Yensen

Ice Hockey

Ed Bielecki
 Gui Bradshaw
 Brain Helpren
 Joe Hrabak
 Steven James
 Adam Kieffer
 Paul Miller
 Greg Pattinson
 James Reagan
 Neal Rivera
 Gary Wilkins

Lacrosse – Boys

Nick Adamski
 John Berger

Rob Beyer
 Peter Bluvo
 Zach Bolt
 Kyle Closen
 Jeffrey Csank
 Dave Durecki
 Paul Emerson
 Les Gregg
 Kevin Jackson
 Michael Klever
 Mikael Lundqvist
 Tom Muellauer
 Brady Ollier
 Mark Osika
 Alan Rill
 Steve Ruddy
 Frank Scardena
 Daniel Steingraber II
 Bill Stover
 Stephen Traxler
 Ty Wilkinson
 Christopher Worm

Lacrosse – Girls

Bill Andrews
 Kelly Brehauer
 Bill Cain
 Jessica Cemate
 Steve Denish
 Lissa Fickert
 Evalyn Hammonds
 Jesse Hunt
 John Hunt
 Kathy Jirus
 Joe Montello
 Brad Murphy
 Gary Ostkar
 Ashley Packer
 Antwyan Reynolds
 Natalie Stellini
 Ashley Stewart
 Brett Wane

Soccer – Boys

Zenel Alushi
 Jim Antes
 Brian Apwisch
 Corey Artim
 Saki Atsas
 Gerrod Bede
 Jeffrey Bickley
 Douglas Billerman
 Chuck Burns
 Randy Clark
 Dave Davidson
 Eric Deken
 Frank Dunne
 Aaron Fong
 Rodolfo Garcia
 David Habib
 Jeffrey Holmes
 Robert Hope

Tred Hurst
 Bobby Johnson
 John Kipp
 Robert Krauss
 Britton Maier
 Joseph Malactaris
 Dan Marshall
 Dusty Matthews
 Ken McMahon
 Michael Meadows
 Alex Ottavio
 Douglas Palomaki
 Michael Porpora
 James Potter
 Catherine Rau-
 Niekamp
 Michael Rebholz
 Bill Roth
 Fernando Sanabria
 Maggie Short
 Kurt Stewart
 Mike Weihrauch
 Ric Welker
 Jeffrey Williams

Soccer – Girls

Kevin Allen
 Mike Althoff
 Bryan Asp
 Bill Astalos
 George Balasko
 Zachary Bastin
 Jeff Bauer
 Archibald Beare
 Adam Becker
 Neal Braun
 Tim Cable
 Joe Campolongo
 Stephen Castro
 Cheri Clifford
 Cory Cusmano
 Chidi Ekechi
 Tammy Gillogly
 Bob Glaser
 Chris Harrison
 Christoher Hedrick
 Matthew Hooper
 Dennis James
 Ibrahim Kassem
 Mark Kleman
 Greg Kuehnle
 Bryan Lobdell
 Steve Maples
 Roy Miller
 Huy Nguyen
 Ralph Salzer
 Eric Saterfield
 Craig Semene
 Julie Sheehy
 Ross Snodgrass
 Daniel Thurmond
 Eric Timmons

Izaak Vanderschel
 Kevin Wagner
 Steve Wetzel
 Steven Wootton

Softball

Darin Alexander
 Steve Badertscher
 Judd Baker
 D Justin Barzak
 Eric Bender
 Ariana Bowles
 Jeff Bowman
 Dan Carnahan
 Nathan Carroll
 Wendell Caulley
 Cindy Comyns
 Rebecca Cooper
 Michael Curtin
 Darin Desender
 Timothy Easterling
 Danita Fick
 Deanne Finkel
 Kyle Ford
 Eric Garber
 Terrell Guidry
 Carl Hamilton
 Steve Hartman
 Chuck Hawsman
 Scott Helberg
 Bernard Hensley
 Dan Hodous
 Maria Hottinger
 Kim Johnson
 Lynn Johnson
 Mark McDonald
 Rick Merb
 Steve Meyer
 Anthony Montana
 Dana Motter
 Jerry Norris
 Kevin Oser
 Jeff Overmyer
 Earl Pugh
 James Reneau
 Edwin Roberts
 Pamela Schultz
 Anthony Sheets
 Max Smeltzer
 Ken Stillwagon
 Eric Stinehelfer
 Kevin Stubbins
 Barry Tolchin
 Michael Young

Swimming & Diving

Sharon Badertscher
 Pat Benanzer
 Pam Birnrich
 Branden Burns
 Kevin Carmony
 Scott Ferrell

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Jack Gardner
 Carol Guibord
 Mark Hall
 Sean Halpin
 Tim Handler
 Hal Hawk
 Ashley Johnson
 Chad Jones
 Bob Martens
 Steve Mayo
 Jay McMillen
 Tracy Nottage
 Chris Paolini
 Todd Pelok
 Jim Rice
 Brian Robson
 Mike Rossi
 Bradley Snow
 Mary Kay Taylor
 Scott Tengen
 Kat Torok
 Bruce Treadway
 R.J. Van Almen
 Bill Walker
 John Wise

Track & Field

Gretchen Acker
 David Ahner
 Robert Almen
 Andris Baltputnis
 James Baumer
 Michael Beam
 Bruce Benedict
 Jamie Bialecki
 Gail Bowers
 William Bretz
 Louis Brown
 Rick Campbell
 Stephen Canby
 Shari Caslin
 Neal Charske
 Les Chih
 Philip Cloud
 Daniel Collier
 Marty Dahlman
 Brandon Darling
 Larry Dellosa
 Roger Edsinger
 Christopher Farroni
 Wayne Ferne
 Michael Fisher
 James Fox

Krista Frimel
 Michael Galleher
 Julie Gauvreau
 Douglas Gilbert
 Joe Gilbert
 Donald Groubert
 Robert Houdson
 Paul Hollern
 Roger Hosler
 Cynthia Hotaling
 Paul Hulea
 Steven Hurlay
 Margie Iagulli
 Ed Katzman
 Robert Kirkpatrick
 Kent Lamberson
 Patricia Loveland
 Kristopher Marshall
 Brian Martin
 Karen McKeehan
 Sid McMahon
 David Meuleman
 David Milkovich
 Patty Mitchell
 Tony Mollica
 Deb Molnar
 Tyrone Morris
 Gary Muckenthaler
 Michael Nissenbaum
 Doug O'Brien
 Phillip Pillin
 Jeffrey Polhemus
 William Reed
 Sue Roth
 Dennis Sabo
 Daniel Sabo
 Jay Salvage
 Glen Smith
 Bridgette Thomas
 Terri Tutt
 Ray Wasson
 Ronald Weaver
 Sharon Wiegand
 Susan Williams
 Lois Wright

Volleyball – Boys

Mary Black
 Troy Deneffeld
 Robert Deuber
 Diane Elliott
 Robert Fenn II
 Lori Franceson

Tom Hensley
 Michael Herceg
 Anthony Hines
 Cortney Hoch
 Sterling Kaimimoku
 Jeff Kline
 Daniel Litteral
 Jared Malott
 Jim Malott
 David McCray
 Michael Merz
 Chris Miller
 Gary Ostkar
 Dean Roble
 Katie Wagner
 Lawrence Walden Jr.
 Brian Washburn
 Shane White

Volleyball – Girls

David Barnes
 Robert Blevins
 Michael Chandler
 Greg Chesonis
 Keith Cooley
 Denise Dilsaver
 Robert Fenn
 Tim Hallauer
 Jim Hammar
 Roger Heffner
 Shelby Hitchens
 Lisa Horner
 Mark Horton
 Jeff Kline
 Anne L'Heureux
 Jared Malott
 Ken McClain
 Kris McConahy
 Mike Merz
 Scott Mooney
 Gary Ostkar
 Allen Radlinski
 Theresa Rice
 Lisa Sanders
 Brian Saterfield
 Davina Stiles
 Kimberly Tolin
 Katie Wagner
 Lawrence Walden
 John Welz
 Shane White
 Elizabeth Zicha

Wrestling

Braun Alexander
 Hugo Barajas
 Jeff Bowman
 Troy Cameron
 Tim Cameron
 Rich Carpenter
 Issac (Paul) Coffland
 David Detec
 Gerry Glowik
 Craig Heidinger
 Jeff Lorence
 Ryan Legg
 Larry Leggett
 Jeff Lorence
 Brian Lowery
 Tom Martin
 Todd Mowrer
 D Scott Myers
 Ronald Nieset
 Mark Schutte
 Brian Siler
 Jeffrey Simons
 Elliott Spence
 Morgan Stanley
 Kurt Stewart
 Kelly Stillman
 Tony Trent
 Dennie Uhl
 Todd Victor
 Tim Wadian
 Darren Wikel

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