

Rensselaer Athletic Hall of Fame

Rensselaer Central High School is grateful to the dedication of the following athletes, coaches and teachers for the service that they have provided in their respective fields. This dedication awards them the highest distinction of being members of the Rensselaer Athletic Hall of Fame.

- ANDERSON, Jeff**—Class of 1978
(Football & Wrestling)
- ANDERSON, Scott**—Class of 1977
(Swimming & Diving)
- ARNOTT, Lawrence F.**—Class of 1928
(Basketball & Track)
- BABCOCK, James**—Class of 1915
(3-Sport Athlete)
- BAHLER, Charles R.**—Class of 1949
(Football, Basketball)
- BAHLER, Glenn**—Class of 1947
(Basketball, Football)
- BAUSMAN, Gordon**—Class of 1936
(Track, Basketball, Football)
- BAUSMAN, William E. (Slim)**
(Coach 1934-1943)
- BEAVER, Dr. Ernest**—Class of 1934
(Golf)
- BEAVER, Missy**—Class of 1993
(Golf, Basketball)
- BOWMAN, Norman "Bud"**—Class of 1939
(Basketball & Track)
- BRAASCH, Bill**—Class of 1974
(Football, Basketball & Track)
- BRANDENBURG, Dan**—Class of 1991
(Football, Track & Basketball)
- BRANDENBURG, Jeff**—Class of 1990
(Track)
- BRANDENBURG, Steve**—Class of 1959
(Track, Football & Basketball)
- BROWN, Nathan**—Class of 1993
(Football & Swimming)
- BROWN, Charles "Chuck"**—Class of 1952
(Football & Track)
- BROWN, Richard "Dick"**—Class of 1958
(Football, Basketball & Track)
- BURVAN, Joe**
(Coach 1967-1995)
- CAIN, J. C. "Butch"**—Class of 1959
(Football & Basketball)
- CAREY, Kelly (Mirken)**—Class of 1987
(Volleyball, Basketball & Track)
- CHAPMAN, Jacob**—Class of 1992
(Basketball & Baseball)
- CLARK, Howard "Lefty"**
(Sports writer, 45 years)
- CLOUSE, George**—Class of 1955
(Track, Football & Basketball)
- DAVISSON, Terry**—Class of 1961
(Football)
- DAVISSON, Hugh**
(Coach, 1934-1960)
- DAY, David**—Class of 1957
(Football, Basketball & Track)
- DEWEES, Brad**—Class of 1978
(Football, Basketball & Track)
- DEWEES, Dale**—Class of 1955
(Football, Basketball & Track)
- DUNBAR, Jackie**—Class of 1995
(Track, Volleyball & Basketball)
- EDMONDS, Edward Gene**
(Coach since 1960)
- EDMONDS, Larry**—Class of 1969
(Football, Basketball & Track)
- EIGELSBACH, William**—Class of 1915
(Football)
- EPLER, Dan**—Class of 1967
(Football)
- FENWICK, Ronald F.**—Class of 1969
(Basketball)
- FREDERICK, Addrian**—Class of 2006
(Baseball, Basketball & Football)
- GOURLEY, Leonard**—Class of 1918
(Football)
- HAMACHER, Dale**—Class of 1960
(Football, Basketball & Track)
- HANIFORD, Earl III**—Class of 1967
(Football)
- HARMON, Harold**—Class of 1922
(Football, Basketball, Track)
- HARRISON, Emory**
(Coach 1921-1929-1943-1966)
- HAYES, Robert**—Class of 1951
(Football & Basketball)
- HICKMAN, Dan**—Class of 1984
(Football, Basketball & Baseball)
- HOOKE, Ryan**—Class of 1993
(Basketball, Football, Golf & Baseball)
- JENNINGS, Heather (Kahn)**—Class of 1978
(Swimming)
- KANNE, Reagan (Collins)**—Class of 2006
(Volleyball, Basketball & Track)
- KANNE, Robert**—Class of 1940
(Football)
- KELLY, Stephanie**—Class of 1984
(Cross Country, Basketball & Track)
- KIGER, Jacob**—Class of 1960
(Football, Basketball & Track)
- KOEBCKE, Julie**—Class of 1991
(Track, Volleyball & Basketball)
- KRESLER, Frank "Hank"**—Class of 1934
(Football, Basketball & Track)
- LINTNER, Greg**—Class of 1970
(Football, Basketball & Track)
- LUCERO, Scott**—Class of 1983
(Wrestling & Football)
- LUECKE, Michelle (Carter)**—Class of 1987
(Track)
- LUERS, Susan M. (Nail)**—Class of 1979
(Volleyball, Basketball & Track)
- McGRAW, Erin (Gehring)**—Class of 1995
(Golf)
- MALONE, Allison**—Class of 2007
(Cross Country, Basketball & Track)
- MAU, Gary**—Class of 1955
(Football)
- MERRIMAN, Kelly (Elijah)**—Class of 1984
(Swimming & Track)
- MESSMAN, Nancy**
(Coach 1972-2005)
- MOON, Mike**—Class of 1985
(Wrestling, Baseball & Cross Country)
- MOON, Tom**—Class of 1977
(Football, Wrestling & Golf)
- MORTON, Bill**—Class of 1966
(Football & Track)
- ODLE, Sam (Eldridge)**—Class of 1988
(Volleyball, Basketball & Track)
- OGLE, Dan**—Class of 1980
(Cross Country, Basketball & Track)
- OGLE, William**—Class of 1951
(Cross Country, Basketball & Track)
- OLIVER, James**—Class of 1998
(Football & Wrestling)
- PASS, Curtis**—Class of 1957
(Football, Basketball & Track)
- PFLIEDDERER, Keith**—Class of 1958
(Basketball, Football & Track)
- POST, Brian**—Class of 1996
(Basketball & Golf)
- POST, Jason**—Class of 1985
(Swimming & Golf)
- RAFFERTY, John**—Class of 1992
(Cross Country & Track)
- RILEY, Harry**—Class of 1949
(Football & Basketball)
- RISTAU, Edward**—Class of 1956
(Track, Basketball & Football)
- SCHARF, Richard**—Class of 1959
(Football, Basketball & Track)
- SCHMIDT, Edward "Joe"**—Class of 1938
(Football, Basketball & Track)
- SHOUP, Ken**—Class of 1947
(Track, Football & Basketball)
- SIDEREWICZ, Bill**
(Coach 1965-1969)
- SMITH, Harold**—Class of 1953
(Football, Basketball & Track)
- STEFANICH, Richard**
(RCHS Golf Coach & Teacher)
- STEFANICH, Laura (Gray)**—Class of 1990
(Golf)
- STEINKE, John William**—Class of 1963
(Football, Basketball & Track)
- SPENCE, Grandon**—Class of 1996
(Swimming & Football)
- SUTHERLAND, Ned**—Class of 1952
(Football & Basketball)
- SWAN, Clint**—Class of 1991
(Basketball)
- SWEENEY, Elmer**—Class of 1922
(Track)
- TONNER, Jeffrey J.**—Class of 1973
(Football, Basketball, Golf & Track)
- TRUDEAU, Elmo**—Class of 1940
(Football)
- TUDOR, Denver**—Class of 1929
(Football)
- TWEEDIE, Don**—Class of 1965
(Basketball)
- WAGGONER, Todd**—Class of 1982
(Basketball & Baseball)
- WAYMOUTH, Don**—Class of 1949
(Football)
- WEBB, Colt**—Class of 1993
(Football, Track, Basketball & Wrestling)
- WILCOX, Toby**—Class of 1979
(Swimming & Golf)
- WILCOX, Tom**—Class of 1928
(Football)
- WILES, Robert**—Class of 1941
(Basketball)
- WILES, Shirley**—Class of 1973
(Basketball & Volleyball-Player, Coach)
- WOOD, Linda (Kaufman)**—Class of 1979
(Volleyball, Basketball & Track)
- WUERTHNER, Rex**—Class of 1954
(Football, Basketball & Track)
- YEOMAN, David J.**—Class of 1970
(Football)
- YEOMAN, Wally**—Class of 1953
(Football)
- ZIMMER, Ben**—Class of 1998
(Cross Country, Swimming & Track)

The inception of the Rensselaer Athletic Hall of Fame was initiated through discussion with Rensselaer Central High School athletes and coaches. This idea was set as a priority for the 1982-83 school year, and the idea became a reality with the induction of ten members to the Rensselaer Athletic Hall of Fame on February 4, 1983.