

# Adult Achievement/Recognition Awards

## Hall of Fame

### I. Purpose

The purpose of the Hall of Fame is to help preserve the heritage of high school activities in Idaho by honoring individuals who have dedicated many years to Idaho high school activities and have excelled through meritorious service and/or superior achievement.

### II. Hall of Fame Eligibility

Nominees shall include individuals who through distinguished achievement have excelled in high school sports and/or activities sponsored by the IHSAA. Nominees will be judged on their significant, long-term contributions. These individuals may include:

- a. Administrators (school and district)
- b. Coaches / Directors of IHSAA activities
- c. Certified officials
- d. School Trustees
- e. Athletic Trainers
- f. Former student - participants
- g. Boosters (community leaders, sponsors, team doctors, etc.)
- h. Sportswriters and broadcasters

Nominees (a) through (e) must have served for at least twenty-five years and be retired. Nominees (f) must have been graduated from high school for at least twenty-five years.

### III. Selection Procedure for Hall of Fame

- a. Nominations: Nominations will be solicited from district Boards of Control and member schools and will be accepted from other sources within the educational community. Nominations are due by November 15. Applications will be sent to all nominees and must be returned to the IHSAA office by January 1 to be considered for the current year. Nominations will remain active for three years after which time they may be renewed.
- b. Selection: A screening committee from the IHSAA Board of Directors will recommend up to ten finalists to the full Board at their January meeting. Finalists' applications will be independently reviewed and rated by at least twelve anonymous selectors from across the state. Final selection of inductees will be made at the April Board of Directors meeting.

### IV. Memorial Awards

- a. Dick Fleischmann Memorial Award (est. 1986) This award is given to an individual who demonstrates expertise and superior effort in conducting IHSAA tournaments / festivals.
- b. Wes Lowe Memorial Award (est. 1986) This award is given to an individual who teaches high principles by example and who considers students' well being above personal gain.
- c. Duane D. Wolfe Memorial Award (est. 1993) This award is given to an individual or business who has been an IHSAA contributor for at least ten years. Support may be financial or service.
- d. Nominations: Nominations will be solicited from district Boards of Control and member schools. Nominations are due by January 15. Applications will be sent to all nominees and must be returned to the IHSAA office by March 1 to be considered for the current year.
- e. Selection: Memorial recipients will be selected by the IHSAA Board of Directors at the April meeting.

### V. Distinguished Service Awards

Each of the six district Boards of Control will submit (by March 15) the name of one individual who has performed meritorious service to member schools and/or activities in that district.

## **Legends of the Game**

### **I. Purpose**

The purpose of the Legends of the Game program is to help preserve the heritage of high school activities in Idaho by honoring outstanding basketball teams of the past.

### **II. Criteria**

Boys' Legends must be teams from at least 30 years ago. Girls' Legends must be teams from at least 20 years ago. Teams may be nominated for a variety of accomplishments, including winning a state championship, win streak, win-loss records, outstanding player/coach accomplishments, etc.

### **III. Nomination / Selection Procedure**

Nominations are due by September 1 to be considered for the current year. A screening committee, composed of IHSAA district representatives, will review nominations prior to the September Board of Directors meeting and make recommendations to the full Board. The Board will select recipients at the September meeting.