

2009/2010 ELIDA ATHLETIC HALL OF FAME



Ed Sandy

- Signed with minor league Class D Lima Phillies in 1951. Made the All Star team
- Began coaching/teaching at Gomer High School in 1951
- From 1951-1954, his baseball teams won 217 games and lost only 42
- Served Gomer/Elida for 41 years as teacher, coach, superintendent and assistant superintendent
- Took care of 13 baseball fields at Gomer/Elida until 2007
- In 1986, Elida names new varsity baseball field the "Ed Sandy Field"
- "Service to Mankind" award winner: Sertoma & Optimist Clubs



Jim Baxter

- 1966 Elida High School grad
- 4 varsity letters in baseball
- 3 varsity letters in football
- 3 varsity letters in basketball
- Captain of football and basketball teams both his junior and senior years
- Named to Lima News "All City" team in baseball and football both his junior and senior years
- Named to Lima News "All City" team in basketball his sophomore, junior, and senior years
- Scored 1,125 career points in basketball
- Averaged 29.9 points per game his senior year, scoring a game high 49 points



Art Schreiber

- Captain of Centre College football team in 1948 & 1949
- Played football and ran track all four years in college
- ALL Kentucky Intercollegiate Athletic Conference 1948
- Colliers Little All-American Team 1948
- Invited to try out for NFL
- Coaching football at Elida, Art's teams from 1951-1967 posted a 101-39-13 record and claimed 5 conference championships
- Established Varsity E Club
- 1997 inducted into Ohio High School Football Coaches Assn. Hall of Fame
- 2001 inducted into Centre College Athletic Hall of Fame