

# 2004 Music Hall of Fame

**Suzanne Anderson**



ESHS Class of 1954 – Cum laude graduate, BA in Philosophy & English, East Stroudsburg University, Class of 1984 – Member of the Music Study Club of the Stroudsburgs since 1969 – Served on the Pennsylvania Federation of Music Clubs' Board of Directors since 1972 – Chairman of the PFMC Junior Festival (held at East Stroudsburg University) since 1987 – Served on the National Federation of Music Clubs' Board of Directors since 1994 – Member of the Monroe County Arts Council since 1976, serving on their summer concert series & Youth in Music committees – Member of the Pocono Lively Arts' concert committee, organizing their Young Artist Showcase series for 9 years – Served on the Pocono Youth Orchestra Board of Directors since 1992.

**Sarah L. (Sallie) Ferrebee**



ESHS Class of 1965 – ESHS Glee Club, Choraliers – Received Pauline H. Peterson Award – BA in Music, Western College for Women, 1969 – Graduate Studies, New England Conservatory, Westminster Choir College – Certificate: Choral Music Experience, Diploma: Kodaly Musical Training Institute – KMTI faculty, 1981-92 – West Chester University summer faculty – Connecticut ACDA Choral Director of the Year, 1996 – Guest Conductor, middle school, elementary choral festivals, New England & Pennsylvania – Founding & current Co-Director, Connecticut Children's Chorus Concert Choir – Performances with the Hartford Symphony & the Today Show – Currently teaches music at King Philip Middle School, West Hartford, CT – Founder & Director, Sixth Dimension at King Philip.

## Jere Lantz



ESHS Class of 1967 (Valedictorian) – Doctoral degree from Yale University – Writer of articles and reviews for newspapers and magazines – Arranger and composer for orchestra and chorus – Has served as Music Director of the Rochester (MN) Orchestra and Chorale, Minneapolis Pops Orchestra, Minnetonka Choral Society, Midwest Opera Theater and Westminster Presbyterian Church in Minneapolis – Guest Conductor from New Hampshire to California, from Minnesota to Texas, and in South America and China – Has served as advisor to the American Symphony Orchestra League, American Composers Forum and Minnesota State Arts Board – Has led world premieres by some of America's most celebrated composers – Named Southeast Minnesota Artist of the Year, 1999.

## Stanley R. Schoonover



ESHS Class of 1973 – BS, Gettysburg College, 1977 – MM, West Chester University, 1981 – ESHS Band, 1968-73 – Director of Bands: Bangor (PA) Senior HS, 1978-82; Mt. Vernon (VA) HS, 1982-92; Robinson (VA) Secondary School, 1993-98 – Music Specialist, Fairfax Co. (VA) Schools since 1998 – Consistently produced championship programs, including 3 national music clinics, 1998 National Concert Band Festival, 1994 Mid-West Clinic – 3 performances for President of the United States – 1988 Mt. Vernon band recognized as only 3-event grand champion in history of St. Petersburg (FL) Festival of States – Conductor, 2002 NY All-State Band – Founding Conductor of Fairfax Wind Symphony – President, VBODA, 1994-96 – Son of William, Sr. & Martha Schoonover.

## **Michael Silvoy**



Dedicated more than 20,000 hours to the East Stroudsburg Area School District and the greater Pocono community music and theater programs since 1984 – Stage manager/set construction/technical support for Briganti Family Dance Studio, Pocono Lively Arts, Fine Arts Discovery Series, East Stroudsburg University and East Stroudsburg Area School District musicals and drama performances – Parent volunteer for Pocono Federation of Music Clubs and PMEA Adjudications – East Stroudsburg High School (South) Band Parents Club President and parent chaperon for band trips, camps, festivals and concerts – Has offered logistical support to many ESASD programs and performances and has always encouraged all involved to perform to their highest ability.