

Dick Gray

Class of 1956

Mr. Gray is a graduate of East Stroudsburg High School, Class of 1956. He was a three-sport athlete, participating in football, basketball and baseball. Dick earned the ESHS Most Valuable Athlete Award in both basketball and baseball during his senior year, 1956. His ninth inning home run lifted the Cavaliers to a 3-2 victory over Hegins Township, carrying the Cavs to the 1955 District XI Baseball Championship. He was presented the ESHS Best All Around Athlete Award, as well as the Monroe County Outstanding Athlete Award in 1956. Mr. Gray was a member of ESHS National Honor Society and was named the Exchange Club "Boy of the Month" Award winner in 1956 as well. After graduation from East Stroudsburg High School, Dick played quarterback and was captain of the baseball team at Colgate University. He was a supervisor in the silicon materials department of AT&T in Allentown for 27 years until his death in 1991...He was the son of Ida Besecker and the late John Gray, the husband of Mary Ann (Rowlands) Gray, and the father of three children, Chris, Kevin and Gretchen.



James Donald Kindrew

Class of 1959

Mr. Kindrew is a graduate of East Stroudsburg High School, Class of 1959. During his ESHS athletic career, he earned three varsity letters in basketball, becoming the first athlete in school history to score more than 1,000 points, with a career total of 1,175 points. All of these points were scored nearly 30 years before the creation of the "three-point shot." James served as the Cavaliers' co-captain during his junior year and as team captain during his senior year. He averaged 25.4 points per game, with a career high of 38 points in a game. Mr. Kindrew earned the ESHS Basketball Most Valuable Athlete Award during his senior year, 1959. After high school graduation, he joined the U.S. Army, scoring more than 1,000 points for the Army Division team during his three-year career, while competing against the 1964 Olympic Team, as well as numerous college teams. A veteran of the Vietnam War, Mr. Kindrew rose to the rank of sergeant. He retired in 2006 from Patterson-Kelley Corporation, after 41 years of service.



Amy Miller Martinelli

Class of 1983

Mrs. Martinelli is a graduate of East Stroudsburg Area High School, Class of 1983. During her ESHS athletic career, Amy earned 12 varsity letters, four each in field hockey, basketball and softball. She was a four-year varsity starter in field hockey. Amy served as team tri-captain, was named First Team All-Centennial League and earned ESHS field hockey Most Valuable Athlete Award in 1982. Mrs. Martinelli was a member of the 1982 Centennial League Championship team, the first girls' sports championship team in East Stroudsburg history. She was a four-year varsity starter in softball, earning First Team All-Centennial League honors in 1982 and 1983. Amy was the pitcher for the Cavaliers' firstever softball league championship team in 1982, while earning the ESHS softball Most Valuable Athlete Award in 1983. She also received the ESHS Best All-Around Female Athlete Award during her senior year, 1983.

Previous inductees into the East Stroudsburg Area School District Athletic Hall of Fame have included: Dave Beck, Erin Bonner, Dan Eppley, Carl Eschenbach, Denise Foreman Clouse, Karen Grivner Cassidy, Brenda Hartmann, Kathy Jordan Linscott, Jack Kist, Bob Kupiszewski, Susan Lambert, Mike Lieberman, George Litts, Cindi Long, Frank Lupin, Michelle Lupin Hoffman, Tim Mack, Frank Maguire, Dick Merring, Suzanne Mesko, "Candy" Miller, Kristen Moyer Dinello, James Mungro, Jerry Muys, Harold Myers, Frank Nicoletti, Rose Palmer Snyder, Bill Pensyl, Arthur Perryman, Felicia Perryman, Stacy Perryman, Bill Quinlan, Jim Reynolds, Todd Samet, Jill Schaller, Joe Shea, Matt Smith, Ron Spinner, Ray Steele, Walt Stem, "Lindy" Transue, Jerry Werkheiser, Debbie Williamson Alvino and Annette Yanovitch Kaiser.