

**Liberty Union High School District
Twenty-Fifth Annual**

ATHLETIC HALL OF FAME

**25th
Anniversary
Edition**



**April 23, 2016
Brentwood, California**

WELCOME
To the Twenty-Fifth Annual
Liberty Union High School District
ATHLETIC HALL OF FAME DINNER

PROGRAM

MASTER OF CEREMONIES
Pat Walsh - Liberty High School Principal

NATIONAL ANTHEM
Gene Clare

WELCOME
Introduction of High School Athletes
Eric Volta, Superintendent, LUHSD
Jack Ferrill, Athletic Hall of Fame President

DINNER

INDUCTION CEREMONIES

Induction and Acceptance of Lauren Conder Introduced by Pat Cruickshank	Induction and Acceptance of Sam Somerhalder Introduced by Mark Johnson
Induction and Acceptance of Art Honegger Introduced by Jack Ferrill	Induction and Acceptance of Brian Swisher Introduced by Joe Tovar
Induction and Acceptance of David Prado Introduced by Jerry Black	Induction and Acceptance of Kimberly Westlund Introduced by Curtis Cunningham
Induction and Acceptance of Aimee Rodgers Introduced by Erica Pantle	Introduction and Acceptance of the 2007 Heritage Softball Team Introduced by Pat Cruickshank
Induction of Mary Bronzan - Meritorious Service Award and Honorary Membership Introduced by Jack Ferrill	

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LUHSD Athletic Hall of Fame

Message from the President

We are inducting seven individuals, a team and one Honorary Member. The Board of Directors feels that these inductees represent truly outstanding accomplishments and contributions to the LUHSD athletic history. I agree wholeheartedly.

As we celebrate the Twenty-Fifth Annual LUHSD Induction dinner, we salute the outstanding group of people being honored tonight for their successes in athletics and in life and for their positive contributions to their communities. They are all successful citizens - the same work ethic, determination, pride and dedication that made them successful athletes continues to play an important part in their present lives.

I congratulate all of the inductees on behalf of the Board of Directors of the Hall of Fame. They are certainly worthy and deserve the honor being bestowed on them tonight. Our inductees are on permanent display in the main hallway of Independence High School. Please make an effort to come by and visit the display - it is truly a trip down memory lane. The Athletic Hall of Fame is deeply indebted to the LUHSD administration and the Board of Trustees for making this a reality.

I would like to thank all of you in attendance tonight because your presence is crucial to our success. I would also like to thank all of those benefactors who have given personal contributions or have purchased advertising space in our Induction Dinner Program. As you know, an undertaking such as the Athletic hall of Fame is certainly not without considerable expense. Without the financial support of you fine, caring individuals and businesses, the Hall of Fame could not and would not survive. Thank you all for making the Hall of Fame a success.

Besides the efforts of community members, the success of the Hall of Fame is the result of the hard work and tireless efforts of nineteen dedicated board members whose only goal is to make the LUHSD Hall of Fame the best it can be. As President, I want to thank each and every one of them for their efforts to make the Hall of Fame a success and to guarantee that it continues as a repository of our district's rich athletic tradition and history.



Hall of Fame Nominations

The Board of Directors urges any one of you to submit names to the LUHSD Athletic Hall of Fame to be considered for a nomination. The Board needs your assistance to help identify and honor those who deserve recognition.

Any Board Member will provide you with the proper nomination forms and will be happy to help you fill it out.

Nomination forms are also available at Independence High School, 929 Second Street, Brentwood, California, 94513 and online (see website below). It is essential that all of you participate to make the process successful and meaningful.

Please use the following website to download an application:

libertyunion.schoolwires.net/page/233

Lauren Conder

Athlete Golf



Lauren is a
4 time team MVP,
4 time All-BVAL 1st team,
2 time BVAL MVP and
3 time BVAL champion.

From the moment that Lauren Conder set foot on the Heritage campus, she began to make an impact on the work ethic and expectations that future Patriots would strive for. With golf being a Fall sport, it didn't take long for Lauren's impact to be felt. She lettered in her freshman year and then each year after that for a total of 4 Varsity Letters in golf.

But that was only the beginning of a long list of accolades that she would both earn and receive. She was a 4 time team MVP, 4 time All-BVAL 1st team, 2 time BVAL MVP (2008, 2009), as well as being a 3 time BVAL Champion (2007, 2008, 2009). She was also the first girl to qualify for NCS in school history and went on to qualify each of her 4 years! In her senior season she became the school's first Nor Cal representative by finishing 3rd at the North Coast Section Championships. Top that off with being a 4 time NCS Scholar athlete and you have one of the most well rounded student-athletes in school history.

Away from school, Lauren was very active in the game by her involvement with the First Tee Foundation. She was part of their Leadership Academy and Future Leaders Forum and was the recipient of the Patty Sheehan Award that recognizes outstanding leadership and golfing ability. She also received the Monterey Peninsula Foundation Award and was part of the PGA's AT&T Pebble Beach First Tee Tournament.

After graduating from Heritage, Lauren went on to compete collegiately at Richmond University. As a member of the Spiders, she competed for 4 years and earned many accolades. She has the 2nd all-time best single season scoring average in school history, and the 3rd all-time overall average as well! She competed in 33 of 36 possible collegiate events and was 2nd team all-conference her senior year. She had 7 career top 10 finishes, and 14 top 2 finishes.

Currently, Lauren lives in Florida and previously worked as Assistant Producer at the Golf Channel and is currently a Revenue Associate at Golf Now.

The Liberty Union High School District Athletic Hall of Fame is proud and honored to induct Lauren Conder into the hallowed halls for her outstanding career in the game of golf at both Heritage High School and Richmond University.

Art Honegger

Athlete

Football ~ Rugby

Art was an outstanding all-around athlete at Liberty High School from 1938 to 1941. He played and earned two varsity letters in basketball and two in track, but it was football that became his main forte. He earned three varsity letters and was selected as the MVP on the 1941 team. He even found time to letter in "B" baseball in his frosh year.

Upon graduation from Liberty, Art attended the University of California in Berkeley where he had an outstanding career in football. As a sophomore, he was chosen on Esquire Magazine's National Sophomore Team as Number 7. That season he scored the winning touchdown against Stanford.

Art went on to play two years of varsity football winning two Big "C" letters. He was a standout on the varsity team for two seasons – 1942 and 1943. He was selected to the 1943 All-Coast Football Team. Art was Cal's Captain and was selected to receive the "Golden Bear Award" presented annually to the Bear's Most Valuable Player. It is selected by the varsity team members only. After football, Art found another sport that he loved – Rugby. He was not just good – he was great! He set the Rugby scoring record at Cal that lasted from 1944 to 1950.

Art graduated from UC and was commissioned a 2nd Lieutenant in the US Marine Corps. While Art was in the Marine Corps, he played football at Camp Lejeune, North Carolina and at Camp Pendleton in California. During the war years these military teams were packed with college All-Star athletes – it was a very high caliber of football. Art was such an outstanding football player that he was drafted in the 12th round by the Chicago Bears.

Art was not only a fine athlete; he was an outstanding citizen in his community upon his return from the military. He served on many Boards, such as: the Delta Memorial Hospital, the Oakley Fire District, and the East Contra Costa Irrigation District. He served on the Oakley Union School District Trustees from 1948 to 1961. He was a Liberty Union High School District Trustee for 12 years. He also served as Foreman of the Contra Costa County Grand Jury.

The Liberty Union High School District Athletic Hall of Fame is honored and proud to induct Art Honegger into the Athletic Hall of Fame for his outstanding athletic careers at Liberty Union High School and the University of California and his long dedicated service to the Liberty Union High School District.



Art was drafted in the
12th round by the
Chicago Bears.

David Prado

Athlete Wrestling



David is one of few who have earned the Freedom Athlete of the Year honor with only a single sport participation.

David Prado was born and raised in Oakley. He started his educational career in the Oakley District and began his athletic career at O'Hara Park Middle School. He came from a proud wrestling family and was determined to set his mark not just as a future legendary Freedom Falcon, but he aspired to become one of the great wrestlers in East Contra Costa County. He graduated from Freedom High School in 2007.

His passion for wrestling was second to none, and he was a four-time varsity letter winner during his high school years.

Throughout his wrestling career he received numerous accolades including the 2007 prestigious Martin Olivarri/Clyde Forrest trophy winner, given to the best BVAL wrestler. Few have accomplished the feat of being named Freedom Athlete of the Year with only a single sport participation, but David was dominant in wrestling and the model for all Freedom athletes in his senior 2007 season. During his Freedom career he placed in the top two wrestlers in the BVAL all four seasons of competition. He was in the top three all four years in NCS Championships. He was a two-time CIF State place winner of 4th place in 2006 and 2nd place in 2007.

His talent was so undeniable that he made the top 100 Contra Costa Times Athletes list. Not only was he recognized locally, sectionally, and at the state level, but he was invited to continue his wrestling career at Arizona State University where he was a three-time varsity letter winner and recognized as a scholar athlete from 2010-2012. During his 2009 collegiate season he was the 7th place finisher in the Pac-12 Championships and ranked #25 in the nation. David's legacy continued the proud tradition of wrestling excellence in East County and established him as one of Freedom's finest athletes.

The Liberty Union High School District Athletic Hall of Fame is honored and proud to induct David Prado into the Athletic Hall of Fame for his outstanding athletic careers at Freedom High School and Arizona State University.

Aimee Rodgers

Athlete

Track ~ Volleyball

In 1996, Aimee Rodgers began her path toward athletic greatness when she enrolled in Laurel Elementary. She stayed true to her Oakley foundations and was gifted with extraordinary track ability. Her coaches at Freedom knew she was going to be special; however, they never imagined her path would leave a legacy for future Freedom athletes and lead her to collegiate competition at Chico State University.

In her early high school career, she wanted to make the most of her experience and played two years of volleyball and became active in student leadership. In her two years of volleyball competition, she received two awards; Most Inspirational Player and Most Improved.

In student leadership she was the rally commissioner for two years, a member of the homecoming court during her senior year, and was elected ASB Senior Class President all while maintaining honor roll status academically. She was a leader for the Freedom community that left an indelible impact in both athletics and academics.

These accomplishments are astounding for any student, yet it was her achievements in track that make her legendary. The distinguished Bay Valley Athletic League has had many champions, but Aimee was a 7 time BVAL Champion. From 2006-2009, she was nearly unbeatable holding the 100-meter hurdle title. She also won the titles for 300-meter hurdles in 2006, 2008, and 2009. She became Freedom's record holder in both events with a 14.47 time in the 100 hurdles and a 44.57 time in the 300. Her accomplishments lead her to the CIF State Track Meet twice and she was the Freedom Track MVP for all four of her high school years in addition to being named team-captain in her final three.

Her outstanding high school career lead her to collegiate sports at Chico State University where she was a 5 time NCAA Division II national provisional qualifier, finishing 12th in the nation in 2011 in the 100-meter hurdles, and in 2012 she finished 13th in the nation in 400-meter hurdles. Her leadership and dedication lead to the Chico State team winning the conference championship in all of her years of attendance.

The Liberty Union High School District Athletic Hall of Fame is honored and proud to induct Aimee Rodgers into the Athletic Hall of Fame for her outstanding athletic careers at Freedom High School and Chico State University.

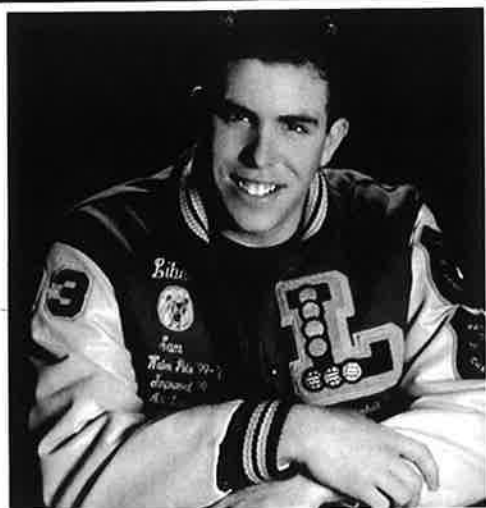


Aimee is a 7 time BVAL Champion and held Freedom records in both the 100-meter and 300-meter hurdles.

Sam Somerhalder

Athlete

Volleyball ~ Water Polo



Sam Somerhalder was selected as First Team All-League 3 times in both volleyball and water polo.

Sam Somerhalder was born and raised in Knightsen, California. He was the youngest of three children who was introduced to sports by his parents, Phil and Julie. He started swimming at age three and a-half for the Knightsen Aquaknights. He began his education at Knightsen Elementary School.

Sam attended Liberty High School from 1999 to 2003. He lettered in both Volleyball and Water Polo all four years. Sam was also a member of Block L from 1999 to 2003. In 2003 Sam was the Yearbook Athlete of the Year.

In his four years as a member of the varsity volleyball team, Sam was offensive MVP in 2001. In 2002 and 2003, he was Co-MVP. He was selected first team All-League in 2001, 2002, and 2003. Sam participated in NCS in 2002 and 2003. His highlights in volleyball for the 2003 season were team leader in assists (832); second in kills (158); second in blocks (55); team leader in service points (252); and team leader in ace serves (29). In his four years on the varsity water polo team, Sam was most improved player in 1999. In 2000, he was Offensive MVP. In 2001 and 2002 he was Team MVP. He was selected First Team All-League in 2000, 2001, and 2002. He participated in NCS in 2001 and 2002. Highlights in his water polo career were, top scorer in NCS in 2001 (93) goals, and in 2002 he set a Liberty High School record in goals (125) and steals (72).

After graduating Sam was recruited by Brigham Young University - Hawaii, and played in the 2003 season. After one year at BYU - Hawaii, Sam left to pursue his lifelong dream of following in his grandfather and father's footsteps of becoming a firefighter.

Sam enrolled in the fire academy program at LMC. While taking classes at the academy, Sam was the first water polo coach for Heritage High School from 2005-2007. Sam is now serving East Contra Costa County as a firefighter in the East County Fire Protection Service.

The Liberty Union High School District Athletic Hall of Fame is honored and proud to induct Sam Somerhalder into the Athletic Hall of Fame for his outstanding athletic careers at Liberty High School and Brigham Young University - Hawaii.

Brian Swisher

Athlete

Wrestling ~ Football ~ Contributor

Brian Swisher has always been a tremendous competitor. From childhood to his time on the Liberty campus and into his adulthood, Brian has had a strong work ethic and high expectations for himself. His high school coach, Greg Chappel, stated "Brian always was the hardest worker. He has been a great asset to both the Liberty and Heritage wrestling programs and the entire Brentwood community."

Brian graduated from Liberty High School in 1989. He played football for four years. He finished his third-year Liberty High School varsity wrestling career with an overall record of 95-24 and was two-time League Champion! Brian won and placed in numerous tournaments and was a two-time Lou Bronzan Wrestling Tournament champion. Brian took 3rd and 6th in North Coast Section and was a California State wrestling qualifier – placing 6th and 7th.

After graduating from high school in 1989, Brian attended Diablo Valley Junior College where he continued his outstanding wrestling career, and in his first season he placed 6th at the JC State tournament and 8th the following year. Brian attended San Francisco State University from 1990-91, where he wrestled for one season. Brian left college to help with the family business and is the Controller and Chief Financial Officer of Wayne E. Swisher Cement. Though he entered the business world, his time playing high school sports helped him develop his strong work ethic and ability to work with others; and developed his strong character.

In addition, Brian has been the President of Construction Industry Legislation Council as well as, VP and later President of the Board of Directors for American Sub-Contractor Association of California. For seven years he was on the Board of Directors for the Huntington's Disease Society of America. Brian was elected Mayor of Brentwood from 2002-2006. In 2013, he began adding his expertise to the Brentwood Redevelopment Oversight Committee. Brian currently has gone back to college and will be receiving his Bachelor's Degree in Business Management.

Brian and Tara Swisher have four children that have all attended/graduated from Heritage High School since it opened. All four kids have selectively participated in the following sports: volleyball, baseball, football, wrestling, swimming and basketball. Brian's love of wrestling inspired him as an adult to coach and support both the Liberty and the Heritage athletic programs. He has tirelessly supported the schools in this community by donating to all teams as needed: from wrestling mats at Liberty and to other sports as well by building batting cages at Liberty and Heritage and donating equipment for Heritage volleyball and supporting the Freedom golf tournament. Brian was also a tremendous supporter of the "Save Freshman Sports" campaign. Beyond just donating toward athletic programs and athletes, Brian was an integral part of helping to build the Sandie McKillip Memorial at Heritage. Though Brian's musical ability could possibly be suspect, we are not quite sure how he still found the energy to assist the Heritage band with equipment. He is sort of Brentwood's Renaissance Man, if you will.



Brian is a 2 time League Champion with 6th and 7th place finishes at State.

The Liberty Union High School District Athletic Hall of Fame is proud and honored to induct Brian Swisher into the 2016 Athletic Hall of Fame as an outstanding athlete at Liberty High School and overall-contributor to the betterment of this school district and the entire Brentwood community.

Kimberly Westlund

Athlete

Softball ~ Volleyball ~ Basketball



Kimberly Westlund helped lead Freedom's softball team to four consecutive league championships.

Kimberly Westlund was born and raised in Oakley. She started her education in the Oakley District with the strong foundations of becoming one of our great academic and athletic leaders. Kim was a three-sport athlete participating in volleyball, basketball, and her primary sport, softball.

In basketball, she made an instant impression. Selected to be part of the varsity team her freshmen year, she knew she wanted to make an impact. She anchored the Freedom teams as a point guard and her accolades were rewarded as a BVAL 2nd Team all-league selection her senior year. She was selected team captain during her senior season as her competitive fire made everyone around her want to do better.

She had a passion for Freedom Athletics and participated in every season in her career; however, she was always true to her athletic passion, softball. Like basketball, she was selected to the varsity team during her freshmen season and was rewarded individually with the team awards of Most Inspirational and Rookie of the Year. Collectively with her teammates, they collected a BVAL Championship pennant, the first of four consecutive league championships. In all of her four years of softball competition, she found herself playing in the NCS Championships, and she found victory during her sophomore season. With such an accomplished record, it was little surprise that colleges nationwide wanted her to join their programs. After selecting California State University San Luis Obispo, she played for four years on scholarship while studying to better prepare for a career in media.

In 2010, Kim was recognized as the Freedom Athlete of the Year, the pinnacle award for any Freedom student athlete and academically, she was multiple selection NCS Scholar Athlete and 4-time school Honor Roll selection. She continues to leave her legacy of excellence everywhere she goes and Freedom continues to celebrate her accomplishments as one of Freedom's finest.

The Liberty Union High School District Athletic Hall of Fame is honored and proud to induct Kimberly Westlund into the Athletic Hall of Fame for her outstanding athletic careers at Freedom High School and California State University San Luis Obispo..

2007 Heritage Varsity Softball Team

The 2007 Heritage High School Varsity Softball team turned their inaugural season into an amazing historical event. According to our research, at no time in the history of the NCS or the CIF has any sport won a Section Championship in their first year of varsity competition. It is a great story that transcended Brentwood, or even the BVAL, and made the entire North Coast Section stand up and take notice.

Incredibly, the team consisted of no seniors, 1 junior, 10 sophomores, and 4 freshmen. All of whom had no varsity experience prior to the 2007 season.

The team bonded together as the season progressed through the coaching of longtime East County Coaching Legend John Rebstock and his assistants. They finished with an overall record of 21-5, which included 3 hard fought section playoff wins over much more experienced programs. A 3-1 win over Albany, was followed by a 4-0 victory over Campolindo in the semi-finals, and then they completed their run with an exciting 1-0 championship game victory at Cal over Piedmont. Along the way, they ended Freedom High School's 42-game winning streak.

The team was led in the circle by sophomore pitcher Mickell Escobar, who established team and school records that still stand today. She was All-East Bay, All-BVAL, and named the Times Top 100 Athletes. Freshman shortstop Katee Wiley led the young infield, catcher Lauren Townsend was the backbone of the team behind the plate, and Jessica Khalil patrolled the outfield with some acrobatic catches in the playoffs! It was an amazing team effort that took the collective talents of all the girls and the coaches to make it happen.

The Liberty Union High School District Athletic Hall of Fame is proud and honored to induct the 2007 Heritage High School Softball Team into the Athletic Hall of Fame for their outstanding season and North Coast Section Championship.



Overall record 21 - 5
North Coast
Section 2A Champions

Front Row (laying down): Mickell Escobar
2nd Row (L to R) (sitting):
Kara Babo, Danielle McReaken
3rd Row (kneeling): Maddi Hancock (Beyer),
Lesleyanne Gaddi, Christina Coppel, Meg Lyons,
Katee Wiley, Arzine Lee
4th Row: Mary Trujillo, Samantha Payne,
Coach Bob Luis, Head Coach John Rebstock, Coach
Reny Sunga, Jessica Khalil, Lauren Townsend
Missing: Taylor West, Haleigh Willis,
Coach Mike Wiley

Meritorious Service Award

Mary Bronzan



The Board of Directors of the Liberty Union High School District Athletic Hall of Fame, by unanimous consent, presents the Meritorious Service Award and Honorary Membership in the Athletic Hall of Fame in appreciation for her 23+ years of dedicated service with the Board's "Sincere Thanks" to Mrs. Mary Bronzan.

On behalf of LUHSD Athletic Hall of Fame, we would like to take this opportunity to express our appreciation to the following school Booster Clubs and their Board of Directors for their support and involvement:

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September 9, 2016
Vs. Will C Wood

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Game and Parade
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1965 Liberty Football Team

1994 Inductees

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1995 Inductees

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The Stonebarger Family

1996 Inductees

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Nicole Simoni - Athlete
1951 Liberty Football Team

1997 Inductees

Wendy Fortner Brown - Athlete
John Mundell - Athlete
Michelle Stranahan - Athlete
Raymond Valverde - Athlete
Michelle Vestal - Athlete
Harold Wheeler - Athlete
1956 Liberty Baseball Team

1998 Inductees

J. Douglas Adams - Athlete
The Knight Family
Vernon Pitau - Athlete/Coach
Frank Stonebarger - Athlete
Barbara Whitfield - Coach
1978 Liberty Girls Track Team

1999 Inductees

The Continente Family
Ronald J. Enos - Athlete
Jeanne Gallegos - Athlete
Larry Stonebarger - Athlete
Julie Stranahan - Athlete
Frank Vonder Ahe - Coach
Matt Wilgenbush - Athlete

2000 Inductees

Scott Barnes - Athlete
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Albert Celoni - Athlete
George DelPozo - Athlete
Donald Morse - Athlete
The Rios Family
1969 Liberty Football Team

2001 Inductees

Steven DalPorto - Athlete
Mark Dwelley - Athlete
Dennis Henderson - Athlete/Coach
Julie Marshall - Athlete
Russell Phillips - Athlete/Coach
Valerie Poerio - Athlete
Robert Ricioli - Athlete
1970 Liberty Baseball Team
Jacque Ferrill - Meritorious Service Award

2002 Inductees

Kaye Axelgard-Reeves - Coach/Athletic Director
Dan Celoni - Athlete
Leonard Celoni - Athlete
Leo McFarlan - Athlete
Roslyn Rodriguez - Athlete
1948 Liberty Football Team

2003 Inductees

Monica Barajas - Athlete
Dewey DeMartini - Athlete
Carrol Elkins - Athlete
Mark Lucchesi - Athlete
Frank Rosas - Athlete
1989 - 90 Liberty Wrestling Team

2004 Inductees

Andrea England Rodrigues - Athlete
Charley Enos - Athlete
Darrin Foreman - Athlete/Coach
Jim Honegger - Athlete
Guido Lucchesi - Athlete
1990 Liberty Softball Team

2005 Inductees

Marian Gruenewald Nowak - Athlete
Steve Knight - Athlete
Brent Pomeroy - Athlete
Roy Rios - Athlete/Coach
Roger Stone - Athlete
Paul Urenda, Jr. - Athlete
1953 Liberty Swim Team

2006 Inductees

Arthur Allen - Athlete
Michele Kelley-Hackett - Athlete
Stephanie Ksenzulak - Athlete
Holly Mikkelsen - Athlete
Jose Oseguera - Athlete
Harvey Yurkovich - Athlete
1982-83 Liberty Boys
Basketball Team

2007 Inductees

Ross Bomben - Athlete
Ronald Dell'Immagine - Athlete
Joseph Ghiggeri - Athlete
Stephanie Jzyk - Athlete
Michael O'Brien - Athlete
Johnny Rodriguez - Athlete
1984-85 Liberty Girls
Basketball Team

2008 Inductees

Sarah Burgess - Athlete
Clay D. "Dave" Coffman - Athlete
Bob England - Athlete
Fred Gibson - Athlete
David Hays - Athlete
Cathy Webber - Athlete
1956 Liberty Football Team

2009 Inductees

Chris Bodishbaugh - Athlete
Gregory Chappel - Coach
Krista Houseman - Athlete
Fred Kelley - Athlete
John Rogers - Athlete/Coach
J. Matthew Webber - Athlete
1978 Liberty Baseball Team

2010 Inductees

Jordanna Freemer - Athlete
Allison Ferguson - Athlete
Joseph Lilley - Athlete
Shannon Thomas McBroom -
Athlete
Rick Mello - Contributor
Charles Willis - Athlete
The Ron Schwitters Family

2011 Inductees

Billy Beltram - Athlete
Gabe Dal Porto - Athlete
John Dwelley - Athlete
Keri Kresovich - Athlete
David L. Martin - Athlete
Jason Montgomery - Athlete
1979 Liberty Football Team

2012 Inductees

Judy Byer - Athlete
Dave Dyer - Athlete
Kevin Johnson - Athlete
Dan McLain - Athlete
Haley Pantle - Athlete
Greg Patterson - Athlete
1946 Liberty Football Team
Charlene Souza - Meritorious
Service Award

2013 Inductees

Diondre Borel - Athlete
Larry Enos, Jr. - Athlete
Rob Gatrell - Athlete
Linda Rosa "Gooch" Ghilarducci -
Coach
Christopher Robert Gruler -
Athlete
Amanda Williams - Athlete
2006 Freedom Softball Team

2014 Inductees

J.W. (Jay) Anderson - Athlete
Bill Chato - Athlete/Coach
Kate Dwelley - Athlete
Amy Foreman Gerace -
Athlete/Coach
Alana Roderick Knowles - Athlete
Monique Renslow Lewis - Athlete
2000 Liberty Boys Golf Team

2015 Inductees

The Briseno Family
Whitney Bell - Athlete
Robert Harris - Athlete
Paul Ramey - Athlete
Eddie Rattagliatta - Athlete
Drew Torres - Athlete/Coach
2002 Freedom Softball Team
Joann Morrison - Meritorious
Service Award
Debbie Vetter - Meritorious
Service Award

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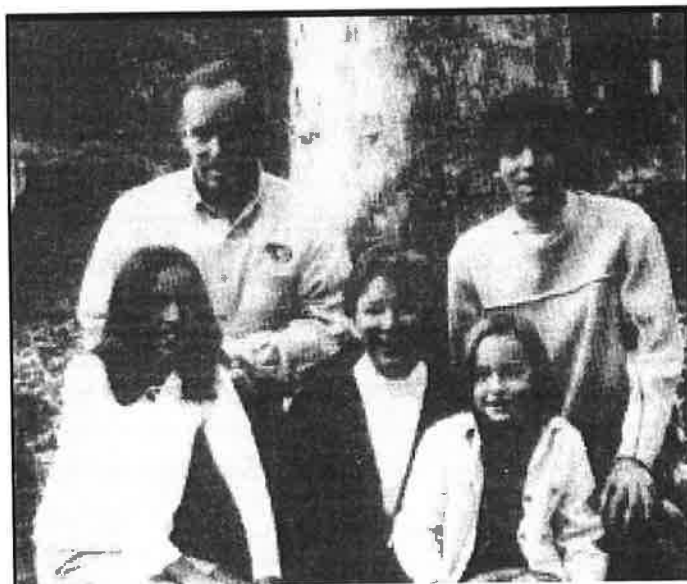
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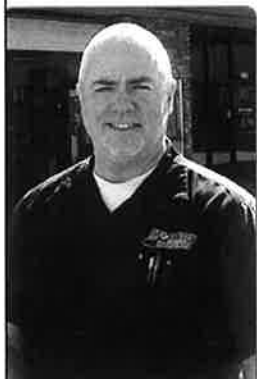
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Coach Jack W. Ferrill Service Award
Coach Jack W. Ferrill

More than 25 years ago, Coach Ferrill had a vision to create an athletic hall of fame to honor past student athletes for their outstanding athletic accomplishments while attending Liberty High School. He brought together a group of people who were willing to donate their time and effort to this endeavor and formed the Liberty Union High School District Athletic Hall of Fame Board of Directors thus beginning the L.U.H.S.D. Athletic Hall of Fame. This was the beginning of a yearly induction dinner and ceremony that celebrates “the best of the best” Liberty Union High School District athletes and coaches. Now, 25 years later, we honor and celebrate student athletes from not just Liberty High School, but also Freedom High School, and Heritage High School. More than 200 athletes, coaches, and contributors have been honored by being inducted into the L.U.H.S.D. Athletic Hall of Fame.

Inaugural Coach Jack W. Ferrill Service Award

Over the years there have been many L.U.H.S.D. Hall of Fame board members that have come and gone, but Coach Ferrill has held steadfast in his position as the H.O.F. Board President. His commitment of time and passion has been unwavering as he strives to make each year’s induction ceremony the best it can be. On this, the Silver Anniversary induction ceremony of the Liberty Union High School District Athletic Hall of Fame, we honor Coach Ferrill with the first ever Coach Jack W. Ferrill Service Award. It is appropriate that the inaugural award is given to “The Coach” himself. In the future this award will be given to those individuals who perpetuate the attributes that Coach Ferrill has shown for many decades in passionately supporting student athletes throughout the Liberty Union High School District and this Athletic Hall of Fame.

The plaque appropriately reads:
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