

# Our Lady of Lourdes High School ATHLETIC HALL OF FAME

## **Purpose:**

Our Lady of Lourdes High School Athletic Hall of Fame will honor and perpetuate the memory of all athlete/graduates, administrators, volunteers or coaches who have brought pride and distinction to the OLL Athletics program. The OLL Athletic Hall of Fame will recognize any eligible individual associated with Our Lady of Lourdes High School, since its inception in 1958, with an outstanding high school athletic career, and/or who made a significant contribution to the OLL Athletics program and history.

## **Eligibility and Criteria:**

There are three categories in which a person may be nominated for the Athletic Hall of Fame: (1) Student-Athlete (including teams), (2) Coach/Athletic Director, and (3) Volunteer/Contributor.

### Overall

1. During their tenure at OLL, all nominees should have embodied the skill, spirit and sportsmanship that are characteristic of Warrior athleticism.
2. All nominees for induction must exhibit in their daily life, the character and commitment to the Mission and Philosophy of OLL.
3. Nominees for induction into the Athletic Hall of Fame shall remain on the primary list for five years. After the fifth year, if a nominee has not been selected for induction or re-nominated, he or she will be placed on a secondary list. Nominees may be reinstated to the primary list upon request from a committee member.
4. Selection into the OLL Athletic Hall of Fame is by unanimous vote of the committee.
5. The Athletic Hall of Fame Committee reserves the right to reorganize or change the criteria and selection procedures at any time.

### Student-Athlete

1. All candidates that are in the student-athlete category must have graduated from Our Lady of Lourdes High School.
2. Student-athletes who meet the induction criteria automatically become eligible for the Athletic Hall of Fame induction ten (10) years after their graduation from OLL.
3. Student-athletes must have played a minimum of two-years on varsity level for one sport.
4. Student-athletes must have made significant contributions on the basis of playing ability, sportsmanship and leadership to their team and school.
5. Other non-mandatory considerations for student-athletes include, but are not limited to, total number of sports played; school, conference or state records; continued achievement in sports beyond high-school (e.g., collegiate sports or a professional sports-related career).

### Coach/Athletic Director

1. Only former coaches and administrators will be considered eligible for nomination.
2. Coaches and administrators must have served in their respective capacities for minimum of five (5) years at OLL.
3. Coaches and administrators must have contributed significantly to the success of OLL Athletics and must have contributed to the promotion of sound educational values in their athletes.

### Volunteer/Contributor

1. Volunteers/Contributors must have made special contributions to the improvement, promotion and best interest of OLL Athletics.

### **Nominations:**

Any alumnus/alumna, faculty, staff, friend or member of the selection committee may submit a nomination for the OLL Athletic Hall of Fame. In order to be considered, nominations must be received a minimum of six months prior to the Hall of Fame induction event.

### **Selection Process:**

1. Nominations will be screened by the Selection Committee at a regularly scheduled meeting(s) to be held no less than four months prior to the formal induction ceremony.
2. The maximum number of Athlete Hall of Fame Inductees per year will not exceed 10.
3. In pursuit of the goal of inducting the most worthy athletes, no quota by sport is established. Selections, however, consider athletes in various sports avoiding as much as possible domination by any one sport in selections.
4. All nominations will be included in a written ballot, and will be reviewed by committee members.
5. A 10 point scale system will be used in the voting process. Each committee member will rate each nominee and award them points in any amount between 1 and 10.
6. All nominees receiving 60 points or more will be inducted to the Athletic Hall of Fame.

### **Selection Committee:**

1. The Selection Committee will be comprised of OLL staff, community members and/or alumni, and current HOF inductees.
2. The Selection Committee is responsible for naming annual inductees, establishing nomination and selection schedules, presentation procedures and the permanent display of honors.
3. Members of the selection committee must be present at each of the selection meetings.
4. The final slate of inductees will be determined upon review and approval of the OLL Principal and Administration.