

# Greater Syracuse Sports Hall of Fame Nomination List

(Updated January 30, 2026)

Nominee	Sport(s) or Profession	Supporting Information	Year Nominated
<b>ALBANESE, Vannie</b>	Football	Manlius School ... SU football 1934-37 ... 1937 team captain ... Pro football Brooklyn Dodgers 1937-38 ... NY Americans 1940.	2021
<b>ALBERTS, Butch</b>	Baseball	1972 University of Cincinnati grad ... Salt Lake City PCL 76-77 ... Syracuse Chiefs IL 78-80 ... Toronto Blue Jays 1978 ... Indianapolis American Association 1979 ... Richmond Braves IL 1980 ... Youth baseball coach.	2021
<b>ANDERSON, Andy</b>	Baseball	Played in Negro League ... Chattanooga Lookouts ... Chappie Johnson's All-Star ... Coached in NYS Baseball League.	2021
<b>ANDRADE, Gary</b>	Hockey	Coach -- Won more than 400 games coaching Midstate Youth, Girls' Midgets and Boys' Squirrels-Bantams ... 1991-92 Midstate champion ... Coached Chris Bailey, who became two-time Olympic medal winner, on Midstate team.	2021
<b>ANDREWS, Jack</b>	Writer	Post Standard sportswriter 1942-77 ... Post-Standard editor and columnist 1973-77 ... Beat writer for Chiefs and Nats.	2021
<b>ANTHONY, Tom</b>	Football (coach)	Football coach at Solvay, Marcellus ... Coached GP Express-won two Semi-pro national championships.	2021
<b>ANTONIO, Joe</b>	Baseball (coach)	Started the baseball program at Onondaga Community College and coached 23 years (1977-99) ... His were 420-234 ... winning percentage of .645 and won eight (8) National Jr. College Region III championships and a berth in the 1987 Jr. College World Series ... Helped send Archi Cianfrocco and Todd Williams to the major leagues, and 120 of his players received scholarships to four-year schools ... Coached the Syracuse Jr. Chiefs ... Returned to OCC as an assistant coach under one of his former players ... Beginning in 2000, he was an instructor at Sports Zone.	2021
<b>ARNOLD, Benny</b>	Boxing	1941 Golden Gloves Champ, Pro.	2021
<b>ARNOLD, Chris</b>	Tennis	Arnold was a fine tennis player for Liverpool HS and Siena College. He was Section III 1 <sup>st</sup> Doubles champion ('76), a member of undefeated league/county/sectional champions in '74-75-76, extending unblemished record that began in 1970 to 77 matches ... A 4-year college starter; tennis team had the best winning percentage of any Siena team those 4 years ... He was selected an Outstanding Academic Athlete ('80) ... Life changed when daughter Paige was diagnosed in 1993 with Chronic Myelogenous Leukemia. Paige died in 1994 at age 8 due to complications from a bone marrow transplant ... Chris has been a tireless fund-raiser in the fight against juvenile cancer, beginning with Paige's Butterfly Run (220 participants in '97), now attracting 2000. A few of his countless endeavors: Pedaling 4 Paige, Clams 4 Cures, Pajamarama, Book Drives & Book Fair, Paige Yeomans Arnold Family Support Fund and an Endowed Professorship in Pediatric Oncology with \$1.5M in gifts, Pan Mass Challenge (for 20 years, he rode the 2-day, 190-mile cycling event, raising \$208G for Dana-Farber Cancer Institute), Arise & Ski, and on & on ... Paige's Butterfly Run Inc. has raised over \$4.5M.	2024
<b>ASHE, Gerry</b>	Golf	Post-Standard golf writer for whom Ashe Memorial Tournament is named.	2021
<b>AUSTIN, Dr. Lester</b>	Wrestling	SU wrestling team ... All-American as a senior ... NYS wrestling tourney physician 23 years.	2021
<b>BACH, "Whitey"</b>	Baseball	Pitched Syracuse Industrial League in 1920s ... 1931 Arrows-PSL Champs ... Nettleton Shoes League Champs 1925.	2021

<b>BAKER, Dr. Bruce</b>	Crew	Sports Physician/Crew – SU crew team 1957-59 ... SU Dir. Of Sports Medicine 20 years ... 1985 SU LetterWinner of Distinction.	2021
<b>BARDENETT, Dennis</b>	Basketball	1st team all-Central New York Cities League selection in 1975, playing for Bernie Fine at Henninger (Hall of Fame teammate Lonnie Legette was 2nd team) ... Dennis averaged 14.9 ppg, was his team's floor general offensively and a player who typified the team's scrambling defense ... He helped lead the Knights to their 1st winning season ('73-74) and a 12-4 record, good for 3rd place in the CNYCL, the following season ... He coached at CUNY and for many years worked in NY State's Administration for Children's Services.	2024
<b>BARLOW, Mike –</b>	Baseball/ Basketball	SU baseball 1967-70 ... SU Basketball 1968-69 ... Minor Leagues 1970-75 ... St. Louis Cardinals 1975 ... Houston Astros 1976 ... California Angels 1977-79 ... Toronto Blue Jays 80-81 ... Syracuse Chiefs 80-82 ... LeMoyné pitching coach seven years ... Fabius-Pompey pitching coach 1998-99 ... Bishop Grimes HS AD 2001-2011 ... 2003 Syracuse Baseball Wall of Fame ... 2004 Blindmen and Criers Award.	2021
<b>BARNUM, Dale</b>	Baseball	SU baseball catcher 1927 ... Syracuse Stars catcher NYP League 1928 ... 1929 Post-Standard League batting champion.	2021
<b>BARONE, Nick</b>	Boxing	Carmen 'Nick' Barone used brother's name to enlist in Marines at age 16; fought in World War II at Iwo Jima ... Dubbed the 'Fighting Marine' and managed by 'Henny' Andrews ... Light-heavyweight/heavyweight contender in late '40s, early '50s ... Big chance came Dec. '50, when he fought for heavyweight title in Cincinnati against heavily-favored hometown champ Ezzard Charles, who took crown from Joe Louis ... In his previous fight, won 10-rounder over Jimmy Beau at Madison Square Garden but suffered eye injury he didn't disclose ... Charles won, but it took 1st career knockdown suffered by Barone to stop bout in 11th round ... Pro career: 44-12-1 (21 wins by KO); 25-2-1 1st 28 bouts ... Lost last three, gave up boxing, worked for Red Star Trucking (retired in '91) ... Died in '06 at age 79.	2021
<b>BARRETT, Betsy</b>	Golf	West Genesee High Golf team ... University of Miami golf team.	2021
<b>BASILE, Lenny</b>	Football/ Basketball/ Baseball	CBA ... WSYR Channel 3 TV cameraman 1959-67 ... NBC cameraman started with Today Show then switched to sports 1967-97 ... Five Emmys (World Series, Stanley Cup, Super Bowl) ... Born in Syracuse.	2021
<b>BASILE, Tony</b>	Track	1973 CBA Track MVP & co-captain ... 10-time CNY City League Champion ... NYS 440 yd-placed 2nd ... Eight-time Section III Champion (mile, 160, 330, 440, etc.) ... HS All-American in 300 (4th in US) ... Fordham University track team and captain as a senior ... 1976 Qualified Olympic trials in 200 ... Colonel 174th Fighter Wing A.N.G.	2021
<b>BEARE, Kathryn</b>	Baseball	All-American Girls Baseball League with South Bend and Ft. Wayne 1946 ... Prosperity Co. - NYS Champs.	2021
<b>BECKER, Bob</b>	Baseball	SU Baseball team...Philadelphia Phillies 1897-98	2021
<b>BEDARD, Sharon</b>	Soccer/ Volleyball/ Basketball/ Softball	Sharon competed in four sports (soccer, volleyball, basketball, softball) at Liverpool High (Class of 1981) ... She is one of the last calendar-year 4-sport athletes ... A multiple All-County and Section III All-Star selection, Bedard was also the recipient of numerous MVP awards in all 4 sports ... Collegiately, she played soccer goalie and graduated from University of Rochester ...During the 1981 season, she had 76 saves and her .905 save percentage (8 games) ranks among U of R's single-season Top 10 ... Sharon was inducted into Liverpool's Athletic Hall of Fame in 1995.	2024

<b>BENNETT, Kerry</b>	Softball	CNS softball coach 1982-2012 ... Won three NYS Class-A softball titles (1989, 98, 03) ... Won 10 Section III Softball titles ... OHSL Coach of Year (1996, 99, 01) ... 1999 NYS Coach of Year ... CNS Coaching Record 634-150 ... Renegade's travel team coach 1986 to present ... Renegades Gold team coach 2000 to present ... 2002 ASA National Tournament South Dakota ... 2003 ASA National Tournament Texas ... 2004 ASA National Tournament Indiana.	2021
<b>BERTRAND, Keri Ann</b>	Track & Field	1988 ESM grad ... distance runner ... All-American at Georgetown ... 1996 Olympic trials 1500-meters semi-finalist ... Third American finisher in NYC Marathon in 2000 ... Named New York State Runner of Year ... OB/GYN practice in California.	2021
<b>BIMSON, Robin</b>	Softball	Liverpool High softball pitcher ... Ithaca College pitcher 1997-2000 ... 2000 NCAA Tournament.	2021
<b>BLAICH, Greg</b>	Official	Homegrown basketball official and decorated member of IAABO Board 38 for decades ... Won Al DiStola Silver Whistle Award ... Owner/manager of Hill 'n Dale golf course.	2021
<b>BONO, Alex</b>	Soccer	A classic case of local kid makes good: From scholastic star at Baldwinsville selected to play for the USA's Under-18 Team to All-American at Syracuse to more than a decade of stardom as a professional goaltender ... As an Orangeman, Bono went from Big East All-Rookie team to eventually starring in goal as SU made it to the fourth round of the NAAC as a No. 9 seed. That season (2014), Alex was named SU's Male Athlete of the Year for ALL sports, finishing with a career record of 39-17-3 and 30 shutouts. A first-team All-American selection, he was bound for the professional ranks, North of the Border ... Playing for Toronto FC, he had a fantastic 2017 Major League Soccer mark (19-4-6), leading MLS goalies in wins, sporting a 1.12 goals-against average and shutting out Seattle in the MLS Cup finals ... Alex played for Toronto through the 2022 season, was with DC United in '23-24 and NE Revolution in '25 ... His overall MLS regular-season record is 68-53-45.	2026
<b>BORGOGNONI, Charles</b>	Contributor	Canastota native who came from Oswego to Our Lady of Pompei in 1949 ... 'Father Charles' became Roman Catholic chaplain at Syracuse University's Alibrandi Center in 1962, and involved with SU's College of Visual and Performing Arts from 1962-91 ... He directed the Pompeian Players, even acquiring Broadway sets compliments of famed producer David Merrick ... A fixture on the Hill for decades, Father Borgognoni was honored with 'Father Charles Day' proclamation in Syracuse in 1986 ... SU LetterWinner of Distinction (honorary), he is best known as the cleric with the Orange cap and sweater on SU's football sideline and basketball bench ... That began when he walked into Ben Schwartzwalder's office and asked if he might join the team for the SU Notre Dame game in New York City. Ben said 'Not just one game, every game.' ... 'Father Charles' died at 84 in 2007.	2021
<b>BRADY, Humbert</b>	Boxing	Pro Boxer late teens & early 1920's	2021
<b>BRADY, Jackie</b>	Boxing	aka/Adam Jackie Pizzica ... Pro Boxer 1920's	2021
<b>BRADY, Ralph</b>	Boxing	aka/Ralph Pizzica ... Pro Boxer 1914-20 ... 200 fights ... Contender CNY lightweight champ ... Died Aug 31, 1966 (age 68).	2021
<b>BRAGMAN, Mike</b>	Baseball	North Syracuse baseball team ... All-County outfielder ... SU Baseball team two years ... Saved NYS pro baseball in 14 cities w/ NYS facility bill in 1995 ... 2004 Syracuse Baseball Wall of Fame.	2021

<b>BRAZELL, Kevin</b>	Coach	Only 4 others in Section III have reached the 400-win plateau Kevin has, led by Hall of Famer Sue Ludwig (Westhill), the most recent being Kathy Morse (B'ville) .... After coaching the 1977 Bishop Ludden girls to 22 wins and a Sectional title, Brazell coached the boys' frosh team 2 years, then the Central Square boys' frosh in 1980. He's led the Square girls' varsity since '81 ... This past season, his team went 15-8, reaching the Sectional finals for the 1 <sup>st</sup> time ... As a player, Kevin was All-Parochial League in 1972. He played collegiately at St. John Fisher ('72-76) and was captain his senior year ... Brazell has also been a community leader. For 2 decades, he's raised tens of thousands for Coaches vs. Cancer and to fight other diseases. He's been a Liverpool Library volunteer tutor, Director of CS's Basketball Camp 40 years, a soccer referee and Empire Games girls' team coach.	2023
<b>BRENNEMAN, Mark</b>	Golf/ Administrator	Outstanding scholastic golfer ... Syracuse District Golf Association Junior Player of Year ... New York State junior quarterfinalist ... PGA head pro at Spyglass, Pebble Beach 1994-2000 ... General Manager Shadow Creek in Las Vegas '00 to present.	2021
<b>BRIGGS, Arnie</b>	Track & Field	SU assistant track coach for 40 years ... Ran in 24 Boston Marathons ... A founder of Syracuse track club.	2021
<b>BROOKS, Jerry</b>	Baseball	Fowler High Baseball 1982-85 ... Onondaga Senior Babe Ruth League ... Clemson University 1986-88 ... Great Falls 1988 ... Bakersfield - Calif League 1989 ... San Antonio - Texas League 1990 ... Albuquerque - PCL 91-94 ... PCL All-Star team 1991 and 1993 ... LA Dodgers 1993 ... Indianapolis-American Association 1995 ... Florida Marlins 1996 ... Charlotte IL 1996 ... Japan Pacific League 1997-98 ... Norfolk Tides IL 1999 ... Mexican Leagues 2000.	2021
<b>BROTON, Denise</b>	Golf	Henninger High School ... Denise won countless women's golf crowns ... Her top titles are the 1995 Herald Women's Amateur and multiple Babe Zaharias Memorials ... Coaches Cicero-North Syracuse girls' team.	2021
<b>BROWN, James R</b>	Baseball	Administrator/Manager/Coach – Moved to Syracuse age 15 ... Central High Baseball 1951-52 ... Syracuse Braves semi-pro 1954 ... Syracuse Braves & Monarchs 1956 ... Several years in CNY Baseball League.	2021
<b>BRYANT, Hy</b>	Volleyball	Coach – OCC 1984-97 ... Marcellus High Volleyball Coach 1997-2011... 2003 OCC Athletic Hall of Fame ... Empire State Games Scholastic coach... Onondaga Volleyball Club 15 years.	2021
<b>BUCKTOOTH, Freeman</b>	Lacrosse	Lafayette High School ... All-County linebacker 1970 ... Onondaga Athletic Club Lacrosse ... SU lacrosse team ... Syracuse Warriors Box Lacrosse team ... Lafayette High Lacrosse coach ... Coach of Iroquois National	2021
<b>BUGENHAGEN, Gary</b>	Football	SU football tackle 1965-66 ... 1966 All-American ... Buffalo Bills AFL 1967 ... Boston Patriots 1969-70.	2021
<b>BURCHELL, Fred</b>	Baseball	Syracuse Stars pitcher NYS League 1912-14 ... Syracuse Stars owner/manager 1912-14 ... Philadelphia Phillies 1903 ... Baltimore Orioles Eastern League 1904-07 ... Boston Red Sox 1907-09 ... Buffalo Bisons Eastern League 1909-10 ... Montreal Eastern League 1911 ... Newark Bears IL manager 1926 ... Toronto Maple Leaf's IL coach 1928.	2021
<b>BURNS, Andy</b>	Baseball	Syracuse Stars 1917 ... Nettleton's, Industrial League 1919-34 ... Brown-Lipe Chapin, Ind League 1923 ... Ind Leagues player & manager for 16 years.	2021
<b>BURRELL, George</b>	Softball	Solvay 1940-50s ... 1949 Lutz's NYS Champions ... Joe Charles-Al Cervi Softball team	2021
<b>BUTTON, Jon</b>	Basketball	Bishop Grimes 1969-70 ... 1969-70 first-team All-City Basketball.	2021
<b>BUTTON, Jon</b>	Auto Racing	NASCAR Racer ... NYS Champion Drag racing.	2021

<b>BUZZARD, Jon</b>	Swimming	An Erie, PA, native, Buzzard was an outstanding swimmer at Syracuse. In 1956, he set an NCAA record in the 200-yard breaststroke (2:26.2) ... An Eastern champion and record-holder, he graduated from SU in '57, earned his Master's (Social Science) here, and began a coaching career in '59 as an assistant on the Hill. He was named head coach in '65 ... Buzzard's teams won numerous Upstate titles. All-American Jeff Noury ('77, 100-yard breaststroke) was his best swimmer ... He taught at Henninger and J-D in the '60s, was a member and President of the Syracuse Board of Education ('73-78), work diligently to bring children of all races and creeds together ... To sum up Buzzard — athlete, coach, administrator et al. — start with the Syracuse Chargers, which he founded with fellow SU coaches Bill Sanford (crew) and Al Bonney (running). The Chargers program has touched tens, if not hundreds, of thousands of Central New Yorkers.	2025
<b>BYRNE, Joe</b>	Basketball	St. Lucy's 1922-24 ... CBA 1924-27 ... Coached St. Lucy's (1931-37, 40-44), CBA (1940-44), Cathedral (1952-53), Most Holy Rosary (1953-54) ... Coach, official, advisor 1931-70 ... 2002 CBA Sports Hall of Fame.	2021
<b>BYRNE, Vincent</b>	Boxing	1943 East Collegiate Boxing Champ ... 1983 SU LetterWinner of Distinction.	2021
<b>BYRNE, William</b>	Boxing	Two-time Collegiate Boxing champion ... 1980 SU LetterWinner of Distinction.	2021
<b>CALDWELL, Craig</b>	Basketball	Started as seventh grader-played six varsity seasons at Nottingham High School 1985-92 ... Three-time first-team selection 1989-90-91 ... 1991 All-CNY selection... 1991 NYS Class B Player of the Year ... Won five OHSL Metro titles ... NYS Record most games played (131) ... Set Section III record for most 3PT field goals made (168) ... Played basketball at Cleveland State.	2021
<b>CALDWELL, Donny</b>	Basketball/Baseball	Central High star 1944-47 ... First black basketball player at LeMoyne College (1948).	2021
<b>CALO, Frank</b>	Baseball	North High baseball 1940-42 ... General Electric basketball team ... Syracuse Chiefs player/manager 1956-57 ... LeMoyne College baseball coach 1964-67.	2021
<b>CALOIA, Raphael</b>	Bowling	One of only four two-time winners of Post-Standard Master Bowling tournaments (1968 and 1969) ... 1977 Syracuse Bowling Hall of Fame.	2021
<b>CALOIA, Vito</b>	Bowling	1973 Syracuse Bowling Hall of Fame.	2021
<b>CAMPBELL, Dick</b>	Wrestling/Golf	Coach – Was a 98-pound scholastic wrestler for Marcellus who went on to Michigan State ... Coached golf at Skaneateles for more than 40 years ... Teams won a New York State-record 569 matches ... Most heralded was Hall of Famer/Tour winner Tom Scherrer ... Coached wrestling at Skaneateles for more than 20 years ... His teams posted an overall mark of 173-73-1, including 166-49 record following a slow start ... And he later re-established the school's wrestling program ... Officiated wrestling ... 2010 Section III Wrestling Hall of Fame.	2021

<b>CAMPOLIETA, Pat</b>	Basketball	A 6-6 forward, Campolieta is on Bishop Ludden's athletic 'Mount Rushmore,' along with Hall of Famers Phil Harlow, John Johnstone and Mark Wadach ... An all-league/all-CNY cager, he was MVP of the 1997 Utica Notre Dame Invitational and a '98 all-tourney pick ... He starred at Colgate: Patriot League Rookie of the Year in '99, 2-time captain, 3-time MVP, 3-time 1st team all-league ... He ended his career as the Red Raiders' leader in steals (193) and games started (110), 4 <sup>th</sup> in scoring (1,616 points) and assists (250). He's the only player to lead his team in scoring 4 consecutive seasons ... Pat earned a BA from Colgate ('02), played pro ball in Ireland, and earned Master's degrees from Brooklyn College and SUNY Albany ... In 2015, he was named to the Patriot League's 25 <sup>th</sup> Anniversary Team ... He is RPI's Assistant Vice-President for Regional Development.	2025
<b>CANNIZZARO, Kara</b>	Lacrosse	Her Cazenovia HS lacrosse career was outstanding (323 goals, 129 assists, 376 ground balls, 212 caused turnovers). A 4-time first-team All-League (2006-09), two-time All-CNY, senior team captain, two-time Empire State Games medalist, she played in the Under Armour A-A game and was a National School Girl Tournament All-Star ... A two-time All-League first-teamer in indoor track and soccer (All-Sectional in soccer as a senior), she was team MVP in cross-country. An Honor Roll student, Kara was named Most Outstanding Female Athlete at Caz ('09) ... Collegiately, she was a 3-year starter for North Carolina, leading UNC to its first NCAA crown ('13), tourney Most Outstanding Player, national Player of the year and first ESPY-nominated women's lacrosse player ... A two-time A-A and team-leading stat-stuffer, Cannizzaro recorded 157 goals, 46 assists, 91 caused turnovers at Carolina, receiving the Patterson Medal, UNC Athletics' highest honor ... A Nike-sponsored athlete, Kara coached in the Under Armour A-A game, coaching scholastically and collegiately, and in 2022 named among 50 Champions of Carolina Women's Athletics. She is currently an Assistant AD at UNC.	2026
<b>CAPPELLETTI, Cosmo</b>	Basketball/ Football	North High two-sport athlete ... First-team All-City basketball 1941-42 ... 1935 Marksons Juniors NYS Champs.	2021
<b>CAPPELLETTI, John</b>	Basketball/ Baseball/ Football	CBA High School ... All-Schiller Football team.	2021
<b>CARD, Herm</b>	Baseball/ Official	NYS Baseball Umpires Association (35 years) ... 1999 NYS Umpire of the Year ... Was a softball umpire for the Empire State Games, CNY High School, NCAA Regional games, International & World University Games ... SU baseball team 1966-68 ... 1998 Blindmen Criers Kearney Award.	2021
<b>CARR, "Gotch"</b>	Baseball/ Football	SU Football halfback 1924-26 ... SU Baseball 1924-26 ... SU Basketball 1926 ... Syracuse Stars Outfielder 1928-29 ... Buffalo Bisons Pro Football 1927 ... Assistant football coach at SU 1930's	2021
<b>CARR, Lewis (Lew)</b>	Baseball	Syracuse Stars 3rd Baseman/short stop 1906-09 ... Pittsburgh Pirates NL 1901 ... SU Baseball coach 1910-46 ... Helms College Baseball Hall of Fame	2021
<b>CARROLL, Hall (T.N.T.)</b>	Boxing	Rated within the world's top ten light heavyweights ... started career winning 25 of first 26 bouts ... 1971 fought Bob Foster for crown ... Syracuse Urban Sports Hall of Fame	2021
<b>CARROLL, Irish</b>	Football	Baldwinsville football ... All-County Baldwinsville undefeated football team, Catholic University-Selected to Football All-American team	2021

<b>CASO, Chris</b>	Gymnastics	East Syracuse Minoa gymnast ... Great Empire State Games Gold Medalist ... UCLA Gymnastics team.	2021
<b>CASO, Ron</b>	Gymnastics	Coach at East Syracuse Minoa High ... Coached many collegiate gymnasts.	2021
<b>CAVALLO, Dan</b>	Baseball	Baseball Administrator – District 8, Little League Administrator	2021
<b>CAVENY, John</b>	Basketball	Basketball – Among the best Parochial League basketball players in the 1950s, Caveny starred for St. John the Evangelist's championship teams in 1957 and '58 ... An all-leaguer on the court, he also hurled Evangelist to the City title in baseball as a senior ... Scholarship recipient at LeMoyne, he scored 43 in a freshman game, then became one of five players (others being Dick Kenyon, Bob Dietz, Dick Lynch, Bill Stanley) who established Tom Niland coached program excellence. All are in LeMoyne's Athletic Hall of Fame; their '59-60 squad was the first athletic team inducted into the school's Hall of Fame ... John averaged 15.9 as a soph, 15.5 as a junior, 18.1 as senior co-captain; his 16.5 ppg career stat is 10th all-time ... Captain/MVP of the '62 baseball team, John pitched six no-hit innings vs. Siena; was Athlete of the Year ... Drafted by the St. Louis Hawks ... Moved to Vestal in '64.	2021
<b>CEPPI, Charlie</b>	Football	Central High All-City Guard 1927 ... Central High Basketball team 1927-28 ... Princeton University football team 1930-33 ... Princeton University Football All-American 1933 ... SU freshman football line coach 1935	2021
<b>CERQUA, Mary Jo</b>	Volleyball	In 34 seasons coaching Baldwinsville girls volleyball, Cerqua's teams won 24 league championships, 23 Section III titles, 16 Regionals, reach 8 Final 4's, 5 Semis and captured 2 NY State crowns (2010, '13) ... Add to that a six-year winning streak of 122 matches, 12-year run of Section III titles and two 57-game win streaks in 3-out-of-5 matches ending in the State finals ... Here's an eye-popping stat: Through the 2021 season, her teams' winning percentage in best 3x5 matches was .926 (585 wins, 47 losses). AND if you dismiss her first season (11-10 mark), that success rate climbs to 93.9 percent! ... A 1986 SUNY Cortland grad, Cerqua earned her Masters in education ('88) and Certificate of Administration degree ('03) ... In 2000, Mary Jo began Blast Volleyball club, providing CNY-area kids an opportunity to play USA travel volleyball ... A middle school phys. ed. teacher, she's been named numerous times as Section III Class AA Coach of the Year, was 2006 Central NY Inside High School Sports' COY, 2009 National HS Athletic Coaches Assn. COY finalist, 2013 National Federation of HS Sports COY and 2016 NY State Volleyball Coaches Assn. COY.	2026
<b>CHARLES, Bill</b>	Administrator/ Hockey	Syracuse Blazers 1969-73 ... Syracuse Eagles 1974-75	2021
<b>CHARLES, Joseph F. Sr.</b>	Administrator/ Football/ Hockey/ Basketball	Started 6-man football in CNY... Brought Biddy Basketball to CNY ... Organized CNY Pop Warner football ... Youth hockey programs ... Board of Syracuse Nationals ... Died February 1, 2002 in Florida	2021
<b>CHARLES, Matty</b>	Administrator/ Baseball	Formed Syracuse Little League Baseball	2021
<b>CICIARELLI, Pete</b>	Football/ Basketball/ Baseball/ Official	Officiating ... Was all state QB for CBA when they won state championship in 1948 ... also all city in baseball and basketball ... one of six brothers to play at CBA ... announced Syracuse Chiefs games ... high school basketball official for many years.	2021
<b>CINCOTTA, Armand</b>	Physician/ Boxing/Football	– Physician – Boxing, Chiefs, high school football ... USA Amateur boxing ... NY Amateur Association Pro Ringside Physician	2021

<b>CLARKE, Dick</b>	Journalist	Born in Baldwinsville and a graduate of Southern Illinois U., Dick began his newspaper career in 1971 ... His beat for the Herald-Journal was high school sports, covering football and basketball, writing a weekly scholastic notebook, selecting all-star teams and responsibility for naming All-Upstate football teams ... When needed, he covered Chiefs, LeMoyne hoops, boxing and golf ... Moving to the production side in '82, he designed sports pages, also writing NBA and Baseball Notepads ... For 6 seasons, Dick was B'ville varsity basketball coach. During that time, his team received the IAABO Sportsmanship Award ... 'Clarkie' edited the final edition of the Herald sports section, then joined the Post-Standard's Camillus bureau, covering police/public safety for 3 years, then government ... He retired in 2007, worked for the NY State Fair, ran for B'ville Trustee in '08 and is currently Mayor of Baldwinsville.	2023
<b>COLABUFO, Frank</b>	Hockey	Since 1994, West Genesee boys' hockey teams have been coached by Colabufo. His Wildcats have a .735 overall winning percentage (512-170-45 record), claiming 14 league crowns and 14 Section III titles ... More impressive: his teams have played in 9 New York State Frozen Fours, 7 championship games, winning 3 State titles (2001, '10, '23) ... A 7-time Coach of the Year, Frank played for West Genny, was an assistant coach at Liverpool and assistant at West Genny before taking over as head coach ... He earned his BA at LeMoyne, a Master's (Special Education) at Syracuse and is a Special Ed. Teacher at WG ... Director of WG's Summer Hockey Camp, Colabufo has USA Hockey Level 5 coaching certification and is a CEP instructor ... He is an inductee of the Town of Camillus/WG Hall of Fame ('17) and NY State Hockey HOF ('24).	2025
<b>COLEMAN, Jim</b>	Supporter/ Football	Athletic Booster Clubs, SU Football	2021
<b>CONLEY, Dan</b>	Football	A scholastic product of Pittsburgh, Pa., Dan was among the best and most popular linebackers in Syracuse University history. Known for his all-out pursuit, hard-hitting tackles and more than 15 surgeries, he still set a freshman record for tackles (126), went on to become a teamroute to earning first team all-Big East honors ... A member of SU's All-Century team selected in 1999, Conley was the 2019 recipient of the prestigious Zunic Award, a testimonial to his selflessness ... Dan began a 15-year coaching career as an SU grad assistant in '97, and after coaching at Wagner, returned to his alma mater to coach linebackers from 2008-11 ... A business risk insurance specialist for OneGroup, Dan and wife Jennifer have three sons — Zak, TJ (a lacrosse/football star at F-M) and Nathan.	2021
<b>CONNERS, John F.</b>	Baseball	Markson's Baseball Industrial Leagues ... Journal American League 1932-36 ... Scranton Miners - NY Penn League ... Pitched against Philadelphia Athletics-1933	2021
<b>CONSTANTINO, George</b>	Coach	George began his career teaching physical education in the Syracuse City Schools in 1961. He taught at Ed Smith and H.W. Smith Elementary, then Nottingham High ... Fondly known as Mr. C., Constantino also coached gymnastics, football, basketball, cross-country and track and field. He's best known for coaching x-country/track and field ... His girls' x-country team won 2 NY State Championships (1975, '78) and 3 Eastern States titles ('75, '76, '78). His girls' 4x400 relay team set a Section III outdoor record (3:58) ... Constantino-coached individual NY State champs included Jerry Scholder (2-mile, '76); Janeen Bonner (triple jump, '84); Allison Dupree (hurdles, '85, '87); and Bill Rathbun ('86, mile) ... Active in the Chargers, founder of the Syracuse Track Club ('77), a YMCA Fitness Award recipient, his impact on Syracuse's running community is still felt ... George died in 1987, suffering a heart attack in class.	2023



<b>COOK, Travis</b>	Lacrosse/ Football	Lafayette Lacrosse & Football ... Oswego State Football Team ... Onondaga Warriors Lacrosse ... Syracuse Stingers Pro Lacrosse ... 2001 Oswego State Hall of Fame	2021
<b>COONEY, Tom</b>	Basketball	LeMoyne College Basketball player ... LeMoyne College Basketball Coach ... LeMoyne Green Wave Hall of Fame ... Liverpool High Girls Basketball Coach	2021
<b>CORBIN, Patrick</b>	Baseball	Corbin was also a CNY basketball all-star at Cicero-North Syracuse, where he set a school record for 3's made in a game ... He went to Mohawk Valley CC, then Chipola JC in Florida ... Drafted in 2009 by the Angels (2nd round), Pat had a minor league record of 32-17 ... In the bigs, he spent 2012-18 with Arizona, missing the entire season in '14 (when slated to pitch Opening Day) due to Tommy John surgery on his left elbow ... His best seasons with the D-backs were 2013: 14-8, 3.41 ERA and 2018: 11-7, 3.15, 246 strikeouts (11.1 K's-per-9 innings) ... He signed with the Washington Nationals in 2019 ... In his first season with the Nationals in 2019 he had a 14-7 record, 3.25 ERA, and won Game 7 of the World Series, hurling three scoreless innings ... His post-season debut was starting Game 1 of the '19 National League Division Series ... He pitched 11 scoreless innings in Game 5 of the '19 NLDS ... His career MLB record is 87-103, 4.31 ERA, with a fine strikeout/walk ratio more than 3:1 ... Best pitch: slider.	2021
<b>CORNELIUS, Mike</b>	Lacrosse	– Lacrosse – Lafayette High School Lacrosse ... 2-time High School All American 1970-71 ... CNY Lacrosse Player of Year 1971 ... SU Lacrosse Team ... Onondaga Athletic Club Box Lacrosse ... Syracuse Warriors Box Lacrosse	2021
<b>CORRIDON, Frank "Fiddler"</b>	Baseball	Providence Eastern League 1899-1902 ... Chicago Cubs 1903-04 ... Philadelphia Phillies NL 1904-10 ... St. Louis Cardinals 1910 ... Buffalo Bisons Eastern League 1911-12 ... Springfield-Eastern League 1913 ... Central High baseball coach 1923	2021
<b>COSTELLO, Joe</b>	Baseball/ Basketball	Westhill All-City 2 sports (62-64) ... All-County Baseball Team ... 1st team All-county Basketball 1961-62 ... 1st team All-County Basketball 1963-64 ... San Francisco Giants chain 1964-71 ... Local softball homerun hitting star, varsity leagues	2021
<b>COTTRELL, Ensign</b>	Baseball	SU Baseball Pitcher 1909-11, 1909 4-2, 1910 4-3, 1911 7-0 ... 1911 SU-5 shutouts, 2 one-hitters, a no-hitter vs Columbia 6/13/11 ... Signed with Pittsburgh Pirates 1913 ... Pittsburgh Pirates National League (NL) 1911 ... Scranton NYSL 1911-12 ... Chicago Cubs NL 1912 ... Philadelphia Athletics American League (AL) 1913 ... Baltimore Orioles International League 1913-14 ... Boston Braves NL 1914 ... 1914-World Series w/ Braves ... NY Yankees AL 1915 ... Richmond Norfolk-Virginia 1915 ... Brown Lipe Chapin- Syracuse Industrial League 16 ... Dunn Company Auburn Industrial League 1916, 18-19 ... Glens Falls 1920 ... 1939 selected to SU's All-Orange Baseball team players between 1900-39	2021
<b>COUGHLIN, Jack "Red"</b>	Trainer	15-year player, Carrier softball teams ... Syracuse Stars trainer 1960-67 ... Syracuse Blazers-trainer 1967-74 ... Syracuse Eagles trainer 1974-75 ... Syracuse Chiefs assistant trainer 1970-94 ... Syracuse Crunch clubhouse assistant 1994-2006	2021
<b>COWMEADOW, John</b>	Basketball	Cathedral High Basketball 1934-36 ... YMCA Basketball League 1940-41 ... Coach & Official 1946-62 ... Syracuse Sky Chiefs Board 1991-99 ... Syracuse Sports Hall of Fame Board 1988-99	2021
<b>CRAMER, Art</b>	Football/ Baseball/ Basketball	North High Top male athlete 1928 ... SU Football Quarterback 1929-31 ... SU freshman football backfield coach 1935 ... SU Letterman of Distinction 1983	2021
<b>CRAVER, Dan Sr</b>	Softball	Easy Washer Softball NYS Champs ... NYS ASA Softball Hall Fame 1991	2021
<b>CRÈME, Tony</b>	Baseball/ Basketball	Multi-sport athlete at North Syracuse High School (1939-40) ... Was 1st team All-City basketball selection ('39-40).	2021

<b>CUNNINGHAM, Jim</b>	Basketball	Outstanding basketball player at Fordham in late 50s, career 22.9 points ... earned All-America honors as senior ... Haggerty Award given by Metropolitan New York basketball writers ... drafted by Celtics ... coached at Assumption in Parochial League ... deceased.	2021
<b>CUNNINGHAM, Neal</b>	Lacrosse/ Football	Although he excelled at lacrosse and football at West Genesee, he'd stick to the ol' stick game at University of Massachusetts ... Scholastically, the diminutive Cunningham was All-County in 1982 & '83, leading the Wildcats to consecutive Section 3 Class AAA football title appearances in the Dome. He was captain/team MVP as a senior. Neal led legendary Hall of Fame lacrosse coach Mike Messere's Wildcats to consecutive NY State crowns as a 1 <sup>st</sup> team All-Stater and senior captain. He was a stalwart during West Genny's national record-tying 91-game winning streak from '81-84 that included 3 consecutive undefeated seasons ... At UMass, he played for another famed coach, Dick Garber, on teams that won 32 of 52 games. Cunningham led the Minutemen to 3 New England titles and 2 NAAs, including the quarterfinals in '86, when the team ranked 6 <sup>th</sup> nationally ... The 5-foot-8, 155-pound midfielder was a 4-year starter and captain as a senior ... He received a B.S. degree from UMass and law degree from Syracuse. He married, settled in Camillus, had 3 children and worked for years in the insurance industry (workmen's comp.) ... Neal has been active in the Camillus community youth lacrosse and academic mentorship of West Genesee athletes.	2026
<b>CURLEY, Tim</b>	Boxing	Made professional boxing debut in 1993.	2021
<b>CURRY, Todd</b>	Lacrosse	West Genesee Lacrosse team 1980-83 – West Genesee All-American 1983 – SU Lacrosse team 1984-87 – All American 2nd team 1985 – All-American 1st team 1986 & 1987 – Baltimore NLL 1991-97	2021
<b>DAILEY, Ted</b>	Football	University of Pittsburgh graduate in 1933 ... All-American tight end at Pitt ... One year of pro football for Pittsburgh Pirates ... McClelland town high football coach 4 years ... Assistant coach at Boston College ... Assistant coach at Lafayette College ... 1940 48 Coatesville Pennsylvania High School Coach ... SU Assistant Football Coach 1950-70's	2021
<b>DANFORTH, Roy</b>	Basketball	Athlete/coach/administrator ... 1962 graduate of Southern Mississippi ... freshman basketball coach at SU 1964-68 (55-8 record) ... head coach eight seasons (148-71), Final Four in '75, first ever for Orange ... head coach at Tulane '76-81 ... AD Fairleigh Dickinson 1986-95 .... ECAC Distinguished Service Award in 2001. Vic Hanson Award.	2021
<b>DEAR, Al</b>	Baseball	Syracuse Industrial League 1920's ... H.H. Franklin 1922 ... Brown-Lipe Chapin 1923	2021
<b>DEAR, Billy</b>	Baseball/ Softball	Industrial League's Pitcher 1930's	2021
<b>DEAR, George</b>	Baseball/ Softball	Industrial League's All-Star 1920-30's ... Brown-Lipe Chapin 1923 ... Nettleton Shoes Independent League champ 1925	2021
<b>DEAR, Oscar</b>	Baseball/ Softball	Industrial League's All-Star 1920-30's ... New Process Gear	2021

<b>DeAUGUSTINE, Phil</b>	Coach	In 19 seasons (17 at J-D, 2 at Liverpool) as a varsity softball coach, DeAugustine has a stellar record of 357-128 (.736) ... A 3-time Central New York Coach of the Year selection, his teams have appeared in 12 Section III championship games, winning 9 Sectional titles ... Phil's teams have also won 4 Regionals, played in 4 Final 4's, been a 3-time NY State runner-up and won 13 league championships ... In addition, he a JV softball coach 9 years at J-D and C-NS, compiling a record of 152-21 (.879) -- highlighted by 4 consecutive undefeated seasons (2016-19) and a winning streak of more than 70 games ... DeAugustine has accomplished all this while living with Muscular Dystrophy since the early 2000's.	2024
<b>DECKER, Jim</b>	Athletics Director	SU Athletic Director 1964-73 ... SU LetterWinner of Distinction 1972	2021
<b>DeFURIA, Peggy</b>	Volleyball	Born in Hillside, Illinois ... played three sports at Proviso High School Ill. from 1967-69 ... Henninger Volleyball team 1970 ... Played three sports at Baldwinsville High 1971 ... SU Volleyball student-athlete (1972-75) ... LeMoyne College women's volleyball coach (1980 to 1991) ... 1989 Orange Plus Hall of Fame inductee ... SU men's volleyball club coach (1978 to 2001) ... Empire State Games Central Region Open Men's volleyball coach (1991 to 2010) ... Empire State Games Central Region Master's Men's volleyball coach (1991 to 2010) ... Empire State Games Central Region Scholastic Men's volleyball coach (1984 to 1991 and 1998 to 2010) ... 2005 Empire State Games Senior Game Award ... US Volleyball Association A/AA Level head coach (1986 to 2001) ... Commissioner of EIVA-Upstate Conf (men) ... Head coach of City of Syracuse Senior men's volleyball team in 55+ age group (1990 to 2014) ... Central New York Volleyball Officials Corporation assignor and rater, and charter member (1975 to present) ... CNY Volleyball Officials Corporation co-chairperson (1983 to 1989) ... State rated volleyball official (1975 to 2005) ... New York State Special Olympics officials assignor (2017 to present).	2021
<b>DeHOOG, Rosemary</b>	Tennis	Drumlins Tennis Club head pro 1978 to 2004 ... SU Coordinator of Tennis, '78-04 ... player U.S. Professional Tennis Association – ranked 9th in singles in '84 ... 45 singles finalists ... official certified umpire '01, Master Professional '07 (only 13 nationally among 14,500 MEMBERS) ... USTA national summer coach '91-93.	2021
<b>DEJOHN, John</b>	Boxing	Born October 4, 1913 ... Died April 21, 2001 ... Boxing manager 1950-60's ... Manager of Carmen Basilio	2021
<b>DEJOHN, Mike</b>	Boxing	Boxer 1953-60's	2021
<b>DEJOHN, Ralph</b>	Boxing	Boxer 1936-47	2021
<b>DeLUCIA, Michael</b>	Football	All-City, CBA (1951-53) ... three-year starter Villanova (Offensive Guard/Linebacker), tri-Captain All-East, Senior Bowl	2021
<b>DeMONG, Dr. Charles</b>	Baseball	Syracuse High Baseball & Football ... St. Cecilia's Baseball City Champs ... SU Baseball Team Catcher ... Owner of Syracuse Stars 1918	2021

<b>DENBY, Preston</b>	Basketball	Best known for coaching Vernon-Verona-Sherrill boys' basketball teams to 8 Tri-Valley League titles, 2 Sectional titles, 302 wins in 21 seasons, Denby also has great credentials as an athlete/administrator ... At Lafayette College, he was a three-time ECAC all-star, All-East ('64-65) along with court legends Bill Bradley and Dave Bing, and had Div. I career stats of 1,095 points (17.1 ppg/8.9 rpg). He pitched for the '65 College World Series team (4-3, 2.84 ERA) ... He spent 38 years teaching/coaching at V-V-S, earning a Master's and Doctorate in phys. ed. ... Tri-Valley Coach of the Year 9 times, his teams won 73 TVL games in a row ... The '83-84 team beat eventual Sectional Class A champ Henninger ... Athletic Director 14 years, Dr. Denby also coached girls' basketball, varsity/JV football, girls' tennis, winning Sectionals in hoops and tennis ... The Lafayette and V-V-S Hall of Famer also coached men's tennis at Hamilton College.	2021
<b>DEPTULA, George</b>	Baseball/ Basketball	CBA 1958-60 ... All-City Basketball 1st team 3 straight years 1958,59,60 ... Held CBA Basketball scoring record from 1960 to 2003 ... All-City baseball 1st team 1960 ... Holy Cross College ... Harvard Law School ... CBA Athletic Hall of Fame 2004	2021
<b>DeREGIS, Dom</b>	Baseball/ Basketball	North High 1949-51 ... 1st team All-City Basketball 1949-50 ... 1st team All-City Basketball '50-51	2021
<b>DeSILVIA, Pete</b>	Baseball/ Football	Was among the area's premier scholastic athletes during the late 1950s at Nottingham High ... DeSilvia gained first-team All-City football honors in '57 ... he was the Italian-American Athletic Club's athlete of the year in '58 ... a slugging outfielder for Ted Kleinhans' SU baseball team, he hit what some say was the longest home run ever belted at Lew Carr Field ... played on SU's only NCAA Tournament baseball team, led by Hall of Famer Dave Giusti ... signed a professional contract with the Chicago Cubs and played six seasons in the minor leagues.	2021
<b>DeVINE, Jim</b>	Baseball	Syracuse Stars Pitcher 1882-86 ... Shutout Cap Anson led White Sox ... Led Stars to 1st championship 1885	2021
<b>DeVIVO, Anthony</b>	Baseball/ Basketball	Coach and Administrator	2021
<b>DeYULIO, Gary</b>	Basketball	St Patrick's Basketball ... 1st team All-Parochial 1961-62 ... LeMoyne College Basketball 1,213 points (1963-64 16.0 ppg avg, 1964-65 17.4 ppg avg, 1965-66 20.3 ppg avg) LeMoyne Gold Wave Hall of Fame	2021
<b>DIDIO, Dave</b>	Coach / Administrator	Born in Auburn, Dave lived in Camillus ... He earned a BA and Master's (Education) from Cortland State, and served 3 years in the Coast Guard ... He coached at Mt. Carmel and in 1966, began coaching at Bishop Ludden, helping start the 'Athlete of the Week' with Jack Morse ... Didio spent 22 years at Ludden, coached 3 sports, and is best known for coaching football ... He also taught Social Studies ... In '74, he became the school's Athletic Director ... Dave initiated the Ludden Xmas Basketball Tournament, helped create the Booster Club, and was a member of the NY State committee starting the 'Super 16' Basketball Tournament, which led to the NYS Public High School Tournament in Glens Falls ... He helped countless teens find their way to college via athletics and academics ... He and wife Phyllis had 7 children (5 boys); all played scholastic and college sports (Mark played football for UConn and the NFL Steelers) ... In '87, he joined Oneida-Madison BOCES as its Director of Adult Education ... A member of Ludden's initial Athletic Hall of Fame (2021), Dave died in 2014 at age 82.	2021

<b>DIDIO, Mark</b>	Football/ Basketball	Mark was a 1st-team all-league quarterback for two City schools. As a junior at Bishop Ludden, he was the league's top passer (1,165 yards, 59 percent completions). Also, he was 2 <sup>nd</sup> -team all-Metro for BL's championship basketball team, 1 <sup>st</sup> -team all-league midfield in lacrosse, 1st junior since Mark Wadach to win the Principal's Trophy ... As a senior at Henninger, Didio was 1 <sup>st</sup> team all-league/all-Upstate, 3 <sup>rd</sup> team all-State, <i>USA Today</i> honorable mention A-A in football, 1 <sup>st</sup> -team all-league basketball, IAAC's outstanding CNY scholar-athlete in 1987. Town of Geddes proclaimed a 'Mark Didio Day' ... As a scholarship receiver at Connecticut, he set records for career catches (239), total yards (3,535), yards per game (101); season marks for total yards (1,354), ypg (123) ... With Pittsburgh (NFL), he had 3 catches, 3 1 <sup>st</sup> downs vs. Detroit in '92 ... Mark's been a 4-sport volunteer youth coach in Westport, Conn.	2023
<b>DIETZ, Bob</b>	Basketball	St John the Evangelist Basketball team ... 1st team All-Parochial Basketball 1950-51, 1951-52 ... LeMoyne College 1953-56 1,005 pts (1954-55 17.9 ppg, 1955-56 19.0 ppg)	2021
<b>DiMARTINO, Joseph</b>	Baseball/ Basketball	Assumption High ... Parochial League all state in both ... World War 2 joined Coast Guard ... returned after war, played softball for Highways of Syracuse team that won state championship ... accomplished amateur golfer ... deceased.	2021
<b>DOCTOR, LaVern</b>	Lacrosse	Lafayette High Lacrosse-AA ... All-County Lacrosse Team ... SU Lacrosse Team 1966-68 ... Honorable Men All-American 1967 ... All-American 3rd team 1968 ... OAC Lacrosse Team ... Syracuse Warriors Box Lacrosse team	2021
<b>DOCTOR, Mike</b>	Golf	Buffalo born, raised in Plattsburgh, Doctor is the son of a golf pro, father of a golf pro ... Retired head pro at Skaneateles County Club (Director of Golf 1985-2016), he came here from Pinebrook GC in Gloversville ('80-85) ... In '13, Mike was named PGA Golf Professional of the Year ... A six-time CNYPGA Pro of the Year, he attained the elevated status of PGA Master Professional in '96 ... Three times, Golf Digest named him among 'America's Top Teachers' and he's a four-time CNY and Northeastern PGA Section Horton Smith Award winner ... Mike's Master thesis: 'Understanding the Junior Golfer' and he's won the CNY Jr. Golf Leader Award seven times ... Served on national PGA Board of Directors, been president of CNYPGA Section, played golf with President Bill Clinton, given over 250 lessons annually for years ... The CNYPGA Hall of Famer ('09) was inducted into the PGA National Hall of Fame in '15.	2021
<b>DOCTOR, Ron</b>	Lacrosse/ Football	Lafayette High Lacrosse-AA ... All-County 1st team football QB 1966 ... Lafayette High Lacrosse team 1967 ... SU Lacrosse Team 1969-71 ... Honorable Men All-American 1971 ... OAC Lacrosse Team ... Syracuse Warriors Box Lacrosse ... Skaneateles High Lacrosse Coach ... Retired in 2019 with 512 career wins	2021
<b>DOLGON, Howard</b>	Hockey	Mr. Syracuse Hockey ... Has turned Syracuse from a "hockey graveyard" to a major player in the AHL ... A passionate promoter of hockey in Syracuse ... Oldest active independently owned franchise ... Has been executive of the year, winner of Ebright Award for career contributions ... Has promoted NBA exhibitions, pro boxing, pro lacrosse ... A tireless promoter of hockey in Syracuse	2021
<b>DONAHUE, Kevin</b>	Lacrosse	West Genesee Lacrosse team ... SU Lacrosse team 1977-79, 3x All American ... Coach Roy Simmons Jr's first 1st team All American ... All-American Honorable Mention 1977 ... All-American 2nd team 1978 ... All-American 1st team 1979 ... Assistant Coach West Genesee 7 years ... SU Assistant coach 32 years	2021

<b>DONVITO, Carl</b>	Baseball/Softball	North Syracuse High School sports ... Pro contract with Brooklyn Dodgers ... Pro baseball player 3 years ... Rome Can-Am League 1950, G-19, 0.91 ... Area softball teams	2021
<b>DORSEY, Patty J</b>	Promoter	Great sports promoter 1890-1930's	2021
<b>DOWDELL, Jesse</b>	Administrator/ Basketball	Mr. Southwest Community Center ... Jesse was at the helm of the center on South Avenue for 26 years (1987-2013), retiring at age 68 ... An elementary school teacher, he was recommended for the post by Syracuse Superintendent of Schools Sidney Johnson ... Dowdell grew a \$280,000 total budget to as much as \$6 million-plus. It was still \$1.35 million when he retired ... Jesse played basketball, attending Blodgett School and West Side Academy. Collegiately, he went to Hardin-Simmons in Abilene, TX, before earning his BA Degree in sociology at Empire State College.	2021
<b>DOWNEY, Tom</b>	Basketball	St John the Evangelist Basketball ... 1st team All-Parochial, 64-65, 65-66	2021
<b>DOYLE, Jimmy</b>	Baseball/ Basketball	Seymour's Baseball Club ... St Cecilia's Baseball City champions ... Utica NYSL 1909 ... Chicago Cubs 1910 ... Cincinnati Reds 1911 ... Died in his 20's.	2021
<b>DRUMMOND, Robert</b>	Football	Born in Apopka, FL, Drummond was a star in Central New York, playing for Jamesville-DeWitt and Syracuse. Joe Paterno made two home visits, but he chose SU — where he rushed for 2,246 yards and was Hall of Fame Bowl MVP (122 yds., 2 TDs) ... Philadelphia's 3 <sup>rd</sup> round pick in the 1989 NFL Draft, he played 3 years for the Eagles ... Fast-forward to '94, when he began a stellar 9-year run playing in Canada for the expansion Baltimore Stallions, Toronto Argonauts, BC Lions and Argos again ... Drummond was a CFL East All-Star ('96, '97) and West All-Star ('99) ... Career-wise, he ran for 6,706 yards — 1,309 in '99 and 1,134 in '97 — and caught 393 passes for 4,033 yards ... Best of all: Rob won 4 CFL Grey Cups (1995-96-97 and 2000) ... Since 2014, the SU grad (Sociology '89) has been President of Redefining Athletic Performance System (RAPS) ... He's a member of J-D's initial Hall of Fame class in 2000.	2025
<b>DRYPOLCHER, Dale</b>	Broadcaster	Independent color commentator of area college, high school sports for Time Warner (1978 to present) ... at East Syracuse-Minna High was executive producer/director of student TV station and taught broadcast journalism '73-02 ... adjunct at Henninger High.	2021
<b>DUNN, Bill</b>	Baseball/ Football	Syracuse High star 1899-1902 ... Quarterback & shortstop 4-year starter... Broke high school records ... Syracuse YMCA Athletic League 1899 ... St Cecilia's BBC League Champs 1900-01 ... Ogdensburg Border League 1901- 02 ... Malones Foresters Indoor team 1900 ... Syracuse Stars NYSL 1903-04 ... Utica NYSL 1904 ... Hornellsville 1905 ... Erie Interstate League 1906-07... Charleroi Penn W. Virginia 08-09 ... Connellsville Penn W. Virginia 1909 ... Rochester Minnesota Minnesota/Wisconsin 1910-11 ... Superior Northern League 1912-13 ... Fargo Moorehead Northern 1914 ... Chambersburg Blue Ridge League 1915 ... Played pro baseball 20 years ... Nettletons Syracuse Industrial League 1916 ... Lemoyne's Syracuse Industrial League 1917 ... SU Freshman Baseball Coach 1919	2021
<b>DUNN, John J.</b>	Baseball	Voted Greatest Baseball player in city 1860-70's ... Founder of Syracuse Stars 1867 ... Played with Stars 1867-76 ... Played on Stars first pro team 1876 ... 1879 National League umpire 1st Class	2021
<b>DURKIN, Jack</b>	Writer	Herald-Journal Sportswriter – Member Illinois Writers Association	2021
<b>DURKIN, Jim</b>	Vendor/ Personality	Sports personality Born and raised in Syracuse ... most popular and well-known program vendor in Central New York ... the "hey man" for his rousing sales pitch ... Syracuse Chiefs Jake Meyers Great Guy Award in 2006 ... passed away in 2017.	2021

<b>DWYER, Peter</b>	Football	Football – Central High Football ... Coached at Niagara University ... Played football at Notre Dame	2021
<b>EASTERLY, Frank</b>	Bowling/Softball	North High Baseball team 1928-29 ... Syracuse Nighthawks football team 1934 ... Softball player & Coach 30-40's ... Coach Elks LeMoyne Little League '58-59 ... Syracuse Bowling Hall of Fame '78	2021
<b>EGAN, Jeff</b>	Skiing	SU Club Ski Coach current	2021
<b>EILENBERG, Carl</b>	Broadcaster	For more than a quarter century (1980-2006), Eilenberg was the 'Voice of the Carrier Dome' the public address announcer for Syracuse University home football and basketball games ... Before that, he announced games at Archbold Stadium and Manley Fieldhouse ... But Carl also broadcast sports on local television stations. He was with WNYS (Channel 9), WCNY-TV ... And when International League baseball returned to Syracuse in 1961, Carl was at the microphone (for the '61 and '62 seasons) ... Hosted the first radio talk show in Central New York (1958-62) and was known on air as 'Peter Scott.'	2021
<b>EISEMANN, Billy</b>	Baseball/ Football/ Basketball	North High Baseball team 1922 ... CBA 2 years 3 sport star grad 1924, CBA Baseball team 1923 ... Scholarship to SU, Baseball team 1926-27 ... SU Basketball team 1926-27 ... Pro baseball clubs 1928 (Jersey City IL, Hartford EL, Albany EL), 1929 (Albany EL), 1931 (Birmingham SL), 1932 (Birmingham SL, Atlanta), 1933 (Newark Bears IL, Harrisburg NYP) ... 1933 Liverpool Semi-pro coach	2021
<b>ELLIS, Larry</b>	Football	SU Football Team 1942, 46, 47 ... team captain 1947... Detroit Lions NFL 1948 ... SU Letterman of Distinction 1980 ... Official ... Blindmen Criers Schwarzer Award '86	2021
<b>ERARDI, Greg</b>	Baseball	Liverpool High pitcher ... All-County selection pitcher ... Seattle Mariners AL 1977	2021
<b>ESPOSITO, Ralph</b>	Baseball/ Football/ Golf	North High Baseball team 1930's ... Kren's semi-pro Baseball team ... Syracuse Bisons Football 6 seasons ... Ran District Senior Golf Association	2021
<b>EWANISZYK, Billy</b>	Coach	The Parochial League is a distant memory: 46 years since fans filled tiny gyms Friday night to watch some of the City's best (players, coaches) ... One of the league's top coaches was Sacred Heart's Ewaniszyk, known as Billy E. ... Over 9 seasons, his league mark of 108-27 (.800), 140-44 overall (.761) and 12 regular-season/playoff/state titles is hard to beat ... Hearts set a Parochial single-season standard in the mid-'70s: unbeaten in league regular-season play and playoffs. That team went 21-1 overall, losing a non-leaguer to CBA. Sacred Heart was NY State's top small school team, the PL's lone State champ ... After winning 13 of its last 14 games and '74 Section III Class D crown, Ewaniszyk left Syracuse to take a new Allied Chemical job in Wyoming ... Billy E. founded/coached Syracuse Ukrainian Home's hoop team and Skrupa's West End LL team, also helped found Hearts' Booster Club (raised \$20K to build a new gym) and was a baseball scout for Kansas City and Oakland.	2021
<b>FAATZ, Jay</b>	Baseball	Watsons of Weedsport 1875-77 ... Pittsburgh 1884 ... Toronto EL 1886-1887 ... Cleveland Spiders 1888-1889 ... Buffalo 1890 ... Syracuse Stars 1885, 1891, 1892, 1894 ... Syracuse Stars manager 1892-1893 ... Utica 1893	2021
<b>FAIRMAN, Ken</b>	Baseball/ Football	Central High football team ... 1st Team All-City Football ... Central baseball 1928 ... Princeton Football All American ... Princeton Athletic Director	2021
<b>FAIRMAN, Roy</b>	Journalist	Syracuse Herald-Journal Sports	2021
<b>FAZIO, Charles</b>	Boxing	(Caveman Fisher) ... Northside boxer 1920-30's ... 34 wins in career	2021
<b>FELICE, Andy</b>	Gymnastics	– Gymnastics – Henninger High Coach ... Blindmen Criers Coaches Award 1982	2021
<b>FELICE, Phil</b>	Football	VO All County ... Westhill High Coach ... Pop Warner Football	2021

<b>FERRANTE, Ed</b>	Baseball/ Football	CBA Football & Baseball teams ... Onondaga High School League (OHSL) Official ... Blindmen Criers Schwarzer Award 98	2021
<b>FIFIELD, Jack</b>	Baseball	Philadelphia Phillies NL 1897-99 ... Washington NL 1899 ... Detroit 1896-97, 1900 ... Syracuse Stars pitch record 113-79 ... Syracuse Stars 1902 19 wins, 1903 25 wins, 1904 26 wins ... Syracuse Stars NYSL Champs 1904 ... Syracuse Baseball Wall of Fame 2004	2021
<b>FILICIA, Tom</b>	Baseball/ Football/ Basketball	Three sport star at CBA	2021
<b>FITZGERALD, Carol "Chappell"</b>	Softball	20 years with Syracuse Senior Cyclones/Manager	2021
<b>FLETCHER, Lauren</b>	Volleyball	When Fletcher, at 6-foot-1, wasn't blocking a shot at the net, she was killing one! ... At Marcellus, she was an All-State selection in 2006-07-08, Section III Player of the Year and team MVP as a junior and senior, and led the Mustangs to 3 sectional titles, including a 21-0 regional championship season ... Lauren set season and career marks for kills and blocks, was captain as a senior blocker, member of the National Honor Society and also was an outstanding soccer player ... At Providence College, she unfortunately played for teams that were a collective 43-81. Fletcher reached the 1,000-kill milestone and was 3 <sup>rd</sup> all-time in blocks (397) and hitting percentage (.292) ... MVP of the 2010 Friar Classic, she played every set (111) in 2011 ... Selected to the 7-player America East 1 <sup>st</sup> team ... Lauren went on to coach the Little Rock (AR) Flames.	2025
<b>FLYNN, Ray</b>	Basketball	Basketball Coach at CBA ... St. Anthony's Blindmen Criers Kearney Award 1991	2021
<b>FOGARTY, Dan "Chuck"</b>	Football	SU Quarterback/Defensive Back 1956-58 ... '58 SU's Pat Miller Award	2021
<b>FOURNIER, Henry</b>	Baseball	Syracuse Stars 1892, won 20+ Cincinnati Reds Foresters City Champs	2021
<b>FREEMAN, Jeramy</b>	Bodybuilder/ Coach/ Promoter	Bodybuilding professional athlete health club consultant (Bally's, Gold's) ... 2001 IFBB Overall Champ North America	2021
<b>FREENEY, Jack</b>	Boxing	Skaneateles Pro Boxer	2021
<b>FREGIN, Arnold (Lefty)</b>	Coach/ Baseball/ Hockey	Holy Rosary Baseball/hockey 1948-52 ... Syracuse Stars hockey '63-70 ... Mid-State youth hockey coach 15 years	2021
<b>FRUCIANO, Bob</b>	Baseball/ Softball	North Syracuse High School Football All-City, Honorable Mention 1945 ... No-hit vs. Valley 12-0, 1945 ... Boston Braves, minor leagues 1947-50 Richmond Roses, '47-48, Pawtucket '49, Bluefield '50, High Point '50, many local ... Local softball teams '49-65	2021
<b>FUSSELL, Freddie</b>	Baseball	– Baseball – Pittsburgh Pirates NL 1928-29 ... Chicago Cubs NL '22-23 ... Wichita Falls '24, 26-27 ... Seattle PCL 1925 ... Buffalo Bisons IL '30-33 ... Albany EL 1933 ... Syracuse Chiefs pitcher, 1934-38 ... Won Chiefs 1st game at new Syracuse Municipal Stadium (MacArthur) 4/18/34 over Montreal Royals 2-1	2021
<b>GAGE, Keith</b>	Soccer	LeMoyne Soccer coach 1966-87 ... NCAA tourneys in 1975 & 1977 ... Intercollegiate Soccer Association Ranking Board from 1973-1976 ... NCAA Regulatory Advisory Committee 1975-1980 ... Chairman 1982 National Sports Festival ... Chairman 1987 AAU Junior Olympics ... Founded European Soccer school ... Run's Keith Gage soccer school ... Inducted LeMoyne Hall of Fame 2001	2021
<b>GALINSKY, Abe</b>	Football/ Basketball	Central High three sports in late 1920's ... St Lawrence University football team 1932	2021
<b>GARELICK, Howie</b>	Baseball	Nottingham High School Star in the 1960s	2021



<b>GARELICK, Ike</b>	Baseball/ Basketball/ Football	Central High 3 sports 1930-32	2021
<b>GARVEY, Jack</b>	Baseball/ Football/Golf	North High grad (1960) was two-time All-City in basketball, baseball, twice honorable mention in football as quarterback ... On the court, was No. 2 City scorer, averaging 24.5, 25.9 ppg his last two seasons ... Set school record with 26 made free throws vs. Nottingham; scored 40 vs. Valley ... On the diamond, Jack pitched North to 1958 City title and overall crown, striking out 18 in 11-inning win over Sacred Heart ... Attended SU; starting halfback on unbeaten 1960 frosh football team ... Signed baseball contract with Cincinnati; pitched for Geneva, Tampa (A), Macon (AA); arm injury led to 1965 release ... Played fast and slow pitch softball, touch football, racquetball, squash, golf (4-handicapper at Bellevue CC) ...	2021
<b>GARVEY, Jim</b>	Basketball/ Baseball/ Softball	North High 3-year sport star ... 1st team All-City Basketball 2 seasons (1934-35, 1935-36) ... Semi Pro Baseball	2021
<b>GARY GRIFFIN</b>	Swimming	Born in Newburgh, Gary was all-conference in football at Bethany College ... Came to Weedsport High in 1968 to teach physical education, start school district's swim program ... Served as AD, but best known as an educator with coaching record from 1969-2003 of 391-59 (87 percent wins), 7 unbeaten, 4 in a row each going 14-0), 21 league titles, 25 Class B sectional crowns and NY state small school title in 2002 ... Never had a losing season ... His '96 team was recognized as the No. 3 small school program in the USA ... He made passing swimming test a requirement to graduate ... Gary coached 23 All-Americans (15 academic, 8 athletic), was chosen National Swim Coach of the Year ('03), inducted into the Weedsport Sports HOF ('09) and when the new swim complex was rededicated ('16), the Natatorium was named in his honor ... He died in 2017 at age 74.	2021
<b>GATES, Bill</b>	Baseball	Nottingham High ... 1st team All-City baseball 1938-39 ... Syracuse Chiefs pitcher 1947 ... Syracuse Chiefs PR Director	2021
<b>GAUGHAN, Tad</b>	Baseball/ Basketball/ Bowling	Hercules Football team ... Syracuse Stars Catcher 1919 ... 20+ Athletic Director New Process Gear	2021
<b>GEER, George (Billy)</b>	Baseball	1800's pro Baseball 1874-85 ... New Haven 1875, Philadelphia 1884, Cincinnati 1878, Brooklyn 1884 ... Syracuse Stars 1876 1st pro team ... Syracuse Stars Pitcher 1876, 1882, 1884 ... Manager Norwich 1885-1886, 1892-1893 ... Central City team 1878-1880 ... Umpire Eastern Association 1891 ... Organized NYSL in 1897 ... 40+ years organized baseball ... 1879 NL umpire	2021
<b>GERSBACHER, Ron</b>	Historian	Historian Syracuse Chiefs 1988-2006 ... Historian Greater Syracuse Sports Hall of Fame '89-May 07 ... SAMMY's Hall Fame '94 ... Chairman/founding Member of Syracuse Baseball Wall of Fame '98 ... President Syracuse Chiefs 2006 ... Chiefs Board Director 1997-2006 ... Syracuse Press Club award & NYS Press Club award '97 ... 1st NYS Encyclopedia 2006 Syracuse ... baseball advisor, authority, author ... Blindmen & Criers Fan Award '99 ... Lady Chiefs team founder 2001-present ... Society of American Baseball Research 1985-present ... International Leagues 125th Anniversary Committee	2021
<b>GIBBONS, John</b>	Basketball	Basketball coach at CBA	2021

<b>GIBSON, Gary Jr.</b>	Football	A Central New York and all-State football selection, Gibson was a star offensive and defensive tackle, as well as tight end for league champion Lafayette High School (Class of 2000) ... On full scholarship at Rutgers University, he redshirted his freshman year, then was a four-year starter at defensive tackle and graduated in 2005 ... On injured reserve with the NFL Baltimore Ravens that year, Gary went overseas and starred for the Hamburg Sea Devils, setting an NFL Europe record and being named defensive MVP for the World Bowl 15 champions ... That fall, he began a seven-year run in the NFL, all as a starter or on active rosters, with the Carolina Panthers ('07-08), St. Louis Rams ('09-10-11) and Tampa Bay Buccaneers ('12-13) ... Gary retired following the 2013 season.	2021
<b>GILINSKY, Jake</b>	Basketball/ Football	Central High 1928-30 ... NYS Basketball Champ 1929-30.	2021
<b>GILINSKY, Sam</b>	Football	Multi-sport Athlete at Central High ... St Lawrence football team 1931-32	2021
<b>GIROMINI, Vic</b>	Bowling	Syracuse Bowling Hall of Fame 1962 ... New Process Gear team Leader	2021
<b>GIUSTI, Frank</b>	Baseball/ Basketball/ Football	North Syracuse High ... 1st team All-County baseball 1963 ... 1st team All-County Basketball '62-63 ... 2nd team All-County QB 1962 ... New York Yankees ... 3 years in minor leagues	2021
<b>GOES, Cliff "Tip"</b>	Crew	Helms Rowing Hall of Fame ... SU Letterman of Distinction 1971 ... High School football referee 1920's	2021
<b>GOETTELL, Eddie</b>	Baseball/ Basketball	Ermies 1898 ... Pastimes Athletic Club Star Pitcher 1900's ... Pastimes Athletic Club Basketball team star ... Ermine's baseball team 1908 ... Pastimes indoor champs 1914-15 ... Chiefs groundskeeper 1935-55 ... Pastime Athletic Club President 40+ years ... Early Basketball star in Syracuse	2021
<b>GOLDEN, Benny</b>	Football	Central High Quarterback 1932-34 ... All-City Quarterback 1st team 1934	2021
<b>GOSEK, Joe</b>	Auto Racing	Entering the decade of his 70's, Gosek drove his number '00' for the 46th consecutive year in the 2025 Classic at Oswego Speedway ... An Oswego native, he graduated from crewman in 1980 to Supermodified driver and became one of the finest drivers in the history of the Speedway ... The pinnacle of his career came in 1996 — as an Indianapolis 500 rookie in an unfamiliar race car, finishing 22nd. But Joe's highlights reach well beyond Indy. Five years prior to the Indy 500, he swept Supermodified's Triple Crown: Hy-Miler Classic in Ohio, Oswego Budweiser International Classic, Star Classic in New Hampshire. He's one of only 4 drivers, including Hall of Famer Doug Heveron, to accomplish that feat ... Gosek has won nearly 70 main events at 14 tracks in 6 states and Canada ... In 2014, his 42nd Oswego Speedway victory eclipsed Hall of Famer Nolan Swift's mark. And he didn't stop winning years later ... A 2-time Oswego track champion, Joe's 'real job' has been working at Nine Mile in Scriba.	2026
<b>GRABOWSKI, Al</b>	Baseball	— Baseball — Sacred Heart Athletic Club-Pitcher ... Syracuse Stars International League 1921 & 24-27 ... Pitched International League No-hitter vs. Prov 1925 ... St. Louis Cardinals NL 1929-30 ... Pitcher Syracuse Industrial Leagues ... Pitcher-Journal- AL	2021
<b>GRABOWSKI, Gene</b>	Football/ Basketball	Liverpool ... All-County Football Honor Men 1950 ... All-County 1st team football 1952 ... Manlius Academy Football 1954-55 ... SU Football 1959 National Champs ... Buffalo Bills AFL 1960 ... Liverpool Sports Hall of Fame 2002	2021
<b>GRABOWSKI, Reggie</b>	Baseball/ Bowling	Sacred Heart Athletic Club ... Baseball/Bowling teams ... Philadelphia Phillies NL 1932 34 ... Syracuse Chiefs 1935, 38, 39, 43-45 ... Montreal Royals IL 1939-40 ... Minneapolis Amateur Association 1936-37... Albany-Eastern League 1940-42 ... No-hitter vs Springfield in 1941	2021

<b>GREGORY, Scott</b>	Ice Skating	Olympic skater from Skaneateles	2021
<b>GREGORY, Steve</b>	Football	SU & NFL Football (Chargers, Patriots, Chiefs)	2021
<b>GRIFFIN, Jack</b>	Football	ESM coach 23 years ... Blindmen Criers Coaches Award '90	2021
<b>GRIFFIN, Tobias "Sandy"</b>	Baseball	Fayetteville outfield 1880-90's ... Utica NYS League 1886-87 ... Buffalo 1887,92,93,98 ... NY Giants NL 1884 ... Rochester Amateur Association 1890 ... Washington NL 1891 (player/manager) ... St Louis Browns 1893 ... Syracuse Stars, Ply-Coach-Owner 1882-83,85,94-95,99, 1902-11 ... NYS League Championship 1904 ... SD baseball coach in '99 ... Owner CNY Race Horses ... Syracuse Baseball Wall of Fame 2003	2021
<b>GRILLI, Steve</b>	Baseball	Born 1949 in Brooklyn ... High School in Memphis, TN ... Gannon graduate ... Right-hand pitcher was free agent signee with Detroit in '70 ... Major league debut with Tigers in '75 (had 3 scoreless innings vs. Orioles) ... Purchased by Toronto in '78; had 1 appearance for Blue Jays ... Career major league stats (almost entirely with '76-77 Tigers): 4-3, 4.71 ERA, 70 games, 2 starts, 3 saves, 147 2/3 innings ... Spent most of professional career in minors (76-82, 3.33 ERA) ... With Syracuse Chiefs in '78-80, had 19-26 record, but was outstanding (9-7, 2.01, 12 saves) out of the bullpen for '79 Governors' Cup finalists ... Chiefs' Wall of Fame ('06) ... Last big-league game with Jays Sept. 17, '79 ... Color commentator on Chiefs' telecasts.	2021
<b>GROSS, Daryl</b>	Adminstrator	Former Syracuse University Athletic Director & Vice President and Special Assistant to the Chancellor at Syracuse University; Currently Executive Director of Intercollegiate Athletics at California State University, Los Angeles	2021
<b>HADDOCK, Johnny</b>	Baseball	Pastime AC Indoor champs 1913 ... Minor league player/manager '15-34 ... Binghamton IL '18, 20 ... Baltimore IL '18 ... Toronto IL '19-20 ... Scout St Louis Cardinals '25-27 ... Cornell University baseball assistant coach '26-32 ... Rochester IL coach 1930 ... Scout for Cincinnati Reds '38, NY Yankees '32-47, Pittsburgh Pirates '49-50	2021
<b>HALL, Archie</b>	Football	North Syracuse High Coach 28 years 1933-61 ... Football Stadium named in his honor	2021
<b>HAMILTON, Don</b>	Boxing	Began boxing at the age of seven as 75-pounder ... Accident prevented pro career ... Greatest contribution has been as a trainer of amateurs ... Active in Olympic Trials and Golden Gloves ... Member of Boxing Hall of Fame	2021
<b>HARGADEN, Ed</b>	Baseball/ Football/ Basketball	CBA 1929-30 grad ... Won Eastern States title 1930 ... Georgetown All-American ... Georgetown Hall of Fame ... Maryland Hall of Fame...Syracuse Reds '39-40 ... Loyola High Ch '41-74 ... Commissioner Maryland Scholastic Association '74-83 ... CBA Sports Hall of Fame	2021
<b>HARLOW Carmen</b>	Football/ Coach/Umpire	Played football, basketball and indoor/outdoor track at Nottingham H.S. '71-'74; Two-time CNY League passing champion, '72' & '73, one of Nottingham's all-time leading total offense leaders (passing/rushing) Named CNY All City in '72 & '73 (offense and defense), Section III indoor track silver medalist '73-'74; Member of Syracuse University Orangemen, '74-'77, Pop Warner football official, NYS high school and collegiate baseball umpire '80-'89; Coached varsity football at Nottingham ('85-'88); Varsity Assistant Coach at CBA '89; Modified Assistant Coach at FM-HS '92, Coach VJAA basketball, '02; Valley Pop Warner mighty mite and midget football coach '05 & '07 and President of the Valley Pop Warner org. '06-'11; Founder and President of the Urban Sports Hall of Fame '87-present. Elected to the Onondaga County Legislator twice, Involved in numerous community agencies and boards as volunteer.	2021
<b>HARLOW, Frank "Pops"</b>	Basketball/ Official	Vocational Basketball team ... Syracuse's 1st black Basketball official ... 1st team All-City Basketball 1934-35 ... Syracuse Urban Sports Hall of Fame	2021
<b>HARNISH, Walt "Doc"</b>	Baseball/ Football	North High 1909-10 Quarterback/Halfback ... Star Athlete-Pastime Athletic Club	2021

<b>HARRINGTON, family</b>	Ice Skating	In '50s and '60s, the Harringtons of Syracuse's West Lafayette Ave. were the Greatest Show on Ice in their Kelly-green outfits ... Howard, father of 10 (7 girls), and wife Mary, had their kids in Crystal Speed Skating Club ('50-55), then Syracuse SS Club ('56-67), which he founded ... He was skating coach, nationally acclaimed official, who helped start Valley Little League ('53), and was 1st president ... At 13, Kathy won '56 Jr. Girls National Championship in St. Paul, MN, with record 1/6-mile (:29.8), then 3 more national indoor titles ('57). She was '56 Herald-Journal CNY Female Athlete of the Year; later coached Hall of Famer Gretchen Byrne ... Eileen won Nationals in '61 ... Ann set national record in 320 outdoors ... Boys aside, Harrington girls won nearly a dozen NY State crowns, countless North American titles.	2021
<b>HASSETT, Billy</b>	Basketball	Georgetown Basketball team 2 years ... Notre Dame Basketball team 2 years ... ND All-American 1946 & '47 ... Tri City Blackhawks 1948-50 ... Minneapolis Lakers '50 ... Baltimore '51 ... M.H. Rosary Basketball coach 1963	2021
<b>HAWKE, Reed</b>	Wrestling	N.Y.S. Wrestling Hall of Fame ... Chairman NYS Wrestling ... Blindmen Criers Schwarzer Award 96 ... NYS tourney director 1970-2003.	2021
<b>HECKER, Sheldon</b>	Baseball/ Football/ Basketball	North High 3 sports 1921-23 ... Niagara University Football 1923-27 (Named to Little All-America team) ... Niagara University Football Coach '29-34	2021
<b>HENDERSHOT, Bob</b>	Athlete	In back-to-back seasons, Auburn High didn't lose a football game with Hendershot at quarterback. One year, it was Ray Hendershot; the next, brother Bob ... As a junior, Auburn was No. 5 in NY state; Bob was all-CNY/3 <sup>rd</sup> team all-Upstate awaiting his move to QB. He also was all-CNY point guard (18 ppg.), all-CNY/All-America pitcher ... As a senior QB, Bob was all-CNY/all-Area, 2 <sup>nd</sup> team Upstate (15.6 yards-per-completion). The team was No. 3 in the state. Those 2 seasons, Auburn was 24-0 ... Bob also scored 31 as Auburn came from 19 down in the final 3:15 to beat Fowler in basketball and his 20 strikeouts vs. CBA left the Brothers' Tom Petroff exclaiming: "That was the most unbelievable thing I've ever seen as a coach!" ... Tom quarterbacked Iowa Central College, but baseball was his ticket to the pros. He picked off 23 base runners one MVP season, 43 overall ... Playing in 1983 for the NY-P League's Utica Blue Sox, owned by comedian Bill Murray, he hit 3 homers vs. Auburn (26 HRs in 2 seasons. He was with the Braves organization in '84, then coached, then taught Upstate.	2023
<b>HENRY, Scott</b>	Swimming	Liverpool All-American 1981-82 ... Breaststroke East. Champ ... NYS, Section III & League Champ ... NYS Record in 100 Breaststroke ... SU Swim team ... Liverpool Sports Hall of Fame '89	2021
<b>HEYMAN, Fred</b>	Illustrator	– Sport Illustrator – Herald Newspaper Sports Cartoonist ... Herald Newspaper 1921-1990 ... Herald Art director '29-1990 ... Received the Syracuse Press Club-1st Career Achievement Award ... Press Club-Wall of Distinction 2006 ... Died in 1992 at age 86	2021
<b>HILL, Oliver Jr</b>	Lacrosse	SU Lacrosse Team ... Syracuse Warriors Box Lacrosse Team ... Onondaga Athletic Club Lacrosse team ... President of Box Lacrosse League	2021
<b>HILL, Ron</b>	Lacrosse	SU Lacrosse Team ... Honorable Mention All-American 1971 ... Onondaga Athletic Club Lacrosse ... Syracuse Warriors Box Lacrosse	2021
<b>HILLSMAN, Quentin</b>	Basketball	Former SU Women's Basketball Coach. 2016 NCAA runner-up	2021
<b>HOGAN, Kent</b>	Basketball	Syracuse Flyers ... Wheels Wheelchair Basketball tm	2021

<b>HOHM, John III</b>	Track	Nothing stopped Hohm from having another 'good run.' Not being the victim of a terrifying attack in his Strathmore home that nearly killed him. Not being struck by an unlicensed driver while taking his daily morning run. Eventually, he kept running ... A star miler and cross country runner at Nottingham, John won the City/Parochial cross country championship and was voted the school's best athlete his senior year. At Southern Illinois on full scholarship, he earned a Bachelor's and Master's in Phys. Ed. He spent 4 years at Elmwood Elementary, then began teaching and coaching at Corcoran ... After 46 years as boys' cross country coach, Hohm retired following the 2025 season. Since 1974, his teams won 5 NY State championships — Class A: '79; Class B: '86, '90, '92, '93. They captured 10 Section III crowns and 14 league titles ... Coaching track and field (outdoor/indoor) for 38 years, while teaching PE, Hohm retired from both in 2012. His teams combined won 5 State, 23 sectional, 27 league titles and included 3 individual State champs ... John earned a bus driver's license in 2007 so he could drive his team to cross country meets ... He considers 2 hours, 31 minutes in the '79 Boston Marathon — one of 25 marathons he ran, 10 in Boston — his best performance ... Co-founder of the Syracuse Track Club, Holm is a Nottingham, Corcoran and Mountain Goat Hall of Famer.	2026
<b>HOPKINS, Mike</b>	Basketball	Washington University Men's basketball coach, Former Assistant SU men's basketball coach, formally named Men's Basketball Head Coach-Designate by Syracuse University	2021
<b>HOYSACK, Matty</b>	Baseball/ Football	Nottingham QB 1928-30 ... Nottingham baseball team 1928 ... 1st team All-City football 1930	2021
<b>HURLEY, Mike</b>	Swimming	Liverpool High Swim All-American ... NYS Swim Champ ... Eastern Champ ... Liverpool Sports Hall of Fame-1988 ... University of Iowa	2021
<b>ILACQUA, Tony "Moose"</b>	Softball/ Football	Syracuse Bisons football 1943-47 ... 40-year softball player	2021
<b>JACOBS, David</b>	Football	SU Football Kicker 1975-79 ... New York Jets NFL '79 ... 1985 Empire Football League Champs (Syracuse Express) ... Cleveland Browns NFL '81 ... USFL 1983 ... Philadelphia Eagles NFL 1987	2021
<b>JACQUES, Lou</b>	Lacrosse	OAC Coach Field & Box teams ... Box Lacrosse League Coach of the Year ... Coach-Syracuse Warriors Box team ... Maker of lacrosse sticks	2021
<b>JAMES, Loren</b>	Basketball	West Genesee Basketball team 1956-59 ... 1st team All-County Basketball '57-58, '58-59 ... SU fresh Basketball 1959-60, Varsity team '60-61	2021
<b>JANIAK, John</b>	Wrestling	Cicero North Syracuse High (1969-73) 90-12 record ... SU Wrestling team ('73-78), 81-9 record ... 2-time Wrestling All-American ... 3-time Eastern Champion (EIWA) ... 6-time AAU All-American wrestler	2021
<b>JANIAK, Mike</b>	Racquetball	Pro Racquetball Tour-Ranked #5	2021
<b>JARMAC, Ed</b>	Baseball	Eastwood High baseball team 1962-65 ... All-City 1st team 3 straight years	2021
<b>JENKINS, Billy</b>	Basketball	St. Vincent's 1947-49 ... 1st team All-Parochial '46-47 ... 1st team All-Parochial '47-48 ... 1st team All-Parochial '48-49 ... 3-time 1st team selection ... LeMoyne College-1,062 pts (5th) ... 1951-52, 315pts, 15.7 ppg avg ... Drafted by Syracuse Nationals-NBA	2021
<b>JOHNSON, Dan</b>	Contributor	Played and coached tennis, basketball, baseball, and softball ... started over-40 basketball league in DeWitt, played in Over 50 league ... Softball Hall of Fame in 2010. Was instrumental in the creation of the Ernie Davis Statue	2021

<b>JUBINVILLE, Bob</b>	Media	Starting in 1978, was involved in live event coverage of scholastic and Syracuse athletic events for cable TV ... Associate producer of sports for Time Warner Sports ... produced TV coverage of Empire State Games, state high school wrestling championships ... associate producer for events winning 8 Cable Ace awards ... deceased.	2021
<b>JULIAN, “Kid” Michael</b>	Boxing	Syracuse Resident pro boxer 1909-1925 (Angelo Giuliano)	2021
<b>KALLET, A. Harry</b>	Football	SU Football 1909-11 ... Walter Camp All-American 1911 ... SU Football coach/scout ... Coach St. John's Military Academy (Manlius School) 1916-25, Manlius Athletic Field named in his honor ... SU Letterman of Distinction 1966	2021
<b>KANE, Emmett</b>	Football	Football	2021
<b>KATZ, Ev</b>	Basketball/ Track	SU Basketball 1929-31 ... SU Track ... SU Basketball. Reindeer 5-’30 ... All-American ... American Legion League Syracuse ’34-35 ... Newark Elks-pro Basketball ... Cathedral High coach 1936-37 ... Lou Andreas' All-time team member ... SU Letterman of Distinction	2021
<b>KAUPP, Hank</b>	Football/ Bowling	Syracuse Bowling Hall of Fame 1965 ... Pastime City Division Champs ’65-66, League Champs ’41-42 ... Coached All-Schillers Football team ... Pastime-Sportsman of Year ... President of Pastime Athletic Club	2021
<b>KEARNEY, Ed</b>	Basketball/ Administrator	CBA Basketball Coach 1920-28 ... Basketball Official ... Blind Men & Criers founder ... CBA Athletic Hall of Fame-2004	2021
<b>KELLY, Michael J.</b>	Baseball	Secretary/Owner of Syracuse Stars baseball club 20+ years ... Day given in his honor	2021
<b>KENEFICK, Bob</b>	Journalist	Sport Writer	2021
<b>KERR, Neil</b>	Journalist	Syracuse Newspapers High School sports ... High school sports record keeper ... Blindmen Criers Kearney Award 1995.	2021
<b>KING, Kevin</b>	Coach	It wasn’t always about the hair (long) or that he was a free-spirited sort (a New Yorker who transferred from LaSalle in Philly. It was really about the way he played—and won—as a Syracuse swingman. And the fact he won so often as a high school coach at Westhill ... King was at his best for the ‘cuse in the biggest of games during his junior year, when SU played its way to its first Final Four in 1975 under Coach Roy Danforth. Coming off the bench in all 32 games, he averaged a career-high 7.1 ppg. In the NCAA East Regional, he scored 12 points vs. favored North Carolina and 10 vs. Kansas State ... In the 1980’s, he worked for the Onondaga County Child Protective Services ... Kevin’s coaching career has been nothing short of sensational: 5 trips to the NY State championship game (2010, ’14, ’15, ’17, ’23) and 3 crowning moments — 60-51 over Burke Catholic (Sec. IX) in 2010, 80-62 over Canton (Sec. X) in 2017, 66-61 over Catholic Central (Sec. II) in 2023 — not to mention 10 Sec. III titles ... Having previously been diagnosed with cancer, it was time to retire and spend more time with his family on the heels of that final 24-4 campaign, time to reflect on more than 350 victories.	2026
<b>KING, Larry E.</b>	Football	SU Football team 1974-77 ... East-West Shrine Game 1978 ... Coach Cicero North Syracuse CYO 1978	2021
<b>KING, Norb</b>	Baseball	CBA Baseball ... LeMoyne College Baseball ... LeMoyne College Hall of Fame	2021
<b>KING, Regis</b>	Basketball	CBA Basketball/Baseball team ... Led Basketball team in scoring 3 years ... 1st team All-City Basketball ’46-47, ’47-48 ... Manhattan College Basketball ... 1960 Olympic Fencing team ... CBA Hall of Fame ’01	2021
<b>KINSEY, Ken</b>	Football	Central Tech football team ... SU Halfback 1973	2021

<b>KIRNAN, Don</b>	Hockey	Coach/Administrator ... Commissioner Junior B Hockey League ... Board of Junior Council USA Hockey ... Vice President Midstate Youth Hockey ... Head coach 1st Syracuse Stars Pee Wee team to win Quebec Pee-wee Tourney in 1995 ... CNY Boys Ch Empire State Games ... Syracuse Jr Stars 1986-2019 ... Started Empire Junior B League 1997-2013	2021
<b>KITE, Mrs. Mary</b>	Bowling	SWBA Bowling Hall of Fame 1967	2021
<b>KLAMM, Ted</b>	Baseball	A dominant left-hander at Bishop Ludden, Klamm was a 1st-team All-League selection (1985-88), two-time 1st-team All-CNY ('87-88) and drafted by the Cincinnati Reds ... Opting to go to college at the Division I level for Seton Hall, he was named Big East Pitcher of the Year, 1st-team All-Conference and New Jersey Pitcher of the Year. He set the school record for complete games in a season (8), striking out a career total of 237 in 269 innings. He pitched in the top summer leagues (Greater Alaska and Cape Cod), leading the Cape in wins ... Ted was again drafted, this time by the Pittsburgh Pirates, and pitched three seasons in the minors, reaching Double-A ... After a career-ending injury, he began coaching — first as LeMoyne's pitching coach, then as head coach at Ludden (1997-2016) and since 2017 at Westhill. His overall scholastic coach record is outstanding (376-181, .675). Klamm's teams have won 5 Section III titles and he's twice been selected All-CNY Coach of the Year (2006, '10). In 2012, he was named Syracuse Chamber of Commerce COY, the year he guided the Onondaga Babe Ruth All-Stars to the World Series Championship, a first for CNY ... A Bishop Ludden Hall of Famer, Ted helped conduct summer camps for the City of Syracuse, free for kids.	2026
<b>KLEINHANS, Ted</b>	Baseball	Philadelphia NL 1934 ... Cincinnati Reds '34, 37-38 ... NY Yankees 1936 ... Newark Bears IL 1935-36 ... Syracuse Chiefs pitcher 1938-41 ... SU Baseball Coach 1947-66 ... All-team Chiefs team-1964	2021
<b>KNAPP, Parker</b>	Baseball/ Football/ Track	North High ... North All-City Football 1st team 1913-14 ... LeMoyne Athletic Club '12-17 ... Jackson AC 1915 ... Best Semi- Pro player of '20-30 in Syracuse Indus. Baseball Leagues ... Brown-Lipe Chapin '21-24,30 ... New Process Gear BB team '23-28 ... Named by Syracuse Newspapers to All-Syracuse Native Baseball team 1900-39 ... St Anthony's baseball Coach	2021
<b>KOBAR, John</b>	Basketball	— Basketball — Bishop Ludden Basketball ... 1st team All-City Basketball '74-75, '75-76	2021
<b>KOHANSKI, Jack</b>	Coach/ Baseball	Big scorer at Vocational High in Syracuse, record setting scoring leader with 433 points in '55-56 season ... scored 43 points twice and averaged nearly 30 despite diminutive stature ... co-captain '56-57 city league all-stars ... Fowler High Baseball coach for 25 years ... Fowler named its home field after him ... died in 2013.	2021
<b>KORZENIEWSKI, Susan Pesane</b>	Sailing	Took up sport while attending Endicott College ... has won five North American Hobie Cat championships, last two with teenage daughter Erika ... in 1994, she and friend took 35-foot sailboat from Baltimore to England in 28 days ... also 3rd degree Black Belt in karate.	2021
<b>KOWALEWSKI, Joe</b>	Football	Solvay High, Blair Academy ... SU 2001-05 ... NFL: NY Jets, 2006-08; Miami Dolphins, 2009.	2021

<b>LIDLAW, Marcia</b>	Coach (VB)	A half-century of coaching should result in quite a few victories along the way. For Canastota High girls' volleyball coach Marcia Laidlaw, it's more than a few; No. 900, in fact. That figure was reached in December 2024 ... She is the second-winningest girls volleyball coach in New York State history, behind retired Eden coach Stephen Pierce (991) ... Over time (48 years at Canastota, 51 overall), her girls' teams have won 40 league titles (Tri-Valley/Center State Conference), 18 sectional crowns and nine regionals ... A graduate of Gouverneur HS, the Jefferson CC and SUNY Brockport alum is a member of the NY State and Section III Volleyball Coaches Assn. Halls of Fame ... Laidlaw also coached Canastota boys' volleyball teams to two Tri-Valley League titles. She's a six-time Mountain Valley Conf. COY ... Additionally, Marcia coached at Mohawk Valley Community College and is a four-time NJCAA Region III COY ... Marcia also coached varsity field hockey (292 wins), softball (195), boys' volleyball, as mentioned (73) and girls' track (31). That's 1,490 career wins and 32 years teaching phys. ed!	2026
<b>LAMANNA, Frank</b>	Baseball	Boston Braves NL 1940-42 ... Los Angeles Angels PCL 1947 ... Syracuse Chiefs 1953	2021
<b>LANGAN, Art</b>	Golf	President Syracuse District Golf Association 1968-69 ... Syracuse District Champ 1942-43, 45 ... Won NYS Junior Championship 43 ... Parochial League Team champs 1943 ... City of Syracuse High School team champ 1943 ... Won Bell Memorial-Guest 43, 48, 52, 54 ... Played in US Amateur in '47, '49 ... Played in French Amateur 1950 ... Executive Secretary NYS Golf Association 1952-55 ... Won Bellevue CC Champ 1951 ... 1946-98 won 15 other CNY tourneys ... Co-owner of Rogues Roost Golf Course ... 1986 New York Seniors Golf Champ ... Died in 1998	2021
<b>LANGAN, Tony</b>	Golf	Junior Golf Tourneys-60 years ... 1943 NYS Golf Association Junior team ... Won Syracuse District 1946, 51, 52 ... SU Golf team '47-50 ... '49 US Amateur-Oak Hill ... 1950 Played in French Amateur ... 1955 Won Bellevue Championship ... 1986 NYS Seniors Champion	2021
<b>LANGHURST, Caroline</b>	Lacrosse	At Fayetteville-Manlius, the former Caroline Helmer lettered in 4 sports. A Section III 1 st -teamer in soccer, she competed in basketball and indoor track. But lacrosse remains her sport of a lifetime ... A 2-time All-League 1 st -teamer, twice All-CNY 2 nd team, Caroline captained F-M in 2007-08 ... F-M was 2-time Section III AA champ, NY State champ ('05) and runner-up ('06) ... 'Cacki' was Girls' Athlete of the Year as a senior, member of F-M's Hall of Fame Team ('05, '06) and GSSHOF Team of Honor ... At Cornell, she was 2-time captain, a 2 nd team All-America defender, unanimous 1 st team All-League (leading Ivies in ground balls and caused turnovers) and Academic All-Ivy in 2012 ... Chosen to play in the North-South game, she and HOFer Brittany Brigandi were the only Upstate collegians selected to the 1 st post-collegiate semi-pro women's lacrosse team ... Caroline has coached since 2013 — 4 years as an assistant in Virginia at a high school winning 2 state titles (104-5 record), then 2 years under HOFer Kathy Taylor at LeMoyne, when the Dolphins were National Champions ('18), and at Robert Morris (asst.). She coached internationally in Ireland and in European and World Championships ... Currently, Caroline is AD/lacrosse coach at Montrose School in Medfield, Mass.	2026
<b>LANIGAN, Ernest J.</b>	Journalist	Herald-Journal Baseball beat writer ... International League Hall of Fame 1947 ... IL Writers Association 25 years ... Born-Jan 4, 1873 Chicago ... Passed away - Feb 8, 1962 Philadelphia	2021
<b>LaROSE, George</b>	Horseshoes	Onondaga County & City Champion ... SU Basketball scoring table ... Blindmen Criers Schwarzer Award 95 ... Blindmen Criers Kearney Award 1999.	2021



<b>LATOCHA, Mike</b>	Trap Shooting	NYS Trapshooting "Hall of Fame"	2021
<b>LeBLANC, J.P.</b>	Hockey	Chicago Black Hawks '68-69 ... Detroit Red Wings '75-78	2021
<b>LEE, Charlie</b>	Basketball	SU Basketball Team 1925-27 ... SU 1925 National Champions ... President-Industrial Horseshoe League ... SU Letterman of Distinction 1971 ... Former Chiefs & Nationals board member	2021
<b>LEGG, Frank</b>	Basketball	West Genesee High ... 1st team All-County Basketball 1956-57, 1957-58, 1958-59 ... 3-time 1st team All-County selection	2021
<b>LEONE, Pat</b>	Track/ Cross Country/ Race Timing	Leone ran track and cross-country for Cicero-North Syracuse ... A member of C-NS' 1995 & '96 NY State and Federation champions, he earned a scholarship to Canisius. During his career as a college student-athlete, Pat started Leone Timing & Results ... Graduating in 2003, he returned home to pursue a race-timing career. LTR timed the 2020 Olympic Trials Marathon in Atlanta and did so again this year. His timers are used at track and cross-country meets, as well as road races ... LTR revolutionized timing locally, across NY State and around the country—providing times almost instantaneously. Previously, few races had electronic watches; a stopwatch was used ... Married with 2 children, Leone lives in Manlius.	2024
<b>LESICKI, Frank</b>	Pistol Shooting	Competed in pistol shooting tournaments ... Syracuse Police Sergeant	2021
<b>LEVANDOWSKI, Tom</b>	Swimming	Liverpool All-American 1981,82,83 ... NYS Swimmer of Year 1983 ... Section III Champ 1981, 82, 83 ... NYS, County & School records ... Liverpool Sports Hall of Fame 1995	2021
<b>LEVY, Harvy</b>	Basketball/ Football	Central High Football/Basketball '19-22 ... Basketball-All-City selection ... NYS All-State Basketball selection ... Football-1st tm All-City tackle 1921 ... SU Football 1924-26 ... SU Lacrosse All-American 1926 ... Schlitz Brewery Bears Football 1934 ... SU Letterman of Distinction 1979	2021
<b>LINARES, Mario</b>	Soccer	Ex-pro soccer player of Italy ... Garibaldi's Italian Soccer coach 58-59 ... Syracuse Turner Club soccer team ... Town of Salina field named in his honor in 1976 ... Help create the Syracuse-Onondaga Inter-County Soccer Amateur Association	2021
<b>LINCOLN, Bob</b>	Basketball	Vocational High School Basketball ... 1st team All-City Basketball 1960-61, 1961-62	2021
<b>LIVINGSTON, Don "Brud"</b>	Baseball	Coach CNY Senior Babe Ruth League ... All-Star team for 19 years ... Senior BRL World Series-4 times	2021
<b>LIZZIE, Michael</b>	Gymnastics	73 total 1st places Liverpool 1969-72 ... Five Onondaga County League titles ... 2 Section III titles Rings, P-Bar ... NYS Intersectional title in 1972 ... 1st NYS Champ in Rings in Section III	2021
<b>LOCKWOOD, Charlie</b>	Lacrosse	West Genesee lacrosse 1987-90 ... All-American in HS ... 1990 NY State Championship MVP ... 1989 Empire State Games gold medalist (Central team) ... At Syracuse, four-time All-American (1991 3rd team; 1992 1st team; 1993 and 1994 2nd team) ... SU Basketball 1993-94 ... NY Saints Pro Box Lacrosse ... Syracuse Smash Box Lacrosse 1998-99 ... Cog on 1993 NCAA Championship team ... 'Lazer' Lockwood—nicknamed for his bullet-like shot—had career totals of 97 goals, 55 assists ... In 11 NCAA Tournament games, he had 29 points (13 goals) ... In '94, he was one of two collegians on Team USA; also on '98 team (both World Champions) ... 1995 MLL Rookie of the Year ... Board member of US Lacrosse (Upstate NY Chapter) ... 2015 National Lacrosse Hall of Fame inductee	2021/2024
<b>LOWE, Don</b>	Athletic Trainer	Syracuse University/Georgia Tech Athletic Trainer	2021
<b>LUKASIEWICZ, Mark</b>	Baseball	Baseball Star ... Syracuse Chiefs, Played two seasons for the Anaheim Angels	2021
<b>LUNDBLAD, Randy</b>	Lacrosse	West Genesee All-American 1979-'80 ... SU Lacrosse 1981-84 ... 1983 All-American Honorable Mention ... 1984 3rd team All-American	2021

<b>LUTTINGER, Bill</b>	Gymnastics	Founding member of CNY/NYS Gymnastics Judging Association ... 1 of 6 Eastern VPs for National's ... 1st President CNY Gymnastic Judging Association	2021
<b>MACLAUGHLIN, Bill</b>	Baseball/ Basketball	Nottingham Baseball & Basketball 1954-56 ... Hurlled 3 high school no-hitters ... SU Baseball team 1957-60	2021
<b>MALLETTE, Mal</b>	Baseball	Cicero North Syracuse High Baseball ... League Champ ... Pitched 2 no-hitters in high school ... SU Fresh Baseball 1941, Varsity Base '42 ... Post Standard League top pitcher ... Signed with NY Yankees-Newark Bears-International League ... Norfolk, Kansas City, Memphis, PCL-Led league in strikeouts ... Brooklyn Dodgers-NL '50 ... Montreal Royals International League ... 1951 record 10-2, 1952 record 13-2	2021
<b>MANCINI, Angelo</b>	Coach/Official	North High Football 1943, Basketball '43-44 ... Ithaca College Football/Basketball ... Vocational High Baseball coach ('54-56) & Basketball coach ('53-56) ... North High Football coach '56-64 ... Scholastic Official-Basketball ('56-02) & Football ('64-02) ... 3 Major Awards	2021
<b>MANGICARO, George</b>	Football/ Administrator	Played 2 years of football at North High (Class of '60), 1 at Ithaca College ('65 grad). Earned Master's from Syracuse, Cortland State, CAS from SU, taught/coached at ES-M, Bishop Grimes ... Inherited winless Grimes football program, but won '77 OHSL crown, Grimes' 1st title in any sport ... From 1980-2002 at Liverpool, George's teams won 12 league, 5 sectional, 2 regional titles; '82 and '87 were No. 1 in NY, '87 ranked 20th nationally. Coached 50-plus state all-stars, 2 NFL players (Tim Green, Chris Gedney). His NY team beat NJ in '05 Governors Bowl ... Coached Little League 20-plus years, was trend-setting Liverpool Athletic Director (1993-2014), twice NYS coach of the year, and won '07 National Football Foundation 'Outstanding Contribution to Amateur Football' Award ... NYSHSFA president 1999-2001.	2021
<b>MAREINISS, Joel</b>	Broadcaster	'Voice of the Orange' for 14 seasons on WSYR radio, a WSYRTV sports announcer, 25-year host of 'Syracuse Bowls,' Chiefs' play-by-play 7 seasons ... Here's a sample of the Newark, NJ, native and Syracuse alum's 46-year radio-TV career: "Dirty, but good;" "Up the invisible ladder;" "Trolley line jumper," "Hicker flicker;" "Bouie boomerang" "The Braintree Butcher" — but a few Joel-isms ... Began career at station in Fulton, where he met Georgiana, his wife of 65 years ... Taught first sports broadcasting course at Newhouse ... Mentored voices Bob Costas, Dave Cohen, John Nicholson ... So, how's this for a day-night doubleheader? He flew to State College, Pa., to broadcast SU-Penn State football on a December '68 afternoon, then flew to Niagara Falls to air SU-Niagara hoops ... A Chiefs' 2016 Wall of Fame inductee, Joel died in '16 of Parkinson's disease at age 87.	2021
<b>MARKLE, Jack</b>	Hockey	Syracuse Stars hockey team 1930-41 ... Stars team captain '35-36 ... Led AHL in scoring 1937-38 ... Died at age 49, June 22, 1956	2021
<b>MARKOWSKI, Jody</b>	Baseball/ Basketball	Sacred Heart Baseball/Basketball – 1st team All-Par Basketball '62-63, '63-64 ... All-Par 1st team Baseball 1963-64 ... 1964 IAAC Award	2021
<b>MARTINEAU, Zeke</b>	Baseball/ Basketball/ Football	St. Bonaventure 4 sports '19-24 ... Coached 3 sports Most Holy Rosary during 1920's ... MHR-1926 NYS Football Champs ... Coached MHR Basketball to national tourney ... St Bonaventure Sports Hall-'73	2021
<b>MARTINEZ, Manny</b>	Coach/ Basketball/ Soccer	Basketball/Soccer Coach 25 years '55-71	2021

<b>MASSA, Lou</b>	Basketball	College Basketball official for 34 years. Played football, basketball, baseball at Jamesville High. First team all-county in all 3 sports (1947-48) Inaugural inductee into JD Athletic Hall of Fame '00. Signed in '49 by Brooklyn Dodgers to Johnstown (PA) farm club; Attended one spring training, then served in Air Force base in Newfoundland '51-'53; After honorable discharge, played third base for '53 NY State champs with Larry Costello. Founded State League '56, was commissioner until '75; Was NY's largest semi-pro hardball league at the time. Scouted for Cincinnati Reds '65-'75. First president, Rolling Hills Little League.	2021
<b>MATUSZAK, Walt</b>	Football	Born/resident Fayetteville ... Cornell Football All-American ... Cornell 1938-40 record 19-3-1 ... Played in famous 5th down game ... Cornell U Hall of Fame ... Died November 18, 2001	2021
<b>MAURER, Kermit</b>	Bowling	A Central Tech product, Maurer attended Syracuse University ... He made his athletic name on the bowling lanes ... Along with brother Bernie, Kermit is a Syracuse Bowling Association Hall of Famer ... In 1929, he was among 30 U.S. bowlers (6 from Syracuse) selected to compete in the World Cup matches in Stockholm, Sweden, but because of business restraints was unable go ... In 1930, he bowled a match against famed Joe Falcara and beat him ... At the time, he had the third-highest American Bowling Congress tournament average among those having bowled 90 games or more (201.9) ... Died in 2004 at age 93.	2021
<b>MAURO, John</b>	Rugby	SU '69-74 ... '74 Syracuse Chargers, Syracuse Rogues ... Founded Syracuse Rugby Club in '69 ... Syracuse Old Boys Alumni team	2021
<b>MAUTINO, Fred</b>	Football	SU Football End 1958-60 ... 1959 SU National Champs ... SU All-American End 1959 ... 1960 Academic All-American	2021
<b>MAY, Bill</b>	Synchronized Swimming	Bill attended N. Syracuse through his sophomore year, moving in 1996 to train with the Santa Clara (CA) Aquamaids, one of the top U.S. programs ... Considered the best male synchro swimmer ever, winning 14 national titles, more internationally ... In '96, he was the 1 <sup>st</sup> male to compete internationally, 1 <sup>st</sup> male to win a U.S. national title (Mixed Duet, '98). A trailblazer in the sport, May was USA Synchro Athlete of the Year ('98, '99, '01) and 4-time USOC Sportsman of the Year nominee ... With Mixed Duet added to the World Championship program, he ended a 10 year retirement, and in '15, was the first male to win a Synchro gold at a major event — with partner Christina Jones at the World Aquatic Championships in Russia ... Inducted into the Synchronized Swimming Hall of Fame ('12), named FINA's Male Synchro Athlete of the Year ('16), Bill performs in Las Vegas' Cirque Du Soleil 'O' Show ... He received the key to the city ('15) and has raised thousands for Vegas' homeless.	2023
<b>MAY, David</b>	Golf	Imagine being ranked <i>The Number 1</i> junior golfer in the USA? That's what the Auburn product was. No, he didn't become another Nicklaus, Palmer or Woods, but he did become a professional and he did cash a winner's check ... From Auburn High (Class of 2005), the sought-after teen chose collegiate heavyweight Clemson. He was co-medalist of the '09 ACC Tournament and turned pro that year ... May played on the Korn Ferry Tour. In his 28 <sup>th</sup> start as a pro, he won the 2012 Irish Creek Classic in North Carolina. A winning total of 18-under included spectacular play in Rounds 2-3-4: 64-66-65 ... Later, he regained his amateur status and qualified for the U. Open at Congressional, where he matched par with an opening-round 71, but missed the cut by one shot ... David was inducted into the Syracuse District Golf Associational Hall of Fame in 2022.	2025

<b>McARDELL, Johnny</b>	DIRT Racing	Liverpool resident who worked at Crucible ... Was a dominant DIRT track driver in the 1960's ... Began in 1952 at Lafayette ... Johnny had a big year in '64, winning 27 feature races at Weedsport, Waterloo and Canandaigua, and is the only Central New Yorker to win championships at was called the 'Big Four' — Waterloo, Weedsport, Canandaigua, and Rolling Wheels ... Over his long career, he won well over 100 features ... Was 1974 Driver of the Year at Rolling Wheels ... In 1995, McArdeLL was inducted into the DIRT Motorsports Hall of Fame ... And as a bowler, he once rolled a 299 game.	2021
<b>McCARTHY, Dan</b>	Golf Amateur & Pro	CBA grad., LeMoyne grad. Syracuse native. Mackenzie Tour (PGA Canada) Player of the Year, tops Order of Merit, four wins and all-time record for single-season earnings in 2016. Won Freedom 55 Open, Golf-BC Championship, Players Cup and Cape Breton Open. First player to win four times in a season in Mackenzie Tour history. Set records for largest margin of victory (seven strokes) and low 72-hole score (259) at the Players Cup and Golf-BC Championship. Has fully exempt status on the web.com Tour in 2017.	2021
<b>McCARTHY, Joe N.</b>	Baseball	St. Cecilia's 1901 ... Malone Foresters ... St. Louis Cardinals 1905 ... Syracuse Stars 1906-07 ... Minor Leagues 14 years	2021
<b>McCARTHY, Patrick</b>	Senior Athlete	He may be CNY's most decorated Senior athlete. Who else won 2 Gold medals in the NYS Empire Games at age 88? ... McCarthy played competitive tennis in Oneida until he was 93. Patrick, 97, is a Solvay native who played football/baseball at Nottingham, attracting football interest from Syracuse and Cornell. Paralysis from the waist down ended that dream in 1944. Instead, he became a test case for penicillin ... A successful auto dealer ('51-99), Oneida community leader for more than 60 years, Pat's been an SU football/basketball season ticket-holder more than 70 years and SU alum ('48)... In the NYS Senior Games, Pat won over 100 medals (2/3 Gold) in tennis, horseshoes, badminton ... He won the NYS Horseshoe Pitchers Assn. 11 of 12 times he competed ... In the 2005 National Sr. Olympics in Pittsburgh, he beat the 1-2 players, tied for 1st but placed 3rd (tiebreaker) ... He bowled a 288 game on Ch. 9's 'King of the Hill' ... He's received countless community service awards, among them: United Way's 'Top Banana' Award ('91), NYS Legislature's Certificate of Merit ('06), SU Orange Pack's Outstanding Supporter ('99) ... Patrick and '07 Hall of Famer Patricia McCarthy, who died in 2021, were married 73 years ... Patrick is a Nottingham Wall of Fame ('11), Urban Sports Hall of Fame ('18) inductee.	2021
<b>McINTYRE, John F.</b>	Baseball/ Football	Clarkson College ... Canadian Pro Football League	2021
<b>McKENNA, Lou</b>	Football/ Basketball	Official ... Manhattan College Coach/Official ... Blindmen Criers Schwarzer Award 78 ... Blindmen Criers Kearney Award 88	2021

<b>McKIE, Dave</b>	Hockey	At Liverpool High, he was an honor student and captain/MVP in football, hockey, baseball ... At LeMoyne, McKie was a catcher-DH, cog in taking Dick Rockwell's Dolphins to post-season play every year (182-49 record), including two Division II World Series. His junior year, LeMoyne (51-8) placed third in the CWS; as a sophomore, he homered off future Cy Young winner Steve Bedrosian in the CWS; as a frosh, bases-clearing, pinch-hit triple kept NCAA hopes alive ... Hard-nosed, scrappy, in-your-face, nicknamed 'Thurm' ... Among others, caught future big leaguers Jim Deshaies and Tom Browning ... After brief fling in pro ball and accounting, joined the family business, growing McKie Sports into regional player in sports equipment field ... Fine golfer, ex-Senior champ at Cavalry Club, Dave's longtime coach, sponsor, supporter of Little League and youth hockey ... Liverpool and LeMoyne Hall of Famer.	2021
<b>McNAMARA, Gerry</b>	Basketball	From Scranton to Syracuse, busloads traveled Route 81, carrying 'McNamara's Band' to watch No. 3 ... The Bishop Hannan High product didn't disappoint in an Orange uniform ... AP Pennsylvania state Player of the Year ('01, '02), he scored 2,917 points in high school, 55 in a state tourney game (41 1st half) ... At SU, No. 3 shot 3's and never missed a start in 135 games ('02-06), SU posting 4-year mark of 103-32 (.763) — and, of course, the National Championship as freshman in '03 ... He nailed 6 1st-half 3's vs. Kansas in the title game ... As a frosh, he hit 9 3's (43 points) vs. BYU in NCAAs ... McNamara scored 2,099 points, had 648 assists, played 4,781 minutes in a career filled with so many buzzer-beaters ... Big East 1st team as jr., sr., honorable mention All-American in '06 ... Degree in Communications & Rhetorical Studies ... Played pro ball in Greece and D-League ... SU assistant coach since 2011 and promoted to associate head coach in March 2023 ... Head men's basketball coach at Siena College (2024 to present).	2021
<b>MERO, Marc</b>	Wrestling	Liverpool High Football/Hockey ... Syracuse Stars Hockey ... Pro Wrestler in WCW and WWF ...	2021
<b>MESMER, Ed</b>	Tennis/ Football/ Basketball	CBA /All-City/City Tennis Champ ... CBA Basketball team 1943-44	2021
<b>MESMER, Fred</b>	Baseball/ Basketball	CBA Baseball/Basketball ... 1st team All-City Basketball 1925 ... CBA Baseball 1926-27 ... Georgetown Basketball Coach ... Inducted-CBA Hall of Fame-2000	2021
<b>MESMER, George</b>	Tennis/Baseball	CBA Baseball/tennis 1927 grad ... Head coach Freeville Institute	2021
<b>METZ, Bill</b>	Athletic Director and Coach	ESM, coached all sports	2021
<b>MICHAELS, Jack</b>	Boxing	Noted Boxing referee 1920's-30's	2021
<b>MICHO, Ron</b>	Basketball	Sacred Heart star among Parochial League's best players ... Unanimous Parochial League 1st team captain (1973-74, '74-75) ... All-Upstate, All-CNY selection ... 2nd team All-New York state ('75) ... SU Hardwood Club 'Most Outstanding Parochial League Senior' in '75 ... Hearts' all-time top 10 players; Parochial League all-time top 200 ... Won '74 PL playoffs ... In '75, Hearts were undefeated league and playoff champs ... Won '75 NY state championship (small schools) — the only Parochial League team to ever win States ... Amazingly, Ron scored in double figures in every Parochial League game played from 1972-75 ... Averaged 14.4 as a sophomore, 19.9 as a junior, 21.0 as a senior ... Also an all-league selection as 3-year starter in baseball.	2021

<b>MILLER, Don</b>	Baseball	Central High Baseball Champs 3 years ... 18 k's vs. Cortland 4/16/21 ... 19 k's vs. Geneva 6/4/21 ... Central High Basketball ... NY Yankees-1927, World Champs ... Star pitcher in Post Standard League ... Pitcher in Journal-American League ... Byrne Siebelings NYS Semipro '31 ... CNYS Greatest Pitcher 20-30s	2021
<b>MILLER, Hy</b>	Baseball/ Football	Nottingham football/baseball ... Honorable Men All-City Baseball 1940 ... Western Maryland College 1941-43 ... Football/Baseball/ Basketball ... Freshman fullback 8 TD's ... Sky Chiefs Board of Directors	2021
<b>MILLIMAN, John</b>	Baseball	Baseball	2021
<b>MINGOLELLI, Gerald II</b>	Handball	Syracuse Y.M.C.A City Handball Champion 1970's to 1980's	2021
<b>MINNEGAN, Tom</b>	Bowler	Has rolled 29 perfect 300 games, six 299s, two 298s eight 800 series ... has won two NYS teams titles, two mixed crowns ... Syracuse Bowling Association Hall of Fame, NY State Hall of Fame inductee in "outstanding ability" category	2021
<b>MINOR, Hank</b>	Water Skiing	NYS Water Skiing Champion	2021
<b>MODAFERRI, Angela</b>	Volleyball/ Softball/Soccer	Solvay Female Athlete of Year 1993 ... 3 sports '89-93 ... IACC Female Athlete of Year 1993 ... St John Fisher Volleyball 4-year starter ... Fisher all-time assist record ... JV Volleyball coach Solvay '97-present	2021
<b>MONI MAKER</b>	Horse	Harness racing's winningest horse.	2021
<b>MONTI, Pat</b>	Basketball	Played basketball and baseball at St. Patrick's ... graduate of Niagara ... coached LaSalle High School in Niagara Falls, 423-122 ... won State Federation titles, three state public high school crowns, six state final fours ... State Basketball Hall of Fame, Greater Buffalo Sports Hall of Fame.	2021
<b>MORGAN, Louis "Doc"</b>	Baseball	Oakwood AC 1910 ... Syracuse Industries Leagues '20-30's ... Byrne Sieberlings NYS Semi-professional Champions in 1931	2021
<b>MORRISON, Art</b>	Football	Center High Football halfback ... All-City 1st team Football '31, '32, '33 ... SU Football Halfback '36-38 ... SU Lax All-American '37,39	2021
<b>MORSE, Jack</b>	Broadcaster	Broadcaster WOLF & WHEN Radio ... TV Sports on WHEN-5, WIXT-9 ... Known for coverage of scholastic sports Athlete of Week Awards ... Give "his" day at P&C Stadium 1998 ... WIXT named award after Jack ... Section III Hall of Fame 1996 ... Blindmen Criers Kearney Award 1993	2021
<b>MOYER, Hugh</b>	Wrestling	Wrestling coach at Lafayette 26 years	2021
<b>MUELLER, Brian</b>	Hockey	Midstate Hockey League ... Clarkson University Hockey ... 2-time All-American 1994-95 ... Signed pro contract with Hartford Whalers of NHL ... Springfield of AHL 1995-97	2021
<b>MULHERIN, Linda</b>	Golf	For decades, Linda has been regarded by the golf community as a talented, dedicated golf instructor. And why not! As far back as 1998, she earned the designation of PGA Master Golf Professional, the <i>FIRST</i> female to do so! ... She is Director of Instruction at Drumlins Country Club, runs LSM Golf Schools and during wintertime, she instructs at Pars Indoor Golf ... A member of the PGA of America since 1994, she began her career at Seneca Golf Club, working for Bill Grygiel Jr. When pro Kevin Reid moved to Cedar Lake, Grygiel gave the head job to Linda, while she worked to become a Class A pro ... Her honors are numerous: 6-time CNY PGA Teacher of the Year, CNY PGA Player Development Award (2018), CNY PGA Teacher & Coach of the Year (2018), CNY PGA Hall of Fame Inductee (2019), CNY Golf Professional of the Year (2024) ... Voted CNY PGA Junior Golf Leader ('11), she attended the National PGA Teaching Conference at Pinehurst ('21), has been a PGA Faculty Member for Master Teacher Certification, Board Member of First Tee, Callaway Staff Member since 2015 and <i>PGA Magazine</i> contributor.	2026

<b>MUNZE, Walt</b>	Coach (Basketball/Lacrosse)	1967-1997 Fayetteville-Manlius Boys Varsity Basketball (overall record of 319-248); Basketball: 1968, 1969, 1971—County League Championships; 1975, 1982, 1983—Divisional B Championships; 1971 NYS Coaches Honor Award Recipient; 1990 New Coaches Sportsmanship Award Recipient; 1990 Joe Schwatzer Award for Excellence in Basketball Coaching & Officiating Recipient; Section 3 Basketball Hall of Fame Electee; 1995 John Arcaro for Excellence in Basketball Coaching Award Recipient; Lacrosse: Frenchy Julian Award for Officiating Excellence Award Recipient; Andrew M. Kirkpatrick Memorial Award for Able and Loyal Service to the Game of Lacrosse Recipient (as an official); 1996—Elected to the Upstate Lacrosse Chapter Hall of Fame; 2003 National Secondary Schools Lacrosse “Man of the Year”; Inducted into the Fayetteville-Manlius Hall of Fame in 2019.	2021
<b>MURPHY, Ed</b>	Basketball	Head Coach at West Alabama (1978-83), Delta State (1983-86), Ole Miss (1986-1992), West Georgia (1993-2007) ... Athletic Director at West Georgia (1994-2009).	2021
<b>MURPHY, Emily</b>	Swimming	At West Genesee, Murphy was a five-time letterwinner and record-smashing breaststroker who led the Wildcats to back-to-back Onondaga League championships (2003 & '04). A six-time All-American, five-time All-CNY selection and four-time NY State champ, she set the state record in the 100 breast, established nine school records and was a member of the National Honor Society ... Collegiately at Colgate, Murphy wasted no time making her mark on the program. As a freshman, she won all seven events she competed in at the Patriot League Championship, including three individual golds in school-record times, and was an all-league first-teamer ... As a senior, Emily again won three PL Championship individual events and seven overall, became a two-time all-league first teamer, was selected team MVP and had a hand in breaking six school records ... Murphy wound up her Colgate career with nine of the top 10 times in the 100 breast, seven of the top 10 in the 200 breast, <i>AND</i> she became the school's first female swimmer to qualify for the NCAA Division I Championships.	2026
<b>MUSACCHIO, Peter</b>	Karate	Karate	2021
<b>NAGY, Dick</b>	Basketball	Central High Basketball ... 1st team All-City Basketball 1959-60 ... Assistant coach University of Illinois (1979-1996) ... Assistant coach at Illinois-Chicago (1996-2001)	2021
<b>NATALIZE, Bart</b>	Football	Central High football tackle ... 3-time 1st team All-City 1938, 39, 40	2021
<b>NEAGLE, John “Black Jack”</b>	Baseball	Cincinnati Reds pitcher 1879 ... Pittsburgh Pirates Amateur Association 1883 ... Baltimore Orioles 1883 ... Philadelphia Phillies 1883	2021
<b>NELSON, Wyatt</b>	Powerboat Racing	Has won national championships in three categories (Stock, Outboard, Pro Outboard, OPC Formula II/Formula I/Mod 'U' ... won three consecutive championships in fastest competitive outboard class (Mod 'U') ... American Power Boat Association Hall of Fame inductee, year he set a world speed record ... career ended in 2007 after serious race injury ... architecture practice in Syracuse.	2021
<b>NEMECEK, Jerry</b>	Basketball	Captain NYU Basketball/football	2021
<b>NICHOLS, Cristen Barry</b>	Baseball	Had 34-9 record, 0.40 ERA while pitching for West Genesee ... 294 strikeouts, 5 no-hitters ... 52-5, 0.70, 324 strikeouts, 9 no-hitters at Onondaga Community College ... won scholarship to University of Iowa ... Onondaga Community College Hall of Fame ... runs marathons, coaches Little League softball.	2021
<b>NOEL, Bill</b>	Basketball	Central Tech Basketball 63-65 ... 1st team All-City basketball 63-64	2021

<b>NOSTRANT, John</b>	Lacrosse	Baldwinsville product played football, basketball, and lacrosse for the Bees ... Concentrated on lacrosse at Washington College (1986); 4-year midfielder played in 3 NCAA Division III championship games ... 3-time 2nd-team All-American, team MVP as senior ... all-pro in MLL, on 3 world champs with Philly Wings ... Coached Philly (MLL) ... Current head coach, Haverford (Pa.) School, since '91; has won more than 300 games ... Was nation's No. 1 team (23-0) in '11, won state titles in '00 and '05 ... Coached gold medal-winning US Under-19 team '08 ... Washington College Hall of Fame'02; also Eastern Pennsylvania Chapter of U.S. Lacrosse Hall of Fame ... Prostate Cancer survivor co-founded 'Checking for Cancer' tourney '11.	2021
<b>O'BRIEN, Billy</b>	Baseball	St. Cecilia's City Champs 3B 1900 ... Fordham University Baseball 1902-04 ... Signed with Philadelphia Athletics ... Voted to All-Time Syracuse Native Baseball Team 1900-39	2021
<b>O'DONNELL, Bill</b>	Broadcaster	WSYR TV & Radio sports ... Voice of Chiefs ... Voice SU sports Basketball/football ... Voice of Baltimore Orioles	2021
<b>O'HARA, B.J.</b>	Lacrosse	West Genesee All-American '69 ... Hobart Lacrosse '71-75 ... Division III All-American 2 years ... Dartmouth Lax Coach ... Hobart Lax Coach '90-01 ... Inducted Hobart Hall Fame '98 ... Inducted Upstate NY Lacrosse Hall Fame 1995 ... '02 SU Assistant Lax coach	2021
<b>OJA, Dave</b>	Running	CNY's Mr. Running ... SU product ... Founder/Race Director., Syracuse Festival of Races (1993-2017, among USA's fastest record-eligible 5K events) ... Race Coordinator., Syracuse edition of Corp. Challenge (since'91, area's largest road race field; 162,282 entrants in 26 years) ... Race Director of countless area charity races ... Cazenovia College men's/women's x-country coach ('02-06); coach of Syracuse Chargers' women's program ('79-02) ... USA Track & Field Masters Long Distance Running Executive Committee ('09-13) ... 35-year member, 11-year president of Syracuse Chargers Track Club ... Analyst for Boilermaker Road Race (since'93); creator/host/executive producer of Central New York Running ('88-94); written for numerous magazines ... Owner/president of CNY Running, LLC (since'88) ... Received '09 USA Track & Field's Essig Award (service to masters long distance running).	2021
<b>OSTERHOUT, Charles</b>	Baseball	Syracuse Stars 1879, 82-85 ... Bare-handed catcher ... 15-year pro baseball player 1876-93	2021
<b>OSTUNI, John</b>	Softball	Softball great pre-WWII	2021
<b>OWENS, Billy</b>	Basketball	Central Tech Basketball ... 1st team All-City Basketball '60-61	2021
<b>PARIS, Anthony</b>	Boxing	Boxing	2021
<b>PARKER, Steve</b>	Coach/ Photographer	As SU's chief sports photographer for more than 30 years (1978-2010), he recorded achievements of SU's athletes, coaches and programs ... Steve made famous the photo of 'Air Gait,' the airborne move to the goal by lacrosse Hall of Famer Gary Gait to which a bronze statue was created based on that image ... Parker covered numerous bowl games, Big East and ACC championships, and the 2003 men's basketball tournament won by the Orange ... As a freelancer, he's covered the '95 Atlanta Challenge Cup, '96 Olympics in Atlanta, '97 Pan-Am Games in Winnipeg, and was the photographer for the New York State Wrestling Championships for 33 years ... At Fayetteville-Manlius, he coached wrestling seven years, won four sectional titles with girls' soccer, coached boys' soccer and had state champs in track and field.	2021
<b>PAUSSA, Joe Jr</b>	Bowling	Syracuse Bowling Hall of Fame 1974 ... NYS Bowling Hall of Fame ... ABC Board of Directors	2021



<b>PERIOLI, Nick</b>	Basketball/ Baseball	Nick was a two-sport athlete at Liverpool High. In 2003, he was 1 <sup>st</sup> team all-league, 2 <sup>nd</sup> team all-CNY, receiving all-state mention in basketball. And as baseball captain, he gained all-league honors on a league championship team, 3 <sup>rd</sup> team all-CNY ... At SUNY Oswego, he was 3-year basketball captain, SUNYAC Rookie of the Year in '04, when he led the SUNYAC in assists (6.2), 1 <sup>st</sup> team all-conference ('05), twice 2 <sup>nd</sup> team and all-tourney 1 <sup>st</sup> team ('08) ... Nick is the only player with career totals over 1,000 points (1,559); 500 assists (567, ranks 1 <sup>st</sup> ); 400 rebounds; and 200 steals (226, ranks 1 <sup>st</sup> ) ... He batted over .400 in consecutive years as an all-conference baseball player ... Nick had a well-traveled minor league basketball career as player/coach, taking him from Buffalo to various European stops, even to United Arab Emirates/Dubai coaching at a summer youth camp ... He led the Syracuse Stallions to The Basketball League Final Four in 2018. The next year, the team was 19-2 when Covid ended play ... Nick is a Liverpool Hall of Famer ('08).	2023
<b>PERKINS, Bill</b>	Football	Central High halfback 1931-34 ... three-time 1st team All-City 1931, 32, 33	2021
<b>PETERS, Mrs. Mary</b>	Bowling	SWBA Bowling Hall Fame ... NYS Bowling Hall Fame	2021
<b>PETERSON, Ed</b>	Basketball	Syracuse Nationals 1948-51 ... Cornell University SID ... Blindmen Criers Andreas Award 1984	2021
<b>PHILLIPS, Ron</b>	Basketball	Central High three-sport star ... SU Basketball 1932-34 ... Syracuse Amateur Legion Pro League 1934-35 ... Coach North High 1937-47 ... Owner Syracuse Stars semi-pro hockey team at Coliseum in 1960's	2021
<b>PIERCE, Buffalo</b>	Football/ Lacrosse	Most Holy Rosary Football 1926 NYS champs ... Oakwood Knights Football ... Red Devils Football/Lacrosse ... Syracuse's Most Fit Athlete-1927 ... CNY Lacrosse Hall of Fame 2000	2021
<b>PIKE, Dick</b>	Basketball/ Baseball/ Football	North Syracuse High 3 sports ... 1st team All-County Basketball 1956-57	2021
<b>PINCHBECK, Val</b>	Administration	SU SID 1956-66 ... AFL Director of Special Events 1966-69 ... NFL Chief Administrator 1970 77 ... NFL's Broadcasting Dept 1978-98 ... 1998 Pete Rozelle Radio & TV Award ... SU Letterman of Distinction 1987 ... Passed away Mar 6, 2004	2021
<b>PIRAINO, Andy I</b>	Bowling	Syracuse Bowling Hall of Fame '56 ... 1st President Syracuse Bowling Association ... Helped bring 1st ABC Tourney in '35 ... 1935 had 7 consecutive 3-game 700 series or better in city league play ... Managed Drumlins, Hiawatha, Strike N Spare, Industrial Club, Palace, Ukrainian and advisor at Fairmont ... Captained New Process team that won 11 City titles in 12 years.	2021
<b>PIRAINO, Sam</b>	Bowling	Born in Italy, Sam was the Syracuse Bowling Association's 1st president ... He helped bring 1st ABC tournament to Syracuse in 1935 ... That year, he set world record rolling 7 consecutive 700 series in City League ... Had 30 strikes at the Palace Alleys, breaking City record with an incredible 824 series (299, 279, 246), mark that stood for 43 years ... Organizer/captain of New Process Gear team that won 11 City League titles in 12 years and NY state crown in 1945 ... Won City doubles titles with John Martino, Greg Griffo, Frank Liss and Stan Deptula ... Bowled exhibitions vs. national stars Jimmy Smith, Joe Falcaro, Hank Marino and Andy Varipapa ... A noted bowling proprietor, he ran Palace Alleys, Syracuse Industrial Club, Strike'n Spare, Drumlins Lanes, Hiawatha Lanes ... SBA Hall of Famer ('56).	2021

<b>PLUMMER, Bill III</b>	Softball Administration/Writer	Herald-Journal high school writer ... PD of NYS Amateur Softball Association ... ASA softball National office-Kansas City ... 80's-USA Olympic president/media liaison. D. 2106`	2021
<b>PODBIELAN, Bud</b>	Baseball	Fort Worth Texas League 1947 ... Montreal Royals IL 1948-49,51 ... Cincinnati Reds-1954 55,57 ... Brooklyn Dodgers NL 1949-52 ... Seattle PCL 1956 ... Cleveland Indians AL-1959 ... San Diego PCL '58-60 ... Buffalo IL 1960 ...Portland PCL 1961 ... Hawaii '61	2021
<b>POLIUIN, Arthur 'Bud'</b>	Journalist	Born in Chicago, raised in Iowa and a University of Connecticut graduate, Bud joined The Post-Standard in '75 out of college, went to the San Diego Tribune in '78 and returned here, with the Herald-Journal in '84. Has been with Syracuse Newspapers ever since ... Has covered events in nearly every state, and some abroad: more than 20 Final Fours and bowl games, 7 World Series, 2 Olympiads, 3 Grand Slam golf tournaments, NBA playoffs, Indy 500, numerous title fights, even political conventions ... Has been on Associated Press lists identifying top sports columnists ... Co-host of 'Bud and the Manchild' radio talk show (since '02) ... Authored three books: 'Purely Poliquin' ('96), 'Tales From the Syracuse Hardwood' ('03), 'Tales From the Syracuse Orange's Locker Room' ('14) ... Has coached youth baseball.	2021
<b>PONTI, Henry</b>	Basketball/ Official	Officiating career began with IAABO Board 38 in 1946 ... did early years of Carrier Classic at SU ... Harlem Globetrotters at War Memorial ... coached Biddy basketball for more than 25 years, ran Solvay Tigers intramurals for 40 years, trained many whistle-blowers working today ... Board 38 president, 50-year Al Di Staola Silver Whistle Award winner.	2021
<b>PORTER, George</b>	Baseball	Central City Baseball Club-1858-67 ... Longtime umpire 1870s	2021
<b>POWELL, Casey</b>	Lacrosse	Oldest Lax-playing brother at Syracuse via Carthage HS ... Stuffed the scholastic record book (292 goals) ... At SU, he tallied 158 goals, tied brother Ryan for 2 <sup>nd</sup> on the all-time points list (287) ... Four-time All-American (1995 second team; 1996-97-98 first team) and four-time NCAA All-Tournament Team selection ... Led the NCAA champion Orange in scoring (67 pts) as a freshman ... 1996 McLaughlin Award winner (top midfielder) ... 1998 Enners Award (top player in the country) and Turnbull Award (top attackman) ... In 1997 led the nation in scoring (83 pts) ... Was 1 of 2 collegians on US National Team ... Indoor National Lacrosse League first overall pick (Rochester) ... Pro career included 12 seasons on 6 teams, retiring at age 40 having tallied 488 career pts ... 2014 League MVP (Florida) ... Inducted into National Lacrosse Hall of Fame (2017), National Lacrosse League Hall of Fame (2021), Professional Lacrosse Hall of Fame (2022) ... Since 2016, he has coached more than 200,000 players at his Florida Youth Lacrosse camps.	2024

<b>POWELL, Michael</b>	Lacrosse	Youngest of 3 Lax-playing brothers from Carthage HS ... High school All-American who set NY State marks for season points (194), game pts (15) in 2000, season assists (120) in 1999 ... At Syracuse Wore No. 22, as did brothers Casey & Ryan ... Two-time Tewaaraton Award winner (nation's best player) ... Tallied 70 points (30 goals) in '01; led SU to NCAA title game, his unassisted goal tied it with :16 left forcing OT ... SU's first-ever freshman to earn 1 <sup>st</sup> team All America honors; Only player to win the Turnbull Award four consecutive times (top attackman) ... Led SU to NCAA crown as a sophomore (84 pts/42 goals); tourney MVP; won his 1 <sup>st</sup> Tewaaraton Trophy ... Regained eligibility before '03 season, had 64 pts (31 goals) ... As a senior, 'Cuse won its 9 <sup>th</sup> title ... Scored 89 pts (47 goals), became SU's all-time scorer (307 pts) ... Sixth player to be 4-time A-A, 1 <sup>st</sup> Enners Trophy, named MOP in men's lacrosse ... Won a MLL championship, was All-Star Game MVP ... In 2006 World Championship, led USA in scoring, named to All-World Team.	2024
<b>POWELL, Ryan</b>	Lacrosse	Middle one of three Powell brothers from Carthage who starred for Syracuse ... In the 2000 NCAA Championship win over Princeton, Powell assisted on Ethan Mills' game-winner for Ryan's 96th point and record-287th of his career (tying brother Casey). That mark would be surpassed by brother Michael ... Considered the least-talented of the Powells, he exhibited a toughness that earned him the nickname 'Rhino.' ... Won prestigious Enners Award (top player), Turnbull Award (attackman) ... After SU, played with Casey in the MLL's initial season ... Was on U.S. teams in 2006 and '10 World Championships; he captained gold medal-winning team in '10 ... Has been involved with Rhino Lacrosse and Powell Lacrosse ... Joined Cazenovia College coaching staff in 2014.	2021
<b>PREGNAR, Alex</b>	Power Lifting	AAU Power lifting 1975-85	2021
<b>PRIOLO, Mrs. Francis</b>	Bowling	SWBA Bowling Hall of Fame	2021
<b>PROKOPIAK, Alex</b>	Handball	An outstanding scholastic swimmer at Central, Prokopiak played six games for Syracuse University's post-World War II basketball programs ... He ran the physical education program and coached basketball/baseball at Smith Tech in the '50s, elevating doormat programs to respectability ... He was among the City League's outstanding bowlers for decades ... And don't forget that Alex was a single-digit handicap on the golf course ... But it's handball at which he was among this city's best to ever play the game. He ruled the entire decade of the '50s. In '61, for example, he was seeking his 12th consecutive City championship. And even 10 years later, when Prokopiak was nearly 50, he was still a finalist in the City-County handball championship ... Alex died in 2015 at the age of 93.	2021

<b>QADIR, El-Java Abdul</b>	Martial Arts	With more than 40 years of martial arts training, Dr. Qadir holds the rank of 7 <sup>th</sup> -degree black belt in Shotokan Karate and title of Kyoshi (Master of Masters) ... Among league/circuit titles won since 1992 are: World Assn. of Kickboxing Organizations, World Karate/Kickboxing Council, World Combat League, National Black Belt League, North American Sport Karate Assn., State Kickboxing Champion (NY, NJ, PA, DE) ... A 3-time Gold Medalist at WAKO World Championships in Turkey ('19), Italy ('21) & Portugal ('23), he was named Head Coach of WAKO USA Kickboxing (Tatami) in 2019 and is Manager/Head Coach of Top Ten Team USA ... Founder/owner of the Syracuse Headquarters of EMATC, a family-operated martial arts business in CNY, positively impacting thousands of students & families since 2008 ... Owner/sole promoter of the Syracuse Open Martial Arts Tournament ... Served as Director of the South Side Innovation Center (SSIC) at Syracuse University's Whitman School of Management ... Co-Founder/Education Chair of not-for-profit My Dream Summit, Inc. ... A founding board member for various community organizations, including On Point for College, RAHMA Free Health Clinic and The Good Life Youth Foundation.	2026
<b>QUIGLEY, Terry</b>	Athlete/Coach	Lettered in basketball at SU ... coach of first Bishop Ludden team to go undefeated (1968-69), assisted by Hall of Famer Jerry Wilcox ... coached Mark Wadach and Phil Harlow ... also coached at Westhill and Bishop Grimes ... ran youth camps at SUNY Morrisville and the Youth Activity Center at New York State Fair.	2021
<b>QUILTY, Kerry</b>	Lacrosse/ Swimming	Liverpool Lacrosse Coach ... 250 wins/17 years, 7 All-Americans ... 2 League Champs, 1 Section III Title ... Liverpool Girls Swim Coach-207 wins	2021
<b>RAASCH, Nick</b>	Golf	Star of Jamesville-DeWitt High School golf team ('64-67), Nick was one of Central New York's greatest teenage players ever ... He not only won the New York State Junior Amateur championship in '65, but one-upped that a year later ... In '66, the J-D schoolboy and NY state high school champion went on to win the New York State Men's Amateur crown ... An outstanding student-athlete, he captained Penn State's golf team ('67-71) ... In '71, he was selected as the sole winner of the Nittany Lions' Ernie McCoy Academic/Athletic Award ... That same year, he captured the Syracuse District Golf Association title ... 'Doc' Raasch has won the club championship at Onondaga Golf and Country Club 11 times and countless other tournament titles in Syracuse and Central New York.	2021
<b>RAFFERTY, Steele</b>	Baseball	Player/Manager Jackson's 1890-1905	2021
<b>RAKOV, Dr. Phil</b>	Basketball	SU Basketball 1925-27 ... NCAA National Basketball Champ	2021
<b>RALEIGH, Stuart</b>	Tennis	Many time City Tennis Champions	2021
<b>RAPHAEL, Nick</b>	Bowling	Syracuse Bowling Hall of Fame 1984	2021
<b>RATLIFF, Jon</b>	Baseball	From Seneca River North Little League to the major leagues ... Ratliff was a 3-time all-leaguer for Liverpool High ... He starred in the Onondaga Senior League and Mickey Mantle League ... Pitched 3 years for Dick Rockwell at LeMoyne, was an All-American ... Chicago Cubs made him a first-round pick in the major league draft. In the Cubs' organization, he hurled his way up the ladder from Geneva (NY-Penn League) to Orlando (Southern) to Iowa (American Association) ... He also pitched for Richmond (International) and Sacramento (Pacific Coast), before making it to the major leagues in 2000 with the Oakland A's ... Pitched for the Syracuse Chiefs in '02 ... Coached collegiately at St. Rose ... Inducted into LeMoyne Gold Wave Hall of Fame ('06), Syracuse Chiefs' Wall of Fame ('09).	2021

<b>RAULLI, Daniel</b>	Soap Box Derby	He began racing at age 10 in 2008 and three years later became the first Syracuse area competitor to win the world championship in Akron, Ohio ... That year, he won the Super Stock Rally world title, defeating 54 cars in his division ... And in '14, Daniel bettered 48 cars in his division to capture the Rally Masters world crown ... Representing Region 9, he has surpassed the achievements of any local product in the past 80 years of derby racing ... In '09, he started Rally racing around the state and received his first invitation to the world championships ... He competed in the Worlds six consecutive years, winning twice and finishing second once ('15 Masters Division, when he had to win Rochester's qualifier, because Syracuse did not have one) ... Retired from racing in '17 at age 19.	2021
<b>RAUTINS, Leo</b>	Basketball	University of Minnesota Basketball '78-79 ... SU Basketball '81-83 ... NBA Philadelphia 76'ers, '83-84, Atlanta Hawks, '84-85 ... Broadcaster SU Sports Channel 13 ... Broadcaster Toronto Raptors NBA	2021
<b>REDDY, Ed</b>	Journalist	Syracuse Newspaper Sport Writer 60 years ... Wrote-bowling, golf, harness racing ... Blindmen Criers Kearney Award '92 ... President of Syracuse Bowling Association ... President Bowlers Writers Association America ... Member Harness Writers Hall Fame ... Inducted NYS Bowling Hall of Fame ... Co Director Win Scheduling Doubles Tourney ... Died- 1/18/08 at age 96	2021
<b>REINSMITH, Francis</b>	Baseball/ Football	Central High football/Baseball late 20's ... Central Baseball pitcher '27-29 ... Central High Football '29 ... Iowa State Football ... Syracuse Bowling Hall Fame '89 ... Champion in 5000 meters	2021
<b>RHODES, Damien</b>	Football	FM Graduate. Star high school football player. Played for SU and NFL.	2021
<b>RICHARDSON, Todd</b>	Basketball/ Football	Liverpool High '82-83 ... All-NYS Football '82 & '83 ... HM All-American Football 1984 ... Liverpool High Hall of Fame 1994	2021
<b>RILEY, John</b>	Basketball	St John Baptist Basketball '59-62 ... 1st team All-Parochial Basketball 1960-61, 1961-62 ... IAAC Scholarship Award winner 1962	2021
<b>ROBINSON, Mandel</b>	Basketball/ Football	Cicero North Syracuse High School football/Basketball ... 2nd team All-County Basketball '75-76 ... 1st team All-County football '74 ... SU Football #44 1976-77 ... University of Wyoming Football Team ... All-Conference player ... GP Syracuse Express semi-pro football	2021
<b>ROCH, Ron</b>	Coach	Ron lettered in football and baseball at Carthage High ('48), which had no wrestling team ... Served in the Air Force ('51-55) during the Korean Conflict ... Discovered wrestling at Ithaca College and loved it ... Hired at Watertown High, 8 of his wrestlers from '60-64 were sectionl champs (Tom Capone was 2-time NYS champ) ... Also a mat official, Ron was the 1st 1 <sup>st</sup> Exec. Sec. of the NYS Wrestling Officials Assn. ... In '68, hired at N. Syracuse; coached 12 sectional champs at N. Syr./Cicero-N. Syr., retiring in '87 ... Among many earning college scholarships, 8 were NCAA All-Americans ... Organized 'Bill Andersen Memorial Tournament,' which still attracts top NYS teams ... Un-retired to coach Carthage High ('91 team went undefeated), then South Lewis ... Over 30 years, teams won 338 varsity meets ... Officiated at States, 15 years collegiately at the Easterns ... Directed countless wrestling camps, was inducted into N. Syr., Section III, NYS, National halls of fame.	2023
<b>ROE, Matt</b>	Basketball	FM Basketball '83-86 (1127 pts) ... 1st team OHSL Basketball '84-85 ... All-CNY North Basketball '84-85 ... 1st team OHSL North 85-86 (23.6 pts) ... All-CNY North Basketball '85-86 ... All-CNY Basketball 86 ... SU Basketball '87-89 ... University of Maryland Basketball '91 ... Pro Basketball in Europe	2021

<b>ROMAN, Tracey (Osier)</b>	Softball	From 1991-94, Roman earned 11 letters at Cicero-North Syracuse: 4 in softball, 4 in basketball, 3 in cross-country. She was a 3-time 1 <sup>st</sup> -team All-State selection and 4-time All-CNY North in softball ... At UMass from '94-98, she was a career .322 hitter, helping lead teams to 2 College World Series, 4 Div. I Regionals, 4 Atlantic-10 titles and a 160-74-2 record ... She was a Regional 1 <sup>st</sup> -team pick ... After a year as a UMass asst. coach, then 2000-02 on Iowa State's staff, Tracey returned home as owner/operator of CNY Fastpitch training facility. She coached Cicero Renegades & SportsZone organizations, was coach/recruiting coordinator with UNY Revolution club, and from '07-12 was Baldwinsville's head coach ... She coached travel teams, and in late 2019, took over as LeMoyne head coach. In '21, LeMoyne was in NE-10 postseason play for the first time since 2017.	2025
<b>ROMANO, Tom</b>	Baseball	Henninger High star played for the Syracuse Jr. Chiefs, attended Coastal Carolina and had a distinguished, decade-long minor league career ... Romano signed with the Kansas City Royals in 1980 ... He was NY-Penn League Player of the Year in '81 when he batted .337 for Utica ... Had a massive '82 Midwest League season with the Madison Muskies. Fans called him 'Big Cheese' — the league MVP putting up stats of .340/26/98 and stealing 66 bases ... He hit .320 for Albany (Eastern) in '83 ... His 10-year career — 6 in Triple-A — produced a batting average of .289, 122 homers, 250 stolen bases ... Tom only had 3 at-bats in the major leagues, with Montreal in '87, but scored a run as a pinch-runner ... Then he wound up his career playing for Buffalo ('88-89) and Rochester ('89) in the International League.	2021
<b>ROMEO, Paul</b>	Gymnastics	SU Gymnastics Coach 1948-78 ... Started the SU program in 1947 ... Coached five individual NCAA Champions and 27 Eastern Intercollegiate Gymnastics League champions ... 1937 Gymnastics Regional Champion in the all-around for the Turners Club ... deceased.	2021
<b>ROSECRANS</b>	Football/ Wrestling	Born in Asheville, NC, he moved to Camillus before starting high school ... State wrestling champ (215-lb. crown in 1971) ... Newspaper polls rank him 39 <sup>th</sup> among CNY's top football players, 57 <sup>th</sup> among top athletes ... A stellar LB at Penn State (Linebacker U), where he twice made 20 tackles as a junior in '74, and Joe Paterno's Nittany Lions won 2 Cotton Bowls, 1 Orange Bowl ... 'Rosie' was among nearly 300 ex-players signing a public criticism of the HBO documentary 'Paterno' — calling it an "uninformed depiction" — and among 200 signing a letter sent to the university calling for JoePa's statue to be put back up ... He played lacrosse at Penn St., was a member of Team USA in the '80 Box Lacrosse World Championship in Canada ... A knee injury cut short his NFL career (1 game, '76 Jets) ... Rosecrans, a West Genesee/Town of Camillus Hall of Famer, passed away in 2022.	2023
<b>RUDY, John</b>	Archery/Trap Shoot	Archery/Trap Shoot	2021

<b>RUSSO JR., Joe</b>	Golf	For over 50 years, Joe Russo Jr. has won golf tournaments, starting with the 1960 Sunnycrest Jr. Crowning moments: Post-Standard Amateur ('96), District Amateur ('72), P-S Senior ('07) and District Jr. ('68) ... Russo won multiple County Juniors, was scholastic player of the year ('67), when Central High won the sectionals ... He caddied for Jack Nicklaus when Jack played in the U.S. Open at Oak Hill; Russo wrote about it for the Herald-Journal ... He played for junior college champ Miami-Dade and earned a scholarship at Louisiana (New Orleans) ... Joe set still-standing records at 5 local courses (scores of 61, 64, 64, 65, 66). His 352-yarder won the '76 CNY-PGA Long Drive title. He's won 18 club championships, 17 member-guests. Called 'The Prince,' he and his father, Joe Sr. ('The King'), won 10 District Father-Sons.	2021
<b>RUSSO, Andy</b>	Baseball	Cathedral/St. John the Evangelist ... 1st team All-Parochial Baseball 1969 ... LeMoyne College Baseball ... Signed by Philadelphia Phillies ... Minor League Pro Baseball '70-75 ... LeMoyne College Hall of Fame '89.	2021
<b>RUSSO, Dan</b>	Collector/Coach	Pop Warner Football Coach ... Inducted Syracuse Urban Sports Hall 1999	2021
<b>RUSTON, John</b>	Horseshoes	County Horseshoe Champ 1963-71 ... Horseshoes City Champ 1964-71	2021
<b>SALERNO, Paul</b>	Boxing	(Kid Polo) Syracuse Boxer over two decades 30-40's (On list twice.)	2021
<b>SALIBA, Cliff</b>	Bowling	Son of the late Dick Saliba, a New York State and Syracuse Bowling Association Hall of Fame, Cliff operated Lakeview Bowling Center and has been among the area's top bowlers for decades ... Coming out of the losers' bracket, he won the 1992 Herald Masters and went back-to-back in the Post-Standard Masters ('04-05) ... Only the second Syracuse bowler to win an ABC title, as a member of Doug Heim's Bowling Supply (3,286 team total) in '83 ... Cliff has 26-300 games, a high triple of 847 in the '98-99 season, and a high season average of 234 in the '95-96 season (the latter two rolled at Strike 'n Spare) ... He and Dan Smith teamed to win the 2002 NY State Doubles crown with a total pinfall of 1,596 ... Like his dad, Cliff has been enshrined in the New York State and Syracuse Bowling Association halls of fame.	2021
<b>SALISBURY, Eric</b>	Softball	Recreational softball player	2021
<b>SANFILIPPO, Carl</b>	Football	A physical education teacher at Baldwinsville since 1984 ... His Bees have won 213 games, 9 league titles, 4 section crowns, 3 regional titles, made 2 state semifinal appearances, one New York State Gatorade payer of the year, 5 Post-Standard players of the year ... On many Section 3 football committees	2021
<b>SANTELO, Pat</b>	Auto Racing	Started Syracuse Chargers ... Sprint Car Designer ... Indianapolis 500 Car Designer ... Owned the City of Syracuse car	2021
<b>SARDELLA, John</b>	Lacrosse/ Administrator	Founder/organizer of the Brine Upstate Lacrosse League, 1994-2002 ... US Lacrosse, Board Member 2001-02	2021
<b>SARNO, Bernard Sr</b>	Bowling	Syracuse Bowling Association Secretary 1965-82 ... Instrumental in getting ABC's to Syracuse ... Syracuse Bowling Hall of Fame 1968	2021
<b>SATALIN, Frank Jr.</b>	Baseball/ Basketball	St. John Baptist Baseball/Basketball ... 2nd team All-Parochial Basketball 1961-62 ... 1st team All-Parochial Baseball 1962-63 ... 1st team All-Parochial Basketball 1962-63 ... LeMoyne Freshman Basketball coach	2021
<b>SCANLON, Frank</b>	Baseball	Syracuse High baseball 1906 ... Notre Dame University 1907-09 ... Philadelphia Nationals NL 1909 ... Played 9 years in minor leagues.	2021
<b>SCHALK, Robert</b>	Basketball	St. Bonaventure 1951-1955 ... Averaged 12.5 PPG his junior year.	2021
<b>SCHMIDT, John S.</b>	Baseball/ Basketball	St John the Baptist '32-35 (3 sports) ... Georgetown University 1936-40 (Basketball, Baseball, foot) ... Coach at Assumption 1942-58 ... Syracuse Senior Cyclones 1978-00	2021

<b>SCHNEIBLE, Jim</b>	Baseball/ Basketball	St Anthony High 2 sports ... 1st team All-Parochial Basketball '39-40 ... St Anthony All-City Baseball 1939 & 40 ... St Anthony All-City Basketball 1940 ... CBA All-City Baseball 1940-41 ... SU Fresh Baseball 1941-42 ... 7 years pro Minor League Baseball ... Syracuse Chiefs	2021
<b>SCHOENWALD, Linda</b>	Tennis/Official	USTA Official all US Tournaments ... ETUA Tennis Umpire of the Year 1990	2021
<b>SCHULTE, Herb</b>	Baseball/ Football/ Basketball	North 1st team All-City baseball 1933	2021
<b>SCHULTZ, Mike</b>	Baseball/ Basketball	Central High Baseball/Basketball ... All-City Basketball 1940 ... All-City Baseball 1938-39 ... Syracuse Chiefs 1941, '43, '46-47, '49 ... Rochester Red Wings IL 1949-51 ... Cincinnati Reds NL 1947	2021
<b>SCOTT, Bonnie (Ellis)</b>	Gymnastics	Syracuse, Fawnettes ... West Genesee High School ... OHSL Champ, Section III Champ ... Balance beam, Floor ex, & all around ... Syracuse Chamber Female Athlete of Year ... NYS Champ-balance beam ... Michigan State gymnastics ... 1980 Big Ten Champ-balance beam ... Michigan State Outstanding Gymnast 1980 & 1983 SEARS, Kyla – Lacrosse – Skaneateles ('17) ... fifth year student at Princeton 2021-22 ... Was 3-time scholastic All-American, National Player of the Year, played five years (282 goals, 138 assists) ... As a senior, registered 100 points (65 goals) ... On 2 NY State championship teams, 3 runners-up and was selected a State Championship MVP ... Collegiately, she set Princeton and Ivy League freshman scoring records (64 goals, 83 points) ... As sophomore, attack made 2nd team All-American, was unanimous 1st team All-Ivy (55 goals, 40 assists, 95 points).	2021
<b>SEARS, Kyla</b>	Lacrosse	Skaneateles ('17) ... fifth year student at Princeton 2021-22 ... Was 3-time scholastic All-American, National Player of the Year, played five years (282 goals, 138 assists) ... As a senior, registered 100 points (65 goals) ... On 2 NY State championship teams, 3 runners-up and was selected a State Championship MVP ... Collegiately, she set Princeton and Ivy League freshman scoring records (64 goals, 83 points) ... As sophomore, attack made 2nd team All-American, was unanimous 1st team All-Ivy (55 goals, 40 assists, 95 points).	2021
<b>SEYBOLT, Carlton</b>	Baseball/ Basketball/ Football	Central High football/Basketball 1919-22 ... Central Basketball City Champ 1920-22 ... Central NYS Basketball Champs 1921 ... All-CNY Football 1st team 1921 ... All-City Football team 1921 ... Central Baseball team 1922 ... Colgate University football team 20's ... Coached at Vocational many years ... Blindmen & Criers member	2021
<b>SHAVERS, Mo</b>	Softball	1st pitcher to use windmill style ... Hoffman softball team 1937 ... Hillside softball team 1938	2021
<b>SILVERTHORN, Dick</b>	Softball	Softball Pitcher w/ Easy Washer, Highways Motors, Solvay teams	2021
<b>SIMMONS, Art</b>	Hockey	A 4-sport high school athlete at Nottingham, Simmons was the All-City hockey team Most Valuable Player in 1935-36 ... Art was a big right wing who — after playing for the EHL's Hersey Bears, played for the Syracuse Stars (AHL) in '39-40 ... He was also with the Buffalo Bisons ('40-42) and Syracuse Stars' AAU team ('48-49) ... He also played with the Clinton Comets ... Art ended his career in '53 ... He died in 1974.	2021
<b>SIMS, Lazarus</b>	Basketball	SU Basketball Star. Syracuse Community Leader & Parks Commissioner	2021
<b>SKIDDY, Lawrence</b>	Journalist	Herald Journal Sport Writer ... Syracuse Baseball Wall Fame-1999	2021



<b>SMARRELLI, Tony</b>	Basketball Coach/ Golf	A product of Henninger High, OCC, U. of Akron (BS degree), SU (grad studies) ... Taught phys. ed. 35 years, coached basketball 31 years: Henninger, Nottingham, LeMoyne (asst.), Bishop Grimes ... Varsity record of 397-162 (.710), winning 7 league and sectional titles, 4 regional titles, 4 NYS Final 4's ... His 1982 Nottingham team won State/Federation crowns; Tony named P-S Coach of the Year ... Asst. to John Beilein at LeMoyne ('83-86) ... Ran day camp ('87-05), providing scholarship to needy kids ... Fine golfer, he coached Grimes to the school's 1st Section III title and was P-S Senior champ ('05) ... Moving to Pinehurst, NC, he's an 11-time club champ at Pinehurst CC and County Sr. winner ('09) ... Named National Hickory POY ('15), winning all 4 majors ... Won 10 consecutive Hickory Sr. titles ... As caddy at Pinehurst, was on the bag at U.S. Women's Open, 2 U.S. Men's Amateurs ('14), U.S. Sr. Women's Open ('20), North-South for future Tour stars Stacy Lewis, Corey Connors ... He and HOF Joe Tesori organized Little Linksters Golf Camp ... Multiple HOF: Section III ('09), NYS ('17), Bishop Grimes ('20), school naming court in his honor.	2021
<b>SMITH Jr., John C.</b>	Contributor	John was 2-way starter for CBA's undefeated 1948 football team, basketball letterman ... It's as coach, manager, administrator who fostered the growth of the Eastwood Bears Pop Warner football program, which he founded in 1961, that he's best known ... He founded many youth sports programs in Eastwood. His selfless efforts have been recognized over the years: Sherman Park Giant Eastside Man of the Year ('89), Greater Eastwood C of C Community Service Award ('92), Eastwood Lifetime Achievement Award (Community Service,'93), Syracuse Rotary Club Man of the Year ('94), Onondaga County Volunteer of the Year ('95), County Dept. of Aging and Youth Adult Volunteer ('03), CBA Distinguished Alumni Recipient ('15) ... Syracuse Common Council named Norwood Park fields (where Eastwood Bears play) 'John C. Smith Jr. Field at Norwood Park' ... In '76, founded J.C. Smith company; has expanded to 6 NYS locations ... Halls of Fame: Syracuse Northside Community Center ('02), CNY Chapter of National Football Foundation and College HOF (contributions to amateur football, '03), Pop Warner ('09), Syracuse Sports Urban HOF ('21).	2021
<b>SMITH, Bill</b>	Basketball	Central Tech Basketball 1960-62 ... 1st team All-City Basketball 1962 ... Niagara University Basketball 1963-65	2021
<b>SMITH, Jerry</b>	Cross Country/ Long Distance	Syracuse Track Club founder 1977 ... Coach at F-M, youth programs	2021
<b>SNYDER, George</b>	Softball	NYS ASA Softball Hall Fame '03 ... Syracuse Cyclones Softball team starting '84 ... Played 11 Senior Softball World Series	2021
<b>SORRENTINO, Greg</b>	Boxing	33 pro fights between 1975-84 ... NYS Heavyweight champ ... NYS Golden Gloves champ	2021
<b>SPEARS, Johnny</b>	Football	Most Holy Rosary football 1925-28 ... All-Schiller's 1925 Amateur champs ... NYS High School Football Champs ... All-Schiller Football 1925 League champ ... Niagara University football lineman	2021

<b>SPENCER, Diana</b>	Basketball	Not many scholastic athletes played five (5) years on the varsity, but Diana did ... Not only did she play on F-M's varsity basketball team, but she averaged 7.6 points, 8.0 rebounds ... She was second at F-M to score 1,000 career points (school-record 1,860 and F-M record 1,223 rebounds) ... A 3-time first team all-league selection, Spencer also set a single-game mark scoring 47 vs. C-NS as a junior and season high 59 as a senior, when she was 1999 OHSL American Player of the Year ... Diana was a heralded recruit at University of Colorado, where she played a reserve role on teams earning 3 consecutive days NCAA berths, 2 straight Sweet 16s and the Elite 8 in 2002 ... Diana was team captain her senior year, when she was recipient of the Coaches Award (attitude, leadership, desire, commitment) and painted the cover of Colorado's media guide.	2021
<b>SPRAGUE, Howard</b>	Golf	– Golf	2021
<b>STAFFO, Dr. Don</b>	Administrator/ Journalist	A PE teacher/coach at Liverpool, Staffo refereed CNY wrestling for 11 years ... Earned BS (Brockport), MA (W. Ky.), Ph.D. (Ohio St.) ... 50 yrs. as national award-winning educator, simultaneously 40 yrs. as nationally-recognized sports journalist ... In 6 halls of fame: National Assn. of Sports & PE Activity, Ohio St., Brockport Hall of Heritage, Greater Utica, Stillman HOF, Stillman Sports HOF ... Covered Alabama football/basketball 30 yrs. for Associated Press ... Received 7 national awards, 60-plus recognitions ... Authored 11 books, 2,150 articles in various publications ... Sports columnist 20 yrs. ... Highest awards from 4 of 5 alma maters ... Citations from U.S. Congress, NY State Assembly (3), NY State Senate (2), Alabama House of Representatives (2), Alabama Senate (2) ... Only professor & dept. chair emeritus in 143-yr. history of Stillman College ... Received Ohio State's Archie Griffin Award for Professional Achievement ... Wrote 'Jim Boeheim & Syracuse Basketball -- in the Zone' ... As AD at Stillman, started football; team had winning record 2nd yr., led Div. III in attendance 4th yr.	2024
<b>STANLEY, Carol 'Stash'</b>	Softball	Carol was a member of both Bishop Ludden's 1st graduating class (1967) and the school's initial Athletic Hall of Fame (2021) ... Nicknamed 'Stash,' she was a trailblazer — withstanding ridicule for playing sports with the boys ... She was recruited by the Onondaga Indian Reservation team to play softball ... She went on to play 27 years of ASA Fast-Pitch softball ... Dubbed the 'Mother of Padded Gloves' — an inventor whose Stan Mill Mitt led to her founding STASH Sporting Goods, Inc. and LaceLocker. In 1988, her mitt was the 1st product invented by a woman to be included in baseball's Hall of Fame permanent collection in Cooperstown ... Her collegiate education included Fredonia, SUNY Cortland and Drexel. She endowed a scholarship at Fredonia in honor and memory of her Mother, Cassie ... Carol officiated men's college basketball, was a softball coach/assistant coach, helped establish softball in Peru, is CEO of STASH and is the Boys & Girls Club's Director of External Affairs	2023
<b>STARK, Bill</b>	Golf	– Golf	2021
<b>STEFANELLI, Dom</b>	Baseball/ Football/ Basketball	North High 3 sport star 1925-28 ... SU Football 1932 ... SU Baseball 1931-33	2021
<b>STEIN, Joe</b>	Tennis	Promoted Tennis youth programs	2021

<b>STEINBERG, Paul</b>	Basketball/ Football/ Official	Central High Football/Basketball ... Early pro Basketball player YMCA Leagues 1898-99 ... Philadelphia Athletics Football 1903-04 ... 1st Football World Champ 1902 ... Canton Bulldogs Pro Football 1906 ... Umpire/High & College Official ... *Greatest of All-Officials*	2021
<b>STEMMLER, Nick</b>	Broadcaster	North High graduate ... Syracuse Radio Sports broadcaster 1930-40's on WSYR ... Radio voice of Syracuse Chiefs	2021
<b>STETHERS, Howie</b>	Baseball	Eastwood Baseball/Football 1957-59 ... 3-time 1st team All-City Baseball 57-59 ... 1st CNY Bonus Baby-sign with Baltimore Orioles for \$30,000 ... Played 5 years in minor leagues	2021
<b>STEVENSON, Robert</b>	Photographer	Baldwinsville High 1946-51 ... Baldwinsville High Baseball pitcher ... Syracuse Nationals photographer 1954-63	2021
<b>STROH, Bill</b>	Baseball	Shamrocks 1898 ... Syracuse Stars NYSL 1904-05 ... Eastern League ... Tri State League ... Boston Nationals NL ... Boston Red Sox Scout	2021
<b>STROH, George</b>	Baseball	Shamrocks Baseball club 1899 ... Syracuse Stars-1899, 1905 ... St Cecilia's indoor team 1900 ... AJ&G- NYS 1905,07 ... Elmira-1908 ... 30-year pro baseball player ... Major League scout w/ Boston Red Sox	2021
<b>SZOMBATHY, Joe</b>	Football/ Coach/ Administrator	SU Football End 1950-52 ... Played '53 Orange Bowl ... 1952 SU's Bill Horr Award ... Coached high school in Pennsylvania ... SU end/linebacker coach '57-73 ... SU's Orange Pack Director and SU Associate Director of Athletics (1974 to 1999) ... SU Letterman of Distinction 1989 ... deceased (2019).	2021
<b>TANGUAY, Jim</b>	Baseball/ Football	Central High Football late 20's ... All-City Football Team ... Central baseball team 1928 ... NYU Football star	2021
<b>TANNER, Tommy</b>	Soccer	Having twice earned National Soccer Coaches' scholastic All-America recognition and Parade Magazine A-A, as well, the Henninger grad also starred at North Carolina St. (1986-90) and gained a BA (Bus. Mgt. '91) ... A 2 <sup>nd</sup> round Draft pick of the Cleveland Crunch, midfielder Tanner scored 236 goals in 387 appearances from '91-01. Those teams won 3 MISL titles, and from '94-95 to '96-97 compiled a 90-30 record (.750) ... Tommy was '92 MISL Rookie of the Year ... He played for the Rochester Rhinos ('96-02), was Syracuse Soccer Academy Director of Coaching ('01-03), player/asst. coach for the Syracuse Salty Dogs ('03-04), founder/coach of the Syracuse Youth Football Club ('04), owner/coach of the Syracuse Silver Knights ('11-16) and GM ('17). Since 2016, Tanner has been owner/GM of the Major Arena Soccer League's Utica City FC.	2025
<b>TARBELL, Greg</b>	Lacrosse	SU Lacrosse 1980-81 ... All-American 3rd team 1981 ... All-American HM 1982 ... Holds SU record most goals game-9 ... 3rd SU most points in game-11	2021
<b>THOMA, Bern</b>	Football	All-Schiller's Quarterback 1926-28	2021
<b>TILL, Bob</b>	Basketball	St. Vincent's Basketball ... 1st team All-Parochial '53-54, '54-55	2021
<b>TINDALL, Frank</b>	Football/ Basketball	Born in Solvay (1908) and a multi-sport athlete at Solvay High, Frank played football/basketball at Syracuse ('28-32), although unlisted among lettermen ... Played pro ball in Canadian Football League; all-conference rookie for '33 Grey Cup champion Toronto Argonauts ... Named Argos' all-time tackle from '21-41 era ... Coached football (1946 to 1975, 106-74-2) and basketball (26) at Queen's University in Kingston, Ontario ... His football teams won a Canadian national championship ('68 Vanier Cup, 11-1 record) and 8 Yates Cup conference titles, 7 in 14-year span ... Frank Tindall Trophy awarded yearly to Canadian Interuniversity Athletic Union football coach of the year ... A Queens University football hall of famer (1st class in '83), he was Canadian Football Hall of Fame inductee ('85) ... Died in '93.	2021
<b>TITONE, Frank</b>	Official	NYS Softball Hall of Fame 1993 ... Blindmen Criers Schwarzer Award '98	2021

<b>TOBIN, Walter</b>	Baseball	All-Syracuse Native Baseball team 1939 ... Yale Rifles baseball 1903 ... Clipper Baseball team 1903 ... Holihan's Pets Baseball team 1910	2021
<b>TORMEY, Jim Sr.</b>	Basketball	Born in Syracuse in 1889, Jim was one of the city's earliest stellar athletes, a three-sport star at CBA (1906) ... In 1909, he enrolled at Syracuse University; he played freshman football, captained basketball/baseball teams ... In 1910, he went to Dean Academy (Mass.); was again a three-sport star on New England Prep School championship teams ... In 1912, he transferred to Georgetown; he earned seven letters ... While working for the FBI during World War I, he played for the (Original) Basloe Globetrotters, traveling throughout the Midwest ... In 1919, he began playing center for the All-Syracuse team (including Joe Schwarzer, Wilbur Crisp), which won more than 80 percent of its games from 1919-24 ... Played over 1,000 games ... Was City of Syracuse Corporation Counsel ... Received Georgetown's Medal of Honor (1969).	2021
<b>TRAINOR, Dick</b>	Baseball	Syracuse Stars catcher 1904-07 ... Selected to All-Syracuse native team by Syracuse Newspapers in 1939	2021
<b>TRETOWICZ, Mark</b>	Baseball/ Hockey/ Soccer	Liverpool High 3 sports '82-85 ... Hockey/soccer/baseball ... Liverpool Baseball All-Star '83-85 ... Liverpool NYS Hockey champs '85 ... 1st team hockey All-Star '83,84 ... Division I, Section III scoring champ '84-85 ... Clarkson College Hockey '85-89 ... Draft-NHL's LA Kings ... Roanoke ECL 1989 ... Liverpool Sports Hall of Fame '92	2021
<b>TRICHE, Howard</b>	Basketball	Corcoran High Basketball 1982, 83 ... All-CNY selection 1981-82 ... 1st team All-CNY Metro 1982-83 ... Selected to All-NYS Basketball team ... SU Basketball 1984-87 (Final 4-1987)	2021
<b>TRIPOLI, Paul</b>	Football	Born in Utica, Paul starred at Liverpool High on the gridiron, also in basketball, golf, and track ... The 1980 grad was inducted into the school's Athletic Hall of Fame with a Class of '89 that included Hall of Famer Tim Green ... He played collegiately at Alabama ... A 6-foot, 197-pound defensive back, Tripoli played pro football in the NFL for the Tampa Bay Buccaneers ('87) and in Canada for the Toronto Argonauts ('86-87) ... In '86, he had three interceptions in nine games as the Argos won the CFL East. In '87, he played two games for the Argos (who reached the Grey Cup), returning three missed field He played collegiately at Alabama ... A 6-foot, 197-pound defensive back, Tripoli played pro football in the NFL for the Tampa Bay Buccaneers ('87) and in Canada for the Toronto Argonauts ('86-87) ... In '86, he had three interceptions in nine games as the Argos won the CFL East. In '87, he played two games for the Argos (who reached the Grey Cup), returning three missed field goals	2021
<b>TRYNISKI, Mike</b>	Bowling	A two-time winner of the Syracuse Senior Masters Tournament (2013, '16), Fulton's Tryniski has won over 200 tournaments across NY State and the USA ... He's rolled more than 100 perfect games, 75 series of 800 or more ... His ABC/USBC Tournament average of 209 is Top 30 all-time for those competing 30-35 times ... Mike has multiple Top 24 finishes in Professional Bowlers Association (PBA) events (career-best 5 <sup>th</sup> place) ... The 2000 PBA East Region Player of the Year has won 7 regional titles ... He's coached Fulton HS boys & girls teams 10 years, won 12 league titles (9 boys, 3 girls), 10 Section III crowns (7 boys, 3 girls), and coached Section III's composite girls team to a NY State title ... Tryniski operates Fulton's Lakeview Lanes Pro Shop ... A Fulton HS Athletics Hall of Famer, he's in Syracuse, Fulton & NY State Bowling Halls of Fame.	2024
<b>TUCCI, Rudy</b>	Baseball	Cicero North Syracuse High School Coach 31 years, Record 301-85 ... 1980 Outstanding High School Baseball Coach of Year Award at AAC Con ... Co-Director of LeMoyne Baseball Camp ... 16-year assistant baseball coach at LeMoyne	2021

<b>TUCH, Alex</b>	Hockey	Born in Syracuse, raised in Baldwinsville, was already a stud on the ice as a 15-year-old scoring 101 points in 40 games for the Syracuse Jr. Stars ... Alex won a Bronze medal in 2013 World Under-17 team, Gold in '14 with Under-18 team, scoring 64 points in 61 games ... Was 18th overall pick in 1st round of '14 NHL Entry Draft by Minnesota Wild ... Led Boston College to the Frozen Four as a sophomore ... Scored 62 points (32 goals) in 77 games for Boston College ... Minnesota dealt Tuch to Las Vegas, where his NHL career has taken off at an early age ... He's already accounted for 139 points (61 goals) in four seasons with the Golden Knights, who reached the 2018 Stanley Cup finals ... In 20 playoff games that year, he scored 10 points.	2021
<b>TURNER, Chris</b>	Football/ Basketball	A two-sport scholastic standout, Chris was named in a 2018 newspaper poll as 20 <sup>th</sup> -best among Syracuse city school athletes over the previous 40 years ... In 2019, a newspaper poll included his among CNY's all-time top 100 athletes ... In basketball, Henninger's 6-4, 210-lb. forward was a scoring/rebounding stat stuffer. In two seasons, he scored 1,119 points (23 ppg), averaged 14 rebounds, was a two-time all-league 1 <sup>st</sup> -teamer ... His last year, he averaged 26.7 ppg, 14 rpg, 4 assists, was 2002 Class A co-Player of the Year and all-State ... Coached by Hall of Famer Joe Mazella, Turner led Henninger to the NY State Public School championship (1 <sup>st</sup> Sec. 3 team to win that title). He was Tournament MVP, scoring 38, grabbing 19 boards vs. Rochester McQuaid. Henninger was runner-up to Rice in the Federation finals ... Chris was also all-CNY as a tight end, and went on to set numerous football records at Wagner from 2003-06. Among them: career marks for receptions (213), receiving yards (2,863), TDs caught (33). He set a single-game record of 15 catches for 202 yards, 4 TDs.	
<b>UFFER, Dennis</b>	Handball	Won four consecutive 50 and over titles in World Handball Championship ... doubles and one and four-wall single crowns ... motto is "any ball, any wall, anywhere."	2021
<b>UNGER, John</b>	Baseball/ Basketball	Cicero-North Syracuse 2 sports ... Basketball score 1,021 pts '64-67 ... 1st team All-County Basketball 1966-67 ... 1st team All-County baseball ... SU Basketball team	2021
<b>VAN LENGEN, Robert</b>	Football	Princeton University Football team ... Football Referee ... Blindmen & Criers Award 1976	2021
<b>VASSENELLI, Nick "Pepper"</b>	Basketball	Easy Washer Softball Team ... NYS ASA Softball Hall of Fame 1990 ... Softball umpire	2021
<b>VENTURA, Sam</b>	Bowling	In first-ever event at age 13, Utica native won Junior City tourney all events. Sam bowled for Utica Proctor High, Herkimer/Mohawk Valley CC teams ... Many times King of the Hill in over 100 TV appearances ... Topped 800 entries to win '85 Herald Masters; won inaugural NY State Masters ('89); only repeat champ ('90) ... Has more than 50-300's, plus 12-299's, 18-800 3-game series ... Won 2 Syracuse Bowling Association team titles, 2 doubles crowns ... Empire State Games: 1 Gold, 2 Silver ... Silver medal, '92 Olympic Festival ... Ohio amateur champ ('92, '93) ... On Senior Tour, 1st to top world's No. 1, Walter Ray Williams ... Won 7 PBA50 Senior regional titles despite having Bell's palsy ... Regional Bowler of the Year ('11, '14) ... Led '12 U.S. Open qualifying after 18 games ... NY State, Syracuse Bowling Association Hall of famer.	2021
<b>VERCILLO, Pete</b>	Basketball	North High grad 1951 ... Morrisville College ... Assistant coach CBA under Capelletti ... CBA Head coach 1967 ... '67 Catholic Coach of Year for CNY ... Coach Syracuse Bisons semi-pro football 10 years ... Coach 2 years at Bishop Ludden late 80's ... CBA defensive coach in 1995 ... Morrisville Athletic Wall of Fame 2005	2021

<b>VETTER, Al</b>	Football/Lacrosse	Born 4/2/1930 ... Staunton Military Academy HS 1949 ... 3-sport athlete, all-state Basketball ... Colgate University foot 3 years, grad 1953 ... Helped establish FM Little League ... Coach Manlius Military Academy –Football/baseball/track ... FM High Varsity Football/Basketball/lacrosse coach many years ... Retired from FM 1984 ... Served Section 3, Foot Chairman ... Colgate University Lacrosse coach ... Hamilton College football coach ... Co-founded & President CNY Chapter of National Football Foundation ... US Football Association 1st rep NYS ... Outstanding Contributor to Amateur Football Award ... US Air Force-Japan & Germany ... Died 5/19/2005 in CNY	2021
<b>VILLEMAN, George</b>	Baseball	Shamrocks 1897 ... Syracuse Stars pitcher '98-99 ... Utica EL '99-00 ... Schenectady '01-02 ... Minnesota '04 ... AJ&G NYS League '05	2021
<b>VREDENBURG, Jerry</b>	Soccer/Lacrosse	Athlete, teacher, coach, administrator ... Lettered in three sports at Baldwinsville ... Lettered in two sports at Oswego State ... National Soccer Coaches Association ... All-America honors as a goalie ... Had 29 saves when Oswego won its only SUNY title ... Honored by US Lacrosse Coaches Association Century Club	2021
<b>WALL, Bill</b>	Baseball/ Basketball	Skaneateles High School 2 sports ... 1st team All-County Basketball 1967-68 ... 1st team All-County Baseball ... Pitched many no-hitters	2021
<b>WALLACE, Bob</b>	Baseball/ Football	Central Square Assistant Football Coach 20 years, Softball Coach 2 years	2021
<b>WALLACE, Robert</b>	Coach/ Football/ Basketball/ Baseball	Valley High '41-45, 3 sports Football/Basketball/Baseball ... '43 City League Football Champs ... Colgate University '47 fresh football ... Cortland State lettered 3 years football ... Coach-Painted Post High '53-56, Cortland State '56-85 ... Cortland State Baseball Coach '58-82, 25 years ... Varsity Basketball Coach 1957-58 ... Ladies Softball Coach '84- 85 ... Inducted Cortland State-Club Hall '79 ... Cortland Baseball field named Wallace	2021
<b>WARD, Vandy</b>	Tennis	City Tennis Champion	2021
<b>WEATHERUP, Paul</b>	Contributor	Scholastic football official 1958-93 ... college official '65-'74 ... Executive Secretary of the NY State Association of Certified Football Officials since 1968, chairman of NYSPHSAA Officials Coordinating Federation since 1973 ... Secretary-Treasurer of Blindmen and Criers, 1968-2008 ... NY State Public High School Athletic Association Hall of Fame.	2021
<b>WEBSTER, Marshall</b>	Hockey/Coach	Valley High '39-42 ... Syracuse Stars '45-50 ... Valley High Coach '46 ... Eastwood Rockets '52-55 ... Electricians '56-66 ... Come Back Inn '67-79 ... Tracy Construction '80-85 ... Syracuse Kings '86-90 ... Whelens Pub '90-98 ... Syracuse Gray Wolves '96-present (confirmed up to 2018) ... Midstate Youth hockey coach 1963-70	2021
<b>WEGERSKI, Spig</b>	Football/Coach/Of ficial	Vocational High '31-33 ... All-City End '32/'33 ... St. Bonaventure University ... Coached at St. Anthony's, Split Rock and North Syracuse ... Collegiate Official ... Blindmen-Joe Schwarzer Award 79	2021
<b>WEISMORE, Bob</b>	Baseball	Corcoran High Baseball '68-70 ... 1st team All-City pitch '69-70 ... Signed pro contract w/ Chicago Cubs ... Minor league '70-73 ... '72-GCL League, 6-3, 1.89 era ... 1973-Quincy, Midwest League, 6-6, 3.58 ... OCC pitch coach ... Corcoran High pitch coach ... Westhill Baseball coach 2000-2016 ... 2 Section Titles, 4 league titles ... 2004 NYS Class B final four	2021
<b>WESSINGER, Jim</b>	Baseball	LeMoyne College shortstop '73-75 ... 1st LeMoyne player to play majors ... Signed with Atlanta Braves '76 ... Minor leagues '76-80 ... Richmond Braves International League '78-80 ... Atlanta Braves NL 1979 ... LeMoyne College Sport Hall of Fame	2021
<b>WIEGAND, "Speedy"</b>	Softball	Great softball pitcher 1935-50's ... w/ Easy Washer NYS Champs ... Haberles, Hoffman others	2021

<b>WILCOX, Ron</b>	Basketball	Cathedral High Basketball 1943-47 ... 1st team All-Parochial selection 1946-47 ... All Syracuse high school team 1947	2021
<b>WILEY, George</b>	Track	1904 St Louis Summer Olympic ... Silver & bronze medal in 5mi & 25mi bike race ... Featured in MSG ... 6-day pro bike race ... Both indoor & outdoor races ... 1913-3rd in Paris 6-day event	2021
<b>WILLIAMS, Todd</b>	Baseball	East Syracuse High Baseball ... OHSL Metro All-Star '89 ... OCC pitcher (uniform retired-2000) ... San Francisco Giants (1997) ... Cincinnati Reds (1998) ... Indianapolis International League (1998-99) ... International League All-Star Relief Pitcher (1998) ... Seattle Mariners (1999-00) ... (1999) USA Pan-American baseball team ... (2000) USA Olympic gold medal team ... NY Yankees (2001) ... Columbus Clippers International League (2001) ... Signed with LA Dodgers (2002) ... Ottawa Lynx International League (03-04) ... Baltimore Orioles AL (04-07)	2021
<b>WINTERS, Phillip "Bucky"</b>	Baseball	SU Baseball '58-62 ... NCAA College World Series 1961 ... Marcellus Baseball Coach 34 years ... Won 11 league titles ... Won 3 Section III championships ... 1997 All-CNY Coach of Year	2021
<b>WINTERTON, Jim</b>	Racquetball	US National Racquetball team Coach ... Olympic Racquetball team Coach	2021
<b>WOODRIDGE, Dick</b>	Baseball	SU Baseball 1971-72, pitcher 7-0 on SU final baseball team in 1972 ... Youth, high & collegiate, instructor ... Sports Zone 481 instructor... Coach Post-Standard Classic League 1999	2021
<b>WOODRIDGE, Dickie</b>	Baseball	Liverpool High infielder 87-89 ... 1st team County All-Star '87,88,89 ... Liverpool Babe Ruth League All-Star ... Onondaga Senior League All-Star '88 ... OCC Baseball '90-91 ... Select to regional/district teams ... NJCAA All-American 91 ... LeMoyne College infielder 92-93 ... Collegiate All-Star team ... Signed pro w/San Diego Padres ... minor leagues '93-96 ... Rancho Cucamonga '95-96 ... Memphis SL '96 ... Liverpool Sports Hall of Fame '98 ... Coach Bronze medal Baseball team '03 Empire State Games ... Sports Zone 481 instructor ... Coach-Syracuse Sports Zone Chiefs-'07; Le Moyne HOF	2021
<b>WOOLEVER, Frank</b>	Journalist	Herald Journal Sport Editor-Writer 1923-65, 42 years	2021
<b>WORMUTH, William</b>	Lacrosse	SU Lacrosse 1962-64, team captain 1964. Teacher and administrator at West Genesee from 1965-1977. Superintendent at Lowville (1984-2001). Passed away in 2016.	2021
<b>WRIGHT, Steve</b>	Basketball	One of the outstanding high school performers while at Fowler High in the 1980s ... Went onto Providence College ... While at Providence, played against Syracuse in the 1987 Final Four game ... Syracuse won to advance to championship game ... Standout defender	2021
<b>YOUSMANS, Maury</b>	Football	Maury played football and basketball at North Syracuse High ... He was a 1st team All-County end in 1953 ... At Syracuse University, he played freshman basketball, but it was on the gridiron he would make his athletic name known ... Youmans was a stellar tackle for Ben Schwartzwalder's national championship team in 1959, and a cog on the line dubbed the 'Sizeable Seven' ... He played in two New Year's Day bowl games, '59 Orange, following the '58 season, and '60 Cotton Bowl capping SU's undefeated, untied championship season ... A member of the College All-Star team, he was an NFL Draft pick of the Chicago Bears and played for the legendary George 'Papa Bear' Halas from 1960-62 ... He wound up his pro career with the Dallas Cowboys ('64-65) ... The Florida resident has served for years on the Hall of Fame Bowl selection committee.	2021
<b>ZABINSKI, Dick</b>	Basketball	St Lucy's Basketball 1945-47 ... 1st team All-Parochial '46-47, '47-48	2021
<b>ZACHOLL, Bob Sr.</b>	Baseball/ Softball	Crouse Hinds, Fairbanks, Ramblers, Southside Cardinals, Delfi Falls, Herald-Journal Semi-Pro League	2021

<b>ZAPPOLA, Jon</b>	Coach	Baseball. First as a catcher, than coach, Zappola spent 5 decades (1965-2007) guiding the Sherman Park Phillies in 3 leagues: American Amateur Baseball Congress, Stan Musial Division and Canadian-NY League ... Sherman Park also played in the NYS Traveling League and City of Syracuse League at times concurrent with the AABC ... Overall, his teams were 1,069-498 (.682), won 48 of 53 Division titles, 7 NY State crowns, had 23 consecutive winning seasons and only 2 losers over 45 campaigns ... He was named Canadian-NY League Manager of the Year 13 times ... For years, Jon was an AABC administrator and Canadian-NY League Commissioner ... His coaching tree includes 53 ex-players who signed pro contracts -- including '24 NL Manager of the Year Pat Murphy, one of 5 GSSHOF inductees he managed ... Recipient of the AABC's 'Conspicuous Achievement Award' in '95, Zappola also coached youth basketball and baseball.	2025
<b>ZULBERTI, John</b>	Lacrosse	West Genesee State Champs MVP ... West Genesee All-America '84,'85 ... Empire Games Gold Medalist ... SU Lacrosse 4-time All-American ... SU 3rd team All-American '86 ... SU 2nd team All-American '87 ... SU 1st team All-American '88, '89 ... 2nd in SU all-time career assists 158 ... 5th in SU all-time career points ... Assistant Coach Ohio Wesleyan 199 ... passed away in 2021.	2021