



# Wheeler High School Athletics “Expect Excellence”

Troy Jones  
Athletic Director

## WHEELER ATHLETIC HALL OF FAME

### **PURPOSE:**

To honor and recognize athletes, teams, coaches, administrators and others who have brought recognition, honor and distinction to Wheeler through outstanding contributions to the athletic program at Wheeler High School, at the collegiate level or beyond. Introduction in to the Wheeler Athletic Hall of Fame will be the highest honor that the athletic department can bestow upon an individual.

### **CATEGORY OF NOMINATION (check one):**

**Former Athlete** – an athlete must be an alumnus of Wheeler High School and be graduated a minimum of 10 years prior to nomination or have reached the highest level of competition for their sport (i.e. Major League Baseball, NFL, MLS, ect.)

**Coach / Administrator** – A coach or administrator must have served in the Cobb County schools a minimum of five years prior to nomination

**Team** – One nomination each year for a team that has won a state championship beginning with the first state championship in chronological order.

**Contributor** – a contributor to Wheeler athletics must have been away from the athletic Program a minimum of two years prior to nomination

**Posthumous** – a nomination received posthumously for any category may be given at any time.

### **GUIDELINES FOR SELECTION:**

1. Level of competition (varsity, collegiate or beyond)
2. Contributions to the athletic program
3. Athletic accomplishments after graduation
4. Honors and awards
5. School, state or national records
6. Length of affiliation with the athletic program
7. Leadership
8. Involvement in community
9. Citizenship / sportsmanship

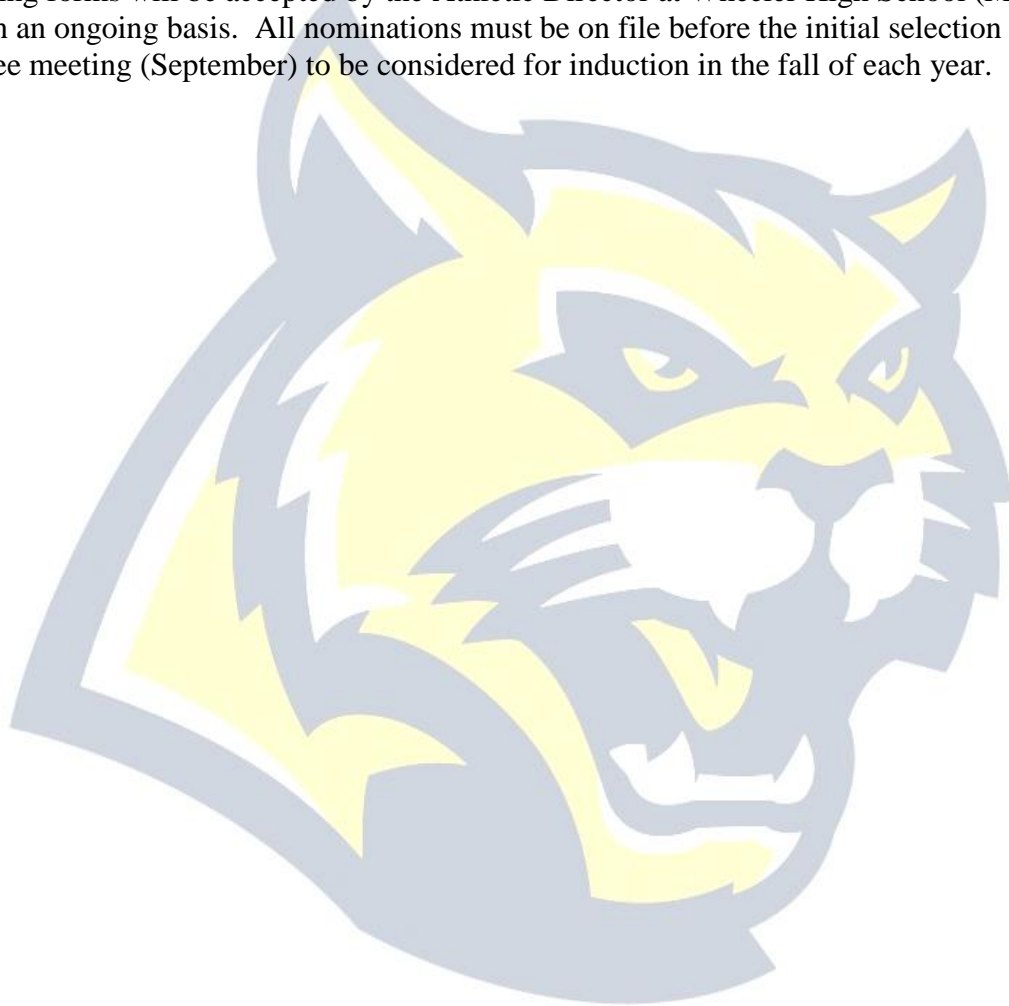


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## **NOMINATIONS:**

Nominating forms will be accepted by the Athletic Director at Wheeler High School (Mr. Troy Jones) on an ongoing basis. All nominations must be on file before the initial selection committee meeting (September) to be considered for induction in the fall of each year.





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## **SELECTION COMMITTEE:**

The Wheeler Athletic Hall of Fame selection committee will initially consist of seven (7) members. Two members of the Hall of Fame will be elected to serve on the committee. The size of the permanent committee will thus be nine members.

- A. Committee members will serve for a term of two (2) years. Terms will be arranged so that one-half of the committee members are rotated each year beginning in 2010. Terms expire on December 31 of the year indicated.
- B. Composition of the selection committee shall resemble as closely as possible the following:
  1. Athletic Association President (1) – permanent
  2. Principal (1) – permanent
  3. Athletic Director (1) – permanent
  4. Wheeler HS Alumnus (2)
  5. Current or former WHS coach (1)
  6. Current WHS student (1)
  7. Hall of Fame designated member (2)

## **VOTING:**

- A. The selection committee shall meet in September of each year to vote on the nominees for that year.
- B. Nominees shall be selected from the ballot containing all persons nominated along with the names of nominees from the prior two (2) years who were not selected.
- C. In order to vote, a selection committee member must remain in good standing as demonstrated through regular attendance at committee meetings. Members unable to attend the voting session due to an irremediable conflict may vote in advance by preparing and signing an original ballot and submitting it to the Athletic Director prior to the meeting.
- D. Voting will be done by secret ballot.
- E. To be elected to the Hall of Fame, a nominee must receive a vote on 70% of the ballots cast.
- F. A quorum will be met with seven (7) voting members (of the regular nine members).



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### Nomination Form

To complete the nomination process for the Wheeler Athletic Hall of Fame, please complete and return this form along with a current resume as soon as possible. Be as complete as possible. We cannot have too much information. **Nominations for the 2019 inductions are due by October 6, 2018. Return to: Troy Jones, Athletic Director, 375 Holt Road, Marietta, GA 30068 or email at [troy.jones@cobbk12.org](mailto:troy.jones@cobbk12.org)**

Category of Nomination (check one):

Athlete    Coach    Administrator    Contributor    Posthumous

Nominee's Full Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Preferred Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Nominee's years at Wheeler High School: \_\_\_\_\_

Home Address: \_\_\_\_\_

City, State, Zip: \_\_\_\_\_

Home Phone: \_\_\_\_\_

Office Phone: \_\_\_\_\_

Name of Person Making Nomination: \_\_\_\_\_

Home Phone: \_\_\_\_\_

Office Phone: \_\_\_\_\_

Please list activities, honors, awards, etc. in support of the nomination. A current resume for the nominee may be submitted in lieu of completing this section

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