



Western Boone High School Athletics

Athletic Hall of Fame

Purpose:

The Western Boone High School Athletic Hall of Fame is intended to preserve the history and tradition of Western Boone High School athletics. The Hall of Fame seeks to highlight the past to insure a promising future. The Western Boone High School Hall of Fame serves as a means of formally recognizing, preserving, and honoring the athletes, teams, coaches and individuals who made significant contributions to Western Boone athletic programs.

Athlete

Athlete Induction Criteria:

Athletes MUST meet these Four (4) criteria to be eligible to gain automatic entry or committee consideration entry.

- Athletes will be eligible for induction 5 years after graduation.
- Athletes must be a graduate of Western Boone High School
- Athlete must have earned multiple varsity letters.
- Athletes must have conducted themselves in such a way as to reflect positively on the school. He/She must've exhibited qualities of character consistent with the status of being a role model in the community.

Athlete Automatic Induction:

Athletes must have attended Western Boone High School for a minimum of 2 years to gain automatic entry through the possibilities below. Automatic entry will occur 5 years after graduation.

- Individual State Champion or Runner Up at the IHSAA State Finals. Relay teams in Track & Field and Swimming are included within these criteria and will be inducted as a group, not individually.
- IHSAA Mental Attitude Award Winner

Athlete Strong Consideration:

Athletes meeting Two (2) or more of the following criteria will be given strong consideration for induction:

- IHSAA State Qualifier
- IHSAA State Tournament Series Record Holder
- Division 1 Athletic Scholarship Recipient
- 1st Team All-Conference Selection multiple times during Western Boone athletic career.
- Outstanding statistical achievement in an individual sport or sports
 - (For Example: 1,000-point scorer in basketball)
- Associated Press or primary Indiana Coaches Association 1st Team All-State Selection

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Coach

Coach Induction Criteria:

- Coach must've coached a varsity team at Western Boone High School.
- Coach nominees are immediately eligible for induction.
- Coach must have conducted themselves in such a way as to reflect positively on the school. He/She must've exhibited qualities of character consistent with the status of being a role model in the community.

Coach Automatic Induction:

- Coach is a member of the State recognized Hall of Fame in the sport he/she coached.
- Coached a State Championship Team or Runner Up Team at the IHSAA State Finals.

Coach Strong Consideration:

Coaches meeting Two (2) or more of the following criteria will be given strong consideration for Induction:

- Coach of Multiple Conference Championship Teams
- Coach of Sectional, Regional or Semi-State Championship Teams.
- Coach of the Year honors by the state recognized coaching organization for his/her sport.
- Coach a minimum of 100 Games as a Head Coach at Western Boone High School.
- Athletic success of individuals coached.

Team

Team Induction Criteria:

The Hall of Fame Selection Committee may choose to select teams for induction into the Athletic Hall of Fame. To be inducted into the Hall of Fame, teams must somehow have distinguished themselves above and beyond the normal standards. These may include: undefeated seasons or state tournament series championships. The Hall of Fame Selection Committee shall select not more than one team in any year, and may choose not to select any team.

Contributor

Outstanding Contributor Criteria:

- Eligibility of outstanding contributors will be at the sole discretion of the Hall of Fame selection committee.
- Candidates must have made outstanding contributions or offered extraordinary services to the student-athletes and the athletic programs at Western Boone High School.
- Candidates do NOT need to be a graduate of Western Boone High school to be eligible for induction.
- Contributor nominees are immediately eligible for induction.
- Contributor must have conducted themselves in such a way as to reflect positively on the school. He/She must've exhibited qualities of character consistent with the status of being a role model in the community.

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Nomination and Selection Process:

Starting with the 2018-19 School Year

- 2-5 individuals/teams will be inducted into the Hall of Fame during any given school year.
- Any individual with a demonstrated interest in the Western Boone High School Athletic programs may submit a nomination to the Athletic Director. Nomination Forms will be posted on the athletic website and in the athletic office. An individual may NOT nominate himself/herself for induction.
- All nominations will be presented to the selection committee. Annual nomination deadline: July 1st.
- Once an individual is nominated, their nomination will remain active for a period of 5 years. After which time, re-nomination is allowed if induction into the Hall of Fame has not occurred.
- The selection committee shall consist of the Athletic Director (Chairperson), Principal, and at least one member of the Hall of Fame. All other members can rotate on an annual basis and chosen by the Athletic Director. There must always be 5-7 active members on the committee.
- Committee members research each nominee's qualifications and present findings to the entire committee.
- To be approved for induction, a candidate must receive 80% approval from the selection committee.
- Inductions will take place during the Fall Season or the Winter Season each year, depending on the sports the inductees participated in during their time at Western Boone High School.





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To be nominated, a nominee must satisfy one of the following three criteria:

- Athlete: Nominee must be a Western Boone High School graduate who graduated at least 5 years prior to nomination.
- Coach: Nominee is immediately eligible for consideration.
- Community Contributor: Nominee is immediately eligible for consideration.

Nomination forms MUST be received annually by July 1st.

Nominee's Full Name: _____

Nominee's Address: _____ Nominee's Phone Number: _____ Nominee's Email Address: _____

Nominee's Class of Graduation or Years Attending/Coaching at Western Boone:

Nominee's Sports Participated/Coached in and Varsity Letters:

Please highlight the nominee's career achievements, statistics and awards as they relate to this award:

Please highlight the nominee's contributions to Western Boone High School Athletics and reasons why he/she should be inducted into the Western Boon Athletic Hall of Fame:

Mail or drop off your nomination form to:
Western Boone
Athletic Department
1205 N. State Rd. 75
Thorntown, IN 46071
OR

Email your nomination form to:
jeremy.dexter@webo.k12.in.us

Your Name: _____
Phone Number: _____
Email: _____
Address: _____

