



**ATHLETIC HALL OF FAME**

St. Joseph High School  
Athletic Hall of Fame  
By-Laws

## **PURPOSE**

The purpose of the St. Joseph High School Athletic Hall of Fame is to honor the rich heritage of excellence and tradition of Flyer athletics. It will recognize the coaches, teams and individual athletes that made significant contributions to the various athletic programs at St. Joseph High School.

## **CRITERIA**

All nominees must have exemplified the highest standards of sportsmanship, ethical conduct and character expected of a St. Joseph High School Flyer. A person may be nominated posthumously. There will be three categories to consider for selection into the Athletic Hall of Fame.

### **Athlete**

Individuals who distinguished themselves as athletes while at St. Joseph High School may be submitted as nominees. The individual should be considered for their contribution to their team, as well as their personal talents. Their achievements may include individual records and awards. (All-State, All District, etc.) Other criteria may include any athletic post Flyer accomplishments, both collegiate and professional.

Individual athletes will be considered eligible for selection 10 years after their graduation from STJ.

### **Coach**

A coach who had proved leadership, mentorship to their players and team records and successes may also be nominated.

A coach will be considered eligible for selection 5 years after leaving the position for which they are nominated.

### **Teams**

Teams who have worked together and contributed to the success of their athletic programs may be submitted as a team nominee.

Teams may be nominated for selection 10 years after the season for which they are nominated.

## **NOMINATIONS**

Nomination forms will be available in the spring at the school and online prior to the stated deadline. Flyer alumnus, friends, family, faculty and staff may submit a nomination.

The nomination form must be filled out completely and include all relevant information in order for the Selection Committee to consider it. If any of the three categories receives several nominations, all of their nomination forms will be combined.

The deadline for nomination forms will be the 15<sup>th</sup> of August and nominations will be kept on file for two years. A person/team must be re-nominated to be considered for selection after those two years.

## **SELECTION COMMITTEE**

The selection committee shall be comprised of the following:

St. Joseph High School Board of Directors Chairman of Alumni Committee  
Athletic Director  
President/Principal  
Alumni or past athletic directors/coaches (4-8) representing several decades -selected by the St. Joseph High School Board of Directors  
Director of Advancement (Non-Voting)

## **SELECTION PROCESS**

The Office of Advancement will receive all of the nomination forms to review and submit to the Selection Committee. Each committee member will receive a final list of the candidates and their credentials as provided on their nomination forms. THIS LIST IS TO BE HELD IN CONFIDENCE BY THE SCHOOL AND SELECTION COMMITTEE.

A meeting of the Selection Committee will be called in late summer to convene, consider and vote on the nominated candidates. A quorum of 2/3 of committee members is required for voting purposes. A committee member who cannot attend the meeting may cast their vote by proxy, which will then be counted at the meeting and towards the 2/3 quorum.

The St. Joseph High School Board Chairman of the Alumni Committee, Athletic Director and Director of Advancement will conduct the tallying of ballots.

The top four to six vote recipients will be inducted into the Athletic Hall of Fame in the inaugural year of 2016. One to two nominees will be inducted in the following years. In the case of a tie, the selection committee may choose to have a tie-breaking vote on the tied nominees or may vote to allow both into the Athletic Hall of Fame.

### **INDUCTION**

Induction into the Athletic Hall of Fame will be held at a date determined by the school in late fall. Hall of Fame dinners may be held every other year.

### **AMENDMENTS FOR BY-LAWS**

The school President may amend the by-laws of the Athletic Hall of Fame at any time with the approval of the St. Joseph High School Board of Directors Alumni Committee Chairman.

### **REMOVAL FROM ATHLETIC HALL OF FAME**

The St. Joseph High School administration reserves the right to remove any member of the Athletic Hall of Fame whose actions reflect poorly on the school and who does not exhibit the standards set forth for a nominee.