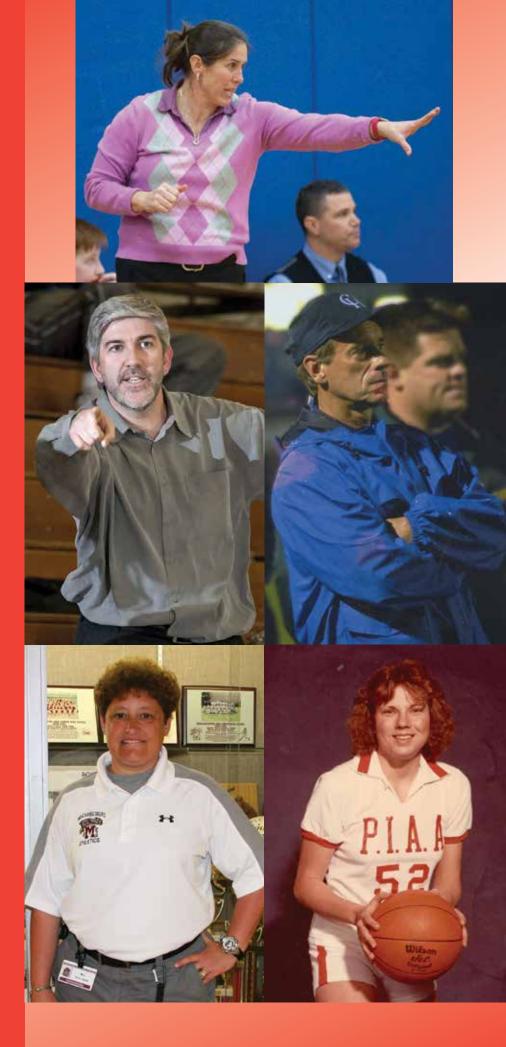


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2019 INDUCTEES

May 19, 2019



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Andy Shay, Master of Ceremonies

Andy grew up a huge sports fan as a military brat living all over the world. Being a sportswriter for a newspaper was always his dream job. He spent nearly a quarter century covering central Pennsylvania high school sports for *The Patriot-News/PennLive* and *The Sentinel* before leaving the media in 2014. Currently, Andy is the Director of Communications for the national non-profit Uplifting Athletes. He is an Operation Desert Storm Army Veteran, and he and his wife, Maureen have two children, Kaci and Brendan.

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The West Shore Chapter of the Pennsylvania Sports Hall of Fame, Inc. welcomes our 2019 inductees, their families and friends to the 35th annual induction banquet.

Twenty-Nine chapters across the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania recognize the athletic achievements of men and women who rise to the "Hall of Fame" stature. The purpose of each chapter is to recognize individuals that have excelled in their chosen sport(s), inspired future student athletes, or contributed to sports and athletics through other influential capacities. This evening we are pleased to honor our six inductees, the 2019 class, into the West Shore Chapter of the Pennsylvania Sports Hall of Fame, Inc.

Our local scholar-athletes will also be recognized this evening. This event serves to recognize male and female scholar-athletes from the fourteen high schools within our chapter. We award several scholarships to deserving senior athletes who demonstrate the very best characteristics of academics, athletics, and community service. We are proud to be able to give recognition to these future leaders. We would like to thank our members who generously support this initiative through their donations.

Chapter membership is open to all sports minded people. We urge you to continue your support through membership and attendance at our key events. Chapter membership is over 220 and growing. We thank you for your support and encourage you to become an active part of this chapter of the Pennsylvania Sports Hall of Fame.

For more information please see the membership form included in this program. Membership is open to all.

We are proud to announce our current status as a 501(c)(3) organization.

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WEST SHORE CHAPTER

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35th Annual Hall of Fame Recognition Ceremony

at the Radisson Penn Harris Hotel and Convention Center

Sunday, May 19, 2019

2:00 Introduction and Dinner

Welcome	Andy Shay, Master of Ceremonies
Acknowledgment of Scholar-Athletes	Andy Shay
Procession of Inductees & Escort	Andy Shay
Presentation of the Colors (Red Land High School ROTC)	Andy Shay
National Anthem (Mechanicsburg High School)	Andy Shay
Pledge to the Flag	Andy Shay
Invocation	Mark Ulsh
Acknowledgment of Past Inductees and Chapter Members	Andy Shay
Dinner	
Recognition of Scholar-Athletes	Andy Shay
Presentation of Scholarships	Andy Shay
Induction Ceremonies for Class of 2019	Andy Shay
Presentation of Awards	Andy Shay
Closing Remarks	Andy Shay
Raffle/Silent Auction/Ring Award Selection	Gerry Schwille
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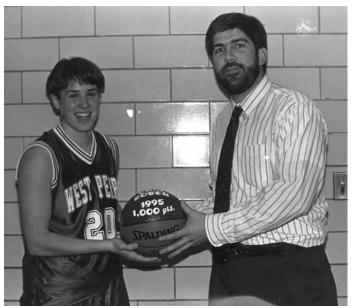
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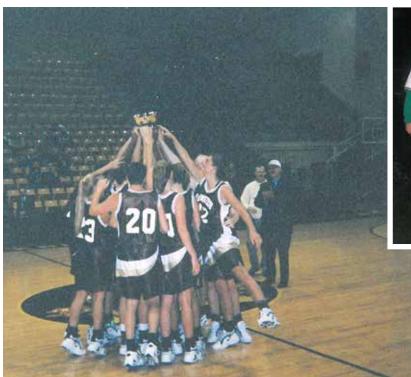
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Last Year's (2018) Inductees

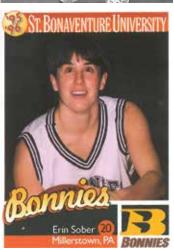


















Erin Gay

Erin (Sober) Gay is a 1995 graduate from West Perry High School and a 1999 graduate from St. Bonaventure University. She received a master's degree from Western Maryland College in 2002 in Sports Administration. Her athletic adventures, playing or coaching, have been blessed with many wonderful coaches, players, and colleagues and she is extremely honored to be inducted into the West Shore Chapter of the Pennsylvania Sports Hall of Fame, Inc.

While a student-athlete at West Perry, Erin participated in volleyball and softball, but basketball was her main focus because of the influence of her cousin, Jodi Urich (a 1989 West Perry graduate). She played under Scott Moyer and was a four-year varsity letter winner in basketball. Scott Moyer made a lifelong positive impact on Erin which she could never really articulate. Erin helped her team win multiple Perry County Tournaments, four Mid-Penn League Championships, and a District 3 Title in 1995. Her high school basketball teams also made State Play-off appearances three times and finished in the top eight of States her junior year. In her high school career, she scored 1,196 points and was named to the Patriot News Big 15 team in 1994 and 1995. She finished her basketball career at West Perry with an overall record of 94-15. Erin was a standout in softball and volleyball and a varsity letter winner in both sports multiple times. At the end of her senior year, Erin received numerous awards for her excellence in academics and athletics. She was named one of the Patriot News Best and Brightest; she was the 1995 Female John Traver Award winner; and she was named by the Carlisle Sentinel as the Female Athlete of the Year.

After graduation from high school, Erin attended St. Bonaventure University to further her education and to continue playing basketball. St. Bonaventure is part of the Atlantic 10 conference and she was a three-year starter for the Bonnies. She was named the 1999 Ideal Female of her graduating class.

Upon graduating from college, Erin began her teaching career with the West Shore School District as a health/physical education teacher for grades K-12. She was also an assistant coach under Mike Mausner for three years before becoming the head girls' basketball coach at Red Land for four years. After having her first son in December of 2005, Erin left coaching basketball and became a girls' basketball official. During her officiating career, Erin has officiated five District title games and one State Final game in 2016. Officiating has taught her a whole new facet of the game and she is thankful for the opportunity to become an official.

Erin has been very active in her sons' lives and has enjoyed

the privilege of coaching multiple youth sports. She has coached Upward Flag Football for three years, baseball at the tee ball and pony levels, youth basketball at CVYBA, Upward Basketball through CHUM, and youth soccer.

Erin also had the pleasure of coaching girl's tennis at Red Land High School for four years and is currently the boy's JV tennis coach. This is a new and unique experience for her because tennis is not part of her background. She has enjoyed learning a new sport and is thankful for the opportunity to coach it. This past year she had the gratification of coaching with Scott Slayton as the 8th grade boys' basketball coach. Coaching with Scott has reignited her passion for coaching basketball and she hopes to continue to be a part of the Red Land Boys' Basketball program in some way.

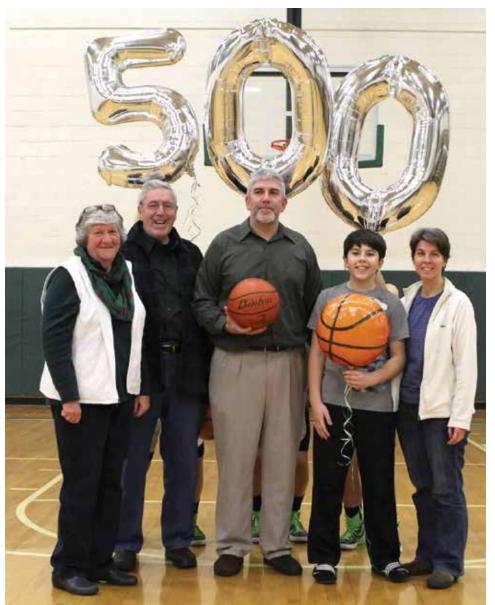
Erin currently resides in Lewisberry, PA with her husband Frank Gay and her two children Anderson and Aiden. She continues to teach Health/PE at Red Land High School, and enjoys attending athletic events, spending time with her family, watching her two sons play football, basketball and soccer, and working around their house. One of her most recent experiences has been helping with the strength and conditioning of the football team at Red Land alongside her husband. She loves to be actively involved in anything to help the students at Red Land.

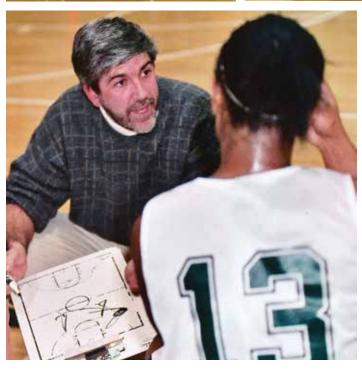
Erin has been blessed with many wonderful people throughout her life who have made a powerful and lasting impression on her. Her parents, Ronald and Judy Sober, were a significant part of making her the woman she is today. There are many others who poured their time, passion and knowledge into Erin which has allowed her to have not only an unforgettable athletic career but more importantly a very blessed life.













Scott Moyer

Scott Moyer was born at Camp Lejeune, North Carolina. He moved to Perry County a few years later when his father left the Marine Corps. He later attended West Perry High School where he played four years of basketball for Coach Ray Kaseman, and four years of soccer for his father, Coach Bob Moyer.

Scott came from a family very active in sports. His mother was a long-time coach of the West Perry field hockey team. She was inducted in to the Norristown High School Hall of Fame as a three-sport athlete, and later inducted in to the West Perry Hall of Fame and the West Shore Pennsylvania Sports Hall of Fame for her outstanding coaching career. She also refereed field hockey for many years throughout the mid-state. His father coached track and field and basketball at West Perry, however, he is best known for his many years on the sidelines of the soccer field. Here, he had the opportunity to coach all three of his sons.

Scott's brothers, Chris and Sean, were standout soccer players for West Perry and played basketball and baseball. His sister Megan was a three-sport star in high school. She excelled in field hockey holding numerous scoring records. She continued her field hockey career at Susquehanna University. The West Perry Hall of Fame inducted Megan in 2014.

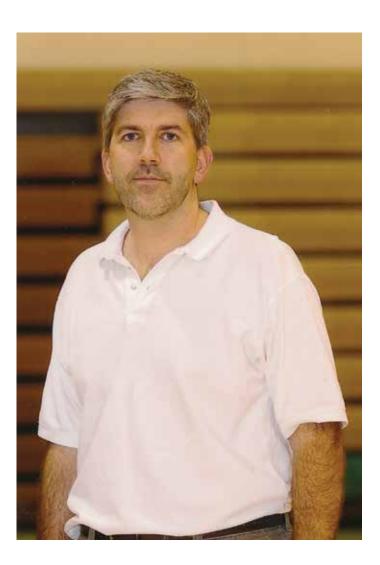
Scott attended Shippensburg University from 1980 to 1984. While working for WHP in Harrisburg, he took the assistant boys basketball coach position at West Perry. He coached the JV boys for two years before taking his talents to the girls' program.

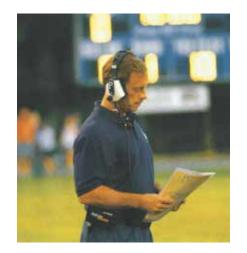
During his coaching tenure with the girls' team, West Perry won 15 Perry County Tournament Championships, 11 Mid-Penn Conference Championships, and 2 district championships. He had the pleasure of coaching twelve 1,000-point scorers and his teams qualified for districts 26 times. He won several coaching awards including being

named Coach of the Year for both the Carlisle Sentinel and the Harrisburg Patriot. He was honored in 2014 with the A.I. Garner Outstanding Coach Award. Many of players went on to excel in Division one, two, and three programs.

When his sons began playing basketball for the high school team, Scott retired from coaching. He completed his career with the girls' program in 2015 with a record of 517-217. After a short break, he returned to assist both the boys' soccer and boys' basketball programs at West Perry.

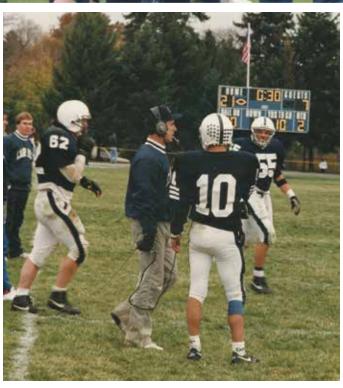
Scott has been married to his wife Betsy for twenty years and has two sons. Benjamin attends Villanova University and Liam is a junior at West Perry.

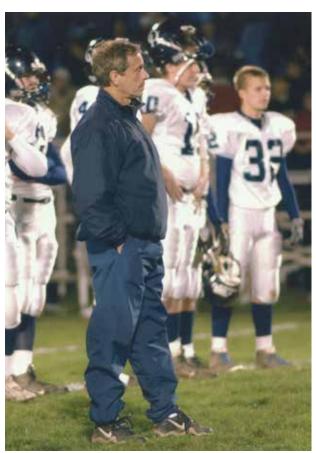












Steve Shover

Steve is a 1968 graduate of Camp Hill High School and a 1972 graduate of Shippensburg University. He received a Master's Degree in Education from Shippensburg University in 1978.

Steve is part of a four generation family who participated in sports at Camp Hill High School from 1942 until present. His father, the Reverend Richard F. Shover, was the patriarch of the family. He played football, basketball, and baseball at Camp Hill High School. Reverend Shover was also inducted into the West Shore Chapter of the Pennsylvania Sports Hall of Fame in 1998.

At Camp Hill High School Steve played baseball and football. He was a three year starter and a co-captain of the football team in 1967 playing both safety and flanker under head coach Stan Bulota.

Following graduation, Steve continued playing football at Shippensburg University from 1968-1971 under head coaches Art Fairchild and Dave Dolbin. Two years were spent playing cornerback and two playing flanker.

After graduating from Shippensburg University, Steve spent one year teaching and coaching football at Northern York High School on Brad Cashman's staff. The following year he moved to Camp Hill High School to become the offensive coordinator under head coach Tom Walton for the next seven years. In 1980 he became the head coach at Camp Hill for the next four seasons. In 1982 he received the Patriot News Football Coach of the Year Award. In 1984 he did not coach but returned in 1985 as the offensive coordinator under head coach Steve Stoner. The highlight of that time period was winning the 1988 PIAA Class A State Championship by defeating Cambridge Springs. From 1989 until 1993, Steve was the offensive coordinator for his brother Rick. From 1994 until his retirement, Steve was the offensive coordinator for Frank Kindler.

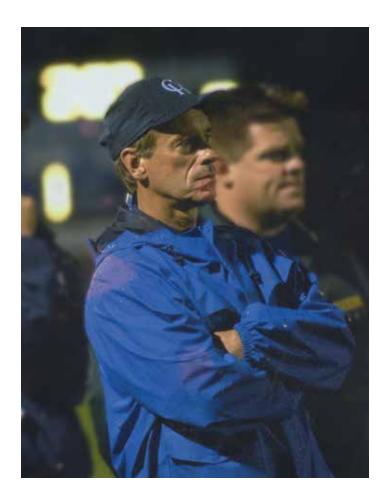
Steve's baseball coaching career began in the middle of the 1974 season at Camp Hill due to some unusual circumstances. He coached at Camp Hill for twenty-seven seasons. The highlight of his tenure as head baseball coach was winning the the1999 PIAA Class A State Championship by defeating Linesville High School (Record: 25-0) by the score of 4-2 at FNB Field. It was very special to have his son Jordan and nephew Mike as part of the starting nine. Steve was recognized by the Old Timers Athletic Association for being the head coach of the championship team.

Steve and his wife Debbie have lived in Camp Hill for the past thirty-eight years. He retired from teaching in 2006 and coached football for five additional years. Steve has four sons

Chris, Jason, Justin, and Jordan who all began their athletic careers as waterboys for the Football Lions. All of the boys played football and other sports at Camp Hill. Chris played on the 1988 A State Championship Football Team and Jordan played on the 1999 A State Championship Baseball Team. Steve has ten grandchildren and has been watching them play sports for the last ten years.

Some of the best years of Steve's life were spent coaching football with the his entire family involved. Sons Chris and Jason played on the football team, while younger sons Justin and Jordan were two of the waterboys. Steve's wife, Debbie cooked the pancake breakfasts for the Saturday home games and chaperoned the student activity bus for all away games during the years that their boys played football.

Steve cherishes the many memories from teaching and coaching at Camp Hill High School. These positions enabled him to become a coach, mentor, and friend to many young people.





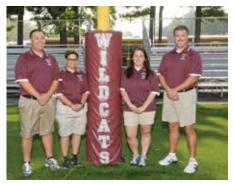










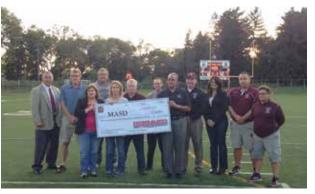


















Andrea Teeter

Andrea Turo Teeter is a 1978 graduate of Mechanicsburg Senior High School and a 1982 graduate of Pennsylvania State University with a Bachelor of Science degree in Parks and Recreation. In January 1983 she was hired as the Director of Parks and Recreation for the Mechanicsburg Area School District, Mechanicsburg Borough, Shiremanstown Borough and Upper Allen Township Recreation Boards for fifteen and half years. In July 1998, Andie was hired as Mechanicsburg's first full-time Athletic Director and retired in June 2016 after a thirty-three and half year career with the Mechanicsburg Area School District.

A four-sport varsity athlete at Mechanicsburg, Andie played Field Hockey, Basketball, Softball and Tennis. While at Penn State, she was the manager for the Softball Team her freshman year and then earned a spot on the team for her sophomore and junior year.

During her years as the Recreation Director, Andie saw her department grow to offering over five hundred programs and services while involving over ten thousand participants along with expanding the parks and athletic fields in Mechanicsburg Borough and Upper Allen Township. She also had the opportunity to coach Middle School Track and Field, Field Hockey, Basketball, as well as being the Head JV Softball Coach, a volunteer assistant for the Varsity Girls Basketball program and a Sixth Grade Girls Travel Team Basketball Coach. She was also the Middle School Athletic Director for twelve years.

Since athletics were such and important part of Andie's life, being hired as Mechanicsburg's first full-time athletic director was a tremendous opportunity. It would allow her to focus her energies into what she loved the most, - working with athletes, coaches and watching sporting events. She was able to provide the guidance and leadership needed to ensure the tradition, pride and excellence of Mechanicsburg Athletics to continue and remain a very important part of the school and community.

Over Andie's eighteen - year career as Mechanicsburg Area School District Athletic Director she was responsible for 25 Varsity, 15 Junior Varsity, and 18 9th grade and Middle School athletic teams. She enjoyed celebrating 43 Mid Penn Conference Division Championships, having 20 Varsity teams reach PIAA District III play-off competition and 14 teams reach PIAA State play-off competition at least one time, along with one individual PIAA Swim Champion (won 1 medal in 2004 and 2006 and 2 medals in 2005) and a PIAA District III 3A Baseball Championship in 2011.

Andie became a Certified Athletic Administrator in

March 2001 and was selected as the Mid Penn Conference Athletic Director of the Year in 2003. She served the Mid Penn Conference as a Sport Chairperson for Field Hockey and Soccer, as the Conference President and served as the Tournament Director for Section I of the PIAA District III Wrestling Sectional Tournament for eighteen years. Mechanicsburg hosted various Mid Penn Conference, PIAA District III and PIAA State tournament play-off events during Andie's career.

Throughout Andie's Athletic Director career, she believed that athletic competition was an extension of the classroom and that athletics teach the lessons of life...cooperation, sacrifice, hard work, commitment, team work and sportsmanship. With the efforts of the hundreds of coaches, administrators, teachers, parents and community members that she worked with, Mechanicsburg athletes were taught how to win and lose with class, how to establish and attain group and individual goals, how to play by the rules, how to make good choices, how to be competitive, and how to succeed on and off the playing field or court.

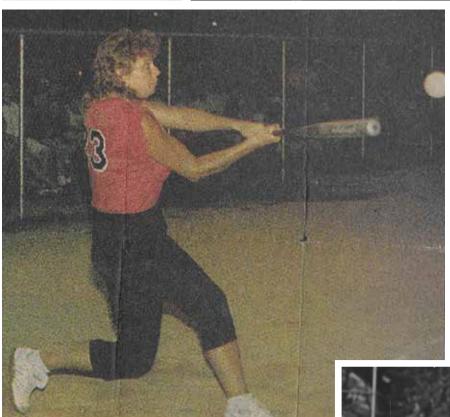
The daughter of Nick and Sandy Turo, Andie has two sisters Robin Moyer and Gina Hoffman. Andie and her husband Jeff live in Mechanicsburg with their two dogs Slugger and Louie. In her retirement, Andie is working part-time with the Mechanicsburg Athletic Department, attends high school, college and professional sporting events, travels, plays golf and pickleball.















Mary Jane Wertz

Born in February 1961, during the worst snow storm of the century, MJ challenged her parents right from the start. By that first summer, she was doggie paddling and swimming underwater. Jane and Ray Wertz knew they had an athlete on their hands. Ray and his 2 1/2 year old daughter wearing Ray's three-fingered glove from his high school days would pass baseball. As an eight year old, MJ was asked to play Little League baseball but neither Newport nor her parents were ready for that in 1969. At 12, she did however, win her first trophy, third place in Punt, Pass and Kick.

Saturdays were spent washing the car with her dad and listening to Penn State football on the radio. Football was unfortunately MJ's first love, but again, ahead of her time, Jr. High Football was not in her future, next best thing was manager. As a seventh-grader, MJ helped with football, girls basketball and softball, learning the ins and outs of locker rooms, training rooms and equipment rooms. Until, finally, in ninth grade, she could play.

Girls' sports at Newport were limited to field hockey, basketball and softball. So of course MJ played all three. Field hockey was foreign, she had never picked up a stick – but fun (four-year letterman, two-year Tri-Valley League All-Star). Softball seemed like a natural, growing up playing baseball on the playground (four-year letterman, two-year Tri-Valley League All-Star). Basketball, however, was her signature sport. Still owning the scoring record for both boys and girls at Newport with 1564 points. A four-year letterman, two-year Tri-Valley League All-Star, 1979 Tri-Valley League MVP, Patriot News Big 15, PIAA Big 15 East, and a chance to play at the next level. In total, MJ earned 17 varsity letters in high school.

When MJ sprinted back to lunge and intercept a pass, blocked out for a rebound or slid into second, her emotions were high and her determination, even higher. Defeat and failure were hard pills to swallow. Along with victories came defeats, which taught her to play hard. Sports build character, teamwork and accountability regardless of the score. Taking what she learned in high school to the next level was paramount.

The University of Scranton seemed like a good fit, a powerhouse Division III school, with a great academic reputation and close to home because her family surely would be at the games. MJ was recruited by Division III's winningest coach Mike Strong, in the first year of his 34 year career amassing a 815-182 record. At Scranton, the big fish in a little pond became a small fish in a much larger lake. The team player mentality kicked in, surrounded by All-Americans, one of MJ's early lessons was how "to come off the bench." A four-

year letterman, two-year captain, Coaches' Award recipient and MAC League All-Star highlighted a career which included two league championships, two regional championships and a trip to the Final Four. In addition to basketball, MJ graduated cum laude with a BS in Mathematics.

With college behind her, MJ sensed that coaching was next. Working and coaching proved to be hard as she was not teaching. A third shift job afforded her the time to coach Jr. High field hockey at West Perry and JV basketball at Susquehanna Township under the legendary Coach Jenokovich. Leading to a full-time Assistant Basketball Coach position at Shippensburg University. A head coaching position was not in the cards. So in 1992, MJ hung up her whistle but continued to play recreational softball until bilateral knee replacements sidelined her for good.

Bad golf, yoga, and hiking are her sports of choice these days. Saturdays in the fall are reserved for her first love, Penn State Football.

Nine years of coaching, 28 years in automotive textile manufacturing and now owning her own small business has rounded out the 40 years since MJ's graduation from Newport High School.





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1983

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1984

George Bowen, Sr.* Gordon "Buck" Jones* Kevin Morrissey Fred Peifer*

1985

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1986

Dr. James Blacksmith Richard Bowen Brandt Cook, Jr. Robert Craig* Mickey Minnich Walter C. Witmer*

1987

Daniel Bashore*
Robert Bostic*
Dr. Donald Ernst*
George Fetrow
Larry Fox*
Kenneth Hultzapple
Russel P. Poole*

1988

Bill Robison Harry Chapman, III* Bruce J. Holcombe Paul R. "Slug" Bowen* Warren C. Gill, Sr.*

1989

George E. Eater*
L. Carol Moser
Dr. Samuel R. Mowery
Edward J. Nugent*
Bill Rickenbach

1990

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1991

Darryl B. Bower Dean Fencel* Wayne Howell Kenneth C. Hilbish Dr. David M. Joyner Stephen C. Sauve* Mike Smith*

1992

Gary Cooper Frank L. Snyder, Sr.* Charles "Charlie" McCullough* Lynn Paxton Tom Guise Richard L. "Dick" Rohrer Peter "Pete" Kramer Dean "Dino" Deitrich Dr. Donald E. "Tick" Enders William C. "Bill" Dittmar* Earl E. "Bud" Kohlhaas*

1993

Don Humes
Ralph Klinepeter, Jr.
Bruce Larson
Terry Lieweke
Ben McClure
Ryan Priest
Tim Rimpfel
Gregg Mace
Jack Parry
Les Reed
Steve Sefter

1994

Lorraine Klippel
Gerald Wood
Dave Sauve
John Martin*
Bobby Moorehead*
Lester "Red" Rhoads*
John Johnson*
John Kambic
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1995

Bradley R. Cashman Victor S. Morrison James Vincent Taylor* Margaret "Peg" Rushong Earley* Jill Cicierski John Michael Repetz Ed Tabor* Robert "Turk" Kreitzer*

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1997

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Bill Schell
Ken Roseberry
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2001

Anna Baldini John Cook Amy Earley Brian Fisher Greg Gross Danny Sheaffer Frank Snyder, Jr.

2002

Barb Adams
Punky Barrouk
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Pete Rhodes
Janice Trapp

2003

Matt Benton Sid Bream Scott Erney Stan Gelbaugh Frank Sudak

2004

Rich Eichelberger Steve Keim Ed Palmer Jeff Sauve Mike Scheib Clarence Walters*

2005

Mike Mausner Jim Rowe Chris Semoff Evan Semoff Don Shirley* Bernard Thrush Bret Wagner

2008

Eric Sauvé Mickey Finnegan Goyette Karen Hertzler Jon Sauvé Lynn (Houck) Kreider Rich Lichtel* Bob Ortenzio Bill Polito

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Lynne Yost Bower Joe Carr* Janet Dicks Geoff Honeysett Walter Kramer Tyler Lenda Chip Lundy Nick Mallos Gerald Soltis Rick Taylor

2012

Bud Engle Karen Hamill Stan Jones* Brent Milligan Helen McMillen Sauve James E. Smith Rob Smith Steph Tighe Sutton Kyle Wagner

2013

Charlie Adams
Terry Destito
Mike Edwards
Mike Kazor
Glenda Pae
Judith Patton
Tim Rice
Chrissy Walker-Skozilas
Steve Zientek

2014

Dr. Ed Batista
Carol Guise Bowman
Craig Helmuth
Missy Lender
Mary Jane Moyer
Steve Peters
Jo Rupp
Steve Sudak
Mark Ulsh
Mike Zeigler

2015

Barry BJ Barnes Roger Barrick Dwight Fulton Karen Kirchhoff Klock Angie Loy Reisinger Craig Roberts Larry Sawyer Thomas Tarsavage Carla Thomas

2016

Rita Balaban Nick Berra Joda Glossner Eric Johnson Harry Johnson* Kathy McCauslin-Cadieux Ezra Sassaman Jeff Thompson George Yeager

2017

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2018

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WEST SHORE CHAPTER of the Pennsylvania sports hall of fame, inc. 2019 Scholar-Athlete Nominees

The West Shore Chapter of the Pennsylvania Sports Hall of Fame, Inc. presents the Class of 2019 Nominees for the Earley Family Scholarship

Our chapter serves to recognize and honor the outstanding senior student athletes who have dedicated themselves to excellence in the classroom, community and athletics by using their talents to the best of their ability.

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EAST PENNSBORO

Jake Henry Olivia Krise HARRISBURG ACADEMY

Alec Warren Charlotte Nazar

MECHANICSBURG

Nick Tewell Abby Strong

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Jacob McNeillie Chloe Smith

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Alex Rosenberry Julia Glynn





Boiling Springs

Sydney Hemler: Four-year distinguished honors student and three-year National Honor Society Member, Sydney is ranked No. 12 in her class, she plans to attend Penn State Harrisburg to study biology and continue her soccer career. As team captain in three sports - soccer, basketball and track - Sydney earned 11 varsity letters. She was 2018 Homecoming Queen and a member of the band drum line all four years. Sydney hopes to eventually become a marine biologist and research sharks and sea life off the coast of Florida.

"I love my family and grandparents immensely. Spending time with them, whether on vacation or just sitting around the living room playing Mario, always makes me happy."

Zack VonStein: A three-sport athlete for the Bubblers, Zack earned 11 varsity letters in baseball, football and basketball. Ranked in the Top 50 of his class, he plans to attend Saint Vincent College to major in business and play baseball. A National Honor Society member the last two years, Zack worked on the yearbook and was a youth basketball official.

"Working with younger kids in my community is where I feel I have had the largest impact in my school and community. For years, I have volunteered as a basketball referee and coach for the youth recreational basketball league. I have also worked at youth football clinics as well as baseball clinics. I have volunteered with all three sports programs since I was old enough to be considered a volunteer. All of these activities that I was involved in allowed me to set an example for the youth in my community. I want them to remember me and know I cared and hopefully they will decide to give back to kids when it is their turn."

Camp Hill

Diana Ryder: Unsure of her school choice when she submitted her nomination, she is sure what she wants to do in the future - Astrophysics PhD & engineering physics/applied physics masters. A member of the National Honor Society and National Language Honors society, she earned four varsity letters in tennis and is very involved in music and the arts. Diana is also a Taekwondo black belt.

"My last season was by far the most formative and memorable. I had an away tennis match that took me 20 minutes to finish, as I was highly motivated to get to a select choir audition rehearsal. I had another match at home that took me 2.5 hours against James Buchanan, a three-setter with a tie break I won. And lastly to wrap it all in a nice bow, winning the gold medal for No. 2 singles at the Mid-Penn Tennis Tournament, ending with me beating an opponent I had lost to both the previous times I had faced her in the regular season."

Ben Brodie: Before Ben enrolls at Florida State University in the fall to study business, he will do an internship at Witter Coin in San Francisco. The two-year National Honor Society and National Language Honor Society student with a 94.33 grade point average he has achieved distinguished honors all four year. Ben was a four-year varsity letter winner in soccer and tennis and earned a varsity letter in football. Off the field he's involved with student government, mentored youth soccer players and involved in several other clubs.

"I have been dealing and collecting U.S. coins since middle school. When I was a freshman, I was put in contact with my current mentor who has been extremely beneficial, providing me with numerous books and opportunities since we connected. He stays anonymous so I do a lot of brokering of deals for him. Along with wheeling and dealing, I have gained knowledge about American history such as the gold standard reforms during the Great Depression. My interest is to expand my knowledge of history and find ways to make my business better."

Cedar Cliff

Sophia Kaercher: Bound for the University of South Florida to study marine biology and participate in intercollegiate club soccer and basketball, Sophia is ranked No. 34 in her class and is a two-year National Honor Society member. She has earned seven varsity letters in three sports - soccer, basketball and softball. As senior she was the team captain of the basketball team that qualified for the state tournament. A four-year distinguished honors student and three-year Leadership Club member, Sophia was involved with mini-THON and worked with youth basketball players.

"Athletics have been a large part of my life for as long as I can remember. I have always enjoyed the intense and competitive side it brings out of me. Along with all of the joy it has brought me, it has taught me what kind of hard work it takes to achieve my goals. I can always apply this valuable lesson to any obstacle or situation in life. Along with this lesson, I have made lifelong friends in the process of playing all these sports. Athletics are a part of who I am, and I would like to think that they have helped shape me into the person that I want to be. I would like to thank my family and coaches who supported me throughout my career."

Donovon Ball: A three-sport athlete, Donovan earned 11 varsity letters in wrestling, football and baseball. He is headed to Penn State as a student-athlete on full scholarship. Donovon ranked 42nd in his class, earned distinguished honors every semester and is a National Honor Society member. Donovon served as a peer mentor, participated with mini-THON and is a Key Club member.

"In addition to sports, West Shore-Cedar Cliff High School provided me one of the best educations. I am a member of the National Honor Society and have earned distinguished honor roll during my high school career. I have been able to maintain these grades and continue to be a three-sport athlete in part due to the educational opportunities at CCHS. I have been accepted to Penn State where I will be a member of the wrestling team and I plan to study business and pursue a career in the business field. My ability to participate in multiple sports and maintain my grade point average is in part due to the skills and methods my teachers from middle school though high school have presented to me. My work ethic and determination have helped me as well. And, it doesn't hurt that my mom is also a teacher in the WSSD."

Cumberland Valley

Carolyn Bolden: Ranked in the Top 10 percent of her class, Carolyn is headed to Liberty University to major in communications and participate in the Flames' swimming program. An honor roll student every marking period, she is a National Honor Society member and served in Key Club. A standout swimmer, Carolyn earned four varsity letters and was team captain her junior and senior year. She swam in the district meet all four years and was a three-time state meet qualifier. She has volunteered with Susquehanna Service Dogs for 10 years and helped out youth swimmers at the YMCA the last seven years.

"The opportunity to compete as a high school athlete has been an amazing experience. Throughout my four years, I have met some of my best friends, faced some of my toughest challenges, received wonderful opportunities, and made some of my favorite memories of high school. Not only have I learned how to be a better athlete and swimmer, but I've also learned the importance of teamwork, sportsmanship, delayed gratification, and time management. I've also learned that sport management/sport communications/coaching is something that I want to do as a profession. I'm thrilled that my experience as a high school athlete has given me the opportunity to pursue my academic interests and train at a top ranked Division 1 University."

Dominik Nitecki: Ranked No. 17 in his class and headed to Penn State University in the fall to study either electrical, computer or nano engineering, Dominik is a two-year National Honor Society member and a three-year World Language National Honor Society member. A three-year starter and four-year letter winner in soccer, he was captain his junior and senior years and was a first-team All-Star as a senior. Dominik is very involved in mini-THON at his school and hopes to stay involved at Penn State. He is an accomplished pianist and certified advanced open water scuba diver.

"After the final teams were posted online, my fellow seniors and I noticed that one of our closest friends was not on the list. He missed out as a junior making varsity, so we felt he deserved this one final chance to become a part of something special. At our first practice our plan as seniors was to discuss giving him another chance. Our coach had brought up whether we would all be willing to possibly give up playing time in order to give our friend a spot on the team. Everyone said yes. He had another tryout at our next practice and was invited to join the team. This experience help shape me as a captain, and, looking back on the season, I do not think that the team would have been as unified or as motivated as we were had we not decided to go through with this plan."

East Pennsboro

Olivia Krise: Ranked 8th in her class, Olivia is working on her final college choice but has a clear goal for her future. She wants to double major in biochemistry and creative writing and minor in Spanish with a pre-med track so eventually she can go to medical school to become a doctor. She has earned nine varsity letters in cross country, swimming and track – earning a District 3 medal and qualifying for the PIAA Cross Country Championships her junior year. Olivia was involved in the Environment Club, Spanish Club and mini-THON all four years and is very active in her church. She has also earned the highest honor bestowed upon an individual by the Girl Scouts of America – the Gold Award.

"My Gold award for Girl Scouts of America focused on helping those with special needs at my school to learn how to the basics of gardening (from seed to mature plant) and healthy eating. They grew multiple types of vegetables and fruits from seeds to produce bearing plant. Along the way I gave multiple presentations about gardening, and the basics of healthy eating. The project was successful with multiple plants growing into mature plants and it was used as a stepping stone for the permanent green house being installed on school grounds for district use."

Jake Henry: Selected to the West Chester University Honors College to major in chemistry and minor in business management with an eye on one day going to law school, Jake is ranked 37th in his class and has earned high academic honors each marking period and is a National Honor Society member. A four-sport athlete who earned 10 varsity letters in soccer, basketball, track and football, Jake served as a two-year captain for the soccer team and was the tennis team captain his final season. Jake is involved in several clubs and organizations, and plays the piano and clarinet.

"When I was four years old I remember waking up and being in excruciating pain, along with having a shortness of breath. I ran over to my parents who tried to do whatever they could because they believed I was having a nightmare. The next day, I was very lethargic and couldn't really move. They took me back to the pediatrician who immediately sent me to a pediatric surgeon. The surgeon told my parents he thought my appendix might have ruptured and that I needed immediate exploratory surgery. Lots of people have their appendix removed, and in rare cases like mine they even rupture. After they saved my life, the doctors told my parents that if I had come in a day later they would not have been able to save me. That is why I am thankful each and every day to be where I am and be surrounded by such great teammates, classmates, and friends."

Harrisburg Academy

Charlotte Nazar: Headed to the University of Pittsburgh, School of Pharmacy to obtain a pharmacy degree. A first honors student all four years, she earned the Academic Excellence Award as a sophomore for having the highest grade point average in her class. She earned nine varsity letters in soccer, basketball and track. Charlotte served as captain for the soccer and basketball squads and was a manager for the lacrosse team. A three-year National Honor Society member, she was involved in student council, yearbook, band, chorus and served as a student ambassador.

"In the summer of 2018, I received the IB Summer Scholarship, and I had the amazing opportunity to go to Ecuador and the Galapagos Islands. While I was there, I had to sign a waiver promising I would only speak in Spanish. This allowed me to immerse myself in the language and culture of the people around me. In America, kids grow up with sports hoping to be the next big athlete, but in Ecuador they do it for the pure fun and competition. In the end, they taught me patience and helped me understand the game more and changed my outlook on sports."

Alec Warren: Ranked No. 1 in his class, Alec is headed to Northeastern University in the fall to study computer science and electrical engineering to pursue a career in the field of robotics and artificial intelligence. Alec has earned eight varsity letters in soccer, swimming and basketball, serving as a two-time captain of the soccer team. He was twice named Capital Area Science and Engineering Fair Grand Champion. In addition to holding down a part-time job and being involved with his church, Alec is part of the Central Pennsylvania Friends of Jazz Youth Band where he plays tenor and alto saxophone at charity and community events.

"Throughout my life, being both a student as well as an athlete has been integral to my success in life. Both aspects of my life better one another; when I am active daily my grades are better and good grades allow me to take time to pursue athletics. Being a student-athlete has always been the root of my success in life."

Mechanicsburg

Abby Strong: Ranked inside the Top 10 of her class, Abby plans to attend Calvin College in Michigan and is looking at a variety of fields to pursue inside the medical profession. A high honor roll student every marking period and a three-year National Honor Society member, she was a four-year letter winner in soccer and earned a trio of varsity letters in basketball. Off the field she helps out with Mini-Thon, is involved with her church and volunteers for her soccer club as a mentor to young players in a variety of roles.

"I could write about my senior soccer season and how we succeeded game after game, making it far in the post season and losing only two games. Although winning encourages a positive atmosphere, bringing the community together and forming close friendships on the team, I think that losses are more formative of our character. Especially when you are faced with loss after loss, game after game. This was the case for our basketball season my Junior year. Looking back on my junior year season, it was full of loss and failure, but in the end it formed me to be a stronger, more determined athlete and person able to deal with challenges and overcome adversity."

Nick Tewell: Ranked in the Top 5 of his class, Nicholas plans to attend Franklin & Marshall and continue his wrestling career as part of the Diplomats' Division I program. He plans to major in science with an eye on going to either medical or dental school. A standout wrestler for the Wildcats, Nicholas placed third in districts twice and made it to the state tournament his final two seasons. Off the mat he served as a peer tutor, Special Olympics volunteer and was very active in his church.

"During my four years in high school, my school district struggled

to retain wrestlers and to attract enough wrestlers to cover the weights on the team. We certainly weren't one of the "wrestling powerhouse" programs who have an opportunity to wrestle postseason as a team. While frustrating, I understood that I could only control what I could control. As team captain and quite frankly as a teammate, I always led by example and made sure I was the hardest working person in the room as well in the classroom. I've been raised to do the right thing even when no one is looking, and all of my hard work and commitment in the classroom and on the mat are to be the best I can be, not for the social or media accolades. I made a commitment to the Mechanicsburg Wrestling program that I would give everything I had, and I am a person of my word."

Newport

Chloe Smith: Chloe is ranked 21st in her class and plans to attend Elizabethtown College and major in occupational therapy and continue her field hockey career. A three-sport standout for the Buffaloes, she earned 11 varsity letters in field hockey, basketball and track. Chloe has been a member of the National Honor Society since her junior year and is very active off the field as FFA Vice President, Class Treasurer and Yearbook to name a few.

"My academic career has not always been an easy one. In my early elementary years, I was diagnosed with a learning disability and received special education services. In middle school, I was determined to master my IEP goals and be dismissed from special education. Seventh grade was a monumental year for me where things started to connect; I was able to apply strategies that helped me compensate for my disability, and success was soon to follow. In eighth grade, my mission was accomplished, and I was dismissed from learning support. I feel that this was the turning point in my life; the moment that I proved to myself that I can achieve anything."

Jacob McNeillie: Jacob has enlisted in the United States Navy and will be leaving for basic training after graduation. He will not be enrolling in college until the fall of 2020, after completing basic training and his Navy schooling.

Northern

Kate Luft: Headed to the University of South Carolina in the fall to study psychology and swim for the Gamecocks' Division I program, Kate is ranked 41st in her class and a National Honor Society and World Language Honor Society member for one year. The four-year letter winner has won eight PIAA medals during her career including a pair of gold medals. She is part of the leadership team at Northern, was on the mini-THON leadership committee, helped out as a Spanish tutor and was team captain her final two seasons.

"The summer before my freshman year I suffered a spinal injury that put in a neck brace for 17 weeks. When I was finally able to participate in practices and eventually meets, I was ecstatic. However, before that was possible, I learned to be a good teammate, a servant leader, and an encouraging bystander. I was forced to learn patience, to see the team aspect of high school swimming that club does not have, and to remain positive and proud of the achievements the team had made that I was not directly a part of. My outlook on life and my place in the lives of others was altered, and I could not be more thankful for it."

Michael Ginder: During his high school career Michael played four sports earning 10 varsity letters, earning four each in basketball and track. He played golf his sophomore and senior seasons and volleyball as a sophomore. Ranked 90th in his class, he will attend Liberty University and major in business and financial planning. He served as team captain for basketball and track and was involved in Key Club, mini-THON, Special Olympics and the Student Advisory Committee.

"In eighth grade I was invited to the life skills classroom where I struck up relationships with many of the kids. I continued to have relationships with them over the years and would attend at least three Special Olympics events each year. During my senior year I did not have to come into school until fourth period. So I decided to come in early three days a week and spend more time with my friends and help them work on their life skills. It wasn't much; playing games, learning to count money, reading together etc. But as a peer I felt it was important. They have taught me so much and everyone can learn from them. Going to their class this year was a great decision and left a lifelong impact on me."

Red Land

Lindsay Martin: Headed to West Chester University to study pre-physical therapy and continue her track career, Lindsay is ranked 28th in her class and has been on distinguished honor roll every marking period. She's a two-year National Honor Society member and three varsity letters in field hockey and four in track where she qualified for the District 3 Championships as a sophomore and junior. Lindsay is a member of the Key Club, Future Leaders of York, Spanish Honors Society and received the VFW Voice of Democracy Award as the winner.

"My high school transcript and test scores are definitely a reflection on my potential for intellectual growth. I am a person who is not afraid to work hard in every subject area. However, I am also someone who is committed to helping others. I strive to be a leader both inside and outside of the classroom. None of my activities alone, though, make me a leader because the mark of a true leader is doing the right thing when no one is looking. I am that leader."

Gage Souder: Ranked 41st in his class, Gage will attend McDaniel College where he plans to major in kinesiology and minor in education and coaching. His plans are to become a physical education teacher and coach. A two-year member of the National Honor Society and three-year member of the Spanish Honor Society, he was a four-year letter winner in soccer and also picked up varsity letters in basketball and volleyball to finish with six overall. Gage was a Special Olympics volunteer and was a middle school soccer manager all four years.

"During my freshman and sophomore years I had a soccer teammate named Chad. He was a huge role model for me. He was a strong leader and motivator. The team's play ran through him and as leading scorer, he helped the team to district playoffs as a senior. After he graduated, I wanted to fill that role on my team. My senior year I was leading scorer, the team had a winning record and we made it back to playoffs. I owe a lot of my success to what I learned from Chad."

Susquenita

Haley Zettlemoyer: Ranked No. 5 in her class and set to enroll in Bloomsburg University to major in nursing and minor in Spanish, Haley is a member of the National Honor Society, Spanish National Honor Society, Student Council, Diversity Club and Festival Chorus. A two-sport athlete, she earned four varsity letters each in soccer and track and was a Tri-Valley League first-team All-Star as a senior. Haley has earned distinguished honors all four year and was the Subway Athlete of the Week as a senior.

"This nomination is reflective of my grades, class rank, awards and what activities I am involved in, but it does not show my character. I am the athlete who will stay after to put in the extra work, and help the coach clean up. This drive carries over to my academic life and is shown through my positive attitude and character. I am the type of student who comes in early for meetings, stays after for meetings, and constantly volunteers to help. Character is one of the most important aspects in life and I take pride in my character."

Conner McGuire: Ranked No. 4 in his class, Conner received an appointment to the United States Coast Guard Academy where he plans to study Naval architecture and ocean engineering. He plans to continue his football career at the USCGA. A distinguished honor roll student, he was part of the West Shore Junior Leadership program, volunteered for Special Olympics and worked as a lifeguard for three summers. A three-year football letter winner, Conner was a standout linebacker and was named team captain his final two seasons.

"Throughout each school year every student-athlete works extremely hard to manage their chaotic schedules. Most find relief from the stress of this balancing act during the summer months. During my high school career I never experienced this sort of relief. The summer months preceding my junior and senior years were arguably the most hectic times of my life. I managed to work three part-time jobs simultaneously, complete the summer course work required for several advanced placement classes, while attending every summer practice for football. Finding ways to balance this schedule taught me incredible time management skills that I believe will help me tremendously in my future endeavors."

Trinity

Mia Kilroy: With a 4.35 weighted grade point average, Mia is still looking at several colleges to attend and plans to study something related to the medical profession. She earned four varsity letters in track and picked up her fifth letter in cross country. A member of the National Honor Society and Math Honor Society, Mia also serves as a mentor leader, was president of the Biomedical Club and went on a mission trip to Jamaica.

"There have been many coaches that have impacted me during my career, but one in particular stands out. It was my sophomore year and a graduated senior came back to help coach. She worked with me on my hurdling. Her attention to detail improved my form and speed, but also helped me with the mental aspect of racing. It meant a lot to me that she cared enough to come back and do this. I was getting guidance and advice from somebody who I had actually run with previously. That year was the first time I qualified for the state meet."

Ben Gnall: A two-year member of the National Honor Society and Math Honors Society, Ben has a 4.1 weight grade point average and plans to study business at either Penn State or Elon College. A three-time varsity letter winner for the Shamrocks' highly successful basketball program, he also earned a varsity letter in track as a freshman. Off the court Ben was involved in KEY Club, Mini-THON as the fundraising chairman, Investors Club and Student Council.

"Apart from being a member of a very successful basketball team for three years, my high school experience has consisted of helping others. From service projects which I helped set up and run in KEY Club to raising over \$100,000 (school record) for our 10th annual mini-THON as fundraising chair, I've devoted a good portion of my time to helping those in need - which is something that I am passionate about. I hope to continue this service throughout my college years and hopefully through life."

West Perry

Isabella Kruba: Bound for Penn State to major in veterinary and biomedical sciences with a possible major in animal science, Isabella is ranked No. 2 in her class and has been a distinguished honor roll student all four years while winning a variety of Math, Science, English and Spanish awards. She earned six varsity letters in field hockey and track while also being heavily involved in FFA, Student Council, Varsity Club and National Honor Society.

"One of my most meaningful achievements as a leader was being captain for my high school field hockey team for two consecutive years. Although for some, being captain of a sports team is simply a title, I took on an abundant amount of responsibilities by accepting this position. Between my junior and senior years of playing, my coach decided to resign and the assistant coach got a new job, so she was only available part time. This meant that all of the offseason tournaments, fundraisers, and camps, that our team would typically do to prepare for the season, did not have anyone to organize them. I took it upon myself to organize all this for my team. I knew that these tournaments were a crucial part of developing the younger players' skills and a great bonding experience for the team. I developed my leadership qualities while organizing these tournaments. My efforts were greatly appreciated as I was elected to be captain the following year and presented with the most valuable player award for my efforts on the field."

Matthew Chiccini: Ranked 17th in his class and headed to Shippensburg University, Matthew said what he plans to study is still to be determined but his eyes are wide open and that is how he prefers it. A two-sport athlete who earned five varsity letters in basketball and baseball, he is a two-year member of the National Honor Society, a member of the Spanish Travel Club and the Varsity Club.

"My baseball coach, Jeff Sanno, has made a lasting impact on myself and everyone else who has the privilege to play for him. While he does all he can to help us win on the field, he would give all of that up to see us win off the field and in life. The lessons he teaches are much bigger than baseball, and sometimes it seems as if baseball is simply a metaphor for life."

West Shore Christian Academy

Julia Glynn: A four-year letter winner in volleyball and lacrosse, Julia played basketball her senior year to finish with nine varsity letters. Ranked 9th in her class, she plans to attend Liberty University and major in communications. In addition to athletic and academics, Julia also was part of choir, orchestra and the high school musical. She serves as a worship team leader and nursery volunteer at her church.

"I thoroughly enjoyed my high school sports career. Along with sports, I enjoy singing, painting, hiking, acting, and going to new places and trying new foods. I am hardworking but also find time to spend with family and friends. I have made great friendships in high school that I know will last a lifetime."

Alex Rosenberry: Ranked 12th in his class, Alex plans to attend Penn State to study engineering and continue to run. He ran track all four years and the last three years was on the cross country team. As a senior he finished second in District 3 and 39th overall at the PIAA Championships in cross country. "During my first year of Track and Field, I honestly had no idea what was going on, and was not very responsible. Two days before my first meet I ran into my coaches office telling him that I didn't get the spikes he told us to get for the past month. He had every right to scold me for not doing what he had clearly advised everyone to do; Instead, he smiled and gave me a pair of spikes that were worn by him during his old days of running at WSCA. Although I did not do very well that season, for it was the first time I ever actually trained for anything, I worked hard every day and, even though sometimes I did not like it, I trusted him to help me become better each and every week. I went out for cross country my sophomore year and I was eventually able to get my time down to the point where I finished ninth in the District Cross Country Championships and ran in State Championships. I did all of that with those spikes, and I still have them hanging up right beside my medals."

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"Some people come into our lives, leave footprints on our hearts, and we are never the same."

Margaret "Peg" Rushong Earley, 82, of Camp Hill, lost her fight with cancer at home on April 4, 2019. Peg was the loving wife of J. Dixon Earley for over 49 years. Peg played Field Hockey and Basketball for the "Battling Bishops" of Ohio Wesleyan. She coached Field Hockey and Basketball at East Pennsboro leading her teams to several league championships. Peg was active in sports her entire life. She officiated PIAA swimming and diving for over 35 years, was a charter member and Rules Interpreter of the Central Penn Chapter of swimming officials. She was the Diving Referee at the PIAA State meet for many years. At the 1990 championships she received the National Swimming Coaches Association Award. Peg also officiated college and high



school field hockey for 28 years serving as President, Secretary and Assigner for the Harrisburg Board of field hockey officials. She was an avid golfer as a member of West Shore Country Club in Camp Hill, PA and Grenelefe Golf and Tennis Club in Haines City, Florida. She also enjoyed watching Lehigh sporting events, particularly her daughters diving or playing field hockey and was proud of the fact that she attended over 50 Lehigh/Lafayette football games and over 50 EIWA Wrestling Championships. She served the West Shore YMCA Board of Directors. Peg managed the West Shore YMCA's Youth and Government organization for over 15 years and was the State Director of Swimming and Diving for the Keystone State Games for over 16 years. In 1995 Peg was inducted into the West Shore Chapter of the Pennsylvania Sports Hall of Fame and served on the executive board for 24 years. Peg, Dixon and her family make a significant yearly contribution to the Scholar-Athlete Scholarships. The present board of directors would like to recognize Peg for her lifetime commitment to sports and athletics in central Pennsylvania.



