



HALL OF FAME

**CIF**

**LOS ANGELES  
CITY SECTION**

*Induction  
Ceremony*

**SUNDAY, APRIL 6, 2025  
11:00 A.M. - 4:00 P.M.**

**Odyssey Restaurant  
15600 Odyssey Dr.  
Granada Hills, CA 91344  
Apollo Ballroom**



**CIF LA CITY SECTION**  
**10660 White Oak Avenue, Suite 216 | Granada Hills, California 91344**

## **2025 CIF LOS ANGELES CITY SECTION HALL OF FAME CLASS**

April 6, 2025

On behalf of the CIF Los Angeles City Section Board of Managers and the Hall of Fame Selection Committee, we welcome you to the eighth Hall of Fame induction ceremony. We are very excited to recognize and honor this year's class.

Today represents the crowning achievement of our Section's greatest athletes, coaches, and contributors. These inductees had remarkable careers in various sports that spanned from their high school days, to college, and for some reaching the pinnacle of professional sports including the Olympics.

The LA City Section introduced the inaugural Hall of Fame Class in 2011 and has since selected inductees every two years. The Class of 2025 is the eighth class to be inducted into a very select group of athletes, coaches, administrators, medical professionals, sports journalists, and other significant contributors to the high school athletics scene.

Our illustrious group excelled in a variety of sports such as aquatics, baseball, basketball, cross country, football, golf, gymnastics, softball, tennis, track and field, and volleyball. Their leadership was prevalent at the Section level, in school, and in national community organizations.

We are proud to gather with all of you to celebrate the memorable moments that each of these individuals shared with us. The LA City Section's history in athletics dates to 1935 when we became our own Section in California. For many members of our Legacy group, their participation in high school athletics and beyond extends back more than 100 years as part of the "City League." Their legacies will never be forgotten. These inductees have left an indelible mark with so many schools and local communities as they pursued their passion and strived for greatness along a journey that defined their sports lives. We are very proud of their success and the imprint they left behind for future generations of athletes and coaches to follow.

We wish to thank the HOF Committee members: Commissioner Vicky Lagos, Assistant Commissioner Alexa Berg, Sports Information Director Dick Dornan, Trent Cornelius, Dr. Willard Love, Rick Prizant, David Siedelman, Bud Kling, and Nelson Bae for their outstanding efforts with the selection of all the nominees. Thank you to 2019 HOF inductee and Los Angeles Times sports prep writer Eric Sondheimer for his assistance and advice in the selection process.

Have a wonderful afternoon and enjoy the ceremony.

*Vicky Lagos*

Vicky Lagos  
Commissioner, CIF Los Angeles City Section

*Dick Dornan*

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Hall of Fame Chairperson

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# Programme

## Banquet President

Sam Lagana

## Introductions

2025 Hall of Famers

## National Anthem

## Lunch

## Hall of Fame Ceremony

Induction of the eighth class of  
20 members & the fourth Legacy Group

## Closing Comments

Commissioner Vicky Lagos

# 2025

# *Inductees*



**CONTRIBUTORS****Dr. Jerry Bornstein: Fairfax, 1949**

Dr. Bornstein spent more than 50 years serving high school student-athletes. A fixture on the sidelines on Friday nights, Dr. Bornstein became an orthopaedic consultant and supervising team physician for many football programs including many LAUSD schools as well as at Birmingham Charter. He established and was the first Director of the Sports Medicine Training Program for the Northridge Hospital Family Practice Residency Program, and is a Fellow of the American College of Sports Medicine. Dr. Bornstein was inducted into the Southern California Jewish Sports Hall of Fame in 1994. In 1995, he received the NFL Foundation's Award for Outstanding Contribution to Amateur Football.

**Jeanie Buss: Palisades, 1979**

Jeanie is a shining example for all women and young girls who aspire to make a positive impact in their professional careers. Playing sports (basketball & golf) and supporting high school athletics while at Palisades, she began a journey that has empowered women everywhere. Jeanie's influence in professional sports and community involvement has advanced Title IX and its lasting impact upon female sports. Dreams do become reality. In 2020, she became the first female controlling owner to guide a team to an NBA championship. Jeanie has been a part of six NBA championships and is currently the governor and co-owner of the 17-time world champion, Los Angeles Lakers.

**Dr. Clarence Shields: Team HEAL Foundation**

Dr. Shields is the founder and director of Team HEAL which provides access to certified athletic trainers for student-athletes in the Los Angeles area. Team HEAL (Helping Enrich Athletes' Lives) focuses on the health, well-being, and future of student-athletes. Dr. Shields specializes in sports medicine, shoulder, elbow, and knees. He served as a neutral physician for the NFL including as a past orthopedic doctor for the Los Angeles Rams. He graduated from Creighton University School of Medicine in 1966 and has close to 60 years of experience as a sports medicine specialist. He is a member of the NFL Physicians Society.

## COACHES

### Dave Anderson: Palisades, 1971 - 1993



Coach Anderson built the powerful Dolphins' aquatics program that it is still today. He led Palisades to six consecutive boys water polo titles from 1973 to 1978, eight varsity boys swimming titles, and 11 varsity girls swim titles. He won an astonishing 25 total City titles during his era. His first City swim title came with the boys in 1974 (shared with Chatsworth) and proceeded to win seven straight from 1986 to 1992. Coach Anderson won 11 titles in 12 years with the girls from 1982 to 1993.

### Steve Miller: North Hollywood, 1963

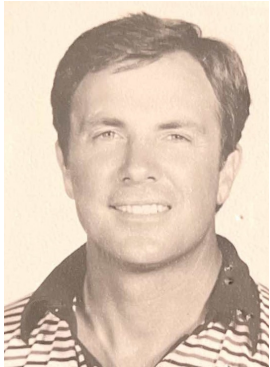


Coach Miller spent 33 years coaching basketball in high school and junior college. He won three City titles at two schools (Fairfax in 1978 and 1979) and North Hollywood in 1990. He is currently one of only two coaches to win City titles at two different schools. Coach Miller was named the LA Times Coach of the Year in 1978 and 1990. His contributions include being a teacher for 36 years in LAUSD, serving as a member of the LA City Section basketball seeding committee, and as PA announcer for various championship events. Steve was inducted into the Southern California Jewish Sports Hall of Fame in 1992.

### Reggie Morris, Sr.: Washington, 1967



Coach Morris coached for 38 years including 16 years as head basketball coach at Los Angeles Southwest College and three years at Los Angeles Community College. He accumulated more than 700 victories in his career including winning a State title in 2001 at LA Southwest. His success earned him induction into the California Community College Hall of Fame in 2013. Coach Morris also made an impact at the high school level where he won two City titles at Manual Arts in 1977 and 1981 and a CIF State title in 1988. He and his son, Reggie Jr., are the only father-son duo to win CIF State basketball championships.

**Robin Paulsen: Belmont, 1977 - 1989**

A prominent figure in the track and field community, Coach Paulsen won a City title at Belmont in 1985 and finished as runner-up in 1983 and 1984. He led the Sentinels to 12 Northern League titles and a 104-0 record in dual meets. His accolades include being named the 1989 California Boys Track Coach of the Year; and the Western State Conference Cross Country/Track Coach of the Year an amazing four times. Coach Paulsen is a member of the California Community College Cross Country/Track Coaches Association Hall of Fame.


 AQUATICS
**Heather (Ballard) Burns: Birmingham, 1992**

A three-sport standout in high school (cross country, track, swim), Heather's career excelled in the pool as she became one of the elite City swimmers in Section history. She captured four City titles (100-yard freestyle, 200-yard freestyle twice, 500-yard freestyle) including setting City Section records in the 200-yard freestyle (1:53.10) and the 500-yard freestyle (4:56.46), a record that still stands today. Competing at Cal State Northridge, Heather set four school records in the 500-yd freestyle, 1000-yd freestyle, 1650-yd freestyle, and the 400-yd IM. She transferred to USC where she continued to excel qualifying for the NCAA Division I championships in three events: 400-yd IM, 500-yd freestyle, and 1650-yd freestyle.


 BASEBALL
**Ryan Braun: Granada Hills, 2002**

Ryan spent his entire 14-year career with the Milwaukee Brewers. He was named the National League Rookie of the Year in 2007, won five consecutive Silver Slugger awards from 2008 through 2012, and won the National League Most Valuable Player Award in 2011. Braun led the NL three times in slugging percentage, three times in extra-base hits, and once each in hits (2009), home runs (2012), and runs (2012). His fabulous career concluded with a .296 batting average, 352 home runs, and 1,154 runs batted in. He was named to six All-Star games. Ryan was inducted into the Brewers Walk of Fame in 2024.

### Tony Horton: University, 1962



Tony was one of the most talented athletes in the City Section playing baseball and basketball. His major league debut with Boston came at Dodger Stadium starting in left field against his hometown Los Angeles Angels. He played for the Boston Red Sox from 1964 to 1967 and with the Cleveland Indians from 1967 to 1970. Tony enjoyed his finest season in 1969, batting .278 and establishing career bests with 27 home runs and 93 runs batted in.

### Randy Wolf: El Camino Real, 1994



A career that spanned 16 years, Randy played for the Philadelphia Phillies, Los Angeles Dodgers, San Diego Padres, Houston Astros, Milwaukee Brewers, Baltimore Orioles, Miami Marlins, and Detroit Tigers from 1999 to 2015. An All-Star in 2003, he won 133 games with more than 1,800 strikeouts. Randy played collegiately at Pepperdine University where he was named freshman first-team All-American, West Coast Conference Pitcher of the Year, second-team college All-American, and a West Coast Conference All-Star. He earned honors as the LA City Player of the Year in 1994.

## BASKETBALL

### Willnett Crockett: Narbonne, 2002



A two-time Nike All-American at Narbonne, Willnett helped lead the Gauchos to back-to-back national titles. She earned WBCA and McDonald's All-American honors and was an All-USA TODAY honoree. She was also named the Gatorade California Player of the Year. At the University of Connecticut, she helped the Huskies to two Big East regular season titles, two Big East Tournament titles, and two National Championships. Willnett was drafted by the LA Sparks in 2006 and played for the Phoenix Mercury in the WNBA. She coached at Temple University as an assistant coach for 13 seasons and is now a member of the USC women's basketball staff.



## FOOTBALL

### Steve Smith: Taft, 2003



One of the most prolific athletes in LA City Section history, Steve was chosen as the 2002-03 Cal-Hi Sports boys athlete of the year after he caught 86 passes for 1,362 yards and 11 touchdowns. In his three-year varsity career, he caught 271 passes for 4,545 yards (16.8 avg.), both California state records at the time. While at USC, Smith was named an All-American wide receiver and won two national championships with the Trojans in 2003 and 2004. A six-year NFL career included four seasons with the New York Giants (Super Bowl XLII champion) and a Pro Bowl selection in 2009.

### Wendell Tyler: Crenshaw, 1973



Wendell played in 10 NFL seasons from 1977 to 1986 for the Los Angeles Rams and San Francisco 49ers. In 1979, he helped lead the Rams to Super Bowl XIV where they were defeated by the Pittsburgh Steelers. In 1984, he rushed for a 49er team record 1,262 yards during the regular season, and also caught 28 passes for 230 yards. He was selected to the Pro Bowl and played in Super Bowl XIX in which the 49ers defeated the Miami Dolphins, 38-16. Tyler was the first player ever to lead two different teams in rushing in two Super Bowls.

## SOFTBALL

### Ashley Esparza: San Pedro, 2004



Ashley earned CIF Player of the Year honors three times (2002, 2003, 2004) and won a CIF championship in each of her four years at San Pedro (winning pitcher each game). Her stats were eye-popping as she accumulated an overall record of 78-4 in the circle with a miniscule .11 era. She threw 56 shutouts and 13 no-hitters. At the plate, Esparza batted .407 for her career. Esparza was named All-State her junior and senior seasons. While at Penn State, she earned All-Big Ten honors during each of her four years.

### Laurie (Romero) Healy: El Camino Real, 1984



Laurie led the Conquistadores to consecutive City softball titles in 1983 and 1984 while being named the City Section Player of the Year both seasons. She had a combined record of 37-1 with 23 shutouts and 384 strikeouts. Her talent in the circle was astounding as she tossed nine no-hitters and allowed only four earned runs over the two years. Her excellence jumpstarted El Camino Real to a dominant run capturing eight out of nine City titles between 1983 and 1991. At the plate, she batted .440 as a junior. Laurie's career continued at the University of South Florida for two seasons.

## TENNIS

### Ron Hightower: Eagle Rock, 1976



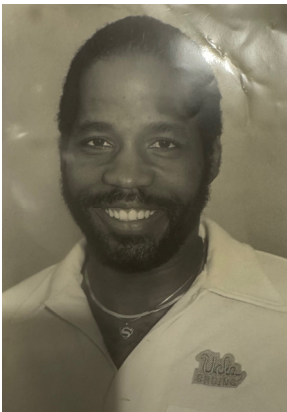
An All-American at the University of Arkansas, Ron reached the main draw of both the Australian Open and Wimbledon Championships. It was in doubles that he had most success in Grand Prix tournaments, with a total of five semifinals appearances. He was a top 100 player in the doubles format. Ron is one of the greatest and most successful players in Arkansas program history and was named an ITCA All-American in singles and doubles in 1980. He was later involved in coaching and became head coach of the Razorbacks in 1984, a position he held for four years.

## TRACK AND FIELD

### Terreze Brown: Dorsey, 1965



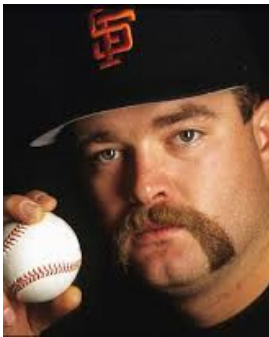
As a mere 16-year-old student at Dorsey, Brown competed twice for the United States internationally, at the 1964 Olympics and in a 1964 US-USSR dual meet, in which she finished second in the high jump. She competed for the Los Angeles Mercurettes. She was the AAU Junior Champion in the high jump in 1964, after placing second in that event in 1963. At the AAU Championships, Terreze was third in the 1963 high jump and second in the 1964 event.

**Steve Lang: Fremont, 1967**

One of the greatest high jumpers in Section history, Steve was the City champion in 1967 and ranked second nationally with a jump of 6'10". While at East LA College, he was the 1968 and 1969 Southern California Champion. In 1969, Steve was California state champion and led the nation in the high jump. He moved on to UCLA and was the captain of the 1972 National Championship team. He coached at Fremont and won two City track championships. Steve later coached world record holders and Olympians Jackie Joyner Kersee and Kevin Young at UCLA. The Bruins were national champions in 1987 and 1988.

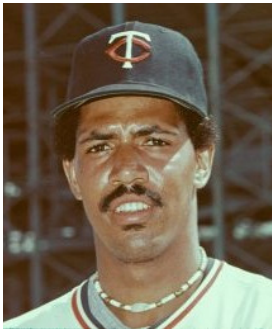
**VOLLEYBALL****Dave Saunders: Palisades, 1978**

Dave was a member of three NCAA championship teams while at UCLA (1979, 1981, 1982) and was named All-American in 1982. He was a member of the U.S. Men's National Team that won the gold medal at the 1984 and 1988 Summer Olympics. Saunders is one of only a handful of volleyball world Olympians in history with two Olympic gold medals. He also represented the USA in the 1983 and 1987 Pan American Games, winning gold in 1987 and was part of the 1986 World Championship team. Dave was inducted into the Southern California Indoor Volleyball Hall of Fame in 2019.



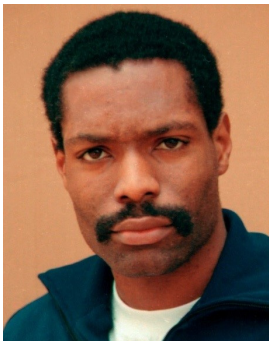
### **Rod Beck, Grant, 1986, Baseball**

An elite reliever who spent 13 years in the Major Leagues, Rod played for the San Francisco Giants, Chicago Cubs, Boston Red Sox, and San Diego Padres. He won 38 games, recorded 286 saves, struck out 644 batters, and maintained a career 3.30 ERA. Beck earned the National League Rolaids Relief Man Award in 1994. He set a career high of 51 saves for the Cubs in 1998. Beck was a three-time All-Star and is a member of the Giants' Wall of Fame.



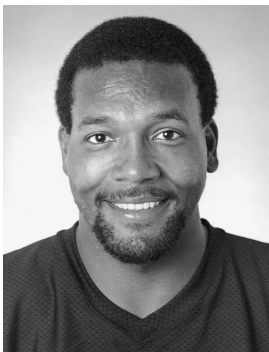
### **Lyman Bostock, Manual Arts, 1968, Baseball**

Lyman was beloved by his teammates and revered as a hitter. In his four years in the Major Leagues, he batted .311 with 23 home runs, 250 RBI, 102 doubles, 30 triples, and 45 stolen bases. In 1977 with the Minnesota Twins, Bostock batted .336 with 14 home runs, 90 RBI, and 104 runs scored. At San Fernando Valley State College (CSUN), he was an all-conference player in the California Collegiate Athletic Association leading the Matadors to a second-place finish at the Division II College World Series in 1972.



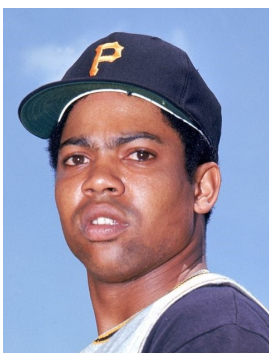
### **Wayne Collett, Gardena, 1967, Track and Field**

During his three years at Gardena, Collette won the L.A. City 440 Championship all three years. His winning time in 1966 of 47.3 remained the City record for 10 years. He also placed three times in the California State Meet, winning it his junior year in 47.8. He anchored three NCAA Championship Mile Relay teams and helped lead UCLA to the NCAA Championship in 1971. Wayne won a silver medal in the 400 meters at the 1972 Summer Olympics.



### **Mike Davis, Locke, 1973, Football**

Two-time Super Bowl Champion with the Oakland/Los Angeles Raiders, Davis played in the NFL from 1978 to 1985. During that time he was a defensive back on the Raiders Super Bowl XV and Super Bowl XVIII winning teams. Davis is best known for making a key interception at the end of the 1980 AFC Divisional playoff game against the Cleveland Browns. He recorded 11 interceptions, 11 sacks, and 12 fumble recoveries in his career.



### **Dock Ellis, Gardena, 1963, Baseball**

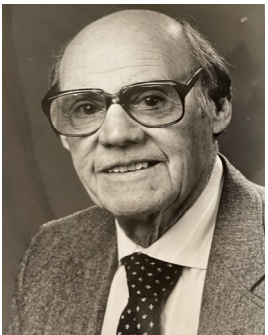
One of the best Major League pitchers in the 1970s. Played 12 years in the big leagues predominantly with the Pittsburgh Pirates for eight seasons. Dock had a career record of 138-119 with a 3.46 ERA and 1,136 strikeouts. As an all-star in 1971, he posted a 19-9 record with a 3.06 ERA and finished fourth for the Cy Young award. Dock threw a no-hitter in 1970 and won a World Series title in 1971 with the Pirates.


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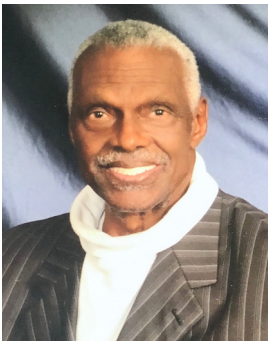
**Trowbridge Hendrick, Los Angeles, 1901, Tennis**

Hendrick was the first elite athlete hailing from the old City League. The first-time winner and back-to-back-to-back boys' interscholastic singles champion of The Farnam Cup (also called The Ojai Valley Tennis Club Cup) in 1899, 1900, 1901. He also won the boys' interscholastic doubles in 1899 and 1900. The prestigious Ojai Tennis Tournament celebrates its 123rd rendition this spring with Hendrick the inaugural champion in singles and doubles.



**Bob Hunter, Huntington Park, 1932, Sports Journalism**

One of the elite sportswriters of his generation. For 58 years, Bob devoted his life to covering Major League Baseball for the Pacific Coast League, Valley News, Los Angeles Examiner and Herald-Examiner, and the Los Angeles Daily News covering the Los Angeles Dodgers, California Angels, and San Diego Padres. He was inducted in 1988 as a member of the prestigious writers' wing in the Baseball Hall of Fame after receiving the BBWAA Career Excellence Award.



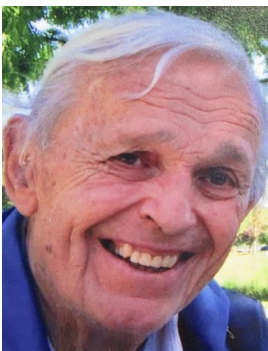
**Lee Joseph, Polytechnic, 1952, LAUSD Athletics**

A standout football and track & field star in high school, Joseph competed in cross country and track at Cal State Los Angeles where he was a member of the squad that won the California Collegiate Athletic Association championship in 1956 and finished second in 1955 and 1957. He was inducted into the CSULA Hall of Fame in 1992. His distinguished career in LAUSD spanned 47 years including working in the athletics office making a meaningful impact as a specialist and playoff coordinator.



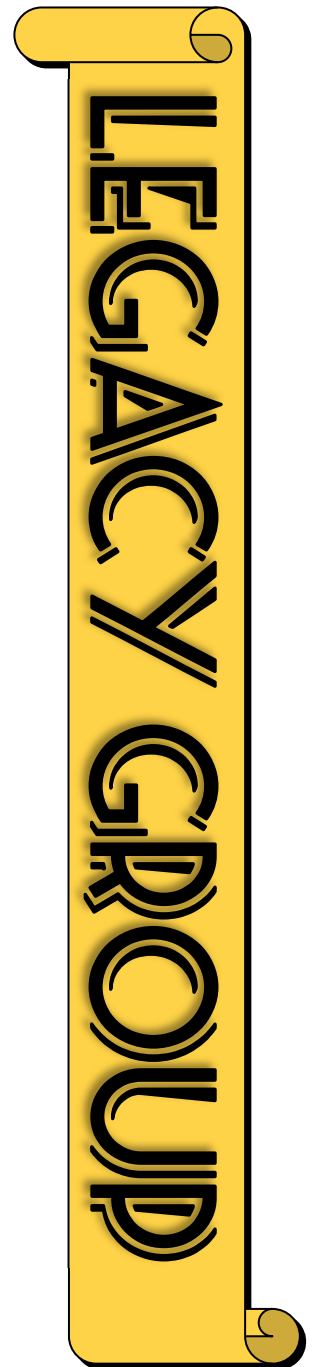
**Bill Lacefield, Jefferson, 1935, Track and Field**

Former AAU champion and one of the elite jumpers in UCLA history. Bill won the broad jump at the 1938 NCAA Track and Field Championships (25 feet 1+1/8 inches). He also excelled for the Bruins in the high hurdles setting new school records in both events. Lacefield competed at the 1936 Summer Olympics. One of the prominent athletes in UCLA history along with Jackie Robinson and Tom Bradley to break the color barrier in collegiate athletics.



**Phil Pote, Fremont head coach 1963-1976, Baseball**

Prominent mentor and leader for the youth in South Los Angeles. Inspired many kids to succeed on and off the diamond. Led Fremont to the 1963 City championship with three future major leaguers- Willie Crawford, Bobby Tolan, and Bob Watson. The Pathfinders were the last inner-City team to win the upper division title. After coaching, Pote worked as a scout for the Los Angeles Dodgers, Oakland A's, and Seattle Mariners for more than 50 years.





**Laszlo Sasvary, Monroe head coach 1969-1988, Gymnastics**

Sasvary's teams won the L.A. City High School Championships a total of 10 times. His honors include the National High School Gymnastics Coach of the Year Award, (1976); Recipient, United States Gymnastics Federation Special Service Award, (1988); Recipient, Frank Cumiskey Gymnastics Judging Hall of Fame Award, (1974). He served as Executive Director, National Gymnastics Judges Association, Inc. (1977-1984) and as Vice President, United States Gymnastics Federation (1977-1983).



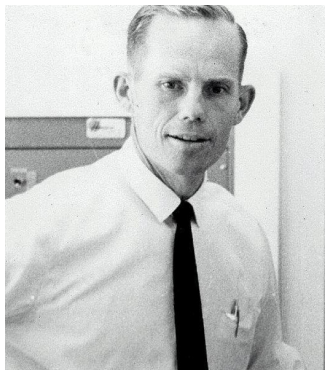
**Jackie Steinmann, Hollywood, 1945, Golf**

Referred to as one of the great pioneers of women's collegiate golf, Jackie coached at UCLA for 22 years winning a national championship in 1991, runner-up in 1990, and capturing five conference titles. Under her leadership, the Bruins qualified for a school-record 14 straight NCAA Tournaments. Jackie earned LPGA, Pac-10, and National Coach of the Year honors. She was inducted into the Collegiate Women's Golf Hall of Fame in 1989 and the UCLA Athletics Hall of Fame in 2008.



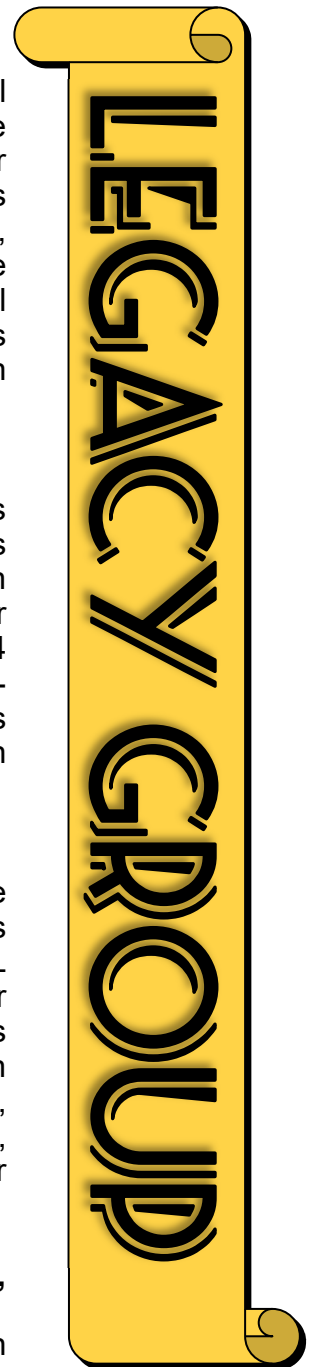
**Harry Thompson, Los Angeles, 1944, Football**

As one of the first African American players in the National Football League, Thompson played for the Los Angeles Rams from 1950 to 1954, winning the NFL championship in 1951. He played in 11 games for the Chicago Cardinals in 1955. Starting at guard, he was a key blocker for the Rams' backfield that featured Dan Towler, Dick Hoerner, and Paul Younger. After he retired, Thompson spent a year as president of the NFL Alumni, Inc., where he was an advocate for pension benefits for those who played professionally before 1959.



**Harold "Bud" Ware, Palisades head coach 1962-1984, Tennis**

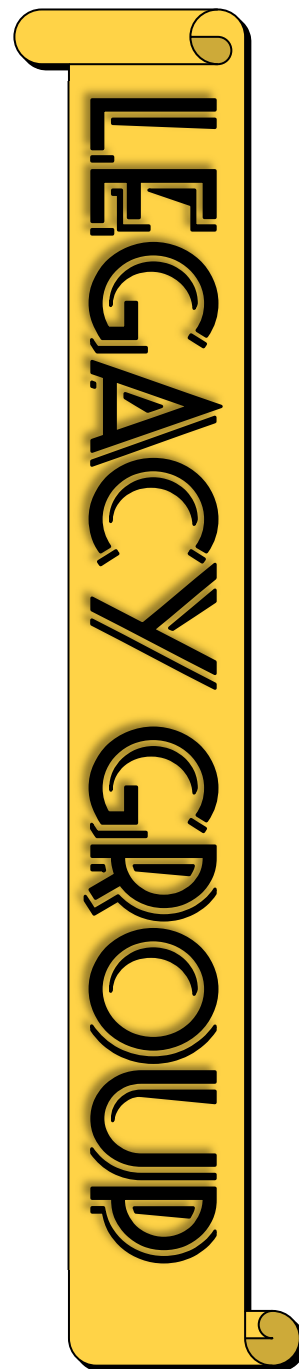
Bud was a founding member of the Palisades High faculty, teaching math while coaching the boys and girls tennis teams in addition to football and basketball. He built Palisades' tennis program into a dynasty, piloting the Dolphins to nine City boys crowns from 1965-77 (including a then-record five straight from 1969-73) along with six City girls titles from 1975-84. Ware turned the boys' program over to current coach Bud Kling just before the playoffs in 1979 and the team went on to capture the City championship that spring.





**Phil Woolpert, Manual Arts, 1933, Basketball**

The second coach in NCAA history to win back-to-back men's basketball national titles, Woolpert led the University of San Francisco, with Hall of Famers Bill Russell and K.C. Jones, to the 1955 and 1956 championships. USF won 60 straight games, an NCAA record at that time. Phil was a two-time National Coach of the Year while coaching USF for nine years, winning 153 games and losing 78 (.662 mark). He was elected to the Naismith Memorial Basketball Hall of Fame in 1992 and the NCAA Basketball Hall of Fame in 2006.



## PAST INDUCTEES

### THE INAUGURAL CLASS OF THE CIF LOS ANGELES CITY SECTION SPORTS HALL OF FAME 2011

|                                  |                      |                                     |             |
|----------------------------------|----------------------|-------------------------------------|-------------|
| Sammy Lee - Franklin '39         | Aquatics             | Esther Williams – Washington '40    | Aquatics    |
| Amy Alcott – Palisades '37       | Golf                 | Sheila Cornell - Taft '80           | Softball    |
| Hugo Perez – LA High '82         | Soccer               | Jack Fernandez – LA High '48        | Wrestling   |
| Pauline Betz Addie – LA High '36 | Tennis               | Pat Henry Yeomans - LA High '35     | Tennis      |
| Bob Falkenburg – Fairfax '42     | Tennis               | Makoto Sakamoto – LA High '48       | Gymnastics  |
| Jack Beckner - Franklin '48      | Gymnastics           | Gene Selznick - Manual Arts '48     | Volleyball  |
| Mary Perry – Birmingham '61      | Volleyball           | Gail Goodrich - Polytechnic '61     | Basketball  |
| Marques Johnson – Crenshaw '73   | Basketball           | Willie Naulls - San Pedro '34       | Basketball  |
| Cynthia Cooper – Locke '81       | Basketball           | Ozzie Smith - Locke '73             | Baseball    |
| John Elway - Granada Hills '79   | Football             | Mike Garrett - Roosevelt '62        | Football    |
| Hugh McElhenny – Washington '48  | Football             | Willie West - Crenshaw '70-'07      | Coach       |
| Mal Whitfield – Jefferson '43    | Track & Field        | Gayle Van Meter – Palisades '70-'91 | Coach       |
| Mel Patton - University '43      | Track & Field        | Tex Winter – Huntington Park '40    | Coach       |
| Valerie Brisco-Hooks – Locke '78 | Track & Field        | Bret Saberhagen – Cleveland '82     | Baseball    |
| Denean Howard – Kennedy '82      | Track & Field        | Sparky Anderson - Dorsey '52        | Coach       |
| Alex Hannum - Hamilton '42       | Basketball           | Kenny Washington – Lincoln '36      | Football    |
| Cornelius Johnson – LA High '33  | Track & Field        | Don Drysdale – Van Nuys '54         | Baseball    |
| Mary Kay Brown – Polytechnic '09 | Tennis               | Dorothy Poynton Hill- Fairfax '33   | Diving      |
| Lillian Copeland – LA High '23   | Track & Field        | Bob Waterfield – Van Nuys '38       | Football    |
| Ricky Bell – Fremont '73         | Football             | Ernie Smith - Gardena '29           | Basketball  |
| Frank Lubin - Lincoln '19        | Basketball           | Harry Edelson – Jefferson '26       | Coach       |
| Tom Fears – Manual Arts '41      | Football             | Bill Schroeder – Hollywood '23      | Contributor |
| Dick Bishop - Polytechnic '30    | Gymnastics           | Emmett Ashford – Jefferson '34      | Contributor |
| Rod Dedeaux - Hollywood '31      | Coach                | Les Haserot - Hollywood '23         | Coach       |
| Larry Hansen – Jefferson '46-73  | Coach                | Jim Blewett - Manual Arts '17       | Coach       |
| Lee Barnes – Hollywood '24       | Track & Field        | Jack Kemp - Fairfax '53             | Football    |
| John Ferraro - Bell '42          | Contributor/Football | Tom Bradley - Polytechnic '36       | Contributor |
| Charles Dumas - Jefferson '53    | Contributor          |                                     |             |




**PAST INDUCTEES**
**THE 2013 CLASS OF THE  
 CIF LOS ANGELES CITY SECTION SPORTS HALL OF FAME**

|                                     |               |                                       |               |
|-------------------------------------|---------------|---------------------------------------|---------------|
| Lenny Krazelburg - Fairfax '93      | Aquatics      | Sue Gossick – Taft '65                | Aquatics      |
| Marjorie Gestring – Los Angeles '40 | Aquatics      | Donna Caponi Byrnes- Granada '63      | Golf          |
| Laura Espinoza Watson – Banning '91 | Softball      | Kim Pickup – Chatsworth '96           | Soccer        |
| Briggs Hunt – LA High '28           | Wrestling     | Bobby Riggs - Franklin '36            | Tennis        |
| Craig Buck – Taft '76               | Volleyball    | Ron Lang – Dorsey '55                 | Volleyball    |
| Sharon Shapiro - Monroe '79         | Gymnastics    | Mitch Gaylord – Grant '79             | Gymnastics    |
| Jeff Stork – Taft '78               | Volleyball    | Nancy Owen- Narbonne '61              | Volleyball    |
| Kim Ruddins – Westchester '81       | Volleyball    | Sidney Wicks - Hamilton '67           | Basketball    |
| Joe Caldwell – Fremont '60          | Basketball    | Billy McGill - Jefferson '58          | Basketball    |
| Kiki Vandeweghe - Palisades '76     | Basketball    | Anita Ortega – LA High '75            | Basketball    |
| Robin Yount –Taft '73               | Baseball      | Eddie Murray – Locke '73              | Baseball      |
| Bobby Doerr – Fremont '35           | Baseball      | Garret Anderson – Kennedy '90         | Baseball      |
| Joe Perry – Jordan '44              | Football      | Warren Moon – Hamilton '74            | Football      |
| Mike Haynes – Marshall '71          | Football      | Florence Griffith Joyner – Jordan '78 | Track& Field  |
| Kevin Young – Jordan '84            | Track & Field | Quincy Watts – Taft '88               | Track & Field |
| John Muir– Fremont '46              | Coach         | Estel Johnson – Jefferson '35         | Coach         |
| Gene Vollnogle – Fremont '48        | Coach         | Al Scates – Westchester '57           | Coach         |
| George Toley – Los Angeles '35      | Coach         | Carolyn Gunny – Granada Hills         | Coach         |
| Pat Harvey – LAUSD '59-'91          | Contributor   | Bill Henry – Los Angeles '09          | Contributor   |
| Harlow Rothert – Los Angeles '26    | At-Large      | Oscar De La Hoya – Garfield '91       | At Large      |
| James Lofton - Washington '74       | Football      | Sherri Howard - Kennedy '80           | Track & Field |


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|                                     |             |                                      |                   |
|-------------------------------------|-------------|--------------------------------------|-------------------|
| Wally O'Connor – Venice '21         | Aquatics    | Dallas Bixler – Los Angeles '28      | Gymnastics        |
| Kristine Quance – Granada Hills '92 | Aquatics    | Armando Vega – Wilson '53            | Gymnastics        |
| Dora Dome – Fairfax '84             | Basketball  | Waldir Guerra – Bell '85             | Soccer            |
| Trisha Odom – Westchester '88       | Basketball  | Chris Pezzulo – Narbonne '85         | Soccer            |
| Curtis Rowe – Fremont '67           | Basketball  | Lisa Richardson – Verdugo Hills '75  | Softball          |
| Charrise Sampson – Washington '92   | Basketball  | Joe Hunt – Fairfax '36               | Tennis            |
| John Williams – Crenshaw '84        | Basketball  | John "Budge" Patty – Los Angeles '42 | Tennis            |
| Eric Davis – Fremont '80            | Baseball    | Helen Pastall Perez – Fremont '46    | Tennis            |
| Willie Davis – Roosevelt '58        | Baseball    | Jodi Anderson – Washington '76       | Track & Field     |
| Bob Meusel – Los Angeles '14        | Baseball    | Danny Everett – Fairfax '85          | Track & Field     |
| Darryl Strawberry – Crenshaw '80    | Baseball    | Johnny Gray – Crenshaw '78           | Track & Field     |
| Jon Arnett – Manual Arts '53        | Football    | Linda Chisholm – Birmingham '75      | Volleyball        |
| Aaron Rosenberg – Fairfax '30       | Football    | Ninja Jorgensen – Los Angeles '57    | Volleyball        |
| Charles White – San Fernando '76    | Football    | Kent Steffes – Palisades '86         | Volleyball        |
| Lee Elder – Manual Arts '51         | Golf        | Randy Stoklos – Palisades '78        | Volleyball        |
| Duffy Waldorf – Taft '80            | Golf        | George Retzer – Los Angeles '01      | Wrestling         |
| Howard Enstedt – University '50     | Coach       | Gene Mauch – Fremont '43             | Coach             |
| Jim Mora – University '53           | Coach       | Pat Nordell - Illinois '50           | Coach             |
| Bill Thayer – Chicago '45           | Coach       | Vern Wolfe – Gardena '40             | Coach             |
| Brad Pye Jr. – Jefferson '49        | Contributor | Denny Crum – San Fernando '55        | Coach             |
| Sam Balter – Roosevelt '25          | Contributor | Barbara Fiege – Chicago '70          | Contributor       |
| Dennis Gilbert – Gardena '65        | Contributor | James Lu Valle – Polytechnic '31     | Contributor/Track |

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|                                    |             |                                     |               |
|------------------------------------|-------------|-------------------------------------|---------------|
| Al Michaels - Hamilton '62         | Contributor | Keyshawn Johnson - Dorsey '92       | Football      |
| Rick Obrand - Washington '64       | Contributor | Ken Norton, Jr. - Westchester '84   | Football      |
| Jeff Fisher - Taft '77             | Coach       | Frank Tatum - Los Angeles '38       | Golf          |
| Ed Azzam - Gardena '72             | Coach       | Ron Barak - Hamilton '60            | Gymnastics    |
| Myra Einberg - Hamilton '69        | Coach       | Frank Endo - San Pedro '41          | Gymnastics    |
| Ernest "Bud" Kling - University    | Coach       | Steve Hug - Chatsworth '70          | Gymnastics    |
| Ralph Tilley - Dorsey '69          | Coach       | Arturo Torres - Banning '99         | Soccer        |
| Ralph Bunche - Jefferson '22       | At-Large    | Joe Zomar - Hamilton '39            | Soccer        |
| Bob Bennett - Birmingham '61       | Aquatics    | Cara Blumfield - El Camino Real '99 | Softball      |
| Don McKenzie - Grant '65           | Aquatics    | Louise Figlewicz - San Pedro '79    | Softball      |
| Donnalee Carlson - Chatsworth '78  | Aquatics    | Richard Gonzalez - Manual Arts      | Tennis        |
| Georgia Coleman - Polytechnic '29  | Aquatics    | Larry Smith - Manual Arts '54       | Tennis        |
| Earl Battey - Jordan '53           | Baseball    | Barbara Breit - No. Hollywood '54   | Tennis        |
| Charles "Chili" Davis - Dorsey '78 | Baseball    | Mary Arnold - Manual Arts '34       | Tennis        |
| Dwight Evans - Chatsworth '69      | Baseball    | James Butts - Fremont '68           | Track & Field |
| Bob Watson - Fremont '64           | Baseball    | Ralph Mann - Carson '67             | Track & Field |
| Gilbert Arenas - Grant '99         | Basketball  | Bill Sefton - Polytechnic '32       | Track & Field |
| Steve Kerr - Palisades '83         | Basketball  | Jarvis Scott - Jordan '65           | Track & Field |
| Freeman Williams - Manual Arts '74 | Basketball  | Ricci Luyties - Palisades '80       | Volleyball    |
| Cardte Hicks - San Pedro '73       | Basketball  | Chris Marlowe - Palisades '69       | Volleyball    |
| Ebony Hoffman - Narbonne '00       | Basketball  | Jean Gaertner - Washington '56      | Volleyball    |
| Nnamdi Asomugha - Narbonne '99     | Football    | Tauna Vandeweghe - Palisades '77    | Volleyball    |


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|  |                  |  |                      |
|--|------------------|--|----------------------|
| Don Buford - Dorsey, 1955              | Baseball         | Sue Kamiyama - Dorsey, 1967            | Contributor          |
| Willie Crawford - Fremont, 1964        | Baseball         | Paul Knox - Hamilton, 1970             | Football/Track Coach |
| Anthony Davis - San Fernando, 1971     | Football         | Freeman McNeil - Banning, 1977         | Football             |
| Tony Dobra - San Pedro, 1974           | Softball Coach   | Loree Moore - Narbonne, 2001           | Basketball           |
| Marv Dunphy - Taft, 1966               | Volleyball Coach | Randy Rosenbloom - No. Hollywood, 1969 | Contributor          |
| Chris Ferragamo - Banning, 1958        | Football Coach   | Julie Rousseau - Dorsey, 1983          | Basketball Coach     |
| Vince Ferragamo - Banning, 1972        | Football         | John Smith - Fremont, 1968             | Track and Field      |
| Hal Harkness - North Hollywood, 1956   | Contributor      | Eric Sondheimer - Polytechnic, 1976    | Contributor          |
| Lucious Harris - Cleveland, 1989       | Basketball       | Jim Tunney - LAUSD 1951-1975           | Contributor          |
| Toya DeCree Holiday - Kennedy, 1981    | Basketball       |  |                      |
| Carolyn House Helmuth - Marshall, 1963 | Aquatics         |  |                      |

**LEGACY GROUP**

|                                    |                 |
|------------------------------------|-----------------|
| Nate Barrager - San Fernando, 1925 | Football        |
| Motts Blair - Polytechnic, 1908    | Basketball      |
| Milt Davis - Jefferson, 1947       | Football        |
| Fred Haney - Polytechnic, 1918     | Baseball        |
| Jeane Hoffman - Los Angeles, 1934  | Contributor     |
| Joe Jares - Hamilton, 1955         | Contributor     |
| Mickey Riley - Roosevelt, 1927     | Aquatics        |
| Woody Strode - Jefferson, 1934     | Football        |
| Charles Toney - Manual Arts, 1917  | Track and Field |
| Adam Walsh - Hollywood, 1921       | Football        |
| Louis Zamperini - Torrance, 1935   | Track and Field |

## PAST INDUCTEES

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|   |                                       |
|---|---------------------------------------|
| Lori Chandler - El Camino Real, 1980    | Athlete- Basketball / Coach- 4 sports |
| Jim Cheffers - Huntington Park, 1940    | Contributor- Former Commissioner      |
| Bob Collins - University, 1963          | Contributor- CIFLACS Hall of Fame     |
| Roman Gomez - Belmont, 1985             | Athlete- Cross Country & Track        |
| Scott King - Reseda, 1970               | Coach- Cross Country & Track          |
| Chet Lemon - Fremont, 1972              | Athlete- Baseball                     |
| Neils Ludlow - El Camino Real           | Coach- Softball                       |
| Garry Maddox - San Pedro, 1968          | Athlete- Baseball                     |
| Rod Martin - Hamilton, 1972             | Athlete- Football                     |
| Chris Mills - Fairfax, 1988             | Athlete- Men's Basketball             |
| Dwayne Polee - Manual Arts, 1981        | Athlete- Men's Basketball             |
| Lou Ramirez - Hollywood, 1944           | Contributor- Athletic Director        |
| Andy Reid - Marshall, 1976              | Coach- Football                       |
| Rachel Robinson - Manual Arts, 1940     | Contributor- Lifetime Achievement     |
| Steve Salmons - Palisades, 1976         | Athlete- Men's Volleyball             |
| Ramona Shelburne - El Camino Real, 1997 | Athlete / Contributor- Journalism     |
| Steve Smith Sr. - University, 1997      | Athlete- Football                     |
| Booker Turner - Roosevelt               | Contributor- Basketball Official      |
| Colleen Boyd Turner - Palisades, 1969   | Athlete- Women's Volleyball           |
| Lisa Willis - Narbonne, 2002            | Athlete- Women's Basketball           |

### LEGACY GROUP

|                                     |                   |
|-------------------------------------|-------------------|
| Ben Agajanian - San Pedro, 1937     | Football          |
| Paul Blair - Manual Arts, 1961      | Baseball          |
| Cliff Bourland - Venice, 1938       | Track             |
| Gene Brito - Lincoln, 1943          | Football          |
| Austin Clapp - Hollywood, 1928      | Aquatics          |
| Thurmond Clarke - Los Angeles, 1920 | Track             |
| Lee Guttero - Lincoln, 1931         | Basketball        |
| Paul Krempel - Polytechnic, 1918    | Gymnastics        |
| Frank Kurtz - Hollywood, 1929       | Aquatics          |
| Jack Lohrke - South Gate, 1942      | Baseball          |
| John Mandic - Roosevelt, 1938       | Basketball        |
| Maxine Mitchell - Fremont, 1935     | Fencing           |
| Willard Mullin - Los Angeles, 1920  | Sports Cartoonist |

### ALL-AMERICAN GIRLS PROFESSIONAL BASEBALL LEAGUE (1943-1954)

|  |             |
|--|-------------|
| Faye Dancer - National Women's Baseball HOF - University, 1943 | Centerfield |
| Thelma Eisen - Belmont, 1941                                   | Outfield    |
| Dorothy Harrell Doyle - Fremont, 1942                          | Shortstop   |
| Charlene Pryer Mayer - Hamilton, 1939                          | Second Base |
| Lavonne Paire Davis - University, 1943                         | Catcher     |
| Dorothy Shinen Cameron - Roosevelt, 1939                       | Outfield    |
| Kay Shinen Volkov - Roosevelt, 1941                            | Third Base  |
| Doris Nelson Walker - Fremont, 1941                            | Outfield    |
| Lillian Faralla - San Pedro, 1942                              | Pitcher     |


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|   |                                  |
|---|----------------------------------|
| John Aguirre - Garfield, 1972             | Contributor- Former Commissioner |
| Doreatha Conwell-Waitman - Locke, 1984    | Athlete- Women's Basketball      |
| Roxanne DeMik - Westchester, 1967         | Athlete- Women's Volleyball      |
| Larry Dierker - Taft, 1964                | Athlete- Baseball                |
| Judi Edwards - Fairfax, 1990 - 2018       | Contributor- Coach, AD, LC       |
| Don Gambriel - Wilson, 1951               | Coach- Aquatics                  |
| Kevin Holmes - Cleveland, 1982            | Athlete- Men's Basketball        |
| Tim Hovland - Westchester, 1977           | Athlete- Men's Volleyball        |
| Rene Lachemann - Dorsey, 1963             | Coach- Baseball                  |
| Charles Lakes - Monroe, 1982              | Athlete- Gymnastics              |
| Greg Lee - Reseda, 1970                   | Athlete- Men's Basketball        |
| Mike Maio - El Camino Real, 1969 - 1998   | Coach- Baseball                  |
| Sharon McAlexander - Washington, 1961     | Contributor- Volleyball          |
| Billy Mullins - Hamilton, 1976            | Athlete- Men's Track             |
| Nick Rodionoff - Birmingham, 1962 - 1997  | Coach- Aquatics                  |
| Mike Scyphers - Canoga Park, 1970         | Contributor- Basketball Official |
| Ernie Shelby - Los Angeles, 1955          | Athlete- Men's Track             |
| Beth Silverman - El Camino Real, 1988     | Athlete- Softball                |
| Darryl Stroh - Granada Hills, 1970 - 1996 | Coach- Baseball                  |
| Bruce Thomson - Hamilton, 1978            | Coach- Cross Country             |
| Wesley Walker - Carson, 1973              | Athlete- Football                |
| Gordon Weisenburger - Washington, 1951    | Coach- Cross Country             |
| Dave Yanai - Gardena, 1961                | Coach- Basketball                |

**LEGACY GROUP**

|   |                   |
|---|-------------------|
| Andy Bakjian - Polytechnic, 1932        | Track & Field     |
| Hal Bedsole - Reseda, 1960              | Football          |
| Robert Cameron - Washington, 1948       | Track & Field     |
| Billy Consolo - Dorsey, 1952            | Baseball          |
| Harry Danning - Los Angeles, 1929       | Baseball          |
| Sam DeJohn - San Fernando, 1965 - 1989  | Wrestling         |
| Al Franken - Fairfax, 1943              | Track & Field     |
| Milt Goffman - Fairfax, 1952            | Wrestling         |
| Richard Kampmann - Washington, 1943     | Cross Country     |
| Pete Kokon - Van Nuys, 1932             | Sports Journalism |
| Barry Latman - Fairfax, 1954            | Baseball          |
| Woodley Lewis - Manual Arts, 1943       | Football          |
| Harry "Peanuts" Lowrey - Hamilton, 1936 | Baseball          |
| Emil "Irish" Meusel - Manual Arts, 1911 | Baseball          |
| Anne Vrana O'Brien - Fremont, 1928      | Track & Field     |
| Don Paul - Los Angeles, 1942            | Football          |
| Brian Roney - El Camino Real, 1978      | Aquatics          |



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