

## **CEDARBURG HIGH SCHOOL ATHLETIC HALL OF FAME**

### **Cedarburg High School Athletic Hall of Fame Objectives:**

1. To give deserved recognition to outstanding Cedarburg athletes, coaches, and supportive individuals of athletics.
2. To publicly celebrate Cedarburg's outstanding athletic tradition on a biennial basis through the induction process
3. To illustrate to current students and community members those individuals who have been instrumental in creating the outstanding Cedarburg athletic tradition.
4. To promote continued interest in the Cedarburg athletic program via alumni and community members.

### **The Athletic Hall of Fame Will Recognize Individuals in Three Nomination Categories:**

1. The successes he or she achieved while a student athlete at Cedarburg High School.
2. The successes he or she achieved while serving as a coach at Cedarburg High School.
3. Distinguished service to Cedarburg High School athletics.

### **Student Athlete Nominee Criteria:**

1. The nominee must be an alumnus of Cedarburg High School.
2. The nominee must have graduated a minimum of ten years ago.
3. The nominee must have earned a minimum of one varsity letter.
4. Individual accomplishments within a sport are valued (e.g., All-Conference selection, All-State selection, state championships, state records, and school records).
5. Contributions made to the success of a team are valued (e.g., team state championship, team conference championship, team record).
6. Having individual and team success in multiple sports is valued.
7. Moral character, academic performance, and good citizenship during high school and post high school shall be a consideration.
8. Although athletic achievement while attending Cedarburg High School is of prime importance, outstanding accomplishments after leaving Cedarburg High School will also be considered.
9. No member of the committee will be eligible for induction while serving on the committee.

### **Coaching Nominee Criteria:**

1. The coach must have been a contracted coach at Cedarburg High School.
2. The coach must have retired from the coaching profession or cannot be currently coaching.
3. Excellence in coaching is valued (e.g., record, conference championships, state competitions, team state championships, individuals coached who earned state championships, etc.).
4. Contributions to the positive development of students are important.
5. Demonstration of good character and citizenship are valued.
6. Coaching responsibilities extending over a long period of time and in multiple sports at 9th Grade, JV, or Varsity are valued.
7. Contributions to the Cedarburg community, the conference, the coach's state association, and the WIAA are valued.

**Distinguished Service Nominee Criteria:**

1. Any individual who has made significant contributions to Cedarburg High School athletics in roles other than participation in or coaching a sport.
2. If given to a school district employee, the person cannot be currently employed by the Cedarburg school district.
3. If given to a non-school district employee, the person may still be a current contributor to Cedarburg athletics.
4. Longevity of contributions over time is valued. (Contributions of time, energy, and money will receive consideration).
5. Modeling of sportsmanship and dedication, while inspiring similar traits in others is valued.
6. Projects that have made an impact on the Cedarburg High School Athletics.

**Nomination Process:**

1. Nominations may be submitted by members of the Athletic Hall of Fame Committee, members of the community, and the general public.
2. Cedarburg High School Athletic Hall of Fame nomination forms, including detailed information on selection criteria and process, are available in the Cedarburg High School Athletic Office or online at <https://cedarburg.sportngin.com/page/show/1119171-nomination-forms>
3. All nominations must be submitted on the official nomination form. Nominations are due by November 3<sup>rd</sup>, 2023.
4. The nominator must gather pertinent information on the nominee and inform them of such to make sure they are willing to receive the award if selected. The nominator will be responsible for meeting the deadlines set forth by the committee.

**Selection Process:**

1. The Hall of Fame Selection Committee reviews the list of nominations.
2. Members research each nominee's qualifications and present their findings to the committee.
3. Discussion follows and, if needed, further research follows. Selection of individuals is by vote.

**Student Athlete Nominees:**

1. No more than two athletes are elected every two years.
2. Those who are inducted are the two nominees with the most votes who have also received votes from half or more of the Selection Committee members present at the selection meeting.
3. Those individuals not receiving enough votes for induction will have their nomination automatically rolled over for a maximum of three nomination cycles.

**Coaching Nominees:**

1. No more than two coaches are elected every two years.
2. Those who are inducted are the two with the most votes who have also received votes from half or more of the Selection Committee members present at the selection meeting.

3. Those individuals not receiving enough votes for induction will have their nomination automatically rolled over for a maximum of three nomination cycles.
4. There need not be a coach inductee in any given year.

**Distinguished Service Athletic Award:**

1. No more than one Distinguished Service Athletic Award is elected every two years. The only exception would be the first year when two individuals may be inducted.
2. The individual inducted is the person with the most votes who has also received votes from half or more of the Selection Committee members present at the selection meeting.
3. Those individuals not receiving enough votes for induction will have their nomination automatically rolled over for a maximum of three nomination cycles. There need not be a Distinguished Athletic Award inductee in any given year.

\*Note for the ceremony to be held on February 17, 2024, there needs to be a minimum of two inductees.