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## Four Named To Join Association Hall of Fame

CHAPEL HILL—Four more outstanding names in the annals of state prep athletics have been selected for induction into the North Carolina High School Athletic Association Hall of Fame.

Marion Kirby of Greensboro, Don Patrick of Newton, Hilda Worthington of Greenville and the late Charles England of Lexington have been chosen as the 14th group of inductees to join the prestigious hall. That brings to 62 the number enshrined.

The new inductees were honored during special halftime ceremonies at a football game at Kenan Stadium this fall when North Carolina played on Georgia Tech. The University of North Carolina designated the day as the 16th annual NCHSAA Day. They will officially inducted at the special Hall of Fame banquet next spring at the Friday Center in Chapel Hill.

The NCHSAA Hall of Fame is now being underwritten by a special grant from Glaxo Wellcome.

"These individuals joining the Association Hall of Fame this year have certainly had a tremendous impact on high school athletics across North Carolina," says NCHSAA associate executive director Rick Strunk, who coordinates the Hall for the Association. "Their records are certainly impressive, but the character they exemplified and the lives they touched are really representative of what the NCHSAA stands for. Their selection maintains the high standards of excellence established by previous inductees, and we are proud to honor these deserving individuals."

### Marion W. Kirby

A 1964 graduate of Lenoir-Rhyne College, where he played on an NAIA national championship football team, Marion Kirby has established himself as one of North Carolina's top coaches.

An all-state player in his hometown of Hickory, Kirby went on to graduate from L-R in 1964 after lettering four years in football. After a year as a graduate assistant at East Carolina, he went to John Holmes High School in Edenton and assumed the head coaching duties there through 1972, posting a mark of 59-14-3 and winning three conference titles.

Then Kirby went to Greensboro Page, where he established the Pirates as one of the state's top teams for over 20 years. His teams captured NCHSAA state 4-A championships in 1980, '83, '84 and

'85 and were runners-up in '82. HisPage teams went to the playoffs 16 times and won 13 league crowns. In all, 25 of his teams won at least seven games, and his career coaching mark at the prep level was 278-65-8.

A member of the Lenoir-Rhyne College Sports Hall of Fame, Kirby left Page to build Greensboro College's new football program from scratch. The Pride fielded its first team in 1997.

He also was a tireless worker for the North Carolina Coaches Association as secretary-treasurer for many years after participating in the East-West football game as a player in 1960.

### Don R. Patrick

A native of Shelby, Don Patrick has built a tremendous record as a coach and athletic administrator, primarily at Newton-Conover High School.

A 1968 graduate of Appalachian State University, where he played baseball and served as president of the student body, Patrick was an assistant football and head baseball coach at Wilkes Central and also coached at Burns before heading to Newton-Conover. From 1974 through the '98 season, his Red Devil teams compiled a brilliant 197-88-1 mark, winning 13 conference championships and making the playoffs 15 times, including three trips to the state semifinals.

Patrick has been involved in just about every major organization serving high school athletics in the state. He served on the NCHSAA Board of Directors from 1983-87 and was president of the North Carolina Athletic Directors Association in 1985-86. In addition, he was the North Carolina Coaches Association president in 1989-90 and served on the NCCA Board. He has also served two terms on the Realignment Committee.

He is a member of the Cleveland County Sports Hall of Fame and former Teacher of the Year in the Newton-Conover City Schools. The field house at Gurley Stadium on the Newton-Conover campus is named in his honor.

### Hilda Worthington

Born in Calhoun, Georgia, Hilda Worthington was an outstanding coach and administrator at Farmville Central High School from the early 1970's to the late '90's.

A graduate of Broughton High School in Raleigh and a 1960 graduate of East Carolina University, Worthington served as athletic director at Farmville Central in Pitt County for close to 20 years. As a basketball coach, she guided her women's teams to over 300 victories and two state runner-up finishes, in 1985 and '92, winning six conference titles. She also guided her women's track teams to seven league crowns during her 11 years as head coach in that sport.

She has served on various NCHSAA committees, including realignment and the original Scholar-Athlete committee, and also has directed numerous conference and sectional tournaments. She has previously received a Distinguished Service Award and a Citation award from the Association.

An active member of St. Paul's Episcopal Church, Worthington also has worked with various Girl Scout troops over the years.

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### Charles England

The late Charles England spent almost 40 years in education, amassing an outstanding record as a football coach.

Born in Newton, he was captain of the baseball team and an excellent pitcher in college at Shaw University. He went on to become head football coach at Pattillo High School in Tarboro from 1949 through '58 and then at Dunbar High in Lexington from 1958 to '67, both schools in the old North Carolina High School Athletic Conference for black schools. His teams won five NCHSAC state championships and he compiled an outstanding 134-34 mark during that stretch.

When Dunbar closed in '67, England became an assistant coach at Lexington and was instrumental in that school's outstanding grid-iron success, with teams winning 178 games during his time on the staff. He also was well known for his knowledge of the passing game and worked for many years at the prestigious Gus Purcell Quarterback School in Charlotte.

He was tremendously active in Lexington in many church and civic activities. The Central Carolina Conference awards the Charlie England Cup to its top overall athletic program and an intermediate school in Lexington is named in his honor.

The Hall of Fame plaques are on permanent display in the North Carolina High School Athletic Association's Hall of Fame room, located in the Simon F. Terrell Building in Chapel Hill which houses the Association offices.

## Interns Having Another Outstanding Semester

CHAPEL HILL—Another excellent group of students is working this semester in the intern program sponsored by the North Carolina High School Athletic Association.

Interns customarily work six to eight hours a week as volunteers in the NCHSAA offices in addition to their regular academic load. They assist in everything from clerical duties to research on NCHSAA records to helping with Association publications and working at selected state championships.

Those University of North Carolina at Chapel Hill students who are working during the fall semester of 2000 include:

- Wesley Walker, a senior who played soccer, basketball and golf during all four years at Athens Drive in Raleigh; he is a journalism major at UNC scheduled to graduate in May of 2001;

- Spencer Gwaltney, a senior whose father Eddie is the athletic director at Hunt High School in Wilson; Spencer, who was an outstanding athlete at Hunt herself, is working for her second year in handling the Wachovia Conference Cup duties for that corporate sponsor;

- Lari Garren of Durham, a junior who was involved in the athletic program in a variety of ways at Jordan High, returning for a second year of work;

- Jason Tant, a senior majoring in exercise and sports science who played four sports at Richlands High; Jason also worked during his junior year at the Association.

The NCHSAA began its intern program back in 1988 and since then well over 100 students, both undergraduate and graduate, from several different colleges and universities have worked at the Association. About two-thirds have come from Association member schools.

NCHSAA interns have gone on to a variety of graduate schools or occupations, including coaching and teaching, sports information, collegiate athletic administration, professional baseball umpiring and business, to name a few. Rick Strunk coordinates the intern program.

## THE NCHSAA HALL OF FAME

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| Class of 1987 | (Charter Members)<br>Bob Jamieson, Greensboro<br>Leon Brogden, Wilmington<br>Dave Harris, Charlotte  |
| Class of 1988 | Tony Simeon, High Point<br>Wilburn C. Clary, Winston-Salem<br>L.J. "Hap" Perry, Chapel Hill  |
| Class of 1989 | Russell Blunt, Durham<br>Lee Stone, Asheboro   |
| Class of 1990 | Bill Eutsler, Rockingham<br>Harvey Reid, Wilson<br>Jay Robinson, Chapel Hill<br>Simon Terrell, Chapel Hill   |
| Class of 1991 | Theil Overman, Wallace<br>Frank Mock, Kinston*<br>Raymond Rhodes, Raleigh*<br>Richard "Bud" Phillips, Greenville   |
| Class of 1992 | Everette L. "Shu" Carlton, Gastonia<br>George J. Cushwa, Jr., Thomasville<br>Norma Harbin, Winston-Salem<br>James G. "Choppy" Wagner, Washington*<br>Modeal Walsh, Robbinsville*<br>Everett L. "Shorty" Waters, Jacksonville<br>Thomas H. "Toby" Webb, Albemarle<br>John W. "Jack" Young, Ahoskie* |
| Class of 1993 | Frank Barger, Hickory*<br>Donald Bonner, Lumberton<br>George Whitfield, Hamlet   |
| Class of 1994 | George "Buck" Hardee, Wilmington<br>Doris Howard, Fayetteville<br>Bruce Peterson, Asheville<br>Homer Thompson, Winston-Salem   |
| Class of 1995 | Willie Bradshaw, Durham<br>Robert P. Colvin, Robbinsville<br>Joe Paul Eblen, Asheville<br>Augustus B. "Gus" Purcell, Charlotte<br>George W. Wingfield, Reidsville*   |
| Class of 1996 | Paul Gay, Sanford<br>John W. "Honey" Johnson, Elizabeth City*<br>Glenn Nixon, Clayton<br>Robert R. Sawyer, Greensboro  |
| Class of 1997 | Dr. Wiley "Army" Armstrong, Rocky Mount*<br>Chuck Clements, Gastonia*<br>David Lash, Winston-Salem*<br>Larry Lindsay, Wake Forest  |
| Class of 1998 | Gerald "Pearlie" Allen, Shelby<br>Norris "Pee Wee" Jones, Asheville<br>Bill Mayhew, Troutman<br>Dr. Craig Phillips, Raleigh<br>Mary Garber, Winston-Salem<br>Marvin "Red" Hoffman, Wilkesboro<br>Dr. Andy Miller, Asheville  |
| Class of 1999 | Charles "Babe" Howell, Webster<br>Paul Jones, Kinston<br>Jerry McGee, Elizabeth City<br>Jim Mills, Garner<br>Joe Mills, Raleigh<br>Donna Norman, High Point<br>Robert Paroli, Fayetteville   |
| Class of 2000 | Marion Kirby, Greensboro<br>Don Patrick, Newton<br>Hilda Worthington, Greenville<br>Charles England, Lexington*  |

\* *posthumous induction*

## In Memoriam

This is information of which the NCHSAA has been made aware since the publication of the last Bulletin. We appreciate all those who share information with us for the benefit of the membership.

### Leon Brogden

WILMINGTON—A charter member of the North Carolina High School Athletic Association Hall of Fame, Leon Brogden died at the age of 90 on October 1.

A coaching legend in the state during a 50-year career in education, Brogden coached football, basketball and baseball at Edenton, Wilson and Wilmington New Hanover, although he is probably best known for his outstanding basketball teams in Wilmington. He coached at New Hanover from 1945 through 1968 and then spent seven years as the athletic director for the New Hanover County system, retiring in 1976.

A 1932 graduate of Wake Forest, Brogden guided teams to eight NCHSAA state basketball championships, including a great run in the late 1950's and early 1960's when his teams won six state championships in seven years. He also coached teams to state crowns in both football and baseball, giving him 12 state titles in a 16-year span. His teams won a total of 55 different championships of some kind during his career.

Two of his most famous products were former National Football League quarterbacks Sonny Jurgensen and Roman Gabriel.

In addition to the NCHSAA Hall of fame, Brogden was a member of both the Wake Forest University Sports Hall of Fame and the North Carolina Sports Hall of Fame.

He coached in the Shrine Bowl of the Carolinas on three different occasions and coached in the first East-West all-star football game. New Hanover's gym, Brogden Hall, was dedicated in 1955. Brogden was also the third president ever of the North Carolina Coaches Association, back in 1950-51.

The funeral was held at the First Baptist Church at Wilmington.

Memorials for Coach Brogden may be made to First Baptist Church, 15 North Fifth Street, Wilmington, NC 28401; the Fellowship of Christian Athletes, Box 564, Wilmington, NC 28402; or the Leon L. Brogden Sr. Scholarship Fund, New Hanover High School, c/o Jerry Spivey, First Union Building, 201 North Front Street, Suite 808, Wilmington, NC 28401.

### Roy J. Brown, Jr.

SMITHFIELD—Former coach and member of the North Carolina High School Athletic Association Board of Directors Roy Brown died in September.

A graduate of Atlantic Christian College and Dunn High School, he was a long time Johnston County coach. He coached at Smithfield and also guided the East team in 1960 in the North Carolina Coaches Association all-star game. He was also a former president of the NCCA.

He retired from the Johnston County schools in 1988.

### Charlie Vincent

GREENVILLE—Long time NCHSAA official Charlie Vincent, the brother of Greenville Rose coach Ronald Vincent, passed away in late September due to cancer.

Vincent was an official in football, basketball and baseball for many years in the NCHSAA program. He was a long-time employee of the Greenville Parks and Recreation Department.

Funeral services were held at St. James United Methodist Church in Greenville.

## 12th Coach-Captain Retreat Draws 19 Schools To RTP For NCHSAA Student Services

RESEARCH TRIANGLE PARK—The North Carolina High School Athletic Association recently held its 12th Coach-Captain Retreat, another in a series of successful events.

The event, part of the Association's Student Services program, was held at the Radisson Governors Inn late in August and attracted students from all over North Carolina.

Retreat teams include student-athletes who will be captains or leaders of their athletic squads in this academic year, a coach from the school and a parent representative. They are designed to promote the concept of "teamwork." Issues such as leadership development, alcohol, tobacco and other drugs, violence prevention strategies and academic success are addressed at these retreats, the first of which was held in the spring of '95.

The retreats are designed to help student-athletes define leadership qualities, identify key

issues which affect them, learn to communicate effectively with other students and adults about these issues, and then to understand what captains can do to use their influence to prevent problems and promote healthy lifestyles.

Coach-Captain retreats are organized and administered by NCHSAA associate executive director Que Tucker and student services assistant Mary Vrnak.

Facilitators included the following NCHSAA Student Services Trainers: Mike Brown, retired athletic director from the New Hanover County schools and president of B&M Associates; Ralph Holloway, assistant principal and athletic director at West Carteret High; Julie Skinner, former North Carolina teacher now in Richmond, Virginia; P.J. Taylor, coach at Williamston High and safe and drug free schools coordinator for the Martin County Schools; Beth Jaharias, early childhood specialist and former teacher from Raleigh; and Joey Womble, director of the alternative school for the Washington County schools and former teacher and NCHSAA coach. Several of the facilitators have also worked with the Student Athlete Summer Institutes as well.

The retreat included 75 student-athletes and 34 adults at the conference, representing a total of 18 schools. NCHSAA associate executive director Rick Strunk spoke at the optional devotional service that was held on Sunday morning.

Schools represented included the following:

Bear Grass, Bladenboro, Clinton, Durham School of the Arts, Jamesville, Jones Senior, Midway, Mitchell, Mount Airy, Perquimans, Charlotte Providence, Purnell Swett, Hope Mills South View, Statesville, Surry Central, High Point T.W. Andrews, West Stanly and Williamston.

## Federation Now Has Statistics Publication

The National Federation of State High School Associations has a publication that could be of great benefit to member schools in the North Carolina High School Athletic Association.

The first ever NFHS Statisticians Manual has been published by the Federation.

This 60-page book outlines correct procedures and rulings for keeping team and individual statistics in the sports of football, basketball and baseball/softball.

Rick Strunk, associate executive director of the NCHSAA and former chairman of the National Records Committee, was very involved in the development of the book. The Records Committee helped put the book together, with NFHS interns doing a great deal of the leg work. Bruce Howard and John Gillis of the Federation staff serve as the book's editors.

Terms are defined in each sport as well as specific play situations and how to score them. The NCAA was also very helpful in allowing use of its manuals in helping to create the version appropriate for high school sports.

Copies of the manual may be purchased from the National Federation.

**RECORD BREAKERS?** Don't forget, if you have any potential state or national listings for the record book, there is a form in the current edition of the FormsBook to send that information for consideration. Help us to make our state and national books as inclusive and complete as possible! Any questions call Rick Strunk at (919) 962-7786. And don't forget to check the latest version of the state record book on line.

## Record Participation Listed Nationally For High Schools

INDIANAPOLIS—For the eleventh consecutive year, the number of students participating in high school athletics increased, setting an all-time high for participation.

Based on figures from the 51 state high school athletic/activity associations that are members of the National Federation of State High School Associations (NFHS), including the North Carolina High School Athletic Association, participation for the 1999-2000 academic year rose by 52,614 students, to 6,556,912.

This marked the second consecutive year that a record was established nationally for participation in high school athletics.

Participation numbers for both males and females increased. The women's mark of 2,675,874 is an increase of 23,148, setting a new all-time high for female participation. An increase of 29,397 for males raised that national total to 3,861,749. It's the fourth highest total ever for males, trailing only the "baby boom" years of the mid-1970.

The participation survey has been compiled since 1971 by the NFHS through numbers it receives from its member institutions. With the exception of a slight decrease in participation from 1987-88 to 1988-89, the total has risen every year since 1983-84.

The biggest gain among women nationally was in soccer, with 12,687 more athletes than the year before. Overall, soccer ranks as the fifth-most popular female sport. Swimming and diving enjoyed an increase with 5,240 more participants, followed by an increase of 3,235 in tennis.

Soccer participation was buoyed with an additional 288 schools offering the sport last year. However, that was just the third-largest increase in school sponsorship, as softball added 330 schools and golf was picked up by 319 schools.

Football was the biggest gainer among male sports for the second straight year, adding 19,109 athletes, while soccer went up by 8,628.

Basketball remained as the most popular women's sport in the country with 451,600 participants, followed by outdoor track and field (405,305), volleyball (382,755), softball (343,001), and soccer (270,273).

On the male side, the order stays the same with football the most popular sport with 1,002,734 athletes. It is followed by

basketball (541,130), outdoor track and field (480,791), baseball (451,701) soccer (330,044) and wrestling (239,105).

With 783,437 participants, Texas remains the state with the most athletes, followed by California (604,297) and New York (328,954).

For the second consecutive year, the NCHSAA also had a record number of athletes involved in interscholastic athletics during the 1999-2000 academic year.

For this research, each of the NCHSAA's member schools was sent a survey, and the figures are based on the member schools' responses.

A total of 135,780 student-athletes were involved in at least one interscholastic sport.

In the NCHSAA, a total of 83,126 males and 52,654 females were involved in high school athletics during the 1999-2000 school year, an increase of almost 2,000 on the male side and almost 2,300 for women. Just as on the national level, football involved the most individuals, tallying 23,094 athletes. Track moved into second with 10,754 athletes, followed by baseball at 9,947 and basketball at 9,390.

According to the survey, outdoor track was the most popular women's sport in North Carolina with 8,636 participants, up 639 over last year. Basketball was second with 7,791, followed by fast pitch softball at 7,598 and then volleyball at 7,316.

For the second consecutive year, every women's sport in the state showed an increase in numbers over the previous year's survey.

Women's soccer, which jumped 24.7 percent last year, was up just slightly over last year's numbers. But the number of schools with women's soccer teams moved to 234, and in 1986 there were just 50 NCHSAA schools offering women's soccer.

## Endowment Video Is Now Available From Association

CHAPEL HILL—A video presentation about the North Carolina High School Athletic Association Endowment and a capital campaign to increase it has been completed.

The 15-minute presentation features a number of great NCHSAA supporters, including head men's basketball coach Dave Odom of Wake Forest University, head women's basketball coach Kay Yow of North Carolina State University and Atlantic Coast Conference commissioner John Swofford, the former director of athletics at UNC.

Among others featured in the video are Andy Harris of Coca-Cola, one of the Association's corporate sponsors; Phil Kirk, the chairman of the State Board of Education, and Senator Howard Lee of Chapel Hill.

Wade Smith, former high school athlete and current attorney in Raleigh, is the chairman of the capital campaign.

The participants in the video talk about the values of athletics. The video goes on to explain about the increased cost of athletics and "pay for play", which has occurred in many states. The Endowment is designed to prevent that from happening, and also explains some about the future for the fund.

For more information about the video or to obtain a copy, just contact the NCHSAA.

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## Advertisers Make Championship Programs Successful For Association

Whether it is at the local high school level, in a collegiate program, the professional ranks—or with the North Carolina High School Athletic Association—advertisers are critical to the success of a souvenir game program.

The NCHSAA has been able to produce outstanding championship programs in a number of different sports over the years, largely because of good support from Chapel Hill-Carrboro and the surrounding area. The books feature not only up-to-date information about the championship participants and lots of copy about special NCHSAA programs and activities, but they include advertisements for these supporting companies.

The Association wishes to salute those advertisers, whose ads you will be seeing in championship publications throughout the year, and we certainly hope you will take advantage of their goods and services when appropriate.

In addition to the support provided by the NCHSAA corporate sponsors, whose ads are also in the programs, the list for current advertisers for the 2000-2001 championship programs at this time includes:

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 Carolina Inn, Chapel Hill  
 Carolina Panthers  
 Central Carolina Bank  
 Chapel Hill-Carrboro Chamber of Commerce  
 Chapel Hill-Orange County Visitors Bureau  
 Chapel Hill Sheraton  
 Charlotte Regional Sports Commission  
 Cheer Ltd.  
 Coca-Cola

Comfort Inn University, Durham  
 Days Inn, Raleigh Airport-RTP  
 Days Inn, Raleigh Crabtree  
 Doubletree Guest Suites  
 Durham Herald-Sun  
 Fellowship of Christian Athletes  
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 Granville Towers, UNC-Chapel Hill  
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 Radisson Governor's Inn  
 Raleigh Parks and Recreation  
 Raleigh Sports Consortium  
 Red Hot and Blue Restaurants  
 Regal University Hotel, Durham  
 Royal Insurance, Charlotte  
 Shrine Bowl of the Carolinas  
 Soccer Ltd  
 University Chrysler-Plymouth, Chapel Hill  
 University Inn, Chapel Hill  
 Wachovia Bank, NA  
 Wendy's Restaurants  
 Wilson Sporting Goods  
 Woodall Electric, Durham  
 WRAL-TV, Raleigh  
 Wyndham Garden Hotel, Durham

## Coca-Cola Scholar-Athlete Winners Named By NCHSAA For Spring

CHAPEL HILL—Nearly 9,000 individual awards have been earned by students for the spring semester from the North Carolina High School Athletic Association for achievements in the classroom as well as on the playing court or athletic field.

The NCHSAA has made the awards in the Coca-Cola Scholar-Athlete program, which includes recognition of varsity teams which attain certain grades as well as individual athletes.

A total of 4,603 student-athletes earned the individual Scholar-Athlete award, and 306 varsity teams in sports captured team honors. There were 99 different schools, which nominated student-athletes for these awards.

Individual Scholar-Athletes attained at least a 3.5 grade point average for the semester in which he or she competed. The award is based on first semester grades for fall and winter sports and second semester grades for spring sports, and the school submits the nomination form verifying the grade point average on behalf of the athlete or team.

In the team division, a varsity team earns Scholar-Athlete recognition by attaining a 3.1 aggregate GPA for that designated semester. The school receives a certificate from Coca-Cola honoring the accomplishment and each member of the squad will also receive a certificate. Over 4,000 individual awards were given in this category.

The men's tennis team from Burns High School compiled an aggregate GPA of 3.954, one of the best in the program's history.

A minimum of five individuals is necessary to constitute a team, and all team members must be included in figuring the

team GPA. The team achieving the highest grade point average in the state in its particular sport and submitting its application by the appropriate deadline receives a plaque commemorating that achievement. Coca-Cola also provides cash incentives to the schools, which had teams with the top three grade point averages in each sport.

"We are very proud of the achievements of the students involved in the Coca-Cola Scholar-Athlete program," said Charlie Adams, executive director of the NCHSAA. "We think this is definite proof that we have a tremendous number of athletes that are playing sports and succeeding in the classroom."

The Coca-Cola Scholar-Athlete program recognized well over 30,000 individuals during the course of the 1999-2000 academic year. The Scholar-Athlete recognition has completed 14 years as a part of the NCHSAA program.

### COCA-COLA SCHOLAR-ATHLETE TEAM AWARD WINNERS

NCHSAA Spring Sports 2000

| SPORT          | SCHOOL            | GPA   |
|----------------|-------------------|-------|
| Softball       | West Rowan        | 3.804 |
| Baseball       | Rockingham County | 3.613 |
| Men's Tennis   | Burns             | 3.954 |
| Women's Soccer | Asheville         | 3.775 |
| Men's Track    | Andrews           | 3.372 |
| Women's Track  | North Stokes      | 3.808 |
| Men's Golf     | Triton            | 3.542 |

## NCADA Conference Heading To Atlantic Beach In April Of 2001

ATLANTIC BEACH—Athletic directors across the state of North Carolina can begin making plans for the 30th annual conference of the North Carolina Athletic Directors Association.

The event is scheduled for April 1-4, 2001 at the Atlantic Beach Sheraton Resort Hotel.

The Leadership Training Courses (LTC) 502 and 505 will be offered on Sunday evening, April 1, from 6 p.m. to 10 p.m. The annual induction of the NCADA Hall of Fame members is scheduled for the Banquet on Tuesday night, April 3, at 7 p.m.

A number of outstanding speakers have already committed to be involved with the AD's conference, including University of South Carolina athletic director Mike McGee; Dr. Leroy Walker, former president of the United States Olympic Committee, and East Carolina head football coach Steve Logan.

One of the workshop sessions on Tuesday morning will be

about technology, including Michelle Hillison, the North Carolina director for *ihigh.com*; Mac Cumbo, athletic director at North Henderson High School; and Rick Strunk, NCHSAA associate executive director.

The traditional Fellowship of Christian Athletes breakfast, featuring former major league player and manager Clyde King, will be held on Wednesday morning and the NCHSAA update by Charlie Adams will also be featured.

This conference is always one of the highlights of the year for athletic directors and includes tremendous opportunities for professional development as well as getting continuing education units.

More information is available from Jerry McGee, executive director of the NCADA at 1-877-828-6027.

## Stadium Dedications Held For NCHSAA Member Schools

### Northeast Guilford

GREENSBORO—Northeast Guilford High School dedicated its football stadium in honor of veteran coach Bill Bookout in October.

Bookout enjoyed a 33-year career at Northeast's middle school and high school. He took over a fledgling wrestling program in 1966 and also coached soccer and cross-country, starting those programs as well. He stepped down in June of 1999.

His teams won five conference championships in cross country.

### Chapel Hill

CHAPEL HILL—Chapel Hill High School has named its football stadium in honor of two long-time coaches and athletic directors in the city.

The stadium, which has undergone some extensive renovation in the past year, has been named in honor of Bob Culton and W.J. Peerman.

Culton was a long-time coach and athletic director at Chapel Hill, with a tenure from 1955 to '91. During his stint the program at CHHS grew to large proportions; it was reportedly the first public school to have a soccer program in the state.

Peerman served at the old Lincoln High School in Chapel Hill, which was a member of the old North Carolina High School Athletic Conference. Peerman coached Lincoln when it had a powerful unbeaten and unscored-upon squad which won an NCHSAA state football championship in 1964.

Culton-Peerman Stadium was officially dedicated in October.

## Chapel Hill Schools Playing For New Award In Honor Of Bill Hodgkin

CHAPEL HILL—Two high schools in Chapel Hill will now compete for an award similar to the Victory Bell or the Little Brown Jug which certain college football teams play for.

Chapel Hill at the 4-A level and East Chapel Hill High School at 3-A began this fall vying for the Bill Hodgkin Cup, which will be

awarded annually to the winner of the varsity football game between the two cross-town rivals.

Hodgkin, who was born and reared in Hoke County and attended North Carolina State University, coached at Oxford Webb and Roxboro Person. He came to Chapel Hill High in 1983 and turned the Tigers into consistent winners. He also served as athletic director at Chapel Hill during his 10-year tenure there.

Hodgkin actually retired from Chapel Hill High. But Dave Thaden, who was named principal of the new East Chapel Hill High School, wanted somebody to help create the Wildcat athletic program from scratch and prevailed upon Hodgkin to take on that task when that school opened in 1996. The foundation he laid helped vault East Chapel Hill immediately into statewide prominence among 3-A schools, including winning the Wachovia Cup in each of the last two years.

Plans call for the winner of the annual football battle between the two to hold the cup for a year until the two teams play again in football.

Thaden said it is fitting to honor Bill Hodgkin in this way. "Bill is the most generous, honest, straightforward, ethical man I've ever worked with," Thaden said. "He knows athletics is not about athletics. It's about being a student-athlete."

Hodgkin, who now lives in Roxboro with his wife Judy to be near their grandchildren, was on hand to present the inaugural Hodgkin Cup after the game in September between the two rivals.

The Chapel Hill News is the official sponsor of the Hodgkin Cup.

## Grimsley Gymnasium Named In Honor Of Whirlies' Bob Sawyer

GREENSBORO—Grimsley High School honored one of its own at pregame ceremonies before a Whirlie football game in September.

The Guilford County Board of Education voted to name the main gymnasium at Grimsley in honor of Bob Sawyer. Sawyer was a standout athlete at the old Greensboro Senior High School who returned there after an outstanding career at East Carolina.

Bob coached swimming at Grimsley, winning a long string of state titles, in addition to his duties as athletic director during his storied career. He hosted and directed countless NCHSAA events in a variety of sports and is a member of the NCHSAA Hall of Fame.

## North Carolina Hosts Successful National Federation Section 3 Meeting In Asheville

ASHEVILLE—The North Carolina High School Athletic Association was the proud host for the National Federation of State High School Associations (NFHS) Section 3 meeting earlier this fall.

The Southeastern states make up Section 3 of the NFHS, including the two Carolinas, Georgia, Florida, Alabama, Mississippi, Louisiana and Tennessee. The section meeting rotates among the eight states, meaning it comes to North Carolina once every eight years.

The Renaissance Hotel in Asheville was the headquarters for the meeting, which included executive directors and other members of state association staffs. In addition, Bob Kanaby and Bob Gardner from the National Federation staff and state executive directors from Virginia, Arkansas, Massachusetts, Minnesota and Vermont were in attendance.

A total of 14 different sessions plus several general meetings were held around topics of interest to state associations, with involvement by all the state association representatives.

In addition, there was also a distinctly NCHSAA flavor with several other sessions.

The Rev. Mitch Simpson of University Baptist Church in Chapel Hill, who has been a very popular speaker to open recent NCHSAA Annual Meetings, spoke on "Ethics and Values for State Associations in the 21st Century." Three officers of the NCHSAA Board of Directors, including Dr. Theresa Banks of the Madison County schools, Charles Long of D.H. Conley High School and current NCHSAA president Martha Land, principal at Mount Tabor, addressed the group on "Board Member Expectations of State Associations."

Three other speakers talked about the expectations member schools have of state associations. They included Dr. Bob McRae of the Kings Mountain City Schools; Jack Huss, athletic director of

R-S Central High School; and Mac Cumbo, head football coach at North Henderson High School.

Mandy Lance, the NCHSAA's insurance administrator, and Lawrence Braxton of American Advantage addressed the group on "Building an Insurance Menu for a State Association." Jeff Jones of Wachovia in Chapel Hill gave an insightful presentation about "Investing Association Finances."

Atlantic Coast Conference assistant commissioner for compliance David Thompson addressed issues of importance to state associations from the NCAA level.

A number of NCHSAA corporate sponsors were involved to help defray certain costs of the event, over and above their regular Association sponsorship. Wilson Sporting Goods, Martin Screen Printing, Cheer Ltd, Soccer Ltd, Coca-Cola and Musco Lighting.

In addition, one presentation actually addressed "Corporate Partnering with State Associations." Representatives of Host Communications, including Devron Edwards, Jaysuma Simms, and Steve Berry, teamed up with Musco Lighting for that presentation. Mike Limpach of Musco along with Pat Underhill, Stacy Wells and Dave Shanahan talked about what was necessary for a good relationship between a sponsor and state association.

The Asheville City Schools assisted with some of the transportation needs during the conference.

"People really seemed to enjoy the setting of the mountains and the discussions which were held," said Charlie Adams, NCHSAA executive director. "Lots of people worked hard to pull this off and it would certainly have to be one of the better meetings I've been involved with over the 30 years I've been attending section meetings."

Next year's meeting will be in Charleston, S.C.



*Executive directors discuss with Bob Kanaby of NFHS*



*NCHSAA president Martha Land (L), vice-president Charles Long recognize speaker David Thompson of ACC office*



*Part of the audience at Section 3 workshop session*



*Former NCHSAA president Dr. Bob McRae of Kings Mountain City Schools makes presentation*

## Regional Meetings “Bring Program To The Membership”

CHAPEL HILL—The 2000 versions of the North Carolina High School Athletic Association regional meetings turned out to be a very successful couple of weeks on the fall calendar.

Executive director Charlie Adams and deputy executive director Dick Knox made the entire tour, with other members of the NCHSAA staff joining them at various sites. A number of awards were presented at each region, including the People's Choice honors, voted on by people in the region itself.

Each regional meeting also included reports from representatives from the North Carolina Coaches Association and the North Carolina Athletic Directors Association. The chairperson of the regional meeting was a member of the NCHSAA Board of Directors from that area.

In general, the membership seemed to be overwhelmingly in favor of an amendment to the NCHSAA By-Laws, allowing ex-officio members of the Board of Directors to vote. That would include the representatives of the state Department of Public Instruction, the North Carolina Coaches Association, the North Carolina Athletic Directors Association, the North Carolina State School Boards Association and the representative of officials and booking agents.

Overall, the amendment passed by huge margins in seven regions and unanimously in three of them. It did not pass in Region 3, where it was defeated 26-24. The total vote was 277 in favor in 33 opposed.

One of the topics which generated the most discussion was the proposal relative to subdividing the state football playoffs, providing the possibility for eight state champions in football. The idea, which has been discussed off and on for several years, is designed to address the gaps at the top and bottom of the NCHSAA classification scale.

### 2000 NCHSAA REGIONAL MEETINGS

| REGION   | SITE        | ATTENDANCE |
|----------|-------------|------------|
| Region 1 | Williamston | 66         |
| Region 2 | Swansboro   | 131        |
| Region 3 | Nashville   | 135        |
| Region 4 | Carthage    | 120        |
| Region 5 | Greensboro  | 144        |
| Region 6 | Charlotte   | 136        |
| Region 7 | Wilkesboro  | 94         |
| Region 8 | Mars Hill   | 92         |

## People's Choice Awards

### Presented by the North Carolina High School Athletic Association At the 2000 Regional Meetings

#### REGION 1:

**Female Coach:** P.J. Taylor (Williamston), Hilda Worthington (Farmville Central-retired)

**Male Coach:** Harold Robinson (Williamston), Ronald Vincent (Greenville Rose)

**Athletic Director:** Tom Bass (Edenton Holmes), Bob Dailey (Pitt County schools), Bud Phillips (Greenville Rose—retired), Charles Simmons (Hertford)

**Principal:** Ike Baldree (Greenville D.H. Conley), Charles Long (Greenville D.H. Conley), Julius Walker (Plymouth)

**Superintendent:** Bob Allgood (Washington County—retired), Pat Harrell (Dare County—retired)

**Media:** Woody Peele (Greenville Daily Reflector)

#### REGION 2:

**Female Coach:** Sheila Boles (Wilmington Hoggard), Joan Riggs (Swansboro—retired)

**Male Coach:** James Fulghum (Greene Central), Paul Jones (Kinston—retired)

**Athletic Director:** Dave Thomas (Wayne County schools)

**Principal:** O.K. Gainey (Havelock—retired), Tom Salter (South Lenoir—retired), Bill Taylor (James Kenan—retired)

**Superintendent:** Charles Gainey (Clinton City Schools—retired), L.S. Guy (Duplin County—retired)

**Media:** Robert Holland (Jacksonville Daily News)

#### REGION 3:

**Female Coach:** Kathy Stefanou (Raleigh Millbrook), Sandra Langley (Southwest Edgecombe)

**Male Coach:** Bob Catapano (Raleigh Sanderson), Jerry Winterton (Cary), Jimmy Fleming (South Granville), Hal Stewart (Triton)

**Athletic Director:** Gilbert Ferrell (Wilson County schools—retired); Dudley Whitley (Rocky Mount/Nash County schools—retired)

**Principal:** Johnny Alford (Bunn—retired)

**Superintendent:** Walter Rogers (Person County schools—retired)

**Media:** Tom Ham (Wilson Daily Times)

#### REGION 4:

**Female Coach:** Sally McLaurin (Scotland), Barbara Foxx (Pinecrest), Eva Patterson (Red Springs)

**Male Coach:** Gil Bowman (Fayetteville Terry Sanford), Daryl Barnes (Richmond)

**Athletic Director:** Ronnie Chavis (Robeson County schools), George Whitfield (Richmond—retired)

**Principal:** Charles Allen (Bladenboro—retired), Ray Oxendine (Scotland)

**Superintendent:** Raz Autry (Hoke County schools—retired), Tommy Nance (Columbus County schools)

**Media:** Earl Vaughan (Fayetteville Observer)

#### REGION 5:

**Female Coach:** Andrea Cozart (High Point Central—retired), Lindsey Linker (East Chapel Hill), Donna Norman (South Stokes—retired), Sue Shinn (High Point Andrews—retired)

**Male Coach:** Ronald Scott (Chatham Central—retired), Gary Whitman (High Point Central), Mike Raybon (Jamestown Ragsdale), Burton Cates (Eastern Randolph)

**Athletic Director:** Herb Goins (Guilford County schools), Bob Sawyer (Greensboro Grimsley—retired)

**Principal:** Donnie Baxter (Southwestern Randolph), Bob Deaton (R.J. Reynolds—retired), Martha Land (Mount Tabor), A.C. Larrimore (Parkland), Jim Wilson ( ), John Swajkoski (Graham)

**Superintendent:** George Fleetwood (Rockingham County schools), Jim Simeon (Lexington City schools), Bill Steed (Davie County)

**Board of Education:** Herman Hines (Rockingham County schools), Don Palmer (Davidson County schools)

#### REGION 6:

**Female Coach:** Dianne Dooley (Kings Mountain), Debbie Jones (West Charlotte)

**Male Coach:** Henry Jones (Cherryville), Jim Oddo (Charlotte Catholic), Jim Taylor (Shelby)

**Athletic Director:** Jim Biggerstaff (South Point—retired), Shu Carlton (Gastonia Ashbrook—retired), Donny Lemmond (West Mecklenburg)

**Principal:** Henry Klutz (West Rowan), George Litton (Crest—retired)

**Superintendent:** Marty Eddy (Lincoln County schools), Ed Tyson (Kannapolis City Schools), Toby Webb (Albemarle City Schools), Ronnie Wilson (Kings Mountain City Schools)

**Board of Education:** Jack Hamrick (Shelby City Schools)

#### REGION 7:

**Female Coach:** Sandra Torrence (South Iredell)

**Male Coach:** Danny Anderson (West Caldwell), Tom Brown (Maiden), Mike Carter (Mooresville), Marc Payne (Watauga)

**Athletic Director:** Don Patrick (Newton-Conover), Gene Price (Alexander Central), Steve Rankin (Statesville)

**Principal:** Andy Anderson (Hibriten), Howard Combs (Beaver Creek), Dan Massey (Hickory)

**Superintendent:** Bill Church (Mount Airy City Schools), Glenn Cook (Surry County schools—retired), Larry Ivey (Northwest Regional Center), Bob Ward (Surry County schools)

**Media:** Phil Hrichak (Winston-Salem Journal)

#### REGION 8:

**Female Coach:** Carole Ball (T.C. Roberson—retired), Judy Nichols (Robbinsville—retired), Cindi Simmons (Smoky Mountain), Jan Stanley (West Henderson)

**Male Coach:** Babe Howell (Smoky Mountain—retired), Tom Pryor (Edneyville—retired)

**Athletic Director:** Richard Laney (McDowell)

**Principal:** Doyce Cannon (Cherokee—retired), Bill Cathey (Rosman)

**Superintendent:** Doug Greene (Mitchell County schools—retired), Bob Edwards (Madison County schools—retired), Andy Miller (Buncombe County schools—retired)



## NCHSAA Peoples' Choice Winners



Region 1



Region 2



Region 3



Region 4



Region 5



Region 6



Region 7



Region 8

OUR NATIONAL INTERNET PARTNER, [ihigh.com](http://ihigh.com), has some great information about high school athletics in our state. Don't forget to visit [northcarolinaihigh.com](http://northcarolinaihigh.com) for championship results, feature stories and lots of interesting updates on what's happening in our state. There is also a link directly off the NCHSAA site.

## Annual Whitfield Baseball Clinic Is January 13 In Goldsboro

GOLDSBORO—The baseball clinic run by North Carolina High School Athletic Association Hall of Famer George Whitfield is set for its 28th annual renewal.

The clinic is scheduled for Goldsboro High School on Saturday, January 13, 2001, and features another tremendous best lineup. Registration is scheduled from 7:45 to 9:15 a.m., and then the clinic will run until 6 p.m.

Here are some of the outstanding baseball people and topics which will be covered at this annual event:

- the 2001 high school baseball rules changes will be discussed by NCHSAA deputy executive director Dick Knox
- "What College Coaches and Scouts Are Looking for in Today's Players," featuring head coach Joe Carbone of Ohio, "national crosschecker" Paul Faulk of the Atlanta Braves, national supervisor Howard McCullough of the Arizona Diamondbacks, and area supervisor Tommy Thompson of the Montreal Expos;
- "Practice Organization for the High School Coach," Georgia head coach Ron Palk and retired Georgia Southern head coach Jack Stallings;
- "Off Season Conditioning and Drills for High School Players" will include Louisburg College head coach Billy Godwin, George Mason assistant Joe Raccuia, head coach Tom Smith of T.C. Roberson High School;
- Pitching will be covered by Milwaukee Brewer minor league pitching coach Mike Caldwell, Coastal Carolina assistant Bill Jarman, Kentucky head coach Keith Madison, James Madison head coach Spanky McFarland, and UNC assistant Roger Williams
- Catching will feature Dodger bullpen coach Travis Barbery, Campbell head coach Chip Smith, Apex High School head coach Mike Gleason, East Carolina assistant Tommy Eason, Colorado Rockies minor league field coordinator Boyd Coffie
- Infield play instructors will be N.C. State head coach Elliott Avent, Central Florida head coach Jay Bergman, UNC head

coach Mike Fox, Shippensburg (Pa.) head coach Bruce Peddie, and UNC-Wilmington head coach Mark Scalf

- Outfield play will be covered by N.C. State assistant Billy Best, Campbell assistant Randy Hood, Mount Olive head coach Carl Lancaster, UNC-Pembroke head coach Paul O'Neill, and Western Carolina head coach Todd Raleigh

- Hitting will be discussed by Wake Forest head coach George Greer, Texas A&M head coach Mark Johnson, East Carolina head coach Keith LeClair, former Cleveland Indian player Tommy Smith, and Cleveland minor league hitting coordinator David Keller

- Baserunning will include Lenoir Community College head coach Lynn Hartsell, Toledo head coach Joe Kruzell, Pitt Community College head coach Monteo Little, Liberty head coach Dave Pastors, and Kansas City Royals scout Junior Vizcaino.

Information will be mailed by Coach Whitfield to schools across the state in early December. Questions about the clinic may be directed to George at (252) 321-2833.

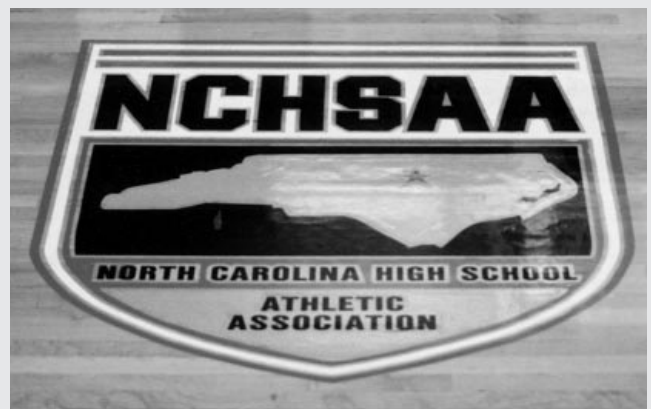
## Providence Coach Wins National Honor

EASTON, PA—Sandy Martin of Providence High School in Charlotte has been named recipient of the National High School Coaches Association national swimming coach of the year award.

Martin's Providence teams have won several NCHSAA state championships and has sent a number of swimmers to NCAA Division I schools. Two Providence swimmers participated in this year's U.S. Olympic Trials.

The National High School Coaches Association is a non-profit service organization founded in 1988 to provide support and leadership programs for the nation's 500,000 high school coaches.

## Our Thanks to South Brunswick!



When South Brunswick High School recently redid its basketball floor, it elected to display its membership in the North Carolina High School Athletic Association proudly and prominently. We appreciate South Brunswick's support of its Association and are pleased to share these pictures provided by the high school.

DELAY—There was a major delay with the mailing of the Fall bulletin. Even though it was sent from the NCHSAA to the post office on September 8, there were major problems getting it out from there that were beyond the control of the NCHSAA. We apologize for the inconvenience and certainly hope that it will not happen again.

## Top Coaching Marks Listed As Reported By Schools

Each school in the North Carolina High School Athletic Association is required to complete a School Information Sheet, and this document contains a lot of facts and figures about each of the NCHSAA's 334 member schools. This information is used in a variety of ways, including sports mailings, entries in the NCHSAA Directory, and the listing of coaches' career records.

Association intern Jason Tant did an outstanding job going through the information sheets, compiling their lists and following up with phone calls where necessary so that this list might be published. The following lists are not intended to be comprehensive or complete, but are based on those schools which returned School Information Sheets containing this information.

We have taken care to make this list as accurate as possible. These records are for active coaches only, and if a coach at your school or in your area is not listed, it is probably because the records were not included on the form. If there are additions or corrections, please let us know because we want it to be as accurate as possible.

This has become sort of an annual tradition in the Bulletin. We appreciate all those schools which take the time to submit the information, and we appreciate the efforts of our interns to do the research.

We are glad to recognize these outstanding teachers and coaches from across the state of North Carolina.

## Career Coaching Marks as submitted by member schools on School Information Sheets

### FOOTBALL (includes 1999 season)

| Coach           | School             | Record     | Years |
|-----------------|--------------------|------------|-------|
| 1. Bob Paroli   | Douglas Byrd       | 302-144-11 | 42    |
| 2. Jack Holley  | Wallace-Rose hill  | 294-73-9   | 32    |
| 2. Daryl Allen  | Hertford County    | 294-108    | 35    |
| 4. Tom Brown    | Maiden             | 266-93-4   | 32    |
| 5. Gary Whitman | High Point Central | 233-93     | 28    |
| 6. Hal Stewart  | Triton             | 216-69     | 23    |
| 7. David Gentry | Murphy             | 210-117    | 29    |
| 8. Jerry Cash   | East Rutherford    | 208-131    |       |
| 9. Bobby Poss   | AC Reynolds        | 205-83-1   | 25    |
| 10. Bob Lewis   | Clinton            | 202-97-6   | 30    |

### MEN'S BASKETBALL (includes 1999-00 season)

| Coach           | School          | Record   | Years |
|-----------------|-----------------|----------|-------|
| 1. Ron Miller   | South View      | 601-377  | 35    |
| 2. Gene Doane   | South Brunswick | 594-187  |       |
| 3. Butch Smart  | Highlands       | 580-414  | 32    |
| 4. Rick Wood    | West Henderson  | 579-318  | 34    |
| 5. Bob Murphrey | Ayden-Grifton   | 540-239  | 35    |
| 6. Robert Moore | Asheville       | 502-283* | 32    |
| 7. Howard West  | R.J. Reynolds   | 471-196  | 27    |
| 8. James Howell | Warren County   | 439-243  | 32    |
| 9. Glenn McKoy  | Whiteville      | 439-114  | 21    |
| 10. Jim Young   | Davie           | 431-195  |       |

\*includes 221-132 at collegiate level

### WOMEN'S BASKETBALL (includes 1999-00 season)

| Coach             | School              | Record   | Years |
|-------------------|---------------------|----------|-------|
| 1. Tom Pryor      | Polk County         | 702-242  | 43    |
| 2. Lindsey Page   | Bartlett-Yancey     | 537-329* |       |
| 3. Sandra Langley | SouthWest Edgecombe | 504-127  | 25    |
| 4. Mike Silver    | McDowell            | 482-167  | 25    |
| 5. Don Amos       | Graham              | 464-224  | 28    |
| 6. Wayne Williams | Richmond Senior     | 423-242  |       |
| 7. John Ralls     | Ledford Senior      | 420-150  |       |
| 8. Jerry Hunter   | East Duplin         | 418-124  | 25    |
| 9. Tommy Edwards  | Bunker Hill         | 415-199  | 26    |
| 10. Fred White    | John A Holmes       | 375-211  | 23    |

\*includes 519-325 record as men's varsity coach

### VOLLEYBALL (includes 1999 season)

| Coach               | School                | Record  | Years |
|---------------------|-----------------------|---------|-------|
| 1. Kathy Stefanou   | Millbrook             | 636-131 | 29    |
| 2. Suzie Pignetti   | David W. Butler       | 491-98  | 22    |
| 3. Jan Stanley      | West Henderson        | 428-98  | 25    |
| 4. Sherry Norris    | Chapel Hill           | 417-217 | 23    |
| 5. Rachel Cagle     | Southwestern Randolph | 393-125 | 25    |
| 5. Susan DeWeese    | Enka                  | 393-159 | 25    |
| 7. Ron Strickland   | Hoggard               | 382-95  | 21    |
| 7. Ruby Sutton      | E. A. Laney           | 382-108 | 22    |
| 9. Carolyn Temple   | West Carretet         | 375-167 | 28    |
| 10. Howard Barnhill | West Charlotte        | 369-92  | 19    |

### BASEBALL (includes 2000 season)

| Coach             | School         | Record    | Years |
|-------------------|----------------|-----------|-------|
| 1. Ronald Vincent | J. H. Rose     | 560-154   | 30    |
| 2. James Fulghum  | Greene Central | 546-304-2 | 39    |
| 3. Gary Swanson   | Mount Pleasant | 506-276   | 21    |
| 4. Henry Jones    | Cherryville    | 454-163   | 27    |

|                   |                      |         |    |
|-------------------|----------------------|---------|----|
| 5. Barry Hall     | East Surry           | 425-213 | 25 |
| 6. Andy Pleasant  | Clayton              | 382-242 | 27 |
| 7. Pat James      | Enka                 | 377-173 | 25 |
| 8. Bruce Bolick   | East Lincoln         | 357-299 | 30 |
| 9. Randy Ledford  | South View           | 354-189 | 23 |
| 10. Milton Senter | Fuquay-Varina Senior | 330-195 | 22 |

### MEN'S SOCCER (includes 1999 season)

| Coach                 | School           | Record      | Years |
|-----------------------|------------------|-------------|-------|
| 1. George Kennedy     | Western Guilford | 548-155-37* | 27    |
| 2. Zack Osborne       | Page             | 410-112-35  | 27    |
| 3. Bob Vroom          | Swansboro        | 368-66-18   | 20    |
| 4. Steve Morgan       | Hickory          | 345-59-15   | 18    |
| 5. Boris Sylvia       | Laney            | 342-109-20  |       |
| 6. Ron Holtsford      | Jacksonville     | 340-59-26   | 21    |
| 7. Herk DeGraw        | Grimsley         | 336-79-21   | 21    |
| 8. Frank Riddlehoover | Polk County      | 319-119-21  | 26    |
| 9. Larry Bosc         | East Mecklenburg | 306-125-32  | 22    |
| 10. Francisco Blanco  | Lejeune          | 287-162-18  | 35    |

\*includes 140-57 at collegiate level

### WOMEN'S SOCCER (includes 2000 season)

| Coach             | School            | Record     | Years |
|-------------------|-------------------|------------|-------|
| 1. Zack Osborne   | Page              | 324-63-20  | 21    |
| 2. Herk Degraw    | Grimsley          | 286-37     | 16    |
| 3. Ron Benson     | Chapel Hill       | 270-64-27  | 26    |
| 4. Greg Crowley   | South Iredell     | 210-60     | 14    |
| 5. Paul Dinkenor  | Leesville Road    | 201-77-29  | 13    |
| 6. George Kennedy | Western Guilford  | 186-51-9?  |       |
| 7. Keith Donnelly | Mount Tabor       | 179-78-22  | 13    |
| 8. Mike Petty     | Hunt              | 173-30     | 10    |
| 9. Steve Turner   | Charles E. Jordan | 171-93-16  |       |
| 10. Steve Moore   | East Wake         | 145-121-14 |       |

### SOFTBALL (includes 2000 season)

| Coach              | School             | Record   | Years |
|--------------------|--------------------|----------|-------|
| 1. Mike Lambros    | North Davidson     | 423-60   | 20    |
| 2. Jimmy Fleming   | South Granville    | 404-25-2 | 18    |
| 3. Eddie Dees      | South View         | 384-89   | 18    |
| 4. Dean McElrath   | Charles D. Owen    | 378-93   | 22    |
| 5. Roxanne Procter | Burns              | 349-68   |       |
| 6. Mary Jane Mash  | AC Reynolds        | 346-124  | 26    |
| 7. Monte Sherrill  | Alexander Central  | 344-34   | 12    |
| 8. Paula York      | Richmond County    | 336-137  |       |
| 9. Sallye McLauren | Laurinburg Charter | 326-124  | 30    |
| 10. Mike Lovin     | Bunn               | 268-163  | 23    |

### WRESTLING (includes 1999-00 season)

| Coach               | School           | Record   | Years |
|---------------------|------------------|----------|-------|
| 1. Bill Mayhew      | South Iredell    | 512-92-1 | 35    |
| 2. Walt Tolarchycyk | Riverside        | 406-59   |       |
| 3. Milt Sherman     | D.H. Conley      | 372-96-4 | 25    |
| 4. Greg Frey        | John M. Morehead | 362-43   | 21    |
| 5. Andy Hawks       | Cummings         | 338-37-4 |       |
| 6. Jerry Winterto   | Cary             | 334-28   |       |
| 7. Buddy Lowery     | Davie            | 331-60   | 24    |
| 8. R. L. Lail       | West Rowan       | 285-172  | 21    |
| 9. Mike Stanbridge  | South View       | 283-43-2 | 22    |
| 10. Tom Marsh       | New Bern         | 275-77-1 | 19    |
| 11. Homer Spring    | Dixon            | 244-28   | 13    |



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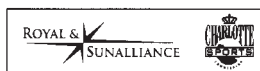
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