

28th  
Annual  
Awards  
Banquet



SOUTH DAKOTA  
HIGH SCHOOL  
COACHES  
ASSOCIATION

*BANQUET AT 6:30 P.M.*

*WEDNESDAY, JULY 28, 1999*

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SPECIAL FEATURE:  
SOUTH DAKOTA SPECIAL  
OLYMPICS AWARDS



## PAST PRESIDENTS

*This page is dedicated to those coaches who have served the South Dakota High School Coaches Association as President. May it inspire other coaches to serve their organization in some way.*

| <u>President</u>              | <u>Year</u> | <u>President</u>          | <u>Year</u> |
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| Paul Marschalk . . . . .      | 1939-1941   | Mike Stadem . . . . .     | 1973        |
| No Meeting, W.W. II . . . . . | 1942-1945   | Bob Dubs . . . . .        | 1974        |
| Joe Dunmire . . . . .         | 1946        | Harvey Naasz . . . . .    | 1975        |
| Rube Waltman . . . . .        | 1947-1948   | Jerry Miller . . . . .    | 1976        |
| Bill Hauge . . . . .          | 1949        | Lyle Claussen . . . . .   | 1977        |
| Bob Burns . . . . .           | 1950        | Roberta Morin . . . . .   | 1978        |
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| Floyd Mitchell . . . . .      | 1953        | Steve Swisher . . . . .   | 1980        |
| Jim Marking . . . . .         | 1954        | Fred Tibbetts . . . . .   | 1981        |
| Mylo Jackson . . . . .        | 1955        | Rich Donovan . . . . .    | 1982        |
| Bill Mitchell . . . . .       | 1956        | Marv Sherrill . . . . .   | 1983        |
| H.W. Haddorn . . . . .        | 1957        | Dave Scott . . . . .      | 1984        |
| Don Allan . . . . .           | 1958        | Annette Johnson . . . . . | 1985        |
| Tom Prendergast . . . . .     | 1959        | Wayne Carney . . . . .    | 1986        |
| Bob Schroeder . . . . .       | 1960        | Cal Corey . . . . .       | 1987        |
| Clar Lilevjen . . . . .       | 1961        | Lolly Forseth . . . . .   | 1988        |
| Howard Naasz . . . . .        | 1962        | Galen Busch . . . . .     | 1989        |
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| Marlyn Goldhammer . . . . .   | 1967        | John Huth . . . . .       | 1994        |
| Max Hawk . . . . .            | 1968        | Mick Wysuph . . . . .     | 1995        |
| Jerry Applebee . . . . .      | 1969        | Georgia Adolph . . . . .  | 1996        |
| Jack Doyle . . . . .          | 1970        | John Nyhaug . . . . .     | 1997        |
| Jack Schuver . . . . .        | 1971        | Daryl Fletcher . . . . .  | 1998        |
| Dale McElhany . . . . .       | 1972        |                           |             |

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**SOUTH DAKOTA HIGH SCHOOL COACHES ASSOCIATION**  
**28th ANNUAL AWARDS BANQUET PROGRAM**

Master of Ceremonies . . . . . Wayne Carney, Sioux Falls  
Invocation . . . . . Georgia Adolph, Past President  
Passing of the Gavel . . . . . Daryl Fletcher, Past President  
Welcome . . . . . Jim Dorman, President  
Introduction of Special Guests . . . . . John Nyhaug, Past President  
Presentation of Awards . . . . . Jim Dorman, President

*Football Coach of the Year*  
*Boys Cross Country Coach of the Year*  
*Girls Cross Country Coach of the Year*  
*Girls Basketball Coach of the Year*  
*Gymnastics Coach of the Year*  
*Volleyball Coach of the Year*  
*Wrestling Coach of the Year*  
*Boys Basketball Coach of the Year*  
*Girls Track Coach of the Year*  
*Boys Track Coach of the Year*  
*Tennis Coach of the Year*  
*Golf Coach of the Year*  
*Cheer Coach of the Year*  
*Assistant Coach of the Year, Boys' Sports*  
*Assistant Coach of the Year, Girls' Sports*  
*Assistant Coach of the Year, Jr. High/Middle*  
*Athletic Director of the Year*  
*Athletic Director Award of Merit*  
*Official of the Year*  
*Sportscaster of the Year*  
*Distinguished Service Award*  
*Roll of Champion Coaches*

Special Olympics Awards . . . . . Carol Husby, Director  
Special Awards . . . . . Jim Dorman and Max Hawk

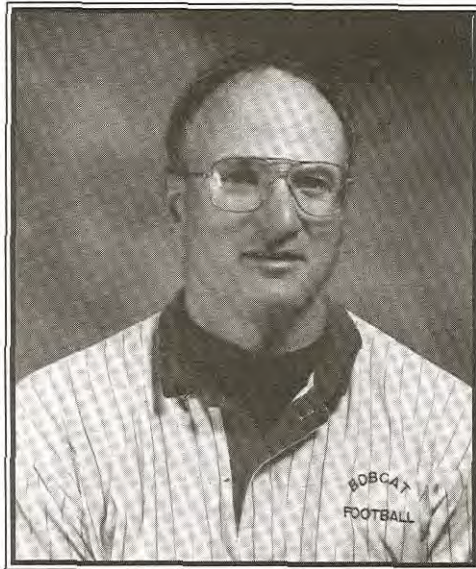
*Max Hawk Award*  
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*Past President*  
*Hall of Excellence*  
*S.D.H.S.C.A. Hall of Fame*

Closing Remarks . . . . . Jim Dorman



1998 FOOTBALL COACH OF THE YEAR

*GARY MAFFETT*  
Brookings High School



Gary is a graduate of South Dakota State, where he quarterbacked their football squad from 1977-79. He has coached the Brookings Bobcats since 1981, becoming head football coach in 1988. Their last season was a dream, undefeated-season going into the state championship game, which they lost in overtime.

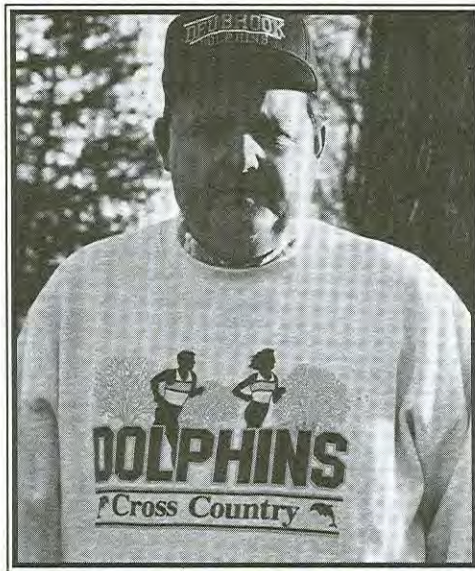
"It was one of those years when we had a strong senior class and an abundance of talented players. You develop a real passion for coaching the more you are around the game," he said. And he is quick to cite the efforts of his varsity assistants as being vital to the success of the Bobcat program.



1998 BOYS CROSS COUNTRY COACH OF THE YEAR

*DON RAY*

Deubrook High School



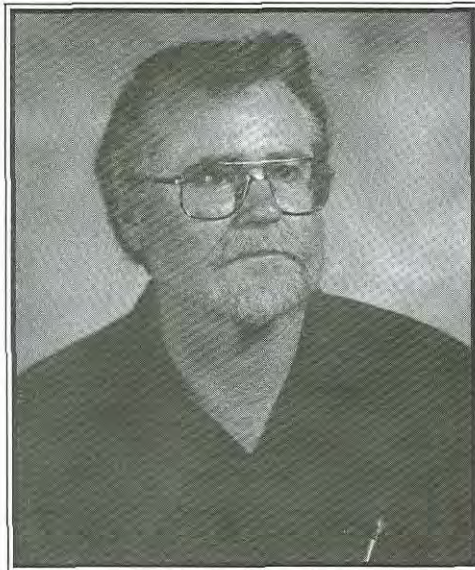
Don Ray, the principal at Deubrook the past fifteen years, became a cross country coach out of necessity. The school needed a coach, and in just five years he was able to guide his team to the state championship.

"I hadn't coached anything at Deubrook until the cross country situation came up. I wanted to keep the program going; so I figured I'd give it a try," Ray said. The Dickinson, North Dakota grad made it a great success.



1998 GIRLS CROSS COUNTRY  
COACH OF THE YEAR

*TERRY VINCENT*  
Elkton High School



Back in 1971 Terry was coaching basketball and assisting in football at Elkton, but the school had no cross country team. He got approval to form a boys' team, and in 1976 he got going with a girls' team and has been in cross country ever since. The girls have had four top-four finishes in a row at the Class B level, including last year's state title.

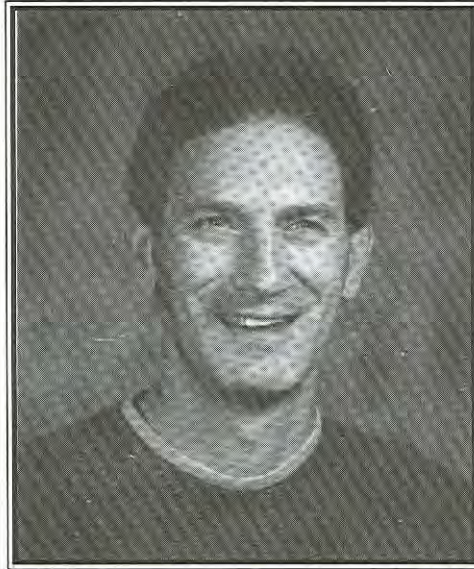
Terry praised every girl he ever coached for helping him in achieving this award. "It's something to always cherish, but it's something of a humbling experience because there are all sorts of great cross country coaches," he said.



1998 GIRLS BASKETBALL COACH OF THE YEAR

*FRED TIBBETTS*

Sioux Falls Roosevelt High School



Coach Tibbetts has been a teacher and coach for 27 years and really enjoys being around the student-athletes. He has coached at Jefferson, the University of South Dakota and at Roosevelt. His teams have won five state championships in girls' basketball, with three runner-ups. He is the only coach in the state who has won a state championship in all three classes.

He credits his success to "having supportive parents, good athletes who are willing to work hard and to listen, to great assistant coaches over the years, supportive administrators and wife, and to the many hours of open gym he and his staff have put in during the off seasons."



1999 GYMNASTICS COACH OF THE YEAR

**SHERI KECK**

Rapid City Stevens High School



A graduate of Stevens High School and South Dakota State, Sheri has coached the last ten years at Stevens. Since 1993, they have won six state titles and placed second in 1996. The team established an all-time scoring record in the state meet with 151.851 points.

Sheri stated, "We have had good support from the parents and the athletes, and everything has clicked for gymnastics. We had an inexperienced team and it took a lot of time to fill spots. It all came together late in the year." Sheri is past president of the Gymnastics Coaches Association and has been honored with Hall of Fame recognition for her 27 years of dedication to the sport.



1999 VOLLEYBALL COACH OF THE YEAR

**SHELLY BUDDENHAGEN**

Huron High School



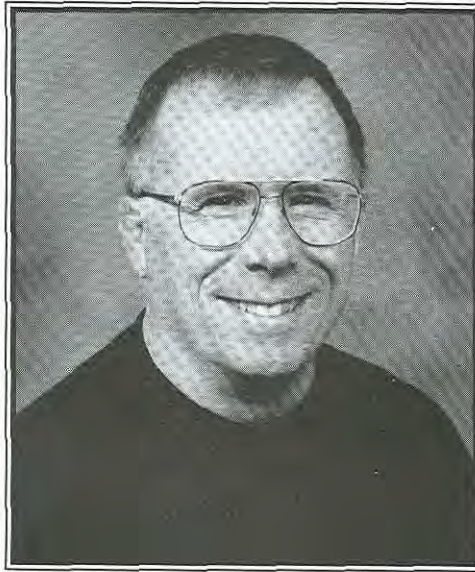
The Huron Tigers volleyball team capped a great season by earning a second consecutive state title this year. They were 37-3 for the year and were undefeated from January 2nd to the end of post season play. They dominated at the state tournament, without losing a match.

"I've been blessed with some very good athletes down this road in Huron, and it's been easy to coach," said Shelly. "This kind of award comes when teams are successful, because of the players, so I don't really look at this as an award for me. I look at it as another award for the team."



1999 WRESTLING COACH OF THE YEAR

*MARV SHERRILL*  
Watertown High School



In his outstanding 31-year coaching career in Watertown, Marv's teams have posted an unmatched record. The Arrows have been state champions six times, have captured fourteen E.S.D. crowns and eighteen region titles. They boast a dual meet record of 421-129-11.

Marv has been honored by the National High School Athletic Coaches Association as National Wrestling Coach of the Year and also as National Girls' Track and Field Coach of the Year. "Part of my success is due to the fact that I have been able to stay in Watertown," he said. "There's a lot to be said for continuity."



1999 BOYS BASKETBALL COACH OF THE YEAR

*GALEN SWENSON*  
Castlewood High School



Galen is a Strandburg native, graduate of Northern State University, and has been coaching at Castlewood for 21 years. This past season his Warrior team posted a 24-0 record and won the Class B championship. His boys' teams have compiled a 267-139 record. He is now only the third coach in our state to have championship teams in both girls' and boys' basketball.

"Truthfully, when you get singled out for an honor, I believe it's more than just me," Galen said. "It's got to be shared with my assistant coaches, players, the school system and the community."



1999 GIRLS TRACK COACH OF THE YEAR

*RICHARD LUTHER*

Lennox High School



Rich is a graduate of Sioux Falls Lincoln and Northern State University and has served twenty years teaching history and coaching at Lennox. He was an assistant in girls' and boys' track until 1986 and then assumed the head position for both teams. Since then, the girls' teams have won the last twelve Region 4A championships and finished runner-up in the State A meet both in 1991 and 1997. They won the state championship in 1998 and 1999.

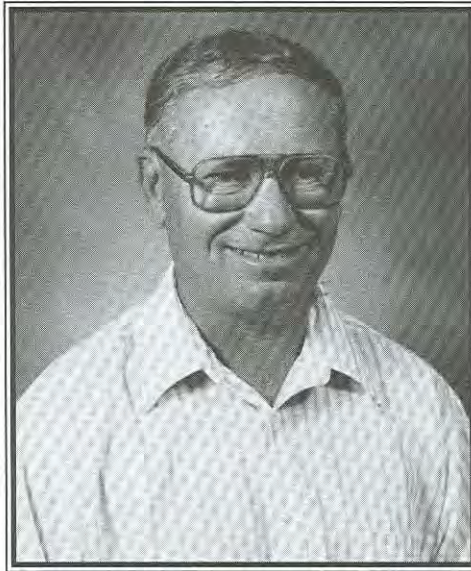
"I am very honored to receive this award but realize that this would not be possible without the exceptional talents of my assistants and the outstanding girls that we have had the pleasure to work with over the years," he stated.



1999 BOYS TRACK COACH OF THE YEAR

*DUANE TORDOFF*

Spearfish High School



Duane has been coaching track and field in South Dakota for 30 years. He was assistant coach at Canova High School in 1969-70 and then coached five years at Elkton. After two years as middle school coach, he became head boys and girls track coach at Spearfish in 1980.

His boys' teams have won five state championships, and his girls' teams two championships. He was named girls track coach of the year in 1992-93. The Spearfish boys captured the inaugural Greater Dakota Conference meet and the Region IV championship as well as the AA state title in 1999.



1999 TENNIS COACH OF THE YEAR

*LANA BAUER*

Sioux Falls O'Gorman High School



Lana's coaching career began while she was attending Northern State University, and she was assistant girls' tennis coach for two seasons at Aberdeen Central High School. Then she served two seasons as the tennis coach for N.S.U. In 1994 she moved to O'Gorman High School and was their freshman girls' coach, and became the head coach the following year.

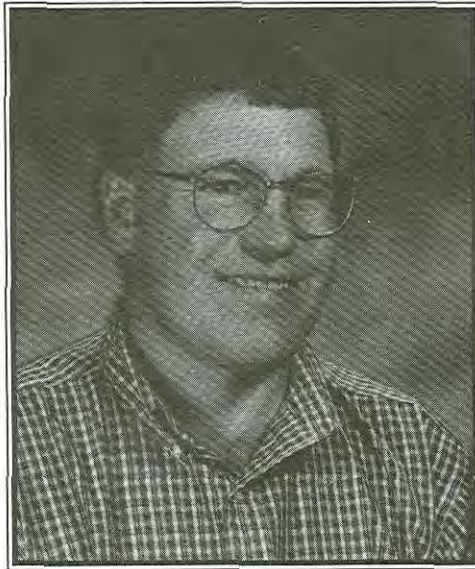
The school's dual record for these past three seasons is 44-5, with one state championship and two runner-up teams. "I have had the honor to work with many hard-working and talented tennis players and owe this all to them," she stated. Lana is also the head gymnastics coach for O'Gorman.



1999 GOLF COACH OF THE YEAR

*BILL SCHOLTEN*

Brookings High School



After 21 years, Bill has coached three state championship teams, seven runner-up teams and thirteen E.S.D. championships. This golf team tallied a winning streak of 28 straight matches during the 1998-1999 girls' golf season. His 1998 girls' team was selected as the South Dakota Sportswriters Girls Team of the Year. Three of the players from the 1999 team have received collegiate golf scholarships.

"I've been very fortunate to have had golfers with a tremendous amount of tournament experience, great practice habits, and the desire to excel to the next level," Bill stated. He realizes the coach is only as successful as his players.



1999 CHEERLEADING COACH OF THE YEAR

*PATSY HENDRICKS*  
Brookings High School



Patsy was a cheerleader during her high school days in Elkton and now teaches sixth grade math in Brookings. She has served seven years as cheer coach and guided the team through an exceptional year. They won their first-ever state championship in January, and during the Class AA boys basketball tourney they captured the Spirit-of-Six Award.

"The girls I had to work with were very dedicated," she stated. "It's always a goal of any coach to be named by your peers." For the second year in a row, Patsy will coach the South Dakota All Star Cheerleaders this summer.



1999 ASSISTANT COACH OF THE YEAR  
IN BOYS' SPORTS

*ALLEN WEIER*  
Platte High School



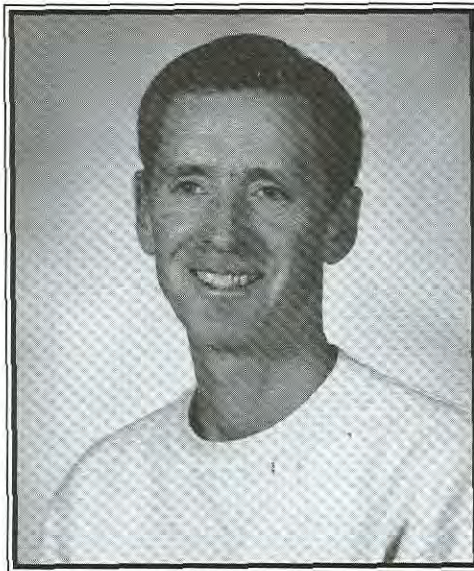
Following an initial year of coaching at Edgemont, Allen moved to Platte where he has remained for 23 years. For eleven years he has been the assistant boys' basketball coach, working hard to help all athletes have a chance to be successful and develop skills for the next level. He instills fundamentals, teamwork, discipline, and the work ethic necessary for success.

Allen also has been the varsity football assistant coach for the past twelve years, with teams winning two 11B championships. And he serves as head coach for both girls' and boys' track and cross country teams.



1999 ASSISTANT COACH OF THE YEAR  
IN GIRLS' SPORTS

*ROGER LOECKER*  
Huron High School



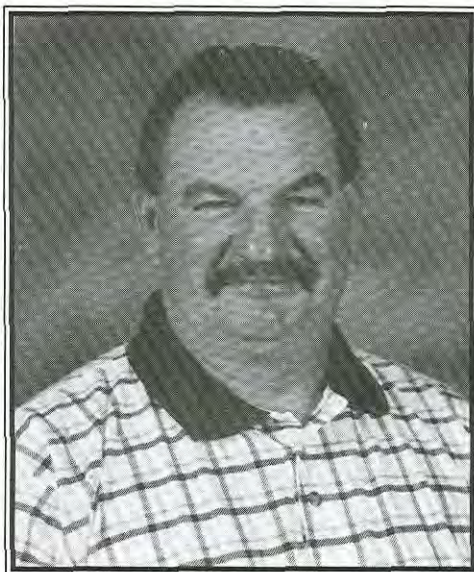
Roger has taught middle school physical education and served as an assistant track coach at Huron for thirty years. He specializes in working with the distance runners and has coached conference and state champions in these events, for both the girls' and boys' teams.

He is also the head coach for boys and girls cross country and a primary organizer and driving force behind the Huron Invitational Cross Country Meet. As his colleague stated, "Roger has been one of the top distance coaches in South Dakota for a long time now."



1999 ASSISTANT COACH OF THE YEAR  
IN JUNIOR HIGH/MIDDLE SCHOOL SPORTS

*MIKE MERKWAN*  
Yankton High School



A graduate of Yankton High School and Southern State College, Mike has been successful in the encouraging of 70 to 80 players to turn out each year for their Middle School football program. His eventual success can be measured by the Bucks' success at the varsity level.

"Mike is the type of coach that is essential to building a solid program," commented YHS head football coach Jim Miner. "He works hard on and off the field, keeps their interest at a high level and has been instrumental in maintaining a large number of players."



1999 ATHLETIC DIRECTOR OF THE YEAR

*JERRY P. MILLER*

Sioux Falls



A native of White Lake and a graduate of Dakota Wesleyan University, Jerry began his coaching career in 1963 at Chamberlain. Throughout the years, he has coached football, wrestling, and track at Mitchell, Sioux Falls Lincoln and Washington. When Roosevelt High School opened six years ago he was named their Athletic Director.

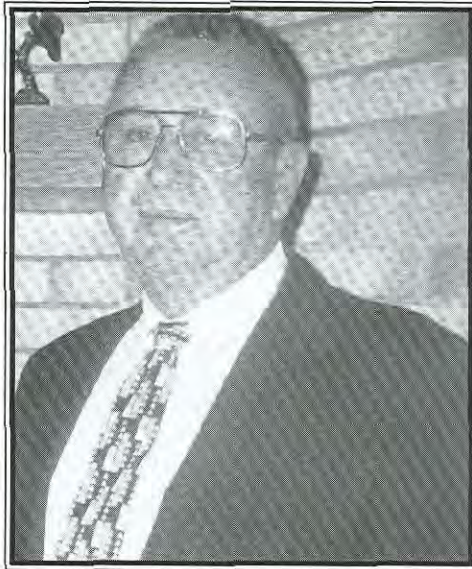
Jerry has had a busy agenda on local, state and national levels throughout his career, having served 26 years on the board of directors of the SDHSCA. He has been active in the National High School Athletic Coaches Association, also, serving on several key committees and as their president in 1989-90. His efforts have been recognized by both groups, with awards for distinguished service. He also was honored to receive the National Drug Enforcement Award. Jerry commented, "It has been my opportunity to work with great people in high school sports in an era that is unsurpassed in progress."



1999 OFFICIAL OF THE YEAR

*DAN BARKER*

Madison



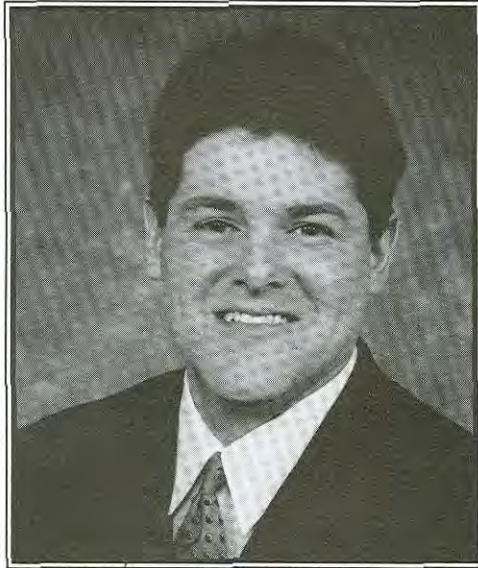
Dan began officiating high school and college football, basketball, and track and field events in 1957, narrowing it down to just track meets the past twenty years. He has served as meet Referee for the Howard Wood Relays and the North Central Conference indoor meet, as well as state, regional and many invitational meets. He has also been the starter for many S.D.I.C. meets. This year Dan was a clinician for the Track and Field Officials for the S.D.H.S.A.A.



1999 SPORTSCASTER OF THE YEAR

*TOM NIEMAN*

Sioux Falls



Tom is a native of Kansas, where he spent his grade-school years. His family moved to Huron, South Dakota, in 1980; and Tom graduated from Huron High School. He participated in track and baseball and in his senior year was an all-state football, and basketball player. Tom is a graduate of South Dakota State University, with a degree in Broadcast Journalism.

Tom went to work at KELO-TV in Sioux Falls in 1990 as a production assistant in the news department. He later moved to their sports department and was named Sports Director in 1996. Tom and his wife, Tyann, have two daughters, Hannah and Olivia.



### 1999 DISTINGUISHED SERVICE AWARD

*Given for outstanding contributions to high school athletics and dedication to the highest and best in high school athletics.*

## WAYNE CARNEY

Sioux Falls



Wayne has coached and been athletic director at Agar, Hamlin and Sioux Falls Washington. Since 1983 he has served on the SDHSCA Board of Directors and was President in 1986. He helped to found the South Dakota Basketball Coaches Association and was secretary/treasurer for many years.

At the national level, he has worked with the NHSACA for several years, serving as President in 1997. When our state hosted their convention, Wayne did a superior job in organizing the event. Presently he is chairman of the SDHSAA Board of Directors.

# SOUTH DAKOTA SPECIAL OLYMPICS OUTSTANDING VOLUNTEERS



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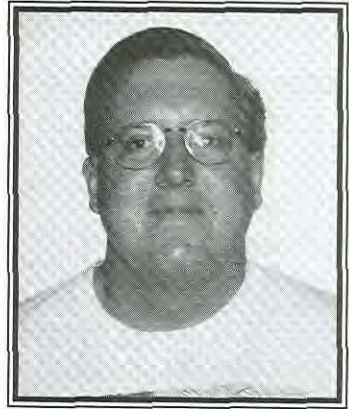
## OUTSTANDING SPORTS ORGANIZATION

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*"Let me win, but if I cannot win, let me be brave in the attempt."*  
Special Olympics Oath

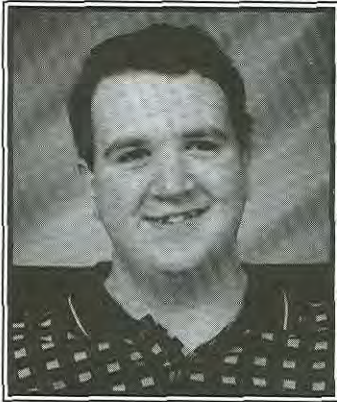
## DON BAKER AWARD

The "Don Baker Award" is the highest received from Special Olympics in South Dakota. It is given in honor of Don Baker who was a volunteer and official starter for Special Olympic events for many years. The award is given annually to an individual, organization, business, or institution who has given outstanding support to Special Olympics in South Dakota.



**Bob Arnold**  
Sioux Falls

## DON BAKER AWARD



**Corey Call**  
Sioux Falls

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# ROLL OF CHAMPIONS

## S.D. Coaches of State Championship Teams

### FOOTBALL

|      |                                 |
|------|---------------------------------|
| 11AA | Mike Klinedinst, Brandon Valley |
| 11A  | Jim Uttecht, West Central       |
| 11B  | Aaron Beavers, Gregory          |
| 9A   | Jim Aisenbrey, Freeman          |
| 9B   | Merle Sveen, Colman-Egan        |

### CROSS COUNTRY

|          |                                     |
|----------|-------------------------------------|
| Girls AA | Forrest Flaagan, Rapid City Stevens |
| Girls A  | Josh Roberts, Hot Springs           |
| Girls B  | Lance VanderVorst, Herreid          |
| Boys AA  | Forrest Flaagan, Rapid City Stevens |
| Boys A   | Lorna Squyer, Lead                  |
| Boys B   | Don Ray, Deubrook                   |

### GOLF

|         |                               |
|---------|-------------------------------|
| Girls A | Phil Hunt, Rapid City Stevens |
| Girls B | Pete Wilson, McCook Central   |
| Boys A  | Phil Hunt, Rapid City Stevens |
| Boys B  | Susan Heitman, Britton        |

### TENNIS

|       |                                       |
|-------|---------------------------------------|
| Girls | Tom Krueger, Sioux Falls Lincoln      |
| Boys  | Chris Dummermuth, Sioux Falls Lincoln |

### GYMNASTICS

|          |                                |
|----------|--------------------------------|
| Girls AA | Sheri Keck, Rapid City Stevens |
| Girls A  | Linda Collignon, Madison       |

### BASKETBALL

|          |                                      |
|----------|--------------------------------------|
| Girls AA | Fred Tibbetts, Sioux Falls Roosevelt |
| Girls A  | Neil Goter, Wagner                   |
| Girls B  | Bob Sittig, Baltic                   |
| Boys AA  | Gary Thomas, Watertown               |
| Boys A   | Marv McCune, DeSmet                  |
| Boys B   | Galen Swenson, Castlewood            |

### WRESTLING

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| Boys A | Marv Sherrill, Watertown |
| Boys B | Troy Wiebe, Miller       |

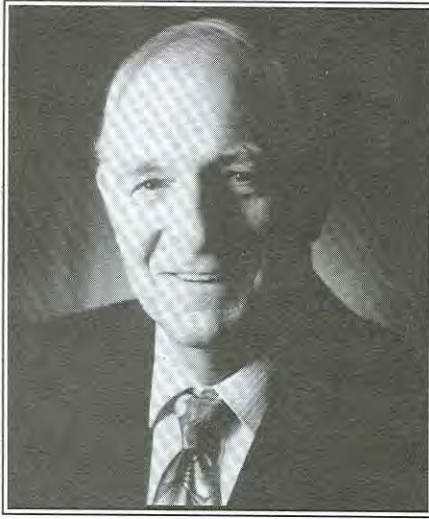
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| Girls AA | Lemoine Trout, Rapid City Stevens |
| Girls A  | Rich Luther, Lennox               |
| Girls B  | Tom Main, Chester                 |
| Boys AA  | Duane Tordoff, Spearfish          |
| Boys A   | Geoff Gross, Winner               |
| Boys B   | Ross Scriver, Colman-Egan         |

### VOLLEYBALL

|          |                              |
|----------|------------------------------|
| Girls AA | Shelly Buddenhagen, Huron    |
| Girls A  | Janet Beyer-Proehl, Parkston |
| Girls B  | Kathy Graves, Northwestern   |

## MAX HAWK AWARD



*This award, in honor of Max Hawk, is to recognize and honor outstanding leadership, contributions and dedication of service to the South Dakota High School Coaches Association.*

The South Dakota  
High School Coaches Association  
is proud to recognize and honor  
as this year's recipient

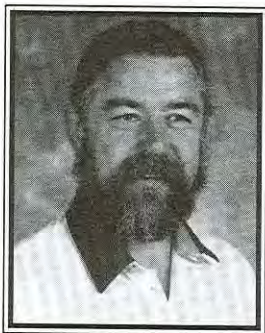


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Rapid City

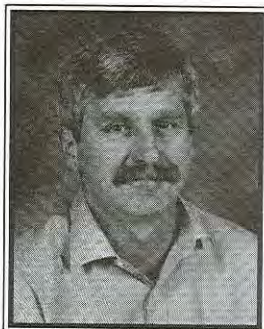


## REGION SIX

*Nebraska, Iowa, Minnesota,  
North Dakota, South Dakota, Colorado*



Girls Cross Country  
Forrest Flaagen  
Rapid City Stevens



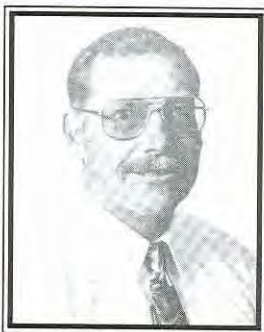
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Elk Point/Jefferson



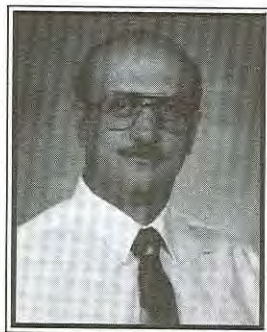
Volleyball  
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Brandon



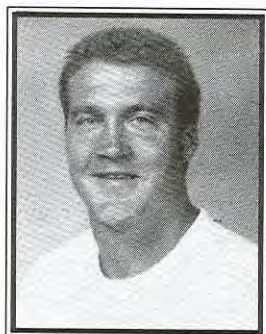
Gymnastics  
Sheri Keck  
Rapid City Stevens



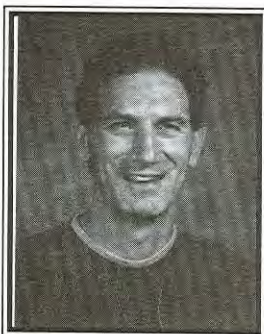
Football  
Clarence Kooistra  
Garretson



Boys Track  
Jim Sattler  
Menno



Wrestling  
Andy Tate  
Mitchell



Girls Basketball  
Fred Tibbetts  
Sioux Falls Roosevelt

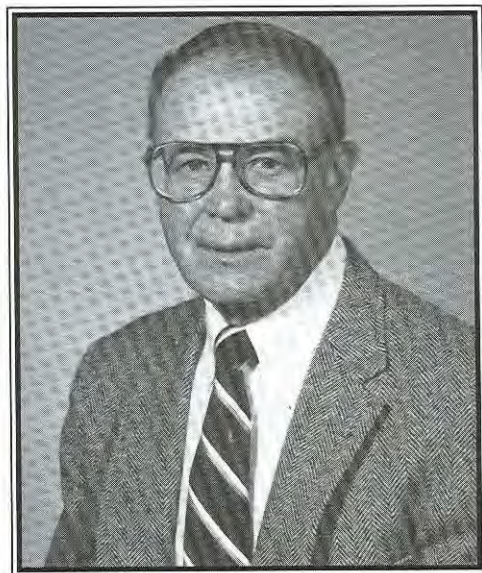


Tennis  
Phil Trautner  
Pierre



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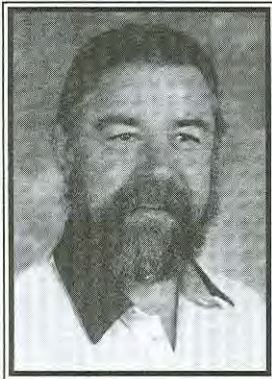
HALL OF FAME



**BURDELL COPLAN**  
**Canton**

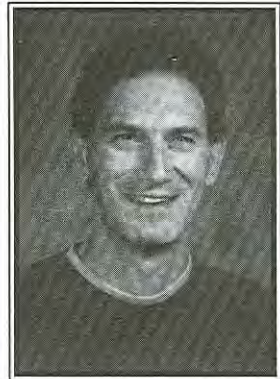
Criteria for selection into this distinguished group:  
years of service, championship years, winning percentage,  
awards and honors, and professional service.

# HALL OF EXCELLENCE



1998-1999  
NATIONAL HIGH SCHOOL  
GIRLS CROSS COUNTRY  
COACH OF THE YEAR

**FORREST FLAAGAN**  
Rapid City



1998-1999  
NATIONAL HIGH SCHOOL  
GIRLS BASKETBALL  
COACH OF THE YEAR

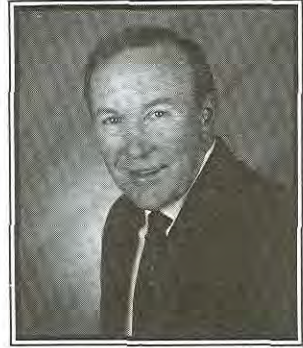
**FRED TIBBETTS**  
Sioux Falls

*This award is presented to South Dakota  
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national prominence in the coaching profession.*

SOUTH DAKOTA HIGH SCHOOL COACHES ASSOCIATION  
HALL OF FAME



Jim Calhoon  
White River



Jim Luce  
Sioux Falls



Gale Lundberg  
Clear Lake

**FORMER HALL OF FAMERS**

- 1976: Don Baker, Euclid Cobb, Ken Greeno, Joe Quintal, Howard Wood  
1977: Elmer Hansen, Paul Maraschalk, Mel Minton, Buella Woodle  
1978: Clyde Cotton, Wally Diehl, Carold Heier, Floyd Mitchell  
1979: Rich Greeno, Max Hawk, Clar Lilevjen, Howard Taplett  
1980: Allen "Pete" Baker, Don Diede, Jim Marking, Bob Schroeder  
1981: Bill Amacher, Bert Dent, Lewis Papendick  
1982: Rollie Greeno, Howard Naasz, Nusier Salem  
1983: Burdell Coplan, M.J. "Moe" Shevlin  
1984: Gene Breemes, Duane Clodfelter, Bob Burns  
1985: Lloyd Dobratz, Glenn Draisey, Laton Greeno, Tom Long  
1986: Flory Farrand, Dave Strain, Bob Winter  
1987: Gayle Hoover, Phil Trautner  
1988: Larry Luitjens, Jerry McElroy, Harvey Naasz  
1989: George DeKlotz, Lolly Forseth  
1990: Arnie Bauer, Dan Moran, Jack Richardson  
1991: Wayne Haensel, Marv Sherrill  
1992: Lee Dolan, Harry Prendergarst, Andy Zephier  
1993: Wayne Carney, Dale McElhany, Jerry Miller  
1994: Don Barker, Judy Busch, Gary Munsen, Rich Strande  
1995: Harvey Hammrich, Jim McGlone, Jim Miner, Don Reshetar  
1996: Jim Cordts, John Houska, Dean Mann  
1997: Eldon Barnes, Joe Dunmire, Norman West  
1998: Gordon Bergquist, Lowell Gilbertson, Clarence Kooistra, John Odney

# **SPECIAL AWARDS** *(Selected by Members of the S.D.H.S.C.A.)*

## **1998-99 25 YEAR COACHES**

Tom Bass, Chester  
Steve Gunderson, Baltic  
Tom Schlimgen, Scotland  
Doug Martin, Mitchell  
Dan Bohl, Chester

Loris Shaffer, Mobridge  
Howard Bich, Wagner  
Kurt Schultz, Baltic  
Roger Edwards, Pierre  
Rod Neuman, Faulkon

Larry Guischer, Custer  
Rodger Setser, Eagle Butte  
Steve Peters, Huron

## **1998 OUTSTANDING FOOTBALL PLAYERS**

### **Class Lineman**

9B Grant Groos, Colman/Egan  
9A Ryan Klenner, Freeman  
11B Ben Bearshield, Gregory  
11A Shawn Robbins, West Central  
11AA Aaron Hansen, Brandon Valley

### **Backs**

Justin Landis, Colman/Egan  
Seth Walter, Freeman  
Chris Mikkelsen, Gregory  
Collin Busse, West Central  
Joh Montoya, Brandon Valley

## **1998 CROSS COUNTRY INDIVIDUAL CHAMPS**

### **Girls**

AA Kristen Peterson, Arlington  
A Jessica Donner, Lead  
B Jessica Fox, Watertown

### **Boys**

AA Tim Petersen, Marion  
A George Mollner, DeSmet  
B Erik Gumstrup, RC Stevens

## **1998 ALL TOURNAMENT GIRLS BASKETBALL TEAM**

### **Class "B"**

Abbie DeWolf, Burke  
Roxanne Wagner, Tulare  
Tami Thompson, Selby  
Monica Mandernach, Selby  
Jenni Sonne, Mt. Vernon  
Jacey Skoglund,  
Frederick/Hecla  
Melissa Bruns, Frederick/Hecla  
Elizabeth Englert, Willow Lake  
Elizabeth Englert, Willow Lake  
Patti Symens, Willow Lake  
Kassy Hegge, Baltic  
Karly Hegge, Baltic  
Arica Schultz

### **Class "A"**

Mandy Koupal, Wagner  
Heidi Odens, Wagner  
Suzie Sully, Wagner  
Brenda Davis, Tri-Valley  
Nina Rozell, Elk Point  
Stephanie Limoges, Elk Point  
Mary Schwans, Belle Fourche  
Shannon Schlagel, Clark  
Andrea Seefeldt, Clark  
Kristi McHenry, Clark  
Rondi Odenbach, Lemmon  
Jayme Haar, Redfield

### **Class "AA"**

Randi Morgan, Mitchell  
Tonia Burgaard, Aberdeen  
Lindsay Schneiderman,  
Brandon Valley  
Megan Mahoney, Sturgis  
Miaken Ziegler, Sturgis  
Mandy Kappel, SF Roosevelt  
Brooke Dickmeyer, SF Wash.  
Holly Sedlacek, Yankotn  
Mary Roddell, Brandon Valley  
Brittany Hubbard, Sturgis  
Krista Orsack, SF Roosevelt  
Courtney Farrell, SF Roosevelt

## **1999 ALL-TOURNEY GYMNASTS**

### **Class "A"**

Kristen Osterberg, Madison  
Jenessa Goeman, Madison  
Courtney Guy, Sisseton  
Kellie Marohl, Sisseton  
Lindsay Stoesser, Stanley County  
Amanda Weiss, Hot Springs  
Alisha Bonenberger, Wall-Kadoka  
Amanda Johnson, Britton  
Callie Fo Rowen, Miller  
Jaime Strong, Dakota Valley

### **Class "AA"**

Theresa Boos, SF Roosevelt  
Beth Mast, SF Roosevelt  
Kim Bechtold, SF O'Gorman  
Melissa Stanton, RC Central  
Emily Heisinger, RC Central

## **1999 S.D.H.S.C.A. SCHOLARSHIP WINNERS**

Ryan Evans, Centerville  
Douglas Podraza, Hitchcock

Meridee Olson, Martin  
Tiffany Semmler, Sioux Falls

Josie Squyer, Nemo  
Emily Miller, Sioux Falls

## **1999 OUTSTANDING WRESTLERS**

### **Class "B"**

Justin Richter, Tri Valley High School

### **Class "A"**

Ben Johnson, Sisseton

## 1999 ALL TOURNAMENT BOYS BASKETBALL TEAMS

### Class "A"

Cory Roth, DeSmet  
Jared Gass, DeSmet  
George Mollner, DeSmet  
Andy Lueth, West Central  
Josh Mueller, West Central  
Nevada Ellison, Custer  
Derek Paulsen, Custer  
Jess Heart, Little Wound  
Chris Stoebner, Harrisburg  
Jarret Lawrence, Cheyenne-Eagle Butte  
Waylon Mendoza, Cheyenne-Eagle Butte

## 1999 OUTSTANDING TRACK

### Boys

Class "B" Bryce Carson, Langford  
Class "A" George Mollner, DeSmet  
Class "AA" Erik Grumstrup, R.C. Stevens

### Girls

Class "B" Christi Lucas, Deubrook  
Class "A" Wendy O'Neill, Bennett County  
Class "AA" Amber Abrams, R.C. Central

## 1999 ALL TOURNAMENT VOLLEYBALL TEAM

### Class "B"

Jennifer Tuttle, Arlington  
Tracy Nemitz, Arlington  
Kristen Peterson, Arlington  
Renaee Sparling, Northwestern  
Vicki Stoltenberg, Northwestern  
Melissa Hammer, Northwestern  
Lynn Burge, Marion  
Tiff Larsen, Marion  
Myranda Schrag, Marion  
Brittney Lamb, Sully Buttes  
Joey Price, Harding County  
Jill Hanten, Tripp-Delmont

### Class "A"

Keri Hansen, Philip  
Katrina Foley, Philip  
Denise Hetzel, Philip  
Bobbie Jo Beyer, Parkston  
Brenda Kearns, Parkston  
Molle Schwinler, Parkston  
Stacee Valandra, Todd Co.  
Lacey Hermans, Milbank  
Wendy Nelson, Madison  
Julia McNary, Madison  
Renee Tjeerdsma, Bon Homme  
Katie Cap, Bon Homme

### Class "AA"

Molly Veenhof, Huron  
Stacy Rotert, Huron  
Amanda Pluger, SF Washington  
Ashley Pederson, SF Roosevelt  
Heather Nelson, Yankton  
Callie Whitlock, Spearfish  
Steph Tschetter, Huron  
Erin Miller, SF Washington  
Susie Sherman, SF Roosevelt  
Elisa LaFrance, Spearfish  
Shana Theobald, Brookings

## 1998-1999 ALL-TOURNEY TENNIS PLAYERS

### Girls

Gary Ellen Burns, SF O'Gorman  
Katie Chiu, SF O'Gorman  
Liz Donahue, SF O'Gorman  
Maggie Donahue, SF O'Gorman  
Alisha Dalsted, Brookings  
Tara Houlihan, SF Lincoln  
Amy Hutchinson, SF Lincoln  
Maria Nelson, SF Lincoln  
Angie Norber, SF Lincoln  
Sara Everding, Brookings

### Boys

James Chiu, SF Lincoln  
Andrew Christianson, SF Lincoln  
Justin Graham, SF Lincoln  
Matt Jackson, RC Stevens  
Mark Kappelman, RC Stevens  
Andrew Krueger, SF Lincoln  
Brett Lovro, SF Lincoln  
Mitch Martin, RC Stevens  
Danny Peterson, SF O'Gorman  
Tyler Steinle, Sturgis

## 1998-1999 OUTSTANDING GOLFERS

### Boys Class "B"

Corey Jensen, Todd County  
Mark Anderson, SF O'Gorman  
TJ Meter, RC Stevens  
Jim Anderson, SF O'Gorman  
Scott Walker, RC Stevens