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Mission Statement



The mission of the Averill Park Athletic Hall of Fame is to recognize athletes, coaches, teams, and contributors who have made significant contributions to the Averill Park athletic program through their service, performance, dedication, commitment, and accomplishment.

Purpose

The purpose of the Averill Park Athletic Hall of Fame is to recognize and honor athletes, coaches, teams, and contributors of Averill Park athletics to:

- Establish in the hearts of our youth a motivating influence to excel in athletics as well as community.
- Foster pride, promote good sportsmanship, scholarship, and citizenship in our school and community.
- Promote the rich and storied tradition of Averill Park athletics.

Candidates for Membership



Candidates for membership in the Averill Park Athletic Hall of Fame shall be former Averill Park athletes, coaches, teams, and contributors who have met the requirements set forth in the guidelines on the following page.

Criteria for Selection



- **Athlete**

- Attended Averill Park 10 years ago or more
- Participated in varsity athletics at Averill Park
- Consideration given to citizenship and character

- **Coach**

- Coached within the district
- Served with distinction in the athletic program

- **Team**

- Accomplishment was 10 years ago or more
- Has made unique athletic accomplishments

- **Contributor**

- Went above and beyond for the athletes at Averill Park

Number of Inductees

The inaugural Class of 2018 and the Class of 2019 shall include no more than a total of 13 inductees each. The Class of 2020 and the Class of 2021 shall include no more than a total of 10 inductees. Future classes will not exceed seven inductees. Teams are separate and are not eligible for induction until 2022.

Hall of Fame Members



2026

ATHLETE

McKenzie Bump | *Class of '15*
Sara Cowan | *Class of '09*
Owen D. Nuss | *Class of '14*
Gerard O'Shea | *Class of '08*
Caraline Wood | *Class of '15*

TEAM

2015 Softball

2024

ATHLETE

Don Favro | *Class of '98*
Kevin Kronau | *Class of '60*
Jonathan Rogers, Jr. | *Class of '13*
Rudy Winkler | *Class of '13*
Benjamin Wright | *Class of '96*

TEAM

2009-10 Girls Basketball

2022

ATHLETE

Lindsey Haff-Phelan | *Class of '00*
Christopher Mazzeo | *Class of '91*
Mary Anne Schiermeyer (deceased) |
Class of '76

TEAM

1990 Girls Cross Country

2025

ATHLETE

Tim Beach | *Class of '73*
Kristin Castle Huestis | *Class of '99*
Kelly Donnelly | *Class of '14*
Meghan O'Shea | *Class of '06*

COACH

Rit Aldi

TEAM

1996 Girls Cross Country

2023

ATHLETE

Andrew Francis Kimball | *Class of '72*
Fred Kowalik (deceased) | *Class of '74*
Amanda Pollock Bayliss | *Class of '97*
Corey Schroeder | *Class of '89*
Gary A. Wilson (deceased) | *Class of '63*

TEAM

1995 Girls Cross Country

2021

ATHLETE

Jenna Brooks | *Class of '06*
Michael Collopy | *Class of '04*
Katie Duma | *Class of '10*
Thomas Mangan | *Class of '89*
Susan Spierre Clark | *Class of '01*

Hall of Fame Members



2020

ATHLETE

Doug Childrose | *Class of '83*
Kevin L. Nichols | *Class of '81*
Rebecca Ortolano Clark | *Class of '00*
Deb Prendergast-Sanderson | *Class of '81*
Deborah Springer | *Class of '91*
Morgan Wheeler | *Class of '09*

ATHLETE/COACH

Mike Malenfant | *Class of '86*

2019

ATHLETE

Steven Allard | *Class of '83*
Ken Gunderman | *Class of '83*
Suzanne Ernst Howell | *Class of '96*
Abby Jackson | *Class of '04*
Jared Morine | *Class of '06*
Suzie Snyder | *Class of '00*
Mollie DeFrancesco Turner | *Class of '98*

COACH

Paula "Miss Mann" Maniscalco (deceased)
"Coach" Earl Retzlaff (deceased)

2018

ATHLETE

Elroy Face | *Class of '48*
Jen Fazioli | *Class of '98*
David W. Hastings | *Class of '58*
Michael McDowell | *Class of '87*
Rebecca Pollock Seidenstein | *Class of '95*
Tony R. Tanksley | *Class of '97*

COACH /ATHLETE

June D. MacGilfrey | *Class of '75*

COACH

Richard "Coach Abb" Abbatiello
"Coach" Al DeShaw (deceased)

CONTRIBUTOR

Iona "Bud" Cole (deceased)



McKenzie Bump '15

McKenzie graduated from Averill Park High School in 2015. After graduation she attended the University at Albany and then Southeastern Louisiana University, graduating in 2019 with a degree in human biology and nursing. McKenzie is currently employed by Our Lady of The Lake Hospital as an emergency room registered nurse. She and her husband Dayton

have one daughter, Poppy and reside in Jarreau, Louisiana.

At Averill Park McKenzie earned five varsity letters as a member of the softball team. She was a three-time Suburban Council all-star as well as a 1st team all-star for the Times Union and The Troy Record as a junior and senior. McKenzie was named 1st team Class A all-state as a junior and senior. As a senior she had a .417 batting average, with 11 doubles, a triple, 8 home runs, 27 RBI, 30 runs scored, 10 stolen bases and 23 walks. McKenzie totaled 18 home runs during her career. She helped lead her team to the Section 2 Class A championship game in 2011, 2012 and 2014. The team broke through in 2015, winning the Section 2 Class A title with a dramatic 3-2 win over Troy and also capturing the first NYSPHSAA championship in program history, defeating Clarke 9-7 in eight innings to win the Class A title.

At the University at Albany McKenzie was a three-year starter on the softball team. She was selected to the America East All-Rookie team as a freshman and was selected America East 1st team All-Conference as a junior. She played in a total of 135 games and started in every game of her sophomore and junior seasons. She helped to lead her team to the America East Tournament championship as a sophomore and junior and ultimately a berth in the NCAA Tournament both seasons.





Sara Cowan '09

Sara graduated from Averill Park High School in 2009. After graduation she attended The College of St. Rose and earned a degree in criminal justice in 2013. Sara currently resides in Chateaugay with her husband Patrick and their children Carter and Madelyn. She is employed by Citizen Advocates as the senior director of compliance and human resources.

At Averill Park Sara played four years of both soccer and lacrosse. In soccer Sara holds the Averill Park single season scoring record with 18 goals scored as a senior and is the all-time Averill Park career goals scored leader since joining the Suburban Council with 40 career goals. As a senior she was named a 1st team Suburban Council all-star, a 1st team Section 2 all-star and 3rd team Class A all-state. As a senior Sara led her team to the Section 2 Class A Final.

In lacrosse Sara scored 163 career goals and had 40 career assists. As a senior she was named a Suburban Council 2nd team all-star. Sara helped lead her team to Suburban Council division championships as a junior and senior, as well as three straight trips to the Section 2 Class B Finals starting in her sophomore year.





Owen D. Nuss '14

Owen graduated from Averill Park High School in 2014. After graduation he attended SUNY Plattsburgh and then transferred to Rensselaer Polytechnic Institute, earning a degree in finance in 2018. Owen currently resides in New York City and is employed by Bloomberg L.P. as a relationship manager.

At Averill Park Owen was a four-year starter on the soccer team. As a senior he was named the Section 2 Class A Player of the Year, The Troy Record Player of the Year and a Suburban Council 1st team all-star. Owen was also named 5th team large school all-state. As a senior he had a hat trick to lead Averill Park to the program's first sectional title, a 4-0 win over South Glens Falls in the Section 2 Class A championship game. The team also captured the NYSPHSAA Class A Regional championship and advanced to the NYSPHSAA Class A Semifinals.

Owen play one year of soccer at SUNY Plattsburgh, then was the club soccer president at Rensselaer Polytechnic Institute for three years. He led/coached his club soccer team to the first regional tournament appearance in school history.





Gerard O'Shea '08

Gerard graduated from Averill Park High School in 2008. After graduation he attended Skidmore College and earned a degree in business in 2012. Gerard currently resides in Ballston Lake with his wife Jacqueline and their four children Rowan, Gavin, Liam and Rory. He is currently employed by Regeneron as an IT manager.

At Averill Park Gerard played three years of basketball and one year of football. He was a two-time captain of the basketball team. As a senior Gerard averaged 20 points per game and was named a NewsChannel 13 all-star, a Troy Record and Times Union 1st team all-star, a Suburban Council 1st team all-star and 7th team Class A all-state. As a sophomore he was a key member of the team that won the only sectional championship in program history and made an appearance in the NYSPHSAA Class A Semifinals. As a junior he helped to lead the team to a spot in the Section 2 Class A championship game.

At Skidmore College Gerard started as a freshman and led the Liberty League in assists. As a sophomore he led the Liberty League in assist to turnover ratio and was second in steals. As a junior Gerard was a 1st team Liberty League all-star. As a senior Gerard was a D3 Hoops All-East Region selection, a 1st team Liberty League all-star, led the league in assists and steals and was ranked second nationally in assist to turnover ratio. At the time of graduation, he was the program all-time leader in assists (438) and steals (244) and finished his career with 963 points. Gerard also played on two Liberty League championship teams, one of which was inducted into the Skidmore College Athletics Hall of Fame in 2017.

Gerard was inducted into the Skidmore College Athletics Hall of Fame in 2025.





Caraline Wood '15

Caraline graduated from Averill Park High School in 2015. After graduation she attended Worcester Polytechnic Institute where she graduated with a Bachelor of Science degree in 2019 and a Master of Science degree in 2020 in mechanical engineering. Caraline resides in Billerica, Massachusetts and is currently employed as a senior device development engineer by Biogen Inc.

At Averill Park Caraline earned three varsity letters in basketball and five varsity letters in softball. As a basketball player she was a member of the Section 2 Class A championship teams in 2013-14 and 2014-15. Most notably in softball as a senior Caraline was named Suburban Council Player of the Year, a Times Union 1st team all-star, the Jim Hourigan Spirit of the Game Award winner, Section 2 Player of the Year and NYS Class A Player of the Year. As a senior she had a .581 batting average, 61 hits, 50 RBI, 10 home runs and only struck out twice. On the mound Caraline went 15-1 with 134 innings pitched, 121 strikeouts and an ERA of 1.67. She helped lead her team to the Section 2 Class A championship game in 2011, 2012 and 2014. The team broke through in 2015, winning the Section 2 Class A title with a dramatic 3-2 win over Troy and also capturing the first NYSPHSAA championship in program history, defeating Clarke 9-7 in eight innings to win the Class A title.

Caraline went on to continue her softball career at Worcester Polytechnic Institute. Her individual accomplishments include NFCA 1st team All-American, Google Cloud Academic All-American, College Sports Information Directors of America Academic All-American, All-New England team, 2019 NFCA Softball Player of the Year Semifinalist, various All-NEWMAC and All-Region team honors and weekly NEWMAC honors



and a member of the 25-Year All-NEWMAC team. Caraline was one of 25 semifinalists considered for the Schutt Sports/NFCA Division III Player of the Year Award. She was named captain of the 2020 team. Caraline finished her career starting 124 of a possible 124 games with a .427 batting average, a .713 slugging percentage, 171 hits, 37 doubles, 23 home runs, 133 RBI and 101 runs scored. Her team won the NEWMAC championship in 2016 and 2019 and were regional champions in 2016.





2015

Softball Team

The 2015 softball team completed the regular season with a 19-1 record and as Suburban Council South Division champions. They went on to capture the Section 2 Class A championship with a dramatic 3-2 win over Troy. After defeating Peru 21-1 in a NYSPHSAA Class A Sub-Regional game they defeated Oneida 8-0 in the NYSPHSAA Class A Regional Final to capture the first regional championship in program history. In a NYSPHSAA Class A Semifinal Averill Park beat Pearl River 5-2 to advance to the NYSPHSAA Class A Final against Clarke to be played later that day. After falling behind 3-0 Averill Park rallied for 7 runs in the 6th inning, only to see Clarke come back to tie the game in the 7th inning. Averill Park then scored 2 runs in the 8th inning to take a 9-7 lead and then held on to retire Clarke in order in the bottom of the 8th inning to win the first state championship in program history. The team finished the season with a 26-1 record.





Individually, Caraline Wood was named NYS Class A Player of the Year and Ken Bailey was named NYS Class A Coach of the Year.

Players:

McKenzie Bump '15, Torey Chenette '15, Andrea Debboli '15, Leah Debboli '18, Tori Fisher '16, Melena Giuliano '16, Amelia Mamone '16, Amanda Mosall '16, Kristin Morin '17, Hannah Shoemaker '16, Kat Stackrow '17, Laura Wendell '17, Caraline Wood '15

Coaching Staff:

Head Coach: Ken Bailey

Assistant Coach: Ann Medici

Junior Varsity Head Coach: Molly Lindley



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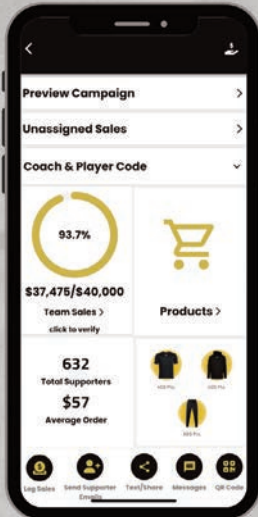
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