

WHAT IS THE PENNSYLVANIA SPORTS HALL OF FAME?

It is a nonprofit organization founded to perpetuate the memory of athletes, male or female, who have brought lasting fame and recognition to the State of Pennsylvania through their athletic achievements.

Also eligible for such distinction are those individuals who have brought similar recognition to the state through their contributions to sports in general in managerial, promotional, or other influential capacities.

MEMBERSHIP IS OPEN TO ALL

Membership in the Pennsylvania Sports Hall of Fame Washington/Greene County Chapter is open to all sports minded individuals interested in perpetuating the memory of athletic greats who have brought recognition to this state during their careers - either through their own achievements or personal influence or contributions.

The membership fee is ten dollars per annum (\$10.00) and our chapter retains \$8.00 of that sum for expenses, although no salaries are to be paid to any officers, chairmen or members of committees. They all serve on a volunteer basis.

BANQUET

The Washington Greene Chapter of the Pennsylvania Sports Hall of Fame induction Ceremonies Banquet is a memorable affair. It is a unique gathering of people running the gamut of athletic achievements. The ceremonial banquet is held on a Friday evening in June.

PENNSYLVANIA SPORTS HALL OF FAME WASHINGTON-GREENE COUNTY CHAPTER MEETING SCHEDULE

January	Final approval of current year list of inductees and final vote by chapter members.
February	Committee appointments for Ceremonial, Banquet, tickets, awards, etc.
March	Progress report on Induction Ceremonies, program advertisement sales
April	Program completion, progress report on Induction Ceremony
May	Final arrangements for Induction Ceremony. On the Monday before Ceremonies all committee chairmen meet for detail. The annual Hall of Fame Ceremonies are held in June.
June	Final report, Ceremonies, Banquet, Program, general critique of all aspects of Ceremonial and recommendation for improvement.
July	Vacation
August	Plans for fall activities, Appoint induction chairman and committee
September	Discuss upcoming events
October	Nomination and election of officers
November	First presentation of nominees
December	Second and final presentation of nominees and vote of executive committee for final approval.

CRITERIA FOR INDUCTION INTO THE PENNSYLVANIA SPORTS HALL OF FAME WASHINGTON-GREENE COUNTY CHAPTER

NOMINATION OF LIVING INDIVIDUALS

1. Must have been retired from the sport or position a minimum of two (2) years, or
2. Been in the sport or position a minimum of four (4) years or
3. Other extenuating circumstances to be approved by a majority of Executive Committee
4. Any member in good standing may nominate for induction and present credentials for consideration.
5. Insure, if elected, will attend Annual Induction Ceremonies.

NOMINATION OF DECEASED INDIVIDUALS

1. Must have been deceased a minimum of two (2) years prior to nomination.
2. Furnish name of Nominee's representative who will represent the deceased individual at the Annual Induction Ceremony.

INDUCTEE

Nominees must have been active participants as team members, coaches, individuals, managers, all sport officials or promotional, administrative or new media personnel.

All who have paid their \$10.00 membership fee are invited to attend chapter meetings and assist in the identification of potential award recipients. Members who have attained their 21st birthday and who have attended a minimum of four previous meetings in the current year; shall be eligible to vote for the election of chapter officers and other chapter business.

It is an honor for me to serve a President of the Washington-Greene Chapter of the Pennsylvania Sports Hall of Fame. We are one of the highest ranking chapters in the State of PA. Our vision is to have our own local museum home and headquarters in the near future. Please join with me in making this dream come true.

But the real key to success is the great athletes, members, officers, executive committees, our advisory board and our community leaders.

I would like also to thank our Sponsors who year after year contribute to our cause. Once again I ask all of you to please make our vision a reality.

*Thank you,
Rich Celani
President / Wash-Greene Co. Chapter*

