

## Viking Athletic Coach Hall of Fame

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### Mission Statement:

The Holmen Athletic Hall of Fame exists to recognize and honor Holmen High School coaches for their achievements and contributions to the Holmen WIAA Athletic Programs.

1. Coach Nomination Criteria
  - a. A coach will be eligible for nomination after having coached at HHS and being retired from coaching for at least three years
  - b. At most two coach recipients can be recognized each year
  - c. A coach can be a recipient of this award only one time
  
2. Nomination, Selection and Recognition Process
  - a. Nomination forms will be available on line at the School District of Holmen website under "Activities and Athletics"
  - b. Nomination forms must be turned in to Holmen High School's Activities Director
  - c. Nomination forms must be received by the last day of school each year
  - d. Nomination forms will be voted on by the last day in June each year
  - e. The Activities Director will be responsible for determining the remaining committee members
  - f. A quorum must be present to vote
  - g. A majority approval vote will be required for an individual to be recognized
  - h. The recipients will be recognized at an all school assembly the following school year and the individual will be displayed in the high school athletic hallway
  - i. Nomination forms will remain active for five years, after this time period the person nominated will need to be re-nominated for future consideration
  
3. Hall of Fame Committee
  - a. The Holmen Activities Director will act as the chair of this committee
  - b. The committee will contain up to five members
  
4. Coach Award Criteria
  - a. Commitment and Dedication
    - i. The coach must have shown dedication to the activity they were involved with
      1. Committed to self-improvement and education as it relates to the activity
      2. Developing outside of season opportunities for athlete improvement
      3. Willing to provide guidance to athletes in and out of practice
    - ii. Unless special circumstances exist, the coach will have been made a minimum ten-year commitment to at least one single activity
    - iii. The coach will have run an organized and respected program
      1. The Activities Director has observed well thought out practice plans

2. The Activities Director has observed practices which utilize practice time efficiently teaching the needed skills for the program
        3. The coach has implemented strategies which lead to improve performances of individuals and the team
      - iv. The coach will have created a positive culture with their activity helping to develop young adults
        1. The coach has demonstrated the use of a character based approach to developing athletes
        2. The coach consistently uses positive motivational techniques to help athletes perform and improve
        3. The coach creates a team culture where all members of the team are valued
- b. Contributions towards athletes (Specific and identifiable)
  - i. Character development of athletes
  - ii. Leadership development of athletes
  - iii. Skill development of athletes: youth camps, strength and conditioning programs, ect.
  - iv. Effectively creates growth and improvement both athletically and personally for athletes
- c. Accomplishments
  - i. Overall record
  - ii. Number of conference championships
  - iii. Post regular season success
- d. Recognition
  - i. Conference coach of the year recognition
  - ii. State association recognition
  - iii. WIAA recognition
- e. Community Connections
  - i. The coach and athletes in their program participated in community volunteer work
  - ii. The coach's program fund raised money for community donations.
  - iii. The coach's program developed unique ways to "give back" to their community