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Six Named To Join NCHSAA Hall of Fame

CHAPEL HILL—Six 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.

Al Black of Spring Lake, the late Pat Gainey of Taylorsville and later Pamlico; Charlie Gregory of Randleman, Tommy Hunt of Durham, Joan Riggs of Swansboro and Don Saine of Gastonia have been chosen as the 20th group of inductees to join the prestigious hall. That brings to 102 the number enshrined.

The new inductees were honored during special halftime ceremonies at a football game at Kenan Stadium in October when North Carolina played South Florida. The University of North Carolina designated the day as the 22nd annual NCHSAA Day. The new class will officially be inducted at the special Hall of Fame banquet next spring in Chapel Hill.

The NCHSAA Hall of Fame is supported by a special grant from GlaxoSmithKline. Coca-Cola Bottling Company Consolidated is also a major corporate partner for the program.

"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."

Al Black

Al Black's involvement in high school athletics in North Carolina came in five different decades and at a number of schools.

A graduate of Lillington High School, Black went on to Campbell College and then graduated from Wake Forest in 1951. His high school coaching career included stops at Anderson Creek (1954-59), Boone Trail (1959-75), Coats (1977-80), Topsail (1980-84) and Western Harnett (1990-93). At Boone Trail his teams won 20 conference championships in four different sports as he compiled an 84-50 mark in football a 264-77 slate in men's basketball and a 263-90 baseball record in addition to serving as athletic director.

A former member of the NCHSAA Board of Directors, Black coached in the amazing game that went 13 overtimes, still a national record.

Black also had a couple of stints as an assistant basketball and baseball coach at Campbell.

Pat Gainey

The late Pat Gainey, a native of Dunn, recorded a phenomenal record in women's basketball at a couple of different stops during his coaching career and was a real supporter of women's athletics.

A graduate of Atlantic Christian College, Gainey began his career at Lee Woodard High in Wilson County and then moved to Pamlico County for a four-year stint. His overall record at Pamlico was an incredible 93-6, and he went from there to Taylorsville, where he coached from 1955-64. His women's basketball teams won Western North Carolina High School Activities Association titles five times and at one point recorded 54 consecutive wins and a whopping 140 straight conference victories. His overall women's basketball mark was 358-57, including 226-37 at Taylorsville, where his teams never lost a home game.

He also taught at Forest Hills and North Iredell. The Taylorsville gym was named in his honor and he coached the West in the 1959 North Carolina Coaches' Association East-West women's all-star basketball game.

Charlie Gregory

Charlie Gregory compiled an impressive coaching record in a number of sports at Randleman High School.

Gregory is probably best known for developing Randleman into a football powerhouse. He coached that sport 28 years, winning over 200 games, and earned three consecutive NCHSAA state 2-A football titles, from 1981 through '83. He served as Randleman's athletic director for 18 years but also coached basketball, track and golf during his stint there.

He coached in the North Carolina Coaches' Association East-West football all-star game in 1974 and the Randleman High football stadium is named in his honor.

A graduate of High Point College, Gregory was a three-sport star at Trinity High School and played on the 1949 state basketball championship team. He is also a charter member of the Randleman Civitan Club.

Tommy Hunt

Tommy Hunt has made tremendous contributions in high school athletics as a game official.

Currently the coordinator of football officials for the Atlantic Coast Conference, Hunt officiated approximately 240 NCAA Division I football games, including 10 bowls, during his distinguished career. He also officiated football on the high school level for 18 years, including working the 1969 Shrine Bowl as well as the North Carolinas Coaches Association East-West game. He is a former supervisor of high school football officials for the Triangle Officials' Association and earned the 2001 Joe Eblen Officials/Booking Agent award from the NCHSAA.

A native of Durham, Hunt was an outstanding athlete at Durham High and graduated from UNC-Chapel Hill. He has been very active in civic and community affairs. Hunt has served on both the Durham County Board of Education and the Durham County Commissioners and is a past president of the Durham Sports Club.

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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!

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Joan Riggs

Joan Riggs enjoyed a career as one of the most successful volleyball coaches ever in North Carolina.

A graduate of Swansboro High and UNC-Wilmington, she returned to her high school alma mater and helped it become a state powerhouse in volleyball. Her Swansboro teams posted a collective record of 363-65 from 1974 through 1995, winning five state championships within a 10-year span and finishing as runners-up on three occasions.

Riggs guided her teams to 14 conference championships and was her league's coach of the year 10 different times. She also coached women's basketball, softball and track during her career.

Active in her church, Riggs helped lead the Fellowship of Christian Athletes chapter at her school, where she was also voted Teacher of the Year in 1990. The town of Swansboro honored her with a Joan Riggs Day in 1995.

Don Saine

Don Saine has made enormous contributions to high school athletics in a number of different capacities, including coach, administrator and game official.

Saine earned 11 varsity letters as an outstanding athlete at Cherryville High and then went on to UNC-Chapel Hill, where he lettered three years in baseball.

He was highly successful as a coach at Dallas High and then at Hunter Huss in Gaston County. At Huss Saine won three league football crowns and coached in both the NCCA's East-West all-star game and the North-South game, and he also earned six conference crowns as a head baseball coach. In addition, he guided Cherryville to a state American Legion baseball title and for 22 years worked as a basketball game official.

For 20 years he served as the athletic director of the Gaston County schools. He is a member of the Cherryville Sports Hall of Fame and the North Carolina Athletic Directors Hall of Fame.

The NCHSAA Hall of Fame

Class of 1987

(Charter Members)
Bob Jamieson, Greensboro
Leon Brogden, Wilmington
Dave Harris, Charlotte

Class of 1988

Tony Simeon, High Point
Wilburn C. Clary, Winston-Salem
L.J. "Hap" Perry, Chapel Hill

Class of 1989

Russell Blunt, Durham
Lee Stone, Asheboro

Class of 1990

Bill Eutsler, Rockingham
Harvey Reid, Wilson
Jay Robinson, Chapel Hill
Simon Terrell, Chapel Hill

Class of 1991

Thell Overman, Wallace
Frank Mock, Kinston*
Raymond Rhodes, Raleigh*
Richard "Bud" Phillips,
Greenville

Class of 1992

Everette L. "Shu" Carlton,
Gastonia
George J. Cushwa, Jr.,
Thomasville
Norma Harbin, Winston-Salem
James G. "Choppy" Wagner,
Washington*
Modeal Walsh, Robbinsville*
Everett L. "Shorty" Waters,
Jacksonville
Thomas H. "Toby" Webb,
Albemarle
John W. "Jack" Young,
Ahoskie*

Class of 1993

Frank Barger, Hickory*
Donald Bonner, Lumberton
George Whitfield, Hamlet

Class of 1994

George "Buck" Hardee,
Wilmington
Doris Howard, Fayetteville
Bruce Peterson, Asheville
Homer Thompson, Winston-Salem

Class of 1995

Willie Bradshaw, Durham
Robert P. Colvin, Robbinsville
Joe Paul Eblen, Asheville
Augustus B. "Gus" Purcell,
Charlotte
George W. Wingfield, Reidsville*

Class of 1996

Paul Gay, Sanford
John W. "Honey" Johnson,
Elizabeth City*
Glenn Nixon, Clayton
Robert R. Sawyer, Greensboro

Class of 1997

Dr. Wiley "Army" Armstrong,
Rocky Mount*
Chuck Clements, Gastonia*
David Lash, Winston-Salem*
Larry Lindsay, Wake Forest

Class of 1998

Gerald "Pearlie" Allen, Shelby
Norris "Pee Wee" Jones,
Asheville
Bill Mayhew, Troutman
Dr. Craig Phillips, Raleigh
Mary Garber, Winston-Salem
Marvin "Red" Hoffman,
Wilkesboro
Dr. Andy Miller, Asheville

Class of 1999

Charles "Babe" Howell,
Webster
Paul Jones, Kinston
Jerry McGee, Elizabeth City
Jim Mills, Garner
Joe Mills, Raleigh
Donna Norman, High Point
Robert Paroli, Fayetteville

Class of 2000

Marion Kirby, Greensboro
Don Patrick, Newton
Hilda Worthington, Greenville
Charles England, Lexington*

Class of 2001

Jack Groce, Boone
Tom Northington, Greensboro
Walter Rogers, Roxboro
Wally Shelton, Mount Airy
John Swofford, Greensboro
Morris Walker, West Jefferson
Herb Young, Cary

Class of 2002

Cliff Brookshire, Brevard
Andrea Cozart, High Point
Bill Friday, Chapel Hill
Herman Hines, Reidsville
Bob Lee, Southern Pines
Ray Oxendine, Pembroke

Class of 2003

Gerald Austin, Greensboro
Pat Harrell, Hertford
Hoy Isaacs, Reidsville*
Raymond "Buddy" Luper,
Lumberton*
David Maynard, Burlington
Clarence Moore, Asheville*
Pres Mull, Lexington
Tom Pryor, Edneyville
Stuart Tripp, Ayden

Class of 2004

Mike Brown, Wilmington
John Clougherty, Raleigh
James "Rabbit" Fulghum,
Snow Hill
Ed Peeler, Shelby
Ned Sampson, Pembroke
Dave Smith, Washington
Kathy Stefanou, Raleigh
Carroll Wright, Clyde

Class of 2005

Tim Brayboy, Cary
Jim Burch, Cary
Dick Knox, Chapel Hill
Tom McQuaid, Beaufort*
Mike Raybon, Jamestown

Class of 2006

Al Black, Spring Lake
Pat Gainey, Taylorsville*
Charlie Gregory, Randleman
Tommy Hunt, Durham
Joan Riggs, Swansboro
Don Saine, Gastonia

*posthumous induction

NOTE:

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 that houses the Association offices.

Newest NCHSAA Hall of Famers



The newest induction class for the North Carolina High School Athletic Association Hall of Fame was recognized at NCHSAA Day at Kenan Stadium. Pictured from left are NCHSAA deputy executive director Que Tucker, Hall of Fame inductees Tommy Hunt, Joan Riggs; Berry Jo Shoen, daughter of the late Pat Gainey; Charlie Gregory, Don Saine, Al Black and NCHSAA president Dr. Diane Frost. The group will be officially inducted into the Hall in the spring at the annual Hall of Fame banquet in Chapel Hill. (NCHSAA photo by John Bell)

Record Turnouts For Regional Meetings Across North Carolina

CHAPEL HILL—For the 35th consecutive year, the North Carolina High School Athletic Association held its regional meetings across the state in September.

For a two-week span, the NCHSAA took to the road to hold meetings in each of the eight NCHSAA regions. This year's schedule called for meetings to be held in the Western regions during the first week and the meetings in the East the following week.

NCHSAA executive director Charlie Adams, deputy executive director Que Tucker and associate executive director Rick Strunk made the full tour, with other staff members joining them at specific locations.

Assistant executive director Mark Dreibelbis made the Western swing while Karen DeHart, director of development, was a presenter at all of the Eastern meetings. A member of the NCHSAA Board of Directors from that specific region serves as chairperson for the meeting.

The meetings included updates on NCHSAA sports regulations, a session on eligibility rules, question and answer sessions, presentation of awards and other items.

Principals and athletic directors of NCHSAA member schools, along with superintendents or other central office per-

sonnel who work with athletics, are among the administrators who attend the meetings.

The representatives of the North Carolina Coaches Association and the North Carolina Athletic Directors Association from the particular region also presented reports, and awards were given in several different categories in each region.

For the past seven years overall attendance at the regional meetings has been well over 900 annually. This year's meetings set an overall record and fell just a few short of the 1,000 mark.

2006 NCHSAA Regional Meetings

| REGION | ATT | SITE |
|----------|-----|--------------------------------------|
| Region 6 | 152 | Ovens Auditorium, Charlotte |
| Region 8 | 97 | Crest Mountain Resort, Asheville |
| Region 7 | 105 | Elks Lodge, Wilkesboro |
| Region 5 | 140 | Lawrence Joel Coliseum, W-Salem |
| Region 2 | 128 | Duplin Commons, Kenansville |
| Region 1 | 82 | East Carolina University, Greenville |
| Region 3 | 195 | Vaughn Towers, NCSU, Raleigh |
| Region 4 | 95 | Educ. Resource Center, Fayetteville |

NCHSAA Lists Student Services Sportsmanship Winners; 165 Schools Are Ejection Free For 2005-06

CHAPEL HILL—The North Carolina High School Athletic Association has announced the winners of its 11th annual NCHSAA Student Services Sportsmanship Awards.

East Bladen High School and Hendersonville High School share the honor among 1-A schools for the 2005-06 academic year, while West Bladen was the overall winner in 2-A and Triton earned the award for 3-A schools. All of these were recognized in acknowledgement of the sportsmanship initiatives in place at their schools.

To be eligible for the Student Services Sportsmanship Awards, schools had to meet three criteria. First of all, the school could have no players or coaches ejected from any athletic contest during the course of the 2005-2006 academic year. The school also had to receive an overall positive rating from the game officials and booking agents who actually work with the school's athletic program. Finally, the school must submit an outline or written action plan of how it attempts to promote sportsmanship and positive behavior at its events, and those plans are evaluated by a special committee.

Mark Dreibelbis, assistant executive director of the NCHSAA and director of the Association's Student Services Division, noted that a total of 165 schools, close to half of the NCHSAA membership of 361 during 2005-2006, went ejection free during the year. That was just four short of the all-time record of 169 from 2004-05. The number is up from 157 in 2003-04 and 149 schools in 2002-03.

The trend has been steadily upward since the inception of the

program. There were 114 ejection-free schools during the 2001-2002 year and 92 schools were ejection free in both 2000-01 and 1999-2000. A total of 82 schools were ejection-free in 1998-99, and 75 schools went without an ejection during the 1997-98 year. The guidelines record ejections for unsportsmanlike acts such as fighting, taunting, profanity, obscene gestures or disrespectfully addressing or contacting officials.

"We are certainly pleased to recognize these schools for their positive programming," said Dreibelbis. "It is part of our continuing commitment to provide opportunities and recognize schools which are promoting the kind of behavior we want to see as part of a wholesome athletic environment."

Several other schools continued long streaks without a single player or coach ejected. Among 1-A schools, Highlands completed its 12th year without an ejection, while the North Carolina School for the Deaf in Morganton finished 10 years and Midway nine. Nantahala has had eight straight years ejection free.

In the 2-A classification, Southwest Onslow is working on a string of seven consecutive years. Mitchell and Northwest Halifax each have had six straight unblemished years.

At the 3-A level, Mooresville has been without an ejection for six straight years while North Gaston and Shelby Crest have enjoyed five consecutive ejection-free years.

Among 4-A schools, Winston-Salem R.J. Reynolds completed six consecutive ejection-free years.

All schools with no ejections for the year will receive a certificate of recognition. Those schools include:

Region 1 (14 schools):

Bear Grass
Columbia
Creswell
Currituck
Gates County
Hertford
Holmes, John A.
Manteo
Mattamuskeet
Ocracoke
Perquimans
Plymouth
Southside
Williamston

Region 2 (22 schools):

Croatan
Dixon
East Duplin
Eastern Wayne
Goldsboro
Greene Central
Havelock
Hoggard, John T.
Jones
James Kenan
Kinston
Lejeune
Midway
North Duplin
North Lenoir
Pamlico County
Pender
Richlands
South Brunswick
South Lenoir

Southwest Onslow
Swansboro

Region 3 (25 schools):

Athens Drive
Bunn
Cedar Ridge
Durham School of the Arts
East Chapel Hill
East Wake
Enloe, W.G.
Franklinton
Garner Senior
Jordan, Charles E.
Middle Creek
Millbrook
North Edgecombe
North Johnston
Northampton-East
Northern Vance
Northwest Halifax
Orange
Raleigh Charter
Riverside
Smithfield-Selma
Southern Durham
SouthWest Edgecombe
Wakefield
Warren County

Region 4 (14 schools):

Britt, Jack
East Bladen
East Columbus
Fairmont
North Moore

Overhills
Red Springs
South Columbus
Southern Lee
Triton
West Bladen
West Columbus
West Montgomery
Whiteville

Region 5 (27 schools):

Atkins
Bartlett Yancey
Carver
Central Davidson
East Forsyth
Eastern Guilford
Glenn, Robert B.
Graham
Grimley
Jordan-Matthews
Lexington
J.M. Morehead
North Stokes
Northeast Guilford
Northwood
Page
Parkland
Ragsdale
Randleman
Reagan, Ronald
R.J. Reynolds
South Stokes
Southwest Guilford
Thomasville
West Davidson
Western Guilford

Winston-Salem
Preparatory Academy

Region 6 (20 schools):

Ashbrook
Butler, David
Cherryville
Concord
Crest
East Gaston
Forest Hills
Forestview
Garinger
Hopewell
Lincoln Charter
Lincolnton
Myers Park
North Gaston
North Stanly
Northwest Cabarrus
Providence
Robinson, Jay
Vance, Zebulon
West Rowan

Region 7 (25 schools):

Alleghany
Avery County
Davie
East Burke
East Surry
East Wilkes
Elkin
Freedom
Hibriten
Hickory
Lake Norman

Maiden
Mooresville
Mount Airy
Newton-Conover
North Carolina School for the Deaf
North Wilkes
South Caldwell
South Iredell
Statesville
Watauga
West Caldwell
West Iredell
West Wilkes
Wilkes Central

Region 8 (18 schools):

Asheville
Blue Ridge
Enka
Hayesville
Hendersonville
Highlands
Hiwassee Dam
McDowell
Mitchell
Nantahala
North Buncombe
North Henderson
Pisgah
Polk County
Reynolds, A.C.
Swain County
West Henderson

Speakers Set For Annual NCADA State Conference

WILMINGTON—A great line-up of speakers has been established for the 36th annual North Carolina Athletic Directors Association state conference next March.

The event will be held at the Wilmington Hilton Riverside March 25-28, 2007.

Sunday's opening day will include two opportunities to take leadership training courses (LTC) in both risk management and current issues in athletic administration, both of which will require pre-registration. The "welcome aboard" opening reception is scheduled for Sunday evening.

Monday's program is a full one, including a workshop on cheerleading safety, sportsmanship and certification. Among highlights on March 26 will be a kickoff address by East Carolina University director of athletics Terry Holland, information on national news and initiatives from Bob Kanaby, executive director of the National Federation of State High School Associations (NFHS), and a session on "The Credible Coach" by Dr. Greg Dale of Duke University.

The annual awards luncheon will be held on Monday.

Tuesday will feature a breakfast session with Jennifer Alley, executive director of the National Association of Collegiate Women Athletic Administrators, information about the NFHS national certification and education program for coaches, and a panel discussion on athletics featuring school administrators. Another LTC course will be offered, this on Title IX, sexual harassment, Americans with Disabilities Act and employment law, and it also requires preregistration.

The 13th annual NCADA Hall of Fame banquet is scheduled for Tuesday night.

The final day of the conference features the annual Fellowship of Christian Athletes breakfast and the North Carolina High School Athletic Association update, offered by NCHSAA executive director Charlie Adams and members of the NCHSAA staff.

This is always a highlight of the year in terms of professional development for the state's athletic directors. More information can be obtained from www.ncathleticdirectors.com or by calling 252-335-7396.

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 our membership

Ruth Pool

DURHAM—Long-time coach and athletic administrator Ruth Pool died in late August.

A graduate of North Carolina College (now North Carolina Central University), she coached more than 30 years, starting at Adkin High School in Kinston and then moving to Durham Hillside. She coached a variety of sports at Hillside, including softball, women's tennis, women's indoor and outdoor track, and cheerleaders and served as athletic director from 1978 until 1996.

Her teams won a couple of state championships in outdoor track.

Ruth had earned a Distinguished Service Award from the North Carolina High School Athletic Association and is a member of the North Carolina Athletic Directors Association Hall of Fame.

Tommy Phelps

NEW BERN—Former New Bern High School principal Tommy Phelps died in September after a long bout with cancer at the age of 67.

Phelps served as principal at New Bern from 1980 to 1991 during his career in education in both the New Bern city and the Craven County school systems. He had taught industrial arts and electronics before going into administration.

Phelps graduated from Williamston High School and East Carolina University. He was also very active in Temple Baptist Church, and memorials may be made to the Temple Baptist Church Family Life Center, 1500 Kingdom Way, New Bern, NC 28560.

James M. "Bump" Elliott

DURHAM—Long-time coach James M. "Bump" Elliott died in early August as the age of 78.

A United States Air Force World War II veteran, Elliott had an outstanding career as a coach and teacher at Durham High School.

He was a member of Saint Mark A.M.E. Zion Church in Durham.

Jonathan McKee, Sr.

GREENSBORO—Former coach and athletic director Jonathan McKee, Sr., died in mid-August.

McKee coached and taught for over 40 years, primarily at Dudley High School, and was also very involved in the community in terms of organizations involved with young people and athletics.

He was also a member of United Institutional Baptist Church for more than 50 years.

Tony Perrou

BURLINGTON—Southern Alamance High School head football coach Tony Perrou died in mid-October as the result of injuries sustained in an weather-related automobile accident at the age of 40.

Perrou was in his sixth year as the head football coach at Southern, where he also taught world history and served as assistant athletic director.

He coached at Bartlett Yancey for two years before coming to Walter Williams in Burlington, where he both coached and later served as athletic director. He was the defensive coordinator at Williams when the team won the 1999 3-A state football championship.

Memorials may be made to the American Cancer Society, 4-A Oak Branch Drive, Greensboro, N.C. 27407 or to the Southern Alamance Athletic Boosters—Stadium Project, P.O. Box 338, Alamance, N.C. 27201.

Time Warner Cable To Televis NCHSAA Events

CHARLOTTE—Time Warner Cable will telecast all eight state high school football championship games scheduled in December. The 4AA state title game will be live on Time Warner Cable's 24-hour local news network, News 14 Carolina and other Time Warner Cable channels. Additionally, all eight football championship games will be available on Time Warner Cable's regional, free Video on Demand channel, Carolina on Demand, Channel 1234.

Time Warner Cable has reached an agreement with the North Carolina High School Athletic Association (NCHSAA) to become a "Presenting Level Corporate Sponsor of the NCHSAA" and "Official Television Partner of the NCHSAA".

Under the agreement, Time Warner Cable becomes the exclusive rights holder for all telecasts of any state championship sports event sanctioned by the NCHSAA.

During this school year, Time Warner Cable will telecast all eight football title games, as well as the boys and girls basketball championship games. The state high school football championship games will be played on December 9th in four different venues at the University of North Carolina-Chapel Hill, North Carolina State University, Duke University and Wake Forest University. Time Warner Cable will also televise the high school basketball title games and will consider other sports championships for telecast.

"Time Warner Cable is excited to partner with the North Carolina High School Athletic Association on the state championship series", said Brian Kelly, Senior Vice-President of Marketing and Sales for Time Warner Cable in North and South Carolina. "We're happy to provide fans across the state an opportunity to see North Carolina's best student-athletes compete in their respective sports in the biggest games of their seasons."

"We are thrilled to have Time Warner Cable join with the North Carolina High School Athletic Association," said Charlie Adams, executive director of the NCHSAA. "We believe that this can be great for our programs and many more people may see the outstanding student-athletes that we have in a variety of sports. We look forward to a wonderful relationship with the folks at Time Warner Cable."

C.B. Aycock Continues Amazing String Of League Tennis Victories

PIKEVILLE—Charles B. Aycock High School's women's tennis program passed an amazing milestone during the fall.

Aycock won its 300th consecutive conference tennis match in the process of enjoying another fine season.

Veteran teacher and coach Luke Vail has been at the helm of the Aycock tennis program for 28 years as his teams have compiled this amazing streak. The streak encompasses membership in several different conferences and at different classifications.

Vail has also coached men's tennis and women's basketball and has guided his various squads to 41 different conference championships during his career.

Vail also teaches U.S. history at Aycock and for the last 12 years hosted a very popular beach music radio program on a local FM station called "Sunday On The Beach."

The National High School Sports Record Book does not have a category for consecutive conference victories in various sports.

News 14 Carolina, will telecast the 4AA state championship game "live" on December 9 at 8 pm. The NCHSAA adjusted the start time of that game due to a home basketball game at Duke University on the date of the championships.

News 14 Carolina is available to more than 1.2 million basic cable subscribers in the Charlotte, Raleigh/Durham/Fayetteville and Greensboro/Winston-Salem/High Point television markets. Time Warner Cable will also carry the News 14 Carolina "live" 4AA game telecast on Channel 19 in the Wilmington area and on Channel 25 in the Jacksonville-Morehead City area.

Each of the eight state football championship games will be videotaped for viewing on Time Warner Cable's Regional Free Video on Demand (VOD) service, "Carolina on Demand." Carolina on Demand is available to Time Warner Cable digital subscribers across North Carolina and South Carolina on Channel 1234.

NCHSAA State Football Championship Schedule

Saturday, December 9, 2006

- Winston-Salem:

- Wake Forest University, Groves Stadium

12 Noon 2A Championship

4:30PM 2AA Championship

- Chapel Hill:

- University of North Carolina at Chapel Hill, Kenan Stadium

12 Noon 1A Championship

4:30PM 1AA Championship

- Durham:

- Duke University, Wallace Wade Stadium

4:30PM 4A Championship

8:00PM 4AA Championship - "Live" on News 14 Carolina

- Raleigh:

- North Carolina State University, Carter-Finley Stadium

12 Noon 3A Championship

4:30PM 3AA Championship

In March, Time Warner Cable will videotape all eight girls and boys' basketball state championship games for telecast on Carolina on Demand. The state basketball title games will be March 10th at Reynolds Coliseum on the North Carolina State University campus and the Dean Smith Center on the University of North Carolina-Chapel Hill campus.

Time Warner Cable's free Video on Demand technology allows viewers to watch "On Demand" programming at any time by using their remote control to select, view, pause and rewind the digitized content.

Time Warner Cable owns and manages cable systems serving 14.4 million subscribers in 33 states. Passing approximately 28 million homes, Time Warner Cable includes some of the most technologically advanced and best-clustered cable systems in the country, with nearly 85 percent of the Company's customers located in five geographic regions: New York, Texas, Ohio, the Carolinas and southern California

Leveraging its leadership in innovation and quality customer care, Time Warner Cable delivers advanced products and services such as video on demand, high definition television, digital video recorders, high-speed data and Digital Phone. Time Warner Cable is a subsidiary of Time Warner Inc. (NYSE: TWX).

Advertisers Help Make NCHSAA Championship Programs Successful

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 corporate sponsors and 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.

The list includes both NCHSAA corporate sponsors, who also have ads in the programs, along with others who are just advertising and supporting the Association in that way.

At press time for the Bulletin, the 2006-07 championship program advertisers include:

American Advantage Marketing Group
BB&T Bank
Best Western University Inn, Chapel Hill
Blackman & Sloop CPAs, Chapel Hill
Carolina Back Institute
Carolina Panthers
CCB
Chapel Hill-Carrboro Chamber of Commerce
Chapel Hill-Orange County Visitors Bureau
Cheer Ltd.
Clark Sporting Goods
Classic Graphics, Charlotte

Coca-Cola Bottling
College Foundation of North Carolina
Daktronics
DeMarini
Farm Bureau Insurance
Fellowship of Christian Athletes
Ford Dealers of the Carolinas
Gatorade
General Sports Venue
Granville Towers, UNC-Chapel Hill
Greenville Convention and Visitors Bureau
Hampton Inn, Chapel Hill
Hampton Inn and Suites, Chapel Hill
Holiday Inn Express, Chapel Hill
Jim's Famous Ribs
Marines
Martin Screen Printing

Mort's of Raleigh
Musco Lighting
North Carolina Coaches Association
Princeton Review
Raleigh Parks and Recreation
Raleigh Sports Consortium
Resilite
Shrine Bowl of the Carolinas
Spanky/Squid's/518/411 Restaurants
Summit Hospitality Group
Time Warner Cable
Wendy's Restaurants
Wilson Sporting Goods
Winston-Salem Convention and Visitors Bureau
Winston-Salem Sports Commission
Woodall Electric, Durham

Wachovia Cup Champions



The Wachovia Cup champions for the academic year 2005-06 were honored at NCHSAA Day 2006 at Kenan Stadium. Representatives of the schools were presented with their cups, symbols of overall athletic excellence in their respective classifications of competition, at halftime. Shown following the ceremony are, from left, John Anderson representing Wachovia, athletic director Zoe Bell of Charlotte Providence, athletic director Fred Park of T.C. Roberson in Asheville, athletic director Dean Monroe of Cardinal Gibbons in Raleigh, athletic director Ed Gibson of Topsail, NCHSAA president Dr. Diane Frost, superintendent of the Asheboro City Schools, and NCHSAA deputy executive director Que Tucker.

(NCHSAA photo by John Bell)

North Carolina Coaches' Association Has Rich History, Great Growth

By MAC MORRIS

North Carolina Coaches Association

The North Carolina Coaches Association was founded in 1948 when Coach Bob Jamieson and Smith Barrier of the Greensboro News and Record convinced 25 coaches to put up \$25 each to start a program that would educate coaches throughout the state in the techniques of coaching. The first clinic was held at Guilford College and then later moved to UNCG prior to finding a permanent home at the Greensboro Coliseum in the 1960s.

Most all of the top coaches in the country have spoken at the Clinic and coaching in the state has improved remarkably. Clinic attendance has risen from the 25 founders to the 7,079 attendees at the 2006 Clinic.

The first East-West All Star Game was played in 1949 in the stadium that today bears the name of Bob Jamieson on the Grimsley High School campus. The game was the first event in the stadium and it has been played there ever since. The first basketball game was played in the Guilford College gymnasium and then played at Elon College and Winston Salem Reynolds before settling in the Greensboro Senior (Grimsley) gym.

There were some scorches contested there in more ways than one since there was no air conditioning. In 1970, the game was moved to the Greensboro Coliseum where it has remained except for the two years when the facility was being renovated and the games were played in the Dean E. Smith Center in

Chapel Hill and Lawrence Joel Coliseum in Winston- Salem.

In 1975, women's basketball was added to the schedule and has continued with the men's game through the current games. In 1992, men's and women's soccer were added and those games have been played at UNCG's soccer stadium. At one time there was a baseball game but it was cancelled when players committed to American Legion teams and wouldn't participate in the game.

At the Clinic 18 sports are represented. On Monday of clinic week, men's and women's basketball, and wrestling along with rules interpretation sessions for each sport are featured. On Tuesday, men's basketball, track, baseball, soccer and rules sessions are held. On Wednesday, football, volleyball, tennis, cross-country, swimming and rules sessions are presented. Thursday finishes the week with football, softball, golf and rules sessions.

The clinic also features a trade show with about 150 exhibitors showing their wares (athletic equipment and uniforms). Running concurrently is a First Responder Seminar with three levels of training for First Responders and a Student Sports Medicine Symposium that introduces young people to the wonders of Sports Medicine as a possible career.

The clinic is open to anyone who would like to attend. Attendees may register as members if they are full-time certified teachers or teacher assistants in the classroom daily and are paid a system wide supplement to coach a sport that is recognized by the NCHSAA. (Cheerleading, lacrosse and field hockey are not currently sanctioned for championship competition conducted by the NCHSAA).

Since there is a shortage of coaches in the state and we are all forced to use non-faculty and volunteer coaches, the Association offers Associate Status for anyone who is actively coaching at a school in North Carolina. Cards allowing admission to high school games in the state are issued to those who qualify as members or Associates. Those who don't qualify for the first two categories can register as Clinic Attendee and can attend the clinic sessions but don't receive other benefits.

North Gaston Wins Carolina Cup In NCHSA Invitational Cheerleading Competition

RALEIGH—North Gaston took top honors in the large varsity division and also captured the Carolina Cup in the fourth annual North Carolina High School Athletic Association state invitational cheerleading championships at Reynolds Coliseum.

Cheer Ltd., Inc., one of the NCHSAA's corporate partners that assists with the invitational championship, established the Carolina Cup to recognize annually the top high school varsity cheerleading team in the state. North Gaston won the Cup for earning the highest cumulative score in the whole competition among varsity teams, regardless of the division in which it competes. Raleigh Sanderson won the Cup a year ago in its inaugural presentation.

Lake Norman became the only four-time winner in the history of the event, winning the small varsity division after taking top honors in the super large varsity division for squads of 22 or more members in every previous NCHSAA invitational.

Matthews David Butler earned the title in the medium varsity division for the third year in a row and Raleigh Cardinal Gibbons took the crown in the super varsity division.

In coed competition, Overhills was the small varsity division champion and Eden Morehead won the large varsity division.

Charlotte Olympic won the small varsity division and Elizabeth City Northeastern won the large varsity award in non-tumble competition.

Fuquay-Varina was the small junior varsity division champion and Lake Norman got the large JV award.

A record number of almost 100 teams participated in the event.

Jerry McGee Adds Another Award To List

Jerry McGee of the North Carolina Athletic Directors Association has added another honor to his long list.

McGee, the executive director of the NCADA, has been named one of three inductees to the Presidential Hall of Fame class of 2007 for the National Council of Secondary School Athletic Directors.

The NCSSAD functions under the guidance and direction of the National Association of Sport and Physical Education (NASPE). One of the functions of the NCSSAD is to gather information, review and then select outstanding athletic directors from across the nation for recognition. These athletic administrators are "professionals who have exemplified exceptional initiative, vision, implementation and leadership and the local, state and national levels."

The induction ceremony will take place in Baltimore, Maryland, on Wednesday, March 14, 2007, in conjunction with the American Alliance of Health, Physical Education and Recreation national conference.

McGee is already a member of the North Carolina High School Athletic Association Hall of Fame.

Endowment Fund Provides For New Recognition Programs

By KAREN DEHART
NCHSAA Director of Development

During the 2006 September Regional meetings, the North Carolina High School Athletic Association recently announced two new awards and promoted two awards that were initiated during the 2005-06 school year, the Clary Medal and the Toby Webb Coach of the Year Award.

Through private donations made to the NCHSAA Endowment Fund, the Association is offering these 3 awards and the staff encourages school administrators to take advantage of these programs.

The Clary Medal. This prestigious annual award is provided to two student athletes, one male and one female. Criteria include grade point average, extra-curricular activities, participation in athletics, and community involvement. Made possible through the Eddie and Jo Allison Smith Family Foundation, this program offers each Clary Medal recipient a unique award given at the NCHSAA Annual Meeting held in May and a \$1,000 scholarship that must be applied towards the students' education at institutions of higher learning.

Last year's recipients were Nicole Harris of North Wilkes High School and Bradley Hardee of South Caldwell High School. The Clary Medal was established in honor of Wilburn C. Clary, an outstanding coach, school administrator and official. Nominations for the Clary Medal must be postmarked by February 9, 2007.

The Toby Webb Coach of the Year Award. Annually, this award will recognize an outstanding male and an outstanding female coach and honor coaches who have had an impact on the lives of student-athletes, and students in general, by

encouraging them to succeed, helping to develop self-confidence, ambition, a sound work ethic, and other skills necessary for success in the students' later lives.

Last year's recipients were Carolyn Rogers of Perquimans High School and Hal Capps of Western Alamance High School. Each received a \$1,000 cash award and a special, commemorative plaque at the 2006 NCHSAA Annual meeting. Toby Webb COY nominations must be postmarked by March 2, 2007.

For the 2006-07 year, the NCHSAA is pleased to present two new awards that have yet to be named. These awards, provided for through a generous Endowment Fund contribution from Coach Gainey's daughter, Berry Gainey Shoen, will honor the memory of Coach Pat Gainey, Sr. and his outstanding contributions towards enhancing athletic programs and participation for female athletes as well as his dedication to the athletes he worked with and the life skills taught to them through his positive leadership and mentoring.

Criteria and nomination materials for the Gainey awards are currently being developed with hopes to make them available to member schools by November 2006. These respective awards will recognize one athlete and one coach per year with a \$2,000 cash award to each recipient. The anticipated deadline for submission of both Gainey awards will be March 23, 2007.

Please take this opportunity to nominate your best candidates for the appropriate awards made available through the NCHSAA Endowment Fund and the generous contributors who so greatly value high school athletics and recognize their important role in life. Nomination materials are currently posted on the official NCHSAA web site at www.nchsaa.org under the awards pull-down menu.

Questions can be directed to Karen DeHart, Director of Development at 919-96-0293.

Defibrillators Available To NCHSAA Schools Through Special Program

CHAPEL HILL—The Collegiate Sports Medicine Foundation has teamed up with Life Signs Americas and the North Carolina High School Athletic Association to offer a unique program, to school nursing, sports medicine programs, and athletic departments.

This program provides an automated external defibrillators (AED) at no cost to the school, training of personnel, maintenance and replacement cost for five years. In addition to the AED, the sports medicine or athletic department at the school would receive a \$1000 voucher or credit with Sports Health.

In exchange for these benefits, Life Signs America would place an Eye Catcher display in a high traffic location on campus or within the community. Life Signs America would then be responsible for selling advertisements to support the AED program.

The school would receive the AED, training, and supply credit when nine advertisements are sold.

For more information regarding this program, schools may contact Deb Plummer at the Collegiate Sports Medicine Foundation at 812-605-0897 or dplummer@csmfoundation.org. Online information is available, including an "Inquiry Form," at www.csmfoundation.org/AED_Program_North_Carolina.html.

Hibriten Inducts Inaugural Class Into Athletic Hall Of Fame

LENOIR—Hibriten High School, recognizing its fortieth anniversary this year, has established the Hibriten High School Athletic Hall of Fame.

Its charter class, including both individual and team recognition, was recognized at a Hibriten home football game during the 2006 season.

The honorees will be permanently recognized on the Athletic Hall of Fame Wall to be erected at Jeff Storie Memorial Stadium.

The initial team to be inducted into the HHS Hall was the 1967-68 team coached by Ron Beane, which went 24-3 and advanced to the NCHSAA state tournament in Winston-Salem.

Four coaches that were honored included Ron Beane, men's basketball coach from 1966 through '73; Wilford Beane, women's basketball coach for 24 years from 1974-98; Ted Luckado, head football coach from 1977-83; Janet Mason, women's basketball coach from 1968-74.

Individual athletes enshrined included Alan Land, Drema Greer, Lewis Propst, Sean Denny, Steven Ferguson and Josh Woodruff.

The project is the work of the Hibriten High School Alumni Association.

HALL OF FAMER—Midway High School Principal Gaynor Canaday was inducted into the East Carolina University Athletics Hall of Fame during Homecoming Weekend at ECU in October. Canaday, one of ECU's all-time women's basketball greats, was head girls' basketball coach at Triton High School before becoming assistant principal and then principal at Midway.

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 35th annual renewal.

The clinic is scheduled for Goldsboro High School on Saturday, January 13, 2007, and features another tremendous lineup. Registration is scheduled from 7:30 to 9:15a.m, and then the clinic will run until 6 p.m.

The clinic is open to all players from Little League through high school, and all coaches at any level are welcome.

Cost of the clinic will be \$55 for preregistration. Lunch is included in the price.

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

- the 2007 high school baseball rules changes will be discussed by NCHSAA assistant executive director Mark Dreibelbis
- **"What College Coaches and Scouts Are Looking for in Today's Players"** will be discussed by Louisburg College head coach Tommy Atkinson, Atlanta Braves major league cross-checker Paul Faulk, East Carolina head coach Billy Godwin, Arizona Diamondbacks area scout Howard McCullough, and San Francisco Giants area scout Pat Portugal;
- **"Practice Organization for the High School Coach"** will include Ohio University head coach Joe Carbone and The Citadel head coach Fred Jordan;
- **"Indoor and On-Field Drills To Become a Better High School Player"** will be discussed by Appalachian State assistant coach Mike Boykin, East Carolina assistant Link Jarrett and Campbell assistant Chris Wiley;
- **Pitching** will be covered by North Carolina assistant coach Scott Forbes, Davidson head coach Dick Cooke, Pitt Community College head coach Tommy Eason, East Carolina assistant Bill Jarman, and Appalachian state head coach Chris Pollard;

- **Catching** will feature Boston Red Sox area scout Tony Guzzo, Campbell head coach Chip Smith, Toronto Blue Jays minor league coach Clayton McCullough, Coastal Carolina assistant coach Kevin Schnall, and Memphis assistant coach Allen Osborne;

- **Infield play** instructors will be Central Florida head coach Jay Bergman, Western Carolina assistant Bradley LeCroy, North Carolina Wesleyan head coach Charlie Long, UNC-Wilmington head coach Mark Scalf and United State Military Academy assistant coach Nick Schnabel;

- **Outfield play** will be covered by North Myrtle Beach (SC) High School head coach Tim Graham, Virginia Military Institute head coach Martin Ikenberry, Mount Olive College head coach Carl Lancaster, Pitt Community College assistant coach Mike Mullis, and retired East Carolina head coach Gary Overton;

- **Hitting** will be discussed by Methodist College head coach Tom Austin, Vanderbilt assistant coach Erik Bakich, Boston College assistant coach Joe Hastings, Western Carolina head coach Todd Raleigh, and Lenoir Community College assistant coach Stoney Wine;

- **Baserunning** will include Atlanta Braves area supervisor Billy Best, former major league manager Dave Bristol, who managed the Reds, Brewers, Braves and Giants; Coastal Carolina head coach Gary Gilmore, North Carolina assistant coach Chad Holbrook, and Old Dominion assistant coach Ryan Morris.

Coach Whitfield will mail information to schools across the state right before Thanksgiving. Questions about the clinic may be directed to George at (919) 778-6013 or write him at 216 Hardwood Drive, Goldsboro, NC 27534.

22nd Annual NCHSAA Day Held At Kenan

CHAPEL HILL—The North Carolina High School Athletic Association was once again recognized by the University of North Carolina at Kenan Stadium during NCHSAA Day.

The North Carolina-South Florida football game was designated as the 22nd annual NCHSAA Day. The university actually spearheaded the founding of the NCHSAA in 1913.

Special halftime activities highlighted NCHSAA Day. The winners of the Wachovia Cup for the 2005-06 academic year, symbolic of the best overall interscholastic sports program in the state, were honored. The winners included Topsail in the 1-A classification; Cardinal Gibbons of Raleigh among 2-A schools; Asheville's T.C. Roberson among 3-A schools for the second consecutive year; and Providence High School of Charlotte in the 4-A class, for the sixth time in school history.

In addition, the newest members of the NCHSAA Hall of Fame were recognized. Al Black of Spring Lake, the late Pat Gainey of Taylorsville and Pamlico prior to that; Charlie Gregory of Randleman, Tommy Hunt of Durham, Joan Riggs of Swansboro and Don Saine of Gastonia have been chosen as the 20th group of inductees to join the prestigious hall. That brings to 102 the number enshrined

These six will formally be inducted into the NCHSAA Hall of Fame next spring during the Hall's annual banquet and induction ceremonies at the Watts Alumni Center in Chapel Hill.

"We are certainly appreciative of the university and its willingness to recognize the North Carolina High School Athletic Association on this special occasion," says Charlie Adams, executive director of the NCHSAA.

Athletic Participation, Funding Sources Are Subjects Of Survey

INDIANAPOLIS, IN—Figures from a recent survey of high school athletic directors conducted by the National Interscholastic Athletic Administrators Association (NIAAA) provide new information regarding high school athletics participation and sports program funding.

Based on information provided by NIAAA members, about 47 percent of all high school students are involved in athletics. These numbers are consistent with the 2005-06 High School Athletics Participation Survey recently conducted by the National Federation of State High School Associations (NFHS).

The NIAAA survey, based on participation data from the 2003-04 school year, also indicated that schools are offering an equal number of opportunities for girls to compete in high school sports. The average number of sports per school was 10.58 for boys and 10.19 for girls. This number has predominantly remained the same for boys the past five years and primarily increased for girls, despite severe budget cuts that many school districts have experienced.

The survey confirmed that more than 82 percent of schools are experiencing athletic budget pressures, primarily related to the lack of support from school district funds. More than 83 percent of the responding schools reported that their athletic department budgets comprise two percent or less of the total school district budget. Amazingly, 40 percent of the schools said that their athletic budgets are less than one percent of their total school district budget, excluding salaries.

"We have always said that athletic department budgets comprise only about one to three percent of an average school's district budget, and the results of the survey substantiated our previous estimates," said Bruce Whitehead, NIAAA executive director. "It is unfortunate that school districts do not allocate more funds for athletics, and it is very distressing when athlet-

ic programs are among the first to be reduced when schools are forced to make financial cuts."

Although many schools have experienced budget reductions, 20 percent of the responding schools reported no change to their athletic budgets while 11 percent reported increases. Of the schools experiencing budget decreases, nearly 30 percent were forced to reduce the amount of money spent on playing supplies and equipment, and 21 percent had to cut back spending on uniforms. Almost 70 percent of the athletic directors

indicated that their schools operated with an athletic budget of less than \$150,000, excluding salaries and new facilities.

Thirty-six percent of the schools responding to the NIAAA survey experienced a decrease in the amount of funding received from the school board, while 21 percent experienced increased funding and 32 percent had no change. In order to make up for that decreased funding, increases in other forms of funding were common.

Topping the list was an increase in booster club funding (55 percent of schools) and revenue from student activities, sports tickets and gate receipts (50 percent of schools). Other increases were reported in supplemental fund-raising revenue (44 percent of schools), corporate/business sponsorships (33 percent of schools) and revenue from participation fees (26 percent of schools).

School board funds remained the top source of athletic budget dollars, accounting for more than 46 percent of the budget. Revenue generated from student activity and sports tickets and gate receipts make up about 32 percent of the average athletic budget, followed by booster club activities (almost 10 percent) and supplemental fund-raising (about seven percent). While many schools have increasingly resorted to athletic participation fees, "pay-to-play" dollars make up only about six percent of the average athletic budget.

In addition, the survey indicated that approximately 65 percent of schools do not require students to pay any fees to participate in athletic programs. Of the schools that do require participation fees, 80 percent charge less than \$100. Furthermore, in those schools that have implemented participation fees, participation has decreased in only approximately 10 percent of those schools, while participation has either remained the same or increased in 90 percent of those schools.

The NIAAA Athletic Director Survey also determined that gender barriers are being crossed in high school athletics. More than 25 percent of boys swimming and diving head coaches are female, followed by about 14 percent of volleyball coaches. Nearly 14 percent of boys tennis head coaches are female and approximately 13 percent of boys cross country teams have female head coaches. Among girls sports, 14 percent of basketball head coaches are male, while roughly 12 percent of track head coaches and cross country head coaches are male. Approximately 11 percent of girls soccer coaches are male.

The NIAAA currently has approximately 6,000 members. The survey was sent to all members with valid e-mail addresses and had a response rate of about 10 percent.



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24th NCHSAA Coach-Captain Retreat Attracts Students From Across State

RESEARCH TRIANGLE PARK—The North Carolina High School Athletic Association held its fall 2006 Coach-Captain Retreat recently, the 24th in a series of successful events.

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

Retreat teams include student-athletes who will be captains or leaders of their athletic squads in the coming 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 that 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 assistant executive director Mark Dreibelbis and student services assistant Chiquana Dancy.

"Student Services is the 'value-added' division of the NCHSAA," said Dreibelbis. "The Coach/Captain Retreat emphasizes the responsibility of student-athletes to take their leadership skills and implement programs promoting positive life skills and total development through athletics to both their school and community. Having the opportunity to develop these initiatives and assist in their implementation is what Student Services is all about. Our programs do make a difference and create winners for life."

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; P.J. Taylor, former coach at Williamston High and safe and drug free schools coordinator for the Martin County Schools; Patrick Gunn, a former teacher and coach at Topsail High School; Coleman Bailey, a teacher and coach at D.H. Conley High school in Greenville; Garry Bryant, who is an NCHSAA official in three different sports; Robert Flanagan, a teacher and coach at Southern Alamance High School; and Susan Cox, athletic director at Perquimans High School.

Teams always conclude their retreat experience by developing an action plan, something that can be taken back and executed in their local school. Among the components of the action plan are bulletin boards in the school, public service announcements for the school intercom, a community service project, a newsletter for student-athletes and other school/community ideas generated by the team itself.

In addition to the staff, there were 92 participants in the retreat, with a total of 67 student-athletes and 25 adults attending. The adult total included 16 coaches, representing a total of 14 different schools, and nine parents of athletes.

Teams at the retreat represented the following schools:

Alexander Central, East Lincoln, Fayetteville Jack Britt, Claremont Bunker Hill, Matthews David Butler, Greenville D.H. Conley, East Davidson, Franklinton, Wilmington Laney, McDowell, Raleigh Millbrook, North Wilkes, Southern Guilford, Weldon, and West Brunswick.



CHAMPIONSHIP REVIEW

VOLLEYBALL



Person, Hendersonville, Gibbons, Southwest Guilford Take State Championships

RALEIGH—Person, Hendersonville, Cardinal Gibbons and Southwest Guilford each took state titles in their respective classifications in the North Carolina High School Athletic Association state volleyball championships at Reynolds Coliseum.

Person dropped the opening game in the 4-A championship and then stormed back to win by 23-25, 26-24, 25-23 and 25-20. Providence led 8-4 in the fourth game before the Rockets came back and then pulled away from an 18-all tie to take the title.

Setter Amanda Clark of Person was the Most Valuable Player of the 4-A championship as the Rockets won their 25th consecutive match to finish the year 26-1.

Providence lost for the first time in five appearances in an NCHSAA state volleyball final and ended the year at 27-2.

The 1-A battle was a classic that went the full five games, with Hendersonville dropping the first two and then rallying to win 22-25, 17-25, 25-13, 25-17 and 15-9 over Pender. It was Hendersonville's eighth state volleyball title in 10 appearances in the championship as the Lady Bearcats closed the year at 25-4. Pender finished 26-3.

Bailey Hunter of Hendersonville, with over 30 kills for the match, was named the MVP of the 1-A final for the second straight year.

The 2-A championship was a rematch of last year's final, and Raleigh Cardinal Gibbons once again prevailed over West Henderson. West took the opening game 25-23 but the Crusaders came back to sweep the next three, 25-16, 25-16 and 25-21.

Junior Katie Kabbes of Cardinal Gibbons was named the MVP of the 2-A championship.

West head a 19-14 lead in game two before Gibbons fought back to even the match. Gibbons had a fairly easy time in game three but the fourth contest was knotted at 21 before the Crusaders pulled away to clinch the title.

Gibbons dealt West its only loss of the year and avenged an early season defeat at the hands of West Henderson in a tournament. West Henderson lost for the first time after 26 victories while the Crusaders finished 29-4.

Senior Sarah Schermerhorn led Southwest Guilford to a three-game sweep over Oxford Webb for the 3-A championship. Schermerhorn earned MVP honors as Southwest scored wins of 25-22, 25-19 and 25-20.

Webb, which ended its season at 21-6 in its first title match visit, had leads late in both of the first two games but couldn't hold on. Then the Warriors trailed 18-13 in the third game and sliced the lead to 20-19, but the Cowgirls pulled away to take the title.

Southwest earned its second NCHSAA volleyball title, finishing with 26 consecutive wins en route to a 27-1 record.

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CROSS COUNTRY



Chapel Hill Sweeps 4-A Cross Country Titles

CLEMMONS—Chapel Hill swept both North Carolina High School Athletic Association state 4-A cross-country team championships in action at Tanglewood Park.

The Chapel Hill men, led by individual winner Taylor Gilland of the Tigers, had 52 points to 104 for Charlotte Myers Park and 136 for Raleigh Enloe. On the women's side, Chapel Hill had 40 points to 78 for runner-up Charlotte Providence. Sophomore Kim Spano of North Mecklenburg was the individual 4-A women's winner, outdistancing the field by almost 30 seconds in 18:20.92.

Both Chapel Hill teams were defending champions in the 4-A classification.

T.C. Roberson of Asheville won its third straight women's title with 46 points to 106 for Asheville. Roberson's Caroline Kirby, a junior, won her second consecutive individual crown in 19:09.34.

Mooresville captured the men's 3-A team title with 75 points to 119 for second-place Roberson. Hickory's Ryan Hill was the individual champ in 16:00.10.

Cardinal Gibbons of Raleigh won both the men's and women's team titles in 2-A. Sean Howell of Cardinal Gibbons was the individual men's winner while Heather Beichner of Gibbons was the women's titlist.

Hayesville slipped past Kernersville Bishop McGuinness in the 1-A women's team standings, scoring 61 points to 64 for McGuinness. Topsail, which finished third, produced the individual champ in Zatha Loewen in a time of 19:22.76.

The 1-A men's team crown went to the North Carolina School of Science and Math with 31 points, followed by Hayesville with 59. Kyle Ingram of Hayesville, in a time of 16:21.30, was the champ by over 40 seconds.

WOMEN'S GOLF



Page's Strandberg, Myers Park Team Take 4-A Women's Golf

PINEHURST—Junior Julia Strandberg of Greensboro Page shot a two-over par 74 and held on to win the North Carolina High School Athletic Association state 4-A women's golf championship at Pinehurst number five.

Strandberg was among three golfers tied for the lead after the

first round in the 36-hole event on the par 72, 5,709-yard layout. But her closing round was good enough for a two-shot advantage over a trio of golfers.

Myers Park and Asheville A.C. Reynolds were knotted for the team lead after the first day, but Myers Park tallied a 154 team score on the second day to finish at 311, nine shots ahead of Northwest Guilford. Reynolds fell to fifth, training Gastonia Ashbrook and Greensboro Page.

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NCHSAA 2006 STATE 4-A WOMEN'S GOLF CHAMPIONSHIPS Pinehurst number 5

Final Team Standings-Top 10

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| 1. Charlotte Myers Park | 157-154—311 |
| 2. Northwest Guilford | 166-154—320 |
| 3. Gastonia Ashbrook | 165-158—323 |
| 4. Greensboro Page | 164-162—326 |
| 5. Asheville A.C. Reynolds | 157-171—328 |
| 6. Raleigh Leesville Road | 166-163—329 |
| 7. Wilmington New Hanover | 167-167—334 |
| Raleigh Broughton | 168-166—334 |
| Morrisville Green Hope | 168-166—334 |
| 10. Chapel Hill | 170-165—335 |

Final Individual Leaders

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| 1. Julia Strandberg, Greensboro Page | 72-74—146 |
| 2. Jennifer O'Connor, Raleigh Leesville Road | 76-72—148 |
| Colleen Estes, Morrisville Green Hope | 72-76—148 |
| Virginia Mayer, Charlotte Myers Park | 72-76—148 |
| 5. Erica Creed, Northwest Guilford | 80-70—150 |

Porter Ridge's Gunter Comes From Behind To Win 1A/2A/3A Women's Golf Championship

BUIES CREEK—Sophomore Courtney Gunter of Indian Trail Porter Ridge fired the only sub-par round of the day to come from behind to win the North Carolina High School Athletic Association state 1A/2A/3A women's golf individual championship at Keith Hills Country Club.

Gunter was in fourth place after the first day in the 36-hole tournament, six shots behind defending champion and leader Cydney Clanton of Concord. But Gunter shot a two-under par 70 on Tuesday and birdied the 16th, 17th and 18th holes in the process, vaulting her to a 149 total. That was three shots ahead of Clanton, who had a final-day 79.

The team race also saw a come-from-behind effort, as Salisbury shaved 14 shots off its first day score to defend its championship successfully. Salisbury finished with a 330, two shots ahead of first-day leader Wilson Fike.

The best two scores of a team counted toward the team total. A total of 77 golfers competed in the event on the 5,638-yard layout, the fourth year that a separate 1A/2A/3A championship has been held.

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NCHSAA 2006 STATE 1A/2A/3A WOMEN'S GOLF CHAMPIONSHIPS

Final Team Standings-Top Ten

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| 1. Salisbury | 172-158—330 |
| 2. Wilson Fike | 163-169—332 |
| 3. Jamestown Ragsdale | 175-165—340 |

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| 4. Belmont South Point | 181-168—349 |
| 5. Asheboro | 181-171—352 |
| 6. North Lincoln | 186-169—355 |
| 7. Lake Norman | 179-178—357 |
| 8. Western Alamance | 179-183—362 |
| 9. Mooresville | 187-176—363 |
| 10. Southeast Guilford | 178-187—365 |

Final Individual Leaders

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| 1. Courtney Gunter, Porter Ridge | 79-70—149 |
| 2. Cydney Clanton, Concord | 73-79—152 |
| 3. Lauren Smith, Salisbury | 78-76—154 |
| 4. Amy Otteson, Wilson Fike | 77-82—159 |
| 5. Laura Chang, Ragsdale | 83-79—162 |

Singles: Nancy Reilly (CG) def. Susie Wear 6-3, 6-3; Casey Collins (Sal) def. Scottie Whiteley 6-1, 6-3; Hannah Lebowitz (Sal) def. Fiona Steer 6-1, 6-1; Chris Leonard (Sal) def. Catherine Norris 6-3, 6-0; Meredith Weisler (Sal) def. Casey Perriccio 3-6, 6-2, (12-10); Ellen Emerson (Sal) def. Chelsea Gailley 6-3, 6-4.

Doubles not played.

Class 3-A: Hickory 5, Cameron Union Pines 1

Singles: Neena Wanko (UP) def. Emily Mauser 6-2, 6-1; Stephani Synn (H) def. Katie Kelly 6-1, 6-2; Stephanie Teague (H) def. Natasha Whetzel 6-1, 6-2; Julie Anderson (H) def. Lydia Stalls 7-6 (8), 6-4; Caitlin Phillips (H) def. Maura Lenahan 6-1, 6-2; Ana Juerges (H) def. Kendra Black 6-0, 6-2.

Doubles not played.

Class 4-A: Greensboro Page 5, Raleigh Broughton 2

Singles: Melissa Wolf (Page) def. Marianne Simpson 6-3, 7-5; Caroline Newman (Page) def. Martha Williams 6-1, 6-1; Jennifer Stone (Page) def. Katy Plott 6-0, 6-1; Jennifer Ansari (Page) def. Hannah Waddell 6-0, 6-3; Caitie Walters (B) def. Madison Owsley 6-4, 0-6, (10-5); Ali Carlino (B) def. Christine Ruggiero 6-2, 6-1.

Doubles: Caroline Newman-Jennifer Stone (Page) def. Marianne Simpson-Martha Williams 10-0; other doubles were not completed-Katy Platt-Hannah Waddell (B) vs. Melissa Wolf-Jennifer Ansari (Page); Caitie Walters-Ali Carlino (B) vs. Christine Ruggiero-Preston Stakias (Page).

WOMEN'S DUAL TEAM TENNIS



Page, Hickory, Salisbury, Jordan-Matthews Take Tennis Titles

BURLINGTON—Greensboro Page won its third consecutive North Carolina High School Athletic Association 4-A women's dual team tennis title as the Pirates defeated Raleigh Broughton 5-2 in action on a cold Saturday at the Burlington Tennis Center.

Page finished the season 20-0 and won its 59th consecutive dual match. It was the fifth consecutive year the two teams met in the finals.

Broughton wound up 17-1 on the year and made its 12th consecutive visit in the dual-team championships. The Caps won the last two singles matches but Page's victory at number-one doubles secured the title.

Hickory captured the 3-A crown, capping an 18-0 season by defeating Cameron Union Pines 5-1. The Red Tornadoes won their second state crown in six appearances in the final and dealt Union Pines its only loss in 19 starts;

Salisbury earned the 2-A title, its fourth overall, downing Raleigh Cardinal Gibbons 5-1 to finish the year 22-1. Siler City Jordan-Matthews took the 1-A championship by blanking Hampstead Topsail 6-0 to complete a perfect 21-0 campaign.

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**NCHSAA STATE WOMEN'S DUAL TEAM TENNIS CHAMPIONSHIPS
Burlington Tennis Center**

Saturday's Results

Class 1-A: Siler City Jordan-Matthews 6, Hampstead Topsail 0

Singles: Michelle Pyrtle (JM) def. Kaitlen Powers 6-3, 6-2; Jennifer Dameron (JM) def. Martha Morris 6-2, 6-1; Molly Parks (JM) def. Brittany Cockrell 6-3, 6-4; Taylor Roper (JM) def. Kylie Moeller 6-0, 6-0; Brittany Woolard (JM) def. Jessie Patterson 6-3, 6-0; Chelsea Hurt (JM) def. Kendra Kessler 6-1, 6-0.

Doubles not played.

Class 2-A: Salisbury 5, Raleigh Cardinal Gibbons 1

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 350 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 interns Will Harrison and Matt Locklear 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 a regular feature 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.

Top Coaching Marks

Football

| Coach | School | Record | Years |
|------------------|--------------------|------------|-------|
| 1. Jack Holley | Wallace-Rose Hill | 369-86-9 | 39 |
| 2. Robert Paroli | Seventy-First | 351-164-11 | 48 |
| 3. Tom Brown | Maiden | 342-109-7 | 39 |
| 4. B.W. Holt | Rocky Mount | 263-102 | 38 |
| 5. David Gentry | Murphy | 261-142 | 35 |
| 6. Jerry Cash | East Rutherford | 252-153-3 | 36 |
| 7. Dick Cline | Glenn | 234-90 | 28 |
| 8. Dixon Sauls | Farmville Central | 232-108 | 29 |
| 9. E.Z. Smith | Concord | 231-85-1 | 26 |
| 10. Sam Story | Walter M. Williams | 225-90 | 23 |

Men's Basketball

| Coach | School | Record | Years |
|---------------------|-------------------|---------|-------|
| 1. Bob Murphrey | Ayden-Grifton | 639-315 | 41 |
| 2. Butch Smart | Highlands | 631-526 | 38 |
| 3. Howard West | Ronald Reagan | 588-245 | 33 |
| 4. Jerry Woodside | South Central | 569-234 | 30 |
| 5. David Price | James B. Dudley | 544-192 | 30 |
| 6. Danny Anderson | West Caldwell | 475-179 | 24 |
| 7. Marc Payne | Ashe County | 452-341 | 31 |
| 8. Doug Plemmons | Franklin | 439-185 | 23 |
| 9. John Harder | Morehead | 422-301 | 29 |
| 10. Charles Simmons | Hertford | 406-189 | 25 |
| 10. Steve Robinson | Wallace-Rose Hill | 406-160 | 17 |
| 12. Mike Connelley | Central Academy | 405-265 | 27 |

Women's Basketball

| Coach | School | Record | Years |
|------------------------|--------------------------|---------|-------|
| 1. Mike Silver | McDowell | 624-196 | 31 |
| 2. Sandra Langley | SouthWest Edgecombe | 596-192 | 31 |
| 3. Jim Young | Eastern Randolph | 539-241 | 30 |
| 4. Jerry Hunter | East Dublin | 514-182 | 31 |
| 5. Kenny Carter | High Point Central | 500-86 | 22 |
| 6. Gerald Binkley | Chatham Central | 449-194 | 24 |
| 7. Gil Bowman | Terry Sanford | 446-244 | 26 |
| 8. Eva Patterson Heath | Red Springs | 436-114 | 21 |
| 8. Fred White | Holmes | 436-293 | 29 |
| 9. Laurie Calder-Green | Cedar Ridge | 423-108 | 26 |
| 10. Don Corry | Southwestern Randolph | 406-126 | 19 |

Baseball

| Coach | School | Record | Years |
|---------------------|-------------------|-----------|-------|
| 1. Ronald Vincent | J.H. Rose | 697-181 | 35 |
| 2. Barry Hall | East Surry | 532-271 | 31 |
| 3. Tom Smith | T.C. Roberson | 478-160 | 28 |
| 4. Milton Senter | Fuquay-Varina | 453-236 | 28 |
| 5. Gary Comer | Alexander Central | 430-181 | 30 |
| 6. Mike Mahaffey | Bessemer City | 389-235 | 26 |
| 7. Chris Ross | Ayden-Grifton | 381-121 | 22 |
| 8. Marty Curtis | Bunker Hill | 369-344 | 34 |
| 9. Darrell Van Dyke | East Gaston | 361-280-2 | 28 |
| 9. Charlie Gamble | Southern Guilford | 361-281 | 28 |
| 10. Jim Hyatt | West Henderson | 356-71 | 17 |

Softball

| Coach | School | Record | Years |
|-----------------------|------------------|---------|-------|
| 1. Eddie Dees | South View | 522-123 | 24 |
| 2. Monte Sherrill | Central Cabarrus | 483-45 | 17 |
| 3. George Daniels | North Johnston | 290-225 | 27 |
| 4. Mike Williams | Graham | 277-178 | 22 |
| 5. Ed Rivers | Forest Hills | 259-209 | 27 |
| 6. Chip Adams | Ashley | 245-60 | 12 |
| 7. Denise Wilson | Orange | 228-156 | 20 |
| 8. Sabrina Wilson | Jack Britt | 221-91 | 15 |
| 9. Colleen St. Ledger | Hoggard | 217-117 | 16 |
| 10. Bonnie Hodge | Apex | 213-50 | 20 |

Men's Soccer

| Coach | School | Record | Years |
|-------------------|--------------------|------------|-------|
| 1. Steve Morgan | Alexander Central | 630-104-46 | 24 |
| 2. Rob Szitas | Southwest Guilford | 516-226-22 | 21 |
| 3. Rob Wilcher | T.C. Roberson | 367-85-22 | 20 |
| 4. Charlie Harvey | J.H. Rose | 332-142-28 | 28 |
| 5. Mike Sink | Trinity | 317-142-19 | 21 |
| 6. Keith Donnelly | Mount Tabor | 312-84-28 | 18 |
| 7. William Hilton | Central Academy | 286-13-5 | 12 |
| 8. Tom Sexton | Salisbury | 263-89-9 | 17 |
| 9. Brent Walston | North Johnston | 254-73-15 | 15 |

Women's Soccer

| Coach | School | Record | Years |
|-------------------|----------------|------------|-------|
| 1. Izzy Hernandez | Broughton | 372-28-24 | 17 |
| 2. Keith Donnelly | Mount Tabor | 264-113-29 | 19 |
| 3. Terry Frazier | Roanoke Rapids | 251-41-6 | 14 |
| 4. Rob Wilcher | T.C. Roberson | 241-42-13 | 10 |
| 5. Mike Flowe | Asheville | 221-55-13 | 12 |
| 6. John Teller | Hoggard | 210-111-17 | 34 |
| 7. Lorna Martin | Pinecrest | 208-65-23 | 15 |
| 8. Bob Parry | North Stanley | 207-111-11 | 20 |

Wrestling

| Coach | School | Record | Years |
|---------------------|----------------|-----------|-------|
| 1. Walter Tolarchyk | Riverside | 663-76-3 | 37 |
| 2. Bill Mayhew | South Iredell | 650-158-1 | 42 |
| 3. Buddy Lowery | Davie County | 536-78-2 | 30 |
| 4. Jerry Winterton | Cary | 505-33 | 27 |
| 5. Greg Frey | Morehead | 496-109 | 29 |
| 6. Jim Barnes | E.E. Waddell | 416-23 | 30 |
| 7. R.L. Lail | Hickory | 343-232 | 18 |
| 8. Bobby Shriner | Orange | 324-54 | 19 |
| 9. Chip Bunn | Green Hope | 310-89 | 15 |
| 10. Scott Gains | East Gaston | 303-92 | 16 |
| 10. Jeff Smith | West Henderson | 303-102-3 | 20 |

Volleyball

| Coach | School | Record | Years |
|------------------------|--------------------------|---------|-------|
| 1. Jan Stanley | West Henderson | 595-111 | 31 |
| 2. Ron Strickland | Hoggard | 546-133 | 28 |
| 3. Laurie Calder-Green | Cedar Ridge | 539-130 | 28 |
| 4. Barbara Foxx | Pinecrest | 517-128 | 29 |
| 5. Ruby Sutton | Laney | 469-171 | 28 |
| 6. Marty Woods | McMichael | 395-168 | 28 |
| 7. Linda Richards | Newton-Conover | 384-65 | 20 |
| 8. Julie Dickens | Pamlico County | 370-95 | 24 |
| 9. Donnie Hannah | Whiteville | 366-103 | 25 |
| 10. George Bowman | Southwestern Randolph | 362-70 | 19 |



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