

**NIAGARA-ORLEANS  
ATHLETIC LEAGUE  
BANQUET**



**MIDDLEPORT FIRE HALL  
JUNE 24, 2024**

# Dinner Agenda

**Welcome**

Jeff Roth, Wilson  
Gary Bell, Roy-Hart

**Invocation**

Dave Carson, Barker

**Introductions**

Jeff Roth, Wilson

**League Champion Coaches**

Rob Mucha, Barker

**20-Year League Service Awards**

John Grzymala, Roy-Hart

**Distinguished Service Award  
Recipients**

Rob Mucha, Barker  
Mariah LaSpina, Albion

**N-O League Officials Award  
Winner**

John Grzymala, Roy-Hart

**N-O League Sportsmanship  
Coaches**

Eric Valley, Medina  
Chance Puianno, Newfane

**N-O League Sportsmanship  
School**

Mariah LaSpina, Albion

**Foundation Awards**

John Grzymala, Roy-Hart  
Eric Valley, Medina

**Raffle/Door Prizes**

# Niagara-Orleans League Executive Committee

## 2023 – 2024

<b>President</b>	Jill Heck, Roy-Hart
<b>Vice President</b>	Mickey Edwards, Albion
<b>Athletic Directors</b>	Joel Reed, Medina Chance Puinno, Newfane Jeffrey Roth, Wilson
<b>High School Principals</b>	Stephen Dimitroff, Akron Micaela Love, Barker
<b>League Executive Secretary</b>	Jeffrey Roth, Wilson
<b>League Assignor</b>	John Grzymala, Roy-Hart
<b>League Treasurer</b>	Jeffrey Roth, Wilson
<b>Boys Representative to Section VI</b>	John Grzymala, Roy-Hart  Joel Reed, Medina
<b>Girls Representative to Section VI</b>	Stephen Dimitroff, Akron
<b>Principal's Representative to Section VI</b>	Jacob Reimer, Barker
<b>Superintendent's Representative to Section VI</b>	

# Foundation Awards

## 1987 – 1988

Pat Duffy, Newfane  
Walter Hutchison, Wilson  
Bruce Pacini, Roy-Hart  
Tom Wetzen, Akron  
John “Pinky” Loughlin, Medina

## 1988 – 1989

Beverly Blewett, Newfane  
Dave March, Roy-Hart  
Angelo Scappa, Akron

## 1989 – 1990

Jan Williams, Akron  
Nunzio Maiorana, Medina  
Harold Ruppert, Starpoint

## 1990 – 1991

Ed Stackwick, Albion  
James Landshaft, Newfane

## 1991 – 1992

Geraldine Julias, Wilson  
Phil Clarico, Roy-Hart

## 1992 – 1993

Richard Zipp, Wilson

## 1993 – 1994

Jerry Drayer, Arkon

## 1994 – 1995

Ed Weider, Medina

## 1995 – 1996

Jack Silvernail, Akron

## 1996 – 1997

Robert Dinse, Wilson

## 1997 – 1998

John Villella, Newfane  
Roger Harrison, Barker

## 1998 – 1999

Ron Black, Akron

## 1999 – 2000

## 2000 – 2001

Gary Kingsbury, Albion

## 2001 – 2002

Larry Lutz, Roy-Hart

## 2002 – 2003

Ronald Sodoma, Albion

## 2003 – 2004

Bill Donovan, Roy-Hart

## 2004 – 2005

Mike Wertman, Newfane  
Jim Conley, Newfane

## 2005 – 2006

Jeanne Drier, Akron

## 2006 – 2007

Allyn Perry, Wilson

## 2007 – 2008

Bill Stedman, Barker

## 2008 – 2009

Richard Diminuco, Albion

## 2009 - 2010

Michael Wendt, Wilson

## 2010 – 2011

Larry Decker, Medina  
Nick Benedetti, Medina

## 2011 – 2012

Gary Mannella, Albion  
Dick Lang, Roy-Hart  
Bill Tierney, Medina

## 2012 – 2013

David Boice, Medina  
Dick Liddell, Medina  
Robert Roth, Barker

## 2013 – 2014

Judith Coleman-Otto, Barker  
John “Al” Johnson, Albion

## 2014 – 2015

Scott Grimm, Medina  
Charles Jufer, Wilson  
Bill Ossont, Medina

## 2015 - 2016

Robert Ord, Albion  
Jack Kiebala, Medina  
Steve O’Dea, Medina

## 2016 - 2017

Jeff Evoy, Medina  
Bill Ames, Medina  
Bill Leardini, Wilson  
Larry Lash, Wilson

## 2017 - 2018

Wayne Wadhams, Albion  
Keith Piccirilli, Albion  
Ann Capacci, Albion

## 2018 - 2019

Dr. Roger Klatt, Barker/Roy-Hart  
Bill Wilson, Barker  
Tom Mufford, Barker

## 2019 - 2020

Bill Holahan, Roy-Hart  
Sue Holland, Medina  
Pat Holman, Albion

## 2020 - 2021

No Dinner

## 2021-2022

Don Baker, Roy-Hart  
Ray Groff, Wilson  
Ken Stoldt, Akron

## 2022-2023

Doug Ames, Newfane  
Randy Knaak, Albion

## 2023-2024

John Jablonski, RH/Akron  
Chris Horgan, RH/Medina

Richard Jenkins, Akron  
Norman Kopeck, Newfane

Alec Sherman, Albion

## Distinguished Service Awards

### 2014 - 2015

Jerry Kadryna, Wilson

Christine Twarozek, CSAT

Angelo Nunnari, Newfane

### 2015 - 2016

Kelly Ricker, Albion

Gale Doe, Wilson

### 2016 - 2017

Sharon Catalano, Akron

Kathy Downs, Barker

### 2017 - 2018

Scott Heilgenthaler, Official

### 2018 - 2019

Sue Benoit, Barker

Marty Horanburg, Newfane

### 2019 - 2020

Dave King, Medina

Jerry Bartko, Official

### 2020 - 2021

No Dinner

### 2021-2022

Gerhard Leuer, Medina

“Bean”

### 2022-2023

Roxanne Benton, Wilson

### 2023-2024

Jim Cantella, Barker

Kevin Hazel, Albion

## Sportsmanship Coaches

### 2007-2008

John Jablonski, Roy-Hart

### 2008-2009

Linea Fetzer, Newfane

### 2009-2010

Gary Mannella, Albion

### 2010-2011

Brett Sippel, Wilson

### 2011-2012

Karen Fawcett, Newfane

### 2012-2013

Bill Holahan

### 2013-2014

William Wilson, Barker

### 2014-2015

Ann Capacci, Albion

John Jablonski, Roy-Hart

### 2015-2016

Marlene Stone, Akron

Jay Kovaleski, Albion

### 2016-2017

William Dambra, Albion

Deb Wood, Albion

### 2018-2019

Mary Dooley, Medina

Jeff Costello, Barker

### 2020-2021

Sharon Lamb, Barker

Ken Stoldt, Akron

### 2021-2022

Ed Apholtz, Akron

Gary Sundown, Akron

### 2022-2023

Eric Gross, Medina

Grace Swick, Roy-Hart

### 2023-2024

Eric Klumpp, Newfane

Melissa Valley, Medina

# **N-O League Officials Award**

**2022-2023**

Sil Dan

Boys/Girls Basketball

**2023-2024**

Mike Talluto

Girls Soccer/Girls Basketball

*N-O League Officials Award*





**Mike Talluto**

*N-O Officials Award Recipient 2023-2024*

*Section VI Official*

Girls Basketball - 45 Years Officiating

Girls Soccer - 15 Years Officiating

## **20 Year Coaches**

***THANK YOU TO OUR COACHES WITH 20 OR MORE YEARS OF SERVICE***

### **AKRON**

<b>Judy Abraham</b>	<b>27 yrs. retired</b>
Nancy Bennett	28 yrs. active
Daric Brege	26 yrs. active
<b>Dick Beyer</b>	<b>24 yrs. retired</b>
<b>Ron Black</b>	<b>34 yrs. retired</b>
Mary Borden	22 yrs. active
Dave Butler	30 yrs. retired
Jerry Drayer	29 yrs. retired
Jeannie Drier	30 yrs. retired
<b>David Fish</b>	<b>30 yrs. retired</b>
Justin Gerstung	21 yrs. active
<b>Dick Jenkins</b>	<b>33 yrs. retired</b>
<b>Angelo Scappa</b>	<b>29 yrs. retired</b>
<b>Carl Schleich</b>	<b>29 yrs. retired</b>
<b>Jack Silvernail</b>	<b>32 yrs. retired</b>

### **ALBION**

Don Adams	27 yrs. active
Bruce Blanchard	26 yrs. active
Carlos Burroughs	30 yrs. retired
Ann Capacci	39 yrs. retired
Dick Diminuco	34 yrs. retired
<b>Ben Gerbig</b>	<b>33 yrs. retired</b>
<b>Larry Hazzard</b>	<b>31 yrs. retired</b>
Pat Holman	33 yrs. retired
Al Johnson	31 yrs. retired
Randy Knaak	23 yrs. inactive
<b>Gary Kingsbury</b>	<b>29 yrs. retired</b>
Gary Mannella	35 yrs. retired
Tom Mayer	34 yrs. retired
Tammorah Neal	22 yrs. retired
Robert Ord	24 yrs. retired

**AKRON**

<b>Tom Wetzen</b>	<b>37 yrs. retired</b>
<b>Jan Williams</b>	<b>40 yrs. retired</b>
Ken Stoldt	20 yrs. retired

**ALBION**

<b>Gary Parisi</b>	<b>35 yrs. retired</b>
Jeremy Petrus	20 yrs. inactive
Alec Sherman	30 yrs. retired
Patrick Uveino	20 yrs. active
Mark VanDerKarr	30 yrs. retired
Wayne Wadhams	32 yrs. retired
Deb Wood	33 yrs. retired
Keith Piccirilli	36 yrs. retired
Jay Kovaleski	20 yrs. active

**20 Year Coaches - *Continued***

**BARKER**

<b>Bill Annable</b>	<b>23 yrs. retired</b>
<b>John Bertha</b>	<b>27 yrs. retired</b>
Bill Bruning	31 yrs. active
<b>Jim Cantella</b>	<b>29 yrs. retired</b>
Dave Carson	21 yrs. inactive
Jeff Costello	27 yrs. active
Paul Dersarkissian	28 yrs. active
Jon Dewart	24 yrs. retired
<b>John Fisher</b>	<b>27 yrs. retired</b>
Scott Fuller	24 yrs. retired
<b>Roger Harrison</b>	<b>44 yrs. retired</b>
Paul Harvey	31 yrs. retired
Sharon Lamb	32 yrs. active
Dan Luckman	22 yrs. retired
Diane MacEvoy	26 yrs. retired
Rob Mucha	22 yrs. active
Thomas Mufford	37 yrs. retired
Tom Olsen	27 yrs. retired
Judy Otto	41 yrs. retired
Bob Roth	33 yrs. retired
Bill Stedman	39 yrs. retired
George Teague	20 yrs. retired
Bill Wilson	34 yrs. retired

**MEDINA**

<b>Bill Ames</b>	<b>23 yrs. retired</b>
Nick Benedetti	35 yrs. retired
Dave Boice	29 yrs. retired
Mike Crandall	30 yrs. retired
<b>Larry Decker</b>	<b>32 yrs. retired</b>
Jeff Dole	22 yrs. active
Tom Forrestel	25 yrs. active
John Fox	36 yrs. retired
Larry Fox	20 yrs. retired
Scott Grimm	32 yrs. retired
Eric Gross	28 yrs. active
Eric Hellwig	29 yrs. active
<b>Dick Hiwiler</b>	<b>23 yrs. retired</b>
Chris Horgan	30 yrs. retired
Jack Kiebala	22 yrs. retired
Mark Kruzynski	21 yrs. inactive
<b>John Loughlin</b>	<b>28 yrs. retired</b>
Gordy Luthart	27 yrs. active
<b>Harvey Lyndecker</b>	<b>22 yrs. retired</b>
<b>Nunzio Maiorana</b>	<b>25 yrs. retired</b>
<b>Chuck Mancuso</b>	<b>22 yrs. retired</b>
<b>Austin Martin</b>	<b>22 yrs. retired</b>
<b>Melvin Miller</b>	<b>22 yrs. retired</b>
Steve O'Dea	22 yrs. retired
William Ossont	28 yrs. retired
<b>David Parsons</b>	<b>22 yrs. retired</b>
Mike Schrecongost	27 yrs. retired
<b>William Tierney</b>	<b>24 yrs. retired</b>
Eric Valley	28 yrs. active
Ed Weider	22 yrs. retired

Kristi Young	27 yrs. inactive
Tom Forrestel	25 yrs active

## 20 Year Coaches - *Continued*

### NEWFANE

Doug Ames	38 yrs. active
Beverly Blewett	30 yrs. retired
Jim Caveretta	42 yrs. retired
John Chiavaro	20 yrs. retired
Jim Conley	40 yrs. retired
Pat Duffy	32 yrs. retired
Ed Fitzsimmons	22 yrs. retired
<b>Dick Geise</b>	<b>20 yrs. retired</b>
Marty Horanburg	30 yrs. active
Jeff Kneeland	24 yrs. retired
<b>Norm Kopeck</b>	<b>26 yrs. retired</b>
<b>Dick Lang</b>	<b>33 yrs. retired</b>
Lee Lewis	21 yrs. retired
Ross Livergood	25+ yrs. retired
Sal Montesanti	24 yrs. active
Eric Klumpp	23 yrs. active
Mike Capen	25 yrs. active
Chuck Nagel	20 yrs. active
Mike Heitzenrater	23 yrs. active
Henri Kursten	20 Yrs. active

### ROY-HART

Don Baker	39 yrs. retired
Dottie Barr	23 yrs. active
<b>Phil Ciarico</b>	<b>32 yrs. retired</b>
<b>Bill Donovan</b>	<b>32 yrs. retired</b>
Lucy Fuller	25 yrs. retired
Bill Holahan	41 yrs. retired
Carl Husung	35 yrs. active
John Jablonski	36 yrs. retired
Larry Lutz	33 yrs, retired
<b>Ted Maloney</b>	<b>30 yrs. retired</b>
<b>Dave March</b>	<b>33 yrs. retired</b>
Greg Martillotta	26 yrs. retired
Doug Meyer	22 yrs. retired
<b>Bruno Pacini</b>	<b>31 yrs. retired</b>
John Reith	25 yrs. active
Mark Rydza	26 yrs. retired
Dick Westcott	23 yrs. retired
Barry Webber	20 yrs. active

## **20 Year Coaches - *Continued***

### **WILSON**

William Atlas 24 yrs. active

Tom "TJ" Baia 32 yrs. active

Brian Baker 23 yrs. active

Jackie Benton 21 yrs. retired

Tom Covey 22 yrs. retired

**Robert Dinse 34 yrs. retired**

Ray Groff 28 yrs. retired

**Robert Hartz 26 yrs. retired**

Charles Jufer 35 yrs. retired

Geraldine Julias 26 yrs. retired

Mark Kurtz 21 yrs. retired

Larry Lash 48 yrs. active

Jamie Lepsch 22 yrs. active

**Dick Liddell 26 yrs. retired**

Allyn Perry 28 yrs. retired

Peter Reagan 28 yrs. retired

**William Rosso 21+ yrs. retired**

**Dick Schwertfager 20 yrs. retired**

Brett Sippel 27 yrs. active

Garrett Stack 28 yrs. active

Jeff Rogers 32 yrs. active



## **AKRON CENTRAL SCHOOL DISTRICT**

Superintendent of Schools....Andrea Kersten

H.S. Principal...Stephen Dimitroff

Athletic Directors...Stephen Dimitroff and Joseph Caprio

Athletic Secretary...Wendy Pazedersk

### **Cheerleading**

Bonnie James

### **Cross Country**

Nancy Bennett

Ryan Carberry

### **Field Hockey**

Marlene Stone

Mary Borden

Abby Stone

Claudia Stone

### **Football**

Andy Clouse

Steve Patterson

### **Boys Soccer**

Jack Cislak

Marcus Kenline

### **Girls Soccer**

Ed Apholz

Frank Buscaglia

Greg Bell

Nina Komosinski

### **Volleyball**

Brenda Sundown

Madeline Schulz

Antoinette Abrams

### **Boys Basketball**

Justin Gerstung

### **Girls Basketball**

Sue Guyton

Rob Westmiller

Antoinette Abrams

Brittany Schukraft

### **Wrestling**

Adrian Ross

Ethan PeQueen

### **Swimming**

Andrea Toussaint

Nicole Johnson

Mary Borden

### **Baseball**

Greg Bell

### **Lacrosse**

Gary Sundown

Garrett Schultz

Bryan Bellis

Dave Knupfer

Larson Sundown

Nelson Logan

### **Track & Field**

Daric Brege

Bob Kowalik

Mary Borden

Elise Leeds

Deegan Lotz

Jenna Kersten

Riley Lucarelli

Adam Massaro  
Eric Gerstung  
Collin Frey  
Garrett Schultz  
Tim Longwell

**Golf**

Bryan Bellis  
Justin Klodzinski

Mike Hollenbeck  
Chris Romesser  
Rob Westmiller  
Eric Gerstung  
Steve Patterson  
Jeff Diebel

Ryan Carberry

Chris Romesser  
Ryan Carberry  
Justin Klodzinski  
Jeff Owen

**Softball**

Marlene Stone  
Kim Garippo

**Tennis**

Brendan Bardo  
Dave Meli  
John Chubb



**ALBION CENTRAL SCHOOL DISTRICT**

Superintendent of Schools...Mickey Edwards  
H.S. Principal... Jennifer Ashbery  
Athletic Director...Mariah LaSpina  
Athletic Secretary...Christine Capstick

**Cheerleading**

Jami Allport

**Cross Country**

Mark Hryvniak  
Evan Steier

**Football**

David Skrip  
Mike Fahy  
Pat Uveino  
Chase Hall

**Girls Soccer**

Maggie Orbaker  
Bruce Blanchard  
Christine Bloom  
Don Adams

**Volleyball**

Nicole Nicholson  
Shawn Haseley

**Boys Basketball**

Travis Downs  
Jeff Radder

**Swimming**

Jay Kovaleski  
Megan Kania  
Jennifer Bennett

**Wrestling**

Pat Uveino  
Mike Sanders  
Will Francis  
David Skrip

**Baseball**

Bruce Blanchard

**Softball**

Nicole Nicholson  
Cathy Schmitt  
Amber Marvin  
Kristen Vilinsky  
Jessica Grimes

**Track & Field**

Pat Uveino  
Mark Hryvniak  
Bridgette Varin  
Don Adams  
Jeff Radder

Chad Owen	Chase Hall	Kyle Syck	Evan Steier
Mike Sanders	Mike Fahy	Mike Fahy	Wayne Wadhams
Kyle Syck	Mark Hryvniak	Mike Sanders	Mark Skurzewski
Dan Ward		Greg Bennett	
<b>Golf</b>	<b>Girls Basketball</b>	Vincent Strollo	<b>Tennis</b>
Bill Dambra	Keith Akers	Dan Ward	Jay Kovaleski
	Cassidy Wolcott		
<b>Boys Soccer</b>	Don Adams		
Bridgette Varin			
Lucian Price			
Jeff Radder			
Gregg Martilotta			



**BARKER CENTRAL SCHOOL DISTRICT**

Superintendent of Schools... Jacob Reimer  
 H.S. Principal... Micaela Love  
 Athletic Director... Rob Mucha  
 Athletic Secretary... Brooke Pattison

**Cross Country**

Paul DerSarkissian  
 Sharon Lamb  
 Kyle Sosnowski

**Boys Basketball**

Jacob Haight  
 CJ Knight  
 Jim Harris

**Baseball**

Jesse Watts  
 Jim Harris

**Field Hockey**

Karin Menz  
 Aileen Gilbert  
 Bill Moeller  
 Shelby Watry

**Girls Basketball**

James Bachman  
 Chloe Lee  
 Paula Bachman

**Softball**

Aileen Gilbert  
 Bill Moeller  
 Bill Bruning

**Swimming- RH/B**

**Track & Field**

Heather McIntyre

**Cross Country****Football - RH/B**

CJ Knight

Sam Gieoli

Josh Maracle

Malik Hardin

Alex Kavney

**Golf**

Rob Mucha

**Boys Basketball**

Lindsay Yates

Dottie Barr

Krista Beth Feltz

**Wrestling - RH/B**

Matt McCauley

Matt Lakes

Bill Bruning

**Baseball**

Jake Haight

Kyle Sosnowski

Chris Post

Paul DerSarkissian

**Tennis**

Jeff Pyskaty

**MEDINA CENTRAL SCHOOL COACHES**

Superintendent of Schools...Mark Kruzynski

H.S. Principal...Michael Cavanagh

Athletic Director...Joel Reed

Athletic Coordinator...Eric Valley

Athletic Secretary...Lisa Prentice

**Cheerleading**

Christina Reddy

Rachael Domaracki

**Cross Country**

Christian Held

Molly Mark

**Boys Soccer**

Steve Luksch

Greg Husung

Doug Boje

**Girls Soccer**

Jeremy Leno

Rob Hawley

**Swimming**

Mitch Dockery

Demi Eadie

Joel Reed

Mary Dooley

**Wrestling****Lacrosse**

Todd Eick

Gordy Luthart

Greg Husung

Ben Austing

Travis Phillips

**Track & Field**

**Field Hockey**

Amber Cleaveland  
Melissa Valley

**Football**

Eric Valley  
Gordy Luthhart  
Eric Gross  
Brian Fry  
Mike Vanderjagt  
Chad Kowalick  
Travis Phillips

**Golf**

Evan Giacomini

**Volleyball**

Connie Heschke  
Taylor Gross  
Jeff Dole  
Brittany Winters

**Boys Basketball**

Justin Morgan  
Chad Kowalick  
Tom Forrestel

**Girls Basketball**

Connie Heschke  
Greg Bell  
Molley Gross

Eric Gross

Don Duncanson  
Christian Held  
JR Roberts

**Baseball**

Chris Goyette  
Brian Fry  
Justin Morgan  
John Dieter

**Softball**

Annmarie Beutel  
Chasity Chinn

Jeff Dole

Melissa Valley  
Jessica Kuzara  
Mitch Dockery  
Mindy Hill  
Molly Mark

Jessica Forrestel

**Tennis**

Evan Giacomini

**Unified Sports**

Jessica Kuzara  
Eric Valley

**Strength & Conditioning**

Joel Reed

**NEWFANE CENTRAL SCHOOL DISTRICT**

Superintendent of Schools...Lisa Krueger

H.S. Principal...Dan Bedette

Athletic Director...Chanceton Puinno

Athletic Liaison...Chad Gretz

Athletic Secretary...Kennedy Sears

**Cheerleading**

Maura Bull  
Kennedy Sears

**Boys Soccer**

Cameron Stanton  
Andrew Levington

**Swimming**

Megan Forsyth  
Kathy Dudley

**Lacrosse**

Kennedy Sears (Girls)  
Connor Hill (Boys)

Nick Kiser

**Cross Country**

Mike Heitzenrater

Henri Kursten

Justin Balcom

**Field Hockey**

Megan Forsyth

Katie Stedman

**Football**

Conner Hill

Josh Vosburgh

Chuck Nagel

Ryan Keys

Mike Capen / Bill  
Bruning

**Golf**

Nick Kiseer

**Girls Soccer**

Norm Forney

Rachel Chunco

Katie Little

**Volleyball**

Maura Bull

Alexis Damon

Amber Pratt

**Boys Basketball**

Jeff Kneeland

Eric Klumpp

Cameron Stanton

Mike Capen

**Girls Basketball**

David Krull

Kevin Klumpp

Alexis Damon

**Wrestling**

Matt Lingle

Terry Gill

Mike Brown

**Baseball**

Ryan Keys

Chad Gretz

Tyler Gugliuzza

**Softball**

Vic Thibault

Marcy Ferington

Joel Grundy

Rob Boyer

**Track & Field**

Mike Heitzenrater

Henri Kursten

Justin Balcom

Chuck Nagel

Alexis Damon

**Tennis**

Amber Pratt

**Unified Sports**

Renee Luck

Justin Balcom



**ROY-HART CENTRAL SCHOOL COACHES**

Superintendent of Schools...Jill Heck

H.S. Principal...Gary Bell

Athletic Director...John Grzymala

Athletic Secretary...Kelly Halstead

**Cheerleading**

Hannah Willard

Wendy Yageric

**Boys Soccer**

Mike Bartkowski

Barry Webber

**Swimming**

Lindsay Yates

Dottie Barr

**Track & Field**

Matthew Sweeney

Nicole Zglinicki

	Carl Husung		Barry Webber
		<b>Wrestling - RH/B</b>	John Reith
<b>Cross Country</b>	<b>Girls Soccer</b>	Matt McCauley	Madelin Feltz
John Reith	Rich Jennings	Matt Lakes	
Dylan Versage	Bob Kneeland		<b>Tennis</b>
		<b>Baseball</b>	Dylan Versage
<b>Field Hockey</b>	<b>Volleyball</b>	Jim Heideman	
Delaney Draper	Eliza Feocco	Bob Mettler	
Rielly Albee	Grace Swick	Tom Brigham	
Madelin Feltz	Hattie Lasal		
		<b>Softball</b>	
<b>Football - RH/B</b>		Taylor Kneeland	
CJ Knight	<b>Boys Basketball</b>	Josh Kneeland	
Josh Maracle	Joe Pawlak	Kelly Halstead	
Malik Harden	Brian Shipley		
Dave Schwab	Mike Rowcroft		
Dan DiJames			
<b>Golf</b>	<b>Girls Basketball</b>		
Jake Haight	Grace Swick		
Judd Heck	Hattie Lasal		
	Kelly Halstead		



## WILSON CENTRAL SCHOOL DISTRICT

Superintendent of Schools...Timothy Carter  
 High School Principal...Paul Galgovich  
 Athletic Director...Jeffrey Roth  
 Athletics Secretary...Lynn Lynch

**Cheerleading      Boys Soccer      Wrestling      Track & Field**

Kerry Atlas  
Jamie Lockwood  
Alexis Floyd

**Cross Country**

Brett Sippel  
Kevin Bovanizer

**Field Hockey**

Jamie Lepsch  
Kate Peck

**Football**

Bill Atlas  
Zach Ganshaw  
Marc Muoio  
Matt Faery  
Dan Lucinski  
Sean Nevins

**Golf**

Rich Meyers

Paul Hermann  
Stephen McCarthy

**Girls Soccer**

Jeff Hart  
Kyle Lyon

**Volleyball**

Maegan Eick  
Sam Buckner  
Jeff Rogers

**Boys Basketball**

Brett Sippel  
Robert Keohane  
Steve Frerichs

**Girls Basketball**

Brian Baker  
Katie Kashaw  
Andy KaShaw

Mike Carlo  
Jeff Hart

**Baseball**

Bill Atlas  
Zach Ganshaw

**Softball**

Dan Lucinski  
Cassidy Geise

**Lacrosse**

Frank Feliceti  
Brian Peck

Garrett Stack  
Stephen McCarthy  
Jamie Lepsch  
Steve Zimmer

**Tennis**

Jeff Rogers

# N-O Service Awards 2023-2024

*20 Year N-O League Coach Honorees  
2023-2024*

## **Barry Webber**

Royalton-Hartland CSD

Throughout his 20 yrs of Coaching Service:

- Varsity Boys Soccer Head Coach
- Varsity Boys Soccer Asst. Head Coach
- JV Boys Basketball Head Coach
- JV Girls Basketball Head Coach
- Volunteer Asst. Coach Varsity Girls Basketball
- Varsity Asst. Coach Boys/Girls Track
- N-O League Meet Manager - Boys/Girls Track

## **Jay Kovaleski**

Albion CSD

Throughout his 20 yrs of Coaching Service:

- 5 years JV Volleyball
- 5 years Head Varsity Swim Coach
- 10 years Assistant Varsity Swim Coach
- 3 years Modified Swimming
- 5 years Head Varsity Swim Coach
- 20 years Varsity Tennis Head Coach

## **Henri Kursten**

Newfane CSD

Throughout his 20 yrs of Coaching Service:

- Varsity Track & Field Head Coach
- Varsity Track & Field Asst. Coach
- Head Varsity Cross Country
- Head Modified Cross Country

## **Ken Stoldt**

Akron CSD

Throughout his 20 yrs of Coaching Service:

- Varsity Football
- Varsity Baseball
- Modified Basketball
- Akron Athletic Director
- Section VI Football Chair
- Akron PE Teacher 1994-2022

## *Foundation Award Recipient*



**John Jablonski**

*Foundation Award Recipient 2023-2024*

*Roy-Hart/Akron*

Teacher/Coach/Athletic Director

As a 1974 graduate of Medina High School, John was a member of the football, basketball, and baseball teams, as well as a senior athlete on the track and field team, where he earned several MHS Athletic Awards. John was an athlete who showed leadership, and scholastic achievement during his high school athletic career. He then continued his education at Niagara County Community College and SUNY Buffalo State, completing his degree in 1978. John spent 36 years teaching at Royalton-Hartland CSD as a High School Art Instructor, as well as coaching various athletic teams including Varsity Field Hockey, and Varsity Track and field. In 2010 he was appointed the Royalton-Hartland Athletic Director position, which he held for 5.5 years, then continuing on to the position of Athletic Coordinator at Akron CSD for another 5 years. Additionally, John is a member of the Shelridge Country Club, and is a present member of the Board of Directors.



**Chris Horgan**

*Foundation Award Recipient 2023-2024*

*Roy-Hart/Akron*

Teacher/Coach

- *High School and year of graduation: Royalton-Hartland 1974*
- *Sports played in High school and accolades: Varsity Tennis: 4 year starter, 1971-*

1974; Co-captain- 1973, 1974

- College and year of graduation: St. Bonaventure University 1978

Sports played and/or accomplishments in college:

- Men's Tennis (1977, 1978), National Honor Society, Student Governance Board Representative, Dorm Council Member, Program Director-WOFM/WSBU campus radio station, Volunteer at the Warming House community center

Post college accomplishments:

- M. A. Sociology SUNY-Buffalo, 1980
- School(s) worked at and positions with years (teaching/coaching/admin): Social Studies Teacher at Royalton-Hartland Central School 1980-1993; Department Chair, English Teacher at Medina Central School 1994-2018

Coaching / Professional accomplishments and accolades:

- Medina Mustangs Athletic Hall of Fame 2022
- Sponsored Member of Team Head/Penn Tennis Program-1982-Present
- Western New York Tennis Hall of Fame Buffalo Coach of the Year 2016.
- Honored as one of the top eight high school tennis coaches in the nation by the National Federation of High School Sports when selected as Northeast Boys' Tennis Coach of the Year representing New Jersey, New York, and New England-2017
- New York State Public High School Athletic Association Boys' Tennis State Coach of the Year-2016
- United States Tennis Association/ Eastern High School Coach of the Year for New York State and Metropolitan-New Jersey/Connecticut- 1993, 2017
- WKBW's Super 7 Coach of the Year 1988
- Served on multiple committees as a test writer for the State Education Department Regents Examinations for U.S History and Global Studies
- One of three teachers statewide asked by the State Education Department to serve on a committee established to consider the viability of combining Social Studies and English into one Regents examination
- Part-time instructor for undergraduate sociology courses at SUNY-Buffalo 1981-1983
- High school coaching career that includes girls modified volleyball, girls modified basketball, modified track, junior varsity boys' basketball, girls' junior varsity volleyball, girls' varsity tennis, boys' varsity tennis

Career highlights:

- Niagara-Orleans career records for wins (294) and Niagara-Orleans Tennis League Championships (12)
- Medina Varsity Tennis Coach-2001-2019 (Niagara-Orleans League Champions: 2001, 2006, 2012, 2013, 2014, 2016, 2017
- NYSPHSAA Scholar Athlete Team Champions 2004, 2005, 2006, 2007, 2008, 2009
- Career record at Medina 170-54, School Record for Most Career Tennis Wins
- Royalton-Hartland Varsity Tennis Coach 1981-1993 (Career record 124-46, School Record Most Career Wins (124); Niagara-Orleans League Champions: 1988,1989,1990,1991,1992 (School record tennis league titles (5); USTA-
- Eastern Number One-ranked small school in Section VI
- Head Pro Eagle Ridge Tennis and Swim Club, Orchard Park, NY- 2017-Present,

- *Southtowns Interclub League Champions 2017, 2018, 2019, 2021,2022,2023*
- *Orchard Park Head Coach Girls' Varsity Tennis- 2019-Present, Record: 47-8,*
- *Section VI Doubles Champions 2019, 2020, 2021. ECIC Division I Champs 2021, 2023.*
- *NYSPHSAA State Championships Doubles Finalists-2021, Section VI Large School Team Champions, NYSPHSAA Far West Team Championships Finalists,*
- *ECIC Division I Champions-2021, ECIC Doubles Champions 2019, 2020, 2021*
- *Orchard Park Assistant Coach Boys' Varsity Tennis- 2020-Present (57-6, Section VI Doubles Champions 2020,2021; Section VI Team Large School Champions 2021, 2024 Finalists 2021; NYSPHSAA State Doubles Championships Quarterfinalists, ECIC Division I Champions 2020,2021; ECIC Doubles Champions 2020, 2021, 2024*
- *New York State Public High School Athletic Association State Coordinator Girls' Tennis- 1992-Present*
- *Professional Tennis Registry Certified Instructor- 1992- Present*
- *USTA-PTR National Clinician 1992-Present*
- *United States Tennis Association National Development Area Training Center Coach, Buffalo, NY- 1991-1996, ATC Administrator 1997*
- *Tennis clinician for the New York State Games for the Physically Challenged at SUNY-Brockport, 1989-1993*
- *Niagara University Head Coach Men's and Women's Tennis teams- 1981-1984*
- *World University Games 1993 (Buffalo, NY) co-coordinator tennis competition 1989-1993*
- *Section VI Boys' Tennis Committee- 1982-1993, 2001- 2019*
- *Empire State Games Western Region Coach for Boys' and Girls' Tennis Teams- 1990-2010 (Boys' Team Medals: Gold- 1995, 2001; Silver- 1993, 1996, 1998, 2006, 2007; Bronze- 1994, 1997, 1999, 2005 Girls' Medals: Gold- 1997; Silver- 1992, 1996, 2004, 2006; Bronze 1991, 1993, 1994, 2005, 2007*
- *Tennis Instructor at Forrestel Farms Camp-1990-2015*

## *Distinguished Service Award*



**Jim Cantella**

Distinguished Service Award Recipient 2023-2024  
Barker CSD

Jim was a dedicated and hard-working coach that was well respected by his athletes and colleagues. His coaching career began in the early 1990s and lasted through 2014. It included coaching modified track, modified/JV swim, modified football and varsity track. In addition to his coaching, Coach Cantella was a reliable friend to many in the Niagara-Orleans League who would do anything to help others, especially when it came to managing the technology to run a swim meet. He is beloved by many former athletes, coaches, and most of all by his family and friends.



**Kevin Hazel**

Distinguished Service Award Recipient 2023-2024  
Albion CSD

Kevin was hired at Albion in August of 2003 for maintenance. In December of 2006 he transferred to grounds and maintenance. Due to his continuous hard work and attention to detail, Albion received numerous compliments on the condition of the athletic fields under his leadership. Kevin is most proud knowing that all the kids were playing on the best field possible and was especially proud of the condition of the soccer and softball field at Albion. Kevin undoubtedly was an invaluable asset to the Albion Central School District and although he is missed on a regular basis, the District congratulates him on his retirement and thanks him for his years of service.

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