## LOURDES ACADEMY

### ATHLETIC HALL OF FAME



#### **PURPOSE**

Founded in 1999, the Lourdes Athletic Hall of Fame is co-sponsored by the Lourdes Booster Club and the Lourdes Athletic Department. The Hall of Fame was instituted to establish pride, preserve tradition and honor former student athletes and coaches who have distinguished themselves in the field of athletics through their performance and representation of Lourdes Academy.

#### **ELIGIBILITY**

- Athletes must be graduates of Lourdes.
- Athletes become eligible five years after graduation.
- Athletes must have demonstrated distinguished achievement in interscholastic athletic competition sponsored by Lourdes High School.
- Coaches become eligible five years after retirement from coaching at Lourdes.
- Coaches shall have been involved with the same sports program for a minimum of three years.
- Coaches must have demonstrated a high degree of success within their sports program(s). Success is not to be measured solely on the basis of wins and losses.

#### **SELECTION COMMITTEE**

The committee will be created annually by the athletic director and meet at least once over the summer prior to the beginning of the school year. Individuals may repeat their service on the committee each year. The committee will consist of at least five individuals, including:

- · The Lourdes Athletic Director
- · An officer of the Lourdes Booster Club
- · A member of the Lourdes faculty or administration
- A current Lourdes head coach
- An alumnus of Lourdes

#### **NOMINATION PROCESS**

Anyone may submit a completed nomination form to the athletic director for consideration. All nominations will remain on file indefinitely and will be considered annually by the selection committee along with new nominations.

## **SELECTION PROCESS**

- The selection committee will meet prior to the start of the next school year to read nomination forms and discuss candidates. A two-thirds vote of the committee is necessary for induction.
- The charter class of inductees shall have no maximum number. Further classes shall be limited to a maximum of five members.
- Inductees will be announced at the start of the fall athletic season and honored at a ceremony at a home athletic event during the winter season.

#### **AWARDS**

A plaque honoring each inductee shall be created and displayed in a designated area of Lourdes Academy. The plaque shall consist of a picture of the inductee, their name, years of participation, sports participated in, individual and team honors and awards, and year of induction. A replica of this plaque shall be given to each inductee.



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## **NOMINATION FORM**

| Nominee:   | Year of Graduation: |
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| Home Address :                                   |                     |
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| Phone Numbers:                                   |                     |
| Athletic Participation:                          |                     |
| (List sports and years played)                   |                     |
| Athletic Honore:                                 |                     |
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| Briefly explain the reasons for your nomination: |                     |
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| Submitted by:                                    | Date:               |

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