

MORRISTOWN ATHLETIC HALL OF FAME

Morristown is seeking nominations for the 2018-2019 Athletic Hall Of Fame! The nominees may include former players, coaches, team or an individual that had significant impact on the athletic program(s) at Morristown.

Basic Rules:

- Nominations forms may be completed by anyone. Nomination forms are available at the Morristown Junior-Senior High School office or available on the Morristown website. Nominations will be accepted by using the accompanying form only and are due in the Morristown Athletic Office by October 14, 2018. Applications not selected will automatically roll over each year for five years. Incomplete nomination forms will not be considered. Please provide all documentation and information necessary.
- Athletes and teams are eligible for the Hall of Fame 5 years after graduation. Coaches are eligible for the Hall of Fame 5 years after retirement/resignation. The same time frame will exist for all other nominees as well.
- The nominees must have made a significant contribution(s) to or had an outstanding accomplishment(s) for the athletic program at Morristown. (Shown on nomination form)
Some examples are shown below (none guarantee induction):
 - All-State Team (AP, Coaches Poll, Coach Association, etc.)
 - Academic All-State Team
 - All-American Selection (i.e. McDonald's, Parade, etc.)
 - Indiana All-Star/Junior All-Star Selection
 - MHS Graduate Inducted into an Indiana Athletic Hall of Fame
 - IHSAA SECTIONAL CHAMPION
 - IHSAA REGIONAL CHAMPION or Qualifier
 - IHSAA SEMI-STATE CHAMPION or Qualifier
 - IHSAA STATE FINALS Participant
 - IHSAA STATE RUNNER-UP
 - IHSAA STATE CHAMPION
 - IHSAA MENTAL ATTITUDE WINNER
 - District Coach of Year
 - Coaching Honors/Accomplishments
 - Other? (Must be approved by committee)
- The nominees must exemplify outstanding character while representing Morristown during their career and also during the time since they have left high school. The nominees must be positive role models for both present and future students. At the discretion of the committee, an individual may be removed from the Morristown Hall of Fame for not exemplifying outstanding character.
- After the multi-year introductory period, a maximum number of two individuals or teams will be inducted each year. This is a maximum number. There may also be one or zero inductees.
- Inductees will be put digitally into Hall of Fame display and they will also receive a commemorative plaque for themselves. The induction ceremony will take place between games at a varsity basketball game.
- The Hall of Fame Committee, under the direction of the Athletic Director, has the power to use its discretion to make any necessary adjustments in the selection process if and only if it is unanimously agreed as being in the best interest of the Hall of Fame.

Selection Process:

- The selection committee is made up of seven anonymous voting members.
- The voting process is done in two rounds.

Round 1 of the selection process

- This round begins with the High School Athletic Director introducing all candidates and the credentials of each candidate.
- Committee members have a chance to ask questions and discuss candidates amongst themselves.
- After discussion concludes, a ballot will be passed out with all candidates' names.
- Committee members then vote for as many individuals they feel are deserving to be in the Hall of Fame.
- A candidate must receive a majority vote (greater than 50%) to move on to second round
- If no one receives a majority vote, there is no second round, and we will have no inductees for that year

Round 2 of the selection process

- If 10 or more advance to Round 2, then a ranking system will be used to reduce to 5 nominees. This will only occur after the multi-year introductory period.
- Committee members will be limited to only two votes in second round.
- Committee members DO NOT have to use all their votes.
- The top two vote getters will be our next Hall of Fame class.
- If only two names make it to second round, they will automatically be inducted
- The High School Principal, who does not have a vote, will break all ties.

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HALL OF FAME NOMINATION FORM

Candidate's Name: _____ Nominee living?: Yes No

Address (if known): _____

Home Phone (if known): (____) _____ Cell Phone (if known): (____) _____

Email (if known): _____

Year of Graduation/Employment/Association with Morristown Athletics: _____

Benchmark Accomplishments

What benchmark accomplishment had the **INDIVIDUAL NOMINEE** earned? ("*Honorable Mention*" does not apply)

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| _____ All-State Team (AP, Coaches Poll, Coach Assoc. etc.) | _____ IHSAA STATE FINALS Participant |
| _____ Academic All-State Team | _____ IHSAA STATE RUNNER-UP |
| _____ All-American Selection (i.e. McDonald's, Parade, etc.) | _____ IHSAA STATE CHAMPION |
| _____ Indiana All-Star/Junior All-Star Selection | _____ IHSAA MENTAL ATTITUDE WINNER |
| _____ MHS Graduate Inducted into an Indiana Athletic HOF | _____ District Coach of Year |
| _____ IHSAA SECTIONAL CHAMPION | _____ Coaching Honors/Accomplishments |
| _____ IHSAA REGIONAL CHAMPION or Qualifier | _____ Other? (Must be approved by committee) |
| _____ IHSAA SEMI-STATE CHAMPION or Qualifier | |

What benchmark has the **TEAM being nominated** achieved? Please indicate the year also.

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| _____ IHSAA SECTIONAL CHAMPION | Year: _____ |
| _____ IHSAA REGIONAL CHAMPION OR QUALIFIER | Year: _____ |
| _____ IHSAA SEMI STATE CHAMPION | Year: _____ |
| _____ IHSAA STATE RUNNER-UP | Year: _____ |
| _____ IHSAA STATE CHAMPION | Year: _____ |

What documentation do you have to support the nominee in question?

- _____ Program from award ceremony/or athletic event
- _____ Award Certificate or Plaque
- _____ Program from award ceremony
- _____ Newspaper clippings
- _____ Award Certificate
- _____ Other? Must be approved by Committee

The Morristown Athletic Hall of Fame Committee reserves the right to consider other benchmarks for induction as well as consideration for the removal of an inductee from the Hall. If you find that there is a team or an individual that should be considered for the Hall as a possible inductee, but does not match one of the criteria listed, please complete the form and attach all documentation that would support your nomination of the this team or individual. The Committee will then investigate this information and make the final decision of whether to accept that nomination and to induct that team or individual.

Sports Participated/Coached/Associated with at Morristown (include years):

Sport(s)	Year(s)
_____	_____
_____	_____
_____	_____
_____	_____
_____	_____

High School Athletic Honors, Awards & Accomplishments that you feel justify being considered for HOF:

Why should this individual, or team, be considered for the Hall of Fame?

Nominator's Name: _____

Phone: (_____) _____ Email: _____

Address: _____

Signature: _____ Date: _____

Please include one letter of recommendation, from a non-relative, who can validate or justify the athletic accomplishments and character of the candidate along with the impact he/she had on Morristown Athletics.

Incomplete nominations will not be considered. Please provide all documentation and information necessary.

Please return to: Morristown High School, Hall of Fame, AD Josh Johnson, 223 S. Patterson, Morristown, IN 46161