**Tulpehocken Athletic Hall of Fame**



**Organizational Structure**

**PURPOSE**

A) The purpose of this organization is to work together in an effort to nominate and vote upon individuals to be recognized and honored in the area of athletics.

B) To promote awareness and maintain public interest in athletics and athletes.

QUALIFICATIONS

A) Individuals will be considered as nominees for the Hall of Fame only after five years have passed since their graduation from high school or the termination of their coaching or employment with the Tulpehocken Area School District.

B) The following guidelines will be considered for nomination:

1. Athlete
	* + An athlete who has achieved recognition at the national, state, or district level, or who has won a championship at the national, state, or district levels, or who has been a dominant athlete during his/her period of competition. The athlete must have a history of good character.
		+ A Tulpehocken graduate who has achieved intercollegiate prominence in athletics.
2. Coach/Administrator
* A former coach or administrator who contributed immeasurably to the Tulpehocken School district athletic program.
1. Other
* An individual who has contributed immeasurably to the Tulpehocken School District athletic program. This person need not be a Tulpehocken graduate or resident.

# NOMINATING PROCESS

1. The nominating process will be as follows:
2. Individuals may be nominated by open nominations, including a member of the Hall of Fame Governing Committee.
3. Nomination forms may be found on the Athletic and District website or be picked up in the main office of the senior high school or the Athletic Director’s office and must be submitted to the Athletic Director’s office by a date to be determined annually.
4. Information concerning nomination forms will be placed in the school district website, twitter account and school newsletter.
5. No individual will be considered by the Hall of Fame unless the nomination form is received by the deadline date. Nomination forms will be retained for future consideration if the nominee is not selected.

# SELECTION PROCESS

A) Nominees will be considered by the Hall of Fame Committee only after the above described nominating process has been followed.

B) Committee members will determine the procedures for selection, as well as the number of selections to be made.

# RECOGNITION

A) Induction for the members of the Hall of Fame will take place at the end of the year banquet, designated for senior recognition and scholarship awards or an appropriate athletic contest.

B) Each inductee will receive a picture plaque indicating their achievements. An identical plaque will be displayed in a prominent location in Tulpehocken High School.

C) Each inductee will be asked to prepare a short acceptance speech/advice for graduating senior athletes.