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### DINNER

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Induction and Acceptance of Deondre Borel Introduced by Larry Rodriguez

Induction and Acceptance of Larry Enos, Jr.
Introduced by Roy Ghiggeri

Induction and Acceptance of Rob Gatrell Introduced by Rodney Beaver Induction and Acceptance of Linda Ghilarducci Introduced by Erica Pantle

Induction and Acceptance of Chris Gruler Introduced by Jerry Black

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### **LUHSD Athletic Hall of Fame**

### Message From the President

We are inducting six individuals and a team. The Board of Directors feels that these inductees represent truly outstanding accomplishments and contributions to the L.U.H.S.D. athletic history. I agree wholeheartedly.

As we celebrate the Twenty-Second Annual L.U.H.S.D. Induction dinner, we salute the outstanding group of people being honored tonight for their successes in athletics and in life and for their positive contributions to their communities. They are all successful citizens—the same work ethic, determination, pride and dedication that made them successful athletes continues to play an important part in their present lives.

I congratulate all of the inductees on behalf of the Board of Directors of the Hall of Fame. They are certainly worthy and deserve the honor being bestowed on them tonight.

Our inductees are on permanent display in the main hallway of Independence High School. Please make an effort to come by and visit the display — it is truly a trip down memory lane. The Athletic Hall of Fame is deeply indebted to the L.U.H.S.D. administration and the Board of Trustees for making this a reality.

I would like to thank all of you in attendance tonight because your presence is crucial to our success. I would also like to thank all of those benefactors who have given personal contributions or have purchased advertising space in our Induction Dinner Program. As you know, an undertaking such as the Athletic Hall of Fame is certainly not without considerable expense. Without the financial support of you fine, caring individuals and businesses, the Hall of Fame could not and would not survive. Thank you all for making the Hall of Fame a success.

Besides the efforts of community members, the success of the Hall of Fame is the result of the hard and tireless efforts of nineteen dedicated board members whose only goal is to make the L.U.H.S.D. Hall of Fame the best it can be. As President, I want to thank each and every one of them for their efforts to make the Hall of Fame a success and to guarantee that it continues as a repository of our district's rich athletic tradition and history.



#### Hall of Fame Nominations

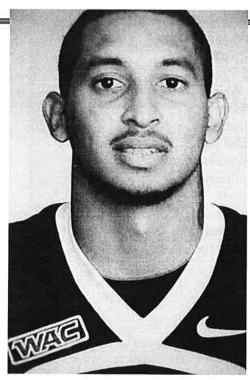
The Board of Directors urges any one of you to submit names to the LUHSD Athletic Hall of Fame to be considered for nomination. The Board needs your assistance to help identify and honor those who deserve recognition.

Any Board Member will provide you with the proper nomination forms and will be happy to help you fill it out. Nomination forms are also available at Independence High School, 929 Second Street, Brentwood, California 94513 and online (see website below). It is essential that all of you participate to make the process successful and meaningful.

Please use the following website to download an application: libertyunion.schoolwires.net/196610226152222950/

### **Deondre Borel**

### Athlete Football ~ Track



In his senior year,
Deondre broke every
major career quarterback record in
passing yards, TD's
and rushing TD's.

Deondre was a three-year starting quarterback for the Freedom Falcons from 2004 to 2006. His junior year he was selected team captain as well as being voted team MVP by his teammates. He was named to the second team All-BVAL quarterback. His senior year was a banner year for Deondre as he led his team to a school record of seven wins. That year he also broke every major career quarterback record by passing for 3,499 yards and 31 TD's and 17 rushing TD's. He also put up some of the highest games of total offense in school history. Deondre was again elected team captain and voted team MVP. He finished the season with 1,492 yards and 15 touchdowns and had only four interceptions. He also carried the ball 137 times rushing for 744 yards and 12 touchdowns. He was selected All-BVAL at both quarterback and utility as well as All Contra Costa Times and All Metro-Chronicle Offensive Utility Player, as Deondre chipped in as punter, punt returner and defensive back as well. Deondre was also a standout track athlete while at Freedom. He was a three year letterman participating in the long jump and the triple jump. He earned two consecutive invitations to the N.C.S. Meet of Champions in the triple jump. When he graduated from Freedom, he held the school record of 43'7" in the triple jump.

After his graduation from Freedom High School, Deondre was recruited by Utah State University where he enjoyed success playing both quarterback and

wide-receiver. He was a four year letterman for the Aggies. He played in eight games as a wide-receiver as a true freshman. In his sophomore year, Deondre stepped in and became the Aggies starting quarterback where he was one of seven quarterbacks in the country to lead his team in passing and rushing and won the Aggies Offensive Player of the Year Award. In his junior year, Deondre set a school record for total offense and for W.A.C. in total offense. He had five 300 yards passing games and scored six touchdowns on the ground. Entering his senior year, Deondre was named to the "Sporting News College Football Preview" Preseason Best Athlete in W.A.C. He was also the third team on "Phil Sheela's College Football Preview" Preseason All-W.A.C. and was named to the Manning Award Preseason Watch List. He finished the season with 2,108 yards passing with eight touchdowns and contributing seven touchdowns on the ground. Deondre set his personal record passing for 399 yards against Nevada that year. He finished No. 2 on the career total offense and passing yards in Aggie history with 8,096 and 6,698 yards respectively. He also finished No. 8 in Aggie history with 18 career rushing touchdowns.

Deondre followed his decorated college career by making the 2011 Green Bay Packers as a free agent wide-receiver. In 2012 Deondre was a member of Tampa Bay Buccaneers and the Tennessee Titans.

Deondre continues to make his home in Oakley during the off-season.

The Liberty Union High School District Athletic Hall of Fame is proud and honored to induct Deondre Borel into the Athletic Hall of Fame for his outstanding football and track careers at Freedom High School, Utah State University, and professional football in the N.F.L.

### Larry Enos, Jr.

### Athlete Football ~ Baseball

Larry Enos, Jr. came to Liberty as no stranger to athletic competition. His father Larry Enos Sr. was once the quarterback of the mighty Lions and his uncle Ron Enos, a 1999 Hall of Fame Inductee, had both taught him well that high school athletics could be a catalyst for further athletic aspirations.

Larry became a two sport athlete beginning his Freshman year. He played on the Frosh football team where they became the D.F.A.L. Champions (1991). That season he was named as the M.V.P. with 1,009 yards rushing, 18 touchdowns, and 7 - 100 yard rushing games. He continued his winning streak into his sophomore year playing as both a running back and defensive back. Once again they were the D.F.A.L. (1992) Champions and Larry contributed heavily with 9 touchdowns and was awarded the M.V.P. He received his first varsity football letter his junior year upon making the varsity squad and started his remaining two years at running back and defensive back. Liberty moved into the B.V.A.L. the year of 1993-1994. His junior year he was awarded with the Most Valuable Back and 2nd Team All-League Cornerback. Larry came into his senior year knowing that this would be the last year he would play football at a competitive level; he made sure that he left it all out on the field. He was once again named an M.V.P. as well as 1st Team All-League for both offense and defense. Larry's stats proved that he would be leaving a mark on the Liberty Football field with 974 yards rushing, leading the team with 18 receptions and 16 touchdowns; 5 of which were made in one game against College Park in 1994. He was named the M.V.P, B.V.A.L. 1st Team All-League and All East Bay Team. Clay Kallam (Reporter for the Times) wrote at the time: "Larry may be the best football player in East County." Larry completed his senior season feeling complete and ready to turn to baseball.

Baseball is where Larry had a true ability and love for the game that allowed him to persevere through injuries and still put up stats that propelled him into his collegiate career. He began his freshman season earning his first varsity letter and started at third base earning an Honorable Mention All-League for infield. That summer he was among 100 of the top 15-16 year olds in Northern California to be invited to try out for the Bay Area Blacksox. He made the team as the second baseman and they went on to win the AAU World Series 1992. His sophomore year he earned his second varsity letter

starting at third base, then moved to the starting position at shortstop. He was named to the 2nd Team All-League for infield; the highest All-League selectee of any sophomore in the league that year. Liberty baseball also went on to win the D.F.A.L. Title 1993. Junior year Larry found himself competing at a new level in the B.V.A.L. He continued to start at shortstop and honed his offensive skills batting at an overall average of .367 and a league average of .450. He led the entire B.V.A.L. in hits and average. He led the team for a total of 18 runs, 9 doubles, and 12 stolen bases. In 81 at-bats he only struck out an impressive 5 times. He was named Offensive Player of the Year in addition to being named to the B.V.A.L. 1st Team All-League for infield, and he went into his senior year excited and confident in his ability to close out his baseball career at the high school level with an even more successful season. During the preseason of the 1995 baseball season Larry tore his quadriceps muscle taking him out for the first 5 games of the regular season, however his tenacity and love for the game helped him to come back for the second half of the season earning his starting position at shortstop. Even with his injury still plaguing him he was named M.V.P. of his team and was given the honor of 1st Team All-League for infield. He finished his high school athletic experience with a total of 6 varsity letters.

Larry went on to play baseball at Los Medanos College 1995-1997 where he continued to shine. He became the starting second baseman where he was named to the 1st Team All-Conference 1996 and 1997, and 1st Team All-State 1997. He was a member of the Junior College All-Star Team 1997 and Baseball M.V.P. 1997. His best batting average came in his second year at .430 the same year he broke the LMC Hits Record with 64 hits in 41 games. He was offered baseball scholarships to Fresno State, Tulane University and Saint Mary's College where he ultimately decided to go the spring of 1997. Once at Saint Mary's he became the starting second baseman and, even though he was playing with a hurt shoulder, he still was able to bat a .305 average. He came into his senior year of Saint Mary's as the starting second baseman, however his shoulder required surgery, and he became a designated hitter for the remainder of the season with a .315 batting average. Larry's highlight of his time at Saint Mary's came his senior year against the No. 6 Stanford team with the number 1 pitcher who was the all-time strike-out leader for Stanford at the time. Larry hit his first home run of the season and was able to tie the game 3-3. Even though Saint Mary's ultimately lost 4-3, it was still considered the best hit of the entire season. Larry graduated Saint Mary's with a B.A. in Education and was able to give back to Liberty by teaching at his alma mater for a year prior to going into the family farming business.

Larry currently is a Farm Manager and Partial Owner of Five Star Vineyards with 300 acres of vineyards in Byron and 100 acres of cherries in Brentwood. He married his wife Jessica, also a Liberty graduate, in the fall of 2007, and they are proud to be raising their two sons, Kyson and Hudson, here in Brentwood.

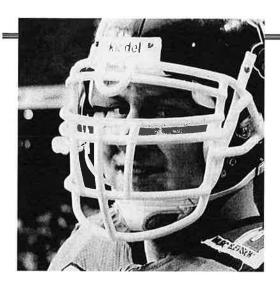
The Liberty Union High School District Athletic Hall of Fame is proud and honored to induct Larry Enos, Jr. into the Athletic Hall of Fame for his outstanding athletic careers at Liberty High School, Los Medanos College and St. Mary's College.



Larry finished his high school career with 6 varsity letters.

### **Rob Gatrell**

### Athlete Football ~ Basketball



year varsity letterman in basketball and two-year varsity letterman in football. During his frosh year, he was the M.V.P. of his basketball team and a key player on an undefeated, league champion Frosh football team. During his sophomore year, Rob was again a key player on a league champion JV football team, and earned a letter in varsity basketball. Rob lettered in football and basketball his junior year and was awarded the Most Valuable Lineman award and honorable mention All-B.V.A.L. as a tight end in football. In his senior year, Rob again lettered in basketball and was a Team Captain, and truly blossomed in football where he earned a second consecutive M.V. Lineman award and was selected as 1st Team All-B.V.A.L. as a tight end. He was also honored as a Contra Costa County All-Star and was recognized as a Contra Costa Times "Cream of the Crop" selection as one of the East Bay's top college football prospects.

After his career at Liberty High School ended, Rob enrolled at Fresno

Rob Gatrell attended Liberty High School from 1991 to 1995 and distinguished himself as an outstanding dual-sport athlete. Rob was a three-

After his career at Liberty High School ended, Rob enrolled at Fresno State University on a full football scholarship, and developed into an outstanding interior offensive lineman during his four years as a letter winner there. His career at Fresno State culminated in 1999 by earning the Most

Valuable Lineman Award as well as 2nd Team All-W.A.C. honors while starting for the 1999 W.A.C. Championship Team that participated in the Las Vegas Bowl at the end of that season. Rob's development and success at Fresno State lead to him signing with the New England Patriots in 2000 as a free agent, where he spent the season on the practice squad. He continued his NFL football career in 2001-2003 by playing for the Amsterdam Admirals of the N.F.L. Europe League, and was invited to the San Francisco 49'ers and St. Louis Rams training camps during the 2001 and 2002 seasons. From 2004-2008, Rob established himself as an outstanding player in the Arena Football League. He was a member of the 2004 A.F.L. World Championship San Jose Sabercats team. The Most Valuable Lineman with the Las Vegas Gladiators during 2006, and a member of the Utah Blaze teams that made 1st round playoff appearances in 2007-08.

Rob earned his B.A. in Art at Fresno State, and his M.A. in Kinesiology from Sonoma State University, in 2009. Concurrent with his professional football career, he became involved in the coaching aspect of that sport serving as an Assistant Football Coach at Santa Rosa J.C. from 2004-2010. In 2011, Rob served as the Head Football Coach for Windsor H.S. and led his team to a 14-0 season and North Coast Section Div. II Championship. Rob is currently a Physical Education Teacher and Asst. Football Coach at Moreau Catholic H.S. in Hayward, CA.

The Liberty Union High School District Athletic Hall of Fame is proud and honored to induct Rob Gatrell into the Athletic Hall of Fame for his outstanding athletic accomplishments on the high school level at Liberty, at Fresno State, and on the professional level as well as for his teaching and coaching success.

Rob is the recipient of multiple Most Valuable Lineman awards through out his accomplished career.

### Linda Rosa "Gooch" Ghilarducci

### Coach

### **Volleyball and Basketball**

Linda is a native of Contra Costa County and has lived in Oakley for nearly all of her life. She attended Oakley Elementary School and Liberty High School. Linda was a very active student and student leader. She was a member of the Block "L" Society, a Senior Class Officer, the F.A.A., a Student Council representative, a journalist for the "Lion's Roar," the Spanish Club, the Liberty Bell staff, the Future Teachers, Future Homemaker's, Playmakers, Candy Stripers, G.A.A., Pep-Club, and the American Field Service Club, and she was a class officer all four years.

As an athlete, Linda was active in four sports – volleyball, basketball, softball, and track. She lettered in all four sports. In softball Linda was chosen to an All-Tourney Team. She was shot putter in track.

Linda went on to Diablo Valley College where she lettered in basketball. After graduating from D.V.C., Linda attended Chico State University where she lettered for two years in softball, and she was captain of the team her senior year. Upon completion of the eligibility at Chico State, she was asked to play with a semi-pro team called the Chico Peppers, but she declined.

Upon graduation from Chico State, Linda was hired by South Lake Tahoe High School to coach volleyball and basketball. She coached at South Tahoe for four years. She then spent one year at De Anza College coaching basketball and teaching physical education while working on her Master's Degree at Hayward State. Linda then came home to her Alma Mater. She has been a member of the Liberty faculty since 1982 teaching physical education and coaching basketball and volleyball. She was an assistant girls' basketball coach for ten years. The basketball teams were D.F.A.L. Champions four times and the 1984-85 team went on to win the N.C.S. Championship and took second in the

State Championships. Linda was inducted into the L.U.H.S.D. Athletic Hall of Fame in 2007 as a coach of that team.

As Liberty's volleyball coach, Linda has set a record that anyone will be hard pressed to surpass. She has led her teams to 28 N.C.S. appearances in 30 years. Her teams have won the N.C.S. title 3 years in a row – a N.C.S. record for consecutive titles. She has won 2 B.V.A.L. titles. Her 2005 team was a team that set an amazing record – they were B.V.A.L. Champions, N.C.S. Champions, Northern California Champions, and placed second at the State Championships.

Linda, "Gooch" as she is affectionately and commonly known, has coached volleyball at Liberty for 30 years, and she continues to be as dedicated at developing her athletes and serving her Alma Mater as always. Gooch bleeds Cardinal and Gold!

As a result of her love and dedication to her players and her Alma Mater, Gooch has received many well-deserved honors, a few of which are:

- Chosen to Coach an All-Star Team to represent the U.S.A. in Russia 1990
- B.V.A.L. Coach of the Year 2003
- N.C.S. Coach of the Year 2004
- C.I.F. Model Coach (6 pillars) 2006
- Liberty Homecoming Parade Marshal 2008
- California Coaches Association Coach of the Year 2010
- Selected to serve on the C.I.F. Board of Directors as a N.C.S. Representative
- Serves on California Coaches Association Board of Directors

Linda is married to Robert Harris. They were married in Italy in the same church and by the same priest who married her mother and father. They live in Oakley on the family vineyard in the same home that she was raised in.

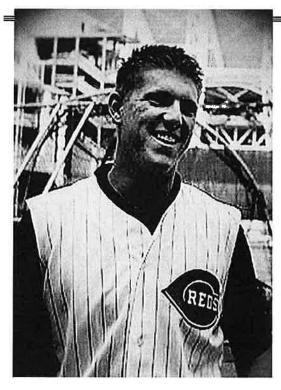
The Liberty Union High School District Athletic Hall of Fame is proud and honored to induct Linda "Gooch" Ghilarducci into the Athletic Hall of Fame for her outstanding career as a coach at Liberty High School.



Linda has led her volleyball teams to 28 N.C.S. appearances, winning the title 3 years in a row.

### **Christopher Robert Gruler**

### Athlete Baseball



Chris was High School Pitcher of the Year and named one of the Top 5 High School Athletes in 2002. Christopher Robert Gruler attended Liberty High School from 1999 to 2002. During those four years, Chris was an outstanding athlete, scholar and student leader. Although Chris had participated in many activities and sports, it was in baseball in which he received the most recognition and success.

Chris was an extraordinary talent as a baseball pitcher, and he was selected as the third player taken in the 2002 Major League Baseball draft by the Cincinnati Reds. He was their number one pick and the first high school pitcher taken. In 9th grade Chris pitched on the JV baseball team and played frosh basketball, while earning honor roll status in the classroom. In 10th grade he lettered in varsity baseball and basketball. He was All-League Honorable Mention, a member of Block "L", honor roll, student council representative, sophomore class president and the sophomore court.

In his 11th grade year Chris blossomed into one of the best players on his team and in the league. In varsity baseball he was the M.V.P., All-League First Team and team captain. In varsity basketball he received All-League Second Team honors, while earning honor roll, Block "L" and served in leadership class. In his 12th grade year he continued to excel on the baseball field. He was M.V.P., All-League First Team and team captain. On the campus he was in Block "L", in leadership class, on the homecoming court and received "Student of the Month." He did not play basketball during his senior year because of his baseball draft status.

Chris received recognition and honors throughout the nation for his baseball skills. He was named Gatorade State Player of the Year, selected on the USA All-American First Team, Team 1 All-American First Team, Baseball America First Team All-American, and was named Top 5 High School Athletes in 2002. He was the High School Pitcher of the Year and named Bay Area Athlete of the Year.

Chris received over 175 full-ride athletic scholarship offers and was contacted by over 250 colleges while at Liberty High. He was the first high school pitcher taken in the 2002 draft and received the highest paid signing bonus in the Cincinnati Reds' history. Chris played six years of professional baseball in the Reds' organization until a major arm injury and three surgeries ended his career.

He started Protégé Branding.com, which is a full-scale website development, advertising and branding company assisting businesses reach their maximum potential online. He also started PublikImage.Com which is a proprietary technology assisting athletes and public figures monetize their brands online and drive revenue to their charities.

The Liberty Union High School District Athletic Hall of Fame is proud and honored to induct Chris Gruler into the Athletic Hall of Fame for his outstanding athletic careers at Liberty High School and professional Major League Baseball.

### **Amanda Williams**

### Athlete Softball

In the history of Freedom High School, there are very few that can call themselves the greatest. Amanda Williams is distinguished as the greatest in Freedom softball history and arguably the greatest in California. From the time she stepped on to the Freedom campus, she became one of the most recruited softball athletes in the nation. In her Freshman season, she led the 2003 team to a section championship. Freedom softball had a successful past, and it was unclear whether or not a freshman pitcher could lead a team to continued success. Amanda was up to the challenge. Her accomplishments are second to none. She was B.V.A.L. M.V.P. for all four years of her high school career. She won four consecutive N.C.S. championships. She was the M.V.P. of nearly every tournament she played including tournaments in Arizona, Southern California, the Livermore Stampede, and Queen of the Mountain.

As a team leader on the 2006 Freedom High School undefeated Bay Valley Athletic League Championship team, she was the winning pitcher in 13 of the 14 games. In fact, she won 23 of the 25 games that Freedom won in 2006. She opened the season with a no-hitter against Deer Valley. On March 28, Amanda pitched a perfect game with 22 strikeouts against Southridge. On April 6, she tossed another perfect game against Antioch with 19 k's. On April 7, she baffled Carondelet with another perfect game with 14k's (tied the State record). Three perfect games in a row – unbelievable! But it happened! No wonder she was chosen multiple years as an All-American in softball.

With all the success, she was invited all four years to the Contra Costa Times Athlete of the Year Awards Banquet and was named to the "Top 10" of the newspaper's 2004, 2005, and 2006 selections.

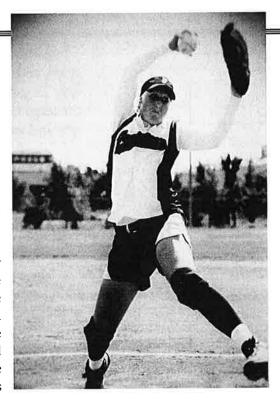
At the end of her career at Freedom, she was also recognized as the Kaye Axelgard-Reeves Athlete of the Year in 2006. This marked the first time a single sport athlete accomplished such a feat.

As if this was not enough recognition for her hard work, in 2006, she was named the Gatorade Softball Player of the Year for California. She was also a runner up in the National selection of the same category. 2006 was her banner season. Undefeated, she was able to accomplish something very few have achieved: the mythical national championship. Cal Hi Sports ranked the Freedom 2006 team as the #1 team in the nation.

In terms of recruiting, she had offers from every major softball school in the country. Eventually, she selected the University of Arizona, recruited by the head United States Olympic Softball coach. Amanda was also a member of the National A.S.A. Champion Orange County Bat Busters who were A.S.A. Champions in 2006.

Amanda still lives in Brentwood and is busy working as a phlebotomist for a company out of Fremont.

The Liberty Union High School District Athletic Hall of Fame is proud and honored to induct Amanda Williams into the Athletic Hall of Fame for her outstanding softball careers at Freedom High School, University of Arizona, and with the Orange County Bat Busters.



Amanda is distinguished as the greatest in Freedom softball history.

### The 2006 Freedom Softball Team

# Coached by Michele Moore

Although countless teams throughout the nation try every year to attain championships, very few make that goal. Even fewer are able to go through an entire season of over 25 games without a loss. In the case of the Freedom Falcons softball team of 2006, the team not only completed an undefeated season, they won the North Coast Section title and were also ranked as the #1 team in the nation by Cal Hi Sports.

The softball team of 2006 was driven in their quest for excellence. Lead by Head Coach Michele Moore, they flourished under her leadership and strived to be the best that they could be. Eleven players on the roster went on to play softball in college. It's quite possible this high school team might even have beaten college teams that year.

The softball program at Freedom is steeped in the tradition of excellence and the 2006 team embodies excellence in every sense. The Hall of Fame is proud to have one of the greatest, if not the greatest, softball teams in the history of Freedom High School.

2006 Team Record

2006 Bay Valley Athletic League Champions

25 – 0 Overall

14 - 0 B.V.A.L.

Undefeated

The Liberty Union High School District Athletic Hall of Fame is proud and honored to induct the 2006 Softball Team into the Athletic Hall of Fame for their outstanding softball season and the B.V.A.L. and North Coast Section titles.



### 2006 Varsity Softball Team

BACK ROW (L to R): Coach Michele Moore, Amanda Williams, Maryssa McKenzie, Hannah Williams, Aimee Kemp, Brittany Johnson, Assistant Coach Jeff Jonas

MIDDLE ROW (L to R): Jessica Gardner, Melanie Verrico, Kortnee Wiley, Tiffanie Dagneau, Krysta Tomasini, Courtney Biglow

BOTTOM ROW (L to R): Sam Bias, Danielle Gomez, Jessica Pereira, Ashley Milina, Kelsee Wiley

Not pictured: Assistant Coach Brook Russo, Assistant Coach Tom Perry

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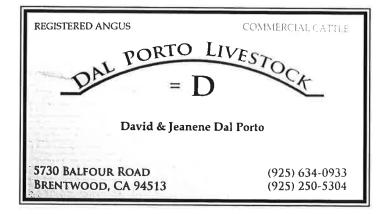
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Year of Induction		Year of Induction		Year of Induction	
Ted Ohmstede	1992	Peter Martinez	1996	John Miguel	2002
Frank Stonebarger	1992	Glenn Pool	1996	Donn Vonder Ahe	2002
Arthur Honegger	1992	Leon Stemler	1996	Lee Walker	2002
Kay (Mitzie) Honeggar	1992	Ken Willis	1996	Wayne Townes	2005
Bill Bunn	1993	Carrol Elkins	1997	Richard Fertado	2005
Harry A. Geyser, M.D.	1993	Larry Mikkelsen	1997	Leroy Hartwig	2005
Don Capozzo	1993	Rudy Ochoa	1997	Harold Pascoe	2005
Larry Corgiat	1993	Chris Knight	1998	Jeff Lasher	2006
Al Markus	1993	Vernon Pitau	1998	Arthur Allen	2006
Phil Ochoa	1993	Frank Vonder Ahe	1999	Louie Fernandez	2008
Jack Adams	1994	Pete Barrera	2000	James Shelton	2008
Manuel Tarango	1994	Ramiro Sancen	2000	Bob Palladino	2008
Richard "Dick" Linn	1995	Carl Rogers	2000	Irwin Diamond	2012
Jeannie Stebbins	1995	Ernie Borbon	2001	Bob O'Hara	2012
Harry Armstrong	1996	Robert Glenn	2001	Tony Ghiozzi	2012
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### **LUHSD Athletic Hall of Fame**

#### 1992 Inductees

Lou Bronzan – Coach
Jack Ferrill – Coach
Arthur Honegger Family
Theodore (Ted) Ohmstede
– Contributor
Floyd Reese, Jr. – Athlete
Frank Stonebarger – Contributor
Herman Urenda – Athlete
Brentwood Lions Club

#### 1993 Inductees

William (Bill) Bunn – Athlete Bob DalPorto – Athlete Jack England – Athlete/Coach Debbie Geyser – Athlete Harry A. Geyser, M.D. – Contributor Mike Rozenski – Athlete 1965 Football Team

#### 1994 Inductees

Jack Adams – Contributor Keith Dawson – Coach Manuel Tarango – Athlete The Tarango Family Robert Maiocco – Athlete Jerry Miller – Coach Ron Nunn – Athlete

#### 1995 Inductees

David Borjon – Athlete Stephen Bronzan – Athlete Tara Clark – Athlete Roy Ghiggeri – Athlete/Coach Richard "Dick" Linn – Athlete The Stonebarger Family

#### 1996 Inductees

William Bristow – Contributor Rick Fortner – Athlete Dennis Pilati – Athlete Rochelle Ann Poerio – Athlete Nicole Simoni – Athlete 1951 Football Team

#### 1997 Inductees

Wendy Fortner Brown – Athlete John Mundell – Athlete Michelle Stranahan – Athlete Raymond Valverde – Athlete Michelle Vestal – Athlete Harold Wheeler – Athlete 1956 Baseball Team

#### 1998 Inductees

J. Douglas Adams – Athlete The Knight Family Vernon Pitau – Athlete/Coach Frank Stonebarger – Athlete Barbara Whitfield – Coach 1978 Girls' Track Team

#### 1999 Inductees

The Continente Family
Ronald J. Enos – Athlete
Jeanne Gallegos – Athlete
Larry Stonebarger – Athlete
Julie Stranahan – Athlete
Frank Vonder Ahe – Coach
Matt Wilgenbush – Athlete

#### 2000 Inductees

Scott Barnes – Athlete Brentwood Rotary Club Albert Celoni – Athlete George DelPozo – Athlete Donald Morse – Athlete The Rios Family 1969 Football Team

#### 2001 Inductees

Steven DalPorto – Athlete
Mark Dwelley – Athlete
Dennis Henderson – Athlete/Coach
Julie Marshall – Athlete
Russell Phillips – Athlete/Coach
Valerie Poerio – Athlete
Robert Ricioli – Athlete
1970 Baseball Team
Jacque Ferrill - Meritorious Service
Award

#### 2002 Inductees

Kaye Axelgard-Reeves

- Coach/Athletic Director
Dan Celoni - Athlete
Leonard Celoni - Athlete
Leo McFarlan - Athlete
Roslyn Rodriquez - Athlete
1948 Liberty Football Team

- "The 49'ers"

#### 2003 Inductees

Monica Barajas – Athlete Dewey DeMartini – Athlete Carrol Elkins – Athlete Mark Lucchesi – Athlete Frank Rosas – Athlete 1989-90 Wrestling Team – "The Dream Team"

#### 2004 Inductees

Andrea England Rodrigues
- Athlete
Charley Enos - Athlete
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Jim Honegger - Athlete
Guido Lucchesi - Athlete
1990 Softball Team

#### 2005 Inductees

Marian Gruenewald Nowak
- Athlete
Steve Knight - Athlete
Brent Pomeroy - Athlete
Roy Rios - Athlete/Coach
Roger Stone - Athlete
Paul Urenda, Jr. - Athlete
1953 Swim Team

#### 2006 Inductees

Arthur Allen - Athlete Michele Kelley-Hackett - Athlete Stephanie Ksenzulak - Athlete Holly Mikkelsen - Athlete José Oseguera - Athlete Harvey Yurkovich - Athlete 1982-83 Boys Basketball Team

#### 2007 Inductees

Ross Bomben - Athlete Ronald Dell'Immagine - Athlete Joseph Ghiggeri - Athlete Stephanie Jzyk - Athlete Michael O'Brien - Athlete Johnny Rodriguez - Athlete 1984-85 Girls Basketball Team

#### 2008 Inductees

Sarah Burgess - Athlete Clay D. "Dave" Coffman - Athlete Bob England - Athlete Fred Gibson - Athlete David Hays - Athlete Cathy Webber - Athlete 1956 Lions Football Team

#### 2009 Inductees

Chris Bodishbaugh - Athlete Gregory Chappel - Coach Krista Houseman - Athlete Fred Kelley - Athlete John Rogers - Athlete/Coach J. Matthew Webber - Athlete 1978 Lions Baseball Team

#### 2010 Inductees

Jordanna Freemer - Athlete Allison Ferguson - Athlete Joseph Lilley - Athlete Shannon Thomas McBroom - Athlete Rick Mello - Contributor Charles Willis - Athlete The Ron Schwitters Family

#### **2011 Inductees**

Billy Beltram - Athlete Gabe Dal Porto - Athlete John Dwelley - Athlete Keri Kresovich - Athlete David L. Martin - Athlete Jason Montgomery - Athlete 1979 Football Team

#### 2012 Inductees

Judy Byer - Athlete
Dave Dyer - Athlete
Kevin Johnson - Athlete
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