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MHSBCA: Bowling

CCCAM: Competitive Cheer

MHSFCA: Football

MIGCA: Golf

MHSGCJA: Gymnastics

MHSLCA: Men's Lacrosse

MHSSCA: Skiing

MHSSCA: Softball

MISCA: Swimming & Diving

MHSTeCA: Tennis

MITCA: Track & Field &

Cross Country

MIVCA: Volleyball

MWA: Wrestling

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# The Michigan Coach

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## MHSCA Announces the Hall of Fame Induction Class of 2017

Mt. Pleasant, MI The doors to the Michigan High School Coaches' Association "Hall of Fame" will swing open once more on September 17, 2017. A formal induction of the Class of 2017 will take place in the Terrace Room of the Bovee University Center on the campus of Central Michigan University.

The coaches listed below make up the 2017 MHSCA Hall of Fame inductees:

Roger Bunton	L'Anse Creuse High School North, Macomb
Gary Cook	Jenison High School
Bob Czarnecki	Trenton High School
Jim Goorman	Western Michigan Christian High School, Muskegon
Michael Krogel	Woodhaven High School
Jean LaClair	Bronson High School
James Lahmann	New Lothrop High School
Jim Maier	Lakeshore High School, Stevensville
Don Markel	Cass City High School
Ed Mehlberg	Oakland Christian High School, Auburn Hills
Frank Musser	Belleville High School
Donald Palmer	Hartland High School
Mike Phelps	Holland Christian High School
Mark Sobieralski	Gross Pointe South High School
Fred Thomann	Salem High School, Canton
Paul Verska	De La Salle Collegiate, Warren

Anyone interested in attending the banquet needs complete the enclosed ticket request form. For more information contact Mark F. Holdren at [mholdren@portlandk12.org](mailto:mholdren@portlandk12.org).

## Jim Okler receives the Dwight T. Keith Award, NHSACA



The Dwight T. Keith Award is the highest national award that the National High School Athletic Coaches Association can bestow on an individual. It is given to recognize and honor a person who has made outstanding contribution to high school interscholastic athletics and the coaching profession. This year's recipient is Jim Okler from Grosse Ile, Michigan. Mr. Okler represents the best qualities for this award and sets a high standard for future recipients.

Coach Okler has served and led Michigan High School coaches for thirty-seven years. He has been a member of the MITCA since 1981 and was their President in 1999. He was also a member of the MHSCA since 1981 and was their President in 2002. He has represented Michigan coaches well on the National level by serving as President of the NHSACA in 2010. Each one of these leadership roles involves five years of commitment, ascending through the various Executive Positions before becoming President. Currently he is leading Michigan coaches as the MHSCA Executive Director.

Jim as also been busy as an athletic director. He started as an assistant AD while he was still coaching and has been the lead AD at Grosse Ile since 1995 supervising 72 coaches, 30 varsity sports, and 26 sub varsity sports for high school and middle school. A testament to Jim's hard work is the 98% of the district's enrollment participates in an athletic activity. Interestingly, the graduation rate is 96%, far above the national average. For his efforts and hard work, he has been recognized as the MIAAA Athletic Director of the Year.

The NHSACA is very proud to present the 2017 Dwight T. Keith Award to Jim Okler.

## Michigan High School Sport Association

### Coaches Clinic Events

Baseball: January 12-13, 2018  
@ Soaring Eagle, Mt. Pleasant

Basketball: October 14-15, 2017  
@ Oakland University  
Contact: Dennis Hopkins  
[dhopkins@oaklandchristian.com](mailto:dhopkins@oaklandchristian.com)

Bowling : October 21 & 22  
Site: Bowlers IQ in Sterling Heights

MITCA; Cross Country:  
November 10-11, 2017  
@ Comfort Inn, Mt. Pleasant

Competitive Cheer: TBA  
@ TBA

Football: January 2018  
@ TBA

Golf: February 18, 2018  
@ MSU Golf Facility

Gymnastics : N/A

Men's Lacrosse: Hall of Fame Game  
May 13, 2018 @ Northville HS

Skiing: N/A

Softball: February 10-11, 2018  
@ Causeway Bay, Lansing

Swimming: September 15, 2017  
Site: McCamly Plaza Hotel

Tennis; February TBA, 2018  
Site: Troy Marriott

Track & Field: February 2-4, 2018  
Site: Causeway Bay, Lansing

Volleyball: April 21-22, 2017  
@ East Lansing High School

Wrestling: October 28, 2017  
@ Mt. Pleasant, Comfort Inn

MIAAA: March 16, 2018  
@ Traverse City

NHSACA Convention: June 22, 27th  
Sioux Falls, SD

## #GATORADEPOY

### FOREST HILLS NORTHERN HIGH SCHOOL STUDENT-ATHLETE NAMED GATORADE MICHIGAN GIRLS SOCCER PLAYER OF THE YEAR

CHICAGO (June 19, 2017) — In its 32nd year of honoring the nation's best high school athletes, The Gatorade Company, today announced Emily Ashby of Forest Hills Northern High School as its 2016-17 Gatorade Michigan Girls Soccer Player of the Year.

The award, which recognizes not only outstanding athletic excellence, but also high standards of academic achievement and exemplary character demonstrated on and off the field, distinguishes Ashby as Michigan's best high school girls soccer player. The 5-foot-10 junior defender had led the Huskies to a 19-0-3 record and a berth in the Division 2 state semifinals at the time of her selection. Ashby had scored five goals and passed for 12 assists through 22 games. Ashby also led a defense that had allowed just eight goals and recorded 15 shutouts. Ashby has volunteered locally with the Special Olympics and she has donated her time as part of multiple community-service initiatives through her church. Ashby has maintained a 4.03 weighted GPA in the classroom. She has made a verbal commitment to play soccer on scholarship at the University of Michigan beginning in the fall of 2018. Ashby joins recent Gatorade Michigan Girls Soccer Players of the Year Hannah Jones (2015-16 & 2014-15, Port Huron Northern High School), Megan Buckingham (2013-14, Northville High School), Madi Lewis (2012-13 & 2011-12, Plymouth High School), Olivia Brannon (2010-11, Athens High School), Annie Steinlage (2009-10 & 2008-09, Spring Lake High School), and Laura Heyboer (2007-08 & 2006-07, Unity Christian High School) among the state's list of former award winners.



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### GENERAL LIABILITY INSURANCE PROGRAM for MHSCA MEMBERS

As a membership benefit, coverage is provided by the Commercial General Liability Policy issued to the National Organization of Coaches Association Directors. This policy will provide general liability coverage to the Michigan High School Coaches Association and its members.

CARRIER Houston Casualty Company

POLICY PERIOD August 1, 2016– August 1, 2017

#### LIMITS OF INSURANCE

\$1,000,000 Each Occurrence

\$1,000,000 General Aggregate (per Member)

\$1,000,000 Products/Completed Operations

\$1,000,000 Personal & Advertising Injury

\$ 300,000 Fire Damage

\$ 50,000 Sexual Abuse (per Member)

Excluded Medical Payments

#### COVERAGES

Participant Legal Liability for insured members

liability assumed under insured written contract

Defense Cost outside limits

#### EXCLUSIONS

The use of automobiles, buses, watercraft and aircraft

Property of others in the care, custody, and control of the insured.

This insurance does not apply to members that coach at an All-Star game that is not approved by your state coaches association.

#### CAMP COVERAGE

Today, most Coaches are involved in some type of sports camp. Please note that our General Liability Program follows insured members while working at camps and/or conducting their own

PARTICIPANT/ACCIDENT COVERAGE In addition, Participant/Accident Coverage is available for coaches and/or participants.

Should an accident occur during a camp, clinic or event, this secondary coverage could help offset the loss suffered by families affected by such accidents.

#### CERTIFICATE OF INSURANCE

If a member has a camp and requires proof of insurance, certificates are at no additional charge.

If a member has a camp and requires a certificate of insurance naming an Additional Insured on the General Liability Policy, the ☐ Participant/Accident Coverage must be in place for all participants prior to the issuance of a certificate of insurance naming an Additional Insured on the General Liability Policy. Certificates of Insurance and Participant/Accident request forms are available on our website: [www.loomislapann.com](http://www.loomislapann.com)

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MICHIGAN HIGH SCHOOL FOOTBALL COACHES ASSOCIATION  
**MHSFCA.com**

**Note for this months member associations**

Coaches,

We, the Michigan High School Football Coaches Association (MHSFCA), need your help. As part of our project to promote high school football participation, we've contracted with Amy Teddy, a Senior Director, at the Sports Neurology Clinic with assistance from researchers at CMU to do online video interviews with parents of kids who are at the point of, or have recently made the decision to let their kids play high school football - or to not to let them play.

We're looking for up to 100 "younger" parents, parents of 5th, 6th, 7th and 8th grade kids, in all geographic areas of Michigan in both urban and rural areas as the "pool" from which to secure agreements to be interviewed.

Our goal is to construct a message encouraging participation in high school football that will resonate with parents, and get that message to them via a "messenger" they trust, using the media sources they frequent.

Can you help us get in touch with parents in your community who have upper el and/or middle school kids who are in the process or have just made the decision about their kids playing high school football?

If you can help with names, and contact information (phone numbers/email), please get that information to us - or ask parents to contact us directly!

Thank You,

Larry Merx, Executive Director, MHSFCA & 1st VP of MHSCA  
734-604-0765  
[LarryMerx@gmail.com](mailto:LarryMerx@gmail.com)

Amy Teddy, The Sports Neurology Clinic  
248.349.7063  
[amy.teddy@thesportsneurologyclinic.com](mailto:amy.teddy@thesportsneurologyclinic.com)



Greetings from the Black Hills of South Dakota,

I would like to thank Joe Cliffe and crew for a fantastic convention in East Peoria.

The leadership that blazed the trail has the organization headed in the right direction. The Executive committee is committed to getting NHSACA financially sound. The core values, education, and traditions are still the foundation of NHSACA. The times are changing with coaching and the use of social media is both positive and negative. We as an organization need to continually evolve to keep up with that change. There will be some tough decisions that need and have been made, that are moving us in a positive direction.

Preparation for the 2018 convention is well underway. Jerry Miller, Virg Polak, Jim Dorman, and Dave Dougherty are working hard to make this an outstanding convention. The list of speakers we have secured to this point are exceptional. Leadership classes are available for college credit on June 23-24 and for the convention June 25-27 2018 at the Best Western Plus Ramkota Hotel in Sioux Falls, SD.

One of the challenges we are trying to do is recruit and retain more member states. If you have contacts within any State, please let us assist you. I know several Board members are in the process of getting some of these State organizations to rejoin NHSACA. If anyone knows of any grants that we can apply for, let us know so we can start the application process.

I would like to welcome Rocky Ruhl to the executive committee and the new sport chairs and region directors to the organization.

In closing I would like to thank you for the honor of serving on this board. It has been enlightening to say the least. I appreciate all the support I have received. I will do my best to serve you. The job can't be done alone. The list is endless as to has helped me. God Bless,

David Dolan

President NHSACA

Rapid City Central



## National Coach of the Year Winner

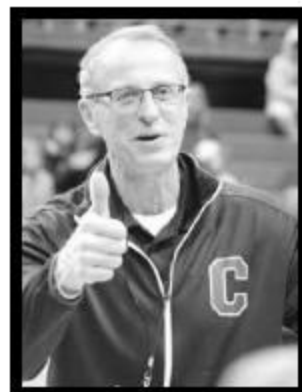


**Soccer**  
John Conlon  
East Kentwood High School

## National Coach of the Year Finalists



**Assistant Boys' Coach**  
Stephanie Olsen  
Fenton High School



**Boys' Basketball**  
Dan Fife  
Clarkston High School



**Boys' Cross Country**  
Cliff Somers  
Fremont High School



**Girls' Cross Country**  
Emily Kloss  
Harbor Springs High School



**Golf**  
Nancy J. Johnson  
Greenville High School



**Swimming**  
Jim Lawrence  
Trenton High School



**Tennis**  
Peter Militzer  
Portage Central High School



**Volleyball**  
Jean LaClair  
Bronson High School



**Wrestling**  
Tim Roberts  
Dundee High School





# Michigan High School Coaches Association: COACH OF THE YEAR 2016



**Robert Ariss**  
**Owosso**  
Boy's Bowling



**Kathy Breece**  
**Traverse City West**  
Softball



**Jim Caserta**  
**Holland Christian**  
Boy's Baseball



**Jim D'Angelo**  
**Mason**  
Girl's Tennis



**Patrick Donnelly**  
**U of D Jesuit**  
Boy's Basketball



**Greg Durham**  
**Northville**  
Boy's Lacrosse



**Jill Feldpausch**  
**Fowler**  
Girl's Track & Field



**Eric Gajar**  
**Ann Arbor Greenhills**  
Boy's Tennis



**Dale Harvel (accepting Bridget)**  
**Detroit Martin Luther King**  
Football

**Michigan High School Coaches Association: COACH OF THE YEAR**



**Emily Kloss**  
**Harbor Springs**  
Girl's Cross Country



**Sal Konkle**  
**Marshall**  
Girl's Basketball



**Thomas Kudwa**  
**Ludington**  
Girl's Tennis



**Mitch Lutzke**  
**Williamston**  
Boy's Track & Field



**Dave Pratt**  
**Springport**  
Wrestling



**Todd Reichard**  
**Vandercook Lake**  
Girl's Bowling



**Jim Singelyn**  
**DeLaSalle**  
Boy's Swimming



**Cliff Sommers**  
**Fremont**  
Boy's Cross Country



**Susan Wood**  
**Rochester**  
Competitive Cheer

**Michigan High School Coaches Association: COACH OF THE YEAR**



**Dan Young**  
**Plymouth**  
Girl's Golf



**Martha and Charlie Zeiter**  
**Mt. Pleasant**  
Skiing

**Not Pictured:**

**Michael Anderson,**  
Detroit Catholic Central  
Boy's Golf  
**Maysaa Bazzi,**  
Ann Arbor Gabriel Richard  
Volleyball  
**Lisa Broomfield,**  
Stevenson, Franklin & Churchill  
Gymnastic's  
**Ken Sygit, St. Clair**  
Girl's Swimming



## 2016 MHSCA Coach of the Year



**Front Row (left to right):** Charlie Zeiter, Skiing—Mt. Pleasant; Martha Zeiter, Skiing—Mt. Pleasant; Kathy Breece, Softball—Traverse City West; Susan Wood, Competitive Cheer—Rochester; Bridget (Dale) Harvel, Football—Detroit Martin Luther King; Emily Kloss, Girl's Cross Country—Harbor Springs; Jill Feldpausch, Girl's Track and Field—Fowler

**Middle Row (left to right):** Sal Konkle, Basketball—Marshall; Greg Durham, Boy's Lacrosse—Northville; Eric Gajar, Boy's Tennis—Ann Arbor Greenhills; Mitch Lutzke, Boy's Track & Field—Williamston; Dan Young, Girl's Golf—Plymouth; Patrick Donnelly, Boy's Basketball—U of D Jesuit; Cliff Sommers, Boy's Cross Country—Fremont; Jim D'Angelo, Girl's Tennis—Mason; Todd Reichard, Girl's Bowling—Vandercook Lake

**Back Row (left to right):** Thomas Kudwa, Girl's Tennis—Ludington; Jim Caserta, Boy's Baseball—Holland Christian; Dave Freddette, Longevity Award—50 years; Jim Singelyn, Boy's Lacrosse—DeLaSalle; David Pratt, Wrestling—Springport; Robert Ariss, Boy's Bowling—Owosso

### NHSACA Newsletter

Greetings to you from Illinois. After taking a little time to recover from the convention in East Peoria, it is time to go back at it.

Looking back on the convention, I am very satisfied with the success of the event. The venue was excellent with all the meeting rooms in such proximity. The staff at the Embassy Suites were very friendly and accommodating. Special thanks to Dave and Danell Dougherty for all of your efforts organizing and administering all of the meetings, banquets and other activities during the week. As always, a job well done.

Also, big hats off to the East Peoria Local Organizing Committee. This committee was Co-Chaired by Dave and Sara Kinney. Other members of the Committee were Rich Montgomery, Brian Dumphy, Jim Caliendo, Lynn Thompson and Dan Cliffe. This group handled lining up of speakers for the leadership classes, facilitating these sessions, recruiting Illinois coaches for sports specific sessions organizing transportation to off-site events, coordinating various AV needs, among various other duties. They took on the task from the beginning to make Illinois Proud, and they did not disappoint. I want to personally thank this group. Dave and Sara also sponsored the board dinner at Alexander's Steak House on Sunday evening and we thank them. With most of the numbers in for the convention all aspects seemed to show positive results. Registration was increased, enrollment for college credit for the leadership classes and the convention meetings was up dramatically and we had more vendors than previous years. There was also a higher number of Coach of the Year finalists in attendance at the convention and banquet. Illinois had ten of its eleven finalist present. Much of this can be attributed to the combined efforts of the Executive Committee, the Local Organizing Committee and the Sports Chairs. **Congratulations.** This was a team effort. I am confident that the changes implemented at the East Peoria Convention, as well as the activities currently in place or that are in the planning phases by the Executive Committee will keep the National High School Athletic Coaches Association moving in the direction we planned at the end of the 2016 Convention in Louisville. A special thanks to Randy Johnson as he moves off the Executive Committee to the rolls of Past Presidents. He has worked tirelessly for the NHSACA and his expertise in taking over of the Web site is immeasurable and greatly appreciated. It has been a pleasure to work with you on the Executive Committee these past four years.

My Congratulations to Rocky Ruhl on your selection as 3<sup>rd</sup> Vice-President. You are a great addition to this Executive Committee. You will have a very rewarding ride over the next five years and I am sure you will do a wonderful job. I would like to wish Dave Dolan the best of luck in the coming year as President. I hope you take the advice you gave me last year; "don't try to do everything alone, let people help you." You have a great support group with the South Dakota Coaches Assoc. and they have proven they can get the job done. I feel confident you will do a wonderful job and we will have an outstanding convention in Sioux Falls.

On a personal note, I want to express my gratitude to all the NHSACA Board Members on your concerns for my wife, Laurie, on her injury. It is very much appreciated. I must give her credit for her fortitude during the week. She didn't want her injury to take away from the activities that I needed to be involved in during the convention. She's a trooper, that's why I love her. Just to update everyone on her condition. She has been to her orthopedic surgeon and he confirmed the original diagnosis of a broken knee cap. The good news is that the injury does not require surgery. Her leg will be immobilized in a brace for 10-12 weeks. It needs to be in full extension for the first 3 weeks so there is no pulling on the patella and increased flexion and movement will be allowed as healing progresses. The bad news is that this brace did not allow her to travel and she was not able to go on the Alaskan cruise we have planned for the past 16 months. Unfortunately, but there are worse things that could have happened.

I hope everyone has an enjoyable summer. Recharge those batteries and get ready for 2017-2018.

See you all in Sioux Fall.

Thank you all for allowing me the honor to serve as your President this past year. Yours in Sports, **Joe Cliffe**

NHSACA Immediate Past President



# MICHIGAN HIGH SCHOOL COACHES ASSOCIATION

## HALL OF FAME APPLICATION

**Criteria for Application:** Only persons who have coached and or directed a secondary school athletics program for 25 years or more and actively coached in Michigan for a minimum of 10 years are eligible for the MHSCA Hall of Fame. The applicant must have been a member of the association (MHSCA), in good standing, and an active member of the association two years prior to nomination into the Hall of Fame. In addition to the application, the nominee will need to have two letters of support sent to the address at the bottom.

**Contact Information**

Date of Birth: \_\_\_\_\_

Name of Candidate: \_\_\_\_\_ Phone: \_\_\_\_\_

Home Address: \_\_\_\_\_ City: \_\_\_\_\_ State: \_\_\_\_\_ Zip: \_\_\_\_\_

Candidate E-mail: (please print carefully) \_\_\_\_\_

School \_\_\_\_\_ Phone: \_\_\_\_\_

Address: \_\_\_\_\_ City: \_\_\_\_\_ State: \_\_\_\_\_ Zip: \_\_\_\_\_

Athletic Director Name: \_\_\_\_\_ Phone: \_\_\_\_\_

E-Mail Address \_\_\_\_\_ FAX Number \_\_\_\_\_

Nominator's Name: \_\_\_\_\_ Phone: \_\_\_\_\_

Home Address \_\_\_\_\_ City: \_\_\_\_\_ State: \_\_\_\_\_ Zip: \_\_\_\_\_

E-mail: (please print carefully) \_\_\_\_\_

**Coaching and/or Athletic Director Record** (Please include all that you can on this form)

School	Sport	Years	# of Seasons	Won-Loss Record, Summary
Example Smithville HS	Basketball	1969—2008	48	600-20; 34 League, 20 Reg. 10 State Titles
_____	_____	_____	_____	_____
_____	_____	_____	_____	_____
_____	_____	_____	_____	_____
_____	_____	_____	_____	_____
_____	_____	_____	_____	_____

Number of years as a Coach: \_\_\_\_\_ Number of years as an Athletic Director: \_\_\_\_\_ Combined Total: \_\_\_\_\_

**Coaching Honors Listed:**

\_\_\_\_\_

\_\_\_\_\_

**Service to Sports Associations and/or Community** (sports associations, committees, leadership roles, service clubs, church organizations, etc.)

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Please send application, photograph (5 x 7) and have 2 letters of support forwarded to:

## MHSCA Hall of Fame Ticket Information

(Feel Free to Photocopy and Distribute)

The 59<sup>th</sup> Annual Hall of Fame Induction ceremony will be held on the campus of Central Michigan University in the Bovee University Center – Terrace Room at **1:00pm on September 17, 2017**.

The MHSCA Hall of Fame Induction ceremony consists of a cash bar, cold hors d'oeuvres, a two entrée buffet, dessert, and induction presentations of Hall of Fame Class of 2017.

**Address:** Bovee University Center, 103 East Preston Street, Mt. Pleasant, MI 48859

**For more information contact:** Mark F. Holdren  
Cell: 517-526-4575  
E-mail: [mholdren@portlandk12.org](mailto:mholdren@portlandk12.org)

The Hall of Fame Banquet and Induction Ceremony is a special event that should be shared by family, friends, colleagues, former athletes, and school administrators. Please feel free to distribute this sheet to the people that should be a part of this event.

Please order tickets early because space is limited. The deadline for ordering tickets is **September 8, 2017**.

\*\*\*\*\*TICKET CONFIRMATION RECEIPT AND TICKETS WILL BE SENT VIA E-MAIL\*\*\*\*\*

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### **SEND HALL OF FAME BANQUET TICKETS**

Enclosed is a check or money order paid to: MHSCA for Hall of Fame Banquet tickets. (DO NOT SEND CASH).

Send to: **Mark Holdren, MHSCA Executive Secretary**  
**854 Marshall Street**  
**Portland, MI 48875**

PLEASE send me \_\_\_\_\_ (number) Hall of Fame Banquet tickets @ \$35.00 = \$\_\_\_\_\_ (enclosed payment) to the following E-MAIL address.

\_\_\_\_\_ (your name)

\_\_\_\_\_ (your e-mail address)

## MICHIGAN HIGH SCHOOL COACHES ASSOCIATION/GATORADE

### 15/20/25/30/35/40/45/50 YEAR COACHING SERVICE AWARD

#### GENERAL REQUIREMENTS

- The candidate must have distinguished himself/herself with good coaching ethics and promoted good sportsmanship throughout his/her coaching career.  
\*The AD or principal's signature confirms this.
- Ten (10) years of coaching outside of the state of Michigan may be applied to the application.
- Coaching at any level may be applied as long as it is a school sponsored interscholastic sport. A maximum of ten (10) years may be allowed for coaching at the collegiate level.
- To receive a general coaching certificate the candidate must have been coaching at least one sport per year at any level for the requested number of years.
- To receive specific certificates for a single sport the candidate must qualify for the specified number of years in that sport. This can be at any level. You cannot however count more than one level or season for a sport in any one year. For example, coaching both boys and girls basketball during the same school year counts as "1" year; coaching both 7<sup>th</sup> grade boys and JV boys during the same school year counts as "1" year.

Awards for 30 years and more will have the sports that the candidate coached listed on the plaque. The coach will be presented only one award for each level of service after 30 years.

#### PROCEDURE FOR RECEIVING AWARD

- Complete the application forms (2) and mail to: Mike Jolly, Years of Service Awards,
- 20917 Parkplace Lane, Clinton Twp., MI 48036 or E-mail to: [dlsathletics@aol.com](mailto:dlsathletics@aol.com)
- Certificates will be sent to your home address. Please allow four (4) weeks for processing.

Plaques will be mailed to your home address. Please allow six (6) weeks for processing.

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#### MHSCA APPLICATION FOR YEARS COACHING SERVICE AWARD

\_\_\_ 15 Years \_\_\_ 20 Years \_\_\_ 25 Years \_\_\_ 30 Years \_\_\_ 35 Years \_\_\_ 40 Years \_\_\_ 45 Years \_\_\_ 50 Years

Name (as it is to appear on award) \_\_\_\_\_

Best Phone \_\_\_\_\_ Email Address: \_\_\_\_\_

Home Address \_\_\_\_\_

Home City \_\_\_\_\_ Home State \_\_\_\_\_ Home Zip \_\_\_\_\_

Michigan High School Sports Association: \_\_\_\_\_ (MITCA, BCAM, etc.)

MHSCA Membership Card #: \_\_\_\_\_ Year: \_\_\_\_\_

Signature of Coach \_\_\_\_\_

Signature of AD or Principal \* \_\_\_\_\_ Phone Number: \_\_\_\_\_

Printed Name of Administrator: \_\_\_\_\_ EMail: \_\_\_\_\_

Send Completed form to: Mike Jolly, Years of Service Awards, 20917 Parkplace Lane, Clinton Twp., MI 48036

or E-mail to: [dlsathletics@aol.com](mailto:dlsathletics@aol.com). Be sure to include your Year-by-Year Summary Sheet.

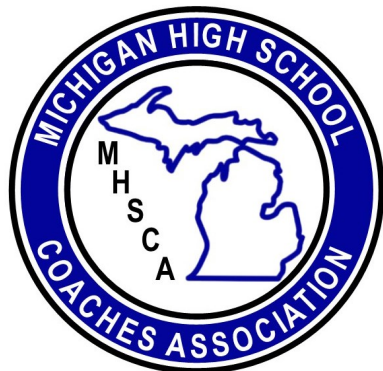
The MHSCA Coaching Service Award is sponsored by GATORADE in cooperation with MHSCA



## MHSCA Service Award Worksheet

	<b>NAME:</b> _____						
	<b>COACHING SERVICE AWARD WORKSHEET</b>						
	<b>School</b>				<b>School</b>		
	<b>Year</b>	<b>School</b>	<b>Sport</b>		<b>Year</b>	<b>School</b>	<b>Sport</b>
	(Example)	(Example)	(Example)		(Example)	(Example)	(Example)
1	1990-91	MCHS	FB, BBSK, BSB	4	1993-94	MACOMB CC	BBSK
2	1991-92	USAF	Active Duty	5	1994-95	TOLEDO ST. JOHN	BBSK
3	1992-93	MACOMB CC	BBSK	6	1995-96	MCHS	BBSK
	1960-61				2000-2001		
	1961-62				2001-2002		
	1962-63				2002-2003		
	1963-64				2003-2004		
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	1968-69				2008-2009		
	1969-70				2009-2010		
	1970-71				2010-2011		
	1971-72				2011-2012		
	1972-73				2012-2013		
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- Board of Directors Winter Board Meeting & Coach of the Year Recognitions November 12, 2017  
@ Ramada Convention Center,  
Lansing