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## PURPOSE

The North Cross Alumni Association Athletic Hall of Fame is established for the purpose of recognizing individual athletes, teams, and coaches that have excelled in interscholastic sports on behalf of North Cross School.

## ELIGIBILITY

Eligibility for the HOF shall be open and restricted to men and women that participated in varsity interscholastic sports of North Cross School. Organized athletic clubs affiliated with North Cross School but not official scholastic teams are not eligible for nomination.

### Athletes

To be eligible for the HOF, candidates must have a) graduated from North Cross School; b) participated in one or more NCS Interscholastic Sports for at least two years.

Eligibility for the HOF for individual candidates shall be deferred until four years after graduation. After this four year deferment period, there shall be no age or time restriction on individual or team eligibility.

Individuals currently serving as voting members of the Alumni Association Board of Directors shall not be eligible for the HOF; provided however, that they shall be eligible prior to and immediately after their service on the Alumni Board of Directors.

### Teams

Entire NCS Interscholastic Sports teams shall be eligible for induction into the HOF. Nominations may be made for a single season team with a set roster.

Eligibility for the HOF for teams shall be deferred until four years after the conclusion of the academic year in which the team competed. After this four year deferment period, there shall be no time restriction on team eligibility.

In cases where an entire team is inducted, the honor shall be given to the team and not each individual athlete; provided however, that each athlete on the team, along with the coaches, shall be individually recognized as a participant.

### Coaches

Coaches shall be eligible for the HOF based on their contributions and impact in one or more NCS Interscholastic Sports. Such accomplishments may be defined in terms of their win/loss record, their years of service and dedication to North Cross School athletic programs, their perceived impact on the lives of student athletes, or any combination of such factors. The primary emphasis of evaluating coaching candidates for the HOF shall be their overall career accomplishments and not their accomplishments in any particular season.

## SPONSORS

All nominations must have a single primary sponsor and at least two secondary sponsors.

All primary and secondary sponsors must be graduates of North Cross School with direct personal knowledge of the nominee.

A person shall not be allowed to nominate or sponsor themselves; provided however, that they shall be allowed to sponsor a team that they played on.

The award will be presented at Alumni Reunion Weekend on April 4 and 5, 2025.

Please fill out the information on the following page and submit it, along with any supporting documentation, by **Monday, September 30, 2024** to Leigh Ann Hamlin at [lhamlin@northcross.org](mailto:lhamlin@northcross.org). Nominations can also be mailed to 4254 Colonial Avenue, Roanoke, VA, 24018.

