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This is indeed a very exciting time for the Colorado High School Coaches Association, the only organization that represents ALL member coaches in the state of Colorado. As we enter the winter sports season we have crowned the champions from the recently completed fall sports season and those coaches who have achieved this difficult goal are to be congratulated and encouraged to give back to the profession by assisting in mentoring our young coaches.

As many of you have noticed we have a job opening at the CHSCA. After many years of service to the organization, our All-State Games Director, Sandy Beasley, has turned in her resignation and we are following established Board policy in naming a new person to the position. Further information may be found on the CHSCA web site colohsca.org. In the interim, our current President, Ed Eastin, with assistance from Executive Committee member Eric McRae, will handle the fall sports and Randy Earl of Berthoud High School, our President-elect, will be responsible for the winter sports communication and selections to the All-State Games.

While not half through the school year we now have surpassed last year's total number of football coaches who belong to the CHSCA. Perhaps the opportunity to be involved in a weekly rankings system and choosing an end-of-the-year All-State team has helped encourage coaches to join and participate. One of our finest prep coaches, Andy Lowry of Columbine, has been chosen as the recipient of the American Football Coaches Association “Power of Influence” award, given once a year to a high school football coach who has made a difference in students’ lives.

A recent Board decision to stay at Adams State University (no longer College) has allowed us to settle on a location for our long-running CHSCA All-State Games for the next five years. Adams State has been more than accommodating, and our relationship with them, and the use of their excellent facilities, has allowed the CHSCA to conduct the Games with the confidence that our athletes and coaches will have an outstanding experience and will not break the All-State Games budget.

We are in the process of researching the number of CHSCA Hall of Fame ceremonies the organization has conducted, and it looks very much like this year’s banquet will be the 50th anniversary of the CHSCA Hall of Fame. The 2013 event will be held on Saturday evening, March 30, 2013, with the social period beginning at 5:30 PM and dinner at 6:30 PM. Congratulations are in order to Sue Snyder, Brian Christensen, Greg King, Mike Pallotto, and Scott Yates on their recent nomination for induction into the CHSCA Hall of Fame.

Thanks also to Becky Mudd for all her work and expertise in running the CHSCA website and online registration. Her efforts have allowed the CHSCA to enter the modern age!

John Burke, Executive Director
Greetings Colorado High School Coaches Association Members.

By the time you receive this issue of The Colorado Coach, winter sports will have been competing for several weeks. Fall sports will be

fond memories. I know success is measured or evaluated on many levels and there are many challenges—some very frustrating and some we look forward to too. My hope is that all coaches and players, no matter what sport, record or challenges, improved as the season progressed. I am sure that there were many positives experienced which you and your team will remember and appreciate. To those of you who qualified for the state playoffs or state tournaments: congratulations on your achievement. To all the State Champions SUPER JOB, enjoy the success and memories that are so special.

For those of you who coach winter sports, have fun with the challenges that you face this year. Good luck to all of you. May you coach well, may your athletes play hard and may all of you build relationships that you will enjoy looking back on. GOOD LUCK!!!! A reminder to all coaches, make sure you contact or have one of your staff members

contact ALL OF THE MEDIA with your final results or scores of all your games or matches. We have newspapers, prep sports webs, television and radio stations that will really appreciate your communication. Yours fans and players really appreciate the up to date reporting!!!! Check out the CHSCA website for the latest news and important dates. www.colohsca.org Becky Mudd spends a lot of time updating the web site. There are dates and forms that you will need for Hall of Fame banquet, All State Games, membership, clinic information and awards. If you have any questions, concerns or suggestions, please contact one of the board members so that we can continue to work to make the Colorado High School Coaches Association a valuable and important organization for you and your staff.

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**Communication**

Becky Mudd
Colorado Coach Editor

Last issue I discussed EVALUATION, and I hope you are finding ways to do that effectively. This issue I am going to focus on the next buzz word of our time, and that is COMMUNICATION. As coaches, we know that communication within the game is vital. Equally so, communication to our athletes is important. Since we are in the education business, communication with our communities and parents is key as well. It is sometimes hard to believe that in this “age of communication” this is one area that parents are always concerned about, so we need to take some steps to improve our communication.

Just a FEW years ago my husband and I were dating long distance as I was in Michigan and he was at the University of Denver. Our communication consisted of letters (which are still a treasure) and a weekly phone call on Sunday night. There were no cell phones, Facebook, Internet or Twitter. We both knew that all of our information about our week, our games, our classes and life would be contained in that phone call or letter.

Early in our marriage we owned a cell phone (looked like a black brick)-- that ONE of us could take somewhere for emergencies. He had a pager and I could enter the scores of our games into his pager so that he could see our results when he was away at work. Our faculty lounge had one computer, and our staff had ONE common email address, but we began to be able to see this world of communication unfolding in front of us.

I’ll never forget a bus ride where the girls were talking and singing and suddenly it got quiet as one girl was talking loudly, and she was upset. I quickly responded to see what was the matter, or who was she yelling at? The girls said, “she is talking to her boyfriend on her cell phone.” It wasn’t long after that until every student had a cell phone, and gone were the days of stories of broken down busses where anyone had to walk, or waiting after an away trip for parents to “pick up”—we now give the 20 minute warning and each girl calls home to make sure that someone is waiting at school when we arrive.

At this hour I just finished uploading my stats, updating my website, and putting up my video. I can post a message on Facebook or tweet or text and get immediate feedback. To test this out, I just texted my players (all at once) asking them to text back with th eir reponse to a certai n question that they can easily answer. 5 minutes later I have 8 out of 10 responses (and it is 10:48 at night).

How is it fathomable then that in this day and age communication is such an issue? I will attempt to tackle two key points of why I see it to be a challenge, and ways to help coaches improve it within our programs.

The first thing that we must remember is that communication consists of TWO key components: giving AND receiving.

With today’s technologies I know that we sometimes do a poor job of the second part: receiving the information. When the schedule or the expectations or any information is simply put online, or on facebook, or in an email, we assume that the audience is listening—which may not always be the case. (spam folders, deleted emails, not logging in all happen frequently.) I am so guilty of this! My daughter will show up for preschool and all the other kids are wearing SILLY HATS—but Mom didn’t check the website, so she has no hat. As coaches we make a schedule change or an announcement, but someone already put the old time in their datebook or didn’t have access to a computer to see announcements, and we have conflicts.

My advice for coaches in this first area is, just like my old college phone calls, to have ONE PLACE where parents, athletes, and community can go for the latest updates and information. If it is a website, a school page, a written newsletter--whatever, just keep it up to date and be consistent. You can always email, tweet or text for other quick information—but let your parents know right up front where that ONE place is to find things like schedules or team rules and make sure that you keep it up to date. Also, proper planning can minimize the need for schedule changes—do the work up front and limit changes.

Second, don’t let the computer replace your voice. It takes just seconds to type or tweet—and more time to call, but don’t reduce all communication to electronic. There is still something very vital about engaging in conversation. Meet people face to face. Say hello to parents at games, and anywhere you may see them. Have a social gathering with your families to encourage community. Ask them for help with duties related to the games to make them part of the program. Coaches also need to be on the receiving end of communication—listen to others concerns, and find ways to make things better. All of these things will help your parents and you to be better communicators with each other.

We have come a long way in the speed and accessibility of reaching each other. Coaches should remember: facilitate the giving AND receiving of information—and engage in ways beyond electronics with those who are connected to your program. Let’s all work to be better communicators this year.

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ON THE COVER:
Our 2013 Hall of Fame class has been named, and will be inducted at a wonderful dinner on March 30, 2013 at the Red Lion Hotel. Other CHSCA Awards and rings will also be given that night. If you want to be inspired by these fellow coaches, as well as honor your peers, we encourage you to attend. More info on the recipients coming in the next issue!

Fountain, CO – The High School Sport Complex (Mitch Johnson Sports Complex) was named after Head Football Coach Mitch Johnson this fall in honor of his long service to the High School and community.

GET INVOLVED!!! The BOARD of the COLORADO HIGH SCHOOL COACHES ASSOCIATION needs YOU! We have many great things going on in our organization, and we want to continue to do more for the coaches across our state. All of the sports groups have representation on the Board, and there are several DIRECTOR positions that open each year. We are especially in need of representation from the Southern part of our state. If you have a desire to get involved with a great organization whose goals are to promote and provide benefits for coaches, please contact our Executive Director, John Burke jburke24@colohsca.org
Columbine's Andy Lowry to Receive 2012 Power of Influence Award

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Columbine (Colo.) High School head coach Andy Lowry has been named the 2012 Power of Influence Award recipient. Lowry was nominated by the Colorado High School Coaches Association (CHSCA). Presented jointly by the American Football Coaches Association® and the American Football Coaches Foundation®, the award will be given to Lowry at the AFCA Coach of the Year Dinner on Tuesday, January 8, at the 2013 AFCA Convention in Nashville, Tennessee.

The Power of Influence award was created as a way for the AFCA and AFCF to honor a deserving high school football coach. Coaches who receive this award are recognized for their impact on their team and players, as well as the legacy they leave with the school and community. This award is not based on wins and losses; however, it is noted that coaches of powerful influence have longevity and success. It is the first AFCA award specifically designed to honor a high school coach.

“This award means much more that any other coaching awards that I have ever won,” said Lowry. “It goes beyond winning and losing and is an award for making an impact or difference in others’ lives, our school and community. I try to be a faithful person and a servant first in my job. God has blessed me in so many ways. I love my job working with young people and I have the best assistant coaches that any coach could ever wish for. They are the reason that we have won five state championships since 1999. This is an honor that I will accept on behalf of Columbine High School, my coaches, my family, and most importantly, our great kids that have worked and excelled in our program for the past 19 years.”

Lowry began his coaching career in 1986 as a graduate assistant at his alma mater, Western State College. He moved on to Lakewood (Colo.) High School, where he rose through the ranks to become head coach by 1992. From there, Lowry found his way to his current position, the head coach of Columbine High School, where he took the reins in 1994. It was there that, in August 1999, tragedy struck, and the whole community was affected by the worst high school shooting tragedy in history. Lowry’s leadership and example, through his coaching, as well as his work in the community, helped mend the wounds that the town had experienced. Mere months after the tragedy, Lowry and his Rebel football team gave the town something to be excited about, as the team went on to win the 5A State title.

While racking up an impressive record at Columbine of 189-43 in his 19 years, Lowry has also been active in his community and has encouraged his staff to be active as well. When Greg Rund, a past player, passed away in Iraq in 2004, Lowry worked with the Rund family to set up a scholarship in Greg’s name, to go to a player that exemplified Greg’s unselfish attitude and commitment to the team. Lowry also works with the physical education challenge program, working with physically or mentally challenged students, frequently having students from the program lead the football team onto the field on Friday nights.

“I have been blessed to be one of Andy’s assistants for the past 19 years and during that time I’ve watched him build a program based on service to others,” wrote Tom Tonelli, an assistant coach at Columbine High School, echoing the sentiment of many that wrote in to support Lowry. “At the foundation of his coaching philosophy is an emphasis on developing relationships and having genuine respect for every person who plays for us. To Andy, working with kids is not a job, it is a privilege, and this idea not only guides our coaching staff, but has also had a profound impact on how I have come to view not only my players, but my students as well. You see, Andy sees the value and potential of human beings regardless of their speed or skill. And that is why every kid who plays at Columbine knows he has value.”

In addition to the 2012 Power of Influence Award, Lowry has received several other recognitions. He has been named Coach of the Year numerous times by several organizations, including Jefferson County five times, the Denver Post twice, the Denver Broncos three times, and he was named the Big 6 League Coach of the Year once. Lowry’s Columbine Rebel football team has won the Colorado 5A state championship five times (1999, 2000, 2002, 2006, 2011) and won their league a staggering 11 times. Lowry was also named a John Lynch Coach of the Month (2009) and the March of Dimes Inspirational Award (2000).

Other finalists for this year’s award were: Paul Maechtle, Southeast Hills High School (Bradenton, Fla.); Rick Wimmer, Fishers High School (Fishers, Ind.); Steve Hancock, Branson High School (Branson, Mo.); Larry Hill, Smithson Valley High School (Spring Branch, Texas); Peter Moe, Washburn High School (Washburn, N.D.); Paul Monk, New Life Academy (Woodbury, Minn.); Mark Batton, Magnolia High School (New Martinsville, W.Va.).

Past Power of Influence Award winners include: Larry Dippel, Amarillo (Texas) High School (2002); John McKissick, Summerville (S.C.) High School (2003); Marcus Borden, East Brunswick (N.J.) High School (2004); Ron Stolski, Brainerd (Minn.) High School (2005); Sid Otton, Tumwater (Wash.) High School (2006); Rob Younger, Sweet Home (Ore.) High School (2007); George Smith, St. Thomas Aquinas (Fla.) High School (2008), Jim Drewry, Booneville (Miss.) High School (2009), Brent Steuerwald, Shenendehowa (N.Y.) High School (2010), and Noel Dean, Lowell (Mich.) High School (2011).
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2A – Lyons – Mark Roberts
3A – University – Sharon Eberhard
4A – Coronado – Doug Hugill
5A – Mountain Vista – Jonanthan Dalby
Girls
2A – Hotchkiss – Kelly Cowan
3A – Holy Family – David Good
4A – Classical Academy – Alan Vershaw
5A – Monarch – Kent Rieder

Field Hockey – Colorado Academy – Daan Polders

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A6 – Fleming – John King
A8 – Hoehne – Robert Schafer
1A – Cedaredge – Brandon Milholland
2A – Kent Denver – Scott Yates
3A – Silver Creek – Mike Apodaca
4A – Monarch – Phil Bravo
5A – Valor Christian – Brent Vieselmeyer

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4A – Elizabeth – Stacy Folmar
5A – Broomfield – Erika Taga

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4A – Battle Mountain – David Cope
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3A – Strasburg – Michelle Woodard
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5A – Loveland – Mike Felton

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4A – Cheyenne Mountain – Dave Adams
5A – Cherry Creek – Kirk Price

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1A – Weldon Valley – Jerry Spooner
2A – Lutheran – Alicia Oates
3A – Valley – Rene Aafedt
4A – Cheyenne Mountain – David Barkely
5A – Doherty – Tara Hittle

Sporting behavior remains an educational concern for the Association and the CHSAA staff would like to remind all the coaches that no person has a greater influence over how student participants behave than the coach. Take a minute and talk with your players about your sportsmanship expectations for them. It is always a good idea to discuss your sportsmanship expectations with your players’ parents, as well.

If you have an opportunity to address your student body before your winter season starts, tell the students your expectations for positive sporting behavior. Coaches have more impact on how crowds, players and student bodies than any other person. That is a big expectation, but it is so true.

Please use your in positive influence on your students and fans to help the problems of other states and other levels of play to remain at bay.

Participation in high school athletics give students some inherent educational values and you have the ability to ensure that these positive values are derived from your programs.

Finally, remember that what you condone, you approve.

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The latest class of the Colorado High School Activities Association Hall of Fame, the 24th in the history of the organization, features a broad range of inductees including three former student participants, a long-time official, a pair of highly successful coaches and a veteran public address announcer for many state championship events.

Joining the CHSAA Hall of Fame from the participant ranks are Chauncey Billups (George Washington), Rhonda Blanford-Green (Aurora Central) and Duane Lewis (Burlington). They are joined by volleyball coach Pam Fagerlund (Flagler) and former Manual, Denver South and George Washington coach Joe Strain, along with Frank Palmeri, whose 50-year public address career in Jefferson County also included five decades as the voice of the CHSAA’s State Wrestling Championships. Blanford-Green also served as an administrator for the CHSAA for 14 years before becoming the executive director of the Nebraska Schools Activities Association last July, while Lewis went on to a successful teaching and coaching career at several Colorado schools.

"Earning a place in the CHSAA Hall of Fame is an honor so few receive. Yet each class represents the thousands upon thousands of participants, coaches, administrators, officials and significant contributors that give so much to the state’s high school athletics and activities. The Class of 2012 reveals the breadth and depth that Colorado high school athletics and activities represent in our member schools. Each of the inductees has left a snapshot of his/her impact on this organization in a positive way," CHSAA Commissioner Paul Angelico said in making the announcement.

“I know it seems odd that it has taken so long for some of these people to be inducted into the CHSAA Hall of Fame, especially Chauncey Billups. But, induction is predicated on several things, including being nominated and the ability to be in attendance at the induction ceremony. For many deserving people, they have yet to be nominated. In the case of Chauncey, we wanted him to be in attendance because he is the prototypical inductee – success at all levels, leadership qualities, representing his sport at the highest level.
All seven of these people display these qualities. We are very proud of these seven individuals. They are high school athletics and activities,” CHSAA Hall of Fame administrator Bert Borgmann said.

The Class of 2012 will be inducted during a banquet ceremony on Wednesday, January 23, 2013, at the Red Lion Hotel Denver Southeast (I-25 and Parker). Individual tickets may be purchased for $45 each by contacting the CHSAA. The festivities get underway at 6:30 p.m. Seating is limited.

The selection of the three student participants to the CHSAA Hall of Fame puts the total number of participants in the hall at 53. There are now 54 coaches, 27 administrators, 14 officials and six significant service contributors enshrined in the CHSAA Hall of Fame that began in 1989. There are also two teams in the hall. The Hall of Fame now features 156 inductees.

Biographies of the newest additions to the hall include:

Chauncey Billups (George Washington) – Certainly one of the greatest, if not the greatest basketball player, to play in Colorado, Billups led his George Washington team to a pair of 6A state championships as a sophomore and junior. A shoulder injury as a senior limited his time in the playoffs and GWHS was eliminated early that year. He remains active in the Colorado prep scene through camps with Regis University’s Lonnie Porter, which feature a significant amount of time on leadership and character principles. A star at the University of Colorado, he was chosen third overall in the 1997 NBA Draft by the Boston Celtics. A 5 time NBA All-Star and a 3 time All-NBA selection, Billups has played for the Celtics, the Toronto Raptors, the Denver Nuggets, the Minnesota Timberwolves, the Detroit Pistons, the New York Knicks, the Los Angeles Clippers, and Team USA. He won the NBA Finals MVP in 2004, helping the Pistons beat the Los Angeles Lakers in the Finals, and was given the nickname “Mr. Big Shot” for making late-game shots with Detroit.

Rhonda Blanford-Green (Aurora Central) – Perhaps the finest female track athlete ever from Colorado, Blanford-Green was a three-sport athlete (volleyball, cheer, and track and field) at Aurora Central and still holds school records in the 100m, 200m 100h, and long jump. She was an undefeated “Big 8” champion in the indoor and outdoor hurdles and an 11-time All-American for the University of Nebraska. Following her Nebraska career, she was a member and team captain for several U.S. teams that competed internationally. She served 14 years as a CHSAA administrator, including two as associate commissioner and is now the Nebraska Schools Activities Association executive director. She is currently the chair of the National Federation of High School Associations (NFHS) Citizenship and Equity Committee and NFHS Spirit Committee. She has also served on the Track and Field Committee. She is recognized nationally for her commitment to education in the areas of spirit, equity, and student participation. Blanford-Green was the first minority administrator hired to the CHSAA staff and she is the first African-American female Executive Director in the nation.

Jim Dorsey (Sheridan) – Dorsey was a teacher, coach and administrator at Sheridan High School from 1961 until his retirement in 2002. But, the CHSAA has benefited most from his work in officiating and the assignment of sports officials since 1974. His ability as an official stands out when one reads his resume. He was a high school and collegiate baseball umpire from 1961 until 1981. He officiated basketball at the prep and college levels from 1970 through 1999. His valuable insight into the professional development of basketball officials is underscored by his commitment to the profession. He has been reappointed as the Secretary of the IAABO Board #4 in Colorado every year since 1998. That position requires exceptional organizational, personal and officiating skills. He is a charter member of the CHSAA basketball officials playoff assigning committee and is a noted clinician. Dorsey received the CHSAA’s Distinguished Service Award in 2004, has been a Special Olympics volunteer and officiated for Special Olympics since 1976. In spring 2011, Dorsey became one of just four Coloradans granted Life Membership in the IAABO.

Pam Fagerlund (Flagler) – Colorado’s winningest girls’ volleyball coach with a mark of 564-194 (.744) in 28 years at Flagler High School. Her teams have won 69-21 (.681) in state tournament play and have a 4-6 mark in state championship matches. Seven of her players have won post-season Player of the Year honors and 40 have gone on to earn All-State honors. Her teams had a streak of 25 of 28 appearances in the state tournament. She has served as chair of the CHSAA Volleyball Committee twice, has coached in nine All-State games for the CHSAA and CCHS and, in 2005, won The Denver Post Dave Sanders Award. Fagerlund is a 9-time Coach of the Year Award recipient, including 1998 when State Farm named her “Top Coach of Women’s Athletics.” The Colorado Coaches of Girls Sports presented her with the Helen D. McCall Award for Promotion of Girls’ Sports in 2003 and She was the National Federation’s Colorado Coach of the Year in 2001.

Duane Lewis (Burlington) – Although currently recognized, perhaps, more for his coaching and shooting education innovations, Duane Lewis was one of the state’s finest athletes while a student at Burlington High School from 1956-60. He held numerous spots in the CHSAA top basketball records for scoring. He earned 14 letters at BHS – four each in football, basketball and baseball, two in track – and averaged 29 points per game as a senior including four games with more than 40 points. He was ranked seventh in the state in scoring when he graduated. A career 64% shooter, Lewis’ exploits came prior to the advent of the three-point shot. Lewis went on to become one of the state’s top basketball and golf coaches, coaching both sports at Alamosa and Alameda. He has been awarded numerous post-season honors both as an athlete and as a coach, including induction into the Jeffco Hall of Fame (2010) and the CHSCA Hall of Fame (1999).

Frank Palmeri (Jefferson County) – From 1948 until 2005, a period of 57 years, Frank Palmeri was the “voice” of high school sports in Colorado. He started in 1948 in the Denver Parochial Announcers Association. He moved over to GWHS and coached the Patriots from 1977 until his retirement in 1986, compiling a 165-30 mark. His GW teams won six City Championships and his teams went 22-5 in seven state playoff appearances. He served as a father figure and role model for many of his players. One player
noted that A coach affects eternity; he can never tell when his influence stops." According to his former players, Strain's influence is still alive and well today. During his coaching career at Manual, Strain was an assistant coach in basketball, baseball and football. In addition to the induction of the Hall of Fame class, the Association will honor one person with its Distinguished Service Award and a Colorado organization or corporation with its Colorado Tradition Award. The Colorado Tradition Award is special recognition that goes to an organization that has distinguished itself through its support and loyalty to CHSAA, its mission and students. The CHSAA Distinguished Service Award is presented to persons whose efforts are in support of, rather than the focus of, an activity. The seven new members join past inductees: Betsy Allen (2005); Bobby Anderson (2011); Justin Armour (2011); Chris Babbs (2005); Jim Baggot (1991); Ray C. Ball (1990); Alice Barron (1989); Bob Bledsoe (2010); Manual Boody (1990); Michelle Bostrom (2000); Donald Breese (1999); Maceo Brodnax, Jr. (1999); Irv Brown (2003); Bledsoe (2010); Betty Buff (1992); George Demetriou (2011); Mickey Dunn (1997); Cody Dunn (1999); Gib Funk (1991); Ken Funk (1997); Tanya Haave (1993); Tom Hancock (2008); Phyllis Jojola Hildner (2002); Virginia Lorbeer (2000); Ray Lutz (2004); Kurby Lyle (1994); Don McCall (2008); Bill McGray (1989); Jayne Gibson McHugh (1991); Mary Gore (1992); Bette Linn (1998); Lloyd McMillan (1995); Pat Manson (2001); Kristin (Jensen) McKay (2011); Tom Miller (2000); Warren Mitchell (2001); Ruby Miller (1990); Glenn Morris (1997); Daryl Monasmith (2007); Frank Montera (2007); Leslie Moore (2010); Herman Motz (2005); John Mo Raleigh (2003); Bill Musgrave (1996); Bill Noxon (2010); Bob Ottewill (2006); Larry Overton (2001); Pat Panek (1991); Lou Piel (1995); Shelia Quillen (1998); Don Quinn (2002); Carl Ramunno (1998); Sollie Raso (1992); Earl Reum (1990); John Rivas (1994); Fred Rodriguez (2009); Jim Poole (2008); Joan Powell (2008); Lonnie Rogers (2001); Jeff Rohlfing (2004); Joe Romig (1993); Al Schalge (1993); Mel Schwartz (1993); Lowell Sharp (2000); Ron Shavlik (2002); Frank Sfrerra (1991); Eulalia Skinner (2002); Bob Smith (1997); Cari (Jensen) Smith (2011); Shirley Snyder (1995); Ken Soper (2008); Tom Southall (2009); John Stearns (2010); Sally Stewart (2004); Anita Stites-Rowland (2004); Scott Stocker (2004); Dale Stryker (1994); Richard Tate (2010); Dennis Teeters (2004); Fred Tesone (2009); Bob Thompson (1994); Carol Ulrich (1997); Brenda Ververs-Laggett (2003); Larry Vibber (2002); Don Weber (1995); Michael P. Weiker (1996); Bill Weimar (1992); Byron White (1998); Sharon Witch (1997); Don Wilson (1995); Robert Wilson (2003); Scott Wilson (2005); Jimmy Womack (2003); Dick Yates (2006); Steve Zabel (1995); 1924 Windsor High School Boys' Basketball Team and 1957 Mead High School Boys' Basketball Team. Members of the CHSAA Hall of Fame Selection Committee include: Dick Katte (chair, Denver Christian); Larry Bull (CCSD); Judy Hildner (Pueblo Chieftain); Robert Jefferson (Adams City); Rob Larson (Fort Collins); Virginia Lorbeer (CHSAA HOF); Becky Mudd (CHSCA); Josh Reinhard (Standley Lake); and Denny Squibb (Fruita Monument); CHSAA staff liaison is Assistant Commissioner Bert Borgmann.

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A great source of sports specific information is the CHSAA's own website, which is loaded with all the administrative information you need for the season. The www.chsaa.org website. On this site, you will find bulletins, CHSAA Constitution and By-laws, playoff information and much more.

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Coaches often ask how they can affect the CHSAA committee process related to their sport. The key to being involved is to be aware of:

1. Know when your sport's advisory committee meets;
2. Make contact with your sport's CHSAA staff liaison and discuss your concerns or suggestions with that person;
3. Know the Board of Control dates where your sport's committee report will be reviewed and voted on; and,
4. Talk with your sport's classification committee member prior to the committee meeting if you have some issues that need to be addressed.

You are always welcome to attend your sports committee meeting. Please contact the committee chair or CHSAA staff liaison to let them know that you will be in attendance. Although committee report can be amended at the Board of Control, the most effective manner in which to make your concerns known is to communicate those ideas prior to the committee developing its final report.

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Have a great season and please contact us if we can be of any assistance.

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CONGRATULATIONS
TO OUR CHSCA MEMBER FALL STATE CHAMPIONS!

Member coaches as of December 1, 2012

Jonathan Dalby
Mountain Vista HS
Boys Cross Country

Doug Hugill
Coronado HS
4A Boys Cross Country

Sharon Eberhard
University HS
3A Boys Cross Country

Mark Roberts
Lyon HS
2A Boys Cross Country

Alan Versaw
The Classical Academy
4A Girls Cross Country

David Good
Holy Family HS
3A Girls Cross Country

Kelly Cowan
Hotchkiss HS
2A Girls Cross Country

Brent Vieselmeyer
Valor Christian HS
5A Football

Mike Apodaca
Silver Creek HS
3A Football

Scott Yates
Kent Denver HS
2A Football

Brandon Milholland
Cedaredge HS
1A Football

Robert Schafer
Hoehne HS
8 Man Football

Hardy Kalisher
Boulder HS
5A Boys Soccer

David Cope
Battle Mountain HS
4A Boys Soccer

JC Pritchard
Colorado Academy HS
3A Boys Soccer

DJ Johnson
Pueblo South HS
4A Boys Golf

Michelle Woodard
Strasburg HS
3A Softball

David Barkely
Cheyenne Mountain HS
4A Volleyball

Rene Aafedt
Valley HS
3A Volleyball

Alicia Oates
Lutheran HS
2A Volleyball
soccer
Theresa Echtermeyer
Mountain Vista HS

Dear Coaches,
Thank you to all the boys’ coaches who attended the All State Meeting in November. A quick reminder to everyone that if you are not receiving emails from Justin Stephens regarding All State Meetings, All State Games and Coaches clinics, we need to get an updated email address from you. If you are not receiving these emails please send Justin your current email; jstephen@psdschools.org or email me at theresaechtermeyer@comcast.net.

Congratulations to our State Champions and COY winners for the Fall 2012 season;
3A State Champs Colorado Academy, Coach JC Pritchard
4A State Champs Battle Mountain HS, Coach Dave Cope
5A State Champs Boulder HS, Coach Hardy Kalisher

The CHSAA Coaches of the Year Awards for 2012
3A Arty Smith - Kent Denver HS
4A Dave Cope - Battle Mountain HS
5A Kersten Mullan - Smoky Hill HS
All Classifications COY - Dave Cope - Battle Mountain HS

NSCAA COY Award Winners for 2012
Private School - JC Pritchard - Colorado Academy HS
Small School (3A/4A) Dave Cope - Battle Mt. HS
Large School (5A) - Hardy Kalisher - Boulder HS

We also have several coaches who have just been named Regional Coach of the Year by the NSCAA. This is a great honor and we are lucky to have these talented and committed coaches working here in Colorado.

NSCAA Region VII Coaches of the Year
Girls Small Public HS - Nancy Sibley - Air Academy HS
Boys Private/Parochial - JC Pritchard - Colorado Academy HS
Boys Public Large School - Hardy Kalisher - Boulder HS

Quick reminder to all of our Coaches that the boys and girls All State Game will be played on Wednesday, June 26th at District 20 Stadium (Liberty High School). Girls 6:00pm - Boys 8:00pm.

Best of luck to everyone for the spring season!

Congratulations Bill Reader - 2012 Tracy Fifer Honor Award Recipient

Bill Reader was the recipient of the 2012 Tracy Fifer Award for Long-Term Achievement. Bill was instrumental in bringing high school soccer, especially the State Championships, to the level of organization and popularity it is today. In 1987 Bill became the CHSAA Commissioner while also serving as the soccer liaison between CHSSA and CHSCA from 1987 until 1995. Bill served in his role as CHSAA Commissioner until his retirement in 2010. Bill was also on the Board of Directors for the National Federation of State High School Sports, serving as its President from 2003-2007. Bill was a champion for all sports but was instrumental in helping implement big improvements to the high school playoff and seeding formats. He also helped with moving soccer playoff dates and venues, thus making high school soccer playoffs more assessable and exciting for the fans and the athletes. Quotes you would often hear about Bill include; “He was willing to listen to the coaches and their input on improving the game. Bill was very fair.” “He was an advocate for all players and coaches.” Thank you Bill for your service and for all you have done to help improve high school soccer in Colorado. Our administrators, coaches and student athletes are forever grateful.

volleyball
Derek Herbert
Fleming High School

John Quincy Adams once said, "If your actions inspire others to dream more, learn more, do more, and become more, you are a leader.” I also think that if you embody this quote, you are a coach and I want to say thank you to the coaches for all you did during the last several months to benefit our youth. You provide more than just volleyball knowledge, you make our youth dream more, learn more, do more and become more than they ever thought they could. You have put in many hours of hard work and now it is time to celebrate the end to the season and with this issue of Colorado Coach we want to celebrate some great accomplishments from this past season.

Congratulations to all the coaches of State Championship Teams for bringing excellence and outstanding sportsmanship to our sport this past season.
1A – Weldon Valley – Jerry Spooner
2A – Lutheran – Alicia Oates
3A – Valley – Rene Aafedt
4A – Cheyenne Mountain – David Barkley
5A – Doherty – Tara Hittle

We had a new format for the state tournament this year with 12 teams able to qualify. It was fun to see more schools and teams competing and the competition was great. The state tournament is such an amazing venue to watch volleyball. There are so many fantastic teams to see in all five classifications and as a spectator there is always a competitive match to watch. With five courts going at the same time, there is never a dull moment.
I could not attend because we were playing, but thank you to everyone that joined us in the hospitality area. Several coaches said it was nice to get together with such talented people and just talk and relax. Extra thanks need to go out to Thomas Southall from Cherokee Trail for manning the hospitality area during the tournament. I also want to give a special thanks to the ball shaggers from St. Vrain School District. They do such a great job keeping the tournament running smoothly and I had the joy of doing the chicken dance with several of them before the first match on Saturday, so I can tell you firsthand they are pretty awesome dancers as well.

**Congratulations** need to go out to **Shana Benson** from Gunnison for being selected our 2012 Colorado Coach of the Year. We also want to congratulate **Chris Sweeney** from St. Mary's for being selected our 2012 Assistant Coach of the Year.

This year at the state tournament we gave out two special awards, the Horizon and the Pioneer Awards.

**Congratulations** to **Caleb Howard** from Resurrection Christian for winning the 2012 Horizon Award. Caleb has been the head coach at Resurrection Christian High School for the last seven years. His teams have earned a state runner-up trophy and have amassed a 138 and 43 record over those years. He loves coaching and has been coaching volleyball in some capacity since graduating from high school; coaching at the middle school, high school, and club level for both boys and girls teams. Caleb is also a math teacher at the school and enjoys the chance to build relationships with the students and athletes every day. He is thankful for the opportunity that high school sports offer to teach the athletes about teamwork, selflessness, and dedication. His volleyball team just qualified for the state tournament for the fourth time.

Caleb states, “I am very thankful for the many people who have contributed to the success of this program. This award definitely reflects the efforts of the entire coaching staff from middle school to varsity. I am thankful for athletes and families who are willing to put the success of the team over individual achievements. I appreciate the camaraderie with the other volleyball coaches around the state and all that I have been able to learn from them. I especially want to thank my wife and kids who are so supportive of all the time and passion that I pour into this program. I strive to impact the next generation and to glorify God in everything that I do as a coach and teacher.”

**Congratulations** to **Bonnie Wallin-Kuntz** from Otis for winning the 2012 Pioneer Award. Bonnie began coaching in Northeast Colorado 26 years ago. For the last 23 years she has been the head volleyball coach at Otis. During that time, Bonnie’s teams have compiled a record of 460 wins and 142 losses. This year Otis is competing in their eighth straight state tournament under Bonnie’s leadership. During her career Otis has won four 1A state championships and was runners-up twice as well. They have also been league champions 14 times during that stretch. Bonnie has earned the 1A coach of the year several times and was the CHSCA All-Colorado Coach of the Year in 1998 & 2009. Also in 2010, she was a Finalist for the National Coach of the Year Award. She was the CHSCA volleyball president for Colorado and has been a great mentor for many coaches throughout the state.

Bonnie states: “I would like to thank my family, coaching staff, all of my present and former players. I would also like to give thanks to the Otis community and parents for all of their support over the years. I am truly grateful for this award. The State of Colorado is full of great coaches and I am honored to have my name among them.”

The All-State Summer Games volleyball player selections have been made and players notified. Please help us get your player commitments in and verified as soon as possible. All forms to be filled out can be found on the CHSCA website. Your athletes will then be drafted to one of four teams for the summer games to be held in early June at Adam’s State in Alamosa, CO. Please keep checking the website for further updates on the games.

Now that the season is over, I hope that all of you can enjoy a little down time and relax. You have been working extremely hard and deserve the chance to spend some quality time with family and friends. I hope you have a Merry Christmas and a great holiday season.

**BOYS’ BASKETBALL**

**Ryan Voehringer**

Valley High School

Coaches,

By the time you read this, you will be well underway into the new basketball season. I hope all is going well and I wish good luck to all of you.

With the start of the new two-year cycle, some of you are in new leagues and classifications. If this involves you, I hope the transition goes well for you. As it does every season, Colorado high school basketball will offer plenty of excitement during the season throughout all classifications.

Make sure that you are reporting results of all varsity games to Max Preps’. CHSAA will be using Max Preps to seed for the playoffs. Max Preps also does a great job in providing availability to players,
parents, and college coaches to your program.

Just a reminder that practice over Christmas vacation is allowed, but you can not make it mandatory for your players. You may have practice beginning Friday, December 28, Saturday 29th and Monday the 31st. You may begin mandatory practices again on January 2.

I am in the beginning stages of preparing for the 2013 clinic and would appreciate any input you may have on ways to improve the clinic. If you have any thoughts or ideas on who we can bring in as guest speakers, please feel free to share those as well. If you are interested in speaking, please let me know.

Selection for the all-state game participants to be held in June in Alamosa is TBA. I will be sending out guidelines for selection and nomination forms to league representatives in early February, 2013. The nomination form will also be on our website after the first of the year. All nomination forms need to be returned to me by Sunday, March 3, 2013, to voehringerr@weld-re1.k12.co.us.

Coaches, if you know of any coaches or have coaches on your staff who are not members of the CHSCA, please inform them what a great organization it is, and how it would benefit them to become a member. You can find all information regarding the coaches association on the web site including dates for all of our events and dues forms. The address for the web site is www.colohsca.org. Again, the best of luck this season and I hope to see you on the hardwood sometime this winter.

SPIRIT
Virginia Lorbeer

SPIRIT IS A SPORT IN COLORADO and SPIRIT COACHES ARE COACHES!
To cheerleader and dance coaches -- As coaches, we all have to look at our responsibilities as any other athletic coach – we are no less responsible for her/his team than a coach is to his athletic team. The groups need direction, guidance, and firm and fair control. In building school spirit, the cheerleader/dance coach has to have enthusiasm, pride, leadership, and dedication to instill into her teams these very important aspects in trying to build the school spirit, pride, and cohesiveness. She/he needs to be identified not only with the school but also with the community. A cheer/dance coach needs to be consistent in standards for the organization and she/he needs to be creative in trying to help the teams build new ideas for school spirit and pride. The young people are now asking and looking for guidance and direction. As a coach, you can give these to them. Communication is a key word in working with the cheerleaders, parents, faculty, and administration. Keep people informed as to what is going on and when. Ideas that you, as a coach can do to keep the lines of communication open are folders for the athletes which consist of rally schedule, calendar of events, practice schedule, fundraising events, telephone numbers, and e-mail addresses. Give the faculty and administration folders with a pep rally schedule and calendar of events. Prior to tryouts have a parent meeting so that the parents will understand the obligations and responsibilities that their daughters/sons will assume if they are selected to the team (financial, practices, camps, fundraising, and eligibility). Following tryouts, have another meeting with the parents to again explain the financial obligations, eligibility, and attendance at games, practices and what you as a coach expect from your team and what you will do to help them succeed. Show appreciation to your athletes for the work that they have done and continue to do. THANKS is a very important word to and for everyone. A coach of any athletic team doesn’t send a team to practice or to a game without him/her. It’s not only your job but it should be important to you to want to be where your team is performing and practicing. If you are not present at practice and at games where cheerleaders are stunting, there is also the legal liability involved. You and the spirit groups have no season – it’s a year-round job and responsibility. You see, as a coach, I always believed that my teams were the best in the city and state and by my attending games, meetings, and activities; it showed them “I did care!”

As a coach, not only is your responsibility to be supportive and a knowledgeable coach, but you also have a professional responsibility:

. To be current on all rules – CHSAA and National Federation
. To attend mandatory rules clinic
. To attend a concussion session and take the CHSAA concussion test
. To take the CHSAA coaches’ test
. To be current on your CPR
. To be educated on the latest dance moves and cheer stunts
. To meet all deadlines
. To communicate with your AD, parents, staff, and your team
. To know the eligibility rules and to be sure that your athletes are eligible
. To teach and show sportsmanship
. If you don’t know, ask

We are now a sport, so much is expected from you, the coach! Last but by no means least is to “believe in your team, your school” because to you they should be the very best that is in the league, city, and state. Support them, believe in them, and be proud of them. After all, you as a coach are many times a substitute parent to these young adults.
They need you and they believe in you. If you do all of these, you will earn the respect of your team, your school, and your community. In closing, may I leave you with this saying which I have tried to live by when I’m working with my squad and in my everyday life. The purpose of life is not to be happy, it is to be useful. To be honorable, to be compassionate. That you have lived and have lived well. You as a coach, represent the spirit and pride that the school, community, and team are looking for. Be proud, be enthusiastic, and be YOU!

**WRESTLING**

Keith Wollert

CHSCA Sponsored CWCA Coaches

Clinic a Big Success

The annual CHSCA sponsored CWCA coaches’ clinic was held at the Ameristar Casino, Resort and Spa in Black Hawk, Colorado on November 2-3.

Coaches remarked that the clinic was great. All coaches who attended had nothing but praise for the Clinicians, their Presentations, and the way in which the clinic was organized. Our thanks to the Vendors and Sponsors who helped offset our costs.

The clinic began with past Olympic USA wrestling team assistant coach Mike McArthur who was also a three time All-American wrestler at the University of Minnesota. Mike presented the technique of mat strategies while stressing how important it is to put too much pressure on your athlete.

Matt Padgett spoke on behalf of youth wrestling and for the makings of a successful program. Matt stressed the need to have qualified coaches in order to assure that youth wrestlers enjoy the sport without feeling pressured while at the same time developing their skills in becoming a successful wrestler in High School.

Mike Moyer, Executive Director of the National Wrestling Coaches Association, talked about OPC improving on communication and his availability to help coaches via phone calls or emails. The NWCA’s goal for OPC’s wrestlers and coaches is to get more exposure at the State and National levels. Mike also stated that entering your stats during the match on OPC would be a lot easier even though internet availability may be an issue in some gyms.

Charlie White, who coached 9 Colorado High School State Championship teams, entertained the coaches with trivia dating back to the early nineteen hundreds. His session on how to improve your coaching skills was highly received. He believes that he could have achieved four more Colorado State titles if he would have put less pressure on his athletes. He confessed that his biggest mistake was that his tension caused his wrestlers to feel even more pressure. He said,” Build your wrestlers to have confidence through the season and have them prepared before the state tournament. Your athlete has enough pressure and if the coach is being too tense, your athlete will feel this added pressure. Don’t do that. If a coach is relaxed your athlete will feel the vibes, resulting in your athlete feeling more confident. Make wrestling fun, believe in each other and good things will happen. This is not an easy thing to accomplish so make it your priority.” Thank you Charlie, for giving coaches this great advice.

Scott Tarbox, who is a highly respected wrestling official representing CWOA, discussed the new rules and interpretations followed by a question and answer session with the coaches. Well done Scott thank you.

Harry Waterman, CHSAA Assistant Commissioner, stressed that coaches need to know rules and regulations for the upcoming year. Harry concluded his session with questions and answers. This portion of this session is very important in developing a stronger bond of communications between our Coaches and our governing body, known as CHSAA.

Conrad Parra, Past CWCA President introduced a proposal to change our present point system to allow more dual meets in our High School Schedule.

Joe Pereira, Head Coach at Broomfield High School and who represents CUSA Wrestling, discussed how CUSA has affected a major turnaround on the administration board. They now have direction and Leadership which has been missing for some time. The rules of freestyle and Greco have changed so much that coaches are not feeling confident to coach or attend distant tournaments. CUSA would like to see Folk Style and Freestyle begin working together. The idea of state wide training centers as a convenience for wrestling programs was a topic of discussion. This vision of the new CUSA Board sounds promising. Thank you, Joe for your input.

We were honored to have Les Guthes, a two time National Champ from Oregon and who is currently coaching at the Olympic Training Center. Les also won the Dan Hodge trophy, Outstanding Wrestler and NCAA National title all in 1996. Not many have received this recognition. Les is a legend in our sport. Mike McArthur and Les want to work together with me, your CWCA President, to combine our two clinics. This would be a step up for our wrestling programs.

Scott spoke also about coaches and parents putting less pressure and allowing their athletes to love the sport of wrestling. This was followed by a session of
wrestling technique tips. Thank you Les for your informative presentation.

Our keynote speaker was Joe Leblanc, who was a three time Colorado State Champion from Meeker and a four time All-American for the University of Wyoming and who is now an assistant coach for the Indiana Hoosiers under the guidance of another Colorado standout Duane Goldman of Cheyenne Mountain. Joe and Duane made wrestling history for Colorado which only took 26 years to accomplish! They are the only two wrestlers from Colorado to become four time Division 1 NCAA All-American and now they are coaching together at Indiana University. Every coach at the clinic agreed that Joe has a bright future in Coaching. Joe spoke with confidence and gave our coaches superb technique tips. Joe brought up the fact that Colorado wrestlers who have attended Division 1 Universities and who are currently attending Division 1 Universities, and who have become All-Americans, are now currently ranked 9th in the nation. Joe you did a fantastic job.

The business meeting went well with discussion on when and where next year’s Coaches Clinic will to be held. Our contract with Ameristar ends this year. Most coaches would like to come back to Ameristar but costs and attendance will determine a venue that we can afford but still provide special accommodations for our coaches and rewarding them for their hard work. Great venues are nice but great clinicians should also be our priority. Attendance at these clinics will help us become better coaches. The conflicts of the Monster Mash Tournament and the beginning of the College Wrestling season the first weekend in November, forces us to schedule our Coaches Clinic a month or so earlier. The venue and date will be announced later.

Officers of CWCA were elected. Keith Wollert was unanimously elected to the office of CWCA President for another term. Keith has served four years as CWCA Vice President and two years as President. There were three candidates nominated for Vice President. They were Rod Padilla of Chaparral, John Faczak of Bennett and Bill Barron of Woodland Park who is retired now. Congratulations to our new Vice President Bill Barron.

Many thanks to our Clinic Director, Dr. Rick Bettger, for all of his time and work that went into making the fall clinic so great.

GIRLS’ BASKETBALL
President Jeff Beatty
Mesa Ridge High School

For my first article for the Colorado Coach, I thought I would address one of the toughest decisions that a coach has to make: cutting players. Most of us coaches probably have that same kid in class. Our program expanded to 4 teams 6 seasons ago, and I appreciate the opportunity that it gives us to keep kids that may not be skilled enough to make our JV and Varsity teams, while increasing the opportunities for freshman to play up. The scheduling for that 4th team can be time consuming. I usually put on JV in some 3A and 4A Varsity games and tournaments to open up games for our JV2 to play some league games.

At the same time we are keeping more kids actively playing basketball. Every year in our league we have to fill JV and C games in league due to teams being dropped due to low numbers. What is drawing players away from basketball? When I ask around, the main outside draw on girls is club volleyball. If that is the case I sure wish that we could figure out a way to make both work.

One of my proudest observations is watching a player that was kept on the extra team be recruited and offered scholarships for her basketball ability. One of my seniors this season is such a player. It is nice to see when a kid like her decides to put in all the hard work necessary to achieve so much when her skill set was that of a novice player just 2 years ago. The 4th team also allows us to keep a player that basketball will be a savior in a sense that it keeps them focused on the right things, when otherwise the same player may not have had the opportunity to stay in the program. I believe that a kid should have the opportunity to experience as many positive activities as possible while they are in school.
Coaches- check the NCAA ELIGIBILITY

Are you aware of the changes made by the NCAA regarding eligibility for student/athletes?

Beginning August 1, 2013, student/athletes considering a Division II school for an athletic scholarship, here is what you need to know regarding your required CORE classes:

MUST complete 16 CORE classes:

. 3 years of English
. 2 years of math (algebra 1 or higher)
. 2 years of natural or physical science (including one year of a lab science)
. 3 extra years of English, math, or natural or physical science
. 2 years of social science
. 4 years of extra core courses from any of the above or foreign language
. Earn a minimum required grade-point average 2.0 or better in your core courses
. Earn a combined SAT score of 820 (critical reading and math only) or a combined ACT sum score of 68.

What is different? Previously, a student/athlete only had to complete 14 CORE classes and now he/she must complete 16 CORE Courses.

The initial-eligibility standards for NCAA Division I college-bound student/athletes are changing. College-bound student/athletes first entering a Division 1 college or university on or after August 1, 2016, will need to meet new academic rules in order to receive athletic aid (scholarship), practice or compete during their first year.

Full Qualifier: A college-bound student/athlete may receive athletic aid (scholarship), practice, and compete in the first year of enrollment at the Division 1 College or university.

Academic Redshirt:
A college-bound student/athlete may receive athletic aid (scholarship) in the first year of enrollment and may practice in the first regular academic term (semester or quarter) but may NOT compete in the first year of enrollment. After the first term is complete, the college-bound student/athlete must be academically successful at his/her college or university to continue to practice for the rest of the year.

Nonqualifier: A college-bound student/athlete cannot receive athletic aid (scholarship), cannot practice and cannot compete in the first year of enrollment.

Here are the new requirements (after August 1, 2016):

Full Qualifier must:
1. Complete 16 core courses (same as in the past)
   . Ten of the 16 core courses must be completed before the seventh semester (senior year) of high school
   . Seven of the 10 core courses must be in English, math, or science
2. Have a minimum core course GPA of 2.300
   . Grades earned in the 10 required courses required before the senior year are “locked” in for purposes of GPA calculation.
   . A repeat of one of the “locked in” courses will not be used to improve the GPA if taken after the seventh semester begins.
3. Meet the completion sliding scale requirement of GPA and ACT/SAT score (this is a new scale with increased GPA/test score requirements); and
4. Graduate from high school.

ACADEMIC REDDISHIRT must:
1. Complete 16 core courses (same distribution as in the past)
2. Have minimum core-course GPA of 2.00
3. Meet the academic redshirt sliding scale requirement of GPA and ACT/SAT score, and
4. Graduate from high school.

OFFICIAL TEST SCORES:
Test scores must be reported directly to the Eligibility Center from the ACT or SAT. Test scores will NOT be taken off transcripts or from a student score report. When the student registers for the SAT or ACT, remind him/her to include the Eligibility Center code of 9999 so the test comes directly to the Eligibility Center at no extra charge. Remember…..if a student takes the SAT or ACT multiple times, NCAA rules require that all scores must be reported to the Eligibility Center.

Eligibility center website is:
www.eligibilitycenter.org
DATES: June 4-8, 2013
LOCATION: Adams State University

Girls’ Softball Wednesday, June 5, 2013
Adams State University
Grizzly Softball Field

Football Friday, June 7, 2013
Adams State University
Rex Field

Volleyball, Wrestling & Girls’ & Boys’ Basketball
Saturday, June 8, 2013
Adams State University

Coaches may earn 1-3 CREDITS in the following ways:

Coaching at the games and completing assigned college course curriculum requirements.

Attending games with your student athletes.

Attending games--participating with other coaches in a mentor/mentee relationship.

College credit earned will be based on course work, and hours completed.

FOR INFORMATION:
FALL SPORTS: Ed Eastin or Eric McRea
WINTER SPORTS: Randy Earl
All State Games e-mail at: allstate@colohsca.org
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| Larry Romero    | Pueblo Central          |
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ALL STATE GAME FOOTBALL SELECTIONS

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Player | School | Coach
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Dustin Rivas | Horizon | Frank Ybarra
Jake Hanks | Fort Collins | Eric Rice
Jeff Toodle | Aurora Central | Taylor Calvert
Zack Golditch | Ralston Valley | Matt Loyd
Spencer Svejcar | Ralston Valley | Matt Loyd
Jakob Buys | Longmont | Joe Doug Johnson
Forrest Wetterstorm | Windsor | Chris Jones
Joe Sanger | Windsor | Chris Jones
Sean Glenn | Golden | Mike Joseph
Paris Salas | Monarch | Phil Bravo
Colin Hart | Fort Morgan | Harrison Chism
Cody Davis | Englewood | Jay Graves
Damaskscje Currington | Northridge | Jeff Fultn
Robert Fulton | Roosevelt | Noland Eastin
Jakob Bernhardt | Erie | Larry Gartrell
Pedro Anderson | Frederick | Thad Leer
Jakob Vargas | D'Evelyn | Jeremy Bennett
Codysa Marvel | D'Evelyn | Jeremy Bennett
Austin Balbin | Conifer | Larry Fitzmaurice
Don Fuller | Bennett | Rick Jacoby
Caleb Copeland | Kent Denver | Scott Yates
Chantz Tanner | Eaton | Scott Bauder
Austin Ekeler | Sterling | Bill Mondt
Matt McNear | Eaton | Bill Mondt
Trent Sieg | Middle Park | Troy Schmidt
Henry Southway | Faith Christian | Blair Hubberd
Taylor Barton | Wray | Levi Cramer
Cade Reinick | Platte Canyon | Mike Schmidt
Jake Robl | Cedaredge | Brandon Milholland
Carter Wasser | Akron | Brian Christensen
Reed Christensen | Fleming | John King
Trevor Chintala | Northglenn | Scott Gallas
Jordan Radebaugh | Brighton | Pat Sandovol
Devin Martin | Broomfield | Gary Davics
Tyler Stemky | Platte Valley | Troy Hoffman
Andrew Blum | Windsor | Chris Jones
Daniel Kubislek | Holy Family | Mike Gabriel
Conner Skelton | D'Evelyn | Jeremy Bennett
Spencer Urban | Roosevelt | Noland Eastin
Nate Alexander | Fort Morgan | Harrison Chism
Anthony Smith | Brighton | Pat Sandovol

Coaches

Mike Gabriel | Head Coach
Harrison Chisolm | Assistant Coach
Jeremy Bennett | Assistant Coach
Andy Yost | Assistant Coach

SOUTH

Player | School | Coach
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Tahji Willingham | Cherry Creek | Dave Logan
Matt Barden | Cherokee Trail | Monte Thelen
Chris Hill | Mountain Vista | Ric Cash
Jake Hand | ThunderRidge | Joe Johnson
Patrick Healy | Mullen | Tom Therell
Brian Mayberry | Columbine | Andy Lowry
Anthony Davis | Fountain - Fort Carson | Mitch Johnson
Jon Wilson | Heritage | Mike Griel
Vince Grasson | Fruit | Mulvey Sean
Blake Alexander | Montrose | Todd Casebier
Pete Williams | Denver South | Tony Lindsay Sr.
Deion Trejo | Wheatridge | Reid Kahl
Brandon Cartagena | Vista Ridge | Les Johnson
Corry Williams | Ponderosa | Jamie Woodruff
Chris Fox | Ponderosa | Jamie Woodruff
Derrick Jackson | Pueblo West | Monte Pinkerton
Diego Rojas | Pueblo West | Monte Pinkerton
Austin Douglas | Canyon City | Tom O'Rourke
Dillon Reserve | Pueblo County | Jeff Wilson
Thomas Carcena | The Classical Academy | David Bervig
Josh Knotek | Coranado | Bob Lizarraga
Jack Palmer | Discovery Canyon | Shawn Mitchell
TJ Pazell | Bayfield | Gary Heide
Austin McMenim | Bayfield | Gary Heide
Stephan Padilla | Grand Valley | Mike Johnson
KC Quarry | Manitou Springs | Dan Gieck
Chris DeAngelis | Trinidad | Randy Begano
Brian Shaw | Trinidad | Randy Begano
Shadron Went | Monte Vista | Jim McAulliffe
Chandler Dole | Limon | Mike O'Dwyer
Koby Close | Buena Vista | Matt Flavin
Daniel Carr | Buena Vista | Matt Flavin
Cody Friend | Florence | Mark Buderus
Ty McCulley | Pueblo Central | Zach O'Dell
Brayton Medina | Mesa Ridge | Rob Braaten
Garrett Zimmerman | Cherokee Trail | Monte Thelen
Ryan Moeller | Rifle | Damon Wells
Andy Armstrong | Eagle Valley | John Ramunno
Austin Tribble | Glenwood Springs | Rocky Whithurst
Tertrell Stafford | Walsh | Ronny Tate
Alerio Gutierrez | Kit Carson | Jim Triahn
Colton Fries | Rock Canyon | Tom Lynch

Coaches

Zach Odell | Head Coach
Matt Flavin | Assistant Coach
Mike O'Dwyer | Assistant Coach
Chris Coppa | Assistant Coach

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Do you have a future Paralympian in your school?

USA Paralympics needs your help to identify and train HS Paralympic qualified athletes. We currently have seven High School athletes who competed in the 2012 London Games. Athletes that came out of their HS programs and onto the World stage in front of 80,000 Paralympic fans. In 2013, we would like to identify more athletes to participate in Paralympics.

Teamwork, Goal setting, Self-discipline... all of those great athletic benefits work just the same for a Paralympic qualified athlete.

Visually Impaired
- Athlete will be legally blind- totally blind to limited vision
- Paperwork can help verify if they qualify for Paralympics

Intellectually Impaired
- IQ must be 75 or less to qualify
- Competes in three events-- 1500, Long Jump and Shot

Cerebral Palsy/Traumatic Brain Injury
Athlete will have an arm that is permanently crooked or have a different type of walking gait (walk only on toes). Typically affects an arm and leg on the same side with varying degrees. Athlete might be in a Wheelchair depending on balance.

Dwarves and Amputees
- Amputees in all forms-- arms (above the wrist), single legs, double legs, below the knee, above the knee

Spinal Cord Injury and Spina Bifida
- Athletes in Wheelchairs--- they can race in racing chairs and throw out of throwing chairs or their day chairs.

For more information see our webpage at: http://www2.teamusa.org/US-Paralympics/Sports/Track-and-Field.aspx or email: Cathy.Sellers@usoc.org.

Here is a video of two of our HS athletes-- http://www.youtube.com/watch?v=ajn6OcbhpLw

U.S. Paralympics Track and Field -- A division of the United States Olympic Committee
Sportsmanship is how you play the game—conduct that leaves a much longer-lasting impression than who won the game. It has been one of the criteria by which teams, players and fans have been judged for many years. The coach is influential in sportsmanship by his or her actions and demeanor. CHSCA wants to recognize coaches who promote good sportsmanship and, by their actions, are positive role models. Nominated coaches must display an impression of dignity in all circumstances, and their teams and participants must be characterized by fair play, teamwork and courtesy. In addition the coach must be willing to censure those players and assistants who violate this conduct.

NOMINATION FORM

NOMINEE________________________________________________________
ADDRESS________________________________________________________
SCHOOL_________________________________POSITION______________
CURRENT CHSCA MEMBER   YES_____   NO ______
PHONE________________________ email____________________________
HEAD COACH, SPORTS, YEARS_________________________________
___________________________________________________________________

NOMINATING PERSON__________________________________________
SCHOOL______________________________POSITION_________________
GIVE CITATIONS THAT DEMONSTRATE THE
SPORTSMANSHIP OF THIS PERSON
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GIVE A BRIEF SUMMARY OF THIS COACH’S PHILOSOPHY OF
COACHING AND HOW THIS INCLUDES A COMMITMENT TO
SPORTSMANLIKE CONDUCT
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Send nomination forms to:    CHSCA Awards Committee
                               6137 S. Windermere Way
                               Littleton, CO 80120
2013 Steinmark Award Nominations

Nominations for the 2013 Fred Steinmark High School Student/Athlete of the Year Award are due by May 6, 2013. The Fred Steinmark Award is sponsored by the Colorado High School Coaches Association after being sponsored for many years by The Rocky Mountain News and Colorado Sidelines. Any member of the Colorado High School Coaches Association can nominate an athlete from any school.

There are four requirements for a student/athlete to gain a nomination. The student/athlete must:

1. be a senior,
2. have carried at least a 3.0 grade-point average through his/her high school career,
3. have played a minimum of two sports each year,
4. have been selected all-state in one sport and at least all-league in another.

Please submit a short letter or email stating that the student/athlete has met or will meet the above requirements by the end of the 2013 spring season. The format for the award application will be sent to the nominating coach after the student/athlete's nomination is received. Email nominations to Scott Stocker: sidelines1971@gmail.com.

Please include the words “Steinmark Award Nomination” in the subject line of the email. Members of the Colorado High School Coaches Association will be asked to be on the Steinmark Award selection committee. Members from schools submitting nominees are not eligible to be on the selection committee.

The Steinmark Award honors Fred Steinmark, who excelled in football, basketball and baseball while attending Wheat Ridge High School in the late 1960s. Steinmark also was an outstanding student and was active in several school and community-oriented endeavors before attending the University of Texas, where he helped the Longhorns to the national football title in 1969. Steinmark died from cancer in 1971 at age 22.

Eight finalists and the final winner of the award will be selected by a committee of athletic directors, coaches, and former Steinmark Award winners. The winners will be honored at the Colorado High School Coaches Association All-State Games Banquet to be held on June 10, 2012 on the campus of Adams State College in Alamosa, Colorado.
## WINNERS OF THE FRED STEINMARK AWARD

**Presented by The Colorado High School Coaches Association**

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NOMINATIONS FOR
CHSCA DOCTOR DALE YOST TEACHER/COACH OF THE YEAR

To nominate a coach for the Doctor Dale Yost Teacher/Coach of the Year, fill out these two pages and give them to your A.D. You must be a member of the Colorado High School Coaches Association to nominate a teacher/coach.

Dear Athletic Director:

For several years we have taken pleasure in awarding the Colorado High School Teacher/Coach-of-the-Year Award presented by the Colorado High School Coaches Association. The award is co-sponsored by Colorado State University, School of Education, Fort Collins, Colorado.

Our previous award winners have included many outstanding educators. The 2013 winner is Coach Ray Van Heukelem from Denver Christian High School. Nominated by colleague Dick Katte, Ray has been coaching and teaching physical education for over 35 years. His classes are never about “rolling out the balls”—he teaches every day, and has brought a lot of new activities to his classes, including new fitness classes and even roller blading. All of our winners have been very worthy recipients and truly exemplify the excellence that many individuals bring to both the classroom and the athletic arena.

The award is decided on the following criteria: experience as a teacher and as a coach, holding the position of Department Chair, honors received in both teaching and coaching, and membership in the Colorado High School Coaches Association.

We ask that you and/or your principal nominate a teacher/coach in your school for this award. Each year we review the nomination forms that have been received. If you have nominated an individual within the last three years, the form is on file with us. If it has been over three years, we ask that you submit a new form to us. We will recognize the award recipient at the CHSCA Hall-of-Fame Banquet to be held in 2013. The award winners will be notified of their selections prior to this time.

Nominations can be sent anytime but all nominations for the 2014 presentation must be received by December 31, 2013. Please send the information sheet along with your letter of nomination to:

Ray Barron
7708 W. Trail S. Dr.
Littleton, CO 80125

Sincerely,
Ray Barron, Chairman
Teacher/Coach Award Committee

CHSCA DR. DALE YOST TEACHER/COACH AWARD NOMINATION FORM, P. 1

Nominator______________________________________ Date___________________

Nominee________________________ Address________________________________________

City, Zip________________________ Home Phone________________________________

School______________________________________________

Other schools taught at________________________________________________________

Is the nominee a current member of the Colorado High School Coaches Association? (Circle) Yes    No

(Continued on the next page.)
CHSCA DR. DALE YOST TEACHER/COACH AWARD NOMINATION FORM, P.2

TEACHING
Subjects taught and years ____________________________________________________________
________________________________________________________________________________

Dept. chairs, other offices held and years _____________________________________________
________________________________________________________________________________

Membership in professional teaching organizations, list offices held and years _________
________________________________________________________________________________

Teaching honors _________________________________________________________________
________________________________________________________________________________

COACHING
Head coach, sports and years ______________________________________________________
________________________________________________________________________________

Assistant coach, sports and years __________________________________________________
________________________________________________________________________________

State championships as a head coach, sports and years _________________________________
________________________________________________________________________________

League championships, playoff appearances, sports and years __________________________
________________________________________________________________________________

Membership in professional coaching organizations, offices held and years ___________
________________________________________________________________________________

Coaching honors, sports and years __________________________________________________
________________________________________________________________________________

On an additional sheet briefly state nominee’s philosophy of teaching/coaching and include how his/her career has reflected that philosophy.
________________________________________________________________________________
DOCTOR DALE YOST TEACHER/COACH OF THE YEAR AWARD

1988 Dick Katte Denver Christian
1989 Sandra Cole Platte Valley
1990 John Martin Ft. Collins
1991 Bob Hiester Smokey Hill
1992 Bob Deter Sheridan
1993 Lee Hitchcock Canon City
1994 Ed Kintz Golden
1995 Ken Soper Dolores County
1996 Dick Rush Westminster
1997 Bob Guthrie Rampart
1998 Rich Urano Eaton
1999 Bob Graf Wasson
2000 Merlyn Henry Deer Trail
2000 Art Hassler Fountain/Ft. Carson
2001 Dale Miller Sand Creek
2002 Ray Barron Heritage
2003 Mike Wilson Greeley Central
2004 Al Snyder Simla
2005 Geoff Ferguson Heritage
2006 John Lenhart Pueblo South
2007 Doug Lick Roosevelt
2008 Vernon Kimball Bayfield
2009 Tom Meyer Akron
2010 Mike Greibel Heritage

AWARDS GIVEN BY SPORTS GROUPS

The Ed Lesar Award is presented to a football coach in recognition of his excellence and contribution to the football coaching profession. Selection is done by the Colo. H.S. Football Coaches Assn. It will be presented at the Summer Awards Program. Some of the past recipients are: * Year unknown
Dick Westbay 71-72 Wasson
Brian McGregor* Arvada West
Jim Hartman* Mitchell
Fred Tesone* Cherry Ck.
Sam Pagano* Fairview
Don Miller 80 Glenwood
T. Jefferson
Warren Mitchell 82 Limon
Ed Kintz 84 Pomona
Jim Grieve 85 P. Centennial
Ken Moore 86 Simla
Joe Sisneros 87 CO Sch. D&B

The Tom Sutak Award is presented to a basketball coach in recognition of his excellence and contribution to the basketball coaching profession. Nomination and selection are done in the Colo. H.S. Basketball Coaches Assn. It will be presented at the Summer Awards Program. The past recipients of the Tom Sutak Award are:
Dick Katte 83 Denver Christian
Bob Chavez 84 Glenwood
Guy Gibbs 85 Regis
Gary Osse 86 Wheat Ridge
Gary Goings 87 Bear Creek
Warren Mitchell 88 Limon
Duane Lewis 89 Alameda
Bill Wright 89 Montrose
Leroy Needens 91 Brush
Joe Sanchez 92 Widefield

The Warren Mitchell Award is presented to a Colorado high school track and field coach in recognition of his excellence and contribution to the track and field coaching profession. Nominations should be sent to the track and field president. The awards named for the dean of track coaches. Past recipients of the Warren Mitchell Award are:
John Martin 00 Ft. Collins
Bill Kalb 01 Yuma
Joe Shields 02 West Grand
L. Lienemann 03 Heritage

The Pioneer Award for Volleyball is presented to a Colorado high school volleyball coach in recognition of his excellence and contribution to the volleyball coaching profession. Past recipients are:
Judy Barnett 02 Manitou Springs
Fran Siskiller 03 Lyons
Don Lash 04 Lewis Palmer
Lo Hunter 05 Evergreen

Volleyball Horizon Award is presented to a volleyball coach showing great coaching potential. Past recipients are:
Krista Schwartz 04 Rocky Mountain
C.L. Hubbard 05 Faith Christian
Lindsey Stinson 06 Mountain View

The Ceal Barry Award is given to honor the former Head Basketball Coach at the University of Colorado for her great example and on-going assistance to high school coaches. It is given yearly to a Colorado high school girls' basketball coach for excellence in and contribution to girls' basketball coaching. Past recipients are:
Ceal Barry 05 Univ. of Colorado
Al Snyder 06 Simla
Darrell Parker 07 Sterling / NJC

Tracy Fifer Service to the High School Soccer Community Award. It is named for Tracy Fifer, the longtime Bear Creek soccer coach who did so much for the sport in the early days of high school soccer. The award will be presented annually at the All State Soccer Games. Past recipients are:
Art Drota 07 Horizon
Peter Horvath 08 Columbine

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UP-DATE YOUR ACHIEVEMENTS

Fill out the “Longevity Awards” section on the reverse side to get awards for years of service as a coach. Use this page to determine if you are eligible for an achievement award. If you are, fill out the information on the back of this sheet, “Achievement Awards” and send it to the CHSCA office. If you are eligible for a level 4 achievement ring, you must include your ring size. Send the sheet to John Burke, Executive Director CHSCA, P.O. Box 5745, Peoria, AZ 85385.

CHSCA CRITERIA FOR ACHIEVEMENT AWARDS

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REQUIREMENTS FOR SPORTS BASED ON LEAGUE/REGIONAL (DISTRICT) OR STATE FINISHES

The following sports use these requirements:

- Cross Country (B&G)
- Gymnastics
- Spirit
- Track (B&G)
- Tennis (B&G)
- Golf (B&G)
- Skiing (B&G)
- Swimming (B&G)
- Wrestling

Important notes:

a. League finish may be used only if sport does not have a regional/district event.
b. Only one finish (league/regional [district] or state) is allowed to be counted per sport season.
c. A “finish” is defined as placing in a league/regional [district] or state meet according to the table below. *

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Note: for each additional 4 teams over 40, add 1 to the “must place in the top” column.

Steps shall be as follows:

- Step 1 – 5 league/regional [district] or state finishes *
- Step 2 – 9 league/regional [district] or state finishes *
- Step 3 – 14 league/regional [district] or state finishes *
- Step 4 – 18 league/regional [district] or state finishes *
  *(Refer to important notes above)

Additional steps awarded for each previous step plus 4 additional league/regional (district) or state finishes (EX: 18 + 4 = step 5, etc.)

AWARDS GIVEN FOR STEPS

- Step 1 – certificate; Step 2 – 6”x8” plaque; Step 3 – 7”x9” plaque; Step 4 – ring; Step 5 and above – TBD
APPLICATION FOR COACHING AWARDS

Name: __________________________   e-mail _______________________

School affiliation:_____________________________   Date____________

Colorado High School Coaches Association
John Burke, Executive Director
P.O. Box 5745                               Phone 602.978.5919
Peoria, AZ 85385                           e-mail jburke24@cox.net

Longevity Awards (Service Awards)
A longevity award is given after 10 years coaching a high school sport(s) while being a member of the Colorado High School Coaches Association. An additional award is given for each additional 5 years spent coaching a high school sport(s) while a member of the Association. Return this sheet to John Burke at the address above.

EXAMPLE: Years coaching completed while a member of the CHSCA ___17___ (yrs)
Award for which you are now eligible, but have not received ___15___ (yrs)

Years coaching completed while a member of the CHSCA _____ (yrs)
Award for which you are now eligible, but have not received ______ (yrs)

* NOTE: Longevity awards are now given based strictly on years coaching ANY high school sport(s) while being a member of the CHSCA, rather than being awarded based on years spent coaching each individual sport.

Achievement Awards

Varsity Head Coaches only. Apply when you have earned a new level by contest wins or top finishes. See the chart on the next page. Return to John Burke at address above.

Example:  __Baseball______ Current # of wins  325   Level applying for  ___4___
1st sport: ______________________ Current # of wins: ___ Level applying for ______
2nd sport: ______________________ Current # of wins: ___ Level applying for ______
3rd sport: ______________________ Current # of wins: ___ Level applying for ______

Individual Sports - Playoff Top 3 Finishes (See Chart on back.)

Example:  __Track________ Current # top finishes  10   Level applying for  ___2___
1st sport: ______________________Current # top finishes _____ Level applying for ______
2nd sport: ______________________Current # top finishes_____ Level applying for ______
3rd sport: ______________________Current # top finishes____ Level applying for ______
# CHSCA SPECIAL AWARDS

The descriptions of the awards are on the next page.

## SPECIAL CHSCA AWARDS NOMINATION FORM

**AWARD NOMINATED FOR (check one):**

- **Don DesCombes Award**
- **Lloyd Gaskill Award**
- **Media Award**
- **Benefactor Award**
- **Asst. Coach Award (Boys)**
- **Asst. Coach Award (Girls)**

**Must be a member of the CHSCA to be eligible for DesCombes and Assistant Coaches awards**

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- yes ____
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**PLEASE ENCLOSE LETTER OF NOMINATION**

**SEND TO:**

AWARDS COMMITTEE, CHSCA

6137 S WINDERMERE WAY

LITTLETON, CO 80120
Don DesCombes Award – This award is named after the founding father of the CHSCA. It is given in recognition of exceptional leadership and dedicated service to the CHSCA, and is the most prestigious award given by the Association.

Lloyd Gaskill Award – The award is named after the legendary Limon High School coach. It is given to an individual (excluding coaching and athletic director duties and honors) who has given his/her time and support for the betterment of Colorado high school athletics.

Media Award – This award is given to an organization (newspaper, radio or television station, etc.) or individual who has significantly supported Colorado high school athletics through the media.

Benefactor Award – The award is given to an organization, business, or individual that has provided material and/or financial support to the CHSCA.

Assistant Coach of the Year Award – This award is given to an assistant coach who through his/her time, dedication, and loyalty has contributed significantly to the success and development of the high school athletes of Colorado. Two awards will be given each year – one for an assistant in a girls’ sport and one for an assistant in a boys’ sport. This individual must have served as an assistant coach at the high school level for a minimum of five years, and shall not have been a head coach in any sport at the high school level for more than five years. (EXCEPTION: That individual can regain eligibility for the Assistant Coach Award once five years or more have passed since serving as a head coach.)

*NOTE: NOMINEES ON THE SPECIAL AWARDS NOMINATION LIST WILL BE PURGED AFTER THREE (3) YEARS ON THE LIST. THIS WILL ENCOURAGE NAMES TO BE RE-SUBMITTED WITH UPDATED INFORMATION, QUALIFICATIONS, AND HONORS.

SPECIAL AWARDS RECIPIENTS

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Lloyd Gaskill Award

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1994 Irv Brown KYBG Radio 2004 Dan McClure Bayfield
1995 Gary Burke Delta 2005 Janis Shawcroft Douglas County
1995 Walt Hylton Colo Springs 2006 Kevin Brooks Grand Junction
1996 Ray Lutz Colo Springs 2007 Darryl Miller Denver Public Schools
1998 Bob Chapman Denver 2009 Margaret Rash Liberty
1999 Don Griebel Cherry Creek 2010 Al Hower Mapleton/Skyview
2000 Vic Gregory Glenwood Spgs. 2011 Curt Weibel Estes Park
2001 Frank Woodburn Palisade 2012 Shannon Southall

Media Award

1984 Don Miles Sterling Journal 1999 Neil Devlin Denver Post
1986 Sandy McLean Canon Cty Daily 2001 Bill Engler Craig
1987 Dave Soucier Pueblo Chieftain 2002 Ken McDowell Sentinel
1989 Marcia Neville KCNC News 4 2004 Tony Rayl Yuma Pioneer
1990 Lloyd McMillan KBUC Montrose 2005 Tom Munds Community
1993 Dennis Taylor Greeley Tribune 2008 John Mullen Radio Sports Network
1994 Brian Jerman KRDV TV C.S. 2009 Tom Bredafoht Flagler News
1995 KBLJ Radio LaJunta 2010 Lloyd Engen Valley Courier
1996 Neil Hammer Alamosa 2011 Courtney Oakes Aurora Sentinel
1997 Les Messamer Salida/BV 2012 Ben Blecha KBBG Radio

Benefactor Award

1997 Dennis Greer The Insurance Group 2005 Rick Bettger Continuing Ed
1998 J. Schmidt, S. Luzak Go-Jo’s Sports 2006 John Green Cherry Creek Schools
2000 Gatorade Scholarships 2008 Patricia Motz Denver
2001 CHSAA Student Activities 2009 Kimberly Rose CHSAA
2002 Denver Broncos Football Club 2010 Bill Reader CHSAA Commissioner
2003 Wilma Rose Assistant to Director 2011 Rod Mergardt Max Preps
2004 Greg Jablonski JCJ & Associates 2012 GTM SPORTS GTM Sports

Assistant Coach of the Year Award

1999 Bryan Skarda Heritage High School 2007 Merry Tombling ThunderRidge
2000 Wayne Carter Montbello High School 2008 Rocky Cundiff Ignacio
2001 Roger King Arapahoe 2009 Don Bailey Limon
2002 Harlan Hankins Roosevelt 2010 Chris Clemensen Ponderosa High School
2003 Susan Odenbaugh Lewis Palmer 2011 Jeff Wasinger Arvada High School
2003 Don McCall Cherry Creek 2011 Karen Scott Cheyenne Mountain H.S.
2004 Paul Hansen Mitchell 2012 (boys) Charles Rollins Vista Ridge
2004 Cheryl Brown West Grand 2012 (girls) Doug Cox Simla HS
2005 Nancy Tanaka Erie
2005 Albert Ford Alamosa
2007 Todd Wesswick Heritage
## RECENT AWARD WINNERS in ACHIEVEMENT

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2013 BASEBALL COACHES CLINIC
January 17, 18 & 19, 2013
DTC Marriott

2013 TRACK & FIELD & CROSS COUNTRY
February 1 & 2, 2013
Red Lion Hotel
I-225 & Parker Road

2013 ATHLETIC DIRECTORS CONFERENCE
April 27-29, 2013
Omni Hotel & Resort
Broomfield, CO

2013 COLORADO ALLSTATE GAMES
June 4-8, 2013
Adams State University

2013 COLORADO SPIRIT COACHES CONFERENCE
July 26 & 27, 2013
Red Lion Hotel
I-225 & Parker
Aurora, CO

2013 ICE HOCKEY COACHES CLINIC
July 26 & 26, 2013
Red Lion Hotel
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Aurora, CO

2013 MULTI-SPORT COACHES CLINIC
FOOTBALL, VOLLEYBALL, SOFTBALL, BASKETBALL, CROSS COUNTRY, SOCCER SWIMMING, WRESTLING, ICE HOCKEY & SPIRIT
July 26 & 27, 2013
Red Lion Hotel
I-225 & Parker Road

2013 COLORADO WRESTLING COACHES CLINIC
July 26 & 26, 2013
Red Lion Hotel
I-225 & Parker
Aurora, CO

2013 SWIMMING, DIVING
July 26 & 26, 2013
Red Lion Hotel
I-225 & Parker
Aurora, CO

2013 CHSAA SPEECH CONFERENCE
September 6 & 7, 2013
Cherry Creek High School

2013 NATIONAL STRENGTH & CONDITIONING CONFERENCE
Date: TBA
Location: TBA

1-3 CREDIT HOURS AVAILABLE
INSTRUCTOR: DR. RICK D. BETTGER
PHONE: 970.879.1592
E-MAIL: pine903@aol.com
LOCATION: CHSAA or TBA
REGISTER ON SITE AT CLINICS FOR COLLEGE CREDIT
JOB OPENING

JOB TITLE: Coordinator, CHSCA All-State Games

SALARY: $700 Month

STARTING DATE: May 1, 2013 with some shadowing before that at meetings

POSTING CLOSING DATE: February 1, 2013

INTERVIEWS CONDUCTED: Sunday, March 3, 2013

FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT: Ed Eastin, President, CHSCA (edwardeastin@yahoo.com)

ALL-STATE GAMES COORDINATOR

JOB REQUIREMENTS

- Coordinate with CCGS the Volleyball and Basketball Selections
- Design and implement form for Participant Information
- Coordinate Efforts to install Participant Form online at CHSCA Web Site
- Coordinate Softball game details with Host Site
- Conduct selection meetings as needed
- Complete all details associated with selection meetings
- Send congratulatory notes to selected participants
- Complete detailed participant information, including but not limited to:
  - Height, weight, clothing sizes, cell phone number, email address, parents phone and email, sponsors, how paid, amount paid, date paid, etc.
- Coordinate with sport presidents and coaches to complete rosters
- Provide appropriate information to Program Printer and to required other entities
- Complete and disseminate all appropriate information to coaches
- Coordinate all details related to Banquet ticket sales and attendance
- Within one week of games conclusion deposit all monies related to the games
- Within two weeks complete and submit to Executive Director CHSCA Settlement Form
- Submit articles for publication to Colorado Coach Editor
- Provide detailed uniform information to CHSCA designated individual
- Work together with the CHSCA uniform coordinator or designated individual to provide clothing and uniforms
- Adhere to all dates and times as requested or required by Executive Director and/or All-State Games Contract
- Work positively to enhance the quality of the CHSCA All-State Games
CHSCA Scholarship Program

Nominate Your Athlete

$1000.00 Scholarships

CHSCA Scholarships will be awarded to senior student-athletes in need of assistance for post high school education. These scholarships are one-time, good-for-one-year, non-renewable awards.

Scholarship Procedure

Any member coach may nominate one athlete. (Dues must be paid for the 2012-2013 year.) The coach should copy the form on the next page for the athlete that he/she nominates. The coach should read this application form: 1) to determine if the athlete qualifies [paragraph I], 2) to assist with the required documentation [paragraph II], and 3) to make sure all inclusions are returned on time [paragraph III]. A committee of members from the Board of Directors of the CHSCA will make the selections near the end of January. The selections will be based, as nearly as can be determined from the returned documents, on character, need, athletic participation, and probability of success in post high school education. Not more than one applicant from a school will be chosen in any one year. Winners will be notified by phone and/or mail when the selections are approved by a vote of the CHSCA Board of Directors.

Deadline for return of applications and required inclusions is January 13, 2013

Mail to: CHSCA Scholarship Committee
3375 South Clinton Ct.
Denver, CO 80231
COLORADO HIGH SCHOOL COACHES ASSOCIATION
SCHOLARSHIP APPLICATION

TO THE APPLICANT:

1. You qualify to complete this application if: a) you will be a graduating senior this school year, b) you have lettered in at least one sport and c) you have been nominated by a member-coach of the Colorado High School Coaches Association. Each member-coach may nominate only one athlete. The number of nominees from each school will be reduced to one applicant before final selection.

2. Include the following documents with this application form:
   Page 1 - Your high school grade transcript with ACT scores
   Page 2 - A concise typed statement of your goals
   A concise typed statement of your need for financial aid
   Page 3 – A typed list of:
      a) Your athletic letters with sports and years and other athletic awards
      b) Your school activities other than sports with offices held
      c) Your notable non-school activities
   Page 4 - A letter from your nominating coach. The coach should consider your personal worth, your contribution to the school athletic program and your need for scholarship assistance.
   No additional letters for this applicant will be considered. The coach must be a member of the Colorado High School Coaches Association.

3. Your application and all documents must be received by January 13, 2013. Send to:
   CHSCA Scholarship Committee
   3375 South Clinton Ct.
   Denver, CO 80231

4. If you have any questions, contact the scholarship chairman, Herman Motz.
   Phone 303-755-1354   e-mail motzart2@aol.com

NAME____________________________________________________  SCHOOL ______________________________

ADDRESS____________________________________________  CITY _____________________ ZIP__________

YOUR HOME PHONE ____________________ ACT SCORE __________  PRESENT GPA __________

NOMINATING COACH ___________________________ COACH'S PHONE ________________________
(Nomining coach must be a member of the Colorado High School Coaches Association.)
OFFICIAL NOMINATION FORM

Coaches: if you know of any coach who should be considered for the CHSCA Hall of Fame, please nominate that coach. The list of nominees at present contains over 25 names. Each nominee is kept on the nomination list for five years from the time of nomination. A maximum of five coaches are selected each year. Please have your nominee fill out this form as soon as possible so that you may send it to the Hall of Fame committee. The coach must have been a member of the CHSCA.

Send nomination forms to: Coach Bob Marken
Hall of Fame Chairman
PO Box 1413 marken.robert@gmail.com
Buena Vista, CO  81211  719-221-1857

OFFICIAL NOMINATION FORM - PAGE I of 2

Name_________________________________________________________________Date_____________
First   Last   Nickname
Address ________________________________________________________________________________
Street
City
State/Zip
Home Phone ____________________Date of Birth  ________ Place of Birth__________________________
Total Number of Years Coached __________    Total Number of Years Membership in CHSCA ____________

Personal Information

1. High School and Year of Graduation_______________________________________________________

2. High School Activities/Awards____________________________________________________________
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Continue on the next page
3. College(s) and Year(s) of Graduation and Degree(s) earned
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4. College Activities and Awards
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5. Coaching Chronology

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6. Contributions to the Colorado High School Coaches Association
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7. Professional Affiliations and Achievements
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8. Words that the Coach Lives by
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9. Other pertinent Information (Names of immediate family members, milestone dates [ wedding], etc.)
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# MEMBERS OF THE CHSCA HALL OF FAME 1964-2012

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COACHING MILESTONES/ACHIEVEMENTS
(see also page 38 for other recent award winners)

Don Lash reached his 500th win in volleyball.
“So; I just finished my 34th season (32 as a head coach).
I now have 510 wins. I started in 1976. I have
coached at Aguilar (1 year), Elizabeth (11 years), Lewis-
Palmer (17 years), Pikes Peak Christian (1 year), and
now Coronado (2 years).” Away from the court Don
also makes trips to Equador to see kids who he
sponsors. (as pictured here.)

Jeff Bailey of Rye HS has several milestones including:
Football:
21 years as head coach at Rye H.S, 142-75
15 state playoffs appearances in 21 years as head coach
1 state championship
Girl's Basketball:
20-7 in 2011/2012 season (1st year head coach)
State Consolation Champions - 1st time in school
history.

Sharon Eberhard of University High School Cross
Country – Head Coach has several milestones:
“I have coached at University High School for 15 years
(just completed my 15th Cross Country season).
Married for 33 years to Ron Eberhard (my designated
photographer for the team) 4 children and 4
grandchildren (have coached all four of my children)
Graduating December 15, 2012 with a Physical
Education major and Coaching minor (only took me 36
years to complete).

FUN FACTS:
Scott Gibson head softball coach at
Thornton High School just wrote a children's
book and it has been published. The book is
called "The Pink Toot."

COACHING HIRES/MOVES
Nick Arcuri, formerly of Columbine, is now the head
baseball coach at South High School.

Rod Beauchamp is taking the position as Athletic
Director at Broomfield High School after 20 years
coaching girls’ basketball, the last 12 as the head coach at
Fairview High School. Andre Goldberg has been
assigned as the varsity coach at Fairview.

The full coaching staff of Northridge High Spirit
includes: Michelle Mauch – Head Cheerleading
Coach/Spirit Coordinator, Alexis Hernandez-Sanchez
–Assistant Cheerleading, Coach Jamie Sup – JV
Cheerleading Coach, Devon Seperich – Head Poms
Coach, Judianne Graham – Assistant Poms Coach

Rick Susak, moved from Peyton High School to Head
Coach at Falcon High School.

Ray Van Heukelem moved from Littleton HS to the
Head Boys Basketball Coach at Denver Christian HS.

Mark Jones was the girls’ coach at Sargent for 10 years
but now back to boys at Center High School, brand new
facilities and young team.

Clint Boston (far left) was named the John
Lynch Foundation Coach of the Month for
November. He was chosen from a pool of
deserving nominees from around the state and
will now also be considered for the foundation's
Coach of the Year Award. The honor speaks to
the positive influence Clint has on the kids
participating in cross-country at Green
Mountain.
ALL IN THE FAMILY

By Mike Leahy— I retired in 2006 after 39 years from being a head basketball coach at the high school level. My retirement came after Devon Beitzel's senior year at Centaurus H.S. Devon then went on to a fabulous career at Northern Colorado, which led him to the NCAA Tourney & eventually the Colorado HOF Collegiate Player of the Year in 2011. I should mention that my grandson, Kyle, was our ball boy at Centaurus all 4 years that Devon was in high school. His father, Tim, would come into the locker room at half time of all our games at Centaurus, and give me his take on the game at that point in time. He would make suggestions for the 2nd half. I should also mention that Tim was my assistant coach at Fairview H.S. from 1987-1990.

Tim was a Class 6A All State basketball Player for me at Manhattan High School in Kansas in 1981-82. His younger brother, Todd, played on that team too, and would also be named Class 6A All State in basketball the following season. Tim went on to play Junior College Basketball at Cloud County in Concordia, KS., and eventually ended up on scholarship at K-State under Jack Hartman. We moved to Boulder & Fairview H.S. in 1987. At that time our youngest son, Tom, was a senior to be at FHS. Tom was an outstanding player at Fairview in both basketball and baseball. He would end up playing baseball in the Atlanta Braves Organization as a pitcher.

In 2000, Tim (Kyle's father), was offered the head boys basketball position at Erie H.S. He said if he took the job, he wanted me to come out of retirement and assist him. Kyle was an 8th grader at the time. Now after leading the Erie H.S. team in scoring & rebounding last year as a freshman on the varsity, this will be our 2nd year with 3 generations of the family working together. By the way, the players call me "Grandpa". If I count my senior year at the University of Nebraska, where I was an assistant coach at University High School on the University Campus, this will be my 43rd year as a basketball coach. My wife, Ruth, has done stats all those years, including the 1964-65 season at University H.S. in Lincoln. I guess you could say it has been a family love of the sport that has engulfed us. This journey has covered over 6 decades from the 1960s into the 2010s.

OTHER NEWS

Ryan Renquist (Walsh HS basketball) and wife, Alissa, had a boy on November 7. Jace Bryan Renquist (8lbs 3oz - 21.5")

Andy Cornell, football and track at Englewood High School, and wife Anne' welcomed our new daughter Olivia Cornell to the world on Nov. 1st.

COACHING OPENINGS

Brighton High School has an opening for a Head Coach (Sprints, Jumps, or Hurdle coach experience preferred).

Littleton HS Head Varsity Football Coaching candidates should complete the LPS application process and send a resume, letter of interest, and three letters of recommendation to Cathy Benton, Athletic Director, Littleton High School

199 E. Littleton Blvd.
Littleton, CO 80121

Columbine Coaches Needed:
- Football Assistant
- Level 3 Girls’ Lacrosse Coach
Contact Scott Christy @ 303 982 3545 if interested. Thanks.

Centaurus High School has a pole vault coaching position opening, for the 2013 Track season. If interested, please contact devin.rourke@gmail.com.

All announcements for the COACHES CORNER should be sent to Becky Mudd at becky.mudd@colohsca.org
CHSCA
COLORADO HIGH SCHOOL COACHES ASSOCIATION
FEBRUARY 1-2, 2013
RED LION HOTEL
DENVER SOUTHEAST
I-225 & PARKER ROAD
AURORA, CO
303-695-1700

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FROM KNOWLEDGEABLE COACHES
WITH CHAMPIONSHIP EXPERIENCE

NETWORK...
WITH CLINICIANS AND COACHES &
SHARE VALUABLE TRAINING TIPS

RULES UPDATE...
MEETS CHSAA REQUIREMENT
FOR HEAD TRACK COACHES

CONTINUING ED...
EARN CREDIT HOURS FROM
COLORADO STATE UNIVERSITY
DR. RICK BETTGER, 970.879.1592
PINE903@aol.com

$89 ROOMS

Olympic Coaches
& Athletes

- DR. JOE VIGIL, Distance
- STEVE SCOTT, Distance
- STACY DRAGILA, Pole Vault
- MATT HEMINGWAY, High Jump

College Coaches
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- TIM CAWLEY, CSU, Long/Triple Jump
- JENNIFER MICHEL, WSCU, Distance
- DREW MORANO, CU, Sprints
- AMANDA SCHICK, UNC, Hurdles
- JAY JOHNSON, Distance
- LOREN LANDOW, Speed Concepts
- HOLLY THOMPSON, Track Warm-ups

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