



34th
Annual
Awards
Luncheon



SOUTH DAKOTA
HIGH SCHOOL
COACHES
ASSOCIATION

LUNCHEON AT 11:30 A.M.
WEDNESDAY, JULY 27, 2005
RAMKOTA INN, ABERDEEN

SPECIAL FEATURE:
SOUTH DAKOTA
SPECIAL OLYMPICS
AWARDS



Special Olympics

PAST PRESIDENTS

This page is dedicated to those coaches who have served the South Dakota High School Coaches Association as President. May it inspire other coaches to serve their organization in some way.

<u>President</u>	<u>Year</u>	<u>President</u>	<u>Year</u>
Paul Marschalk	1939-1941	Harvey Naasz	1975
No Meeting, W.W.II	1942-1945	Jerry Miller	1976
Joe Dunmire	1946	Lyle Claussen	1977
Rube Waltman	1947-1948	Roberta Morin	1978
Bill Hauge	1949	Roger Schaffer	1979
Bob Burns	1950	Steve Swisher	1980
Duane Clodfelter	1951-1952	Fred Tibbetts	1981
Floyd Mitchell	1953	Rich Donovan	1982
Jim Marking	1954	Marv Sherrill	1983
Mylo Jackson	1955	Dave Scott	1984
Bill Mitchell	1956	Annette Johnson	1985
H.W. Haddorn	1957	Wayne Carney	1986
Don Allan	1958	Cal Corey	1987
Tom Prendergast	1959	Lolly Forseth	1988
Bob Schroeder	1960	Galen Busch	1989
Clar Lilevjen	1961	Virg Polak	1990
Howard Naasz	1962	Ron Riherd	1991
Burdell Coplan	1963	Judy Busch	1992
Rich Greeno	1964	Jim McGlone	1993
Wendell Handley	1965	John Huth	1994
Bob Brooks	1966	Mick Wysuph	1995
Marlyn Goldhammer	1967	Georgia Adolph	1996
Max Hawk	1968	John Nyhaug	1997
Jerry Applebee	1969	Daryl Fletcher	1998
Jack Doyle	1970	Jim Dorman	1999
Jack Schuver	1971	Jim Drake	2000
Dale McElhany	1972	Marv McCune	2001
Mike Stadem	1973	Marc Murren	2002
Bob Dubs	1974	Carmen Robinson	2003
		Marv Bohnet	2004

**SOUTH DAKOTA HIGH SCHOOL COACHES ASSOCIATION
2004-2005
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2007 AT-LARGE

Weldon Comes Flying,
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Earl Roberts, C-Eagle Butte
Hank Taken Alive, McLaughlin
Tuffy Lunderman, Little Wound
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**SOUTH DAKOTA HIGH SCHOOL COACHES ASSOCIATION
34th ANNUAL AWARDS LUNCHEON PROGRAM**

Master of Ceremonies Jim Dorman
Invocation Georgia Adolph
Passing of the Gavel Marv Bohnet, President
Welcome Jerome Garry, President Elect
Introduction of Special Guests Carmen Robinson

Football Coach of the Year
Boys Cross Country Coach of the Year
Girls Cross Country Coach of the Year
Girls Basketball Coach of the Year
Gymnastics Coach of the Year
Volleyball Coach of the Year
Wrestling Coach of the Year
Boys Basketball Coach of the Year
Girls Track Coach of the Year
Boys Track Coach of the Year
Tennis Coach of the Year
Golf Coach of the Year
Spirit Coach of the Year
Assistant Coach of the Year, Boys' Sports
Assistant Coach of the Year, Girls' Sports
Assistant Coach of the Year, Jr. High/Middle
Athletic Director of the Year
Official of the Year
Sportscaster of the Year
Distinguished Service Award
Roll of Champion Coaches

Special Olympics Awards Carol Husby, Director
Special Awards Jerome Garry and Max Hawk

Max Hawk Award
Region Six of N.H.S.A.C.A.
Past President
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Closing Remarks Marv Bohnet

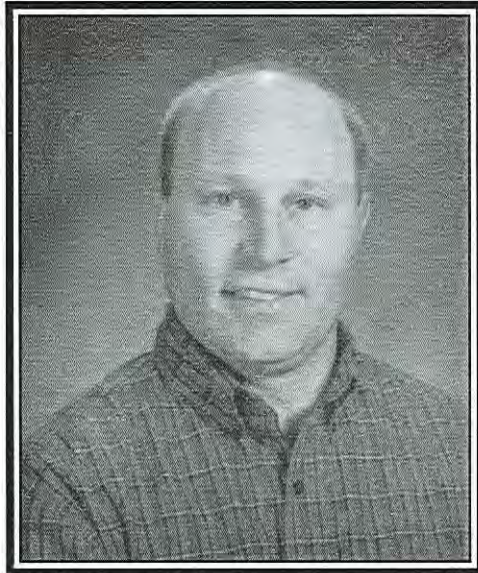
Luncheon Chairman - Jerry Miller, Sioux Falls and Virg Polak, Watertown



2004 FOOTBALL COACH OF THE YEAR

STEVE GILBERTSON

Arlington



Steve Gilbertson coached his alma mater, Arlington High, to its first-ever state football championship and a 12-0 season, a complete turnaround from the previous 0-8 and 2-6 seasons. Gilbertson joined the Cardinal staff as head coach after serving as assistant at Hamlin where the teams captured three Class 11B state titles. Gilbertson said, "It's an honor to be voted in by my peers. That's honorable in itself, to know that your peers respect you."



2004 BOYS CROSS COUNTRY COACH OF THE YEAR

TONY SKONHOVD

Wakonda



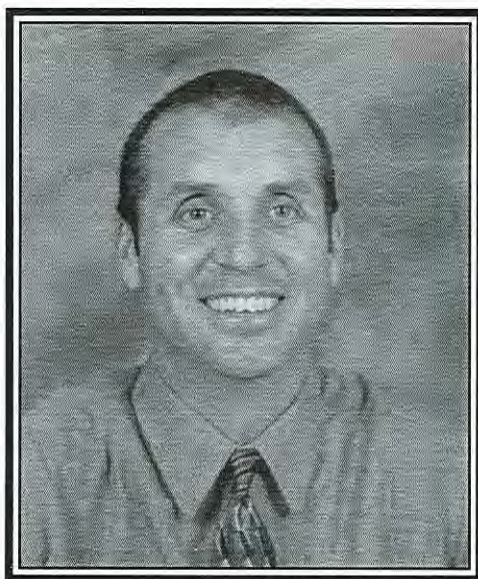
Tony Skonhovd initiated the Wakonda cross country program in 2000 to give athletes another fall sport, besides football, in which to compete. In the five years since the program's inception, the team has won two state titles, including the 2004 title. This year's title was sentimental because it is the last year for Wakonda to compete on its own. In 2005-06 they will co-op with Irene and will likely move up to compete in Class A. Skonhovd said, "We'll have even more opportunities with the schools combined."



2004 GIRLS CROSS COUNTRY COACH OF THE YEAR

DAN FITZSIMMONS

Yankton



Dan Fitzsimmons led his girls cross country team to its second straight state title in the fall. The team also won a third straight ESD conference title. Fitzsimmons also coaches track at YHS and is coach of the Yankton-Bon Homme gymnastics team.

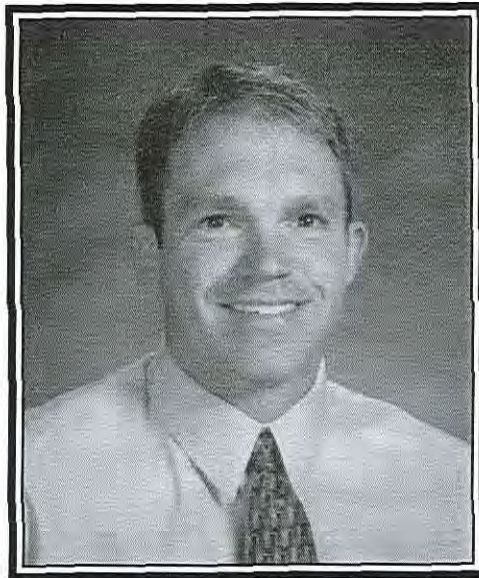
He said, "I'm extremely honored and humbled to be named SDHSCA Girls' Cross Country Coach of the Year. The past three seasons have been all about team effort."



2005 GIRLS' BASKETBALL COACH OF THE YEAR

BRAD NOEM

Hamlin



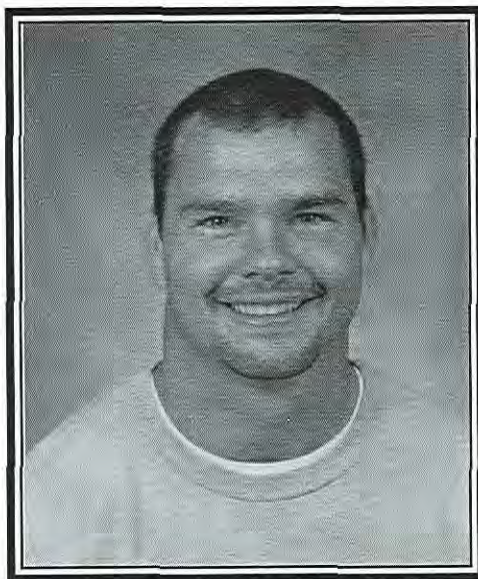
Brad Noem led his team to a 21-4 record and a state championship. Hamlin started the season 3-3 but went on to win 12 of its final 13 games en route to the upset over West Central in the title game.

This was Hamlin's first state title since 1996. Noem says, "It is nice to get an award like this, but it is all a reflection of the team."



2005 GYMNASTICS COACH OF THE YEAR

SHAWN BAUER
Sioux Falls O'Gorman



Shawn Bauer started his coaching career at Aberdeen Central while attending Northern State University. He has been coaching gymnastics at O'Gorman for eleven years where his teams have won four consecutive state championships and seventeen individual state titles. The team has been unbeaten since 2002 and this year broke the state high school scoring record. He attributes his success to the exceptionally talented athletes that O'Gorman has been blessed with over the years. He also is on the Knights football coaching staff.



2004 VOLLEYBALL COACH OF THE YEAR

NANCY HOEKE

Milbank



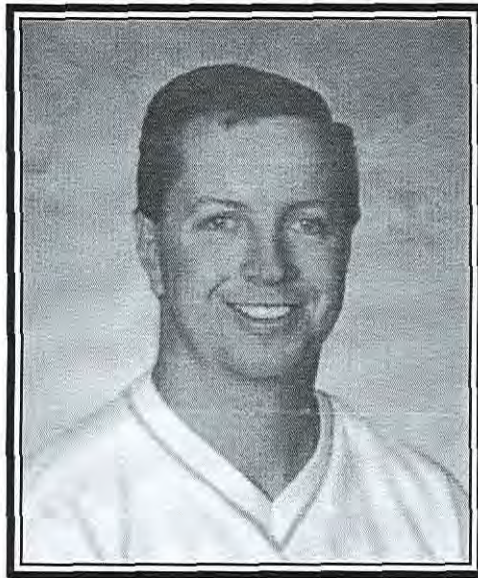
Nancy Hoeke led Milbank to its first-ever state championship in November. The team had only three losses during the season, but Hoeke hadn't expected them to win a state title. "We weren't the tallest team, and we knew we needed to find ways to overcome that. These girls did that." Hoeke has been head coach at Milbank for four years and holds a 104-25 overall record.



2005 WRESTLING COACH OF THE YEAR

STEVE KESZLER

Sturgis



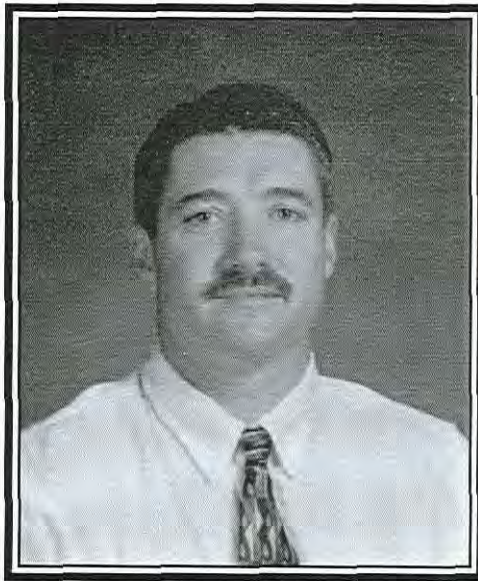
Steve Keszler has been coaching at Sturgis for nine years and holds a 208-26 record. He has led the Scoopers to five state titles, nine region titles and nine conference titles. The Scoopers also hold the record for most consecutive dual victories at 58. Keszler has certainly put Sturgis on the "wrestling map" in South Dakota in his tenure as their coach.



2005 BOYS BASKETBALL COACH OF THE YEAR

ERVIN GEBHART

Elkton



Ervin Gebhart led the Elkton Elks to a 20-2 record and a state Class B title in his 18th year as coach. This was Elkton's first appearance in the state tourney in 85 years, and they knocked off the number one rated team and the defending state champs on their way to the top. Gebhart says, "It's nice to have your peers recognize your achievements. I've done something a lot of coaches would like to accomplish. I probably wouldn't have gotten this far if I hadn't had the players I had."



2005 GIRLS TRACK COACH OF THE YEAR

KRISTI RIEGER
Sioux Falls Roosevelt



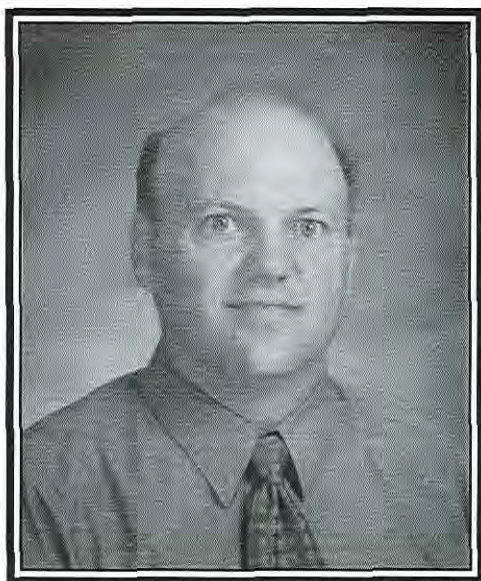
Kristi Rieger has been coaching track and cross country at Sioux Falls Roosevelt since 1995 and is currently head boys' and girls' track and cross country coach. The past two years her girls' team took second place at the state track meet and this year won the Greater Dakota Conference title. She has coached 42 athletes who went on to compete in track or cross country at the college level.



2005 BOYS TRACK COACH OF THE YEAR

BRAD OLSON

Milbank



Brad Olson, head coach of the Milbank Bulldogs boys' track and field champions.

Brad graduated from Sisseton High School in 1982. He attended Moorhead

State University and graduated in 1987. Brad signed his first teaching contract in Milbank in 1987 and has remained there for the past 18 years. He teaches 6th grade math, reading, English and spelling. Coach Olson is the head boys' and girls' track and field coach and 7th grade boys' basketball coach.

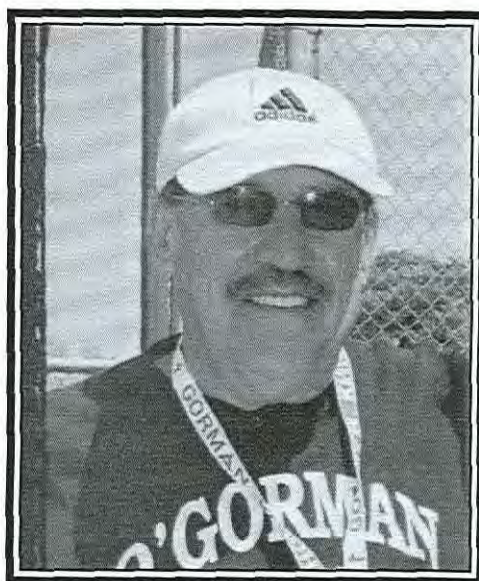
Brad has been the head girls' track coach since 1990 and head boys' track coach since 2004. During his track coaching career, Brad has won four state titles, one state runner-up, ten region championships, and twelve Northeast Conference championships in the fifteen years as head track coach. He also coached volleyball in Milbank from 1990-2001. In his volleyball career, Coach Olson helped lead the Bulldogs to five state appearances, placing 2nd twice, third, fourth and fifth.



2005 TENNIS COACH OF THE YEAR

DON BARNES

Sioux Falls O'Gorman



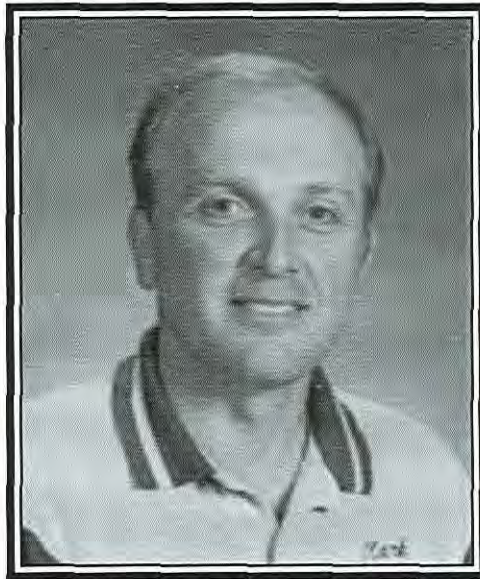
Don Barnes, a Mitchell, SD, native, co-coaches (along with his wife, Kate) the boys' and girls' tennis teams at O'Gorman High School. Previously Don coached at O'Gorman back in the 1970's. For over 30 years Don has been involved as a tennis coach, player, director, organizer, and promoter. Don had teams entered in the state tennis meet on two different occasions (1972 and 1985) from Woonsocket High School. Barnes, a 1969 USD graduate, coached the men's tennis team at Augustana College from 1981-83 and was the Sioux Falls city tennis director from 1973-1980. In 2001 Don was inducted into the South Dakota Tennis Hall of Fame. In 2005 Don was named by the NHSCA as the national tennis coach of the year. Don and his wife, Kate have three adult children who played tennis at O'Gorman).



2005 GOLF COACH OF THE YEAR

JOHN BROWN

Clark



John Brown graduated from Hamlin High School and South Dakota State University. He arrived in Clark in September, 1985, and has coached there for the past twenty years. He began as head boys' basketball and the junior high boys' and girls' basketball coach.

In 1987 John started up the golf program at Clark and has led the program ever since. He feels he has been blessed to work with many great high school athletes and is truly enjoying the amount of success that the teams experienced the past four years. "Our group of athletes has been as successful as any other program in South Dakota these past four years; and they are a 'Coach's Dream'".



2005 SPIRIT COACH OF THE YEAR

BRITTNEY EIDE

Corsica



Brittney Eide just completed her second year as spirit coach, volleyball and assistant track coach and English teacher at Corsica. Brittney's squad won the Spirit of Six award at the Class B boys' state basketball tournament.

She says, "The crowd responded to us. We would have cheered loud if we had lost by 100 or if we had won by 100. Our cheering comes from the heart and our community really supported us."



2004-05 ASSISTANT COACH OF THE YEAR
IN BOYS' SPORTS

DICK TSCHETTER

Spearfish



Dick Tschetter has coached basketball, track and football at Harding County, basketball, track and football at Hot Springs, and football at BHSU. He is currently head girls' golf coach and assists with football and boys' basketball at Spearfish. Says head boys' basketball coach Dan Martin, "Dick's loyalty and work ethic towards our athletic teams at Spearfish have been greatly appreciated by all associated with athletics in Spearfish."



2004-05 ASSISTANT COACH OF THE YEAR
IN GIRLS' SPORTS

KEN BRUCKNER

Menno



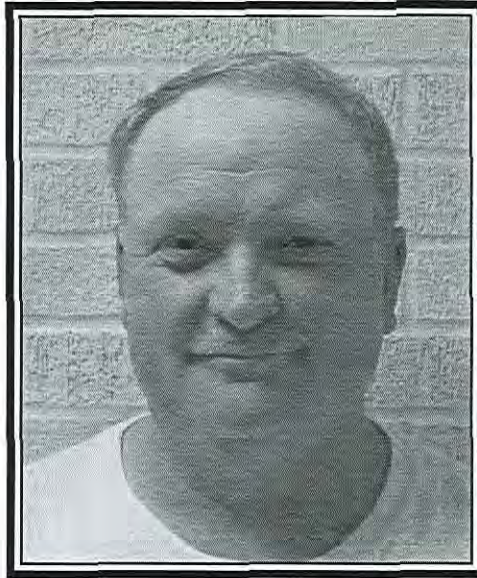
Ken Bruckner has been an assistant coach for the Menno girls' basketball team for the past two years. He has also been a head track, head football and head basketball coach and assistant football, assistant track and assistant boys' basketball coach and has coached cross country. He has been honored by the SDHSCA as Coach of the Year twice previously and also as regional coach of the year several times. Bruckner serves on the SDHSCA Board of Directors and is a member of various coaching organizations. Head girls' basketball coach Jacque Liebl says of Bruckner, "He is very deserving of this award and has been a valuable asset to our coaching organization."



2004-05 ASSISTANT COACH OF THE YEAR
IN JUNIOR HIGH/MIDDLE SCHOOL SPORTS

ALAN HAMRE

Willow Lake



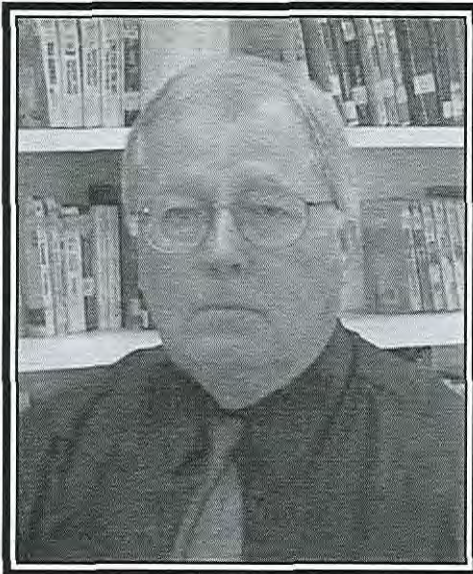
Alan Hamre has coached grades 5 and 6 girls' basketball at Willow Lake for 21 years and recently began coaching grades 7 and 8 girls' basketball. Also, Alan has been in charge of the junior varsity girls' basketball team. His assistance was instrumental in the varsity record of 22-2 with a second place finish at the state tourney. Says head girls basketball coach Douglas Meyer, "Alan has been instrumental in the success that Willow Lake girls' basketball has enjoyed. He has been willing to go above and beyond his job to help the girls succeed."



2004-05 ATHLETIC DIRECTOR COACH OF THE YEAR

TERRY STULKEN

Colman-Egan



Terry Stulken has been 7-12 principal and athletic director at Colman-Egan for 25 years. He has served on many committees and advisory boards including the SDHSAA and the SDIAAA, Region 4B track, District 7B volleyball and Region 4B track.

Terry has been the announcer of Region 4B track for 22 years and serves as the master of ceremonies for the SDIAAA Hall of Fame Awards Banquet. He recently received the NIAAA State Award of Merit.

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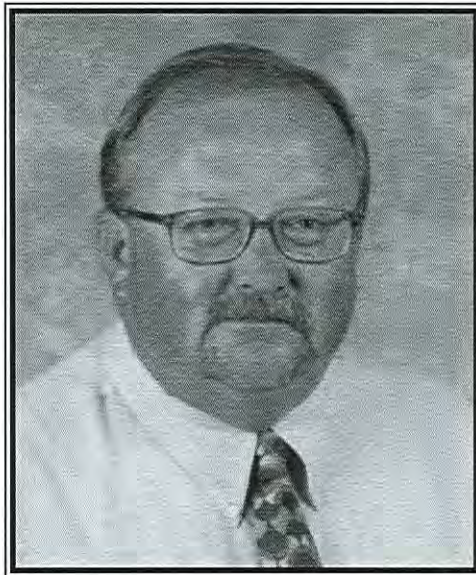




2005 OFFICIAL OF THE YEAR

KEITH MCVAY

Marion



Keith McVay began officiating at age twenty at Dakota Wesleyan. In 2002 he was the meet referee for the State AA Track Meet in Brandon and the starter for the B Boys State Track Meet in 2004.

His crew officiated the 9A State Football Championship in 1990. Next fall, two of his sons will be working on his football crew. McVay serves as superintendent of the Marion School District.



2005 SPORTSCASTER OF THE YEAR

JOE VAN GOOR

Vermillion



Joe Van Goor, a native of Yankton, is a 1978 graduate of Yankton High School and was a member of the Bucks '78 State A Boys Basketball Championship team. In radio for 29 years, Van Goor started his career while a sophomore in high school and has worked at stations in Yankton, Vermillion, Hot Springs and St. Cloud, MN. Currently, he is the Sports Director at KVTk-AM and KVHT-FM Vermillion-Yankton. Van Goor has been a sportscaster since 1984, and has done numerous high school and college games in South Dakota and surrounding states. He has announced at many state football, basketball and track championships in South Dakota, and since 1992 has been one of the public address voices at the high school football championships. Van Goor's family includes wife Chelle and son Jesse.

ROLL OF CHAMPIONS

S.D. Coaches of State Championship Teams

FOOTBALL

11AA	Steve Kueter, SF O'Gorman
11A	Kent Mueller, West Central
11B	Chad Stadem, Howard
9AA	Steve Gilbertson, Arlington
9A	Tom Culver, Avon
9B	Dale Taylor, Kimball

CROSS COUNTRY

Girls AA	Dan Fitzsimmons, Yankton
Boys AA	Forrest Flaagan, Rapid City Stevens
Girls A	Rob Luecke, Groton
Boys A	Mike Oltmanns, Lennox
Girls B	Roy Slaba, Bonesteel-Fairfax
Boys B	Tony Skonhovd, Wakonda

GOLF

Girls AA	Bill Scholten, Brookings
Boys AA	Bret Sime, Yankton
Girls A	Joan Rachetto, Lead-Deadwood
Boys A	Bud Postma, Madison
Girls B	John Brown, Clark
Boys B	Troy Kooima, SF Christian

TENNIS

Girls	Jason Olson, RC Stevens
Boys	Don Barnes, SF O'Gorman

GYMNASTICS

Girls AA	Shawn & Lana Bauer, SF O'Gorman
Girls A	Maridee Wiese, Madison

BASKETBALL

Girls AA	Fred Tibbetts, SF Roosevelt
Boys AA	Gary Munsen, Mitchell
Girls A	Brad Noem, Hamlin
Boys A	Mike Oltmanns, Lennox
Girls B	Jason Christensen, Mt. Vernon
Boys B	Ervin Gebhart, Elkton

WRESTLING

Boys A	Steve Keszler, Sturgis
Boys B	John Schiley, Webster

TRACK

Girls AA	Paul Hendry, RC Stevens
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Girls A	Amy Heideman, West Central
Boys A	Brad Olson, Milbank
Girls B	Ray Slaba, Bonesteel-Fairfax
Boys B	Nora Groft, Northwestern

VOLLEYBALL

Girls AA	Erika Paladino-Hazlett, SF Lincoln
Girls A	Nancy Hoeke, Milbank
Girls B	Nora Groft, Northwestern



2005 DISTINGUISHED SERVICE AWARD

Given for outstanding contributions to high school athletics and dedication to the highest and best in high school athletics.



JOHN CORNETTE

Yankton

John Cornette's volunteer service to athletics began some 40 years ago with timing football. He has since added basketball timer and announcer, wrestling timer, Junior High Relays timer and announcer, state track meet announcer and cross country worker, all at Yankton High School, where he was Director of Counseling for 37 years.

Many other organizations benefit from Cornette's spirit of volunteerism, including Sojourn House, Chamber of Commerce, United Church of Christ, Human Services Center, Community Intervention Program, Lewis and Clark Mental Health, Children's Care Hospital and School, Crimestoppers, and Sacred Heart School of Radiology.

He is also a member of the Masonic Lodge, National Board of Certified Counselors, NEA, SDEA, SDPGA and served as state president, exalted ruler, district deputy scholarship chairman and state drug awareness chairman of the Elks Lodge.



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BOB TIFF

Redfield

Bob Tiff has been a tireless volunteer in the Redfield athletic community for 25 years, coaching youth football, wrestling, baseball and junior high track. he also announces home, conference, district, region and state wrestling matches. His voice is also heard at track meets, volleyball matches, boys' and girls' basketball games and on the radio doing wrestling matches and football games.

Tiff has driven kids to summer football camps and will transport them to other high school and college games. He also drives cheerleaders to games when necessary. As a Redfield High School alumnus, he is a positive voice in the community, supporting and promoting Pheasant athletic programs.

Tiff also finds time to volunteer with the rural and city fire squad and was honored by Governor Bill Janklow for his heroism in rescuing a child from a burning building.



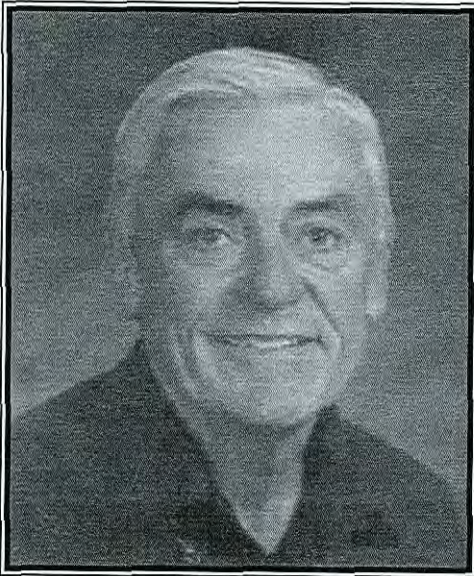
PREVIOUS RECIPIENTS
DISTINGUISHED SERVICE AWARD

- 2004 Virg Polak, Watertown
2003 Dick Hunhoff, Yankton; Marlyn Goldhammer, Pierre
2002 William (Bill) Jones, Spearfish
2001 Dennis Kokesh (deceased); Virgil Wolthoff, Canton
2000 Charles Schad, Spearfish
1999 Wayne Carney, Sioux Falls
1998 Richard Michel, Rapid City; Judean Schwinger, Watertown
1997 Jerry Miller, Sioux Falls; Vernon Bechen, Flandreau
1996 Gale Rohr, Watertown
1995 Ron Babb, Wakonda
1994 Bernie Stocking, Pierre
1993 Harve Johnston, Mitchell
1992 Ken Kessinger, Sioux Falls; Jack Dorman, Castlewood
1991 Don Ahrend, Sioux Falls; Dodie Bemis, Watertown
1990 Dale McElhany, Watertown
1989 Sarah Trish, Sioux Falls
1988 Howard Connors, Vermillion
1987 Max Hawk, Yankton
1986 William Timmins, Mitchell
1985 Tom Walsh, Sioux Falls
1984 Jim Prosser, Vermillion
1983 Charles Hoover, Onida
1982 Warren Williamson, Brookings
1981 Forrest Lothrop, Sioux Falls
1980 Sid Lundquist, Strandburg
1979 Fred Claudon, Sioux Falls
1978 Keith Fitzpatrick, Mitchell
1977 Howard Nielsen, Yankton
1976 Dr. C.C. Pascale, Centerville
1975 Foster Green, Hot Springs
1974 Bill Tredway, Huron
1973 Elmer Hansen, Sioux Falls; Philip McKeoun, Webster
1972 Dr. Merritt Auld, Yankton



NATIONAL HIGH SCHOOL
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HALL OF FAME



LARRY LUITJENS
Custer



BILL WALSH
(Deceased)

Criteria for selection into this distinguished group:
years of service, championship years, winning percentage,
awards and honors, and professional service.



Special Olympics

South Dakota

**SPECIAL OLYMPICS
SOUTH DAKOTA
2005 OUTSTANDING
VOLUNTEERS**

Volunteers do everything there is to do in Special Olympics and more. They are fund-raisers, cheerleaders, administrators, food handlers, chauffeurs, chaperones, trainers, coaches, huggers, publicists, policy makers, trash collectors, friends, comrades and supporters of Special Olympics.

They serve without salary, without recognition, without honors or awards. Special Olympics could not do without them - their devotion, their work and their love.

So "thank you" volunteers! You represent the highest values of the human spirit. You get your thanks, not in money or words or praise, but through what you do for Special Olympics.

For, as the poet E.A. Robinson said,
"There are two kinds of gratitude; the sudden kind we feel for what we take and the larger kind we feel for what we give".
That larger kind of gratitude is what Special Olympics feels for you!

FAMILY AWARD:

The Deb Alickson Family -- Belle Fourche

JUNIOR VOLUNTEER AWARD:

Brittany Bean -- Belle Fourche

BUSINESS AWARD:

Hy-Vee Store -- Brookings

ORGANIZATION AWARD:

Monogram Club -- Brookings High School

"Let me win, but if I cannot win, let me be brave in the attempt."

Special Olympics Oath

DON BAKER AWARD



Duane Popham
Watertown

The "Don Baker Award" is the highest received from Special Olympics South Dakota. It is given in honor of Don Baker who was a volunteer and official starter for Special Olympic events for many years. The award is given annually to an individual, organization, business, or institution who has given outstanding support to Special Olympics South Dakota.

LYLE FARRAND AWARD



June Wipf
Huron

The "Lyle Farrand Award" is given in honor of Lyle Farrand who was instrumental in starting the Special Olympics South Dakota program in 1968. This award is given to an individual who has made a tremendous impact on Special Olympics.

ROBERT E. BECKER AWARD



Robert Catherman
Rapid City

Outstanding Special Olympics Athlete - is one who used his or her ability to the fullest.

RON STEWART AWARD



Suzy Gehring
Brookings

The "Ron Stewart Award" is given in honor of Ron Stewart of Rapid City who was a Special Olympics Coach for over 25 years. This award is given to a coach who has given of his or her time to encourage Special Olympics athletes to achieve their fullest potentials.

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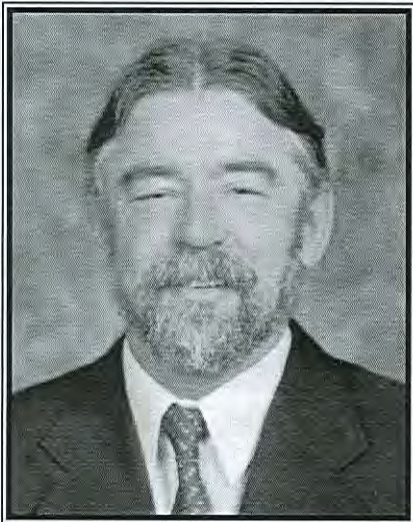
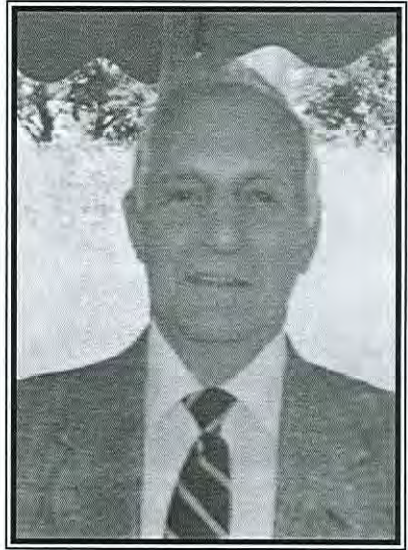
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Mike Norcross, Rapid City

Duane Popham, Watertown
Marilyn Ruthlman, Brookings
Jule Schnable, Sioux Falls
Ron Stewart, Rapid City
Dean Toman, Huron
Denelle Wilson, Athlete, Sioux Falls

MAX HAWK AWARD



This award, in honor of Max Hawk, is to recognize and honor outstanding leadership, contributions and dedication of service to the South Dakota High School Coaches Association.



FORREST FLAAGAN Rapid City

Forry Flaagan has accumulated an impressive record of 21 state championships while coaching boys and girls cross country at Spearfish and Rapid City Stevens. He also coached twelve individual champs in the sport. His teams were twice named the Team of the Year by the South Dakota Sportswriters Association, while he was named their Girls' Sport Coach of the Year in 1994.

Flaagan has earned several Coach-of-the-Year awards from the SDHSCA and was nominated for the National High School Athletic Coaches Association Boys Cross Country Coach of the Year twice. He won its award as National Girls Cross Country Coach of the Year in 1999. He was inducted into the SDHSCA Hall of Fame in 2003 and received its Distinguished Service Award in 1999. Flaagan served as president of the South Dakota Cross Country and Track Coaches Association and was also named a Teacher of Distinction at Stevens High School. Flaagan says "Teaching young people autonomy and the responsibility that goes with it has been one of my proudest accomplishments."

Previous recipients: Daryl Fletcher, Elk Point/Jefferson; Georgia Adolph, Flandreau; Dave Scott, Hot Springs; Mick Wysuph, Rapid City; Jim McGlone, Flandreau; SDHSCA Sports Association; Howard "Hod" Nielsen, Yankton; Judy Busch, Sioux Falls; Cal Corey, Sturgis; Marv Sherrill, Watertown; Lolly Forseth, Sioux Falls; Wayne Carney, Hayti; Annette Johnson, Spearfish; Jane Hawk, Yankton; Rich Donovan, Groton; Roberta Morin, Rapid City; Jerry Miller, Sioux Falls; Lyle Claussen, Brandon; Ron Riherd, Rapid City; Galen Busch, Mission.



REGION SIX

*Nebraska, Iowa, Minnesota,
North Dakota, South Dakota, Colorado*



Lana Bauer
Sioux Falls



Rod Garrison
Sioux Falls



Jerome Garry
Madison



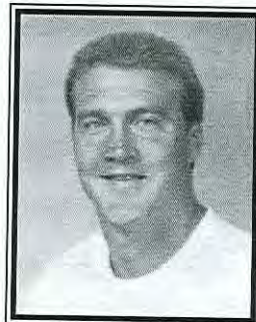
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Tom McGough
Miller



Tim Mulhair
Yankton

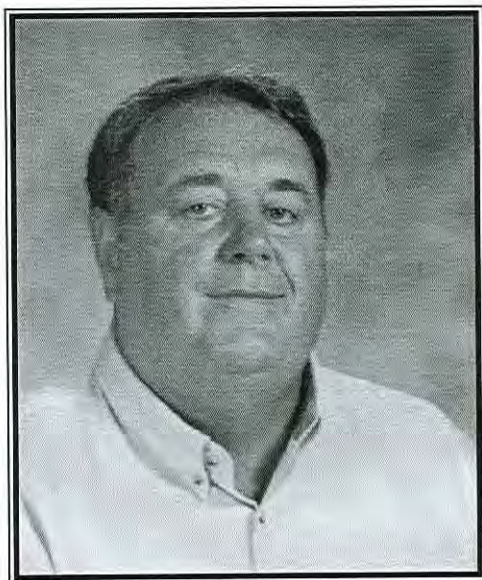


Andy Tate
Mitchell



2004-2005 NATIONAL HIGH SCHOOL
GOLF COACH OF THE YEAR

HALL OF EXCELLENCE



ROD GARRISON
Sioux Falls O'Gorman

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high school coaches who have achieved
national prominence in the coaching profession.

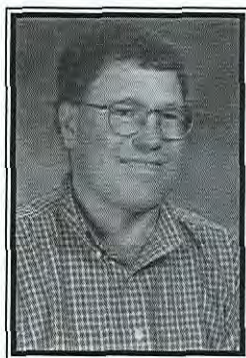
SOUTH DAKOTA HIGH SCHOOL COACHES ASSOCIATION
HALL OF FAME



Galen Busch



Gene Danielsen



Bill Scholten



Dave Scott

FORMER HALL OF FAMERS

- 1976: Don Baker, Euclid Cobb, Ken Greeno, Joe Quintal, Howard Wood
1977: Elmer Hansen, Paul Marschalk, Mel Minton, Buella Woodle
1978: Clyde Cotton, Wally Diehl, Carol Heier, Floyd Mitchell
1979: Rich Greeno, Max Hawk, Clar Lilevjen, Howard Taplett
1980: Allen "Pete" Baker, Don Diede, Jim Marking, Bob Schroeder
1981: Bill Amacher, Bert Dent, Lewis Papendick
1982: Rollie Greeno, Howard Naasz, Nusier Salem
1983: Burdell Coplan, M.J. "Moe" Shevlin
1984: Gene Breemes, Duane Clodfelter, Bob Burns
1985: Lloyd Dobratz, Glenn Draisey, Laton Greeno, Tom Long
1986: Flory Farrand, Dave Strain, Bob Winter
1987: Gayle Hoover, Phil Trautner
1988: Larry Luitjens, Jerry McElroy, Harvey Naasz
1989: George DeKlotz, Lolly Forseth
1990: Arnie Bauer, Dan Moran, Jack Richardson
1991: Wayne Haensel, Marv Sherrill
1992: Lee Dolan, Harry Prendergarst, Andy Zephier
1993: Wayne Carney, Dale McElhany, Jerry Miller
1994: Dan Barker, Judy Busch, Gary Munsen, Rich Strande
1995: Harvey Hammrich, Jim McGlone, Jim Miner, Don Reshetar
1996: Jim Cordts, John Houska, Dean Mann
1997: Eldon Barnes, Joe Dunmire, Norman West
1998: Gordon Bergquist, Lowell Gilbertson, Clarence Kooistra, John Odney
1999: Jim Calhoun, Jim Luce, Gale Lundberg
2000: Elwood Dietrich, Bob Judson, Tom Prendergast, Fred Tibbetts
2001: Ronnie Brown, Richard Day, Richard Donovan, Jim Heeren
2002: Forrest Flaagan, Ron Flynn, Ken Ruml, Bill Welsh
2003: Linda Collignon, Jim Haar, Jerry Opbroek
2004: Chris Dummermuth, Jim Holwerda, Jack Theeler

SPECIAL AWARDS *(Selected by Members of the S.D.H.S.C.A.)*

2004-2005 25-YEAR COACHES

Terry Fischer, Harrisburg
Larry Larson, Mitchell
Jim Aisenbrey, Beresford
Duane Casavan, Stickney
Mel Fathke, Avon
Jeff Van Leur, Emery
Jerome Garry, Madison

Mike Begeman, Sioux Falls O'Gorman
Dick Tschetter, Spearfish
Ken Bruckner, Menno
Terry Dosch, Aberdeen Roncalli
Collette Guam, Aberdeen Roosevelt
Paul Gunn, Dell Rapids
John Hoover, Pierre

2004 OUTSTANDING FOOTBALL PLAYERS

Class Lineman

9B Mark Beben, Kimball
9A Chris Carr, Avon
9AA Clint Fischer, Arlington
11B Gabe Gassman, Howard
11A Ryan Hoffman, West Central
11AA Matt Adamson, Sioux Falls O'Gorman

Backs

Derek Ashley, Kimball
Te Archambeau, Avon
Eric Wuestewald, Arlington
Doug Carlson, Howard
Chad Morrison, West Central
Dusty Coleman, Sioux Falls O'Gorman

2004 CROSS COUNTRY INDIVIDUAL CHAMPS

Girls

B Emma Erickson, Gayville-Volin
A Robin Webber, Pine Ridge
AA Ramsey Kavan, Yankton

Boys

B Robert Gregoire, Wakonda
A Gene Morrison, Chamberlain
AA Marshall Kambestad, RC Stevens

2004 ALL TOURNAMENT GIRLS BASKETBALL TEAM

Class "B"

Ashley Johnson, Mount Vernon
Allison Johnson, Mount Vernon
Jessica Deinert, Mount Vernon
Jennifer Warkenthien, Willow Lake
Lindsey VanGerpen, Avon
Cami Koehn, Colman-Egan
Alesix Yackley, Sully Buttes
Katelynn Lamb, Sully Buttes
Amanda Madden, Campbell County
Teri Smith, Northwestern
Jill Jorgenson, Hamlin
Kari Carlson, Hamlin

Class "A"

Amber Johnson, Britton-Hecla
Hattie Ellsworth, Chamberlain
Lennea Mueller, Custer
Lacey Powell, Parkston
Maggie Malloy, Parkston
Jackie Thomas, Vermillion
Annie Roche, Vermillion
Whitney Hofer, West Central
Kristen McMahon, West Central
Jenna Buckwalter, Hamlin

Class "AA"

Tynell Kocer, Pierre
Chelsea Brandlee, Aberdeen Central
Ketty Cornemann, Yankton
Tessa Wilka, Sioux Falls O'Gorman
Calla Sharping, Sioux Falls Roosevelt
Liz Helsper, Brookings

Ruth Nelson, Huron
Megan Kusler, Aberdeen Central
Jess Lammers, Sioux Falls O'Gorman
Megan Stadler, Sioux Falls Roosevelt
Teresa Case, Sioux Falls Roosevelt
Nicole Helsper, Brookings

2004 ALL-TOURNEY GYMNASTS

Class "A"

Kassie Finck, Madison
Katie Breuer, Madison
Ariel Hofman, Vermillion
Katie Mackenzie, Madison
Whitney Hill, Hot Springs
Sarajejan Ford, Chamberlain
Katie Boehnke, Clark
Whitney Knippling, Chamberlain
Sarah Christopherson, Vermillion
Kristyn Novotny, Winner

Class "AA"

Mallory Peck, Sioux Falls O'Gorman
Brooke Cersosimo, Mitchell
Alex Hughes, Sioux Falls O'Gorman
Amelia Rew, Mitchell
Caitlin Mack, Watertown
Danielle Goetz, Sioux Falls O'Gorman
Christina Gednalske, Sioux Falls Lincoln
Calista Kirby, Brookings
Sara Weidler, Sioux Falls O'Gorman
Katie Schaefer, Brookings

2005 S.D.H.S.C.A. SCHOLARSHIP WINNERS

Tara Oltmanns, Lennox
Andrew Sorenson, Garretson
Dana Marquardt, Colman-Egan
Eric Adolph, Flandreau

Jill Whalen, Gregory
April Christensen, Parker
Riley Northrup, Hot Springs
Kira Borkowski, Wolsey-Wessington

2005 OUTSTANDING WRESTLERS

Class "B"

Dan Bonte, Garretson

Class "A"

Andy Johnson, Yankton

2005 ALL TOURNAMENT BOYS BASKETBALL TEAMS

Class "B"

Erik Krogman, Elkton
Jason DeZeeuw, Elkton
Matt Gross, Elkton
Rane Mergen, Dell Rapids St. Mary's
Jacob Bunkers, Dell Rapids St. Mary's
Mike Steffen, Mount Vernon
Blake Yackley, Sully Buttes
Jesse Hyde, Sully Buttes
Jay Tennessen, Tri-Valley
Dustin Lester, Milbank
Justin Peters, Milbank
Jason Bear, Milbank

Class "A"

Kyle Doerr, St. Thomas More
Joe Gonzalez, St. Thomas More
Kris LeRoy, St. Francis
Austin DuFrain, Platte
Jordan Vlastuin, Lennox
Mitch Boeck, Arlington
Adam Peterka, Miller
Brent Beilke, Miller
Preston Broughton, Corsica
Aaron Kappes, Leola/Frederick
Luke Enos, Faith
Trent Maxwell, Faith

Class "AA"

Adam Templeton, Rapid City Central
Adam Herther, Sioux Falls Lincoln
Richie Ward, Aberdeen Central
Anthony Cordova, Sioux Falls Roosevelt
Dusty Coleman, Sioux Falls O'Gorman
Jon Christensen, Mitchell

Tate Pesicka, Yankton
Michael Tveidt, Pierre
Joe Krabbenhoft, Sioux Falls Roosevelt
Jesse Clark, Sioux Falls O'Gorman
Ryan Krome, Mitchell
Philip Johnson, Mitchell

2005 OUTSTANDING TRACK

Girls

Class "B" Valerie Warnke, Bonesteel/Fairfax
Class "A" Lynnae Fox, Newell
Class "AA" Brittany Page, Watertown

Boys

Class "B" Jesse Cantalope, Eureka
Class "A" Ryan Conrad, Milbank
Class "AA" Quincy Christie, Pierre

2004 ALL TOURNAMENT VOLLEYBALL TEAM

Class "A"

Emmy Riedesel, Canistota
Jacey Olsen, Canistota
Lindsey Peters, Canistota
Jodi Williams, Phillip
Pam Tolsma, Avon
Lindsey Van Gerpen, Avon
Jessica Deinert, Mount Vernon
Allison Johnson, Mount Vernon
Ashley Johnson, Mount Vernon
Diedra Artz, Northwestern
Jodi Fischbach, Northwestern
Teri Smith, Northwestern

Class "B"

Abby Kratovil, Bennett County
Mattie O'Neill, Bennett County
Abigail Dykstra, Sioux Falls Christian
Natalie Carda, Beresford
Renae Hyronimus, Beresford
Jaime Dinkel, Hot Springs
Jennifer Pochup, Gregory
Jill Whalen, Gregory
Jill Jorgenson, Hamlin
Stephanie Nygaard, Milbank
Kelsey Paulsen, Milbank
Jamie Welter, Milbank

Class "AA"

Chelsea Brandlee, Aberdeen Central
Kayla Haines, Mitchell
Kelsie Tomas, Sioux Falls Lincoln
Heather Fluit, Sioux Falls Lincoln
Jenn Lammers, Sioux Falls O'Gorman
Kathleen Hruska, Sioux Falls Roosevelt

Megan Kusler, Aberdeen Central
Jennifer Eichler, Rapid City Stevens
Kristina Timmer, Sioux Falls Lincoln
Kristen Kirby, Sioux Falls O'Gorman
Katherine Hanson, Sioux Falls Roosevelt
Rachel Thomas, Sioux Falls Washington

2004-2005 ALL-TOURNEY TENNIS PLAYERS

Girls

Amanda Helmers, Rapid City Stevens
Whitney Paluch, Rapid City Stevens
Kelsey Brugger, Rapid City Stevens
Veronika Leszayova, Sioux Falls O'Gorman
Sara Lamberty, Sioux Falls O'Gorman
Emily Gaster, Sioux Falls Washington
Brittany Gaster, Sioux Falls Washington
Kylie Huether, Sioux Falls Washington
Katy Jelsma, Sioux Falls Washington
Karmyn Hettinger, Mitchell

Boys

Chris Williams, Pierre
Michael Elson, Sioux Falls O'Gorman
Matt Townsend, Sioux Falls O'Gorman
Nolan Wiese, Sioux Falls O'Gorman
Roman Dojcek, Sioux Falls O'Gorman
Cory Paluch, Rapid City Stevens
Billy Paluch, Rapid City Stevens
Gib Moyle, Rapid City Stevens
JJ Schultz, Rapid City Stevens
Ryan Schoenefeld, Watertown

2004-2005 OUTSTANDING GOLFERS

Girls Class "B"

Kim Kaufman, Clark
Tara Hofer, Lead/Deadwood
Sydney Sturdevan, Sioux Falls Lincoln

Boys Class "B"

Nolan Meyer, Harrisburg
James Green, Madison
Aaron Hieb, Mitchell