



## Guidelines for Election to the Hillcrest Athletic Hall of Fame

1. **Authorization** – By authorization of the Hillcrest High School Administration the Hillcrest High School Athletic Department is authorized to hold an election every year for the purpose of electing former Hillcrest athletes, coaches, and administrators to the HILLCREST HIGH SCHOOL ATHLETIC HALL OF FAME.
2. **Screening** – A Screening Committee will be called by the Athletic Director of all active coaches and administrators. Honorary members from the community may be asked to participate.
3. **Eligible Candidates** – Candidates to be eligible must meet the following requirements:
  - A. Election to the Hall of Fame shall be open to persons who have made an outstanding contribution to the school as a superior competitor in athletics, and who last competed at Hillcrest five or more years prior to the date of induction.
  - B. Male or female participants in any recognized form of sports competition are eligible for nomination.
  - C. Athletes must be Hillcrest High School graduates.
  - D. Nominees must have demonstrated good citizenship and character in their lives.
  - E. Nominees should only be considered on their merits as a high athlete.
  - F. A coach, trainer, and administrator shall be considered five years after leaving the Hillcrest athletic department.
  - G. An outstanding team can be voted into the Hall of Fame as a team inductee, but must also wait until five years after the team competed last.
4. **Method of Election** –
  - A. Nominations shall be received from any friend of Hillcrest High School Athletics. Nominations must be made in the appropriate format [Application Form] to be considered.
  - B. The duty of the Screening Committee shall be to vote for no more than three (3) inductees into the Hall of Fame in any given year. No nominations from the floor are permitted.
  - C. Under extraordinary circumstances more than three inductees may be selected.
  - D. Nominees not voted into the Hall of Fame will automatically be considered for future elections.

- E. When a nominee is not selected after four years of consideration he or she will be dropped off the list. After being dropped from the list for consideration an athlete may be nominated again.
5. **Voting** – Voting shall be based upon the player's high school record. The nominee's playing ability, integrity, sportsmanship, character, and contributions to the team(s) on which the player played will be used in selecting inductees.
  6. **Automatic Elections** – No automatic elections based on performance such as pitching a perfect game or being an individual state champion or similar outstanding achievement shall be permitted.
  7. **Time of the Election** – The Athletic Director shall prepare advertisement for nominations. He or she will collect and prepare all nomination packets and call the Screening Committee no later than May 1.
  8. **Announcement** – Whenever possible the inductees will be presented during Homecoming activities the following fall. The media will be alerted to this event. Every effort shall be made to acquire an 8 X 10 photo of the inductees from their high school days so that the name and photo of every Hall of Fame inductee can be displayed in Hillcrest High School.



# HILLCREST ATHLETIC HALL of FAME APPLICATION

Nominee's Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Year of Graduation: \_\_\_\_\_

Nominee's Address: \_\_\_\_\_

Sports: \_\_\_\_\_

Supporting Comments (Athletic Awards, Honors, Accomplishments): \_\_\_\_\_

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How specifically has this nominee brought distinction to Hillcrest High School athletics? \_\_\_\_\_

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Submitted by (Your name and address): \_\_\_\_\_

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Those who wish to submit a nomination should complete this form and return it with supporting information no later than **APRIL 15** to:

Athletic Hall of Fame Committee  
Hillcrest High School  
2800 Owen Street  
Idaho Falls, ID 83406

or email to  
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