



# Rutherford County Sports Hall of Fame Nominations

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## Eligibility Criteria for Hall of Fame Nomination

### Eligibility:

- A nominee must be a native, resident, or non-resident of Rutherford County, NC who has played or contributed to a sport in Rutherford County or elsewhere.
- The nominee must have made an outstanding contribution in their sport(s) or a significant contribution as an athletic supporter. Typically, this may include the attainment of All-Conference honors, Regional honors, All-County, All-State honors, Athlete/Coach of the Year, player/ coach statistics, professional playing career and Hall of Fame inductions.
- The nominee must exemplify good character and worthy of being emulated.
- Nominees shall be considered without discrimination on the basis of race, color, religion, gender, age, handicap or national origin.
- Athletes will become eligible for nomination ten years after high school.
- Coaches will become eligible for nomination after retirement.
- In all circumstances, exceptions can be made by the board.

### Official Categories:

The Rutherford County Sports Hall of Fame Committee will consider a nomination from three different categories.

#### 1. Athletic Excellence

An athlete that was extraordinary in contributing to the success of the athletes team or as an individual performer in an individual sport. Nominees in this category must have been departed from high school for ten years.

#### 2. Coaching Excellence

A coach that was extraordinary in contributing to the success of a team. Nominees in this category must be retired from coaching.

#### 3. Athletic Contributor

Athletic Contributor can be defined as administrator or benefactor. This category recognizes those who have created lasting values to Rutherford County athletics.

*Please see Official Nomination Form on next page*

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# Official RUSHOF Nomination Form

PLEASE FILL OUT THE BELOW FORM ONLINE or MAIL COMPLETED FORM TO:

RUTHERFORD COUNTY SPORTS HALL OF FAME

PO BOX 1815, FOREST CITY, NC 28043

FOR MORE INFO EMAIL US AT: [hello@rcshof.org](mailto:hello@rcshof.org)

*(Please complete as much information as possible)*

## WHO ARE YOU NOMINATING?

NAME: \_\_\_\_\_

NOMINATION CATEGORY (please select one):                      ATHLETE                      COACH                      ATHLETIC CONTRIBUTION

NOMINEE'S CURRENT STREET ADDRESS or PO BOX: \_\_\_\_\_

CITY, STATE, ZIP: \_\_\_\_\_

HOME PHONE: \_\_\_\_\_ CELL PHONE: \_\_\_\_\_

EMAIL ADDRESS: \_\_\_\_\_

OCCUPATION: \_\_\_\_\_

## TELL US WHY YOUR NOMINEE SHOULD BE A RUTHERFORD COUNTY SPORTS HALL OF FAME CONSIDERATION:

*Use the lines below to supply information for justification of nomination; i.e., accomplishments and honors.*

*You may attach news and photo clips here:*

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## YOUR INFORMATION

NAME: \_\_\_\_\_

STREET ADDRESS or PO BOX: \_\_\_\_\_

CITY, STATE, ZIP: \_\_\_\_\_

HOME PHONE: \_\_\_\_\_ CELL PHONE: \_\_\_\_\_

EMAIL ADDRESS: \_\_\_\_\_

## ENDORSEMENTS:

*(Please provide names of others who you believe are willing to endorse your nominee)*

ENDORSER ONE NAME: \_\_\_\_\_

ADDRESS, CITY, STATE, ZIP: \_\_\_\_\_

PHONE: \_\_\_\_\_ EMAIL: \_\_\_\_\_

ENDORSER TWO NAME: \_\_\_\_\_

ADDRESS, CITY, STATE, ZIP: \_\_\_\_\_

PHONE: \_\_\_\_\_ EMAIL: \_\_\_\_\_