MSCSA SOFTBALL HALL OF FAME Nomination Instructions

Players | Managers | Umpires | Lifetime Achievement

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INSTRUCTIONS:

All requested information on the nomination form must be completed and submitted with supporting letters of recommendation (no more than 3) no later than October 31st for the candidate to be considered for the following year's class. The completed nomination form and support materials should be sent via US mail, or email. Once the nomination form is received by the MSCSA Hall of Fame Selection Committee the selection process shall remain confidential. All information submitted shall be retained by MSCSA.

A completed nomination form must be accompanied by letters of recommendation from the nominator, and any other appropriate individuals from the nominee's related career. If support material is hard to get, additional letters can substantiate the individual's accomplishments. Please do not use highlighters for emphasis and ensure all materials are legible. A Hall of Fame Induction event will be hosted each year. Inductees will be notified by December 1 of their selection.

GENERAL CRITERIA:

Nominees must exemplify the highest standards of sportsmanship, conduct and character. The categories of players, managers, umpires, and lifetime achievement are included for expediency in understanding the primary area in which an individual is to be considered for his or her achievements. The grouping is for screening purposes only and to assist those making the nominations in understanding the type of information required. Once nominees are inducted, they will be categorized within their specific area on the MSCSA Hall of Fame site. All are recognized as members of the MSCSA Hall of Fame.

Candidates for the Hall of Fame must be at least 65 years of age have at least 10 years of MSCSA service in their nomination category to qualify for induction. Service years are counted until October 31st of the nomination year. Players are nominated for their athletic achievements, whether they are current or former participants. Managers will be evaluated on coaching achievements, umpires on their umpiring service, and lifetime achievement for outstanding vision, service, dedication, and commitment to MSCSA softball.

All candidates will be judged on their significant and/or long-term contributions to and/or within MSCSA. While many have achievements at the state or national level, it is their MSCSA accomplishments to be considered.

Longevity without meaningful impact does not constitute appropriate credentials for Hall of Fame consideration