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Monday, September 13
at
Proctor's Theatre
Schenectady

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Guest Speaker

Bill Arsenault

- 1954 graduate of Mont Pleasant High School
- Played football at MP for George Van Husen and Larry Mulvaney
- Local sportswriter from 1959-2001
Union Star, Knickerbocker News and Times Union
- Sports editor at the Knickerbocker News
- Currently writes college sports columns for five newspapers

Athletic Hall of Fame Members

Bill Eddy 1998
Sig Makofski 1998
Larry Mulvaney 1998
Walt Przybylo 1998
Ray Vacca 1998
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1954 Schenectady Little League
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The purpose of the Athletic Hall of Fame is to honor those individuals who have made significant contributions to the history and tradition of sports in the Schenectady City School District.

The **13th** Annual **Schenectady** City School District

Athletic Hall of Fame & Reunion Dinner

Monday, September 13, 2010
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2010 Inductees

Warren Crow

Ray Trail

&

Legacy Tribute

*Honoring three undefeated teams
on the 50th anniversary
of their 1959-60 seasons*

1959-60 Linton Boys Basketball Team
1960 Linton Golf Team
1960 Mont Pleasant Baseball Team

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2010 Inductees

Warren Crow

Linton High School, Class of 1962

- Won the 1961 NYS YMCA 123 pound wrestling title
- Varsity wrestler at Linton for 3 years
- Finished second in the Section II Tournament as a sophomore (115-pound class) - his first year of competitive wrestling
- Lost only one match as a junior
- Undefeated as a sr. at LHS (25-0, w/20 pins)
- Section II champion as a jr. (123-pound class) and sr. (130-pound class)
- Selected as the "Outstanding Wrestler" in the Sectionals (1961 & 1962)
- Pinned all 5 opponents in the 1962 Sect'ls
- Won the prestigious Windsor Tournament as a senior at Linton
- Won the Mastriani Award in 1962 as the top scholastic wrestler in Schenectady County
- Wrestled at Cornell as freshman & soph.
- Varsity MVP at Cornell as a sophomore (during first year of varsity eligibility)
- While at Cornell, made the Coaches Mid-Season All-America team in "Amateur Wrestling News"
- Wrestled for Cornell in the 1964 NCAA University Division Tournament, losing by one point to the eventual national champion
- Wrestled at Albany St. as a jr. and sr.
- Finished his career at Albany St. with 17-0-1 dual meet record & 31-3-1 overall record (never lost to a College Division wrestler)
- Won the NCAA College Division championship in 1966 & 1967
- Selected as the Outstanding Wrestler in 1966 NCAA College Division Tournament
- First NCAA wrestling champion from Sect. II
- Finished fourth in the 1966 University Division NCAA Wrestling Tournament
- 1966 All American (College & University Div.)
- 1967 College Division All-American
- Eliminated when he lost an overtime match in the 1967 NCAA Univ. Division Tournament
- Finished fourth in the U.S. Olympic trials at the World's Fair in 1964
- Won the Wilkes Holiday Tourn. (Dec. 1967), qualifying for the 1968 U.S. Olympic Training Camp, where he was injured

- First Albany St. athlete to win NCAA championship
- First wrestler to win Albany State's Sportsman Award as the "Athlete of the Year"
- Member of Univ. at Albany Athletic Hall of Fame
- Member of the Section II Wrestling Hall of Fame

Ray Trail

Mont Pleasant High School

- Ran cross-country & track at Mont Pleasant H.S.
- Broke many records set by former MP runner & AHOF member Steve Szumachowski
- Won the individual National Cross-Country championship in 1935 & 1936
- Set a record in the 1935 National Championship race, defeating the defending champion (NT runners finished second, third & eighth)
- Set a new indoor record of 4:31.6 at Madison Square Garden National Interscholastic Mile Championship, slashing nearly five seconds off the old national indoor record (Feb. 1936)
- Ran anchor leg on MP's Interscholastic Medley Relay Championship team at 1936 Penn Relays
- Broke Glenn Cunningham's world record for scholastic mile when he ran 4:24:4 at the En Joie Health Invitation Meet in Binghamton (May 1936) recognized as record by the Nat'l Federation of State High School Athletic Associations
- Ran a record-setting 4:22:3 mile at the Brown Meet in May 1936
- Came within a fraction of a second of equaling the world's interscholastic 2-mile record of 9:53
- Unofficially broke the 2-mile record in May 1936 when he ran 9:48:4 (wind aided)
- Member of the Mt. Pleasant Sports Hall of Fame

50th Anniversary of Undefeated SCSD Teams

1959-60 Linton HS Boys' Basketball Team

- Finished the season with a 16-0 record
- The team, coached by Walt Przybylo, won the Class A League title
- Played & defeated Diocesan League champion, Catholic Central, in a "Dream Game," (rather than participate in the Sectionals)
- Finished the season on a 31-game winning streak, dating back to 1958-59 season.
- Team is regarded by many as one of the greatest basketball teams in Section II history

- Was led by first team Parade All American, Barry Kramer, who averaged 30.6 ppg
- Kramer went on to play basketball at NYU, where he was a first team AP All American in 1963
- Kramer was a first round NBA draft selection in 1964 (by the Warriors). He also played with the Knicks and Nets
- Other starters were Jim Seaman, Bob Murray, Mike Sahr and Jack Washington
- Seaman & Murray went on to play at Syracuse Univ. and Mike Sahr later played at Union
- Washington was selected by the Dell Magazine Yearbook as the top basketball prospect in NYS (outside of NYC) for 1960-61

1960 Linton High School Golf Team

- Finished with an 11-0 record
- Team was coached by Walt Przybylo
- Unbeaten streak of 35 matches/3yrs.
- Led by medalist Jim Reid, won the Sectionals by one stroke over Niskyauna (This Sectional title was the 7th in 11 years for Nott Terrace/Linton)
- Team went on to Intersect'I & defeated Union-Endicott by 1 stroke to win NYS championship
- SCSD Athletic Hall of Famer Peter Famiano was a member of the team
- Famiano became a golf pro and was inducted into the New Jersey PGA Hall of Fame

1960 Mont Pleasant High School Baseball

- Won the Class "A" League title with an 8-0 record. The team finished 9-0 overall
- The head coach was Toni Parisi, who is a member of the SCSD Athletic Hall of Fame
- First undefeated baseball team in MP history
- Joe DeCarlo led team in hitting with a .560 batting average
- SCSD Athletic Hall of Fame, Joe Loudis, was the team's leadoff hitter
- Pitching staff was led by junior Ed Barnowski, who finished 5-0, including two no-hitters. He had 60 strikeouts in 34 innings.
- Barnowski went on to pitch at Syracuse Univ. & in the Baltimore Orioles organization
- Barnowski led all minor leagues in strikeouts in 1964 (322 strikeouts in 222 innings)
- Barnowski pitched in six games with the Baltimore Orioles in 1965 & 1966 (2.45 ERA)