



# Quitman Sports Hall of Fame

## Criteria and Selection Process

### Selection Process

- The **Selection Committee** ranks prospective inductees annually, per a rubric, as outlined by the criteria.
- The **Committee Chair** submits top choices to the **Executive Board** for review and final selection per a rubric as determined by the Committee Chair, Selection Committee and Executive Board and final vote.
- Inductees, once selected, will be notified of their selection as well as provided information on when banquet and/or induction ceremonies will take place.

### Player Criteria

- Eligible 5 years after last interscholastic competition following their high school graduation.
- Must be a **minimum 2-year letterman** and graduate from high school.
- Considered for honors such as:
  - **All Conference, All City, All-Region, All District, All State, All American**
  - Statistical leadership
- Played or being drafted into **professional sports** strengthens candidacy.
- Played in **college sports** and/or **junior college sports** strengthens candidacy, too.

### Team Criteria

- Eligible 5 years after last interscholastic team competition following the team's high school graduation.
- For the team to be considered, they must have achieved a minimum of three of the following:
  - **Conference, City, Region, District, South State, North State, State, or National Champions**

NOTE: Statistical leadership, including overall record, will be considered as well.

### Coach Criteria

- Eligible **5 years after departure in good standing** and/or **retirement**.
- Evaluated on:
  - **Win/Loss percentage**
  - **Coach of the Year Honors** (Conference, City, District, State, National)
  - Number of players achieving **All-American, All-State, All-Star, All-District, All Region, All-City, All-Conference** status
  - Number of players advancing to **professional sports, college sports** and/or **junior college sports**.
  - **Community engagement and leadership**
  - Significant contributions to **interscholastic competition**

### Contributor/Administrator Criteria

- Eligible after **5 years of significant involvement and/or documented financial support** (not necessarily consecutive).
- Must have made a **substantial contribution** to the school's athletic program or Quitman, MS community.
- Demonstrated **long-term impact on community pride and athletic heritage** through advocacy, mentorship, or organizational leadership.

### In Summary:

- **Players** must meet minimum eligibility and honors standards as outlined by criteria above.
- **Teams** must meet minimum eligibility and honors standards as outlined by criteria above.
- **Coaches** are judged on performance, player development, and community impact as outlined by criteria above.
- **Contributors/Administrators** qualify through sustained support, substantial contributions, and long-term community influence as outlined by criteria above.