

Athletic Hall of Fame Inductees



Kate Hendrickson Borg '85

Swimming – Volleyball – Track

- Earned 7 Varsity Letters
- Holds OHS Swimming records in 100 yd, 200 yd, 500 yd, Freestyle, 200 IM, and 100 Butterfly
- Member of the Sectional Championship swim team in 1983 and 1984 – Team Captain in 1984
- OHS Athlete of the year in 1985
- Collegiate All-American Swimmer at William Smith College
- Inducted into William Smith College Athletic Hall of Honors in 1999
- Participated in the 1992 Olympics in Barcelona, Spain as a member of the U. S. Olympic Kayak team.



George Lynch '60

Football – Basketball - Baseball

- Earned 8 Varsity Letters
- Captain of the Basketball and Football teams in his senior year
- Member of the 1960 undefeated Football team
- Member of the 1959- 1960 undefeated Basketball team
- All-Star Football player in 1960
- Nominated for the National High School All – American Football team in 1960
- OHS Athlete of the year 1961



Gloria Hill Smith '90

Cross Country - Basketball - Track

- Earned 10 Varsity Letters
- 2- time State Champion in Cross Country
- Participated in NYS Cross Country meet 3 times
- All-Star player in Basketball
- Member of the gold medal scholastic Empire State Games Basketball team
- STAC Champion runner in long distance events
- All – Star runner for Cross Country and Track
- OHS Athlete of the year 1990
- Qualified for National Cross Country and Track Championships while at Ithaca College



Brooke Baker Bass '95

Skiing – Soccer - Track – Tennis

- Earned 13 Varsity Letters
- NYS Champion 1993- Giant Slalom
- Section IV Champion 1995 Slalom and Giant Slalom
- All-Star Soccer player
- Member of school record setting sprint relay team of 1993



Bill Whitaker '57

Tennis - Football – Basketball

- Earned 8 Varsity Letters
- 2 time state Championship Tennis player
- Won a NYS doubles Championship in Tennis 1955
- Won 4 Section IV Championships in Tennis Doubles
- Quarterback and co-captain of football team in 1956
- Graduate of U.S. Naval Academy in 1961
- Retired from the Navy as a Commander in 1981

Wall of Distinction Inductees

Rebecca Wilson Bresee '89



- Mentor to animation students
- Visual Effects Society Award Nominations
- Bolt Puppy in "Bolt" and Rapunzel in "Tangled"
- Name in movie credits on 11 award-winning Disney productions, including Emmy Award Winning - "Prep and Landing"
- Personal dream fulfilled to animate Disney fairy tale "Tangled"



Joseph P. Campbell '45



- US Army 1945-46
- Colgate Graduate 1951
- Master's Degree - SUNY Oneonta 1956
- OHS Teacher and Coach - 34 years
- 50 Year career WDOS - Sports and Sentimental Journey Shows
- Oneonta Community Service
- OHS Alumnus of the Year - 2005



William Colone '76



- President and CEO - Arizona Heart Innovative Technologies
- Holds 12 United States patents for medical devices
- Founding Board Member - Arizona Technology Investor Forum
- Adjunct Professor - Arizona State University for Entrepreneurship
- Completed three Ironman Triathlons



Mark Jeffers '76



- Host - Oneonta Jerry Lewis Muscular Dystrophy Telethon 35 years; raised over \$1 million dollars locally
- National Broadcasting Company - VP International Sales; NBC Super Sports
- President Marsar Sports and Entertainment
- Co-host - "The Clubhouse" sports radio program WFAS
- Adjunct Professor and Advisory Board member - Sports Business Management Master's program - Manhattanville College



William "Bud" Pirone '56



- OHS Principal 1981-97; only OHS Graduate to hold this position
- OHS Social Studies Teacher 1964-1981
- Oneonta School District Teacher of the Year 1981
- Co-Founder OHS Alumni Association
- OHS Tennis Coach 1965-1971; team record 98-5, never lost a home match
- Oneonta Community Service

