

# Nomination for Thornton Academy Athletic Hall of Fame

The Athletic Hall of Fame is sponsored by the Thornton Academy Alumni Association and Board of Trustees to recognize athletic excellence. Nominations are welcome year-round, but to be considered for the 2007 induction must be postmarked by May 1, 2007. New members will be inducted into the Hall of Fame each fall. For the first five years of the program, 2006-2010, the committee will induct no more than six athletes or teams per year, including recognition of both posthumous and living nominees. All nominations are kept permanently on file and reconsidered each year.

## Eligibility

### Athletes

The nominee must be a graduate of Thornton Academy, and at least 10 years must have passed since they graduated. The nominee may not be a current member of the faculty or staff, a coach or other employee of Thornton Academy, nor a member of the Alumni Association Board of Directors or Board of Trustees. The candidate must have competed in at least one year of a varsity sport, and must have demonstrated superior performance while an athlete at Thornton, such as: 1) be a record-holder in a specific athletic event in their time at TA; 2) be recognized by local, state and/or regional athletic authorities; 3) demonstrate outstanding performance as deemed appropriate by the committee.

### Other Individuals

Other individuals who have contributed greatly to Thornton Academy athletics such as coaches, administrators, volunteers, or others will also be considered for induction. Such a candidate is not required to be a Thornton Academy graduate.

### Teams

Teams who performed exceptionally during a single varsity season will be considered for induction. A team award will be considered as one award. Teams must have won a state or regional championship or achieved in other ways under uncommon adversity to be considered.

Hall of Fame inductees in 2006, the first year of the program, included Henry LaVallee '25, Charles Mistos '37, Lloyd Anderson '39 and Gordon Pendleton '48, as well as the 1913-14 girls basketball team and 1920-21 boys basketball team.

Nominee \_\_\_\_\_ Class Year \_\_\_\_\_

Address \_\_\_\_\_

City \_\_\_\_\_ State \_\_\_\_\_ Zip \_\_\_\_\_

Phone \_\_\_\_\_ E-mail \_\_\_\_\_

Name of Person Submitting Nomination \_\_\_\_\_

(Please note that anonymous nominations are not accepted.)

Address \_\_\_\_\_

City \_\_\_\_\_ State \_\_\_\_\_ Zip \_\_\_\_\_

Phone \_\_\_\_\_ E-mail \_\_\_\_\_

Please attach a description of the nominee's accomplishments, as well as any documentation such as press clippings, photocopies, material from yearbooks, etc. Return nomination materials to: Thornton Academy · Alumni Office · 438 Main St. · Saco, ME 04072. If you have questions, contact Nancy Tripp - 282-3361 x234 or [nancy.tripp@thornton.saco.org](mailto:nancy.tripp@thornton.saco.org).