



## Rockland County Sports Hall of Fame

Welcome to the 32nd annual induction ceremony of the Rockland County Sports Hall of Fame. Kudos go out for the efforts of Bob Veltidi and each of the members of the selection committee for coming up with such a stellar group of nominees for this year's induction class.

The Class of 2005 continues the tradition of excellence that has epitomized the Rockland Hall of Fame. Included among this year's headliners are: Tom Doherty of Pearl River highly successful cross country and track coach and athletic director, who remains a positive force in Rockland County sports; Mike Carroll, outstanding coach of North Rockland's girls volleyball team with state championships; Jamie Kempton, overall cross country and track achievements at Albertus Magnus High School and Nanuet with highly successful career in sports journalism; Jane Ronner Beckley, member of the first girl's all-county team that went on to become a ten time all-county selection in four sports; volleyball, basketball, tennis and field hockey; Lee Klepper, Rockland County's first two time state champion in wrestling who became nationally ranked wrestler at Princeton University; and Rudy Rejholec former Nyack athletic director instrumental in developing many youth sports programs is recognized in the old timers category.

This year's Joseph R. Holland Lifetime Achievement Award winner is Leon Pesner. Leon was a Spring Valley native and a booster of Spring Valley sports along with being an original committee member of the Rockland County Sports Hall of Fame, and former president and master of ceremonies at many of the dinners.

The Hall of Fame is always seeking high-quality candidates to consider for induction. We applaud the continuing efforts of local high school halls of fame to honor their past stars and to assist us in obtaining the resumes of top candidates from the respective schools.

We also wish to thank those people who keep our organization a vital force in the community: Kathy Dapolito, vice-chair; Ethel Doller, secretary; Pete Castellano, treasurer; Dan White, ticket chairman and master of ceremonies; Bob Veltidi, screening committee chair and program editor; Gibby Sweet, dinner arrangements; and Bruce Schweizer of Quality Graphics.

Regards,

Pete Scheibner

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List of Inductees*

<u>INDUCTEE</u>	<u>PLAQUE SPONSOR</u>	<u>INTRODUCED BY</u>
JANE RONNER-BECKLEY	Sponsor Needed	Jane Abrams
MIKE CARROLL	Sponsor Needed	Joe Casarella
TOM DOHERTY	ROCKLAND COUNTY TRACK OFFICIALS AND BECKERLE LUMBER	Brigid Doherty
JAMIE KEMPTON	ROCKLAND COUNTY TRACK OFFICIALS AND BECKERLE LUMBER	Bill Miller
LEE KLEPPER	Sponsor Needed	Guy Guccione
LEON PESNER	Sponsor Needed	Joseph Holland
RUDOLPH REJHOLEC	Sponsor Needed	Bryant Malcolm

*The Hall of Famers social hour  
(6 p.m. to 7 p.m.) is being sponsored by  
Gibby Sweet, Gene Erickson and George Dalzell.*

*The regular cocktail hour (7 p.m. to 8 p.m.)  
is being sponsored by Paul Miller Toyota.*