# Thank you for helping celebrate the American Football Association's 34th Annual Semi-Pro Football Hall of Fame Induction Dinner





## "Semi-Pro and Proud'

Where Semi-Pro Football Legends Live Forever!

The AFA is proud of the fact that we are on our 34th year of operation as the national association for Semi-Pro football teams and leagues in the United States. We are a 501(c) tax exempt, non-profit corporation dedicated to the advancement of the Semi-Pro (adult amateur), non-professional level of America's greatest sport . . . FOOTBALL!

Our staff is made up completely of volunteers anxious to keep the memories of those who have played, coached, officiated, administrated on the team or league level and, or otherwise contributed to the advancement and awareness of semi-pro football across the country—for more than a century.



Former AFA President and Founder Ron Real with the Arkush Memorial Cup



Over the past 34 years, the American Football Association has inducted 691 individuals that spent most of their football careers on the semi-pro level of the sport all for the love of the game. Their unselfish contributions to our level of the game will be remembered forever by their fans, family, former teammates, and those who follow their football leadership in the future.

# Thank you for attending and helping us honor the "Class of 2014"

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## Welcome to the 34th Annual



## Induction Dinner

Friday, June 27th, 2014 Semi-Pro Football Hall of Fame Canton, OH

## Presenting the AFA Hall of Fame – Class of 2014

Byron Allen - Lafayette, LA

Steve Bailey - Feura Bush, NY

John Burns - Gurnee, IL

**Douglas Coleman** - White Castle, LA

Keith Doleman - Chambersburg, PA

**Bob Gingras** - Madison, WI

Joe Hall, Sr. - Amsterdam, NY

**Pat Killorin** - Baldwinsville, NY

**Eugene Larsen** - Schiller Park, IL

Alex Lawson - Springfield, IL

Darrell McCatty - Chesterfield, VA

Mike Myers - Albany, NY

David Powell - Rising Fawn, GA

Jose Rodriguez - Hollister, CA

Larry Salley - Gainesville, VA

Burt Skeel - Mayfield Heights, OH

**Bryan Smith** - Hollister, CA

Kenny Washington - Los Angeles, CA



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## Letter from the President

#### Greetings & Welcome to Our 34th Annual Hall of Fame Inductions

On behalf of our Board of Directors, I would like to welcome you to our 34th Annual Hall of Fame Inductions. We are again extremely honored to acknowledge this year's inductees and allow them to share with you their journey and contributions to this level of the sport. We are even more excited about the opportunity to again have as our venue this year, the Pro Football Hall of Fame. We encourage you to take in all of the museum's history and enjoy the experiences that it offers.

The annual task of reviewing hundreds of semi-pro candidates for recognition and subsequent induction into the AFA's Hall of Fame is extremely gratifying. It's exciting to review shared experiences, bios and establish connections at our level of football. The continued growth of our football family is as a result, is amazing. After the selections were made, I took the opportunity to do some deeper research of the historical/newspaper archives and Wikipedia. As a result, I found that this year's class of inductees consist of military war veterans, an AFA All Star from the 90's, a player who appeared in the movie "Rudy", a participant from the Ron Real's Semi-Pro Superbowl in New Orleans, Indoor Football League all stars, a former NFL player and another inductee whose father played for the NFL. I have encountered a level of humility among our inductees that commands the utmost respect.

My goal of promoting our brand and realizing the vision/pioneering of our founder, Ron Real becomes more evident each time I reach out to folks around the nation. Ron touched so many lives and just never realized it. This is all very humbling but is also the most satisfying part of my job as the organization's president, to see Ron's dreams realized.

I would like to acknowledge our Board of Directors for their guidance and teamwork during our planning process over the past few months. As we continue to build on lessons learned each year, we sincerely hope that you have the most positive of experiences at our event. Please take advantage of our official organization fund raisers at this event such as raffle and sports memorabilia auction. Also check out our monthly online auction (www.biddingforgood.com/AFAWeeklyAuction) for a more comprehensive listing of items ranging from exotic vacation getaways to sports memorabilia, which are guaranteed to delight and surprise. Feel free to share this info with your friends, family, community.

The American Football Association remains committed to our mission to keep alive the memories of those who have played, coached, officiated and administrated on the team or league level. Our objective is to ensure that our semi-pro/minor league player's unselfish contributions to our level of the game are remembered forever by their fans, family, former teammates and those who follow their football leadership in the future.

Feel free to reach out to our staff during this event with any +/- concerns.

#### **AFA CREED:**

If you can't move a mountain . . . then move a grain of sand

If you can't reach a million people . . . then touch a single hand

If you can't impress them all . . . then impress only those who answer your call Semi-Pro and Proud® is what we are . . . that's what makes the AFA the best by far

—Ron Real, Founder

Sincerely, Dave Burch AFA President

Note: Please notify friends and family during this event regarding our live webcast. This can be viewed anywhere on the planet by simply clicking the live link on our website. If you would like to give them a "shout out" during our event, talk with our videographer Steve Weed. As with all of our previous induction events, this webcast will be archived for posterity.



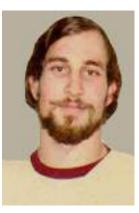
## AFA Hall of Fame Class of 2014

## Byron Keith Allen, Sr. – Player Category



- Byron graduated from Northside High School in 1988 and was a standout in football, baseball and track; was also a member of the 1987 AAA state championship track team.
- Went on to be a standout in track and an All-Star in football while playing running back at Mississippi Gulf Coast Community College in Perkinston, Mississippi where he also earned an Associate's Degree in Business Management.
- Spring of 1991 he arrived at Louisiana State University (LSU) and was a two year letterman as a running back and active special teams member in 1992 & 1993.
- Began his Semi-Pro/Minor League football career in the IFL as a running back for the Louisiana Bayou Thunder. Byron recorded an amazing 1185 yards and 19 touchdowns on only 98 carries and was named 1st team league all-star in his first year.
- In 1996 he returned to the Thunder and helped lead them to an IFL Championship played in Roanoke Virginia.
- Named game MVP in IFL All-Star game that same year in Charleston West Virginia and was.
- In 1998 Byron took his talents to the Indoor Professional Football League (IPFL). During his first year in the IPFL, Byron earned all-star honors and led Louisiana's first ever professional sports team to win a World Championship (Louisiana Bayou Beast).
- •In 1999 briefly played in the RFL for the New Orleans Knights. The league folded halfway through the season.
- In 2000 returned to the IPFL while playing for the Rapides Rangers. Led the league in rushing, scoring among all running backs and yards per carry.
- Honored as Running Back Of The Year and crowned all time single season rusher, scoring an all time leading rusher at the end of second full season in the PIFL.
- 2001 played partial season in the AFL2 for the Lafayette Roughnecks before returning to the IPFL's Lake Charles Landsharks. In this same year Byron set a single game record with six rushing touchdowns.
- Byron retired from the game at the age of 34 and now resides in Fort Worth, Texas where he is a sales manager in the oil and gas industry and helps coach his 6 & 8 yr old boys in football.

### Steve Bailey – Player Category



- Three years varsity football at Ravena Coeymans Selkirk (RCS) Central High School; played linebacker and running back; team captain in 1973; selected to Times Union Metroland, All Area All Star Teams
- 1974 -1976 Played Linebacker for the Metro Mallers
- 1975 & 1976 selected EFL All Star team
- 1977 1980 Linebacker for Troy Uncle Sams
- 1981 Albany Metro Mallers; Eastern Football League Championship
- 1982 1985 Tri Cities Giants
- 1987 1991 Albany Metro Mallers; post season game versus Racine Raiders (lost 26-14)
- Currently assists RCS football teams and have helped local Pop Warner teams; also still occasionally plays flag football

### John Burns – Player Category



- Parents immigrated to USA from Ireland in 1968 with older brother and sister
- Joined USMC after high school to serve my country
- Played for Far East Marine team in Okinawa and named to All Marine Team
- Received Navy Achievement Medal for Valor for bravery in combat operations.
- Presidential Commendations for rescue efforts in Philippines during Mt. Pinatubo eruption.
- Lake County Knights 2 All Star nominations and played against team USA 1993 in Florida
- Lake County Chiefs All Star and Chicago Football League Championship
- Played close to 20 years of semipro football with 304 games, over 1500 tackles, 18 interceptions, 170 forced fumbles, 100 fumble recoveries and 12 touchdowns
- Also appeared as an extra in the movie "Rudy".

### Douglas Coleman, Jr. - Player Category



- Douglas began his football career as an eighth grade quarter-back for the varsity-team at White Castle High School. He currently holds the school record for 3,013 passing yards in a single year and received MVP two years in row. Also was a Blue-Chip All American QB, as a member of the 1000 yard passing club.
- Copiah Lincoln Jr College All Star Game named MVP University of Eastern New Mexico 2nd Team All-Conference.
- Career in Semi Pro Football and Arena Football extended from 1996 to 2006. Retirement as an active player led to coaching the game from 2006 2013.

### Keith Doleman – Officials Category



#### Player:

- Played for Franklin County Minutemen 1978 1983, York County Lions 1985 1987 and 1990 1993, Chambersburg Cardinals 1987 1989.
- Played 12 years in the Mason Dixon Football League and 3 years in the North American Football League.

#### As an Official:

- Member of South Penn Chapter of Football Officials in Chambersburg PA, 1994 to present; East Coast Assn of Football Officials based in Dover, DE. 2004 to present.
- Officiated at Youth level for 20 years and High School for 19 years, Semi-pro for 17 years.

#### **Highlights:**

 Head Referee of 2012 GDFL National and Conference Championship Games, 2 Atlantic Football Championship Games, 3 Mason Dixon League Championship Games, 2 ECFA Championship Games, 1 ACFA Championship, 1 PIAA High School AA Semi-Final State Playoff.



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## Bob Gingras – Executive Category



- Bob was the primary owner and general manager of the Madison Mustangs from 2006 thru 2013.
- In total, the Mustangs won five championships during that time period. They won four consecutive championships in the Ironman Football League from 2008 thru 2011.
- They also won a championship the only year they played in the Mid-States Football League.
- While in the Ironman Football League, the Mustangs won 60 games in a row which is in the record books as the third longest winning streak in semi-pro football history. Bob also served as head coach of the Mustangs from 2007 until 2009.

## Joe Hall, Sr. – Player Category



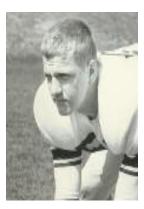
- 1970 Graduate Of Gloversville High School.
- Began Semi Pro Career With The Glove Cities Colonials June of 1970.
- 1971 1973 Served in United States Marine Corps.
- 1974 Returned To Glove Cities Colonials and Led Them To Empire Football League Championship.
- 1976 Empire Football League Offensive Player Of The Year.
- 1974,1976,1977 Team Offensive MVP.
- 1974 1980 Empire League All Star.
- Served 10 Years as Coach in Amsterdam Little Giants Youth Football Program.
- 2004 2011 Coach for Amsterdam Zephyrs of Empire Football League.

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## Pat Killorin – Player Category



#### **College Football Career:**

- 1962-1966 Syracuse University
- Two-time All-American (1964-65) and blocked for the legendary Floyd Little who led the NCAA in all-purpose yards per game in 1965.
- Killorin was a two-time All-East First Team selection and was honored with the 1965 Bill Horr Award as the team's MVP.

#### **Pro Football:**

• 1966-1967 - Drafted third round by Pittsburgh Steelers. Played in 1966 and suffered a serious knee injury. In 1967, he received a second knee injury that forced his retirement.

#### Semi-Pro Football:

- 1968-1973 Helped to reorganize the Watertown Red and Black Semi Pro Football Team.
- 1969-1971 Became Red and Black Head Coach and played defensive tackle. Red and Black record was 4-3, 5-2, 9-0 respectively in three years as head coach. Retired as head coach in 1971.
- 1972-1973 Played defensive tackle for Red and Black.
- 1976 Played and coached for Syracuse Aces, Semi Pro Football Team under Coach Rock Pirro.
- 1995 Elected to Watertown Red and Black Hall of Fame.

#### **Business Career:**

• 1985-Present - Formed Patco Food Safety Inc, which developed into a multi-million dollar company servicing over 20,000 retail food stores throughout the USA and Puerto Rico. Pat was President/CEO of Patco. Patco was sold in 2008 to BHC Holding Company.

## Gene Larsen – Player Category



- Elmhurst Travelers 1960 1964.
- Bi State, Tri State, Central States Leagues.
- Tri State Championship 1963.
- Tight End and Defensive End.
- Leyden High School 1954 1958.
- Oceanside College, Oceanside California 1958, 1959.

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### Alex Lawson – Executive Category



- Alex Lawson's semi-pro football experience started as Player/General Manager in 1997 for the Springfield Bucs.
- As a player, Mr. Lawson enjoyed reliving his football experience of his college days. In 1999, the Springfield Bucs went on to become League Champions in the Midwest Football League.
- In 2002 Mr. Lawson joined the Capital City Outlaws as it went from 11-man to 8-man football. During this time, Alex hung up his pads and focused on running the organization. He continued to assist other teams and even wrote a pamphlet on how to make their organization a legitimate team financially.
- In summary, Mr. Lawson has been doing this since 1997; 17 years. He does this in addition to his fulltime position; a Colonel in the Army National Guard. His dedication and determination has resulted in the success of this organization.

### Darrell McCatty – Player Category



#### **Individual Game Records – Receiving**

- Most receptions in a game 8 vs. West Deptford Broncos 8/12/2000.
- Most receiving yards in game 211 vs. Carolina Predators 8/10/1996.
- Most TD receptions in a game 5 vs. Carolina Predators 8/10/1996.
- Best Avg. reception yards per catch per game (7 minimum) 15.3 vs. West Deptford Broncos 8/12/2000.

#### **Individual Season Records - Receiving**

- Most receptions in a season 44 (2000 Tied).
- Most receptions for TD's 17 (1996).

#### **Individual Career Records - Receiving**

- Most receptions in a career 389.
- Most receiving yards in a career 5,489.
- Most TD receptions in a career 93.
- 108 Total TD's.

#### **Individual Game Records - Punt Returns**

- Longest punt return for a TD in a game 90 yards vs. N. Va. Mutiny 8/2/1999
- 8 returns for TD's including 1 interception returned for a TD



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## "Semi-Pro and Proud"

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\*Arthur S. Arkush - '81 \*Elmo Huggens - '86 \*George Kulton - '86 \*Jim Lott - '86 \*Al Savill - '86 \*Cosmo lacovazzi - '87 \*Pearce Johnson - '89 Stu Ebersole - '92 Paul Bartlett - '93 \*Lee Chisholm - '94 \*Larnell Goodman - '97 \*Carl Van Serke - '99 \*Art Rooney, Sr. - '00 Sig Schuster - '01 \*J. B. Wise - '02 Joseph Bellante - '03 Monty Holmes - '03 \*Alex Duffy - '04 \*Bob Van Ness - '04 Joseph Loughran - '08 Lawrence Haynes III - '11 Kenny Washington - '14

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#### **EXECUTIVES:**

\*Dave Lunger '01 Terry Thomas - '01 Rick Starosta - '02 Asbury Summers - '02 Bob Baker - '03 \*Ed McCracken - '03 Terry Sullivan - '03 Jané Dole - '04 Wes Fischer - '04 Jenny Akeson-Primeau -'04 Steve Ellis -'05 Alex Flores -'05 Mike Frazier -'05 Cheryl Kardas -'05 Paul Pisellini -'05 Dave Rice -'05 Pat Sharpe -'05 Alan Boeldt - '06 Bob Gallegos - '06 \*Richard Jancosko - '06 Chris Chudada - '07 Brett Frieman - '07 Troy Roberts - '07 Pete Narri - '08 Arney Silvestri - '08 Glenda Cain - '09 Stephen McAllister - '09 Rev. Gary Wilder - '10 Ceil Real - '10 \*Bill Christie - '11 Alan Perkins - '11 Chad Fauson - '12 Thomas Hawkins - '12 John P. Zafiris, Jr. - '12 Bob Gingras - '14

**COACHES:** Ron Waller - '81 \*Harry Gilbert - '82 Perry Moss - '82 Al Darby - '83 Don Heiges - '83 \*Duncan Mc Cauley - '84 Dick Pesonen - '84 George Pasterchick - '85 \*Fred Wallner - '85 Ken Carpenter - '86 Steve Harshman - '86 Wixie Robbinson - '86 Jim Cadile - '87 Pudgie Walsh - '87 \*Bob Windish - '87 \*Bob Engle - '88 Bob Herstine - '88 Stu McLean - '88 Jim Nugent - '88 Ed O'Reilly - '88 Bill Walsh - '88 \*Lee Albrecht - '89 \*Tom Anthony - '89 John Baker - '90 \*Lawrence Haynes - '90 Bob Herman, Sr. - '90 A.J. Smith - '90 \*Frank Fucci - '91 \*Clarence McClure -'91 Greg Skowronski - '91 \*Dave DiFilippo - '92 Richard Fleck - '92 George Kendrick - '92 Gene Nudo - '92 \*Richard Shipley - '92 Alan 'Butch' Keller - '93 Jay Carver - '94 \*Jimmy Jackson - '94

**COACHES:** \*Joseph Kie - '94 Norm Killion - '94 \*Don Sprinkle - '94 Al Boggia - '95 \*Bo Brooks - '95 Hal Lockhart - '95 \*Bob Teahan - '95 Don Warthen - '95 Bob Brennan - '96 Ned N. Novell - '96 Jim Williams - '96 Ronald Baines - '97 Jim Brannon - '97 \*Jesse Vail - '97 \*Jesse Wiggins - '97 Tom Calabrese - '98 Fr. John Frederick - '98 Lenny Rittof - '98 Bill Duchon - '99 Arnie Garber - '99 \*Joseph Golden, Jr. - '99 Robert Kauffman - '99 Louis Souza - '99 Ken Austin - '00 Edward Brosky - '00 Richard Dial - '00 'William Grasso - '00 Richard 'Bing' Keeney -'00 James Moore - '00 John Whitelavich - '00 Ray Evans - '01 Grég Moore - '01 Nolan Warren - '01 George Ashcraft - '02 Paul Costello - '02 John Green - '02 \*Harold Haberman - '02 Thomas Wagner - '02 \*Joseph Bartlinski - '03 Jerry Grohn - '03 Jordan Kopac - '03 Norman Mann - '03 Eliseo 'Sal' Saldivar - '04 Rex Stevenson - '04 Norris Jackson - '05 Mike Lentz -'05 Doug Tibbitts -'05 Jack Boepple - '06 Alan Dole - '06 Phil Lytle - '06 Charles 'Bear' Rogers - '06 Chris Lawson - '07 George Robinson, Jr.- '07 Chris Pivovar - '07 Merle F. Derpinghaus - '08 Harold "Harry" Hopple - '09 Bill Alexander - '09 Charles "Chick" Rader - '09 Jerry Kupper - '10 Anthony Bartley - '11 Robert Harrison - '11 Joe "Duke" Collins - '12 Charles E. Johnson - '13 Kenneth Poole - '13

#### **PLAYERS:**

Tom Averell - '81 \*Cliff Boyd - '81 \*Claude Watts - '81 Tom Bland - '82 Jim "King" Corcoran - '82 Otis Sistrunk - '82 Bob Tucker - '82

#### **PLAYERS:**

Bob Brown - '83

Tom Dempsey - '83 Don Jonas - '83 Ray Stanton - '83 Bob Brodhead - '84 Bob Bryant - '84 Joe Hightower - '84 Jeff Van Note - '84 Tony Baker - '85 Jack Dolbin - '85 Jim Toon - '85 Rhome Nixon - '85 \*Coy Bacon - '86 Dan Celoni - '86 \*Joe Gilliam - '86 Prince Hearns - '86 Jim Hollingsworth - '86 Bobby Jones - '86 Bob Kuechenberg - '86 Marv Pettaway - '86 Lou Piccone - '86 Fred Besana - '87 Rick Buffington - '87 Bob Milkie - '87 Tony Piekos - '87 Dan Rains - '87 \*Johnny Unitas - '87 Fred Zangaro - '87 Averill Harris - '88 Mike Herr - '88 Terry Judkins - '88 \*Kurt Kampendahl - '88 \*Vince Lombardi - '88 Joseph Lee Mason - '88 Bob Oates Jr. - '88 John Olenchalk - '88 John Smith - '88 Sam Wyche - '88 Garo Yepremian - '88 Greg Johnson - '89 Rod 'Lung' MacKinzie - '89 \*Rudy Nebel - '89 \*Woody Peoples - '89 Frank Yanik - '89 Lawrence C. Barrett - '90 Bob Blechen - '90 Charlie Bliss - '90
Ed Boswell - '90
Dob Drake - '90
Greg Hare - '90 Paul lacovazzi - '90 Nils Lindskoog - '90 Phil Tuckett - '90 Stan Allspach - '91 Larry DeVoe - '91 Tony D'Orazio - '91 Jim Jorden - '91 Jerry Kurz - 91 Wayne Stingley - '91 Willie Buie - '92 Chiefie Byrom - '92 Angelo Dabiero - '92 Dan DeRose - '92 Dennis Kelly - '92 Marc May - '92 Steve Moser - '92 Ray Seals - '92 Sammy Weir - '92 Chic Bist - '93 \*Ed Craft - '93 Dennis McElligott - '93 Orlando Goodhope - '93 Pete Athas - '94 John Land - '94

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**PLAYERS:** Kevin Richman -'94 Joe Thomas, Jr.-'94 Ron Wilson - '94 Timothy Bentley - '95 James Chapas - '95 Dennis Condon - '95 'Moose' Fahey - '95 Mike Mullin - '95 Tom Munsey - '95 Fred Rihbany - '95 John Tichy - '95 Kevin Armour - '96 Dave Burch - '96 Robert Butts - '96 Dave Clapham - '96 Ollie Cromwell - '96 Ron Hart - '96 Jeff Heuer - '96 Ron Holiday - '96 Wayne Liddick - '96 Ken Long - '96 Bobby Ruckstuhl - '96 Mike Wright - '96 Bob Borkowski - '97 Frank DeMarco - '97 Buddy Dixon - '97 Donald Donatelli - '97 Ricky Johnson - '97 Walter Nichols - '97 Gordon Osborne - '97 Cole Pentz - '97 Blaine Popp - '97 Mark Rodenhauser - '97 Michael Stewart - '97 \*Bob Webb - '97 Willis Whalen - '97 Joe Wolfe - '97 Neal Anderson - '98 Bill Bergman - '98 Michael Davidson - '98 Bob Dill - '98 Hugh Frost, Jr. - '98 Bruce Green - '98 Leo Henne - '98 Dan Knuese - '98 Billy LaFreniere - '98 Alvin Lollie - '98 \*Mark Manders - '98 Ken McGhie - '98 William Olsavsky - '98 Larry Orrico - '98 John Oertel - '98 \*Bill Roulette - '98 Charles Savas - '98 Jim Scully - '98 Otis Spurlock - '98 Eric Swann - '98 Richard Young - '98 Eric Avery - '99 Bruce Basile - '99 Larry Dorey - '99 Lou Kelson - '99 Alan Klumpp - '99 Chuck McElligott - '99 Al McElroy - '99 Armando Paolucci - '99 Dick Rogers - '99 Greg Peter Sabine - '99



#### **PLAYERS:**

Mike Steinhof - '99 Leroy Adans - '00 Tony Bertuca - '00 'Bill' Boschini - '00 Richard Carter - '00 Michael DeRose - '00 Leonard Duncan - '00 Leo 'Ducky' Elter - '00 Dale Gray - '00 Mark Lloyd - '00 Patrick McLaughlin - '00 Derrick Means - '00 Mark Reale - '00 Donny Rowden - '00 Charles A. Scales - '00 John Scardina - '00 Dave Schminke - '00 \*Kenneth Stone - '00 John 'Duke' Sumpter -'00 Paul Takach - '00 \*Clyde Thomas - '00 Robert Viney - '00 Vern Wireman - '00 Henry Barksdale - '01 Jack Bravyak - '01 \*Douglas Brozek - '01 \*Ray Carskie - '01 Michael Erbeck - '01 Michael Fallon - '01 Calvin Griggs - '01 Paul Hudson - '01 \*Joe Jancosko - '01 Myron Jefferson - '01 Don Johnson - '01 Craig Kimball - '01 Bob Kubiak - '01 Dick Leland - '01 Phil Micech - '01 Henry Schroder - '01 Joe Ťaibi - '01 \*Earl Twyman - '01 Tom Watkins - '01 Scott Boyd - '02 Lavert Carr - '02 \*'Cannonball' Cooper - '02 Phil Dewall - '02 \*Wilson Gulley, Sr. - '02 Larry Heindl - '02 Bob Kutzer - '02 Tony Lombardo - '02 Steve Oldt - '02 Carl Perkins - '02 Carl Polisena - '02 Dick Queeney - '02 George 'Jocko' Rice - '02 Tim Rucks - '02 Roman Strzala - '02 \*Danny Suhr - '02 \*Danny Suhr - '02 Jim Willig - '02 Doug Allen - '03 Mark Arcure - '03 Rick Brindisi - '03 Mike Britton - '03 Tom Bryan - '03 Jim Bulger - '03 Dave Enslow - '03 Dave Enslow - '03 Doug Fisher - '03 Dennis Galipo - '03

**PLAYERS:** Bill Joyce - '03 Bob Herman, Jr. - '03 \*Tom Kelly - '03 Leon Mavity - '03 Tom Robinson - '03 John Sago - '03 'Will Thomas - '03 Gary Vanderweele - '03 David Bonsell - '04 Jack Brumbaugh - '04 'Red' Celender - '04 John Companey - '04 Peter Dale - '04 Brian Erickson - '04 \*Frank Fanning - '04 Brian Forston - '04 Joe Hammond - '04 Joe Hoffman - '04 Tony Iliano - '04 Brendon Kelly - '04 'John Mamajek - '04 'Mack' McLaughlin - '04 'Big Mitch' Mitchell - '04 Mike Novickas - '04 Pat O'Brien - '04 McCartha Pleasants - '04 Michael Rice - '04 David Summy - '04 Ron Anton -'05 Dick Attreau -'05 Paul Carter -'05 Tim Colton -'05 Terry Converse -'05 Troy Faunce -'05 Terry Fernandez -'05 Kenneth Glenn -'05 Brad Haydu -'05 Mike Jennings -'05 Edward Jordan -'05 Al Klaeren -'05 Gary Kuykendall -'05 \*Norm Nissen -'05 Pat Nulty -'05 John Otterman -'05 Ray Powell -'05 Dick Promer -'05 Larry Rydbon -'05 Ed Schemski, Jr.-'05 Jerry Tadych -'05 Dan Von Holt -'05 Mike Willkomm -'05 Gary Williams -'05 Bob Yurachek -'05 Charles Allen - '06 Mike Bonner - '06 Hubie Bryant, Jr. - '06 Mike Chico' Cain - '06 Jamie Caleb - '06 Bob Cunningham - '06 Dan Dragan - '06 Dave Haven - '06 John Hyder - '06 Clarence Jones, Jr. - '06 Bob Kleffman - '06 Pete Quackenbush - '06 Alfonso Smith - '06 Craig Smith - '06 \*Steve Studer - '06 Frank Biachini - '07 William Colemen - '07 Fritz Fiorelli - '07 John Kennedy - '07 John 'Butch' Mohoney - '07 Jeff Mann - '07

**PLAYERS:** Bill Meyer - '07 Anthony Pecorella - '07 Ed Penn - '07 Steve Rannochio - '07 Michael Sampson -'07 Richard Sargent - '07 Bill Simon - '07 Scott Smith - 07 Gary Thomas - '07 Calvin Williams - '07 Richard Landis - '08 Jerry Schropp - '08 Pat Albanese - '08 Larry Schmidt - '08 Donald Busch, Sr - '08 Elwyn Rider - '08 Steven Fisher - '08 Dick Rosati - '08 Tom Kirlis - '08 David Brown - '08 Erle Garrett - '08 Thomas Manny - '08 John Duncan - '09 Frank "Buzz" Grady - '09 David "Skip" Hemandey Sr. - '09 Torre Ossmo - '09 Mal Yarke - '09 Andre Holland - '09 Fred Robinson - '09 Mike Blazitz - '09 Joe Milek - '09 Jeffrey Hudson - '09 Jay McGee - '09 Mike Brennan - '09 Justin "Tug" Binstead - '09 David Moulton - '09 Javid Moulton - '09 Jim Bejna - '09 Eugene "Chick" Cichowski - '09 Chris Roe - '10 Jack Perry - '10 Ben Ward - '10 \*Bob Beshk - '10 Ron Hansen - '10 Jesse Johnson - '10 Christian Fridrich - '10 Greg Fictum - '10 Charles Brown - '10 Stan Johnson - '10 Jim Paulus - '10 Bill Kammert - '10 Roosevelt Robinson - '10 Brent Bordenkircher - '10 Keith Ballard - '10 Dennis Morris - '10 Lynn Patrick - '11 Carl Neal - '11 Dale Berman - '11 Brett Wilson - '11 John Rogan - '11 Terry Gorton - '11 Mike Lewis - '11 Daris Steen - '11 Andy Tranchita - '11 Beau Jarrell - '11 Mickey Morris - '11 Dave Friese - '11 Christopher VanStone - '11 Leon Burch - '12 Al Countryman - '12 Clayton "CC" Cowling - '12 Dave Fleck - '12 Simeon Hendrickson - '12 Howard Hoy - '12 Gary "Biggie" Hughes - '12

**PLAYERS:** 

Tyronne Jones - '12 Don Kempf - '12 Patrick O'Toole - '12 Ralph Pina - '12 Lawrence Pollic - '12 Derek Stingly - '12 Erik Taylor - '12 Bob Cain - '13 George Capellas - '13 Steve "Buckey" Denton - '13 Darryl Dugger - '13 Mike Galeo - '13 Joseph Greco - '13 Mark Harding - '13 Brian Jansen - '13 Charles "Rambo" Johnson - '13 Wilbert Kennedy - '13 Matthew Magda - '13 Chuck Malloy - '13 John Martin - '13 Charles Marston - '13 Charles Pugh - '13 Gail Rozboril - '13 Dave Storalek - '13 Earnest Wash - '13 Byron Allen - '14 Steve Bailey - '14 John Burns - '14 Douglas Coleman - '14 Joe Hall, Sr. - '14 Pat Killorin - '14 Eugene Larsen - '14 Alex Lawson - '14 Darrell McCatty - '14 Mike Myers - '14 David Powell - '14 Jose Rodriguez - '14 Larry Salley - '14 Burt Skeel - '14 Bryan Smith - '14 Kenny Washington - '14

#### **EQUIP. MANAGERS** TRAINERS:

Frank Alfano - '90 Jerry Dodson - '91 \*Dick 'Pop' Sabol - '92 Bob Harrigan - '93 Kevin McCarthy - '96 Jim Bucciarelli - '00 Randall Dreessen - '02 David Van Eenenaam - '04 Sue Berg - '06 Richard DiSanti - '07 Glen Cooper - '08 James Kulton - '10

#### WOMEN'S FOOTBALL:

Rae Hodge - '02 Linda Jefferson - '02 Carole Duffy - '03 Catherine Masters - '06

#### OFFICIALS:

Dick Dolack - '87 \*Cal Lepore - '88 John Carrigan - '90 \*L.T. Bonner - '92 George Murphy - '93 Robert Blatchford - '94 John Grech - '96 Lou Hammond - '98 William Higgins - '99 Charles Smith - '00

#### **OFFICIALS:**

Paul Whiteside - '00 Jim Bard - '02 Jack Pittges - '02 Mike Cronin - '03 Jerry Grunska - '03 Craig Ochoa - '03 Ron Wotherspoon - '04 Bob Floyd -'05 \*Jim Righeimer -'05 Fritz Brownell - '06 Mike Aquino - '07 Jerry McGonigle - '08 James Kruschwitz - '09 Don Manchester - '09 Vic Perry - '10 Joe Porter - '10 Tom Rudzinski - '11 Keith Doleman - '14

#### MEDIA/HISTORIAN

Steve Brainerd - '87 \*Joe Cronin - '89 Bob Gill - '90 \*Brendon Woods - '91 Joseph A. Horrigan - '92 \*Anthony Sirrico - '93 Roy Kawagoe - '94 John Guy - '95 Scott Parker - '97 Don Ladas - '98 \*Bill Van Horne - '98 Fred Mitchell - '99 \*Tim Weigel - '99
\*Ed Peck - '00 Bill Callahan, Jr. - '02 Joe Hulsebus - '03 Mark Azzara - '04 Gary Suhr - '06 Mel Busler - '07 Frank Cooney - '07

#### INTERNATIONAL:

\*Randal Trudgen -'90 (Aus) Lance Cone - '93 (England) Terry Smith - '94 (Engĺand) Sam Ketchman -'96 (USA) Kurt Smeby - '97 (Ireland)

#### YOUTH FOOTBALL:

Jim Taft - '01 Joe Galat - '02 John Patella - '02 Walter Gilbert - '03 \*Gregg Fohrman -'05 Joe Natoli - '06

#### SUPER FAN:

William Buehler - '02

\* Gone - But Not Forgotten!



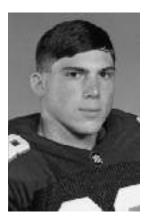
## AFA Hall of Fame Class of 2014

## Mike Myers – Player Category



- Started career in 1967 at Cardinal McCloskey High School.
- Hudson Valley Community College.
- Albany Metro Mallers of Empire Football League for 6 years; Lineman of the Year and All League.
- Coached Troy Uncle Sammies for 3 seasons.
- Left semipro football in 1982 to coach Pop Warner Football for over 20 years.
- "I am pleased to know that over the years I have sent more than a handful of athletes to successful sports careers in high school, college, semipro and the NFL (current Cleveland Browns)".

## David Powell - Player Category



- David played strong safety two years at Auburn University during the 1997 and 1998 seasons as a walk on.
- In 1997, Auburn won the SEC West and finished the season with 10 wins and 3 losses.
- In 2007, David joined the Chattanooga Steam, where he played both linebacker and fullback. The Steam finished the season with 8 wins, 4 losses and were the runners up in the Deep South Football League (DSFL). At the end of the season he was awarded the 7 D Award, was selected as a DSFL All-Star, and was selected by his teammates as the MVP.
- David is currently the Executive Vice President of Southeast Lineman Training Center, the largest power lineman training school in the country. He is a founder and partner in Super Chief, a marketing strategy agency and Elevated Gear, an apparel company.

## Jose Rodriguez – Player Category



- 2000 2013 Played Center for Central Coast Barnstormers for 14 years in 154 games.
- 2003 Took over as owner of the Central Coast Barnstormers thru 2013.
- 013 Became new owner of the Salinas Valley Spartans.
- Named All League 9 times and also played al special teams.

### Larry Salley – Player Category



- 1979 Frederick Falcons 1st Team All Interstate Football League, Falcon MVP, Frederick Touchdown Club Falcon of the Year.
- 1980 Chambersburg Cardinals IFL Champion, 1st Team All IFL, Pro Football Weekly National Co-Champs 16-0.
- 1981 1st Team All IFL, IFL Champion 13-1. Led team in sacks with 12. Played in first MPFA Championship Game established by Ron Real. Also chosen to play in inaugural Minor Professional Football Assn East-West All Star Game in New Orleans, Jan 1981 created by Ron Real.
- 1982 First Team All IFL, IFL Champions. Led team in sacks with 10; Pro Football Weekly National Champions. MPFA Championship winner with 14-0 record.
- 1985 Chambersburg Cardinals IFL Champions led team with 8 sacks and 2 interceptions.
- 1986 Frederick Falcons, Continental Interstate League Champions, All CIFL, led team in sacks with 9 and 2 interceptions.
- 1988 Frederick Falcons, CIFL Champs, All CIFL; led team with 8 sacks.
- 1989 & 1990 Frederick Falcons, CIFL Champions. Finished both years leading team in sacks along with 3 interceptions.

## Burt Skeel – Player Category



- 1969 thru 1971 started at right corner for three different teams; combined record was 6/18/2.
- 1972 made the Falcons team.
- 1973 1976 started at right corner back. 1977 1980 started at strong safety.
- 1981 started the first game at strong safety. In the second quarter was moved to outside line-backer and started there thru 1987 season. My last year was 1988.

"I was able to play at this level because: My parents taught me to listen and learn. I had excellent coaches teaching me. And the greatest teammates you couldn't let down."

### Bryan Smith – Player Category



- As Quarterback led team with total record of 73-31, 12,000 yards passing, over 250 TDs throws.
- Team MVP 6 times, All League 9 times.
- NAFL All American in 2003 and AFA All American in 2006 & 2009.
- Central Coast Barnstormers won two league and Northern California Championships in 2006 and 2007.
- In 2005, Central Coast Barnstormers were the only team to beat the National Champion Daly City Renegades 38-9 during a regular season game.
- Coach and Teacher at San Benito High School in Hollister, CA.



## AFA Hall of Fame Class of 2014

### Kenny Washington – Pioneer Category



- Kenneth S. "Kingfish" Washington was born in Los Angeles, California, in 1918. He graduated from the University of California Los Angeles in 1939. At UCLA he teamed with Jackie Robinson and Woody Strode.
- In 1939 led nation in total offense to become first UCLA player to be named an All-American. After he played in the College All-Star game in August 1940, George Halas asked him not to return to Los Angeles immediately because Halas wanted to sign him to a contract with the Chicago Bears.
- Kenney went on to become the biggest star and most popular player in two minor professional leagues on the West Coast, playing for the Hollywood Bears of the Pacific Coast Pro Football League in 1940, 1941, and 1945 and San Francisco Clippers of the American Football League in 1944.
- In 1956 Washington was inducted into the National Football Foundation Hall of Fame, and his number 13 jersey was the first to be retired at UCLA.
- Kenny was one of the first Black players to sign a contract with the current manifestation of the NFL via the Los Angeles Rams.

## **Event Itinerary:**

**Sports & Celebrity Memorabilia Auction** (see listings)

**Pro Football Hall of Fame Museum:** tours at your leisure. The Museum Store will stay open for the duration of our event. All guests will receive a coupon for 15% off any purchase over \$25.00 (not including tax).

## Annual AFA/HoF Legends - Meet & Greet the New Inductees "Alumni Huddle Cocktail Party

Thursday June 26, 2014 7:00 – 11:00 PM Theater

Game Day Hors d'oeuvre Buffet - Mini Beef Tenderloin on Crostini, Chicken Salad on Brioche, Garden Fresh Marinated Vegetables, Seasonal Fresh Fruit Tray, Assorted Domestic Cheese, Italian Antipasto Platter, Pickled Shrimp, Hummus with Pita Chips, Hot Potato Salad, Fresh Garden Salad, Mozzarella Bites, Grilled Seasonal Vegetables, Assorted Breads & Crackers, Coffee & Tea

Full Cash Bar - Liquor/Mixed Drinks - \$6.00 each, Wine - \$5.00 per glass, Domestic Beers - \$4.00 each, Soft Drinks & Bottled Water - \$2.00 each

Super Bowl Theater - Continuously running; View on own during Tour; Last show starts around 10:30

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#### 34th Annual AFA Semi Pro Hall of Fame Induction Dinner

Friday June 27, 2014 6:00 – 11:00 PM Theater

6:00 PM - Cocktails

7:00 PM - Playbook 3 Entrée Buffet: Summer Chicken, Lasagna, & \*Roasted Top Round of Beef\*, Fresh Garden Salad with Mixed Greens & Tortellini Salad, Green Beans with Mushrooms & California Vegetable Mix, Rice Pilaf & Roasted Redskin Potatoes, New York Style Cheesecake with Assorted Fruit Toppings, \*\*Cheesecake will be served\*\*, Assorted Rolls & Butter, Coffee & Tea

Full Cash Bar - Liquor/Mixed Drinks - \$6.00 each, Wine - \$5.00 per glass, Domestic Beers - \$4.00 each, Soft Drinks & Bottled Water - \$2.00 each

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## 2014 AFA Hall of Fame Induction Sponsors

On behalf of the American Football Assn I would like to extend to you a sincere thank you for your sponsorship donation supporting our Hall of Fame Inductions. Your generous contribution will help make this a successful event.

By putting your organization at the forefront of our cause, you have truly made a difference in our induction event. We look forward to working with you in future endeavors and hope that we can continue to count on your support.

Dr. Jordan Kopac Class of 2010 Sim Hendrickson Class of 2012 Ron "Butch" Hansen Class of 2010 Larry Schmidt Class of 2008 Roman Strzala Class of 2002

Pat Killorin Class of 2014

Craig Ochoa Class of 2003

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Mike "Chico" Cain Class of 2006

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In the Memory of Deceased Elmhurst Traveler Alumni and AFA Hall of Fame Members:

- Coach George Kulton Class of 1986
- Kenneth Stone Class of 2000
- Norman Nissen Class of 2005
- William Meyer Class of 2007
- Frank "Buzz" Grady Class of 2009
- David "Skip" Hernandey Class of 2009
- Robert Beshk Class of 2010

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"Unique Fundraisers Based on Sports"

Sports Memorabilia Auction Items	Starting	Estimated
	Bid	Value
Phil Mickelson autographed 8x10 photo framed & matted w/cert.	\$90.00	\$175.00
Sylvester Stallone autographed 8x10 photo framed & matted w/cert.	\$90.00	\$175.00
Robert De Niro autographed 8x10 photo framed & matted w/cert.	\$90.00	\$175.00
Taylor Swift autographed 8x10 photo framed & matted w/cert.	\$90.00	\$175.00
Johnny Depp autographed 8x10 photo framed & matted w/cert.	\$90.00	\$175.00
Muhammad Ali Litho framed & matted Signed by Artist (L.E. 623)	\$105.00	\$250.00
Mike Ditka autographed 16x20 photo in frame w/certificate	\$125.00	\$300.00
Patrick Kane autographed NHL Game Stanley Cup puck w/cert.	\$125.00	\$300.00
Jonathan Toews auto. NHL Game Stanley Cup puck w/cert.	\$125.00	\$300.00
Brett Favre auto. NFL Game Style mini helmet in case w/cert.	\$125.00	\$300.00
Adrian Peterson auto NFL Game Style mini helmet in case w/cert.	\$125.00	\$300.00
D. Rose & J. Noah auto. 8x10 photo framed & matted w/cert.	\$125.00	\$350.00
P. Kane & J. Toews auto. 8x10 photo framed & matted w/cert.	\$125.00	\$350.00
Aaron Rodgers auto. NFL Game Style football in case w/cert.	\$155.00	\$375.00
Tom Brady autographed NFL Game Style football in case w/cert.	\$155.00	\$375.00
Peyton Manning auto. NFL Game Style football in case w/cert.	\$155.00	\$375.00
Walter Payton auto. 8x10 photo custom framed & matted w/cert.	\$205.00	\$525.00
Daniel " Rudy " Ruettiger auto. Game Notre Dame jersey w/cert.	\$205.00	\$525.00
Frank Thomas autographed MLB Game bat in case w/cert.	\$205.00	\$525.00
Billy Williams autographed MLB Game bat in case w/cert.	\$205.00	\$525.00
Steve Young autographed NFL Game Style full helmet w/cert.	\$225.00	\$600.00
Tony Dorsett autographed NFL Game Style full helmet w/cert	\$225.00	\$600.00
Dan Marino autographed NFL Game jersey w/certificate	\$225.00	\$600.00
John Elway autographed NFL Game jersey w/certificate	\$225.00	\$600.00
Dick Butkus autographed NFL Game jersey w/certificate	\$225.00	\$600.00
Gale Sayers autographed NFL Game football in case w/cert.	\$225.00	\$600.00
Ernie Banks auto. Game Throwback 1969 Cubs jersey w/cert.	\$225.00	\$600.00
Bobby Hull autographed NHL Game jersey w/certificate	\$225.00	\$600.00
Tony Esposito autographed NHL Game jersey w/certificate	\$225.00	\$600.00
Patrick Kane, Jonathan Toews, Duncan Keith & Patrick Sharp autographed 11x14 photo custom framed & matted w/cert.	\$225.00	\$600.00
2013 Team Stanley Cup Champs 11x14 photo custom framed & double matted autographed by 22 players w/certificate	\$425.00	\$1,100.00



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## Appeal from the President

I appeal to all of you to stay connected and reach out to those who may have dropped from the "radar screen". Please contact us if you know the whereabouts of the following AFA Alumni who are now "Missing In Action".....

William F. Buehler	Joliet	IL	Class of '02
Steven D. Harshman	Vancouver	WA	Class of '96
Edward D. Boswell	Nashville	IN	Class of '90
Thomas J. Kohr	Racine	WI	Class of '97
Ken Austin	Kennewick	WA	Class of '00
Albert Mitchell	Pittsburgh	PA	Class of '04
Rex Stevenson	Longwood	FL	Class of '04
Mark Reale	Scituate	MA	Class of '00
Ned Novell	Orlando	FL	Class of '96
Frank Bianchini	Wolcott	CT	Class of '07
Calvin Griggs	Gresham	OR	Class of '01
Wayne Liddick	Westminster	MD	Class of '96

Sincerely,
Dave Burch
AFA President
Amerfoot@aol.com

Thank you for attending and helping us honor the "Class of 2014"

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