

**Greenwood High School Athletics**  
**Hall of Fame Guidelines**

**Article I**

The name will be called “Greenwood High School Athletic Hall of Fame”.

**Article II**

The “Greenwood High School Athletic Hall of Fame” is organized to maintain a rich heritage of athletics at Greenwood High School. It will serve as a means of recognizing and honoring male and female athletes, coaches, and individuals who have made significant contributions to the athletic programs of Greenwood High School.

**Article III**

The Hall of Fame will be governed by the Hall of Fame Selection Committee. This committee will include, but not limited to: Athletic Director, Assistant Athletic Director, Principal, a retired/former coach, alumni athlete, and Greenwood High School stakeholders. This committee shall not exceed more than seven (7) members. The seven member committee will be headed by a three (3) person chairmanship made up of the Principal, Athletic Director, and Assistant Athletic Director. The Athletic Director shall serve as chairperson for the committee. The Athletic Director may select another committee member to serve as chairperson in the event of his or her absence. This three (3) person committee chairmanship will select the remaining four (4) members of the committee by unanimous decision. Former athletes on the committee must be removed from high school ten years, former coaches removed two years.

A consensus must be reached in order for someone to be selected into the hall of fame. Committee members shall be held to the same criteria in *Article IX*. If a member resigns or is removed, the remaining committee will select a replacement member for the remainder of that year.

Any qualified person interested in serving on the Hall of Fame Selection Committee is encouraged to contact one of the three members of the chairmanship **before August 1**. Selected committee members will be notified **by September 1**.

**Article IV**  
**Criteria for selection to Hall of Fame**

Athletes or individuals can be nominated from three categories: athlete, coach/admin, or team.

1. *Athlete*: An athlete is defined as a student who participated in a Kentucky High School Athletic Association (KHSAA) or Kentucky Association of Pep Organization Sponsors (KAPOS) sanctioned sport. Any athlete nominated must be removed from the high school at least five (5) years.

Criteria for nominations of an athlete:

- Must have graduated from Greenwood High School
  - All-State team member
  - 1,000 point scorer
  - Participated in intercollegiate athletics
  - States' top player (Mr. or Miss.)
  - MVP of state tournament
  - Individual region or state title winner
  - A national or world champion
  - Any athlete who brought significant recognition to Greenwood High School.
2. *Coach/Administrator*: Any coach nominated shall be removed from coaching at Greenwood for at least five (5) years. They must also have ten (10) years of coaching experience.

Criteria for nominations of a coach/administrator:

- Recorded 200 victories
  - "Coach of the Year Winner" recognized by state/region coaches association.
  - Won a region title
  - Coached intercollegiate sports if Greenwood graduate.
  - Any coach/administrator who brought significant recognition to Greenwood High School.
3. *Team*: Any team nominated shall be removed from playing at Greenwood High School for five (5) years. For a team to be nominated, they must have participated in a KHSAA or KAPOS championship.

Criteria for nominations of a team:

- Won a region title
- Won a state title
- Any team that brought significant recognition to Greenwood High School.

### **Article V**

*Size of Induction Class* – The initial class shall consist of no more than one (1) inductee from each sport, along with one men’s team and one women’s team. After the initial class, induction classes shall not exceed more than four (4) inductees per year. Fewer may be allowed, but more than four (4) will not be allowed. At the discretion of the committee, if there is a need to add inductees, a majority vote (of the committee) will be required to extend the number beyond four (4).

### **Article VI**

*Procedures for Nominations* – Nominations must be given to the selection committee on the nomination form. Inductees may be nominated by current or former coaches, selection committee, administration, staff or alumnus, or Greenwood stakeholders. Nominations must be received between **August 1 and October 1** of that year. The committee will have up to *thirty days* (30) to make a decision. Any person nominated will stay on the ballot for up to three (3) years.

### **Article VII**

*Induction Ceremony* – The Hall of Fame Induction Ceremony shall take place each year at a home athletic event.

### **Article VIII**

*Ceremony* – Induction ceremony will include a plaque for the Greenwood Hall of Fame wall, a plaque given to the inductee, and a reception.

### **Article IX**

The selection committee may remove, by majority decision, any inductee from the Hall of Fame for any action which may disgrace or cause dishonor of the meaning behind the Hall of Fame according to *Article II*.