2007 HOF Individual Nominee Information

Nominee Listing
Harold Appel ’56, Football
Robert “Bobby” Bernstein ’85, Men’s Tennis
Ruth Porter Bernstein ’57, Women’s Basketball
Dick Beryl ’57, Football/Track
Robert Blau ’77, Lacrosse
Andre Bolaffi ’53, Men’s Soccer
Mark Bonaiuto ’77, Baseball
Ron Borges ’74, Lacrosse
William Boro ’70, Wrestling Coach
David Bouchard ’59, Football/Baseball
James A. Boyce, Jr. ’67, Baseball
Sam Harvey Brett ’74, Lacrosse
Kirk Butterfield ’83, Men’s Soccer/Baseball
William Carpenter ’80, Baseball
Paul Celluci ’85, Men’s Basketball
Bruce Clarkin ’69, Men’s Soccer
Jennifer Curran ’02, Women’s Basketball
Cynthia Der Hagodian ’72, Women’s Basketball
Jim Deschaine ’00, Baseball
Judy Stern Dorfman ’86, Softball
Kate Drummond ’97, Women’s Basketball
Mark Eisenstock ’72, Basketball/Baseball
Petra Farias ’86, Women’s Soccer
Nelson Figueroa ’96, Baseball
Ron Fisher ’82, Men’s Tennis
Donald Fishman ’72, Men’s Basketball
Don Florman ’64, Men’s X-Country/Track
John Fobia ’73, Men’s Soccer
Dwayne Follette ’84, Baseball
Misa Fossas ’85, Men’s X-Country
Janine Garfinkel ’82, Women’s Swimming
Terrence Gargiulo ’90, Men’s Fencing
Rodney Garland ’80, Men’s X-Country/Track
Silke Georgi ’86, Women’s Soccer
Geoff Getz ’99, Men’s X-Country/Track
Michael Goldfarb ’99, Men’s Swimming
Tricia Gomes ’97, Softball
Thomas Haggerty ’69, Men’s Basketball
Steve Hamburg ’80, Men’s Soccer/Lacrosse
Brenda Schafer Harrison ’77, Women’s Tennis
Barry Harsip ’73, Men’s Soccer
Joe Hayes ’83, Men’s Soccer
Hannah Johnson ’02, Women’s Swimming
David Kamei ’83, Men’s Swimming
Steve Karzman ’69, Men’s Basketball
Robert Lerman ’65, Wrestling
Michael Lichtenstein ’79, Men’s Soccer
Sadie Lindsay ’56, Women’s Basketball
Ginny Lypscon ’82, Women’s Track
Fred Marden ’65, Baseball
Mark Matthews ’72, Men’s Basketball
Mike Mayer ’94, Men’s Fencing
Gary McGrath ’71, Men’s Soccer
Tim Morehouse ’01, Men’s Fencing
Daniel Miller ’82, Men’s Soccer
John Murphy ’58, Football
Ian Murray ’89, Men’s Tennis
Robert Nayer ’70, Men’s Basketball
Larry Nemer ’76, Men’s Tennis
Mike Novaria ’91, Men’s Soccer
George Patriarca ’83, Men’s X-Country
Allan Pressel ’84, Men’s Swimming
Erich Reed ’90, Men’s Track
Steve Reid ’84, Baseball
Harvey Ross ’67, Men’s Track
Larry Sajdenberg ’56, Men’s Soccer/Baseball
Lindsey Sensenbrenner ’02, Women’s Basketball
Michael Shaffer ’66, Lacrosse
Elliot Schwartz ’82, Lacrosse
Harold Small ’75, Men’s Track
Donald Soffer ’54, Football
Amy Sullivan ’93, Women’s Basketball/Softball
Arnold Taub ’58, Football
James Thomas ’78, Men’s Track
Steve Tradd ’75, Lacrosse
Dee Tyson ’??, Football
Myron Uhlberg ’55, Football
David Walker ’60, Football/Basketball/Baseball
Ronald Weinger ’65, Wrestling
Harold Warren Zinn ’61, Golf/Basketball

TEAMS
- 1957-58 Men’s Basketball
- 1979 Baseball
- 1983 Men’s Cross Country
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**Sports/ Honors/ Awards**
- Football: Lettered 3 years as guard and as linebacker on the football team
- Started at both positions during junior and senior years
- Recipient of following awards during his senior year:
  - Lou Smith Trophy – Outstanding Lineman of the Year
  - Boston Sports Lodge – Outstanding Senior
  - Little All-New England – Third Team
  - Associated Press Little All-American – Honorable Mention

**Comments**
Brandeis University Involvement
- Worked as a fund-raiser for the University upon graduation and was a staff assistant to Dr. Sacher and Benny Freidman
- Elevated to National Alumni Fund Raising Chairman (1960’s)
- President’s Counselor
- Currently a Fellow of the University

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**ATHLETIC ACHIEVEMENTS:**
  - Absolutely one of the best, innovative and toughest

**OTHER ACCOMPLISHMENTS:**
  - worked as a Brandeis rep during his post Brandeis years

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**Sports/ Honors/ Awards**
- Men’s Tennis: New England Champion… Considered the best player in men’s tennis history before NoelOccomy

**Comments**

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**Sports/ Honors/ Awards**
- Basketball & Cheerleading

**Comments**
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**Sports/ Honors/ Awards**
Football & Track

**Comments**
For his play as a football and track star from 1952-56. for his contribution to Brandeis from 1957 to present day.

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**Sports/ Honors/ Awards**
Lacrosse, 74-77, All New England Goalie, Captain, Star Attackman

**Comments**
This scholastically well rounded and successful athlete excelled on the field as well, both defensively & on offense. He achieved the distinction of obtaining shutouts as goalie and high scorer while playing attack.

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<td>Janice Lerner Bolaffi (spouse)</td>
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**Sports/ Honors/ Awards**
Soccer, 50-53, Captain All years

**Comments**
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**Sports/ Honors/ Awards**
Baseball

**ATHLETIC ACHIEVEMENTS:**
A.1976 - Greater Boston League Collegiate All-Star
B.Shortstop on Undefeated Greater Boston League Collegiate Champions 1976
C.Voted and chosen Brandeis Most Outstanding Player Award 1976
D.Chosen and voted Captain of World Series Finalist Team 1977
E.Led Brandeis University to #2 Rank Division III College Baseball Team in 1977

**OTHER ACCOMPLISHMENTS:**
Community Leader in the North Shore of Boston for years after graduation in business, baseball, and many other activities.

**OTHER COMMENTS:**
Mark was an outstanding leader, shortstop, and team player in the years preceding and going for the National Championship. His grace at fielding and making the play were unsurpassed as we conquered many objectives, heretofore never heard of, or witnessed, in the Greater Boston Collegiate Area.

Nominee Name       Year       Nominated By
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Borges, Ron        74          Robert T. Sylvan (team manager)

Sports/ Honors/ Awards
Lacrosse, 71-74, Captain, All League Defenseman

Comments
This exceptional student and athlete exemplified true competitive spirit playing in every game despite a major internal derangement of his knees. He was an inspiration to his teammates.

Nominee Name       Year       Nominated By
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Boro, William      70          Ted Reese (player)

Sports/ Honors/ Awards
Wrestling Coach 1965-68;

Comments
Best coach ever. Enthusiastic, skilled humane, interested in his athletes, dedicated, knowledgeable

Nominee Name       Year       Nominated By
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Bouchard, David    59          Deb Bouchard (daughter)

Sports/ Honors/ Awards
1959 Best Athlete of New England Award
Played Football and Baseball

Comments

Nominee Name       Year       Nominated By
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Boyce, James A     67          Jeff Civins (classmate)

Sports/ Honors/ Awards
Baseball

ATHLETIC ACHIEVEMENTS:
Before our baseball team became known for its prowess, Jim was a Greater Boston League all-star, playing every position but catcher. I believe he also captained the team.

**OTHER ACCOMPLISHMENTS:**

Jim, I believe, is tax manager for the international company, BOC in Montvale, NJ.

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**Nominee Name** | **Year** | **Nominated By**
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**Brett, Sam Harvey** | 74 | Alan M. Rosenberg (friend)

**Sports/ Honors/ Awards**
Lacrosse

**Comments**

Sam was a Colonial division All American and as a defenseman, his speed was the strongest part of his game. Outrunning the opposition to either end of the field. He was also well liked by his teammates.

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**Nominee Name** | **Year** | **Nominated By**
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**Butterfield, Kirk** | 83 | George Banks (teammate)

**Sports/ Honors/ Awards**
Soccer & Baseball

**Comments**

He’s a stud. A combination of his mild manner and superior mental and athletic ability alone should secure him a spot in the HOF

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**Nominee Name** | **Year** | **Nominated By**
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**Carpenter, William** | 81 | Tom O’Connell (coach)

**Sports/ Honors/ Awards**
Baseball

**ATHLETIC ACHIEVEMENTS:**

B.MVP Greater Boston League 1981 Position SS
C.All New England Div.III NCAA Team
D.Chosen in New England College All-Star Game at Fenway
E. Greater Boston League All-Star Selection

**OTHER ACCOMPLISHMENTS:**

1. Drafted and Signed by the Boston Red Sox 1981
2. Brandeis University Most Outstanding Player Award 1981 SS

**OTHER COMMENTS:**

William Carpenter was chosen as the most prolific player in the New England Area for 1981. After Pro Ball, became a leader in the Insurance Business within the Danielson and Putnam, Connecticut Area, where he resides today.

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**Nominee Name** | **Year** | **Nominated By**
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**Celluci, Paul** | 85 | Robert Patter (co-captain)
Sports/ Honors/ Awards
Men's Basketball  Led team in scoring three years.  Graduated as one of top-6 all-time scorers. Captain-1984-1985.

Comments

Nominee Name  Year  Nominated By
Clarkin, Bruce  69  Jon Kurtis (teammate)

Sports/ Honors/ Awards
Lettered 4 years in soccer
Junior and Senior Year Captain
Senior Season (1968) All-American

Comments
Additional materials available upon request

Nominee Name  Year  Nominated By
Curran, Jennifer  02  Carol Simon (coach)
SPORTS:
Women's Basketball
ATHLETIC ACHIEVEMENTS:
  * 3X UAA All Association (2X 2nd team; 1X honorable mention)
  * 1068 career points
  * Team Co-Captain - Jr & Sr years (2001 & 2002)
  * Max Silber Award (2002)
  * Team MVP (2002)
  * NEWBA Sr All Star

Nominee Name  Year  Nominated By
Der Hagodian, Cynthia  72  Karen Louie (teammate)
Sports/ Honors/ Awards
Basketball, 68-72, Captain - 72, MVP.

Comments
She was a fine athlete, but more importantly a leader both on and off the court. She has become a teacher and baseball coach. She has been battling cancer, but has continued to teach and inspire.

Nominee Name  Year  Nominated By
Deschaine, Jim  00  Pete Varney (coach)
Sports/ Honors/ Awards
Baseball, 1998-00.. All-American, New England Player of the year in 1999… School record holder in seven single season and one career category (home runs)... drafted in 10th round by Chicago Cubs after junior season… currently in second season with AA Reading in Phillies organization

Comments
best player i have had to date ( Coach Varney)

Nominee Name  Year  Nominated By
Disarcina, Gino  63  Richard Ripps (friend)

Sports/ Honors/ Awards
Freshman Basketball, Flag Football, Possibly Baseball

Comments
Additional materials available upon request

Nominee Name  Year  Nominated By
Dorfman, Judy Stern  86  Lial Liebman Stern (Mom)

Sports/ Honors/ Awards
Softball, 83-86, MVP - 84, Captain - 86; FOBA Special Recognition Award, 1986; Sepinuck Sportsmanship Award.

Comments
Julie pitched for Brandeis for 4 years. Sometimes pitching doubleheaders. She led the team to the playoffs and in her junior year into the championship. In addition to her ability, she had the spirit and the leadership which I think makes a HOF member.

Nominee Name  Year  Nominated By
Drummond, Kate  97  Carol Simon (Coach)

Sports/ Honors/ Awards
Women’s Basketball – 3 time All UAA – All-NEW 8 in last year of participation – 3 time team MVP – Co-captain as a senior – 929 career point, 563 career rebounds

Comments
Kate was one of the most dominating centers during her time. She would easily have been a 1,000-point scorer had she not been injured during her career.

Nominee Name  Year  Nominated By
Eisenstock, Mark  72  Debbi Eisenstock (Spouse)

Sports:
Basketball, Baseball & Club Football
ATHLETIC ACHIEVEMENTS:
Marc has been long overlooked. He played every inning of every Varsity Baseball game from 1968 through graduation in 1972. Batted 3rd or 4th for all 4 years, hit over .300
and also hit some homers. He came to Brandeis as a catcher, but played all positions during the 4 years. As far as I know, he is the only Brandeis player to have played all 9 positions in baseball (yes, he pitched a complete game at St. Anselms) and also guard, forward and center in basketball. Captain of 1972 Baseball team. MVP of 1971 Baseball team. Most Outstanding Outfielder of 1972 Baseball team. Starting guard freshman year in basketball and then 6th or 7th man for the next 3 years. Always on the floor at the end of games due to outstanding foul shooting ability. Starting quarterback of football team in 1972 when Club Football returned to Brandeis. I am not totally sure of this, but I think that all of the teams he played on had records above .500.

After graduation, he served actively in FOBA for about 20 years before becoming President of FOBA for a 2-year Term. He was instrumental in the formation of the Brandeis Hall of Fame along with Jeff Cohen, Morry Stein, Bill Roman and Ruth Porter. (All of the people who dreamt up and formed the Hall are have already been inducted.)

OTHER ACCOMPLISHMENTS:

He has also served as a Sports Agent (to Rich Gedman among others), been a Head Basketball Coach at 2 colleges (Mt. Wachusett CC and Quinsigamond CC) and been an professional Assistant Coach to Dave Cowens for the Bay State Bombardiers of the original CBA when they were playing in Worcester, MA. While he was Gedman's agent, he was informed by former Red Sox Hall of Famer and scout Frank Malzone, that he had scouted Marc while he was at Brandeis. He wasn't signed because he was too slow a foot according to Malzone.

OTHER COMMENTS:

Marc would admit he was not the best athlete on any of the teams he played on. But he was certainly well above average and also has contributed as much as anyone has to Brandeis athletics.

**Nominee Name** | **Year** | **Nominated By**
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Farias, Petra | 86 | Sheryl L. Bregman (teammate)

**Sports/ Honors/ Awards**

Soccer, Captain.

**Comments**

Petra was not only an extremely talented athlete, she was a great team player and a wonderful coach.

**Nominee Name** | **Year** | **Nominated By**
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Figueroa, Nelson | 96 | Pete Varney (coach), Steve Harrington (teammate)

**Sports/ Honors/ Awards**

Baseball – three year member of team – helped team lead nation in ERA as a sophomore – Played on Cape Cod league championship team in 1995 (Wareham Gatemen)- Led team to 2 NCAA appearances – Drafted by New York Mets, has spent parts of four (five?) seasons in Major League Baseball (ARI, PHI, MIL, PIT)

**Comments**

(Varney) Nelson is a great ambassador for Brandeis University and Brandeis baseball.

(Harrington) Nelson is a great candidate based on his performance at Brandeis and in the major leagues.
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**Sports/ Honors/ Awards**
- Men's Tennis

**ATHLETIC ACHIEVEMENTS:**
He was the top player on the team for all four years.
Competed against two players who became top 50 tennis professionals, Robert Green from BU and Bud Schultz from Bates. Defeated Bud Schultz in singles his sophomore year, when Schultz was a Junior and the runner up National Champion, Division 3.

**OTHER ACCOMPLISHMENTS:**
- Ron is an MD/PhD and a Professor in the Division of Neuroscience at Baylor College of Medicine

**OTHER COMMENTS:**
In addition to his wonderful playing record at Brandeis, Ron was a fine example of a student athlete, and a great teammate. Coach Tom Foley would be the best source for more details.

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**Sports/ Honors/ Awards**
- Basketball

**Comments**
Purest jump shot you ever saw

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**Sports/ Honors/ Awards**
- Cross Country, Track, Captain

**Comments**
Best cross country runner in his years at Brandeis

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**Sports/ Honors/ Awards**
- Soccer, 70 - 73; Captain, 3 time All New England

**Comments**
Rejuvenated soccer at Brandeis. Deserves some credit for 1976 National Championship
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<td>Kevin O'Brien (coach), Pete Varney (coach)</td>
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<td>Fencing</td>
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| Garland, Rodney   | 80   | Norm Levine (coach)                               | XC & Track; 6 time All American, Two time NE Champion, National Champion 1500m
Nominee Name: Georgi, Silke  
Year: 86  
Nominated By: Denise Dallamora (coach)

Sports/ Honors/ Awards:
Women’s Soccer – Team captain as a senior – All-New England selection – Team’s top scorer in 1985 NCAA season

Comments:
Silke was not only an extremely talented athlete, she was a great team player and a wonderful coach.

Nominee Name: Geoff Getz  
Year: 99  
Nominated By: Carey Greene ’98 (teammate)

Sports/ Honors/ Awards:
Indoor and Outdoor Track, Cross Country

ATHLETIC ACHIEVEMENTS:
- Two time Division III national indoor track champ in the 800 meters (1997 and 1999).
- Second at Division III national indoor track meet in the 800 meters (1998).
- Second at Division III outdoor track meet in the 800 meters (1999).

OTHER ACCOMPLISHMENTS:
Geoff exhibited all the qualities Brandeis strives for in its student-athletes. He was driven both on and off the track. A great student and a great athlete.

Nominee Name: Goldfarb, Michael  
Year: 99  
Nominated By: Jim Zotz (coach)

Sports/ Honors/ Awards:
Swimming and Diving, two-time captain. Best diver in school history.

Undefeated for career in dual meets. Nine-time UAA medalist, including Diver of the Year as a senior.

Holds two UAA meet records and eight different Brandeis diving records. Three-time NCAA qualifier, one First-team All-America honor, two Honorable mentions. Member of Irish National team in 1999, just missing making Olympic team.

Comments:
The most impressive accomplishment, however, may be the fact that mike was a gymnast in High School and had no prior diving experience!

Nominee Name: Gomes, Tricia  
Year: 97  
Nominated By: Mary Sullivan (coach)

Sports/ Honors/ Awards:
Softball – Two-time captain – Three-time First Team All-UAA – Finished fifth in the nation in batting average twice in her career (95, 97) – In 1995, she was in the top 20 in slugging, runs scored and toughest to strike out – Also earned All-ECAC and NEISCA First-Team honors in 1995 – First or second in five career statistics, including hits, RBI, total bases and runs scored

Comments:
Tricia was on of the top two players in school history, along with Melissa Jones. She was a true team leader on and off
the field.

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**Comments**
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**Sports/ Honors/ Awards**

Basketball

**Comments**
First true big man at Brandeis. Tom worked harder than anyone to learn, improve & excel.

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**Sports/ Honors/ Awards**

Lacrosse: 4 years, co-captain, NE senior all star; Soccer, 4 years

**Comments**
Outstanding Brandeis athlete, participating on 8 teams.

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**Sports/ Honors/ Awards**

Women's Tennis, 4 year player, New England Champion, GBL Champion

**Comments**
Only lost 5 - 6 matches in 4 years against all Divisions. Played #1. Was ranked #2 in NE.

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Sports/ Honors/ Awards
Soccer: All New England & GBL All Star (71 & 72), two time Captain;

Comments
Helped keep soccer program going before Coach Coven

Nominee Name | Year | Nominated By
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Harsip, Barry | 73 | Fred Roach (classmate)

Sports/ Honors/ Awards
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Comments
Dedication to sport. Excellence

Nominee Name | Year | Nominated By
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Hayes, Joe | 83 | Lou DiFronzo (teammate)

Sports/ Honors/ Awards
Soccer, Captain, 3rd leading scorer in Brandeis History at graduation

Comments
Heart and Soul of 1983 team

Nominee Name | Year | Nominated By
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Johnson, Hannah | 02 | Jim Zotz (coach)

Sports/ Honors/ Awards
Swimming and Diving: Co-Captain 2001-2002
Best female diver in Brandeis history
3x NCAA All-American (2002- 1 Meter and 3 Meter Board; 2001- 3 Meter Board)
Two-time All-UAA, five-time top four finisher at UAA meet
Holds six school records

Comments
3.663 GPA, double major in History and German, minor in Art History
High Honors in History and High Honors in German, (received after senior thesis)
Dean's list (5 semesters)

Nominee Name | Year | Nominated By
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Kamei, David | 83 | Jim Zotz (coach)

Sports/ Honors/ Awards
Swimming and Diving: Held nine individual school records in three strokes plus IM, one relay, that lasted between four and 19 years (100 freestyle record lasted until 2002)
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<td>Elliott Cohen (teammate)</td>
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**Sports/ Honors/ Awards**
- Men's Basketball

**ATHLETIC ACHIEVEMENTS:**
Steve was the varsity starting point guard for each of his 4 years at Brandeis. I believe he led the team in scoring and/or assists in each of those 4 years. Under Steve's leadership the team went from 0 wins in the year prior to Steve's arrival to a competitive team with about a .500 record by his graduation.

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**SPORTS/HONORS/AWARDS**
- Men's Basketball

**ATHLETIC ACHIEVEMENTS:**
Both Ron Weingert and Bob Lerman wrestled in the light weight classes for several years at Brandeis. I think around 123 and 130. They were captains or co-captains and lost very very few matches during their careers. The rest of the team was rather weak but they rarely lost including teams from BC and BU.

**OTHER ACCOMPLISHMENTS:**
Bob graduated Brandeis #1 in his class and was the Valedictorian at commencement, in Economics. Since he received a PHD in Economics, has written extensively and is an Economics Professor at George Washington in Washington DC. He is considered one of the leading think-tank economists in the USA. Bob lives outside of Washington DC.

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<td>Jerry Silverfine (teammate)</td>
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**Sports/ Honors/ Awards**
- Soccer, All GBL, All New England

**Comments**
Leading goal scorer on National Championship team. Fine student athlete

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**Sports/ Honors/ Awards**
- Basketball

**Comments**
Outstanding aggressive guard. 1st team, undefeated

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**Sports/ Honors/ Awards**
- All American in Pentathlon & Heptathlon
Marden, Fred 65 Richard Marden (brother), Ed Gastonguay (contemporary)

Sports/ Honors/ Awards
Baseball, All New England, Holds strikeout record
1964 First, Brandeis University, Greater Boston Baseball Allstar and Most valuable Player, first Left handed pitcher
Drafted by Boston Red Sox first round, 1964 played in Red Sox organization for a number of years before shoulder
problems closed out that career.
Pitched in first televised collegiate baseball game in New England in 1964 at Brandeis Struck out 21 batters to Win a
Sports Illustrated Bowl and appeared in Sports Illustrated Magazine, 21 Strike outs was the record for many years in
collegiate baseball.
Fred pitched for four straight years for Brandeis University 1961-1964 Foxy Flumere and John Hughes were strong
supporters and his coaches and helped Fred along.

OTHER ACCOMPLISHMENTS:
Retired from the Bank of Boston while serving in the commercial loans sector as a VP.
Presently selling Real estate through out the area as a side light in retirement.
Has raised four children all successful college graduates from well respected colleges.
Has done charity work for the American Cancer Society and Multiple sclerosis and the American Heart Association and
many other charitable organizations.
Has coached and organized multiple sports teams for men and women over the years Baseball, Hockey, etc.
Fred is live thespian and has been in many plays and commercials in the area over the years.

OTHER COMMENTS:
(Richard Marden) Fred Marden Bled Brandeis Baseball for four years back when the school
had to struggle to have a team he pitched with a sore arm at times with the hope the team
would eventually reach some level of respectability he could have signed a baseball
contract with the major leagues out of high school and been a bonus baby instead of
attending college for he came from a not so well to do family but he wanted the education
and Brandeis gave him that chance that he grabbed and to this day he cherishes the
education and he has passed this along to his children and others.

(Ed Gastonguay) I watched Fred pitch for three years. He carried a weak baseball team. He
brought early recognition to Brandeis Baseball. I most enthusiastically recommend that he
be voted into the Hall.

Matthews, Mark 72 Charles Singer (friend)

Sports/ Honors/ Awards
Basketball

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**Sports/ Honors/ Awards**
Fencing – NCAA All-American in 1993 – Two time UAA champion in sabre (?)

**Comments**
Also a great student in economics. Beat and finished higher than many NCAA Division I and other scholarship fencers in 1993. Strong supporter of Fencing Alumni

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<td>Barry Harsip (teammate)</td>
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**Sports/ Honors/ Awards**
Soccer, 2 years All League, All New England

**Comments**
No better goalkeeper during the 2 years.

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<td>Nelle Miller (spouse)</td>
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**Sports/ Honors/ Awards**
Soccer…Two-time captain as junior and senior… Team leader on third-place NCAA team… GBL All-Star… Played on 80 and 81 Maccabiah teams in Venezuela and Israel… Trained for nine months with West Ham United in England.

**Comments**
Additional materials available upon request

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**Sports/ Honors/ Awards**
Men's Fencing

**Comments**
First Brandeis alumnus in school history to qualify for the Olympics… Competed as an alternate in the saber in Athens in 2004

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**Sports/ Honors/ Awards**
Football

**Comments**
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**Sports/ Honors/ Awards**

Men's Tennis (4 years); 2 time All American (doubles), UAA Champion, Ranked as high as #2 nationally

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<td>Bruce Singal (teammate)</td>
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**ATHLETIC ACHIEVEMENTS:**

Men's basketball 4 year starter. Outstanding all around player. Excellent outside shooter and post-up player with good penetration moves to basket. Excellent rebounder. Despite great scoring ability, very unselfish, great team player, excellent passer. Don't have stats available, but undoubtedly one of the best all around players in Brandeis history and a consummate teammate. Helped lead the Brandeis team from the depths of a 1 or 2 win year (I believe) the year before he arrived, and 4 wins freshman year to above .500 seasons 3 years in a row and the championship of the Loyola Invitational Tournament in Montreal. He was the leader of the revival of Brandeis basketball under K.C. Jones.

**OTHER ACCOMPLISHMENTS:**

Outstanding person, great decency and integrity, love of outdoors led him to move west. Currently Budget Director, or some such financial administrator, at Lewis & Clark College in Oregon.

**Comments**

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<td>Ken Levin (friend)</td>
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**Sports/ Honors/ Awards**

Men's Tennis (4 years)

**Comments**

exhibited athletic and academic excellence throughout his career. His integrity, sportsmanship and character both on and off the court reflect the highest ideals of the scholar athlete.

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<td>Hiram Jamielix (teammate)</td>
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**Sports/ Honors/ Awards**  
Soccer, Captain, All New England (3 times), All UAA (3 times), UAA player of the year. 3rd all time leading scorer

**Comments**  
Athletic accomplishments and inspirational attitude

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**Comments**  
Excellent role model; statistically qualified

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Set four school diving records, still holds 1 Meter Required (5) record |

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Baseball, Career Home Run Leader, All New England

**Comments**
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**Comments**
Still referee’s games at age 52. Great team leader. Highly skilled goalie.

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SPORTS:
Women's Basketball

ATHLETIC ACHIEVEMENTS:
* 3X UAA All Association (1x 2nd team; 2X honorable mention)
* 1088 Career Points
* Team Co-Captain (2002)
* McCully Award (2002)
* UAA Player of the Week (3X in career)
* NEWBA Sr All Star

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<td>Ernie Helmrich</td>
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Sports/ Honors/ Awards
Track, 3 Time All American, Anchor Leg of All New England Mile relay & IC4A champs

Comments

Nominee Name | Year | Nominated By         |
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Sullivan, Amy | 93   | Ruth Porter Bernstein '57 (HS Guidance Councilor) |

Sports/ Honors/ Awards
Women's Basketball and Softball

ATHLETIC ACHIEVEMENTS:
her basketball records have held up over the years as they are listed in the current basketball brochure. I am sure she played other sports and you would have her accomplishments.

OTHER ACCOMPLISHMENTS:

OTHER COMMENTS:
I was her high school guidance counselor and watched her excellent contributions both in high school and at Brandeis

Comments
Additional materials available upon request
Taub, Arnold 58 Eugene Speck (teammate), Arthur Brunwasser (friend and classmate)

Sports/ Honors/ Awards
Football, All East

Comments
Symbol of hard work, dedication, sportsmanship, success in business. Outstanding guard for football team with best record Brandeis ever had.

ATHLETIC ACHIEVEMENTS:
Arnie was an All-State guard in New Jersey after starting all 4 years in High School. He lettered in 3 sports, football, basketball and baseball. He started the first varsity game his freshman year at Brandeis. He was an exceptional player.

He also was catcher on the baseball team.

OTHER ACCOMPLISHMENTS:
MBA at the University of Chicago.

Thomas, James 78 Norm Levine (coach)

Sports/ Honors/ Awards
Track, All American & New England Champ in 400 M

Comments

Tradd, Steve 75 Robert Sylvan (manager)

Sports/ Honors/ Awards
Lacrosse, Captain

Comments
Inspirational leader and statistically impressive athlete

Tyson, Dee

Sports/ Honors/ Awards
Football, defensive back

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**Sports/ Honors/ Awards**

Football

**Comments**

Myron was a defensive back from 1951-54. He was a starter all four years. Myron's reputation was such that the opposition would not pass to his side of the field. Benny Friedman, recognizing his talents, moved him to safety in the middle of the field. Our opponents had to determine what defense we were in before passing. Myron was often used as a running back but his strength was defense.

**Additional Information**

Myron has become famous in recent years for his literary accomplishments in writing children's books. He was recently recognized by the U.S. Library of Congress for his work in children's literature.

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**Sports/ Honors/ Awards**

Football/Basketball/Baseball

**Comments**

He was the last of a special breed of student-athlete at Brandeis. He was a valuable contributor and three-sport star. In fact, he was a coach's dream. For many years after graduation, Davie was a well-recognized football official at the college level, the only Brandeis grad to have this distinction.

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**Sports/ Honors/ Awards**

Football/Basketball/Baseball

**ATHLETIC ACHIEVEMENTS:**

Both Ron Weinger and Bob Lerman wrestled in the light weight classes for several years at Brandeis. I think around 123 and 130. They were captains or co-captains and lost very very few matches during their careers. The rest of the team was rather weak but they rarely lost including teams from BC and BU.

**OTHER ACCOMPLISHMENTS:**

Ron has been a highly recognized MD of Hemotology/Oncology on the Boston North Shore as part of the Partners (Harvard) group practicing The Cancer Center, for some 30 years. Prior to that he was an Officer in the U.S. Army at several military posts in Texas: Fort Sam Houston, Fort Bliss, etc. Ron lives in Newton, Mass.
ATHLETIC ACHIEVEMENTS:

I respectfully submit the name of the late Harold ("Hal") Zinn, Class of 1961, as a nominee for the Brandeis Hall of Fame. While Hal was an outstanding freshman and varsity basketball player at Brandeis, he clearly deserves the honor of becoming a member of the Brandeis Sports Hall of Fame based upon his unique and singular contribution as the initiator, founder, and inspiration for the very first mens golf teams at Brandeis circa 1959-1961.

When Hal first came to Brandeis, there was no golf team, there was no golf coach, there was no golf program. Through his hard work, drive, and with the enthusiastic support of the AD Benny Friedman (also a golfer), Brandeis was able to initiate Brandeis' very first golf team season in the Spring of 1959.

To quote a member of that golf team. Stuart Potter, esq.

"He (Hal) was the one who with unbounded energy, enthusiasm, and charm, recruited the players to play on the team, reminded them of practice sessions and matches, and, in general, imbued them with the commitment to drop everything and come out and play for the team and the school."

This nomination is a difficult one to document in terms of facts and figures, team and individual records, photos and newspaper accounts. Some 46 years have past since Hal Zinn graduated, and he passed away, some 20 years ago. So we must rely more on the memories of his family and his teammates.

The team competed, initially, with just an informal golf coach, and limited access to golf facilities. The team and individual records are long lost (unless the athletic dept has the archives), but suffice it to say, Hal Zinn was one of the finest collegiate golfers in New England and the Northeast. While the team undoubtedly had a losing record, Hal did not. In fact, according to Gary Grossman '62

"Hal was No. 1........and he beat the #1 guy at BC which enabled us to beat them 4-3 and therefore achieve the distinction of being the only Brandeis team to beat BC during my four years at Brandeis."

Martin Zelnik '61

OTHER ACCOMPLISHMENTS:

Hal Zinn was an outstanding junior and amateur golfer, and under different circumstances, might have played professionally. He did, in fact, win many amateur tournaments in the NYC Metropolitan Area, and was the youngest club champion at the Glen Oaks Golf Club. More significantly, Hal represented the USA in the 1965 and 1966 Maccabiah Games.

Hal Zinn went on to law school, became and attorney, and a distinguished career until his untimely dept in the mid 1970's.
TEAMS

Nominee Name       Year       Nominated By
1957-58 Men's Basketball  Robert Osterberg ‘58 (team captain)

ATHLETIC ACHIEVEMENTS:
The first team to be receive the E.C.A.C. cup, awarded to
The "best small college team in the East." Coach Stein called it,"... my best squad in seven years," adding,".. our
bench is the difference." (Boston Globe) An 18-4 record.
Selected for the NCAA College Division tourney. Led by
Brandeis Hall of Famer, Rudy Finderson, a two time All-
East ECAC selection and Look Magazine District 1 all star,
and 1958 second team AP Little All-American. Three players
picked to play for the Greater Boston All-Stars in the third annual Hall of Fame game(Finderson, LeBlanc, Osterberg)

OTHER ACCOMPLISHMENTS:
Top Small College New England basketball team according to The Daily News college basketball rating system.

OTHER COMMENTS:
Led by the same players, the team scored a major victory in
the prior season when it defeated NYU, then considered a
national powerhouse, at Madison Square Garden in NYC.

Nominee Name       Year       Nominated By
1979 Baseball       W. Scott Nutting (team member)

ATHLETIC ACHIEVEMENTS:
this team set the New England record for consecutive wins, 23, that stood until the 2007 season

Nominee Name       Year       Nominated By
1983 Men's Cross Country  Adam Levin ’94 (SID), Aaron Finkel ’85, Joshua Spero and Joel Charlton
(team members)

ATHLETIC ACHIEVEMENTS:
Second team in school history to win an NCAA Division III championship

ADDITIONAL INFORMATION

I believe it is time to honor the 1983 Men's Cross Country team on the occasion of the
25th anniversary of its winning the Division III National Championship. I see that two of
its members (Misa Fossas and George Patriarca) are nominated for their own individual
achievements. While I don't want to take away from their superb individual careers and
will be a staunch supporter for their induction I believe the 1983 team deserves its
place in the hall with the other teams. Has any other team won a national championship
since this team did? How many won before they did. And, not only did the team win in
1983, but it had an unprecedented 5 members in the top-25 of the race earning All America
Honors.

1. First and only national cross country national championship team.No other Cross
country team has done it in Brandeis history
2. 7 out of the first ten spots in the New England Division 3 regional which Qualified us for the Nationals.
3. first 5 at the nationals all under 24:30 for 5 miles.
4. 10 runners under 26 minutes.
5. greatest accomplishment in the hall of fame Norm Levine's coaching career as well as assistant coach (another hall of famer at Brandeis) Buddy Bostock.
Team went on to win the New England winter and spring track championships.
6. Team had the highest grade point average of any team in any sport that year.