



Hall of Fame Announcement:

In the spring of 2017, as part of celebrating the school's 50th anniversary, a Hall of Fame Committee was established with the sole intent of recognizing the rich athletic tradition at Merrimack Valley. Comprised of school and district-level staff, students, parents, coaches, and community members, the committee held several planning meetings in preparation of vetting those who would be nominated for our first induction ceremony. While many impressive nominations were received, the Hall of Fame Committee selected 3 inductees for enshrinement on September 15, 2018; the criteria can be found by accessing the MVHS website. As we move forward, the Hall of Fame Committee looks forward to inducting new members each year.

Merrimack Valley High School is proud to announce the following members who will comprise the first class to be inducted in the Athletics Hall of Fame:

Laurie Steckel (Moran)

- Varsity Basketball 1982-1985
- Varsity Field Hockey 1982-1985
- Varsity Softball 1982-1985
- All-State Field Hockey and Basketball
- First basketball player at MVHS to score 1,000 points (1,349 points prior to the 3-point line)
- Played in New Hampshire vs. Vermont All-Star Game
- Played Basketball for the University of Tampa

Dave Anderson

- Basketball Coach 1967-1983
- Baseball Coach 1967-1987
- State Champion in Baseball: 1979 and 1980; Runner-Up 1977
- NH Sportswriters and Broadcaster Coach of the Year 1978
- National Federation Distinguished Service Award for NH 1989
- Member of NHIAA Hall of Fame
- Member of the Walter Smith Coaches Hall of Fame
- Member of the Plymouth State University Hall of Fame

Robert "Bob" Tewksbury

- Varsity Baseball 1975-1978
- Varsity Basketball 1977-1978
- St. Leo University Hall of Fame
- Major League baseball player 1986-1998 (Yankees, Cubs, Cardinals, Rangers, Padres, and Twins)
- MLB All-star 1992
- 110 Wins over 12 Major League Seasons
- Major League Mental Skills Coach, including 2004, 2007, 2013 Red Sox World Series Champions.
- Author of "Ninety Percent Mental"