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# From The President

Winter 2008

Dear members of WSCA,

Congratulations to all those teams and individuals who participated in interscholastic athletics and activities. If you lived the dream of being a state champion you have a life long memory, but those who were on the practice team, the role player and any one who practiced hours to be part of the program have learned life long lessons that will lead you to successful lives as dedicated, hard working individuals. We as coaches and directors need to

remember it is not always about the "W" but about developing great people. My greatest pleasure is when former students call, E-mail (please do not text me) or verbally tell me that the mental toughness they learned from me has made them a better person, husband and father. You cannot ask for any better feeling than that.

The Washington State Coaches Association has made improving communication one of our main goals. WSCA has had the opportunity to join the District meetings to make ourselves available for help and to answer any questions of our duties. I have had the great pleasure of attending District 5 meetings. It has really opened my eyes to all the hard work and tough decisions that each District performs. Sitting with athletic directors, coaches, officials, principals and superintendents from Yakima to Othello to Walla Walla and every area in between to discuss safety, eligibility and play-offs situations that is fair to everybody is a great dynamic. These outstanding men and women from public and private schools from big to small schools find a way to give all schools and all participants a



chance to play on an equal and fair playing field. Congratulations to District 5 and all the Districts of the WIAA for doing an outstanding job.

I wish the best for everyone this winter sports season. I urge all WSCA members to keep your eye out to recognize a coach for the "Coach on the Sideline' article or nominate a coach for his or her "Career Recognition" award. We are always looking for people to step up and be individual sports reps or be a WSCA Executive Board member.

Please use your coach's pass to go watch some District and State games and have fun.

YOU GOTTA LOVE IT!!!!

Pat Fitterer

#### WASHINGTON STATE COACHES ASSOCIATION

# FROM THE SIDELINES

by Jerry Parrish

#### ORCHIDS AND ONIONS

What ever happened to the "promise" from NCAA schools not to televise college football games on nights when high school football games were being played?

Please read Sideline Smitty's column in the *Seattle Times* for some great ORCHIDS AND ONION items. This writer has hit the bull's eye.

#### **Onions**

- Coaches who don't insist that players say "thank you" to the bus drivers who drive them to games and other folks who do things for the team.
- Administrators who listen to a complaint from a parent before that parent has talked to the coach.
- Coaches who don't have their varsity team watch an occasional JV or C game. Having the eyes of seniors and juniors on them means a lot to young players and helps develop the feel of a "program" to the sport at the school.
- Parents who are so obsessed with their child's sports that they watch practices, but then never attend a parent-teacher conference or an open house. These same parents will ask their son or daughter, "Are you starting?" but won't ask, "Are you ready for the math test?"
- Coaches who say they are in it for kids and then fight over players in the off season with coaches of other sports in the school.
- Coaches who do not fill in the zip code on the WSCA application. It slows down the mailing process.
- ONIONS to leagues who select Coaches of the Year who are not WSCA members.

#### **Orchids**

■ ORCHIDS to coaches who fill in WSCA application blanks that can be read.



#### WSCA EXECUTIVE BOARD BITS AND PIECES

- WIAA District VII needs to be contacted for card use. We should contact each league secretary in District VII and explain the benefits of WSCA membership and allowing WSCA membership card for entrance to District VII level events
- All Star Senior game grants—every three years the various game coordinators will be allowed to apply for a \$2,000.00 grant to help with game expense
- WIAA Coaching School—Coaches doing presentations should have input into topics covered. They are better informed if they share what they know.
- Career Recognition Discussion—a deadline will be determined each year so there will not be an overlapping of Career Awards.
- There is a new Girls' Basketball rep. She is Jade Hayes from Bellevue Christian
- Trophy Places—a very determined discussion on rationale for only 4 places being given in some sports and 8 in others. Tom Harmon will heed a committee to create rationale for 8 place trophies being awarded. All sports should have the same number of awards. Questions to be answered: 1) Who needs trophies 2) Who needs medals? 3) How many places awarded 4) There are inconsistencies 5) How do we solve this?
- Track and Field—Daunte Gouge made a very thorough presentation regarding Track and Field officiating. Safety is the major concern in regard to track officiating. The Track and Field Coaches Association is preparing a presentation to encourage more officials at all track meets. Part of his presentation was informing the board of the 2.5 days of state track meet. ■



**MIKE DOWNS** 

Bellevue Christian H.S.

A graduate of Seattle Pacific University ('77), coach Downs has been on the hardwood for 28 years. Mike has also coached track for 2 years. His teams have compiled a 94-11 record the past five years and were back to back state champions in 2005 and 2006. Mike has a 417-233 career

record at Bellevue Christian. Mike's family includes his wife of 29 years, Jan and their four kids Daniel, Jeff, David and Christi. All three of his sons played for coach Downs with great success at Bellevue Christian setting many individual records and earning several all state and all league honors.

Mike admits he is coaching to impact the lives of the kids he coaches both on and off the court. His joy is teaching live skills through the sport of basketball. Mike has been honored by the officials association, and was selected as the NFHS coaches association coach of the year of Washington in 2006. He was also chosen for the coaches award 2007-08 and coach of the year in the Emerald City League. Mike greatly values the relationships he has developed with his players and coaches. "Success is knowing that you've made the effort to do the best of which you are capable." Mike has been a member of the WSCA for more than 10 years.



#### **DOUG CURTIS**

LaCrosse High School

Doug, a football coach for more than 30 years, is currently a volunteer football coach at LaCrosse where he also serves as the K-12 principal. He coached for 22 years in Colfax as well as performing coaching duties at Morton, Whitworth College, Lake Roosevelt and Waluke. He

has also coached track for 23 years. A graduate of Whitworth College (BA '71, MA '74), Doug's family includes Cindy his wife of 23 years and their kids Heather (35), Tyson (29), Whitney (18), Josh (27), and Jeremy (29). Coach Curtis has been named Northeast A Football coach of the year 6 times. He was the Washington State A coach of the year in '81, a finalist for Inland Empire coach of the year, an assistant coach in the East-West All-State game in '82 and '97 and the head coach in '98. Doug received the National Scholastic Coach High School Coaching Silver Award in 1989. Doug credits his high school football coach Jim Glennon and his college football coach Hugh Campbell with inspiring him to want to work with kids and coaches. As the head coach at Colfax for 20 years, his teams won 9 league championships, they had 11 state playoff appearances and the state A championship in '81. Doug's proudest moments have come from coaching his kids in high school and one of the best times in his life was working with a great football staff at Colfax which included Craig Culbertson, Eric Kelly, Tony Carter, Mike Morgan, Bob Hickman and Christopher Heaton. "Give so much time improving yourself that you have no time to criticize others." Doug has been a member of the WSCA for 33 years.



**CLAYANGLE** 

Curtis High School

Coach Angle is the head football coach at Curtis High School and has been coaching football for 32 years. Clay has also coached basketball for 28 years and baseball for 3 years. Prior to taking the head football position at CHS, Clay was the head football coach at Curtis Junior

High where his teams won 7 championships in 10 years. A graduate of the University of Puget Sound ('77), Clay's family includes his wife Shannon, daughters Margaux (29) and Jessica (25) and son Nels (23). Clay has been chosen as a WSFCA District III Junior High coach of the year and in 2008 he was selected as the SPSL South Division coach of the year. The Curtis Vikings were SPSL South Co-Champions for the 2008 season. Clay admits his choice to enter the coaching profession was influenced by those he respected most while growing up which were his teachers and his teachers who were coaches taught him the most. One of the most rewarding parts of his coaching is when former student-athletes share that he had helped them succeed in life. "Prepare your best and play your hardest and the scoreboard will take care of itself." Clay has been a member of the WSCA for over 30 years.



#### **KATHY BALLEW**

South Kitsap High School

Kathy coaches fastpitch, girls' basketball and cross country. She has a 266-100 record in fastpitch and her teams have collected 6 league championships, 4 district championships, a fourth place finish at state in '93 and a second place trophy at state in '96. They claimed the academic

state championship in 1996. Kathy is married to Lyle Ballew and is a graduate of Pacific Lutheran University ('88). Kathy was named Narrows League coach of the year a couple of times and selected as a Bremerton Athletic Roundtable coach of the year nominee. She admits she wanted to be a part of student's life outside of the classroom and share the fun and show how sports can be a metaphor for achieving success in life. Her proudest coaching moment came with her team winning the 3A state championship in 1995. Two of her favorite quotes come from Todd Blackledge "6 W's:work will win when wishing won't." and "You can't get much done in life if you only work on the days when you feel good." from Jerry West.

WAY TO GO

#### **MEMBERSHIP UPDATE**

#### 100% SCHOOLS, STAFFS AND DISTRICTS

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### ON THE SIDELINE

#### NOMINATION FORM

The WSCA needs your help! If you know a current member of the WSCA who deserves recognition for his/her contributions to coaching, please fill out this form and send it to Mike Schick. Your nominee will then be contacted to obtain additional information.

Nominee's Name	
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Send this form to Mike Schick, Edgemont Junior High, 2300 110t	h AVE E. Edgewood. WA 98372

Thank you for your efforts

### THREE STORIES FROM THE 2008 STATE CROSS-COUNTRY CHAMPIONSHIPS

by Steve K. Bertrand

#### Michael Miller – A Good Move

Coaches love it when a talented athlete walks through their door & announces they'd like to join the team. So, when Michael Miller moved from Anchorage, Alaska to Mount Rainier High School his junior year, cross-country coach Brian Jacobson welcomed him with open arms. Miller had run cross-country for a private school, Anchorage Christian, his sophomore & junior years. He was also Alaska's 3A two-time state champion.

Miller got his start running as an eighth grader. His football coach had the team run a 5K for conditioning. Running in basketball shoes, Miller discovered he had a talent for distance running. The cross-country coach noticed too. "He told me I should run cross-country," said Miller. Since then, Michael Miller hasn't looked back.

With last spring's graduation of Ryan Prentice, Mount Rainier had some pretty big shoes to fill. Prentice claimed the 3A Boys' State Cross-Country title last fall. Miller wasn't sure he was up to replacing Prentice as the #1 Ram. This was particularly true when Miller's summer training didn't go as well as he had hoped. The rigors of working on a fishing boat in Alaska don't provide much opportunity for training.

Miller quickly found himself unable to hit mileage goals for the summer. Half way into July, he called his coach & shared the bad news. Miller's coach restored his confidence. "Coach Jacobson told me not to worry about my base training & to throw away the summer training program. He told me the real training comes in-season."

Since then, Michael Miller has had a stellar fall. Following his coach's in-season training program, he has continued to improve. Slowly, he built to sixty miles per week. He also run mile repeats. As a result, momentum was in his favor going into the end of the season. Prior to state, Miller claimed league & district titles. Still, he didn't know what to expect going into state. "I knew I could probably run with the top three," said Miller; "but, I'd never raced against North Central."

Ranked #1 in the nation, North Central was capable of putting five runners under sixteen minutes for 5K. Miller had run 16:01 at league. His break-through race came at the district meet when he dropped to 15:22. "After that race, I gained a lot of confidence," said Miller.

During the state meet, Miller sat back through the mile. He was in fifth place (4:53). Then, at the two-mile mark, he edged into the lead. North Central runners were right on his heels. At 2.5 miles, Miller gapped the competition. With half a mile to go, he opened up a seven second lead.

He claimed the 3A state title in 15:18. Four North Central runners came in right behind him. Miller's victory helped pace the Mount Rainier Rams to a fourteenth place team finish.

Pleased with his efforts, Miller plans to run Border Clash. Fourth in the 3A 800 meters (1:56) last spring, he plans to jump to the 1600 & 3200 in 2009. Miller would like to continue his running in college. Presently, he's continuing his options. In the meantime, he's glad he made the move from Anchorage, Alaska to Mount Rainier. "My coach definitely knows what he's doing!" said Miller.

# Jade Borseth – A Tough Decision

Jade Borseth had a tough decision to make – Do I run cross-country or play soccer in high school? Half way through the summer she was still undecided. "I wasn't running much," said Borseth. "I'd go out for little jogs; but I wasn't sure what I wanted to do." Borseth admits she loves soccer. She'd played it growing up as a kid. But this year she decided it was time to try something different. Even though she wasn't sure what she was getting herself into, Borseth went out for cross-country.

Coach Paul Johnson admits Borseth was a pleasant surprise. Slowly she worked into the role as Stanwood's #1 runner. As a result, she helped propel the Spartans to a fourth place finish in the 2008 4A Girls' State Cross-Country Championships. The freshman harrier finished fifth overall. She covered the 3.1-mile course in 18:39. Teammate Natasha Verma was right on her heels in 18:46 (8th place). Borseth is quick to praise Verma. "She's very inspiring! she said. "Natasha is always so positive!" Both Spartans qualified for the prestigious Washington versus Oregon Border Clash meet on the Nike Campus in Oregon.

Prior to the state meet, Borseth was a bit worried. "I felt sick & my head was stuffed up." She tried to ignore the discomfort. "I wanted to do well at state," she said. "I felt I had a shot at the top five." Trying to maintain a positive attitude, she focused on helping pace her team to a strong finish. "We were excited about the possibility of making the podium!" she said.

At the gun, Borseth got a good start. She passed through the mile mark in 5:45. Trailing the lead pack, she found herself around tenth place. Slowly, she started picking runners off. Gig Harbor's Alyssa Andrews had opened a sizeable lead. The Tides senior harrier had gapped the field by twenty seconds. Sandra Martinez of A.C. Davis & Redmond's Sarah Lord were running by themselves in second & third. Kicking toward the finish line Borseth closed on the fourth place runner. Central Kitsap's Shannon Moskowitz held her off at the tape.

Still, Borseth was pleased with her performance. "I just tried to repeat what I did at districts," she said. Borseth had surprised the field the week prior claiming the district title in 18:45, a p.r. (personal record). By concentrating on the leaders, maintaining my positioning & finishing strong, she was able perform well.

Borseth credits appropriate interval training & weekly mileage as keys to her team's success. "We just felt if we trained hard we'd get better," said Borseth. She also acknowledges coaching for the team's success. "Our coaches are awesome!" said Borseth. "They prepared us mentally & physically." Though she's never participated in the sport, Borseth plans to run track this spring. "My coaches are really encouraging it!" she said. And of her decision to run cross-country... "It was a tough decision; but, the right choice!"

#### Nick Devier – A 4-Peat

It's many an athlete's dream to participate in a state championship. However, not every athlete has this opportunity. Still, even fewer can claim to have participated in four state championships. Lakewood's Nick Devier is one of the few. Over the past four years, Devier has helped the Lakewood Cougars finish second, fifth, seventh & seventh in the 2A Boys' State Cross-Country Championships.

Acknowledged as one of the most talented runners to come out of Lakewood High School, Devier finished 25th, 39th & 38th the past three years. This year was a break-through season for the Lakewood harrier. Assuming the role of #1 runner, Devier finished 9th in the individual standings. His time of 16:15 was his best state meet performance. It was his first individual trip to the podium.

Coach Jeff Sowards is pleased with Devier's efforts. "Nick has an innate need to be at the front of whatever is going on competitively," he said. ""He certainly proved that today!" Devier was also pleased he had an opportunity to redeem himself for past state meet performances. "Today was sweet!" he said.

A top three runner all four years for Lakewood, Devier's admits to not



getting in his mileage this summer. Still, he gradually improved throughout the season. When it came to races, he led through his performances. His coach admits Devier's best races may still be ahead of him. An alternate for Border Clash, Devier will run given the chance.

His motivation this season had a lot to do with continuing the fine Lakewood distance running tradition. For the past twenty-five years, the Lakewood Cougars have qualified for the state cross-country championships. Only Blanchet High School has more consecutive state meet appearances (31). "I wanted to do this for my cross-country family," said Devier.

At the mile mark, Devier was around twenty-fifth place. His split was 5:07. He began moving up 1.5 miles into the race. Slowly he picked runners off. With 800 meters to go, he started his long kick. When all was said & done, Devier found himself elbow-to-elbow with Burlington Edison's Tyler Williams. Williams edged Devier by a second.

Competing in the toughest 2A district in the state, Lakewood feels their team performance at state could have been better. "We didn't do as well as we hoped," said Devier. Still, any time you can place your team in the top ten at state, you've had a respectable showing. Northwest District 2A teams (Sehome, Burlington-Edison & Squalicum) went 1-2-3 at State.

Having always loved running & soccer, Devier plans to participate in track this spring. He'd like to continue has running in college. Devier plans to major in physical therapy or sports medicine. He views running as a positive outlet for stress. "I also enjoy doing something not everyone likes to do!" he said. Nick Devier is quick to acknowledge the role his coaches have played in his life. "I love my coaches!" he said. "They are the greatest!"

#### 10 Mistakes You're Bound to Make at Pre-Season Practices

# Glenn Caruso's top ten mistakes coaches commit when planning pre-season camp

by Mike Kuchar© July 2008

So the summer is winding down and you've put a stamp on your offseason conditioning; wrapped up the local seven on seven tournaments; and made all the necessary arrangements to have an intense and productive camp in preparation for another eventful season. But as the lazy days of July morph into the intensely crammed early days of August, there are some major concerns that need to be addressed before heading into summer camp. Sure, every good coach has a plan, but there are some major decisions to be made before putting that plan into action. Will you travel to a neutral location or have camp at your school? How many practices a day will you hold? How much conditioning should be organized? How will you delegate coaching assignments? When will you give the kids a day off? How will you deal with the summer heat?

These are the same questions that rattled around in the mind of Glenn Caruso, a young twenty-something offensive coordinator at North Dakota State when he first got into coaching in the college ranks. Now several years later at 33 and a head coach at Division III St. Thomas in Saint Paul, MN, he may not have completely orchestrated what he considers the quintessential training camp, but at least he's learned what not to do, by trial and error - the best teacher of good coaches. So, consider yourself privy to the following information. There are some major gems and some hidden tidbits on the pages that follow but, and according to Caruso, all

should be taken into consideration when gearing your team up for an eventful fall season.

# 1. Don't practice in a sterile environment.

Pardon Caruso's intellectual vocabulary, but he's referring to practicing in a dull or barren situation. Football is not a laid back sport, so why practice in a laid back environment? "It may sound obvious, but many coaches still take their time out there on the practice field, explaining drills, doing a lot of instruction on the field," said Caruso. "That is nothing like football. You have to practice with a purpose, with some urgency. Urgency is not the same as hustle. Urgency requires that you're doing it with a desired response. You're not just wandering around aimlessly all over the place. You have intent to your actions."

One of the things that Caruso decided was to get rid of a static stretch period where players don't move during a stretch. Instead, he implements a ten minute flex period in the beginning of practice where the stretching consists of full range of motion exercises like lunges, squats and various other forms of footwork drills to get the blood flowing. "Throw static stretch out the window. Kids get more out of it when their body temperature is raised because that's where they get their best flexibility. Static stretching is not conducive to football. If your muscles are not warmed up properly, you will not get the full range of motion that you need to accurately stretch. It sets the tempo of practice."

# 2. Don't underestimate the importance of tempo by creating competition.

You don't ease into Friday night games under the lights, so why ease into practice? St. Thomas will open practice with something competitive every day – Caruso calls this the competitive edge. "We do something every day to get them to compete," says Caruso. "There is always a winner and a loser and it teaches ultimate accountability. Sometimes if you have a lull in practice, it picks people up and you get going right away."

The competitive edge drills range from wide receiver vs. defensive backs in an Oklahoma Drill (where both positions compete in a man-toman coverage in a six-yard box) to three-player monkey rolls where Caruso will throw a ball 20 yards down the field next to two cones. The three players compete to run and take the two cones, with the remaining player being left out. "The guy who doesn't get the cone loses. It teaches you how to locate the football and run to it. If that's not football, I don't know what is," said Caruso. He'll even use a miniature tug-of-war with a small towel for individual position battles. "We sometimes stop the whole practice to watch them compete. These guys go after it like junkyard dogs; you got to pull them apart sometimes. Everyone cheers them on. It gets everyone going."

# 3. Don't schedule long amounts of time for individual, group and team periods.

According to Caruso, no period over ten minutes is effective. At St.

Thomas, most of the practice periods are five minutes in length with the team periods lasting upwards of ten. Kids often lose focus during longer periods of time. Plus, when was the last time you saw a 20-minute drive in a football game? Don't even think Joe Montana orchestrated one of those. "When I was a coordinator, I used to love 20 minute periods of team because I can script in a ton of plays. Why go a 20 minute team period if it becomes a lull and drag?" said Caruso. "We'll just use a ten minute team period with a five minute corrections period following—that individual coaches will handle—with their players. What I love about that is it teaches your players to flip the switch on and off, and it allows your coaches to make corrections on what they just saw. It creates tremendous tempo. We can get off 14 plays in ten minutes."

# 4. Don't schedule mandatory water breaks.

Piggybacking off the topic of scheduling practice periods, make sure to keep water breaks off of the schedule. "Old school coaches may have a problem with this, but I'm not interested in denying a kid water," said Caruso. "I let the kid get water whenever the heck he wants." Obviously, dehydration is so ineffective for football and with so many occurring problems of guys dropping on the football field because of it—especially during the summer months—who would want that kind of responsibility? Caruso recommends cutting the fiveminute water period out of practice and having student managers provide water at each individual station. "You would get a ton more reps during that period because your entire team isn't getting water."

# 5. Don't condition if it's not conducive to football.

When was the last time you saw

your players run a gasser during a football game? Caruso's point exactly. Sprinting the width of a football field continuously has never taken place in an actual game, yet we continue to condition our players at the end of practice by doing something that they will never do. Sure, it takes a lot to get rid of the stubbornness of prior tradition, but according to Caruso, there are certainly other things a coach can do to make sure his team is physically prepared for game day. In fact, Caruso often equates being 'winded' during the course of a game to more a mental than physical deficiency.

"We run to the ball, we run in everything we do so we don't have to condition," says Caruso. "If we have high tempo, it basically takes care of three things: it give us more reps; it forces us not to condition because we're running back and forth every single time; and it gives them a mental edge to think in a high pressure environment. I would like my kids to think that they love playing on Saturday because I'm on them so much to hustle during the week. Saturday should be a vacation."

# 6. Don't use conditioning as a form of punishment.

Okay, so we may have lost you here, but just hear us out. This argument can trace all the way back to the negative reinforcement vs. positive reward theory, depending on what you believe. But it has been Caruso's experience that there is no better enforcer to discipline problems than taking away playing time. "I never use conditioning anymore as a form of punishment. I used to all the time. But the bottom line is nothing affects a kid, scholarship or not, more than taking away his playing time. My goal is to make a kid be driven intrinsically, not extrinsically. I don't want them thinking the only motivation they have for acting right is me watching them. You're never going to get what you need that way and you'll get worn out as a coach. If a kid doesn't do what is expected, I'll find somebody else. He'll get it eventually. Let's make a punishment that will force our players not to do something again. We don't run them."

# 7. Don't incorporate three-adays during summer sessions.

Have we committed football blasphemy yet, by declaring three-a-days being ineffective? Not according to Caruso, who feels that three practices a day for a teenager is useless. It will suck the physical and emotional energy right out of them- particularly at a time when you need it the most during summer sessions in the heat. "I don't think a kid could get up physically or emotionally doing that. Two practices a day are plenty, and I wouldn't practice for more than two hours. If you're out there for more than two hours, it's wrong. Not only will you get diminishing returns, but you are practicing negative habits. As a coach, if you can't get done what you need to in 120 minutes, you are not organized enough. Anything after two hours, the kids will start to drift and lose focus and before you know it, you're getting worse." Caruso may have a point. After all, a kid can't sit in algebra class for 40 minutes, and we're asking them to pay attention for three times that amount?

# 8. Don't install your scheme slowly; use the overhaul method.

Caruso believes in stimulating his players with information to the point where they may feel overwhelmed. Why, you ask? It's the conducive to football theory that was mentioned before. A kid will have to think quickly under intense circumstances during the course of a game, so why should he be able to take his time retaining

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information in the pre-season? "We push the envelope with that to see what they can handle. We install everything we have in our offense within a six day basis; that way they are truly never comfortable. If you go through it slowly, you're gearing your coaching towards the low-end intellectual ability of your team; they start to feel complacent if they know it all in the beginning. This was a huge mistake I learned in the beginning of my career because as coaches we want everything to be installed perfectly. Getting it all in immediately and quickly teaches kids how to conceptualize; you can't memorize anything when you're overloaded."

Caruso subscribes to the whole, part, whole teaching philosophy, where kids see the entire picture first, then witness how their position is affected by it. "Our teaching progression is always whiteboard, film, walkthrough, individual and then team. That five-step progression will consistently work wonders for their learning ability." Caruso, for the first time in his career, has even decided to discard playbooks. "It gives kids that don't pay attention in meetings a crutch. They figure they can still do it as long as they read the playbooks. Can't happen. If you can't take the words out

of my mouth and translate them into positive action on the field, you'll never play for me. And you're not learning anything."

# 9. Don't neglect the value of special teams.

It's often the most under coached aspect of football, particularly at the high school level. On the average one fifth of every play is some form of kick, so why do we override the importance of special teams? Caruso doesn't. In fact, he'll often have all of his coaches involved in some element of special teams. The only position coaches that he'll have off special teams duty are the offensive line coach and the defensive coordinator.

"Why would I waste my O-line coach on special teams if his guys are not on them? We'll have the offensive line do blitz recognition or med balls or whatever it is. I also let the DC spend some time with the defensive line working on alignments, blitzes or pass rushes. It's a nice time for him to connect and spend some quality time with them."

# 10. Don't underestimate the importance of a walk-through period.

Finally, Caruso expressed the significance of installing mandatory walkthrough sessions with your team. Not only does it show them how 'the pieces of the puzzle fit in' but also it is a low-risk, high reward exercise, critical for those dog days of summer. Before any scheme that Caruso devises, he'll implement a team wide walk-through period before going full speed. "If I was a coach in high school, I would sacrifice 20 minutes of practice time for walk-throughs every practice. It's that important. It puts bodies out there and I can go over questions before we go full speed on the reps. I love the aspect of a walk-through."

One of Caruso's favorite lowtempo walk-throughs is aptly called 'Walking the Field Drill' which he does once a week before game days. He'll walk the entire length of the field with his team, stressing what the goal is in each segment of the field. "In the early part of the field, coming out we stress getting the first down and keeping the chains moving. In the middle part of the field, between the twenties, we talk about opening up our playbook and taking deep shots when we can. Then when we get into the red zone area, we always stress our best plays and anticipate man coverage. Again, it gets them to perceive and conceptualize before things happen." ■

#### Attention All-State Game Coordinators - January 24th Meeting

Are you an All-State Game coordinator in the 2008-09 season? If the answer is YES, then please plan on attending a meeting to finalize the insurance package. The meeting is on January 24th during the Winter Coaches Conference. The information needs to be turned in to the insurance company by February 1 to ensure that it gets issued in a timely manner. Please note that if your information is not in by February 1, you will not be added to the insurance later on. Please feel free to contact either Dan Weedin or Jerry Parrish for additional details or questions.

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# Tenino's Hal Williams Honored with President's Council on Physical Fitness and Sports Community Leadership Award

Washington DC—The President's Council on Physical Fitness and Sports (PCPFS) has chosen Hal Williams of Tenino to receive a 2008 PCPFS Community Leadership Award. The award is given annually to individuals who improve the lives of individuals within their community by providing or enhancing opportunities to engage in sports, physical activities, or fitness-related programs.

Williams, who was honored earlier this year by the Washington State Athletic Directors Association for his career of service, has been a fixture in Tenino and Southwest Washington since he started his teaching and coaching career in 1959. Over those years he has impacted the lives of many while coaching the sports of football, basketball, track, and baseball. Williams spent much of his career as an administrator in the Tenino School District. He is currently semi-retired, mentoring student teachers as an adjunct university professor, helping coach the Beaver's varsity basketball team, and serving as the "Voice of the Beavers" during home football games.

"We are honored to present this award to Hal Williams," says Melissa Johnson, executive director of the President's Council on Physical Fitness and Sports. "Physical activity and sports participation are important parts of living a healthy, more active life and we are pleased to recognize individuals, like Hal Williams, who are committed to making a difference and influencing the health of their communities."

"Hal Williams is a valuable asset to the community, providing a positive experience for fans and the many athletes the local area has produced", stated Tenino High School Principal, Jeff Johnson who himself coached along-side Williams for several years. "For decades he has made a difference in the athletic, academic, and life experiences of many. He is a true role model."

This year, the President's Council presented the Community Leadership Award to 27 individuals across the country for making sports, physical activity, and fitness-related programs available in their communities.

#### **About The Council**

The President's Council on Physical Fitness and Sports (PCPFS) is an advisory committee of volunteer citizens who advise the President through the Secretary of Health and Human Services about physical activity, fitness and sports in America. The Office of the President's Council on Physical Fitness and Sports (PCPFS), the Department of Health and Human Services (HHS), is the HHS office containing the PCPFS Executive Director and support staff. Through its programs and partnerships with the public, private and nonprofit sectors, the Office of the PCPFS serves as a catalyst to promote health, physical activity, fitness and enjoyment for people of all ages, backgrounds and abilities through participation in physical activity and sports. For more information about PCPFS please visit <a href="https://www.fitness.gov">www.fitness.gov</a>.

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# The Seattle Seahawks High School Coach of the Week Award Winners

The Seattle Seahawks High School Coach of the Week award winners in Washington State are selected by members of the Washington State Football Coaches Association. Recipients of the award receive a \$500 donation for their football program from the Seattle Seahawks and a \$100 savings bond from Sterling Savings Bank. At the conclusion of the high school football season one coach was selected as the NFL High School



Coach of the Year for the state of Washington. The NFL High School Coach of the Year receives a \$2,000 grant.

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### **NEGATIVE PRESS UNFAIR**

Pam Headridge, Vice President, WA State Cheer Coaches Association

The news media across the country tend to focus on the negative side. Cheerleading news is no exception. Recent cheer news stories range from hazing to lack of safety standards. Yes, these stories do happen but many of the stories are one-sided and do not portrait the overall cheerleading picture. The media overdramatizes these stories and edit the interviews and material to try and prove their point. I am frustrated by this negative portrayal of cheerleading and take issue with these slanted views. For every negative piece that the newspapers print, there are many more positive headlines that could be told about cheerleading. Because of the negative press, all the good that cheerleading provides is overlooked and hurts these young athletes.

Having been part of the cheerleading world here in Washington State for almost 20 years, I have seen the benefits cheerleading provide to young people and the community especially in the high school arena. I want to address and give move details on two of these slanted views: lack of safety and negative behavior.

A recent CBS story on their morning show reported that cheerleading has no governing rules and regulations. Wrong. Here in Washington all school coaches must follow the National Federation of High Schools Spirit Rules Book that is updated on a yearly bases. Spirit teams have had the NFHS rules book since the 1988-89 school year.

Every year at the beginning of school, cheer coaches are given a copy of this rules book from their athletic director. Stunt certification is required for cheer coaches who intend to have their cheer squad(s) perform stunts. The certification program must be approved by either the Washington State Cheer Coaches Association or the WIAA. Coaches must be recertified every three (3) years. Also all

cheer coaches must meet the same WIAA Coaches Standards as any other sport's program in the state. Association of WA School Principals offers several cheerleadership camps that include an extensive coaches'

training. Many national companies, also, provide coaches education in their summer cheer camps, too.

The second topic of cheerleaders' negative behavior is overblown. Yes, young people make poor choices and need to be held accountable for these choices. But where are the bravos for doing the right thing? Here in the Washington, high school cheerleaders give back willingly to their community. Ballard, Oak Harbor, Sammamish and Bellarmine Prep, donated their weekend to cheer at the National Wheelchair Basketball Varsity Championships. Heritage, Bellevue and Peninsula participated in the Relay for Life in their communities, while Tahoma, Oak Harbor, Ballard, Issaquah, and Bellarmine Prep participated in the 2008 Seattle's Susan G. Kormen Race for the Cure in May. Glacier Peak High School cheerleaders donned pink shirts and set up a cheer station at the Susan G. Kormen 3 day Walk Against Cancer in Snohomish. Hanford High School hosted a "Pink Game Friday" and raised over a \$1000 in shirt sales and donations. Cheerleaders from Skyline and Oak Harbor participated in the Soapbox Derby Challenge for Kids with Special Needs in their local communities. Coupeville assisted in the July 4th Fun Run. Juanita High School cheer is currently doing a "Passionately Pink for the Cure" fundraiser in support of the fight against breast cancer. Oak Harbor High School hosted food drives at all home football games in

> October. This is just a short list of positive impact that cheerleaders have on their community but you do not see the national news media publishing these facts? It is time to show both sides, yet all I see in the national media is the unfavorable press.

> Cheerleaders train and work hard. Their coaches put in many hours on education and safety. They understand the val-

ues of safety, strong leadership and giving to their school and community. It is time to show both sides of cheerleading and give these young athletes their due recognition. ■





# PRE EXERCISE STRENGTH TRAINING CONSIDERATIONS

by Danny M. O'Dell, MA. CSCS\*D co-owner of 'The WeightRoom' gym and Explosivelyfit.com, Nine Mile Falls, WA

Strength coaches know there are certain pre-existing conditions that must be met before a new trainee seriously begins adding weight to the bar. Certainly, the load could be immediately increased but rarely is it in the best interest of the trainee. Let's look at a few important points leading up to the actual training phases.

First, a definition of the new trainee is in order before we begin. A new trainee is one who has never been in a gym or who has never resistance trained in the past. These individuals need close monitoring to prevent injury and to ensure they are learning and following correct exercise movement patterns. Before even beginning to exercise each one needs to fill out a self-evaluation analysis sheet, which includes their medical background, exercise familiarity, and sports involvement.

With the evaluation form in hand here are a few important points to bear in mind as you evaluate the person. There are important guidelines to follow if they are preadolescent or below the late teens due to the duration, intensity and load precaution limits a knowledgeable coach will adhere to in their program design.

Strength training exercises demand rapid levels of excitation changes in the central nervous system. The ability to change the excitation levels depends upon the stage of maturity in the trainee. At certain stages and ages, the body is more

receptive to these changes; until then progress will be little to none. At some times, developmental training may actually interfere with the normal growth progress. Not in the muscular realm, but with the neuromuscular synchronization impairments appear that are similar to those of the speed barrier.

These times in the growth process of the body are the sensitive periods. As an example, training explosive strength can begin in females when they are appropriately ten years old. Training can continue through twenty and over. Increases in intensity of the training schedule may occur with them around the ages of twelve to four-

teen. Peak female training times are from the ages of fourteen through twenty.

In the males, the process is delayed until they reach twelve to fourteen. Their peak times for this type of training are from sixteen through twenty. In some instances proceeding with these activities before their bodies structural and nervous systems are ready will result in damage to the organism.

In both the male and female, the sensitive times are the best times to train these specific physical and mental attributes. The body is in an extremely receptive condition to receive these special training stresses. In looking at your new trainee, keep the following points in mind during the continuing evaluation process.

Look at them, do they look like they have muscle mass, are they strong looking? Do a few simple tests to see. Have them do body weight squats, can they go down and come backup without their knees going into a valgus position and their back rounding off. Did they use momentum to get back up or was it strictly leg power? Can they do a regular pushup? Do they sag or arch in the middle or are they tight as they go up and down? How about a pull up-can they do one or more. If so, they may be able to continue with your guidance. By doing this you are unscientifically measuring their

muscle cross-sectional fibers. The greater the cross section of the muscle the greater will be the force potential in the individual.

Are they better equipped to run or lift? Ask them what they like to do. This may be a non invasive clue as to what they are good at and at the same time maybe tell you whether or not they have a predominance of fast or slow twitch fibers. People have a tendency to do things they are good at and feel comfortable doing. Naturally, having many fast twitch fibers is going to be a good thing for a strength training lifter but not a long distance runner.

The quality of synchronization and number of the ac-

tive muscle fibers determines the amount of force the person will be able to display. This is not something that is readily observable in the gym but it should be kept in the back of your mind as you watch the person train. Are they able to lift in a smooth controlled manner, do they seem to be able to take load increases or variations in the exercise in stride or is the learning curve excessively long?

Are they old enough to be under your care, i.e. what does their biological maturity level appear to be? Biological age is a more likely indicator of a persons physical potential than just chronological age statements. In girls, one of the most important of the indicators is the onset of menstruation, and in boys, it is the development of facial hair, and the deepening of the voice.

Look for the stages of sexual maturity in your trainee. The maturation charts are available from various publishers or just do a Google search to find the criteria. The Tanner Stages chart is probably the most well known and is easy to use.

So, you are asking why the biological age is so darned important if I am dealing with a young person. Well the fact of the matter is that if the bones are not structurally strong enough to handle the load you want to place on their body, you are opening them up to an injury. Can you say lawsuit?

If you are a running coach there are more important issues to consider in planning their training regimen other than can they run around the track four times at a five minute pace. You have to know if their cardiovascular system has developed enough to handle this stress. Only a valid biological age will give you the necessary background information before you can justifiably proceed with the training.

Talk to the parents about the young person's apparent mood swings. This may give you another clue as to whether or not they are getting massive amounts of hormones at the time. If so they may be more receptive to the higher intensity training methods.

Do they know how to do the exercises? Just because they are new doesn't necessarily mean they are clueless to the performance of these movements. Perhaps they have an older sibling who exercises and they have watched them lift. Your task still remains the same and that is to instruct the correct techniques of the lift.

Keep these things in mind as you begin your training sessions. Once you have the majority, if not all of them figured out, then you are on the road to a designing a successful exercise program.

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#### OPPORTUNITIES FOR GIRLS AND BOYS IN SPORTS

#### All Things Being Equal: Are They?

by Linda Mangel Sports Equity Advocate, ACLU-WA

First, a short quiz. There are no right or wrong answers, just truthful and accurate ones. Neatness doesn't count.

- 1. Do you think your school provides equal opportunities for girl and boy athletes?
- 2. If you were a ball player and had to use either the boys' baseball facility or the girls' softball facility for the rest of the year, which would you choose?
- 3. If you have both a girls' and boys' team for your sport, which team's equipment and supplies would you rather have?
- 4. Which do you think has received more publicity this year—your school's athletic events for girls or for boys?

If your answers to these questions suggest that the boys have it better than the girls, you are not alone in Washington State. Despite the significant gains girls have made in school sports over the past 36 years since the passage of Title IX – the federal law banning sex discrimination in school programs — much more still needs to be done.

For example, girls comprise 49% of the high school population statewide but receive only 41% of all opportunities for athletic participation. That's 1.3 million fewer spots for girls than boys, ranking Washington 21st among all states.

Girls also tend to have inferior equipment and supplies, use inferior sports facilities, have fewer coaches, less desirable schedules, and a lot less support and publicity for their activities.

As a coach, you see these inequities—not only the differences in resources between boys' and girls' athletics, but also the messages those differences send to the students. Do the

girls assume that they have inferior programs because they're inferior athletes? Do the boys feel entitled to their opportunities and the girls feel they need to ask for them?

As a coach, you are in a powerful position to influence the opportunities for girls in sports. What you model with your actions, others often follow. That's one reason why the American Civil Liberties Union of Washington and the Women's Sports Foundation are offering free "Tying the Score" workshops. These workshops are designed to improve awareness, identify concerns, and provide simple and cost-effective solutions to gender inequities in school sports.

The workshops are free and intended for coaches, school administrators, and parents throughout the state. We can tailor the workshops to meet your specific interests and needs, and we can come to your location whenever it works for you. The workshops will be facilitated by Linda Mangel, a recognized expert in gender equity issues, who worked for several years as an attorney for the U.S. Department of Education's Office for Civil Rights.

Let's return to that quiz you took a few minutes ago. Title IX addresses two major areas: student participation in sports and the overall equal treatment of athletes. It includes more than just ball fields and locker rooms. Think about these questions as they apply to your school:

Overall, are the girls' facilities as well-equipped, maintained, and accessible as the boys'?

Are the equipment and uniforms the same quality for girls and boys?

Are the numbers of scheduled games and practices comparable for girls and boys?

Are both boys' and girls' teams given the opportunity to play during "prime time"?

Are boys' and girls' programs and events given comparable support from the cheerleaders, pep bands, school announcements, and the school newspaper?

Is the number and experience of girls' coaches comparable to that of boys' coaches?

Are travel and daily allowances comparable for girls and boys?

Disparities abound, and the reasons are many and varied. But they can be fixed. And some solutions are far easier than you're probably thinking.

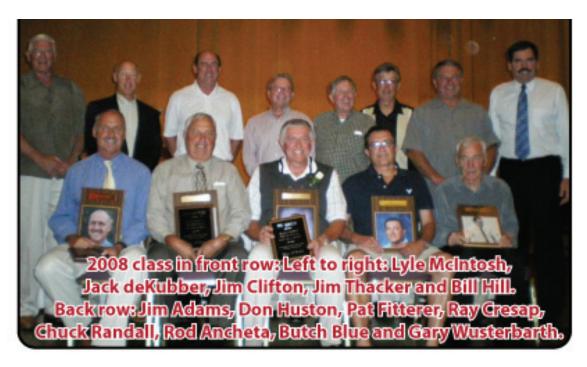
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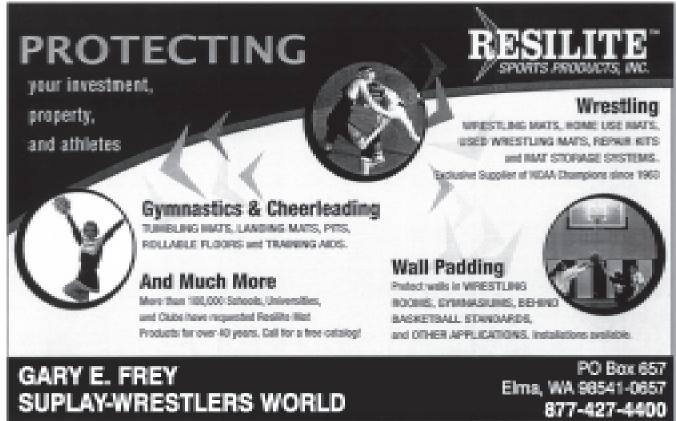
- · Conduct a simple self-evaluation of your sports program by using the materials provided for coaches on the OSPI websit: http://www.k12.wa.us/ e q u i t y / A t h l e t i c E q u i t y / SchoolOfficials.aspx
- · Ask the cheer coach, the band director, and the editor of the school newspaper to give girls' sports equal time.
- · Document disparities between the boys' and girls' facilities and bring them to the attention of school officials.
- · Contact the ACLU-WA or the Women's Sports Foundation with questions or concerns.
- · Organize a "Tying the Score" workshop for other coaches or parents in your community.

To schedule a free workshop or information session in your community, or to ask questions about gender equity in athletics, contact Linda Mangel at 206/930-1169 or lmangel@acluwa.org. ■

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Centralia
Duane Bailey
Ron Brown
Boyd J Calder
Darrin R Canfield
Kyle Donahue
Jessica Elder
Dennis P Faber
Timothy G Gilmore
Hal Gronseth
Candace Hallom
Michael McDonald
Andrea McLaughlin

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Andrea McLaughl
Ken Olson
Susan Parke
Tim Penman
Scott Phillips
Chris Putman
Josh J Rodland
Jon Rooklidge
John E Schultz
Neil Sharp

Jeremy Thibault
Mark Westley
Perry Winkle
Charles Wright

Pete Philley
Chehalis MS
Wayne Holmgren

Chelan Mark Anderson Jim Broome Jim Carter KC L Craven Kirk Einspahr Robert V Flick Randall Gleasman

Tanya Greenfield Chris Griffiths Greg Griffiths Joe Harris Phil Harvey Donene Hendricks Peter J Larson Kelly Linehan Jerry Lopez Matt Mathews Brian P Mayer Jay McGuffin Randy McGuffin Jim Mitchell JoDell Mitchell William Nickell Jim Oscarson Erik Peterson Connie Poirier Paul Ouick Lisa Robinson Tom Robinson Brisa Romero Gilberto C Romero Marty Rothlisberger Jack Rutter Randy Silva Wade Simmons Nick Snyder Steven H Stamps JoAnne Strandberg

Chelan MS
Elizabeth Martinez
Cheney

Darren Talley

David Talley

Del W Talley

Gary Blake Lincoln M Bryant Randy Elam Jesse Erickson Ryan Fitzgerald Cassie Hare Todd Hering Kyle C Loughery Jay Martin Darrell Miller Jeff Pike Terry Regnier Hal Sautter Wade Schlotter Tony E Stoddard Thomas B Stralser Jason Williams

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Bart M Brewer

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Sharon Siva

Chimacum

Dave Hammericksen

Clallam Bay

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Dave Curtis

CleElum-Roslyn
Ian Connell
Devin O'Brien
Cleveland

Kelvin Goliday

Clover Park
Deena Christensen
Merle Hagbo
Kyle Hagman
Douglas McDowell
Michael T Merrill
William P Wilson
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Lochburn MS
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Clover Park-Mann
MS

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Tony Carter Jason M Cooper Phil Hergert Mike Morgan

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Heidi Hawley
Jim Moehrle
Brad Nilson
Brandon Stell
Gene Straghan
Clark Vining
Blake Wolf
Columbia Basin

College Cheryl L Holden Columbia River Darryll Antisdel James Dickey

Anthony Liberatore
David Long
John O'Rourke
Kevin O'Rourke
Dana Pyatt
Joe Reed

Columbia-Burbank

Kevin Alley Lance Beeson Dian Burroughs Gary Eby Kevin Edwards Audeena Faubert Kevin Goetz Michael Hazenberg John Muchlinski Dan Percifield Doug Ricard Cedric W Samples Sandra Savage Mike Steberl Greg Sullivan David J Traver Nancy White

Columbia-White Salmon

Kevin L Liddiard Larry McCutcheon Bill Ward Matthew Whitmire

Colville
William S
Carpenter III
Randy Cornwell
Dean A Fischer
Tim Gray

Concrete Don Beazizo Cari Dellinger David Dellinger Jack E Evans Ashleigh Howell Jesse Howell Kelly Howell Carrie Newby Jim Newby Kevik Rensink Mark S Richmond Ron Rood Randy Sweeney Robert S Thomas Matthew Williams Vanessa Williams Adam Woodworth

Connell
Zoee DeRuwe
David Dixon
Kate Johnson
Thomas R Walker
Bill Walker
Coupeville
Eric Lindberg

Gary Smart

Curtis

Clayton Angle

Lindsay E Bemis

Jeff Housman Tim Kelly Bob Lucey Ben Mangrum Terry Rice Darin Ringenbach Gary Spidahl Joe Thomas Mark Williams

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Cusick
Pamela Treischel
Darrington
Greg Powell

Davenport
Aaron Carr
Kevin L Hupp
Pete Schweiger

Davis/WhiteSwan Andy Bush

**Dayton**Dan L Graham
Scott E Hudson
Winton P Lytle
Roy Ramirez

Decatur
Patricia A Braun
Michael M Bressler
John Cassens
Christy Lynn Gross
Kevin Olson
Kevin E Rawie

Deer Park Ron Brazington Robert Champoux Stephanie Curtis Scott Daratha Zac Farnam Bryan Frost Dawn Geyer Cameron Gilbert Angel Hammond Jamie Henry Matt Jorgensen Shannon Jorgensen Dean Largent Kim Lefler David Lowther Danny M O'Dell Kevin Oglesbee Sean O'Neal Wes Player

Glenn Poland

Bryan M Schutz

Darren Snyder

Keith Stamps

Mark Scognamiglio

Ken Ryan

Deer Park cont. Ashley Verzal Doug Watson

#### Jack Wood DeSales

Mike Giusti Brian Hamada Michael P Mele Tom Richard

#### East Valley-Spokane

Jim Dorr Adam Fisher Ed Fisher Mary Hirst Nick Lazanis Dave McCarty

#### East Valley-Yakima

Susan Cullen Randall Davis Rahnie Lee Dwaine T Morrison Robi J Raab Barry Reifel Denny Stone Ken Weyrick

#### Christy Wood Eastlake

Rob Andrzejewski Richard V Belcher Krista Bjorge Richard Bloomhuff Maui Borden Patrick Cabulagan Joseph J Clay Kristen Couch George R Crowder Gene Dales Ryan Gilbert Andrew Hay Corinne Immel Steve Jones Matt LaBrie Al Leaverenz Michael S Linker **Bud Peterson** Scott Sartorius Greg Seeley Steve Skinner Stephen G Smith

#### Stephen Supple Eastmont Ed Baugh Lorrie A Howe David L Kelley

Douglas R McGill Dan White Eastside Catholic

Bill Marsh

#### Eatonville

George W Fairhart Daniel Fountain Bill Guertner Thomas M Martin Matt A Mueller Geoff Olson Mark W Swartout

#### Edmonds Woodway Brianne Cook

Wayne T Edwards Rick Fillman Sandy Metzger Gail Pintler Michael W Pittis Richard Valliet

#### Edmonds-Alderwood MS

Jeffery A Vogel Edmonds-Brier

#### Terrace MS Thomas Fridge

Herb Hudson Jr Edmonds-College

#### Place MS Janet Westerlund Eisenhower

Annette Cook Christopher D Cook Dan Eyman Pat Fitterer Brandon L Hauver

#### Gary Hirst Denton Norwood

Ellensburg Tara Affholter Craig Faire Jeff Hashimoto Steven E Reeves

#### Ellensburg-Morgan MS

Clint L Lebo Elma

Todd Baun Stan Blanchard Ben Blankenship Julie Crawford Jason K Dick Sean Ekerson

David Hill Jim Hill Ryan Jump Paul Nadeau Darcy Potts Marvin Prince Rick Rakevich Scott Rowland

Levi Lacey Bryan Schneider Katie Searle Joe Smiley John Tarman Bill Zwarun

#### Elma MS

Zachary Foster Kim W Kruger Jeffrey Mache

#### **Emerald Ridge** James W Beauchaine

Cary Bertram Raymond J Brassard Brian Howells Jr Marcus Lewis Jeff Marsh Cody Meek Jim Meyerhoff Jr Kevin Nishimoto Vince Tarsi Shawn Yohn

#### Entiat Tom J Wolsborn

Enumclaw Angela Bushmaker Jackie Carel Richard Carel

#### Dennis Hagan **Ephrata**

Brandon E Evenson David J Johnson Sally Kaatz Daniel T Martin Jay A Mills David Tempel Sara Tempel Dan Williams Joe Wolf

#### **Everett**

Tim K Boyd Dan Fenner Doug Hall Blake E Haug Roger Haug Harlan C Jackson Jane Johnson John Low Tim Odell Darrell Olson Bruce Overstreet Kyle Peacocke Will Soren Mike Taggart

#### Everett CC

Nick Amrine Mike Fridrich Chet Hoyde Aaron Johnson Matt Koenigs Pablo Mummey Ciara Papac Brandi Prince Randy Smith Suzan Snow

Larry Walker Scott Willsie

#### **Everett-Evergreen** MS

Mark Bigger Erica Taggart

#### Everett-Heatherwood MS

Ed Lundberg Reija Ann Watson M Joan Weiss

#### Evergreen Megan Suarez

Evergreen Lutheran Stan Cole Jeffrey D Kurbis

### Evergreen State

Jeff Drinkwine Evergreen-Seattle

#### Daylene Boehm Jayson Boehm

Doris Burdin Tyrone Curry Terry Dixon Jario Garcia Chris Humphries J Tvler Ivv Stephen Miguelez Bethany Tate

#### Anthony White Evergreen-Vancouver

Mike Staton Federal Way

#### Sam Beesley John Meagher

Federal Way-Sacajawea MS Eugene Victor

### Federal Way-

Totem MS Fritz J Bushnell

#### Ferndale Rick Brudwick

Angela Burgess Tom Diimmel Terri McMahon James M Plenkovich Vic Randall

#### Joel Wark **Ferris** Robert P Coulter

Mike Hadway Ashley Jones James G Noble Barry Olson Jim Sharkey Don Van Lierop Gary Van Velson

#### Fife

James L Amsbary Arnoldo Arostegui Jolane Bushnell Carlton J Cooper Shawn Gaspaire Howard Hosley Brandon Howard Jeff Ibuki Mark A Jones Janice Kirk Brian Koestler Kelli Loomis Shannon MacKinnon Brian Meyer Roger A Miller Kent Nevin Shane Nixon Elizabeth Ohlde Travis Ohlde Heather Robison Mike Ryan Mark Schelbert Paula Schwan Tervll Shimoda Christiann Thomas Fife-Columbia JH Carvn Choate-Deeds Scot Gause Joe Jordan Andrew S McClure Philip Moseley Edward Scheidt Jereme Scheidt Jacob DB Stevens Raymond VanKat

#### Finley MS Randy Lane

Forks Scott A Justus Todd McDowell

#### Foss

Mike Cocke Ronald J Ellis Edward C Webb Roy J Young Foster Louis D'Andrea Franklin

#### Cliff Brown

Franklin Pierce Pat Allen Steve G Andersen Jeff Beha Ronald Bitonio Jennifer Bruce Marcus Disney Stephanie Disney Hollis Elliott Brandon Feist

Jason Gesser

Howard Lutton Wendy Malich

Rebekah Hardee

Jeff Melvard Jason Mendiola Kelly C Miles Deon Moyd

Jenny Narciso David Naron

Tom Picha Mark Torgerson

Amy Utecht Erica Walter Bryan A Zagar

#### Franklin Pierce-

Ford MS Nicholas J Aloisio Dietrich Baker Tyler Borden Darcy L Claus Audra Goodman Richard I Krook David LaSalata Neil P O'Brien Matthew D Shouse Steven Stoker Joe Walter Henry C Whitehead

### Franklin Pierce-

Keithley MS Sheryl Alford Anthony A Braggs Angela Clyde Kyle S Foster Laura Kraig Robin L McCarver Sara Stewart Judy Stumpf Kyle Wilson

#### Freeman Jerry C King

Jim Wood Friday Harbor Darrin L Scheffer

Rod Turnbull

#### Garfield Nicole Petty

Garfield-Palouse Phil Weagraff Bob Wolf

#### Gig Harbor Kevin S Eager

Patty Ley Leon D Likens Lyle McIntosh Mike McKay Shawn McKay John Medak Dan Oliver

Glacier Peak Nicholas Bender Thomas Berg Mark Bircher John Bonner Francis P Dauncey Craig Davis Darci Desilet Jordan Gere Steve Hannan Andrew Haynie Brian Hill Ken Hoerath Brian Hunter Brannon Jackson Wendy Jackson Brad Johnson Matt King Jennifer Klovdahl James Kruckenberg Michael Marshall Mark P McCallum John M Mitchell Bryan J Mossburg Craig Otto Christopher Pratt Rory Rosenbach Robert W Serviss III Craig M Smith Jill Smith Melinda Torre Darren Watkins Christine Windrim Lisa Zanol

Glenwood Aaron Oldenburg Goldendale

Jodi L Bellamy Don Strother Gonzaga

David McKenna Gonzaga Prep David T Carson

Joe Feryn Brian Kissinger Donna Lenseigne Graham Kapowsin

Mark Conrad Susan Elliott James M Hadland John R Harkness Bill Jacobs Eric Kurle Bryan Streleski Tina Streleski

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Charvet

Matthew Ellis Ismael Fajardo Francisco J Garcia Ramiro S Gonzalez John LaFever Dave Uggetti

Grandview MS Gail Ann Boose Larry Boose Jeff Brannan Kerri Eucker

Granger Miguel A Bazaldua Cathy Klarich Jon Klarich Katrina Reddout

Granite Falls James Barth Robynn Barth Don Blacker Eric Dinwiddie Keith Johnson Mark Neuman

Granite Falls MS Michael Thompson

Green River CC Scott Dillinger Tim Malrov Dennis Olson

Hanford Hugh A Harris Jr Sean Mars Kim Mayer Paul Mayer Rob Oram Steve Perez

Lindsey T Tucker Evan Woodward Harner Zena Ingles

Hazen Donald L Adams Jim Boyd Eric Franklin Jeff Hart Scott Leick Todd Leick Donald Ponds

Heritage Chelinda Dettorre Gene Dettorre Mike LeFore Highland LaDonna Nelson

Jerry Prescott Highline Joe Cail David Larson Mary Lorenzen

Holy Names Academy Michael Yee

Hoguiam

Michael Cummings Curtis Eccles Kevin Gary Bryan A Jones Larry Jones Jeremy McMillan Richard A Moore Edward R Rosi

Hudson's Bay Janet H Elliott Steven Stebbins

Ilwaco Bob Enos Gene Ford Kevin McNulty Kipton Glenn Meinhardt

Sarah Taylor

Inchelium Rod Hergesheimer Brian Myers

Inglemoor David Allemeier Greg Lowell Jeff Skelly

Interlake Sarah Fox Sara Grandstrand Bob Levitin Dave Unwin

Issaquah Laura Couty Raymond Garcia Kirk E Hyatt Fred Reiss Gwen Robertson Tracy Silva

Jackson James Anderson Alex Barashkoff Michael R Bartley Larry Boushey Craig L Bowen Eric Hruschka David K Hutt Stephen R Johnson Mark Kreutz Michael V Moran Ashley Potts Ryan Simmons Tracy Theriault Steven C Till

Jenkins-

Chewelah

Juanita

Juanita/Mercer

Island

Rocky Verbeck

Gary Groenen

Shaun Tarantola

Don Papasedero

Juanita-Kamiakin JН

Neil Kells Kalama

Len Hiatt Ronald E Palmer Kamiak

Bill Costello Charles LeWarne Daniel J Mack

Tim Winsor Kamiakin J Craig Beverlin Shannon Bibe Todd A Borak Jennifer Brown George C Carlson Steve Conner Stephen L Davis Keith Duncan Terry Duncan Christine Erikson Lloyd Erikson Laura Garrett Sarah Garrett Eric Gough Jeremy Grillo Gerry O Hexum

Hollandsworth

Jessica

Tammy Hutchison Leonard Johnson Phil Jones Tim Maher Pete Martin Kevin W McAfee Ryan McCallum Nancy McLean Brian Meneely Mary Opitz Phil Owen Matthew W Patterson Chad Potter Reid Preppernau James W Ramsey Matt Rexus Dennis Rose Cheryl B Schauble Don Schumacher Shaun Suss Teresa Thoelke Kathryn Tocco Jamie Whitmire Cheryl L Yoke

Kelso Tom Akins Rick Ames Tyler Beavers Pat Berg Ray Berg Michael Birch Holly Budge Jason Coburn Pat Connors Liz Crosby Rick Davis Lacey DeWeert Sean Doebele Bob Freund John Fromdahl Jason Frost Darin Gardner Greg Gardner Lauren Hartley Pat Hymes Rob Johanson Joe Kinch Adam King

Peter Kooiman Joe Krieder Jason Langenbach Jim Langenbach Amber Lemiere Andrew Lemiere Tyson Lindeman Aaron Lunday Marcie Lynne Malone Mike McMahon Scot Meeker Erinn Morton Michelle Mury Deadra Navolynski Michael Neves Brad Phillips Bob Pliler Dave Provolt Jerry Ralston Jennifer Rinard Kevin Sawver Jeff Schrock Michael A Skeie Dean Sorensen Joe Stewart Fred Sunday Annie Swanson Abby Tate Breanne Tomalin Dan Twiss

Kelso-Coweeman JΗ Larry Arlint

Carol Bryan Brenda Cowan Bob Lucas Todd J Mayther Trevor Phillips Kandi Rupe Kathy Scalesse Jason Ziegler

Kelso-Huntington JH Rob Birdsell

Nick Crowe Nicholas Ferguson Zachary Holter Tami Johnson Darlene Mongeon R David Parsons Elizabeth Roffler Robbin Treadway

Kennedy Joe Faccone

Dino Josie Kim Katzenberger Susie Scholes

Kennewick Robert Arnold Lenny Ayers Hiedi Berry Steve Buckingham Scott Carswell Kara Coleman Angela N Courtney Phillip Dron Patti C Elder Oscar P Garnica Bradvn Levde Aaron Machart AJ Marquardt Giana Marquardt Adrian Mercado Nicholas Otto Andrew M Prein Todd Puckett Randy R Scott Jason Slagle Alexandria Sparhawk Cory Stemp Arnie Sullivan Bill Templeton Tarah M Troutman Kate Weir Jason Woods

Kennewick-Desert Hills MS

Cindy Charboneau Jill Mever Claudia Minnich Doug Minnich Eric Otheim Josh Pasma David C Phillips Richard G Rallens Ben Schuldheisz Thomas M Thoelke Kennewick-Horse

Heaven Hills MS Natausha Burris David L Coulson

Herb Coulter Michael Dean Kenneth W Elder John M Ganley Ryan Gaumer

#### Kennewick-Horse Heaven Hills MS cont.

Boyd Gebers Charlie Hingston Melanie Hingston Tonie Ann Reiboldt Doug Reppe Laura Root Maria Scott Cindy Steinborn Randy Taylor Michelle Thompson Kelly Zimmerman

#### Kennewick-Park MS

Brenda Coomes David Elkins Hollis Erikson Crystal Greer Kevin K Hale Francine Haughton Bobbi Judy Jon A Koker Andrea Mann Chris Oatis Dwane A Sitler Patty Williamson

#### Kent Meridian

Brian Lockhart Mike Simmons James Sutrick Randy Werner Kent-Meridian MS

#### Rick Weinbrecht Eric Werner

Kentlake James B Hewson Kelli Kelsch Scott Simmons Barry Smith Jared Walsh

#### Kentridge Brad Broughton Glen Dacus Craig W Dougherty Steve Fenton David C Fowler Matt Griffith Harold Hawken Bill Johnson Staci Mattson Charlie Mitchell Marty Osborn Kyle Patrick Robert Sandall Jeff Shumake

Julie Taylor

Al Waltner

Stephen Wimer

Doug Wollen

#### Kentwood

Jon Aarstad Justin Buckner Bil Caillier Karl Cordes Kathleen S Curtis Robert Fenton Rich Hargett Jr Keith Hennig Dean Montzingo Rex D Norris Bill Ogle Kenneth Paul Kurt Phelps Aaron Radford Steve Roche Anthony Schmid Ken Sroka Robert J Stepan Melvin Wells Jason Wisor Melissa York

#### Kettle Falls

Tyler Edwards Don Fox Norman M Gaston Kilickitat Joe Bales

#### King's

Steve Bain Dan Blackmer Rachael Blackmer Nicole Gabelein Daunte Gouge Bill Liley Kathy Jo Menzyk Eric Rasmussen Jim Shapiro Ben Somoza Rod Wilcox

#### Jeff Wright King's West

Dan Dittmer Jason R Meeder Martin Prehm Scott Rouse Dennis Sheline Susan Sheline Rick Walker

# Kingston

James C Andrews Roger Coffman Chris Gilbreath Tresa Grimm Karla Laubach Scott McKay JW (Jack) Nannery Dan Novick Tim Olson Craig C Smith Kevin Strozier

#### Heidi L Uher Kingston-Kingston MS

Aaron Evans

#### Kittitas Marc Eylar

Shileah Heistand Lance Hyatt Nathan R Phillips Frank Reno Judy Schomer Cheryl Uceny Merle J Watkins Jr Zak Webb

#### Klahowva

Rob Weber

Steven Detweiler Robert Detweiler Jr Robert Detweiler Sr Chris Hiatt Loree Hippe William Hippe

#### LaCenter

Richard A Boyle Matthew Cooke James Hudson John Lambert Randy Martinez Jeff Nevels

#### Thomas E Rice LaConner

Suzanne Marble Peg Seeling LaCrosse/

#### Washtucna

Michael Dorman Brian Koller Gerald Martin Sandy Martin Jeff Nelson Brian Sisk

#### Lake Roosevelt Lori K Adkins

James Caddy Gary Darnold Steve Hood Lee Largent Linda Lindh William Nicholson II Bradley E Wilson

#### Jennifer Wilson Lake Stevens

Rodger Anderson Steven C Berg Cliff Chaffee Stuart Chaffee Ernie Goshorn Mike Hahn Gilman McKinnie Jeff Page Robin Sundvor

#### Lake Stevens-Cavelero Mid-High

Mike Levan Jeff Lynass Mark McCoy Lake Washington Steve Becher Michael C DeAguiar Neil Hanson Shelby Jacobs James Johnson Nykolas L Minke

#### Thomas I Noon Tom Sinclair Renee Wageman

Jared Wright Lake Washington-Evergreen JH

#### Alexander Hyres Lake Washington-Kamiakin JH

Todd Brink Lake Washington-Rose Hill JH

#### Rodney Thornley Lakes

Wavne Bridges Joe Clark Ruben Cortinas Curt Corvin Patti Hoeks Karl L Kearnev Caleb Kellcy Dave Miller Scott Shellgren Willie C Stewart Jr Cassandra Yearsley Deborah Yearslev

#### Lakeside Sally Revere

Lakeside-NMF Brian Dunn Bob Hesselgesser Gavle Hesselgesser MacArthur L Mikkelsen

Cam Preston Mike Reeder Lakeside-Seattle Bill McMahon

#### F Takashi Yamada Lakewood

Steve Barker Eric Carlson Jay Carlson Larry Delaney Matthew Hart Amy Hendry Nancy S Jensen Chris Knight

Jacob Kon Tasha Kryger Roy A LaRue Kristi Lentz Andrew Lien Diane Mever Jonathan Murray Amber Nash Carrie Nunnally Thomas A O'Hara Mitch Robbins Monica Rooney David Rost Jeff Sowards Bradley C Ubert Vaughn Vandelac Chris Walster Jeremiah

#### Wohlgemuth Lakewood MS Craig Henderson

Amy Lewis LaSalle

#### Greg McMillan Jack McMillan Joe Tanasse Ray Zeutenhorst

Lewis & Clark Barrie Florko Dave Hughes Jim Redmon

Jeff Reyburn Daniel M Thew Mark Vandine Julie Yearout Tom E Yearout

#### Liberty Bell Steven L Avery Liberty Christian

Chris Holway Lois J Roberts Liberty-Issaguah

#### Manuel Brown III Andy Hall

Brian Hartman Mark A Little Darren Tremblay Stephen J Valach Melissa Wyman

#### Liberty-Spangle Christopher

Chandler Aaron Fletcher Rod Fletcher Duke Hammond Rick C Johnson Kyle Kimble

#### Life Christian Academy

Todd Myles Corrigan Don Gustafson

Matt Kitna Mark A Lovelady Pat Lynn Ron Mattila Brad McKnight Tim Paige

# Lincoln

Duane Lee Cal-Jean Llovd Jim McCuen Lindbergh

Matt W Leamer Jef Rettmann Robert J Stewart Jeffrey Stuart

#### Lind-Ritzville Dwight Pflugrath

Longview-Mount Solo MS

John M Daniels Lopez Island

Larry Berg Stephanie D Fowler

Lummi Daniel J Williams Lyle

David Barthlow Don Smith

#### Lynden Rob Adams

Randy J Anderson Edward W Bomber Russ Dorr Curt Kramme Jason Marlowe Brian Roper Jeff Seev Charlie Weinheimer

#### Lvnden Christian

Kent De Hoog Darren Johnson Darren Postma Victor Wolffis

#### Lynnwood

Javme Horn Jean Kellogg Duane Lewis Dorian Manza

#### Mabton

John Durham Brandon Harting Manson

#### Brad Barnes Jack C Hill

Mariner Brad Agerup Thomas V Myre John Ondriezek

#### Mark Morris

Bill Bakamus Charles Byers

Timothy D Clark Jerry Kiekow Shawn Perkins Kim Ulman Lisa Verage

Marysville MS
Darrell Walker
Marysville-

Cedarcrest MS
Benjamin Castaneda
Marysville-

#### Marysville-Pilchuck

KT Allyn Michael D Cull Paul Dockendorf Kimberly Edens John Hodgins Brian Kesler Melanie Kreiger Eric Lefstad Jaclin LeGore Hodgins Mike Lowery

#### Mead

John Barrington Sean Carty Laurie L Chadwick Vernon J Hare Judy Kight Bob Litton Philip A McLean Jason Reich Dori Robertson Stephanie Splater

#### Meadowdale Kristy Maraveller Chad McGuire

Troy Parker Andrew H Streit Medical Lake

# Arnold K Brown John Giannandrea Sam E Petersen Phillip J Tennison Jr

Mercer Island
Tami Baddeley
Kurt R Boyd
John B Frazier
Erica Hill
Kelly John-Lewis
Leonard Lewis
C Creighton
Laughary
Ed Pepple
John A Williams

#### Meridian Robert A Ames Clint Avery

Dan Hollod Michael Holz

Monroe Jennifer Carrol Curtis Eskeback
Montesano

Chad Allan Terry Jensen Julie Mattson Judy VanDinter

#### Morton Warren Dunlap Steve Hanson

Steve Hanson Jim Johnson Ronald N Nilson

Mose Lake
Carlos Adamy
Sarah Aiken
Lori J Baker
Bill Bertram
Billy R Brice
Logan Brown
Lonny Brown
Mikey Carlile
Jennifer Carpenter
Ricardo L Char
Loren Childers
Fran Christensen

Deena Christensen-Pugh Charles Cox III Lydia DeLeon Jay Dickinson Pete Doumit Samantha Duke Maritza Enriquez John M Forsberg Rolando Gonzales Dave Gregory Todd Griffith

Noel Brett
Hammond
Rolland Hansen
Larissa Hanson
George Hara
Kris Hendrickson
Scott Hirz
Mike Hofheins
J Jacob Hunt
Mike Hymes
Carolyn Johnson
Wayne Johnson

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Jim Nielsen

Ryan Palmer

Derek O'Konek

Juan Peralez
Ty Perkins
Doug Philen
Jeremy Pitts
Samantha Pleitez
Jared Pope
Johnny Rodriguez
JR Snider

Tony St Onge Dan Stevenson Matthew R Strophy Amy L Utter Chad Utter Jonathan Valencia

Jonathan Valencia
John W Wagner
Hans Warkentin
Nicki Weiland
Quintz Whitaker
Kevin Whittall
Brady Wiltbank
Kimberly Wiltbank

Jamie Wise Duke Wood Jon E Wrigley Moses Lake-Chief

Moses

Jason Betts
Will Caballero
Robin Garrison
Bart Gish
Sherri Hickman
Jason Humphrey
Lori Loera
Chris Mason
Shawn Richter
Randy Sandberg
Mark Thompson

# Keith Uhlinger Moses LakeColumbia Basin SS

Gregory J Haglund Terri Pixlee James Shank

Moses Lake-Frontier MS

Terry Balthazor Kristen M Daugs Rita Gardner Steven Gjefle Santiago Gonzales Mike Koon Jay Loutherback John A Nelson Dan Robertson Gloria Rubio Tracy L Strophy Scott Wilson

# Mossyrock Gale R Bridges

Mount Baker Booie Borden David Galbraith Rob Gray Tonian Gray Chad Hoidal Ron Lepper Brandon Welch John Weston

**Mount Rainier** Frank Brandt Brian Jacobson

Mount Si Jennifer Batton Jessica Easthope Bonnie Foote Chrisopher M

Jackson Charlie Kinnune Brian Peterman Dennis Sherrer

Mount Spokane Annette Helling

Mount Tahoma Jim Berwold Dan Gurash Calvin McHenry Karen M Mulkey Terry Lynn Thayer

Mount Vernon John Banaszak Mac Fraser Dave Riddle Jason Rinker Torev Swanson

#### Mount Vernon Christian

Dick Gudmunson Linda Gudmunson

Mountain View
Ted Beyer
Adam C Mathieson
Mountlake Terrace
Steve C McCary

Tony Umayam
Naches Valley
Bill Walker Jr

Napavine Rod Anthony Jon Pannette Shane Schutz Rex G Stanley Jay Terry

Naselle Kimberly D Eaton Lonnie R Eaton Rhiana Jacot Brian Macy Paul Wirkkala Timothy E Wirkkala

Nathan Hale
Eugene Burt
Colleen Davis
Ben Hazelwood

Hoover L Hopkins Newport-Bellevue Brad Bendix Gary L Core David J Davis Farrah Griffin Dan Holden Michael D Miller

k Brandt Dave Olzendam n Jacobson David Poplawski

Nooksack Valley/ Meridian Bill Kelly Gerald W Smoot

North Beach Rick Leighty Hugh Wyatt

North Central Grady Emmerson Chuck Filippini Jon Knight

North Kitsap
Ed Amick
Joe Amick
Greg Braun
Richard Christopher
Jonathan Erickson
Dave Falk
Christopher D
Franklin ATC

Steve Frease

Tim French

Tom Harney Bob Henderson Bill Hobaugh Nikolaus Hoffman Willie Joe Christopher W May Craig L Middlebrook Marie Moore Sheila R Moore

Kristina Goodfellow

Trish Olson Jerry Parrish Brandon Pedersen Ken Shawcroft Dave Snyder Will Snyder Greg St Peter

Tennis Olson

Joan M Starr Brent Stenman H Dee Taylor Virgil Taylor Jeff Weible

North Kitsap-Kingston MS Jay DeVries Robert Good North Kitsap-Poulsbo MS

Hollie Anderson

Robert M Case Tim Eaton

North Mason Steve Anderson Brian Barker Julie Barker William Beisley Jeff Bevers Bishop Bielec Stephanie Clarke Kathy Copp Tony Coppinger Renee Dolfin Mike Gastineau Bill Geyer Al Gleich Paula Grande Steve Hackett Cliff Harris David Hawkins Jay Hultberg Marla Hunt Steve Hunt Wayne Jackson Judi Johnson Karen J Johnson

Mike McDonnell Robert Meeder Allen O'Brien Jody Olson Bob Patterson Phil Pugh Brian Stave

Heather King

Kris Klusman

Brian Stave Howard Thoemke Miranda Thygesen James Webb Kristy Whitcher

> North Mason-Hawkins MS

John Beard
John A Comstock
Mike Honeycutt
Michelle Johnson
Kursta Joslin-Moore
Alan C Lee
Frank Lopez
Jason Urlacher

North Thurston

Dean Janz Nick Miller Rocky Patchin Northshore JH

David E Boze

Northwest

Christian-Lacey
William S Kehoe
Oak Harbor
Peter Esvelt

Peter Esvelt Lawrence B Falcon Michael N Fisher

Oak Harbor cont.
Robin Gohn
Pamela Headridge
John Matzen
Tom Mueller
Jerry (Jay) Turner
Jim Waller

Oakville
Larry L Helms
Ocosta
Michael Allton
Aaron Anderson
Robert E Erickson
Kevin Goodrich

Kevin Goodrich Michael J King Ken Martinson Russ Roehl Rich Swiergula Tim Wahl

O'Dea
Jeffrey D Anderson
Michael F Crotty
Erasto L Jackson
Monte Kohler
Pat Raney
James Reese III
Andrew M Slatt III
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Odessa Leslie Fink Steven D Fink Myron Kramer Kenneth P Scherr Bruce E Todd

Okanogan
Trisha Bradley
Jeff Cheeseman
Kevin Daling
Shawn Davisson
Mike Gariano
Dean Klepec
Andrew L Knutson
Jancey Marsh
Brad McGaha
Dennis R Neely
Aaron Nickelsen
Gordon Pitts
Zach Spaet

Olympia
Bill Beattie
Laurie A Creighton
Robert Darin
Steven J Davis
Dana Fraser
Phil Harlan
Rockey Isley
Todd McDougall
Steve Roth
Luke Salme
Denis Shea
Tim Sokolik
John Willmarth

Olympia-Marshall MS

Dan J Helms
Olympic
Timothy R Allbee
Nate Andrews
Greg Chapman
John Freeman
Scott Peck
Daryl Schruhl
Laurie A Shaw

Olympic College Richard Lowry

Omak Melody Pecha Kayla Wells

Onalaska Dennis Bower Johnny R Garcia John Hallead Wayne Nelson William J Schwall Dustin Workman

Dennis Dahl
Oroville
Brett Fancher
Michele L Fancher

Orcas Island

Orting
Karlena Bowers
Jerry Clyde
Chad Nasinec
Marty Parkhurst
Othello

Daniel Gonzales
Roger Hoell
Michael B Jensen
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Jacob J Martinez
Ruben Martinez
Ernestina Mendez
Rudy Ochoa
Rudy Ochoa II
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Pasco Kentin Alford Jack Anderson Aaron Barcot Scott Bond Robert Booth Jeff Boothe Chet Canode Dan Carey Justin Carey Jose Carrasco Teresa Chavez Mike Clayton Jay Covington Kim Cox Wendy E Dammarell Steven Davis Joe Dubsky

Jeni Duvall Scott Estes Breanne Florence Richard Garza Bob Gelston Richard Gibson Steve Graff Gary R Hackney Courtney Halverson Tim Harrington Jose Herrera Chad Herron Kelly Herron Tyler Hockaday Don Hogue Randy Hoover Russ Hunt Brent Johnsen Brad Johnson Gary Jonas John Kerr Grover C Kerr Jr Brooke Lanning Janae Loeber Gilbert Marquez Kirston McBride Gil McCargo Courtney Moss Myra Muniz Nick Nastri Patsy Northam Devin Olson Mike Pardini Curtis Paxton Kevin Pedersen Elena Peterson Matt Potter Manuel Ramos Robert Reid Cassandra Rosas Leah Rouleau Becca Schwan-Story DJ Search Dustin Snediger Trov Sommerville Dave Spray Amanda Stueckle Charles Villanueva David Wilson Lane Winsor Laurie Yocum

Pasco-Horse
Heaven Hills MS
JL McKinstry
Pasco-Longfellow
MS
Janie Agee
Pasco-McLaughlin
MS

Brad Allen Maria Bias Sarah Dalen

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# **WSFCA Mid-Winter Football Conference**

### January 23, 24, 25 Bellevue Hilton

ı	FRIDAY SEMINAR – JANUARY 23	7:30 – 9:00	Featured Speaker: Jim McElwain – Offensive Coordinator, University of Alabama
7:30 - 8:30	Registration		"Crimson Tide Football"
8:30 - 8:40	Welcome & Agenda		
8:40 - 9:30	Digital Sports Video Demo – "Winning		SATURDAY, JANUARY 24
	Through Game Preparation and	7:30 – 8:30	Registration
	Technology"  Jeff Schmidt – WA State Rep	8:30 – 9:20	"Offensive Line Techniques for the Wing T" Phil Willenbrock- Head Coach, UPS
9:35 – 10:10	Varsity Gold – "Fundraising, The Life Blood		"Defensive Line Drills & Techniques"
	of Your System" Ken Holden & David Wright		Mark Keel – Head Coach, Central Kitsap High School
10:15 - 11:00	"Preparing Yourself, Your Staff & Team for		"Quarterback & Receiver Play at Central
	Summer Programs"		Washington University"
	Dick Langum – Risk Manager		Blaine Bennett - Head Coach, CWU
11:10 - 12:10	Panel Discussion – "The Evils of		"Defensive Back Drills, Technique &
	Specialization in High School Athletics"		Covers"
	Moderator: Coach Don Papasadero –		Joe Lorig – D.B. Coach, CWU
	Mercer Island H.S., Panelists: Bill	9:20 – 9:40	Visit Exhibits
	Lavaroni, Craig "Sideline Smitty" Smith,	9:40 - 10:30	"Important Decisions in Developing the
	and Tim Crowder		Wing-T Linemen"
12:10 – 1:00	Lunch (Included in Registration Fee)		Phil Willenbrock
1:00 – 1:55	"Program Development, Part 1"		"The No-Huddle Spread Gun Wing T
	Mike Hastings – Pt. Loma High School,		Jeremy Plaa – Head Coach, Thomas
0.00 0.55	San Diego, CA		Downey High School, Modesto, CA
2:00 – 2:55	"Program Development, Part 2"		"3-3-5 Alignment & Assignments"
2.00 2.50	Mike Hastings		Randy Heath – Defensive Coordinator,
3:00 – 3:50	"Important Aspects of Training the High School Quarterback"		Jesuit High School, Portland, OR
	Hugh Millen – Baden Sports Rep.		"Offensive Line Play in the Double Wing" Tim Murphy – Head Coach, Clovis East
_	Presented by Gear Athletics & Baden		High School, Clovis, CA
	Sports	10:40 - 11:30	"The Canby Delaware Wing T Sweep
3:55 – 4:30	Open Forum – "Weight Training for the	10.10	Series vs. Odd & Even"
	Multi-Sport Athlete"	_	Mike Doty - Head Coach, Canby High
	Moderator: Rick Giampietri – Head		School, Canby, OR
	Coach Central Valley HS, Spokane		"The Double Wing- Backfield Play"
4:30 - 5:30	East-West Selection Meetings		Tim Murphy – Clovis, CA
	East 3A/4A (Redmond)		"Building Every Day"
	West 3A/4A (Kirkland)		John Tully – Head Coach, Whitworth
	West A/B (Newcastle)		University
5:30 - 6:30	Round Table – "It's Not All X's & O's – A	_	"Defensing the Double Wing with the 4-3
	Small School Discussion"		Multiple Covers"
	Rob Friese – Willapa Valley H.S. –		Mark Speckman – Head Coach,
	Moderator (King County I)	11.40 10.00	Willamette University "But the Booket into the Spread Cup Wing
	Round Table – "Issues & Concerns At the Jr. Hi/Middle School Level"	11.40 - 12:30	"Put the Rocket into the Spread Gun Wing T"
	Mike Schick – Edgemont Jr. Hi, Puyallup		Jeremy Plaa – Modesto, CA
	Sandy Cooprider – Foothills Middle		"The Canby Wing T Down & Belly Series vs.
	School, Wenatchee (King County II)		Even & Odd"
6:30 - 7:30	Dinner & Refreshments (Included in		Mike Doty – Canby, OR
0.00 7.00	Registration Fee)		Will Doty Gallby, Oli

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	Jim Sutrick – Defensive Line Coach, Kent Meridian High School  "Out of Season"  Mike Hastings – Head Coach, Pt. Loma High School, San Diego, CA		Conditioning for Football"  Lele Te'o – Strength & Conditioning Coach, Juanita High School  "Eagles Multiple I with Variations"  Eric Kurle – Graham Kapowsin High
12:30 – 1:10	Lunch & Visit Exhibits		School
1:10 – 2:00	"Screens, Specials & Hidden Hand-off Draw in the Spread Gun" Jeremy Plaa – Modesto, CA	6:30 p.m.	Dinner and Hall of Fame Inductions, Gold & Silver Helmet Awards, and District Coach of the Year Awards
	"3-4 Tampa 2 – Rerouting the Receivers" Wes Warren – Defensive Coordinator,	_	(dinner included in registration fee)
	Bellevue High School		SUNDAY, JANUARY 25
	"Q.B. Options & Runs in the Fly Offense" Mark Speckman – Willamette U.	8:30 – 9:00	Registration
	"Lewis & Clark Single Back Inside/Outside Zone Offense"	9:00 – 9:50	"4-3 Multiple Cover vs. Spread Option" Mark Speckman – Head Coach,
	Dave Hughes – Offensive Coordinator,		Willamette University
2:10 – 3:00	Lewis & Clark High School, Spokane "3-4 Zone Blitzes"		"Attacking the 3-3 Stack with the Double Wing"
	Wes Warren - Bellevue		Tim Murphy -Clovis East HS, Clovis, CA
	"Single Back Bootleg & 3-Step Passing		"High School Approach to the Air Raid
	Game"		Passing Game"
	Dave Hughes – Lewis & Clark, Spokane "3-3-5 Blitz Pressure Packages &		Jeremy Plaa – Thomas Downey HS, Modesto, CA
	Schemes"		"Defending the Wing T with the 3-3-5"
	Randy Heath – Jesuit HS, Portland "The No Huddle Offense – Where Do I	<b>.</b> .	Randy Heath – Defensive Coordinator, Jesuit HS, Portland, OR
	Start"	10:00 - 10:50	"Defending the Spread Gun with a 4-4
	Eric Young – Head Coach, College of The	10.00	Cover 3"
	Siskiyous, Weed, CA		Eric Young - College of The Siskiyous
3:00 – 3:15	Visit Exhibits		"The Wing T vs. a 3-3 Stack"
3:15 – 4:05	"The Canby Wing T, Counter & Trap Option		Mike Doty – Canby HS, Canby, OR
	Series"		"The 3-4 Tampa 2 vs. The Spread Option"
	Mike Doty – Canby, OR "Defensing the Spread Option with the 5-		Wes Warren – Defensive Coordinator, Bellevue HS
	2"		"The Moses Lake Triple Gun & Blocking
	Jim Sutrick – Defensive Line Coach, Kent		the Blitz Out of the Gun"
	Meridian		Greg Kittrell – Head Coach, Moses Lake
	"The Fly Offense – Inside & Outside		High School
	Sweep"	11:00 – 11:50	"Team Building & Staff Development"
	Mike Hastings – Pt. Loma High School, San Diego, CA		Mark Speckman – Head Coach, Willamette University
	"Stop the Wing T with Your Base 4-4"	12:00 – 12:50	"Team Building Through Conditioning"
	Eric Young - College of The Siskiyous		Bruce Brown – Proactive Coaching ■
4:10 – 5:00	"Special Teams"		
	Mike Hastings – Pt. Loma HS		
	"The Best of the Double Wing"		
	Tim Murphy – Clovis East HS, Clovis, CA		



# 100 ways to talk to your Football Players in the 2000's

by Coach Don Papasedero

Early this Fall, an old coaching pal of mine, (who has not been on the field since the mid-eighties), dropped in to watch a couple days of practice. He exclaimed that I was still working at a feverish pitch, sweating, stomping around, making a ruckus, and shoving my nose into every drill. More importantly, he recognized that the way I was communicating with the athletes had changed a great deal. It occurred to me that this was a backhanded compliment and a testimony to learning to adapt instruction to the player we see in the 2000's.

Certainly, we can all self-evaluate how we use our language to "teach" this game we love. The athletes have changed dramatically...it is our challenge to make positive changes in our delivery to match their needs and be effective football coaches. Below is a list of ways to speak to our guys. Consider giving them a try!

- 1) We will win with that kind of effort
- 2) You're doing a good job
- 3) You did a lot of improving today
- 4) Now you've figured it out
- 5) Effort should be a habit
- 6) You can't make a better play than that
- 7) That's the way we do it around here
- 8) You're a pleasure to coach today
- 9) Your choices are great
- 10) You're showing leadership around here
- 11) I am proud of you
- 12) You are progressing along very well
- 13) Good try...keep at it
- 14) You are trusting our teaching and it shows
- 15) You are a team player
- 16) FANTASTIC
- 17) You're a scary player
- 18) You're an unblockable stud
- 19) ...simply tough to handle out there
- 20) That's better...better and better each day
- 21) EXCELLENT
- 22) You are fun to coach

- 23) You are the kind of player who inspires me
- 24) Let's get your performance to match that great effort
- 25) That's the best you've ever done
- 26) SON
- 27) Keep hitting people and we will keep noticing you
- 28) You are going to "see the field" with that effort
- 29) Good 'n violent
- 30) Keep up the good work
- 31) You know what we are doing out there and it shows
- 32) You are much quicker
- 33) You are practicing to win for us
- 34) I like your thinking on that
- 35) Exactly right....perrrrfect
- 36) This is what will shake them up
- 37) You take coaching well
- 38) You make it look easy
- 39) I've never seen anyone do it better
- 40) You are doing all you can to keep improving
- 41) Way to show your aggressiveness
- 42) You could coach that skill
- 43) You're a good friend
- 44) You're better today than yesterday
- 45) WONDERFUL
- 46) I knew you could do it
- 47) We admire your work ethic
- 48) You're doing beautifully on this new stuff
- 49) That's why we are in the weight room
- 50) That's unselfish of you
- 51) Nobody is going to outwork you
- 52) Your training is paying off
- 53) Nothing can stop you now that you understand it
- 54) That is an All-League type of play
- 55) You are using precision...a real craftsman
- 56) You are showing others how to play
- 57) Your leadership is certainly appreciated

- 58) Your teammates just love you
- 59) You are so strong
- 60) That was the best you have ever done that drill
- 61) I'm happy to see you working like that
- 62) You know this scheme very well
- 63) Now, isn't that fun
- 64) Hummm Babe
- 65) You are really reducing your breakdowns
- 66) Our guys are starting to want to be like you
- 67) That kind of work makes me so happy
- 68) Our team dreads practicing against you
- 69) Now you've figured it out
- 70) Brilliant decision there...this really fits what we are doing
- 71) That's you...the real you
- 72) Instant reaction...that's it
- 73) You are ready for "Prime Time"
- 74) Practice is never a drudge with you out here
- 75) You've figured that out fast
- 76) You remember
- 77) You're really improving your technique
- 78) I think you've got it now

- 79) A great choice
- 80) You show us class on and off the field
- 81) TREMENDOUS
- 82) You must just love football
- 83) You never take "a down off"
- 84) Your practice is at game speed already
- 85) Now, that's what I call a fine job
- 86) You are a grizzly, tough dude
- 87) I can't guess how much better you will become
- 88) That was first class work
- 89) Right on
- 90) SENSATIONAL
- 91) That's the best ever
- 92) You are the first in line...always hustling
- 93) You haven't missed a thing
- 94) Its a pleasure to coach when you work like that
- 95) You really make my job fun
- 96) You must have been practicing
- 97) You've just about mastered that
- 98) One more time and you'll have it
- 99) You are actually wearing the scout team out
- 100) Let's remember how far you have come ■

# As a football coach at Juanita High School, I am COMMITTED to working on every down!

by Coach Don Papasedero

...."Are you doing this?" should be asked each time.

- 1. Create an atmosphere for teaching, where the player is motivated to accept instruction...both new and old.
  - a) Explain what they will learn today first.
  - b) Be exact about the expectation and pace
  - c) Have your drills organized and ready
  - d) REVIEW what was taught today
- 2. Demonstrate and explain: It is important for a coach to be able to demonstrate techniques to reinforce retention in his players.
- a) Practice demonstrating before trying to teach the technique on the field
  - b) Be loud and quick while demonstrating
  - c) Repeat yourself a lot...check for understanding
  - d) Break a sweat at practice everyday...be suited up
- 3. Demand that the player do his "job" and don't allow a "busted" assignment without instruction on the spot. Coach on the run and keep the teaching pace as rapid as

practice/game pace..."jump in" on each opportunity

- a) do not allow players in your area to make a mistake without being coached...especially on effort
  - b) Be picky...have very high expectations
- 4. Show your players that you believe in them, inspire them to develop self-confidence in what they do on the field...praise effort towards improving first!
- a) They don't care how much out know, until they know how much you care...let 'em know that you are genuine...be yourself
  - b) Touch your guys
  - 5. Accept and follow your exact coaching assignment.
- a) Do not "wonder off" or gravitate to a position not assigned
- b) You are accountable for exact areas...even if you do not like it
- c) Help everyone set up the next drill...anticipate equipment needs
  - d) Keep a close eye on your position first

#### **HURDLE WORKOUTS WITH A PURPOSE**

#### "12 Workouts to Maximize Peformance"

Bryan E. Hoddle-BryanHoddle.com Head Coach-2004 USA Paralympic Track and Field Northwest Track and Field Clinic Director

With a 13-week seasons and multievent athletes, purposeful time spent with your hurdlers is crucial Identifying strengths and weaknesses, implementing a well thought-out plan, and communicating a plan with the athlete, will maximize performance for your athletes and expedite hurdling excellence.

Nothing will frustrate today's athlete more than going through workouts with no purpose other than fill time until 5:30pm. (When a coach cannot answer why a workout is being done, that is a quick recipe for failure and questioning.) However, nothing will win over an athlete more than a purpose to their hurdle workouts. The biggest mistake in high school hurdling is over hurdling your athlete. More isn't better.

There are a few items to be aware of before hurdling. Among those items is the often overlooked area of joint range of motion of the athlete. This is especially important in the hip area. Another area is the foot strength of the athlete. If the feet aren't strong enough to sustain the violent foot contacts that will take place in hurdling, continual injury problems will occur. Another area is proper sequencing. The fire sequence must be hip, knee ankle. Sometimes you will see an athlete fire, hip-foot. This sequence will often result in foot hurdling and the hips will drop going into the hurdle. The final area is rhythm. A hurdler must have rhythm. If an athlete can develop good hurdle rhytm, they'll press at points in a race



and leave their race pattern.

Hurdle workouts are typically done on Monday or Tuesday. This enables the athlete to rest adequately for the Thursday meet or Friday/Saturday Invite. More is not better and can be a pitfall for the athlete and coach. Chart your volume and listen to your athlete. Initially a young hurdler will want to set the hurdle at normal distance and normal height and start hurdling. Soon they will fail to accomplish given technical aspects. Fatigue will begin to set in, bad habits form and a cycle of failure will begin.

Many coaches and athletes will look at early season spacings and settings listed below and panic. Don't panic! Many hurdlers set the hurdles at the regular height and distance and the athlete just fires away at practice taking one hurdle after another. Those who can 3 step in the short hurdles (100/110) will be able to 3 step and those who can't, can be trained correctly to accomplish 3 stepping with correct instruction, proper workouts and an adequate amount of time given to succeed. Fatiguing a hurdler at normal distance spacing and settings will only magnify the problem. Hurdles are placed a rung down for practice. Again, don't worry. When the meet arrives and adrenaline sets in, the ath-



Bryan Hoddle

lete won't even notice the difference.

Below are 12 workout plans with the purpose for the workout listed. As you will see **rhythm** is critically important in hurdling.

#### Workout #1-Early Season

- 6 x 6 flights set at 6.50 metersdown 1 rung (Rhythm and avg. speed) or
- 5 x 8 flights set at 6.80 metersdown 1 rung (Rhythm and avg. speed) or
- 5 x 8 flights set at 7.20 metersdown 1 rung (Rhythm and avg. speed)

#### Workout #2-Mid Season

5 x 8 flights set at 7.50 metersdown 1 rung (Rhythm and avg. speed)

5 x 12 flights set at 7.50 meters-down 1 rung (Rhythm and avg. speed)

#### Workout #3-Late Season

5 x 12 flights set at 8.25 metersdown 1 rung (rhythm and avg. speed)

4 x 9 flights set at 8.50 metersdown 1 rung (rhythm and avg. speed)

#### Workout #4

Hurdling in a 5-stride rhythm over hurdles set at 11.50 to 12.0 metersdown 1 rung (avg. speed and stride frequency)

#### Workout #5

Hurdling with a gradual shortening of the distance between the hurdles from 8.50 to 8.10 by 10cm at a time (shortens stride length and increases avg. speed)

#### Workout #6

Running at the hurdle with the lead leg going past the hurdle (Increases speed-stride frequency)

#### Workout #7

Running with a 3 stride frequency over ghost hurdles (shortens flight distance and time)

#### Workout #8

Towed hurdling for advanced hurdlers. (Reduces time between hurdles. Increases speed over the hurdle.)

#### Workout#9

300 hurdles-1 rung down-5 to 7 flights set at 11.5- to 12.50 into and out of corner. The athlete will be 5 stepping the hurdles. This workout will model the rhythm patterns needed without running the race distance. (rhythm, technical adjustments in and out of corners, focus)

#### Workout #10

300 hurdles-1 rung down-3 shoes in toward the starting line at the first hurdle, 6 to the 2<sup>nd</sup>, 9 to the 3<sup>rd</sup> and so on, through 7 to 9 flights. (Touch down times)

#### Workout #11

300 hurdles-Place your back to a hurdle and walk away. Go on coaches command. (taking hurdles with either leg)

#### Workout #12

300 hurdles-Hurdle scatter-Scatter hurdles in a lane on the track at various distances. (take hurdle with leg the hurdle comes to you at)

On non-hurdling days, have the athletes perform walk over work or in place hurdle work can take place. Once your football coach sees these drills, you can plan on a visit from the coach. Nothing will maximize footwork for all sports better than these hurdle drills.

- Scissors
- 2 up and 1 back
- Led leg and trail leg
- Over-Over Back-Back
- Lead Leg Over and under
- Zig Zags
- Continuous Lead Leg
- B-Skips
- Quick Draw
- Lunge balances
- Heel-ees
- Toe-es

Correct hurdling takes time and patience. If you identify an athlete with good speed and good bi-motor abilities, solid rhythm, you may have your sights set on a state caliber athlete. It will not happen overnight but with a well thought out plan and workouts or drills to address the different aspects of hurdling, you may well be on your way to state with a cadre of hurdlers. Maximize the time you have and pinpoint the type of hurdle workout your athlete needs.

Coach Hoddle is the former head coach of the 2004 USA Paralympic Track and Field Team. He has spent countless hours helping hurdlers from around the state. He's the director of the Northwest Track and Field Clinic to be held on February 13, 14, 15 at the SeaTac Double Tree Hotel in Seattle, WA. www.allsportsschool.com

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# HAWKES SQUAWKS

by Dee Hawkes Retired



Ready or not, winter is upon us, and that means we can go inside to watch the preps play. There's always something special about watching competition up close in a warm gym. There is no need to button up, wear gloves, or deal with what Mother Nature delivers. Although at times you just have to have some popcorn.

#### BEHIND THE SCENE

Much, probably too much, has been made of halftime prep talks. There are times when a coach can inspire a team to return and take over the second half. These coaches know how to say exactly what the team needs to hear. My rant is with coaches who use profanity to make their points. This may include calling their team names and the use of female verbiage. . . . By the way, did you know that Aberdeen and Hoquiam have the oldest continuous high school football rivalry in the state? This fall the two teams met for the  $103^{rd}$  time. Aberdeen won 21-12... One of my pet peeves is when players on the field pump their arms in the air to encourage fan noise. My take is that they should be focusing on their opponent.

#### TAKE TIME FOR A HISTORY LESSON

If you coach football, it is certainly understandable that you may want to learn the history of the sport. As a rule, most coaches have limited knowledge of the history of the game. In any case, I suggest you get a copy of the *The Real Americans* by Sally Jenkins. Keep it in your football library and read it from cover to cover. In her book, the author connects the dots and explains how the football played a century ago paved the way for the game we coach today. In 1912, a Native American football team, led by Jim Thorpe, defeated Army at West Point. Pop Warner, their coach, brought trick plays, reverses, endaround, and flea-flickers, which was so different from Army's style of smash-mouth power football.

It staggers the mind that this happened a hundred years ago. In those days, marijuana was legal, 95 percent of all births took place at home, 90 percent of all doctors had no college, and only 6 percent of all Americans had graduated from high school.

#### IT IS FITTING THAT THEY MEET AGAIN

It wasn't supposed to happen this soon, but Gary Moore, the former Issaquah High School football coach, died suddenly last summer. He was preceded in death by his father-in-law Budd Pripp, who had a long and distinguished coaching career at West Seattle High School. You might think that God gave St Peter the assignment to find two related coaches and bring them on to His heavenly team. We have to believe that Budd is teaching Gary how to bunt while Gary is showing Budd that throwing a baseball is not the same as passing a football. I'm sure that the gate keeper coach Jim Ennis and his son Terry were also there to welcome them aboard.

#### ODDS AND ENDS FROM THE FALL

It is the sign of our times that television viewers are allowed to pick the high school football game of the week. Comcast's decision to televise these games has not involved getting approval from the teams that are playing. It just doesn't make sense that commercial television seeking ratings can step into the circle without giving the schools an option to turn it down. We already know how demands of television have affected the placement of UW football to late afternoon or evening, which does not please most fans in attendance. Please understand that for this old attendee the game should be for those students and fans sitting in the stands and not for the viewers at home. However, it's a horse of a different color when coverage is arranged for the state playoffs.

#### TIME TO KEEP THE GOOD ONES HOME

Have you ever been bothered by the fact recruited athletes leave our state to play somewhere else? Have you ever wondered why an athlete chooses to cast his or her lot out of state? This can partially be blamed on the advancement of technology, especially the internet. According to some coaches, now is the time to turn it around and push for athletes to stay and play in the neighborhood schools. Recruiting is the focal point in college programs. While some programs are above board and follow the

rules, others do not and find ways to creatively cheat. The key thing, however, is that the athlete must learn from the beginning whether the school is a good fit.

# NIBBILE ON THIS: AN EVERY DOWN OFFENSE

The game of football has changed significantly since Rutgers and Princeton squared off in the first game on November 6, 1869. At that time, the rules were decided by the two team captains and there was no running or passing, just kicking. We have come a long way since then in our fascination with Xs and Os. Football coaches seldom do or see things the same way. Differences are especially apparent in the variety of offensive schemes.

Nibble on this. In this era of wide open offensive football, another innovative true spread offense, the A-11, is causing lots of controversy. This offense is the brainchild of two coaches in a small California high school. In the A-11 offense, any of the team's 11 players can become eligible to catch a pass. It's something like schoolyard ball where everyone can go out for a pass. The goal is to confuse the defense as much as possible. This is done by using an exception to the "scrimmage kick" rule. If you recall, the rule was put in to allow more flexibility on punt plays. It exchanges big players with faster ones. Therefore, in this offense, no players on the team wear jersey numbers from 50–79. Every player on the field has an eligible number.

For fun, take out your white board and draw this base formation: Diagram a center flanked by two TEs, put two three receiver sets out wide to each side, and place all on the LOS. In the backfield, two backs align 7-yards deep for a direct snap, which is the legal scrimmage kick depth. Using a number system and voice signals, seven players establish the line while the others line up legally to catch a pass. They set for one second; then the called play is executed.

Called a "stupid offense," opponents are scrambling to teach their defense how to stop it. The confusion factor is driving officiating crews crazy as they determine who the seven are that must be on the LOS and who is eligible to go out for a pass. So far, A-11 has been banned in five states. In North Carolina, a team is given a 15-yard penalty when it is shown. After the second time, the head coach is gone. In Texas, preps play under the college rule, which is different.

As we watch the game today, the methods of scoring reads like a farmer's almanac. Offenses that survive are based on sound concepts, not just on a whim. Yet, offenses come and go as fast as the defenses are developed to stop them. We'll stand back and watch whether A-11 is allowed or drowned by a change in the rules. Facing a 3 and 17, or the need for a momentum change, this wide open offense just might be the ticket. This is especially true if your offense can't move the chains and score. Whether you like it or not, A-11 offense demonstrates how football is evolving. Who knows, it may be a great fit for your skilled players.

#### ON THE SAME PAGE

Perhaps lost in the shuffle is the requirement that volunteer coaches must be approved by the school board in order to coach. There could be some rubber stamping going on. . . . Open gyms and weight rooms are great for an athlete to use out of season, but my peeve is when coaches can't offer this as an option. It's easy to understand why, but it's against the rules. Remember, no coaching is to go on during these times.

#### SAVE FINAL PLAUDITS FOR ADS

Athletic Directors are in the middle of their season, which started last August. They must take care of everything from eligibility, sportsmanship, and coaching coaches, to financial issues. Other parts of the job that go with the territory can be either good or bad. Dealing with parents can be smooth as silk or sticky as a wicket. This alone makes it a legitimate full time job. Floating around this winter are stories of parents who found fault with how their kids were being treated. Most of it had to do with breaking the Code of Conduct behavior. The best principals understand how valuable a good athletic director can be to their school.

#### TALK ABOUT OUTSIDE THE BOX

This spring, 214 Illinois high schools will compete in the first ever Bass Fishing Competition. They will start with sectional tournaments and then hold state finals early in May. Teams are allowed two boats per school, and they may be coed. Winners will be judged on the weights of up to five fish per boat. School officials believe this sport will only continue to grow. Who can deny that we live in an era where the face of prep athletics has changed? You think you've seen everything and along comes a sport called bass fishing, which is certainly outside the box. The question is whether these fish are to be the evening dinner or given freedom by catch and release!

#### **MAYBE YOU HEARD**

The web site <u>eurosportsscoreboard.com</u> warrants attention if you are a soccer fan and want to plug into other

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high school teams across the country. . . . There's been a lot of talk about school booster clubs over stepping their boundaries. The usual suspects are parents who want to do more than contribute money to help a particular sport. Under proper guidelines, they should be a fund raiser but nothing more. . . . Kudos go to the Cedar Park Christian High School varsity volleyball team. These ladies made and sent about 100 Christmas cards to troops in Iraq. . . . The opportunities missed, and the work undone has taken its toll among some King and Kitsap football coaches who didn't follow through with the National Football Foundation Scholarship Program. Simply put and done right, your scholar-athletes should be nominated. Something is wrong

if you think that this is not important to the athlete and his family. Last year, a perplexed father asked why his worthy son was not a finalist. The committee had to say, with great regret, that the scholar-athlete's coach had not completed his part in the application process. I mean no disrespect, but not following through is like playing hooky.

Even if you don't agree with me, all e-mails are welcome (hawkes32@comcast.net). At times, I feel like I'm Andy Rooney (60 Minutes) giving you my opinion of what's going on in the prep world. The ability to scan the horizon from my perch on the retirement ladder gives me an advantage, because my global warning system works everywhere.

See you around, I hope. ■

# Washington State Football Coaches Hall of Fame Nominee Information Sheet

#### Nominee Information Nominee Coaching History Name: Year School Record Phone #: Address City: State Career Record Honors Received: (Chronologically) WSCA Member? Total Years Coaching Lifetime \_Honor\_ Former Head Honor Current Asst. \_Honor\_ Offices Held Honor \_Honor\_ Advocate Information (you) Name: Please Mail to: Greg McMillan 902 Ridgeview Ave Selah, WA 98942 (509) 698-5353 • E-mail: mcmillan\_1@charter.net

#### WSCCCA SELECTS ITS ANNUAL HALL OF FAME INDUCTEES

by Steve K. Bertrand

Each year members of the Washington State Cross Country Coaches' Association select recipients to be inducted into the WSCCCA Hall Of Fame. Inductees are chosen based upon their years of experience, success & contributions to the sport of cross country. Recipients were honored at a banquet prior to the State Cross Country Championships on Saturday, November 8th, at Pasco's Red Lion Inn. Here's a look at the 2008 inductees:

#### Jim Berry

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Jim Berry grew up in Spokane, Washington. He attended West Valley High School & graduated in 1948. During that time, he was a three-sport athlete (football, basketball & track). After high school, Berry attended the University of Washington for one year on a track scholarship. He then transferred to Eastern University where he earned an education degree in 1956. While at Eastern, he participated in track. His main event was the 2-mile.

Berry taught social studies & history for ten years. He got his start coaching cross country under Tracy Walters at Rogers High School (Spokane). When the cross country job opened up at Shadle Park High School, Jim applied. He coached for ten years eventually giving it up to start a business in the medical field. During his coaching career, Jim Berry had four state qualifying teams. They won two state titles, placed second & third.

Berry's fondest memories include the many great kids he had the privilege of coaching. He has been married to his wife Barbara for the past fifty-eight years. They have three children (Katherine, Bruce & Luanne) & six grand-children. Recalling his coaching days, Jim Berry had this to say – "Life was simpler when I was a coach. We didn't travel much, & when we did, it was usually to somewhere like Moses Lake. The biggest worry was whether of not the van would make it there & back!"

#### Mark Cullen



Mark Cullen was born in Boston, Massachusetts. Five weeks later, he moved. This set the tone for things to come. Cullen never went to the same school more than two years in a row. He attended a boarding school during high school & graduated from The Athenian School in Danville, California in 1970. After high school, Cullen attended Hampshire College in Amherst, Maine, for one year. He then transferred to the University of Oregon where he graduated with a degree in history in 1975.

Cullen began running in the fall of 1971 in Bill Bowerman's "Hamburgers" beginning jogging class. He was a devoted runner for seven years until an injury brought his running career to an abrupt end. His two best performances included a 1:10:49 20K & 1:15:50 half marathon.

His professional career involved teaching history & geography for thirty-two years at Seattle's University Prep. This included a twenty-one year stint as athletic director. Cullen coached cross country from 1981 to 2006. During that time, he had five state qualifying teams. His 1983 boys' squad was the only "B" team to qualify for the A/B state meet. Cullen's '91 & '92 teams placed 5th in the "B" boys' state meet.

Cullen considers his most rewarding achievements as developing the cross country/track & field programs at University Prep. He also sights his relationship with his athletes & the profound long-term impact running has had on their lives, as well as his association & friendship with coaches across the state. Mark Cullen is the past president of the Washington State Cross Country Coaches' Association (2000-2006).

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#### Mike Evans



Mike Evans grew up in Marysville, Washington. He graduated from Marysville High School in 1967. From 1967-1970, her served in the navy. Evans began his teaching career in the Lakewood School District in 1974. He spent his entire thirty year career at Lakewood.

Evans started the cross country program in 1981. He held the head coaching position until his retirement in 2004. During his career, Evans' teams claimed four state titles. The boys won in 1989 & the girls won state titles in '91, '93 & '94. Second in 1984, the boys' team earned their first state meet appearance at Spokane's Hangman Valley Golf Course. Since then, the boys have been back to state every year.

Mike Evans most rewarding achievements include his great family (Cindy, Lance & Devony), who have always supported him through the good & bad times. He also sights his ability to surround himself with great people, such as current Lakewood cross country/track & field coach Jeff Sowards & his family. Finally, Evans treasures the relationship that he still has with many of his former athletes.

Reflecting on his coaching career, Evans had this to say—"Wins & losses have never been my 'guiding light' in coaching. I just knew that if I studied hard, taught to the best of my abilities, surrounded myself with self-motivated people, tried hard to give each young athlete the tools they needed to be successful on & off the field, &, as a result, the wins would fall in line with the program."

**Bob Mathews** 



Bob Matthews admits to growing up an "army brat". He spent his early years jumping between California, Japan, Washington D.C., Fort Bragg, North Carolina, Bogota, Columbia, & Hong Kong. He graduated from Hong Kong's LaSalle College (high school) in 1967. During that time, he participated in cross country, swimming & track & field.

Matthews continued his running at the University of Tennessee (1967-1971) where he competed in the high hurdles. He was on winning relay teams at the Penn Relays & Florida Relays. His degree was in history.

After college, Matthews taught history & coached cross country/track & field at Seattle Lutheran High School from 1981 to 2001. While the head coach of cross country/track & field, his teams claimed sixty-four league titles & three state championships (boys' & girls' cross country teams in 1992/boys' track & field in 1989).

Following his career at Seattle Lutheran High School, Matthews moved to Las Vegas where he coached at Faith Lutheran, a "AA" high school, from 2001 to 2006. During that time, his teams claimed ten league titles & three state championships (boys' cross country in 2002 & 2003/boys' track & field in 2004).

Matthews considers working with young people as his most rewarding achievement. "I view running as formative to a person's character & life," he said. Bob Matthews has been married to his wife Pamela for thirty-four years. They have five children (Bobby, Rachel, Tommy, Jon & David). Presently, they live on Long Lake in Port Orchard where Bob continues to teach & coach. ■

# Congratulations!

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- Submit the below application.
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- Submit your High School Transcripts.
- Submit a resume of your high school activities (including community, school, or church activities)

**Personal Information** (please print clearly) Name High School Attended Date of Birth Permanent Address Permanent Home Telephone number ( ) Parent/Guardian Years Member of WSCA Address of Parent/Guardian if different from applicant: Street Zip Code **Academic Information** GPA Briefly describe any scholastic distinctions or honors you have won since the 9<sup>th</sup> grade **Athletic or Extracurricular Participation Sport** Years <u>Letters</u> Honors

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2) Describe how athletics and coaches (or a coach) have affected your high school life and your future plans.
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