

# **Rome-Floyd Sports Hall of Fame**

Prior to submitting a letter of nomination, please review the category eligibility and the nomination guidelines provided below. Nominees must meet all requirements to be eligible for consideration into the Rome-Floyd Sports Hall of Fame.

#### **Nomination Guidelines**

- 1) Nominee must meet one of the following residency requirements: a) a native of Rome-Floyd County; b) a resident at the time of accomplishment(s).
- 2) Nominee must have gained state or national recognition through athletic abilities if being considered for **Amateur** or **Professional** athletic achievement.
- Nominee must have performed unselfish service to the community and its residents if being considered for **Meritorious Service** or **Lifetime Achievement**.
- 4) Nominee must be a credit to him/herself and his/her community. Nominee is of an acceptable moral character. It is felt that a deserving candidate should generate respect through his/her actions and beliefs, and should, through his/her actions, be an example to young people.
- 5) Self-nominations will not be processed.
- 6) Letter of Nomination should describe the applicant's athletic and/or community activities as related to the nomination, including dates and locations of achievements. Nominations are accepted year-round at: Rome-Floyd Sports Hall of Fame

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- 7) Information provided will be screened for accuracy.
- 8) Letters should include address and phone number of nominator for the purpose of contacting for clarification or other needed information.
- 9) Nominees will remain on the Active List for (5) years.



# **Category Eligibility**

## 1) Amateur Athlete

Honors amateur athletes in the sports community who have excelled on the state or national levels of competition.

## 2) **Professional Athlete**

Honors athletes who have excelled at the professional level on and off the field.

## 3) Meritorious Service

Honors persons who are active, non-player participants who have made contributions to the sports industry and may include: volunteers, officials, supporters, sportscasters, sportswriters, coaches, et cetera.

#### 4) Lifetime Achievement

Honors athletic professionals who have made outstanding contributions and provided exceptional service to the community.

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