Hall Of Fame Criteria

GENERAL CRITERIA

Nominees must exemplify the high standards of sportsmanship, ethical conduct, and moral character.
The categories of Athlete (OFA Graduate), Coach, and Contributor are included on the nomination form for expediency in understanding the primary areas in which an individual is to be considered for his or her achievements in interscholastic athletics.

All candidates will be judged on their significant and/or long-term contributions to interscholastic athletics at Owego Apalachin. While many have served their school and programs at Owego Apalachin over a long and distinguished career, their accomplishments must be worthy of recognition for them to be considered.

Applications for the Owego Apalachin Athletics Hall of Fame will be sent to the Owego Apalachin Athletics Office for review by the Athletics Hall of Fame Committee; and if not approved will be placed in “holding for future consideration.”
Re-Nomination

The Holding for Future Consideration means a nominee may be considered again for induction for three consecutive years and that additional information and supportive material would be helpful before future consideration.

Longevity, without meaningful impact on Owego Apalachin Athletics, does not constitute appropriate credentials for Owego Apalachin Athletics Hall of Fame consideration.

Athletes will be graduates of Owego Free Academy, out of school for at least 10 years, who are being nominated for their achievements in interscholastic athletics.

Coaches will be considered on the merits of their high school coaching achievements only, and will have been an outstanding influence on young people and by example have shown the meaning of the word “sportsmanship.” Must have 10 years or more serving within the district as a coach.

Contributors will be individuals who have made contributions to Owego Apalachin Athletics. A Contributor will have served Owego Apalachin Athletics by working as a long-time athletics supervisor or has made significant contributions to the OACSD athletics department. Must have 15 years or more serving as a contributor within the district.