



# SOUTHERN DOOR ATHLETIC HALL OF FAME

## RULES & PROCEDURES

### **PURPOSE**

Founded in 2003, the Southern Door Athletic Hall of Fame is sponsored by the Southern Door Booster Club. The Hall of Fame was instituted to establish pride, preserve tradition and honor former student athletes and coaches who have distinguished themselves in the field of athletics through their performance and representation of Southern Door High School.

### **ELIGIBILITY**

1. Athletes must be graduates of Southern Door High School.
2. Athletes become eligible five years after graduation.
3. Athletes must have demonstrated distinguished achievement in interscholastic athletic competition sponsored by Southern Door High School.
4. Coaches become eligible five years after retirement from coaching at Southern Door high School. Coaches shall have been involved with the same sports program for a minimum of three years. Coaches must have demonstrated a high degree of success within their sports program(s). Success is not to be measured solely on the basis of wins and losses.

### **SELECTION COMMITTEE**

The Selection Committee shall be created annually by a Chairperson selected by the Southern Door Athletic Booster Club at their September meeting. Individuals may repeat their service on the Selection Committee each year, if requested by the Chairperson. The Selection Committee shall consist of a minimum of at least five individuals, one being the Southern Door Athletic Director and the other being an officer or member of the Southern Door Booster Club who is also an alumnus of Southern Door High School. It is suggested, but not required, that the committee also include the following:

- A member of the Southern Door faculty or administration
- A current or former Southern Door head coach
- Additional alumnus of Southern Door High School

### **NOMINATION PROCESS**

Anyone may submit a completed nomination form to the Southern Door Athletic Booster Club for consideration. All nominations will remain on file indefinitely and will be considered annually by the Selection Committee along with new nominations. All nominations should be emailed to [halloffame@sdbboosters.com](mailto:halloffame@sdbboosters.com).

### **SELECTION PROCESS**

The Selection Committee shall meet at least once after the November 15<sup>th</sup> nomination deadline to read nomination forms and discuss candidates. A majority vote of the committee is necessary for induction. A maximum of two nominees will be selected for induction into the Hall of Fame at a ceremony held at a home athletic event during the winter season. The Chairperson shall inform the Southern Door Athletic Booster Club of the selections so they can be confirmed at a formal meeting before the Inductees are notified. Former inductees and their families are invited to the annual ceremony and the Southern Door Athletic Booster Club shall introduce them at the ceremony and provide a light lunch after the ceremony.

### **AWARDS**

A plaque honoring each inductee shall be created and displayed in a designated area of Southern Door High School. The plaque shall consist of a picture of the inductee, their name, years of participation, sports participated in, individual and honors and awards, and the year of induction. A replica of this plaque shall be given to the inductee.