

The Gateway Sports Hall of Fame is celebrating its 13th anniversary in 2011.

It is our pleasure to announce our 2011 inductees at this time.

Our Athletes Include:

From the Class of 1973 – Ken Karish – Football & Track – Ken was Co-Captain and an Integral Member of the 1972 WPIAL and PIAA Football Championship Team. Ken was also Co-Captain of the Gator Track and Field Team. He was a member of the 1972 Championship 880 Relay Team that set the school record that still stands today. Ken played varsity basketball his junior year and also wrestled his senior year. He accepted a full scholarship to the University of Kentucky where he lettered and played in the Peach Bowl.

From the Class of 1984 – Cynthia Rose – Champion Swimmer – Cindy had an outstanding swimming career at Gateway High. From 1981 to 1984 she consistently placed in the top ten at the WPIAL and PIAA swim championships. She was a member of the 1981 PIAA Champion 200 Medley Relay Team. She was a Junior National Qualifier 1982, 1983 and 1984. 1984 Junior Nationals 8th 50 Freestyle and 5th 400 Freestyle Relay. Full scholarship to the University of Pittsburgh.

From the Class of 1985 – Kevin Lynch – Football & Wrestling – Kevin was a two way starter for the Gators at Offensive Tackle and Defensive End/Tackle. He was an All Conference Lineman in 1984. He was co-captain of the 1984 Gators that lost the championship game to Mt Lebanon at Three Rivers Stadium. Kevin was an outstanding wrestler winning the 185 lb section championship in 1985. He was also the Gateway High School Invitation Champion for 1984. He was a member of the 2011 Wrestling Team to be inducted this year. Kevin was the 1985 Western PA High School Scholar Athlete of the Year and Gateway's Class of 1985 Valedictorian.

From the Class of 1988 – Todd Washington – Football & Baseball – Todd was a Three Year Football Letterman at three different positions. During his years as a Gator, he played Cornerback, Safety and Quarterback. He was a starter on the 1985 and 1986 WPIAL Football Championships Teams. He was a Fabulous 22 and Finest 44 Senior Football Player. He accepted a full football scholarship to VMI where he continued his football career. In

addition, Todd was an outstanding catcher for the Gator Baseball Team and led the Gators in many offensive categories.

From the Class of 1990 – Anthony Scarpino – Football - Tony was one of a few Gators ever recruited for Division I Football as a pure Quarterback. As of 1989, Tony owned most of the Gator passing records. He was a Fabulous 22 Selection and was voted 2nd Team AP All State. Tony accepted a full football scholarship to the University of Maryland and later transferred to the University of Memphis where he became a Starter and Team Captain.

Our Coach Induction:

Gateway Career Long Teacher and Coach Tom Labuff – Tom was a well respected and dedicated coach for thirty five years. His sports included Cross Country, Track & Field and Wrestling.

Our Team Induction:

This year's team induction is the 1985 Gateway Varsity Boys Wrestling Team. This team boosted Five Individual Section Champions and Ten WPIAL Individual Qualifiers out of Thirteen Weight Classes. The 1985 Team Section Champions Recorded 15 Wins 3 Defeats and 1 Tie. The Team was coached by Hall of Famers Dick Bane and Bill Lukitsch.

The annual induction ceremony is scheduled for Saturday November 12, 2011 at Churchill Valley Country Club. Ticket information can be obtained through the Gateway Athletic Office or by calling Tony Petrocelli @ 412-373-3373.