



BOB MATSON
INDUCTED IN 1996
(Plaque #108)

BOB BEGAN HIS COACHING CAREER IN 1971 AND COACHED AT THE FOLLOWING SCHOOLS:

- 1974 - 1976 PITTSWORTH QLD, AUSTRALIA**
- 1976 - 1978 GUILD TEACHERS COLLEGE (SYDNEY, NSW, AUSTRALIA)**
- 1978 - 1996 NATRONA COUNTY HIGH SCHOOL (CASPER, WYOMING)**

ON THE DATE OF HIS INDUCTION HE WAS STILL COACHING AND HIS CAREER ENCOMPASSED 24 YEARS OF EXPERIENCE.

NOTED FOR HIS SUCCESS IN CROSS COUNTRY SKIING, BOB HAD 7 STATE CHAMPIONSHIPS AND 9 STATE RUNER-UP TITLES.

DURING HIS COACHING CAREER, BOB ACHIEVED THE FOLLOWING:

- SINCE 1990, TEAM LEADER OF INTERMOUNTAIN & NORTHERN JUNIOR CROSS COUNTRY SKI TEAM. THE JUNIOR SKIERS HAVE COMPETED AND ACHIEVED CONSISTANT TOP THREE TEAM FINISHES IN NATIONAL JUNIOR MEETS AND JR. ALL- AMERICAN STATUS.**
- REGION 7 NHSACA SPECIAL SPORTS COACH OF THE YEAR FOR 3 YEARS.**
- COACHED CROSS COUNTRY, SWIMMING, TRACK, AND WOMENS BASKETBALL IN AUSTRALIA. HE WAS THE HEAD COACH FOR GIRLS TRACK FOR 9 YEARS AND 15 YEARS IN THE CROSS COUNTRY SKI PROGRAM, WHILE AT NATRONA HIGH SCHOOL IN CASPER, WYOMING.**
- CHAIR - UNITED STATES SKI ACCOCIATION NATIONAL JUNIOR SKI COMMITTEE - 2001.**
- TEAM LEADER - INTERMOUNTAIN DISTRICT'S UNITED STATES SKI ASSOCIAION JR. NATIONAL CHAMPIONSHIP TEAM - 1998.**
- PRESIDENT OF WYOMING COACHES ASSOCIATION - 2005-06.**