

BRUCE HOFFMAN INDUCTED IN 1984 (Plaque #47)

BRUCE BEGAN HIS COACHING CAREER IN 1960 AND COACHED AT THE FOLLOWING WYOMING SCHOOLS:

1960 - 1961 UNIVERSITY OF WYOMING

1961 - 1965 EVANSTON HIGH SCHOOL

1965 - 1999 SHERIDAN JUNIOR COLLEGE

2001 - 2007 SHERIDAN HIGH SCHOOL

HIS COACHING CAREER ENCOMPASSED A TOTAL OF 47 YEARS EXPERIENCE AS OF 2007. BRUCE ALSO DOUBLED AS THE ATHLETIC DIRECTOR AT SHERIDAN COLLEGE FROM 1965 - 1999.

NOTED FOR HIS SUCCESS IN BASKETBALL, BRUCE HAD AN OVERALL RECORD OF 712 WINS AND 434 LOSSES, INCLUDING 2 DISTRICT CHAMPIONSHIPS, 2 REGIONAL CHAMPIONSHIPS, 1 REGIONAL RUNNER-UP, AND PLACED 10TH IN THE NATIONAL JUNIOR COLLEGE TOURNAMENT.

DURING HIS COACHING CAREER, BRUCE ACHIEVED THE FOLLOWING:

- 11TH ON THE "MOST WINS" LIST OF ALL JUNIOR COLLEGE COACHES.
- 651 WINS THE MOST WINS IN NJCAA REGION IX HISTORY.
- 5 TIME NICAA REGION IX COACH OF THE YEAR.
- 5 TIME WYOMING JUCO CONFERENCE COACH OF THE YEAR.
- 2 NJCAA REGIONAL IX CHAMPIONSHIPS 1975 & 1977.
- 9 WYOMING JUCO CONFERENCE CHAMPIONSHIPS.
- 18 WYOMING JUCO SUB-REGION CHAMPIONSHIPS.
- CHARTER MEMBER OF WYOMING COACHES ASSOCIATION HALL OF FAME 1984.
- NJCAA BASKETBALL HALL OF FAME 1995.
- SHERIDAN COLLEGE NAMED THEIR ATHLETIC AND PHYSICAL EDUCATION COMPLEX THE "BRUCE HOFFMAN GOLDEN DOME" IN BRUCE'S HONOR 1999.
- WYOMING COACHES ASSOCIATION BILL FARTHING DISTINGUISHED SERVICE AWARD 1999.
- WYOMING SPORTS HALL OF FAME 2003.
- NJCAA BASKETBALL ASSOCIATION: ETHICS-INTEGRITY AND SERVICE AWARD 2006.
- SHERIDAN JR. COLLEGE HALL OF FAME CHARTER MEMBER 2008.

BRUCE'S VAST SERVICE TO HIS PROFESSINAL ORGANIZATIONS INCLUDE:

- COACH FOR THE WYOMING & MONTANA ALL-STAR BASKETBALL SERIES 1975 2000.
- NJCAA REGION IX DIRECTOR FROM 1979 1999.
- NJCAA BASKETBALL COMMITTEE FOR 20 YEARS.
- ASSISTANT COACH FOR U. S. OLYMPIC FESTIVAL, GOLD MEDAL WINNERS 1986.
- HEAD COACH FOR U. S. NJCAA ALL-STAR GAME 1999.
- SHERIDAN COLLEGE BOARD OF TRUSTEES 2000 TO PRESENT.
- WYOMING COACHES ASSSOCIATION HALL OF FAME BOARD OF DIRECTORS.

WYOMING SPORTS HALL OF FAME BOARD OF DIRECTORS.