

ILLINOIS HIGH SCHOOL BASEBALL COACHES ASSOCIATION 24th ANNUAL CLINIC



FRIDAY - FEBRUARY 1, 1985
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SATURDAY, FEBRUARY 2, 1985
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8:00 A.M. to 4:30 P.M.

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8th ANNUAL HALL OF FAME AWARDS

THE ILLINOIS HIGH SCHOOL BASEBALL COACHES ASSOCIATION
CONGRATULATE THE FOLLOWING MEN WHO WERE INDUCTED INTO
THE HALL OF FAME LAST NIGHT:

Bob Beal - Pekin High School

Richard "Itchy" Jones - Southern Illinois University

Jack Mallory - Waukegan East High School

Ron Mellen - Sandburg High School

Cliff Pierce - Schurz High School

Terry Ryser - Proviso East High School

Huby Sarver - LaSalle-Peru High School

Their names will be added to our HALL OF FAME PLAQUE
Located at the Pavilion on the Campus of the University of Illinois - Chicago
CHAIRMAN - KEN MCGONAGLE (Evanston)

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CLINIC A

Saturday, February 2, 1985

7:45-8:30 Registration / Coffee & Rolls / Visit Displays

All Sessions are in the Fieldhouse

- 8:30-9:10 Sam Lima - Proviso West H.S.
Bill Seiple - Naperville Central H.S.
Topic: **Coaches Special Techniques**
Host: Don Kuehner, President I.H.S.B.C.A.
- 9:10-9:50 Steve Duncan - University of Iowa
Jerry Green - Southern Illinois University
Topic: **Recruiting - What Do We Really Want?**
Host: Tom McDevitt - Eastern Illinois Univ.
- 9:50-10:00 Refreshment Break
Compliments of 7up and Dr. Pepper
- 10:00-10:40 Dr. Richard Corzatt, M.D.
Parkview Orthopedic Group
Chicago White Sox Team Physician
John A. Wator - A.T.C. - Carl Sandburg H.S.
Topic: **Injuries To The Throwing Arm -
Rehabilitation & Conditioning**
Host: Bob Symonds - Triton J.C.
- 10:40-11:20 Norm DeBriyn - University of Arkansas
Topic: **Middle Infield Play**
Host: Tom Dedin - University of Illinois

AGENDA

- 11:20-11:30 Refreshment Break
Compliments of 7up and Dr. Pepper
- 11:30-12:10 Eric Soderholm (Former White Sox Player)
Topic: **The Complete Hitter -
Physical & Mental**
Host: Les Miller, Asst. Exec. Dir. -A.B.C.A.
- 12:10-1:15 Lunch-Coach of the Year Awards
- 1:20-2:00 June Raines - University of South Carolina
Topic: **Catching**
Host: Duane Banks - University of Iowa
- 2:00-2:10 Refreshment Break
Compliments of 7up and Dr. Pepper
- 2:10-2:50 Bill Langston - Rockford College
Topic: **"Lets Have A Circus" - Baserunning**
Host: Duffy Bass, Illinois State University
- 2:50-3:30 Ron Czarnecki - Reavis H.S.
Tom Johnson - Bremen H.S.
Sam Lima - Proviso West H.S.
Clyde Olde - Lockport H.S.
Bill Seiple - Naperville Central H.S.
Topic: **Drill-A-Thon**
A New Drill Every 6 minutes
Host: Don Kuehner, President -I.H.S.B.C.A.

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Cocktails: 6:30 p.m.
Dinner: 7:15 p.m.



RON MELLEN - Carl Sandburg High School, Orland Park

The 20 year coaching career of Ron Mellen includes two years at Assumption High School, five at Mendel Catholic and the past 13 years at Sandburg. Along the way his teams have won 390 games, three league titles, six District and two Regional championships.

Ron's contributions to Illinois high school baseball have been outstanding both in quantity and in quality. He has been the All-Star coach in the Chicago Catholic League, the All-Star coach four times in the SICA conference as well as the head coach of the Illinois team for the Illinois-Michigan All-Star classic. Ron has been president of the IHSBCA, served on its Board of Directors, and has been honored as its Man of the Year. However, perhaps his greatest contributions to high school baseball have come in the form of the superb clinics which he has organized as clinic director for the IHSBCA.

CLIFF PIERCE - Schurz High School, Chicago

During the past 17 years Cliff has led his Schurz High School teams to 362 victories. These teams have earned nine conference titles, reached the Chicago Public League quarterfinals five times and have moved on to the State Tournament twice. The highlight of his career was winning the State championship in 1969.

Cliff has contributed to high school baseball in many ways. Cliff has been a speaker at many area baseball clinics. He is the past president of the Chicago Public League Baseball Coaches Association and presently serves on the Chicago Board of Education Baseball committee. Also, he has served on the baseball advisory board of the IHSBCA.



TERRY RYSER - Proviso East High School, Maywood

Terry began his high school coaching career with a one year stint at Howe Military Academy located in Howe, Indiana. He moved to Lakeland High School in LaGrange, Indiana and then, for the past 16 years, to Proviso East High School in Maywood. He has amassed 328 total victories and three conference championships. His teams have earned five Regional and one Sectional championships. The highlight of Terry's career came in 1977 when his team brought home the State championship trophy to Proviso East.

Terry has served as a clinic speaker both for the IHSBCA and for the Chicago High School Coaches Association. Terry was voted the Life newspaper Coach of the Year in 1977 and again in 1981.

HUBY SARVER - LaSalle-Peru High School, LaSalle

Huby began his coaching career with a two year stint at Hopkins High School. For the past 18 years he has been coaching at LaSalle-Peru High School. During this period his teams have won a total of 311 games. In 1980 baseball became a recognized sport in the North Central Illinois Conference and in the five seasons that have since passed, LaSalle-Peru has won all five championships. The team has won five Regional championships and one Sectional title. All of this has been accomplished at a school operating under a "no cut" policy with a coach who plays them all.

Huby has been an active participant in the IHSBCA serving on the All-State selection committee as Northern Area Chairman. Huby was selected as the IHSBCA coach of the Year in 1979 and last year was selected as the Northern Area Coach of the Year.



RICHARD "ITCHY" JONES - Southern Illinois University, Carbondale

"Itchy" began his coaching career at Jacksonville High School. After four years he moved across town to MacMurray College where he served as baseball coach for two years. He returned to his Alma Mater, Southern Illinois University, as an assistant coach in 1969. After one year he became the head coach and what a career he has had. His teams have won a total of 250 games. "Itchy's" teams have been in the NCAA Division I playoffs eight times. Three times he has taken teams to the College World Series finishing second in 1971 and third in 1974 and 1977.

"Itchy" Jones is recognized around the world as an outstanding teacher of the game. He has twice coached United States teams international play. Also, he has served as baseball consultant to Taiwan and to the Caracao-Netherlands Antilles. He is a nationally known clinician serving as a speaker throughout the country. Also, he has served on the NCAA Division I rules committee. "Itchy" Jones entered the Southern Illinois University Hall of Fame in 1982.

BOB BEAL - Pekin High School, Pekin

Bob began his coaching career with a one year stay at Yates City. He moved to Galesburg for an eight year period where his teams won 149 games while losing only 35. The past 11 years have been spent at Pekin High School. During this 20 year career Beal coached teams have won 301 games on their way to 13 Conference Championships. His record shows 13 District, eight Regional and five Sectional final appearances. Two teams have reached the State Tournament. Also, he had the distinction of coaching major league catcher Jim Sundberg for three seasons.

Bob has contributed to baseball in a unique way, as an inventor. He developed a special glove pad which is in use today by major league baseball players.



JACK MALLORY - Waukegan East High School, Waukegan

Jack's first year of coaching was at Washburn High School in Washburn, Illinois. He moved to Waukegan Township High School which later became Waukegan East High School and he has been coaching there for the past 19 years. His teams have won 242 games, four Conference titles, six District, five Regional and two Sectional championships. His 1971 team brought home the State Championship. Just last year Jack had two of his players representing Waukegan East on the Illinois team which played the Michigan All-Stars.

Jack has carried over his coaching to American Legion Baseball where his 1969 team won the Illinois championship and was runner-up in the Great Lakes Regional. He has been a staunch supporter of the ABCA which has honored him with its 25 year service award and its District 4 High School Coach of the Year award. He has also served as presenter at IHSBCA clinics.

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