



# IOWA HIGH SCHOOL BASEBALL COACHES ASSOCIATION

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**Membership Renewal Time:** Now is the time to renew your membership for the '08 season if you have not done so. Dues are \$30.00 each. We hope you will renew today; we need you and you need the association. Please send in your check with your clinic fees today. If you can recruit a new member, it will help the Association. A large membership is necessary if the Association is to continue the Clinic, the All-District Teams, All-State Teams, All-Star Series, and the Hall of Fame. There are other projects in the works. We appreciate your support!

**Membership Fee For School Groups:** The membership fees for those schools that have more than two coaches in their program are: first two coaches from one school will pay \$30.00 each. The fee for additional coaches from the same school will be \$20.00 for the third one and all others \$15.00 each if they all join at one time. For example, if three coaches from one school join the association at one time, their membership dues will total \$80.00. The school fee does not include umpires. If you have any questions, contact Pinky Primrose, Executive Secretary.

**Membership Card:** If you have paid your 2007-08 dues and have not received a membership card, please notify the Executive Secretary and it will be mailed to you.

**Check Your Address Label:** If your address label does not say 2008, you have not paid this year's dues. Please do so! This will be your last newsletter unless you remit your dues for the 2007-2008 school year. We need you and you need the Association in order to improve high school baseball. If you feel you have paid, please forward a copy of your cancelled check. Thank you for your trouble.

**2008 40th Annual Clinic:** The Coaches Association announces the 40th Annual Clinic, February 1-2-3, 2008, in Cedar Rapids at Washington High School and the Univ. of Iowa Bubble. Committee meetings, district meetings, and exhibitor displays are scheduled Friday morning, February 1. The clinic will begin at 12:50 p.m. on Friday, February 1, and will continue until 4:30 p.m. on Saturday. The Awards Banquet will be at the Crowne Plaza Five Seasons Hotel on Saturday evening, highlighted by the Hall of Fame and Coach and Umpire of the Year Awards. Coaches are encouraged to attend the Iowa Baseball Team practice Sunday morning in the Bubble in Iowa City.

The Steering Committee, Board of Directors and several other committees will be meeting prior to the start of the Clinic. They will meet Thursday, January 31. Check the committee meeting schedule for times.

We hope to have 24 exhibitors who will display all the latest in baseball equipment and coaching aids. This Clinic promises to uphold the tradition of past clinics.

You are urged to make use of the informational material and forms in this newsletter. If you know of anyone who may be interested in joining, you may duplicate any of this material for them.

**Reservations:** It is recommended that you get your reservations in early if you plan to stay overnight. The Crowne Plaza Five Seasons Hotel has reserved rooms for the coaches and umpires. Lodging locations are:

	PHONE
Crowne Plaza Hotel, downtown	319-363-8161
Clarion Hotel, 525 33 Ave S.W.	319-366-8671
Country Inn, 4747 1st Ave. S.E.	319-393-8800
Village Inn, 100 F Ave. N.W.	319-366-5323
Exel Inn, 616 33 Ave. S.W.	319-366-2475
Red Roof Inn, 3325 Southgate S.W.	319-366-7523
Econo Lodge, 16th Ave. S.W.	319-363-8888
C.R. Marriott Hotel, 1200 Collins Rd. N.E.	319-393-6600
Fairfield Inn, 3243 Southridge Dr. S.W.	319-364-2000
Comfort Inn, 390 33rd Ave. S.W.	319-363-7934
Comfort Inn, Rockwell Dr. N.E.	319-393-8247
Heartland Inn, 3315 Southgate Ct. S.W.	319-362-9012
Hampton Inn, 3265 6th St. S.W.	319-364-8144
Ramada Inn, 4011 16th Ave. S.W.	319-396-5000
HoJo Inn, 3233 Southridge Dr. S.W.	319-363-9999
Longbranch Best Western, 90 Twixt Town Rd. N.E.	319-377-6386
Shoney's Inn, Blairs Ferry Rd. N.E.	319-378-3948
Super 8 Motels 720 33 Av S.W.	319-362-6002
Holiday Inn Express, 33 Av S.W.	319-399-5025
Holiday Inn Express, Collins Rd. N.E.	319-294-9407
Howard Johnson Express, 9100 Atlantic Dr. S.W.	319-363-3789

The Thursday evening meetings and the Honors Banquet on Saturday night will be held at the Crowne Plaza Five Seasons Hotel in downtown Cedar Rapids. It will be the convention center for the weekend of baseball. Social on Thursday night will be held at the Crowne Plaza Five Season. This is all baseball talk; come join us. This has been one of the highlights of the clinic. **2008 HOF = 6**

**Six Selected For 2008 Hall Of Fame:** Three coaches, one umpire and two players have been selected for induction into the I.H.S.B.C.A.'s Hall of Fame.

The six inductees are: Stan Bahnsen, Council Bluffs; Cal Eldred, Urbana; Rick Heller, University of Northern Iowa; Phil Katz, Marion; Don Lyons, Denison; and Marlow Van Ginkel, Rock Rapids.

The six will be inducted at the Awards Banquet, Saturday, February 2, 2008, in Cedar Rapids. They will join 214 other Hall of Fame members.

**Stan Bahnsen** played high school baseball in Council Bluffs at Abe Lincoln. After graduation he went on to Univ. of Nebraska where he was an All-American, All-Conference and MVP. He signed with the Yankees in 1966. He played 16 years in the big leagues. He was with the Yankees, White Sox, Oakland, Montreal, Angels, and finished with the Phillies. He pitched in 574 games, starting 327 with 73 complete games and 16 shutouts. His over-all record was 146-149. He struck out 1,359 hitters and had a lifetime ERA of 3.60. His best year was in 1972 with the White Sox with a 21-16 record. During his playing days, Stan was the Rookie Pitcher of the Year in 1968.

**Cal Eldred** played high school baseball in Urbana for Scott Broghamer, playing shortstop and pitching. He was All-State, All-District and All-Conference at Urbana. He went on to play baseball at the University of Iowa for Coach Banks. He was a three-year starter at Iowa, signing a contract with the Brewers his junior year. He played three years in the minors and then the next 15 in the Big Leagues. Cal played for the Brewers, White Sox and Cardinals. His best year was in 1993 with a 16-16 record. Cal played in 341 games as a starter and reliefer. His overall record is 86-74. He struck out 939 batters and had an ERA of 4.42.

**Rick Heller** played high school baseball at Cardinal of Eldon graduating in 1982. He played college ball at Upper Iowa for four years as a starting shortstop, graduating in 1986. He lettered in football, basketball and baseball for the Peacocks. After college he was an assistant coach at North Fayette before becoming head Baseball and Basketball Coach at Bakersfield, Missouri. He moved to Upper Iowa in 1987 and took them to the Division III World Series. He went to UNI in 1999 and has won a MVC championship and took the Panther's to an NCAA Regional. Last season he won his 512th game and his 200th at Northern Iowa, winning seven conference championships overall. He has been selected Iowa Conference and College Coach of the Year several times and is a member of the Upper Iowa Hall of Fame. He has spoken at many IHSBCA clinics.

**Phil Katz** played high school baseball at Wakefield. He graduated from the Univ. of Iowa in 1976. He has been involved in coaching for over 25 years. He became the Linn Mar coach in 1980, leading Linn Mar to the State Tournament twice and winning many District tournaments. He has spoken at numerous clinics and has put on many clinics over the years. He was ECIC Coach of the Year twice and Metro Coach of the Year three times. Phil has served on many committees for the Association. Presently he is chairman of the Awards Committee. He is also active in the ABCA and currently serves as Chairman of District V and serves on the All-American Selection committee. Phil had 16 players from Linn Mar play in the All-Star Series. He also coached in three All-Star Series and chaired an All-Star Series in Cedar Rapids. His over-all record is 402-318.

**Don Lyons** played high school baseball in Maquoketa, graduating in 1975, playing Varsity baseball for four years. He pitched and played third and short. He went to Upper Iowa University in 1976-79, played shortstop and outfield and became a graduate assistant in 1981. He started his coaching career at Lytton in 1983-88 and then moved to Denison in 1989 to the present. His over-all record is 481-331, winning the State Championship once and was State runner-up once. His teams have won five District Tournaments. He has been a member of the IHSBCA for 25 years. He coached in one All-Star Series. He has served on many committees. He is a member of the 400-Win Club and has been named West 3A District Coach of Year three times and State Coach of Year in 1994. He is a member of the Upper Iowa Hall of Fame.

**Marlow Van Ginkel** has umpired most of his 35 years in the Northwest District. He has averaged 50-60 Varsity games each year, working in Lakes, Siouxland, War Eagle, Northwest and Missouri River Conferences. He has received numerous awards over the years--IHSAA Hall of Fame in 2001, District Umpire of the Year and NWICOA Hall of Fame in 1997. He has worked in 15 All-Star Series and 20 State tournaments. He also was named to the IG-CABO Hall of Fame in 2006. Marlow has a Superior rating. He has the 35-Year Longevity Award.

**Longevity Awards and Membership Awards:** The following coaches have been members for at least five consecutive years and will be receiving their longevity/membership plaques/certificates at the Awards Banquet, Saturday, February 2, 2008. We only honor on the 10-15-20-25-etc. years.

**10-YEAR CERTIFICATE:** Kevin Kelderman, North Mahaska; Chad Slagle, North Central Kossuth; Jake Souhrada, Wilton.

**15-YEAR AWARD:** Bill Argo, Davenport Assumption; Mike Brennan, Emmetsburg; Brent Martsching, Moulton; Chris Oberbroeckling, Marion (Ump); Trent Snowden, Clinton; Randy Wee, Johnston.

**20-YEAR AWARD:** William Azinger, Logan-Magnolia, Rick Heller, UNI; Joel Holst, Wartburg; Jeff Hoogensen, Marshalltown; Mike Morrison, West Delaware, Tim O'Neill, West Des Moines Dowling; Troy Plummer, Grandview; Ken Robbins, Belmond (Ump); Ken Schrieber, Council Bluffs St. Albert; Jim Struve, Vinton-Shellsburg; Don Umland, Bettendorf (Ump).

**25-YEAR AWARD:** Tod Broman, Stuart (Ump); Dick Burch, Fort Madison; Rich Collison, Algona; Mike Droll, Tipton (Ump); Fritz Keeling, Urbandale; Don Lyons, Denison; Randy Mathews, C.R. Washington; Ken Miller, West Burlington (Ump); Joe Shanks, Fort Dodge; Emory Stewart, Oskaloosa.

**30-YEAR AWARD:** Mike Laird, William Penn; Bart McNeil, Rockwell City; Dan Reid, Burlington; Steve Westphal, Lenox.

**35-YEAR AWARD:** Larry Barr, Scranton (Ump); Fr. Craig Collison, Sioux City (Ump); Harold Davis, Epworth; Jim Donohue, Martensdale-St. Marys; Bill Krejci, Creston; Steve Mohr, DeSoto; Larry Rhamy, A-H-S-T, Avoca; Lon Spurgin, Central Lee;

**40-YEAR AWARD:** Vic Belger, Creston; Pat Daugherty, Colorado Rockies; Larry Milledge, Chariton.

**45-YEAR AWARD:** Terry Curtis, Williamsburg; Lou Koenigsfeld, Clear Lake.

**100 And Over Win Clubs:** You will find below the names of coaches who reached a Win Club milestone this year. The coaches whose names are listed will receive a certificate for 100-200-300 (if you pre-register for the clinic). If you should receive a certificate or plaque (400 or 500 wins) and your name does not appear here, please contact the Executive Secretary immediately and inform him of your record. **You must pre-register in order for you to receive your Win Club and/or Conference Champion certificate at the clinic.**

**New members "100-WIN CLUB":** Sheldon Card, Pleasantville; JR Gebhart, Saydel; Brian Johnson, Hampton-Dumont; Dave Rock, Calamus;

**New members "200-WIN CLUB":** Billy Argo, Davenport Assumption; Ryan Berg, Storm Lake St. Marys; Pat Bollman, Maquoketa; Dan Duskin, Atlantic; Brad Hamilton, Bondurant; Brian Miller, Mid-Prairie; Brent Martsching, Moulton-Udel; Tim O'Neill, West Des Moines Dowling; Glen Naber, Pleasant Valley; Matt Rivera, Muscatine; Jay Ryan, Davenport Central; Chad Slagle, North Central Kossuth; Trent Snowden, Clinton; Randy Wee, Johnston.

**New members "300-WIN CLUB":** Brian Luft, Des Moines East; Trace Petersen, Atlantic; Byron Peyton, Dallas Center Grimes; Jerry Spieler, Carroll Kumper; Lon Spurgin, Central Lee; Rod Unger, Missouri Valley; Jim Wesselmann, Remsen St. Marys.

**New members "400-WIN CLUB":** Randy Mathews, C.R. Washington; Charles Stumpff, Iowa City West; Dick Smith, Ogden.

## 2006-2007 Academic Achievement Awards

### Distinguished Academic Achievement

Ames	3.48	Eric Bappe
Clinton	3.30	Trent Snowden
Creston	3.35	Bill Krejci
Exira	3.35	Tom Petersen
Garner-Hayfield	3.43	Bill Awtry
Harlan	3.31	Steve Daeges
Indianola	3.30	Casey Aldridge
Kuemper Catholic, Carroll	3.55	Jerry Spieler
Prairie Valley, Gowrie	3.28	Bart McNeil
Red Oak	3.36	Mike Mercer
St. Edmond, Fort Dodge	3.36	Aaron Davidson
Waukee	3.34	Monte Friestad

### Excellence in Academic Achievement

Aplington-Parkersburg	3.12	Travis Walker
Belle Plaine	3.11	Greg Walton
Bishop Garrigan, Algona	3.22	Rob Meister
Decorah	3.10	Dennis Olejniczak
Eagle Grove	3.07	Bruce Rholl
Farragut	3.24	Gary Moody
Gladbrook-Reinbeck	3.14	John Olson
Hudson	3.24	Ray Harrington
Moulton-Udell	3.15	Brent Martsching
Newell-Fonda	3.15	Jim Miller
Nodaway Valley	3.22	John Harper
North Iowa, Buffalo Center	3.16	Brad Ewest
North Polk, Alleman	3.13	Dave Middleton
North Tama	3.24	Dan Kopriwa

Congratulations to the above schools and coaches.

### 2007 Baseball Player and Coach Ejection Report:

There were 95 player ejections in grades 7-12 during the 2007 baseball season. This is up 11 from 2006. 9th grade-13; 10th-24; JV-20; and Varsity--34. Of these ejections: Throwing Equipment (Bat) 13; Unsportsmanlike Behavior 13; Malicious Contact 44; Foul Language 18; Jewelry Rule 1; Arguing Calls 6.

There were 22 coach ejections during the 2007 baseball season. 9th grade-6; 10th grade-2; JV-2; Varsity-12.

#### Numbers of Coaches Ejections By Year:

1991-14; 1992-21; 1993-16; 1994-22; 1995-19; 1996-22; 1997-23; 1998-40; 1999-18; 2000-28; 2001-30; 2002-19; 2003-23 2004-19; 2005-23; 2006-21; 2007-22.

**Let's get down to 10 next year!**

### DID YOU KNOW:

Hall of Famer Wendell Hill passed away Nov. 25th. He coached at Bettendorf and then became the AD at Bettendorf High.

Eric Wordekemper of Storm Lake St. Marys played pro baseball last summer in the Class A League with Tampa Yankees. He was their closer.

Randy Mathews, C.R. Washington; Charles Stumpff, Iowa City West; Dick Smith, Ogden won their 400th games this summer.

### CLINIC SPEAKERS:

**STAN BAHSEN** played high school baseball in Council Bluffs at Abe Lincoln. After graduation he went on to Univ. of Nebraska where he was an All-American, All-Conference and MVP. He signed with the Yankees in 1966. He played 16 years in the big leagues. He was with the Yankees, White Sox, Oakland, Montreal, Angels, and finished with the Phillies. He pitched in 574 games, starting 327 with 73 complete games and 16 shutouts. His over-all record was 146-149. He struck out 1,359 hitters and had a lifetime ERA of 3.60. His best year was in 1972 with the White Sox with a 21-16 record. During his playing days, Stan was the Rookie Pitcher of the Year in 1968. He is self employed running the Sports Marketing & Developing Sports Theme Cruises.

**DUANE BANKS** is a former head coach at the University of Iowa where he coached from 1970 until 1997. Duane's overall record at Iowa was 810-575. Banks was inducted into the ABCA Hall of Fame and also the IHSBCA Hall of Fame. He is a past president of the ABCA. Duane has been named both Big Ten Conference and District Coach-of-the-Year. Many of his former Hawkeyes have earned pro contracts and several have made it to the major leagues. He has spoken at many clinic through-out the country.

**RYAN BROWNLEE** enters his fifth season as the Iowa hitting and infield instructor and recruiting coordinator. Ryan served as the infield/baserunning coach and assisted with hitting and recruiting at James Madison University for four years before coming to Iowa. Ryan was a four-year starter as second base at Evansville. He was selected to the ABCA All-Region squad. Coach Dahm said that Ryan has been very instrumental in coordinating the first four years of recruiting.

**BRIAN CAIN, MS, CAA** is the Director of Brian Cain Peak Performance. He has addressed national audiences in Orlando, FL, Houston, TX, and New Orleans, LA on topics such as Team Building For Championship Performance, Successful Marketing Strategies and The Mental Aspects of Peak Performance. He is a dynamic speaker and presenter whose workshops have lasting impact. A former instructor at the high school, collegiate and graduate levels, Cain has taught courses on Personal Development, Health and Well Being, Physiological and Psychological Fitness and Applied Sport Psychology.

**JACK DAHM** is entering his fifth year as Head Coach at the University of Iowa. His 2007 team record was 31-23, going to the Big Ten Playoffs. He was the former Head Coach at Creighton from 1989 until 2003. He became the Head Coach in 1993 at Creighton following Jim Henry. He has been very active on many committees of the ABCA, NCAA and the College World Series. Jack is the winningest coach in Creighton Baseball history, was named Coach of Year twice and won NCAA Regionals in 1999 and 2000. He has taken the Hawkeyes to two Big Ten playoffs in the past four years. He has presented many clinics in Iowa.

**CHRIS HATCHER** played high school baseball at Tee Jay in Council Bluffs for Lee Toole. He played in the 1989 All-Star Series. His college career took him to the University of Iowa playing the outfield for Coach Banks. He signed a pro contract with the Houston Astros in 1992. He played professional baseball for 10 years, mainly in Triple A. He was called up to the Royals in 1989. He played for six different clubs. Chris had a life time average in pro baseball of .290, hitting 216 homeruns, 202 doubles, 29 triples and had 699 RBI.

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**MIKE MORRISON** high school coach at West Delaware and 3A State Champs, has been coaching for 20 years. He started his career as an assistant at Central Lee and then became the head coach at West Delaware. His overall record is 388-168. Mike's 2007 team record was 36-3, winning the Wamac, District, Sub-state and State Championship. He is a member of the 300-Win Club and has 15-Year Longevity Award. He coached in three All-Star Series, seven times Conference Coach of Year and District Coach of Year three times. He is a member of the Board of Directors for the North-East District.

**RANDY WAYNE WHITE** is a New York Times best selling author of fifteen novels, four volumes of non-fiction, six thrillers under a pen-name, and PBS documentary, GIFT OF THE GAME, which won Best of Show at the internationally respected Woods Hole Film Festival. In 1999, White's novel, SANIBEL FLATS, was chosen by the American Independent Mystery Booksellers Association as one of the Hundred Favorite Mysteries of the 20th Century. He is a popular speaker in much demand, and has lectured from coast-to-coast. White is an Editor at Large for Outside Magazine. He was a contributing editor and columnist for Men's Journal, Men's Health and a contributor to National Geographic Adventure. He has been awarded the Conch Republic Prize for Literature. He also won the John D. MacDonald Award for Literary Excellence. Randy played high school baseball in Davenport for the legendary Bill Freese.

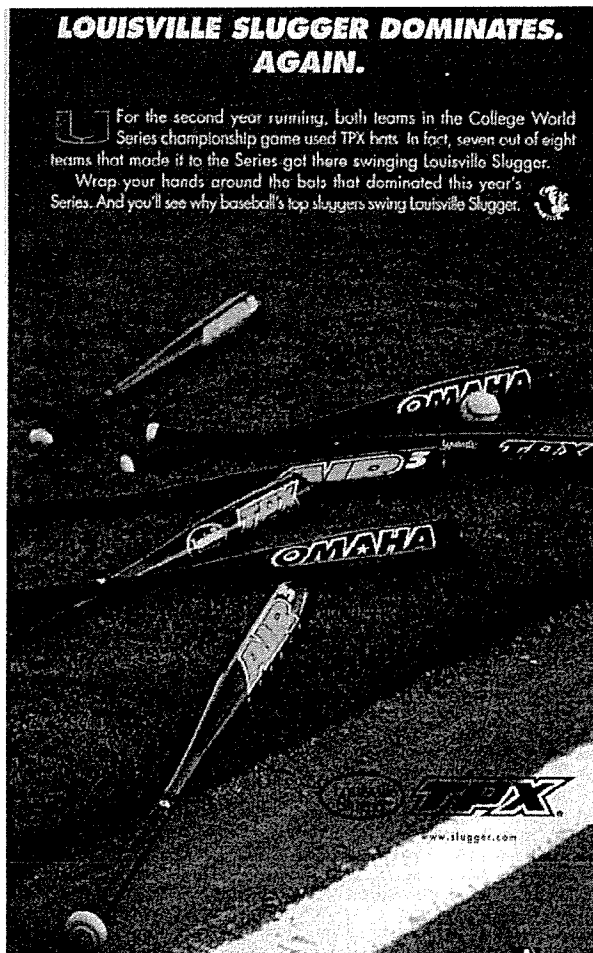
**TROY WULF** played high school baseball at West Lyon going to the State Tournament his junior and senior year. He entered the Univ. of Iowa in 1995, playing for Coaches Banks and Broghammer. He graduated in 2000 playing all four years as a pitcher. He received his Master Degree in Higher Education Administration in 2002. Presently he is coaching at West Liberty and working in the office of Athletic Student Services. He has been a member of the Coaches Association for 5 years. He is academic coordinator.

**Display Tables:** If you know someone who is interested in displaying at the clinic, have them contact Pinky Primrose, Chairman of the Clinic. Price is reasonable: \$150.00 for one 8' table for two days.

**A.B.C.A.:** If you are not a member of the American Baseball Coaches Association, now is the time to join. Send your dues to Dave Keillitz, 108 S. University Ave., Suite 3, Mt. Pleasant, MI 48858-2327. It's not too late to receive the Quarterly Digest, an excellent clinic book. Dues are \$30.00 per year. Convention is in Orlando, FL Jan 4-5-6, 2008. [abca@abca.org](mailto:abca@abca.org)

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# BASEBALL CLINIC 2008

FEBRUARY 1-2-3, 2008

9:30-- 4:00 REGISTRATION  
 10:30--12:00 GENERAL MEETING in Little Theater  
 12:50---1:00 WELCOME--Denny Barton, President;  
 Dr. R. Plagman, Principal; P. James, Athletic Director  
 1:00---1:30 STAN BAHNSEN (Preparing the Pitcher)  
 1:30---2:00 CHRIS HATCHER (Hitting )  
 2:00---2:45 RYAN BROWNLEE (Infield Drills)  
 2:45---3:30 STAN BAHNSEN (Pitching)  
 3:30---4:00 MIKE MORRISON (Developing a high school program)  
 4:00---4:30 DUANE BANKS (Catching)

## 4:30---5:15 MINI CLINICS (Below)

PITCHING (L.T.)	INFIELD (124)
(S) Stan Bahnsen	Ryan Brownlee
(H) Steve Westphal, Lenox	John Waddle, Coon Rapids
HITTING (AUD)	CATCHING (BAND ROOM)
(S) Chris Hatcher	Duane Banks
(H) Mike Morrison, West Delaware	Tim O'Neill, Dowling

## Session II, SATURDAY MORNING

7:30--- 9:00 ED McNEIL-McDONALD'S F.C.A. BREAKFAST  
 8:30---11:00 REGISTRATION  
 9:00---10:15 ROGER BARR--IHSAA 2008 Rules Meeting  
 10:15---10:30 Introduce All-Star Coaches  
 10:30---11:00 RANDY WHITE (How a Coach can Affect Your Life)  
 11:00---11:30 STAN BAHNSEN (Developing the Pitcher)  
 11:30---12:00 BRIAN CAIN (Mental Game of Baseball)

## 12:05---12:35 MINI CLINICS (Lunch 12:35--1:00 p.m.)

PITCHING PANEL (L.T.)	CATCHING (Band)
(S) Stan Bahnsen	Duane Banks
(H) Phil Katz, Linn Mar	Steve Fish, Marion

## 12:35---1:10 MINI CLINICS (Lunch 12:00--12:30 p.m.)

HITTING (AUD)	INFIELD (124)
(S) Chris Hatcher	Jack Dahm
(H) Steve Hanson, Marshalltown	Dave Middleton, North Polk

## Session III, SATURDAY AFTERNOON

1:15---1:45 HELLER-DAHM-BANKS-HATCHER (Hitting Panel)  
 1:45---2:15 PHIL KATZ (Practice Organization for High School)  
 2:15---2:45 RICK HELLER (Base Running Drills & Situations)  
 2:45---3:15 BRIAN CAIN (Routine for Hitters and Pitchers)  
 3:15---3:45 JACK DAHM-TROY WULF (NCAA Rules Changes)  
 3:45---4:30 STAN BAHNSEN (Baseball Experiences)

## AWARDS BANQUET 6:00 p.m.

## SUNDAY MORNING (IOWA BUBBLE)

9:00---11:30 Observe Iowa practice with the Iowa Coaches, Jack Dahm Nick Zumsande and Ryan Brownlee (Baserunning, Defensive Drills, Hitting Drills, Infield/Outfield Catching Drills, Regular Practice)  
 (Brian Cain will be at Sunday Practice in the Dome)

# UMPIRES CLINIC

FEBRUARY 1-2, 2008

9:30--- 4:00 REGISTRATION  
 10:30--12:00 GENERAL MEETING in Little Theater  
 1:00---1:05 WELCOME--Denny Barton, President; Dr. R. Plagman, Principal; P. James, Athletic Director  
 1:15---2:00 General Meeting of the Umpires Membership  
 2:00---4:30 Gym--Cage Work in gymnasium (Bring your Mask) Kirkwood Pitchers & Catchers working in cage  
 4:30---5:00 RANDY "WAYNE" WHITE (What Baseball Means to the Fans of the Game)

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7:30---9:00 ED McNEIL-McDONALD'S F.C.A. BREAKFAST  
 8:30---11:00 REGISTRATION  
 9:00---10:15 ROGER BARR--IHSAA 2008 Rules Meeting  
 10:30---11:15 MIKE DROLL (2-Man Rotations & Communications)  
 JEFF WESTENDORF (Speeding up Game)  
 DERUITERT (Tips for a Professional Look)  
 11:25---12:10 MIKE DROLL (2-Man Rotations & Communications)  
 JEFF WESTENDORF (Speeding up Game)  
 MIKE PAULY (3-man Rotations & Communications)

## LUNCH 12:10--1:00 Cafeteria

## Session III, SATURDAY AFTERNOON

1:00---1:50 Westphal, Barton & Van Soyoc (PANEL)  
 Umpire/Coach Affective Communication  
 2:00---2:50 PAUL KEITEL (Calling the Balk)  
 JEFF WESTENDORF (Field Positioning & Why)  
 ROGER BARR (Tournament Assignments)  
 3:00---3:50 PAUL KEITEL (Calling the Balk)  
 JEFF WESTENDORF (Field Positioning & Why)  
 RANDY BRUNS (Advance Umpiring Issues )  
 4:00---4:45 RANDY BRUNS (Keynote Speaker--- College World Series Umpire)

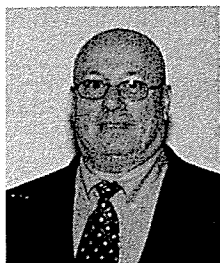
## AWARDS BANQUET 6:00 p.m.

## CROWNE PLAZA FIVE SEASONS HOTEL

## Speaker:

**ROGER BARR**, a veteran athletic official of 31 years and a successful businessman, is with the IHSAA as Coordinator of Officials. He is a former umpire from Storm Lake. Roger will be observing and evaluating umpires for the Association and will work to recruit new officials as part of his duties. Roger will be presenting the Rules Meeting. He is a graduate of Buena Vista College where he was a letterman.

### President's Award to John Reglein:



and Owner, has donated a steak dinner to the All-Stars and Coaches of Iowa for many years. This year's recipient graduated from Wall Lake High School. He went to Ellsworth and Iowa Central after coming home the Navy. He began his business career at Musicland and then went into sporting good business Iowa Sporting Goods which turned into the Graphic Edge in 1989. He has been a major booster of high school athletics in Iowa and a big booster Carroll and Kuemper High Schools in Carroll and great promoter for Iowa High School Baseball Coaches Association. John has received the Freese Contributor Award in 2002 and many other recognitions. Today John has 190 employees and covers 12 states with his business.

### Bill and Sherry Freese Award to Tom and Linda



**Souhrada** coached high school baseball at Davenport West for 25 years, 20 as Varsity Coach. Tom and Linda have been involved in the Coaches association for many years helping at the Clinic and All-Star Series. Tom is in charge of rounding up the All-Star Coaches and at the All-Star Series he runs the Olympics. Linda has assisted Flo Primrose at registration for both the Clinic and All-Star Series. Tom is a former President of the Association and a Hall of Fame Member.

### Harold "Pinky" Primrose Award to Randy Wayne White:



White is a New York Times best selling author of fifteen novels, four volumes of non-fiction, six thrillers under a penname, and PBS documentary, GIFT OF THE GAME, which won Best of Show at the internationally respected Woods Hole Film Festival. In 1999, White's novel, SANIBEL FLATS, was chosen by the American Independent Myster Booksellers Association as one of the Hundred Favorite Mysteries of the 20th Century. He is a popular speaker in much demand, and has lectured from coast-to-coast. White is an Editor at Large for Outside Magazine. He was a contributing editor and columnist for Men's Journal, Men's Health and a contributor to National Geographic Adventure. He has been awarded the Conch Republic Prize for Literature. He also won the John D. MacDonald Award for Literary Excellence. Randy played his high school baseball in Davenport for the Legendary Bill Freese. Past recipients are: Gov. Branstad, Duane Acker, Swede Anderson, Gary Thompson, Bob Kazimour, Jim Cummins, E. Wayne Cooley, Bernie Saggau, Vice Admiral Dick Naughton, Colonel Neil Kacena and Sam Bernabe.

### District Media Award Winners:

**West Winner:** Matt Gengler, **MISSOURI VALLEY TIMES**

**East Winner:** Dick Fridley, **WAVERLY NEWSPAPER**

## COMMITTEE MEETING SCHEDULE

COMMITTEE	SITE	DATE	TIME
Steering	Five Seasons	1/31	5:00 pm
All-Star	Five Seasons	1/31	7:00 pm
Audit	Five Seasons	1/31	7:00 pm
Umpires	Five Seasons	1/31	9:30 pm
L. Peterson Award	Five Seasons	1/31	9:30 pm
Awards Comm.	Five Seasons	1/31	9:30 pm
Hall of Fame	Five Seasons	2/1	10:00 pm

### All below will meet on 2/1/2008

Steering	Washington	Aud	8:15 am
All State Teams	Washington	LT	8:30 am
Hall of Fame	Washington	Aud	8:45 am
All District	Washington	Aud	9:00 am
Constitution	Washington	Aud	9:15 am
Rating Poll	Washington	LT	9:30 am
All State Coach	Washington	Aud	9:30 am
Membership	Washington	LT	9:45 am

\*Committee chairmen will be responsible for the report to the General Meeting Friday, February 1, at 10:30 a.m. Roll call will be taken! Any member can sit in on any of the committee meetings.

**Committee Members:** We would like for each committee member to check when his committee meeting will be held. It is important for the Chairman to take roll at this committee meeting. If a member has been absent for two consecutive years, he will be dropped from that committee unless he appeals his removal in writing to the Vice-President providing proper reasoning behind his non-attendance at two consecutive committee meetings. We are trying to involve each committee of the Association.

### 2007--2008 COMMITTEE ASSIGNMENTS:

#### ALL STAR COMMITTEE: 2007 All-Star Series

Jeremy Lagner, Waterloo West (Chairman)  
Tim Heller, UNI                      John Netty, Waterloo East  
Jack Sole, Cedar Falls              Terry Goerd, Columbus  
Travis Kiewit, Cedar Falls

#### ALL DISTRICT COMMITTEE:

John Waddle, Coon Rapids (Chairman)  
Mike Morrison, West Delaware      Dave Rock, Calamus  
Randy Wee, Johnston                  Josh Allison, Fairfield  
Jerry Pyleski, Central Lyon          Dan Hovden, North Fayette  
Randy Mathews, C.R. Washington      Jake Souhrada, Wilton  
Andy Van Fossan-Underwood          Steve Westphal, Lenox  
Tim O'Neill, West D.M. Dowling

#### ALL STATE COACH COMMITTEE:

Steve Hanson, Marshalltown (Chairman)  
Jay Ryan, Davenport Central          Ken Schreiber, St. Albert's  
Will Azinger, Logan-Magnolia          Fritz Keeling, Des Moines  
Matt Zoske, Webster City              Brian Johnson, Hampton  
Brad Hamilton, Bondurant-Farrar      Daryl Cochran, Camanche

#### HALL OF FAME COMMITTEE:

Roger Hoel, Waterloo West (Chairman)  
Bill Freese, Davenport                  Denny Barton, Urbandale  
Dick Core, Dubuque                      Lenny Weih, Clinton  
Lanny Peterson, Cedar Rapids          Emory Stewart, Oskaloosa  
Gary Nyhus, Clear Lake                  Jerry Roling, Cascade  
Tom Jenk, Jr., Dyersville                Jack Lynch, Lawler  
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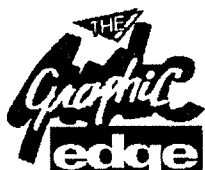
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Ryan Wood, Ottumwa	Rick Gabel, Riceville
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Bruce Wall, Jesup	Jeff Westendorf, Des Moines

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##### **Elected Representatives plus:**

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#### **STEERING COMMITTEE:**

Lee Toole, Lewis Central(Chairman) (Dues Paying Past Presidents)

**All Star Coaches Needed:** Coaches, please fill out the questionnaire in this newsletter if you are interested in coaching in the 32nd All-Star Series in Des Moines this summer. Dates are August July 31, Aug. 1-2 and 3rd, 2008. The All-Star Coaches are selected by the Steering Committee at the Clinic. They are always looking for coaches, assistants, retired, Hall of Famers, to coach in the series. They also want coaches who are active in their district and on committees. If you want to get involved with your association, this is one easy way to do it. A past head coach must sit out four to five years before he can coach again. An assistant coach must sit out one year before he can reapply. The committee also tries to get a balance in the state--north, central, south, east, west and also tries to get coaches from the different classes. Give it a try if you haven't done it before.

**Committee Work:** President-elect, Denny Barton, will be assigning members to the different committees. If you are interested, please contact him. Get involved, it's your association.

**All-Star and All State Academic Medals Donated by Gary and Sandy Nyhus:** Gary and Sandy Nyhus have donated the Academic Medals for the past five years. The Association thanks Gary and Sandy for this donation.

**Fall Meeting:** Thanks to the University of Iowa and Jack Dahm who hosted the Annual Fall Meeting once again. The coaches had a great meeting and a day of football. See minutes later in newsletter.

**National High School Baseball Coaches Association (BCA):** You should have received in the mail a newsletter and application for the NHSBCA, founded by some of the leading coaches in the country, and headed up by Ron Davini. It would be great if you could join this organization. Cost is \$30.00 per year, with many benefits to come through the years. Send your dues today to BCA, P.O. Box 12843, Tempe, AZ 85284. This organization is on the move. 602-615-0571.

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## 4A DISTRICT COACH 2007

### NORTHEAST DISTRICT

**JEREMY LANGNER**, Waterloo West High School, has been coaching for 6 years with an overall record of 75-125. His 2007 team record was 15-23. He hosted the All-Star Series in 2007. He has been a member of the Association for 6 years.

**RANDY MATHEWS**, Cedar Rapids Washington High School, has been coaching for 26 years with an over-all record of 401-403. His 2007 team record was 29-10, winning the Mississippi Valley Conference. Randy has served on several Committees. He is a member of the 400-Win Club. Randy has the 20-Year Longevity Award. Randy was Conference Coach of Year in 2007. He coached in three All-Star Series. His assistant is Bob Buchanan.

**CHARLES STUMPF**, Iowa City West High School, has been coaching for 25 years with an over-all record of 406-287. His 2007 team record was 27-13, winning the Mississippi Valley Conference. Charles has coached in four All-Star Series and is a member of the 400-Win Club and has the 25-Year Longevity Award. He was State Coach of the Year in 1991 and District Coach of the Year three times. He chaired the 2004 All-Star Series. He is a Past-President and now serves on the Steering Committee. Charles was named Conference Coach of Year three times. He has been a member of the Association for 24 years. His assistant is Tom Cronk.

### WEST DISTRICT

**BRIAN DRENT**, Sioux City North High School, has been coaching for 2 years with an over-all record of 54-24. His 2007 team record was 30-7, winning the Missouri River Conference. He has been a member of the Association for 2 years. His assistant is Scott Brouillette.

**MATT STEVENSON**, Sioux City West High School, has been head coach for 2 years with an over-all record of 36-40. His 2007 team record was 20-17 winning the Sub-State Tournament. He has been a member of the Association for 8 years. His assistant is Ryne Young.

### NORTH CENTRAL DISTRICT

**DENNY BARTON**, Urbandale High School, has been coaching for 24 years, with an over-all record of 618-357. His 2007 team record was 37-8, winning the CIML Conference, Sub-State and State Championship. Denny is a member of the 500-Win Club. He has the 30-Year Longevity Award. He coached in the All-Star Series. He was named Conference Coach of Year four times. He has been a member of the Association for 30 years. Denny was District chair and then went through the officer ranks. Presently he is President. He serves on the Hall of Fame Committee. He is a Hall of Fame Member. He is assisted by Brian Hoff and Mike Cook.

**RYAN COOLEY**, West Des Moines Valley High School, has been coaching for 18 years, with an over-all record of 146-80. His 2007 team record was 30-7, winning the CIML Iowa Conference. Ryan is a member of the 100-Win Club and has the 15-Year Longevity Award. He has coached in two All-Star series. He was Conference Coach of Year three times and District Coach twice and State Coach of Year in 2005-2006. He has been a member of the Association for 15 years. He is assisted by Brady Weber.

**MARK HEY**, Ankey High School, has been coaching for 18 years, the last five as head coach. He has an over-all record of 134-56. His 2007 team record was 25-17, winning the Sub-State. He was named Conference Coach of Year twice. Mark coached in the 2006 All-Star Series. He has been a member of the Association for 18 years. He is a member of the 100-Win Club and has the 15-Year Longevity Award. His assistant is Ben Buchan.

## SOUTH CENTRAL DISTRICT

**CASEY ALDRIDGE**, Indianola High School, has been coaching for 5 years with an over-all record of 82-89. His 2007 team record was 20-20. He has been a member of the Association for 5 years. He is assisted by Kent Lyon.

**BRIAN LUFT**, Des Moines East High School, has been coaching for 16 years, with an over-all record of 304-202. His 2007 team record was 34-5, winning the CIML Metro Conference. He is a member of the 300-Win Club and has the 15-Year Longevity Award. He has been a member of the Association for 17 years. His assistant is Scott Rourke.

**RANDY WEE**, Johnston High School, has been coaching for 14 years, with an over-all record of 212-150. His 2007 team record was 27-10. He serves on the All State and Rating Committee. He is a member of the 200-Win Club. He was named Conference Coach of Year twice. He has coached in two All-Star Series. He has been a member of the Association for 14 years. His assistant is Jake Randall.

### SOUTHEAST DISTRICT

**DAN REID**, Burlington High School, has been coaching for 30 years, with an over-all record of 652-381. His 2007 team record was 30-9. He is a member of the 500-Win Club and has the 30-Year Longevity Award. Dan coached in three All-Star Series. He was District Coach of Year four times and four times a Conference Coach of Year. Dan was State Coach of Year when he coached at Burlington Notre Dame. Dan has served on the Board of Directors and serves on several committees. He has been a member of the Association for 30 years. His assistant is John Cahill.

**JAY RYAN**, Davenport Central High School, has been coaching for 26 years, ten years as head coach, with an over-all record of 200-148. His 2007 team record was 32-7. Jay has served on many Committees over the years. He was named Conference Coach of Year and District Coach of Year in 2005. He is a member of the 200-Win Club and has the 25-Year Longevity Award. He coached in the 2003 All-Star Series. Ryan has been a member of the Association for 18 years. He is assisted by Dyson Miguel.

**TRENT SNOWDEN**, Clinton High School, has been coaching for 17 years, with an over-all record of 210-387. His 2007 team record was 22-10. He coached in the 2006 All-Star Series. He is a member of the 200-Win Club and has the 15-Year Longevity Award. He has been a member of the Association for 17 years. His assistant is Tom Jordan.

## 2 YEAR COLLEGE COACHES:

**RICH PEDERSON**, is entering his sixth year as the head coach of the Iowa Central Tritons after leading the Tritons to back-to-back NJCAA World Series. He has compiled a 178-76 career record. His 2007 Team Record was 43-22. The NJCAA named Rick has the '03, '04, '05 North Central District Coach of the Year, the Region XI Coach of Year and '03, '04, '05 and '06 IHSBCA Two-year College Coach of the Year. Rick served five years as an assistant coach at Iowa Central before becoming the Head Coach. He is assisted by Neale Adams and Lyle Stevens.

**MARC RARDIN**, head baseball coach at Iowa Western, has a 208-68 record with a .825 conference winning percentage. His 2007 team record was 42-15 with a final national ranking of 10th in the country and won their 2nd consecutive Regional Title. He has produced 18 All Region 1st Teamers, 6 All District, and 5 Academic All Americans. Before coming to Iowa Western, Marc worked as a volunteer assistant at Baylor University in Waco, Texas. Prior to Baylor, he was an assistant coach at Bluefield College in Bluefield, Virginia. He grew up just outside Lamont, Iowa. He graduated from Starmont High School where he had a successful athletic career, lettering 14 times in 4 different sports. In 2007 he was honored with the Louisville Slugger Coach of the Year and Diamond Sports Coach of the Year. He is assisted by Rob Allison and Mike Sirianni.

## 3A DISTRICT COACH 2007

### NORTHEAST DISTRICT

**MIKE MORRISON**, West Delaware High School, has been coaching for 20 years. His over-all record is 388-168. His 2007 team record was 36-3 winning the WaMac, District, Sub-state and State Championship. He is a member of the 300-Win Club and has the 15-Year Longevity Award. He was Conference Coach of Year seven times. He coached in three All-Star Series. Mike is a member of the Board of Directors and served on several committees. He has been a member of the Association for 18 years. He is assisted by Jay Reeder.

**JERRY ROLING**, Dubuque Wahlert High School, has been coaching for 36 years, with an overall record of 853-389. His 2007 team record was 24-12. He was Conference Coach of Year 12 times. Jerry has coached in three All-Star Series. Jerry is a member of the 500-Win Club and has the 35-Year Longevity Award. He has served on many committees, going through the chairs and now serving on the Steering Committee. Jerry is a Hall of Fame Member. He has been a member of the Association for 33 years. He is assisted by Kory Tuescher.

**ANDREW SIRES**, Waukon High School, has been coaching for 5 years, with an over-all record of 94-80. His 2007 team record was 28-9, winning the NEIC Conference. He has been a member of the Association for 5 years. He has been assisted by Jeremy Strub.

### WEST DISTRICT

**BILL KREJCI**, Creston High School, has been coaching for 1 year at Creston after retiring from Southwest Iowa Community College. He has a high school over-all record of 19-14, winning the District and Sub-State Tournaments. He is a member of the 500-Win Club and has the 30-Year Longevity Award. He has been a member of the Association for 30 years. He is assisted by Steve Binchard.

**ANDY McGAFFIN**, Spencer High School, has been coaching for 34 years with an over-all record of 528-370. His 2007 team record was 18-10. Andy has served on many committees, is a past president and now serves on the steering committee. He was the head coach in the 1984 All-Star Series. He is a member of the 500-Win Club and has the 30-Year Longevity Award. He coordinates the FCA-McDonald's breakfast at the clinic annually. He was State Coach of the Year in 1997 and District Coach of Year 7 times. Andy is a member of the Hall of Fame. Andy is a member of the Steering Committee after going through the chairs. He has been a member of the Association for 34 years. His assistant is Brian Dirx.

**MARK SAWHILL**, Jefferson-Scranton High School, has been coaching for 5 years as a head coach, having an over-all record of 51-67. His 2007 team record was 15-14. He has been a member of the Association for 16 years. He is assisted by Kevin Paulsen.

### CENTRAL DISTRICT

**DAVE DIRKX**, Carlisle High School, has been coaching for 8 years, with an over-all record of 171-84. His 2007 team record was 21-14 winning the Raccoon River Conference. Dave is a member of the 100-Win Club. He was Conference, District and State Coach of Year in 2003. He has been a member of the Association for 9 years. He is assisted by Kurt Rucpke and Eric Stein.

**J.R. GEBHART**, Saydel High School, has been head coach for 4 years with an over-all record of 100-45. His 2007 team record was 22-14, winning the District and Sub-State Tournaments. JR was Conference Coach of Year twice and Assistant Coach of Year in


2000. He has the 10-Year Longevity Award. He served as Chairman of the Central District. He was an assistant in the All-Star Series. He has been a member of the Association for 10 years. He is assisted by Steve Gebhart.

**MATT ZOSKE**, Webster City High School, has been coaching for 10 years, with an over-all record of 222-98. His 2007 team record was 20-12, winning the District and Sub-State Tournaments. Matt has been on the Board of Directors and Chairman of his District Meetings. He was the Conference Coach of Year three times. Matt is a member of the 200-Win Club and has the 10-Year Longevity Award. He coached in two All-Star Series. He has been a member of the Association for 14 years. He is assisted by Andy Oetker.

### SOUTHEAST DISTRICT

**BRENT BROEKER**, Mount Pleasant High School, has been coaching for 2 years as head coach. His over-all record is 60-12. His 2007 team record was 32-3 winning the S.E. Seven Conference. He has been a member of the Association for 12 years. He is assisted by Jay Coble.

**STEVE MOTT**, Knoxville High School, has been coaching for 13 years, this his second year as head coach. His over-all record is 65-13. His 2007 team record was 32-6, winning the Little Hawkeye Conference and District Tournament. Steve was District Coach of Year in 2006. He has been a member of the Association for 13 years. He was assisted by Curt Swanson.



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## 2A DISTRICT COACH 2007

### NORTHEAST DISTRICT

**DAN HOVDEN**, North Fayette High School, has been coaching for 20 years, with an over-all record of 441-258. His 2007 team record was 35-8, winning the District and Sub-State Tournaments. Dan is a member of the 400-Win Club and has the 30-Year Longevity Award. He coached in the two All-Star Series. He has been a member of the Association for 20 years. He is assisted by Jim Hanson.

### SOUTHWEST DISTRICT

**JEFF DOUGLAS**, Interstate-35 High School, has been coaching for 17 years with an over-all record of 378-317. His 2007 team record was 22-2, winning the Pride of Iowa Conference. Jeff has been a member of the 300-Win Club and has the 15-Year Longevity Award. He has been a member of the Association for 12 years. He is assisted by Don Harris.

**JERRY SPIELER**, Carroll Keumper High School, has been coaching for 12 years as head coach, has an over-all record is 301-134. His 2007 team record was 26-7, winning the Hawkeye 10 Conference. Jerry has served on several committees. He is a member of the 300-Win Club and has the 30-Year Longevity Award. He was the Conference and District Coach of Year once. He has been a member of the Association for 35 years. He is assisted by Randy Sugdel.

**THAD STREIT**, Mount Ayr High School, has been coaching for 9 years, with an over-all record of 145-89. His 2007 team record was 24-5, winning the District and Sub-State Tournaments. Thad is a member of the 100-Win Club. He has been a member of the Association for 9 years. He is assisted by James Smith.

### CENTRAL DISTRICT

**SCOTT McKINLEY**, Woodward-Granger High School, has been coaching for 2 years, with an over-all record of 36-16. His 2006 team record was 21-6, winning the Heart of Iowa (Small) Conference. He has been a member of the Association for 2 years. He is assisted by Tom Halgren.

**DAVE MIDDLETON**, North Polk High School, has been coaching for 21 years with an over-all record 353-133. His 2006 team record was 32-5, winning the Heart of Iowa Large School Conference five years in a row plus the District and Sub-State Tournaments. Dave is serving on the Board of Directors. Dave was District Coach of Year five times. Dave is chairman of the Membership Committee. He coached in one All-Star Series. He is a 300-Win Club Member and has the 15-Year Longevity Award. He has been a member of the Association for 20 years. His assistant is Wyatt Zoske.

**STEVE ROSKENS**, AGWSR High School, has been coaching for 27 years with an over-all record of 337-273. His 2006 team record was 22-5, winning the NICL Conference. He is a member of the 300-Win Club and has the 25-Year Longevity Award. He has been a member of the Association for 27 years. He is assisted by Landon Nicolai.

### SOUTHEAST DISTRICT

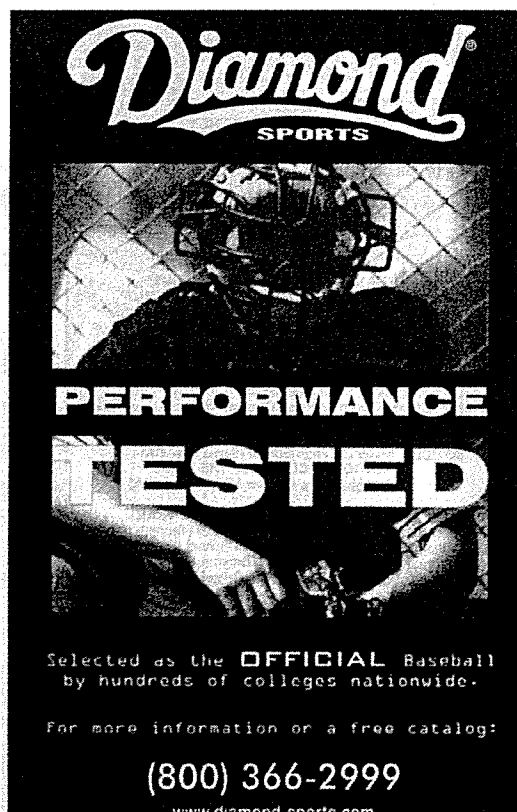
**BILLY ARGO**, Davenport Assumption High School, has been coaching for 7 years, with an over-all record of 206-87. His 2007 team record was 28-15, winning the District and Sub-State Tournaments. He was Conference Coach of Year in twice. He was District Coach of Year in 2002-2003. He is a member of the 200-Win Club. He has been a member of the Association for 6 years. His assistant is Chris Dillie.

**BOYD BRITTAIN**, Albia High School, has been coaching for 11 years, with an over-all record of 251-127. His 2007 team record was 34-4, winning the South Central Conference. He is a member of the 200-Win Club. He has been a member of the Association for 7 years. His assistant is Jim Keegel.

**BRIAN MILLER**, Mid-Prairie High School, has been coaching for 8 years, with an over-all record of 210-88. His 2007 team record was 28-12 winning the District and Sub-State Tournaments. He was an assistant coach in the 2005 All-Star Series. Brian was District and State Coach of the Year in 2004. He is a member of the 200-Win Club. Brian has been a member of the Association for 14 years. His assistant is Andy Greiner.

### NORTHWEST DISTRICT

**SCOTT KOCH**, Cherokee High School, has been coaching for 17 years, with an over-all record of 232-170. His 2007 team record was 24-2. Scott was the District Coach of year once. He is a member of the 200-Win Club and has the 15-Year Longevity Award. He has been a member of the Association for 17 years. He was assisted by Steve Sonka.



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## 1A DISTRICT COACH 2007

### NORTHEAST DISTRICT

**COREY CARLSON**, Don Bosco High School, has been coaching for 9 years, with an over-all record of 49-45. His 2007 team record was 22-7. He has been a member of the Association for 9 years. He is assisted by Lucas Hever.

**RANDY HOFFMAN**, NSRF High School, has been coaching for 29 years. His 2007 team record was 14-7. He has been named District Coach of Year once. He has chaired the District Meeting for several years. He is a member of the 400-Win Club and has the 25-Year Longevity Award. He has been a member of the Association for 25 years. He is assisted by Brian Birkedal.

**SCOTT MURLEY**, Janesville High School, has been coaching for 3 years, with an over-all record of 47-21. His 2007 team record was 19-6, winning the Iowa Star Conference. He has been a member of the Association for 3 years. He is assisted by Ben Henry.

### SOUTHWEST DISTRICT

**JASON HOLST**, A-H-S-T High School, has been head coach 2 years. He has an over-all record of 34-12. His 2007 team record was 13-7. Jason has been a member of the Association for four years. He is assisted by Keith Robinson and Eric Maassen.

**JOHN WADDLE**, Coon Rapids-Bayard High School, has been coaching for 24 years, with an over-all record of 424-228. His 2007 team record was 24-8 winning the District and Sub-State Tournaments. He has served as chairman of the All-District Committee for many years. He has served on many committees over the years, and is going through the officer line. He is a member of the 400-Win Club, has the 20-Year Longevity Award and has served as an All-Star Coach four times. He was District Coach three times and Conference Coach of Year 4 times. He has been a member of the Association for 24 years. He is assisted by Kevin Reis.

**STEVE WESTPHAL**, Lenox High School, has been coaching for 29 years. He has an over-all record of 594-204. The 2007 team record was 22-8, winning the District and Sub-State Tournaments. He has served on the Board of Directors, serving on many committees. He has coached in three All-Star Series. Steve was District Coach of Year four times and Conference Coach of Year 10 times and State Coach of Year twice. He is a member of the 500-Win Club and has received the 30-Year Longevity Award. He has been a member of the Association for 30 years. He was assisted by Ryan Morris.

### CENTRAL DISTRICT

**DEREK FLACK**, Des Moines Christian High School, has been coaching for 4 years, with an over-all record of 51-86. His 2007 team record was 21-4, winning the WCAC Conference. He was named Conference Coach of Year in 2007. He has been a member of the Association for 4 years. His assistant is Clint Luscombe.

**DAN KOPRIVA**, North Tama High School, has been coaching for 9 years, with an over-all record of 154-94. His 2007 team record was 23-8. He is a member of the 100-Win Club and has the 5-Year Longevity Award. He was the Conference Coach of Year twice and District Coach of Year in 2005. Dan has served on several committees, chairing the District Committee in his District. He has been a member of the Association for 9 years. He is assisted by Dave Schmit.

**LANCE THOMPSON**, SCMT/Sheffield-Chapin High School, has been coaching for 7 years. He has an over-all record of 123-64. His 2007 team record was 20-4, winning the Corn Bowl Conference.

Lance is a member of the 100-Win Club. He has been a member of the Association for 7 years. He is assisted by Rob Deckard.

### SOUTHEAST DISTRICT

**MARK CHIRI**, New London High School, has been coaching for 22 years, with an over-all record of 131-92. His 2007 season record was 20-7, winning the Southeast Iowa Super Conference and the District Tournament. Mark is a member of the 100-Win Club and has the 20-Year Longevity Award. He was named Conference Coach of the Year in 2006 and 2007. He has been a member of the Association for 8 years. He is assisted by Brian Swafford.

**TONY JOHNSON**, Highland High School, has been coaching for 4 years, with an over-all record of 76-42. His 2007 team record was 21-5. He has been a member of the association for 5 years. He is assisted by Curt Barnes.

**NATHAN MILLER**, IMS High School, has been coaching for 3 years with an over-all record of 73-19. His 2007 team record was 21-3, winning the SEISC (North) Conference for the second year in row. He was named Conference Coach of Year in 2006 and 2007. Nathan has been a member of the Association for 3 years. He is assisted by Bob Derksen.

### NORTHWEST DISTRICT

**JERRY BRAUNSCHWEIG**, Alta High School, has been coaching for 7 years with an over-all record of 158-67. His 2007 team record was 24-8 winning the Northwest Conference for the second year in a row. He is a member of the 100-Win Club. Jerry has been a member of the Association for 9 years. He is assisted Tom Ryhard

**MIKE ELSBECKER AND CHAD SLAGLE**, Sentral High School, have been coaching for 11 years, 10 years for Chad. They have an over-all record of 254-117. Their 2007 team record was 37-3, winning the Cornbelt Conference for the third year in a row. Mike and Chad are members of the 200-Win Club and have the 10-Year Longevity Award. Mike was District Coach of Year in 2005 and 2006. They have been members of the Association for 10 years. They are assisted by Matt Bauer.

**MARTY KURTH**, Gehlen High School, has been coaching for 8 years with over-all record of 327-200. His 2007 team record was 20-9. Marty was Conference District Coach of Year three times and State Coach of Year twice. He has been a member of the Association for 19 years. He is assisted by Heath Reichle.

It's not whether  
you win or lose,  
but how well you  
eat after the game.





## ASSISTANT COACH OF YEAR 2007

### NORTHEAST DISTRICT

**PAUL GOODMAN**, Western Dubuque High School, has been an assistant 8 years. The 2006 (varsity) team record was 23-12. He is part time parochial PE teacher and AD for the local Catholic school system. Paul works with the catchers, scouting, field prep, outfielders and weights. During his tenure the over-all record is 186-114. He has been a member of the Association for 8 years. His head coach is Casey Bryant.

**TIM JOHNSON**, Kennedy High School, has been an assistant for 9 years. He works as the Sophomore Coach. He teaches Math. The 2007 (varsity) team record was 28-9. The team's over-all record during his assistantship is 252-129. He has been a member of the Association for 9 years. His head coach is Bret Hoyer.

**JAY REEDER**, West Delaware High School, has been an assistant for 7 years with an over-all record of 212-65. The 2007 (varsity) team record was 33-3. He works in the private industry. He is the outfield coach and works with the game management of the defense. Jay has been a member of the Association for 7 years. His head coach is Mike Morrison.

### WEST DISTRICT

**MICHAEL RIGBY**, Pocahontas Area High School, has been an assistant for 2 years. The 2007 (varsity) team record was 16-3. He is a Study Hall Supervisor. He works with pitchers and hitting. The over-all record during his tenure is 200-118. He has been a member of the Association for 6 years. His head coach is Brandon Ruffridge.

**TOM RYHERD**, Alta High School, has been an assistant for 1 year. The 2007 (varsity) team record was 24-7. During his tenure the over-all record is 24-7. He is the High School Principal. He is JV coach, infield coach and Pre-game coach. He has been a member of the Association for 7 years. His head coach is Jerry Braunschweig.

**JAMES SMITH**, Mount Ayr High School, has been an assistant for 23 years. The 2007 (varsity) team record was 20-4. James is a Math teacher. He works with the outfield, drives bus and sets up hitting stations. During his tenure the over-all record is 272-198. He has been a member of the Association for 23 years. His head coach is Thad Streit.

### CENTRAL DISTRICT

**DAVE HARTMAN**, Southeast Polk High School, has been coaching for 21 years. The 2007 (varsity) team record was 28-11. He is an Intensive career exploration adviser. His responsibilities are the bench coach, Pitching and infield. He has been a member of the Association for 15 years. His head coach is Scott Belger.

**JEFF HOOGENSEN**, Marshalltown High School, has been an assistant for 13 years. The 2007 (varsity) team record was 27-13. His over-all record as an assistant is 313-240. He is a 8th grad Social Studies teacher. Jeff works with the pitching and is JV Coach. He has been a member of the Association for 13 years. His head coach is Steve Hanson.

**JAKE RANDALL**, Johnston High School, has been an assistant for 4 years. The 2007 (varsity) team record was 27-10. The over-all record during his tenure is 101-60. He is responsible for hitting, catching and field maintenance. He teaches 8th grade math. He has been a member of the Association for 14 years. His head coach

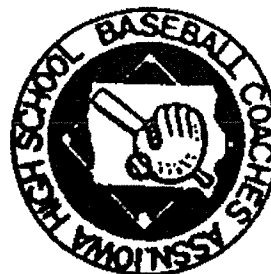
is Randy Wee.

### SOUTHEAST DISTRICT

**ANDY GREINER**, Mid-Prairie High School, has been coaching for 6 years. The 2007 (varsity) team record was 26-11. He works with the outfield, hitting, outfield and catchers. The team's over-all record during his assistantship is 192-70. He has been a member of the Association for 8 years. His head coach is Brian Miller.

**UBY MARTINEZ**, Iowa City Regina High School, has been coaching for 4 years. The 2007 (Varsity) team record was 19-14. The over-all record during his tenure is 89-45. Uby is a 4th Grade teacher. He works with the hitters and baserunners. He has been a member of the Association for 8 years. His head coach is Andy Gahan.

**NEIL MASON**, Calamus Wheatland High School, has been coaching for 4 years. The 2007 (Varsity) team record was 11-13. During his tenure it was 49-50. He handles infield defense, baserunning and heads the reserve squad. He has been a member of the Association for 4 years. His head coach is Dave Rock.



### 4-YEAR COLLEGE COACH NOMINEES 2007

**JACK DAHM** is entering his fifth year as Head Coach at the University of Iowa. His 2007 team record was 31-23, going to the Big Ten Playoffs. He was the former Head Coach at Creighton from 1989 until 2003. He became the Head Coach in 1993 at Creighton following Jim Henry. He has been very active on many committees of the ABCA, NCAA and the College World Series. Jack is the winningest coach in Creighton Baseball history, was named Coach of Year twice and won NCAA Regionals in 1999 and 2000. He has taken the Hawkeyes to two Big Ten playoffs in the past four years. He has presented many clinics in Iowa.

**BRIAN GILLOGLY**, Luther College, has been coaching for 7 years with an over-all record of 459 record leading, Luther to its first Iowa Conference Title and first trip to the NCAA III National Tournament last season since 1985. They finished the 2007 campaign with a record of 31-11 and ranked 16th in the nation. Brian led the Norse to 98 wins the past four years including back-to-back 20-wins seasons in 2004 and 2005 and 31 wins last year. During his six years as the Norse skipper, his teams have set 46 individual and team school records. He has coached teams to one regional and three district/state championships and seventh place in one World Series. Brian coached 79 all-conference performers during his career.

## DISTRICT UMPIRE OF THE YEAR NOMINEES

2007

### NORTHEAST DISTRICT

**BILL BOYD**, New Hampton, has been umpiring for 17 years and has been a member of the IHSBCA for 13 years. He worked 20 college and 82 high school games in 2007 and the District, Sub-State and State Tournaments. He works the Mississippi Valley, CIML and Northeast Iowa Conferences. He was District Umpire of the Year 3 years in Minnesota. He worked in six All-Star Series. He played in the All-Star games in 1977. He was Newcomer of Year in 1995 and District Umpire of Year three times and State Umpire of Year in 1999. He worked 12 State tournaments.

**BLAIR GLEASON**, Cascade, has been umpiring for 31 years and has been a member of the IHSBCA for 10 years. He worked 26 college and 45 high school baseball games in 2007. He works in the Mississippi Valley, WaMac, Tri-Rivers and Big East Conferences. He was a Newcomer of Year, and has the 30-Year Longevity Award. He was inducted into the Dubuque County Baseball Hall of Fame as an Umpire. Blair has worked in four All-Star Series and was Northeast District Umpire three times.

**BOB JACOBSEN**, West Union, has been umpiring for 29 years and has been a member of the IHSBCA for 7 years. He worked 110 high school games in 2007 and the District, Sub-State and State Tournaments. He worked the Mississippi Valley, Northeast Iowa, WaMac, MAC, Tri-Rivers and North Iowa Cedar Conferences. Bob has worked in 16 State Tournaments. He was District Umpire of Year in Nebraska two times. He worked in two All-Star Series.

### SOUTHEAST DISTRICT

**JEFF FRESE**, Norway, has been umpiring for 20 years and has been a member of the IHSBCA for 10 years. He worked 60 college and 90 high school games in 2007. He worked District through the State tournaments. Jeff worked in the Mississippi Valley, MAC, South Iowa Cedar and WaMac Conferences. He worked in five All-Star Series. Jeff is on the Board of Directors and Umpires Committee. He was Umpire of Year in 2005.

**DENNIS GLANCY**, Burlington, has been umpiring for 18 years and has been a member of the IHSBCA for 2 years. He worked 49 high school baseball games in 2007. He worked District through the State tournaments. He worked in the MAC, Southeast, Super Conferences.

**PAUL KEITEL**, DeWitt, has been umpiring for 29 years and has been a member of the IHSBCA for 24 years. He worked 42 college, 57 plus high school games and Clinton and North Scott Tournaments in 2007. Paul serves on the Board of Directors and has gone through the chairs, serving on the Steering Committee. He worked Mississippi Valley, and the MAC Conferences. Paul was District Umpire of Year five times and Umpire of Year three times. He has worked in 13 All-Star Series. He and his wife have received the Bill and Sherry Freese Award. He was NFHS Umpire of Year in 2006.

### NORTHWEST DISTRICT

**JOHN BARTOLO**, Algona, has been umpiring for 27 years and has been a member of the IHSBCA for 18 years. He worked 25 college and 43 high school games in 2007. He worked District through the State Tournaments and the Junior College Tournament. He worked in the CIML, NCC, NIC, Lakes, Cornbelt and Twin Lakes Conferences. He has been a member of the Board of Directors

and the umpire committee. John was Newcomer of Year in 1989 and District Umpire twice and Umpire of Year in 2004. He has worked in nine All-Star Series.

**JAY FLORA**, Webster City, has been umpiring for 27 years and has been a member of the IHSBCA for 25 years. In 2007 he worked 18 college and 30 high school games. He worked District through the State Tournaments. He works in the Raccoon River, CIML and North Central Conferences. He worked in the All-Star Series.

**KEN ROBBINS**, Belmond, has been umpiring for 21 years and has been a member of the IHSBCA for 9 years. He worked 58 college and 52 high school games in 2007. He worked District through the State Tournaments and worked the Division II Juco Regional. He works in the North Central, North Iowa, Corn Bowl and the CIML Conferences. He worked the All-Star Series six times. He was the Newcomer of the Year in 1999.

### SOUTHWEST DISTRICT

**MIKE PAULY**, Winterset, has been umpiring for 51 years and has been a member of the IHSBCA for 31 years. He worked 68 high school games in 2007. He worked District through the State Tournaments. He works in the CIML, Raccoon, Little Hawkeye, Heart of Iowa, Pride of Iowa, West Central and WaMac Conferences. He is member of the Board of Directors and serves on the Umpire and Hall of Fame Committee. He has worked in nine All-Star Series. Mike is a Hall of Fame Member and a District Umpire and Umpire of Year.

**BILL PRANGE**, Ankeny, has been umpiring for 20 years and has been a member of the IHSBCA for 20 years. He worked 50 high school games in 2007. He worked the District through the State Tournaments. He works the CIML and Raccoon River Conferences. He has the 20-Year Longevity Award. Bill worked in the All-Star Series. He was District Umpire and State Umpire of the Year.

**JEFF WESTENDORF**, Des Moines, has been umpiring for 21 years and has been a member of the IHSBCA for 7 years. He worked 83 high school games in 2007. He worked District through the State Tournaments. He works in the CIML, Little Hawkeye, Pride of Iowa, Raccoon River Valley, South Iowa Central League, Heart of Iowa and South Central Conferences. He received the Dave Harty Newcomer of the Year Award in 2004. He serves on the Umpire and Membership Committee.

### 2007 DAVE HARTY NEWCOMER OF YEAR AWARD:

**JEFF CORBETT**, Sully, has been umpiring for 7 years and has been a member of the IHSBCA for 6 years. He worked the District through the Sub-State Tournament. He worked 82 high school games in 2007. He worked in the Little Hawkeye, Heart of Iowa, South Iowa Cedar League, Bluegrass and South Central Conference.

**MATT LYNCH**, Iowa City, has been umpiring for 3 years and has been a member of the IHSBCA for 1 year. He worked 95 all-level games in 2007. He worked in the District and Sub-State Tournament. Matt worked in the Eastern Iowa Hawkeye, Central Iowa, Mississippi Valley, MAC, Northeast Iowa, North Iowa Cedar, Southeast Iowa Super Conferences.

**STEVE SHANTZ**, Creston, has been umpiring for 8 years and has been a member of the IHSBCA for 1 year. He worked the District through the State Tournament. Steve worked in the Pride of Iowa, Hawkeye Ten, Raccoon River, Little Hawkeye and South Central Conferences. He has worked in three State Tournaments.

## **Awards Presented By I.H.S.B.C.A.**

### **HALL OF FAME:**

**CRITERIA:** Any coach, player or contributor to Iowa High School Baseball may be nominated.

Nomination sent to Hall of Fame Committee Chairman.

Selection by a ballot point system sent to all District Chairmen and Steering Committee members.

### **LONGEVITY AND MEMBERSHIP AWARDS:** (5-10-15-20-25-30 years)

**CRITERIA:** Any association member who has belonged for 5 consecutive years may submit his name for recognition at the completion of the five-year anniversaries.

### **DISTRICT COACH OF THE YEAR:** (1A, 2A, 3A, 4A—Five districts)

**CRITERIA:** Four association member coaches are selected at each district meeting by association coaches. State tournament coaches receive automatic nomination. District Board of Directors select three coaches for the final ballot. Ballots are sent to all association members with the top vote-getter in each district classification the winner.

### **STATE COACH OF THE YEAR:** (1A, 2A, 3A, 4A)

**CRITERIA:** Winner of District Coach of the Year  
Selected by ballot of All State Committee, District Board of Directors and Steering Committee members.

### **DISTRICT UMPIRE OF THE YEAR:** (Four districts)

**CRITERIA:** Four association member umpires are selected at each district meeting by association coaches. Umpires' All District Committee selects three umpires for the final ballot. Ballots are sent to all association members with the top vote-getter in each district the winner.

### **STATE UMPIRE OF THE YEAR:**

**CRITERIA:** Winner of District Umpire of the Year  
Selected by ballot of All State Umpire Committee, District Board of Directors and Steering Committee members.

### **IOWA COLLEGE COACH OF THE YEAR:**

**CRITERIA:** Nominated by association coaches at district meetings. Selected by vote of District Board of Directors and Steering Committee members.

### **100-200-300-400-500 CAREER VICTORIES:**

**CRITERIA:** Any association member who has the required number of varsity coaching victories may submit his name for recognition. 100 through 300 are certificates—400 and 500 and above receive a plaque.

### **MEDIA AWARD:** (Two awards are given—print & electronic)

**CRITERIA:** Nominated by association coaches at district meetings. Have helped promote high school baseball in their area. Selected by vote of District Board of Directors and Steering Committee members.

### **BILL & SHERRY FREESE CONTRIBUTOR AWARD:**

**CRITERIA:** Anyone who has contributed to the betterment of high school baseball in the state, and the coaches association in particular, may be nominated by association coaches at district meetings. Selected by vote of District Board of Directors and Steering Committee members.

### **PRESIDENT'S AWARD:**

**CRITERIA:** Anyone who has contributed to the coaches association may be nominated.

Nomination and selection is made by the Association President, District Board of Directors and Steering Committee members.

### **ACADEMIC ALL STATE TEAM:** (1st Team and Honorable Mention)

**CRITERIA:** Nominated by association coach.

Senior.

ACT 24 plus.

Top 25% of senior class.

Outstanding moral character.

Grade point of 3.30

Starter or in pitching rotation

Selected by a panel of coaches.

### **LANNY PETERSON AWARD:** (Captain of Academic All State Team)

**CRITERIA:** Selected to All State Academic team.

Ranks at or near the top in requirements for Academic All State. Selected by panel of coaches and chairman of Lanny Peterson Committee.

### **HAROLD "PINKY" PRIMROSE AWARD:**

**CRITERIA:** Anyone who played high school baseball in the State of Iowa who went on in his career to distinguish himself in his community, district, state or nation. Did not have to be an outstanding baseball player.

### **ALL DISTRICT TEAMS:** (5 Districts, 4 Classes, 1st and 2nd Team)

**CRITERIA:** Nominated on ballot by association members.

Selected by vote of association head coaches at district meetings.

### **ALL STATE TEAMS:** (A Super Class, 4 classes, 1st and 2nd Team each class)

**CRITERIA:** Selected on All District Team and nominated by his coach.

Nominated and selected by vote of association nomination committee at the All-Star Series.



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## IHSBCA Fall Meeting:

11/17/07; Carver-Hawkeye Arena, Iowa City, Iowa

President Denny Barton called the meeting to order at 9:57 am with 23 attendees present. Special thanks to the University of Iowa and head baseball coach Jack Dahm for hosting the annual fall meeting.

Members are reminded that the minutes from previous board meetings are published in the newsletters.

Pinky read the financial report. Lenny Weih, Clinton, motioned to approve the report. Tom Souhrada, Davenport, seconded. The financial report was approved by the Board.

President Barton gave his report stating that Des Moines is a great venue for the state tournament and they are also looking forward to hosting the 2008 All Star Series. He also thanked Lee Toole, Council Bluffs Lewis Central, for running a good steering committee meeting this past spring. Dan Pomeroy, Coon Rapids, made a motion to accept this report. Seconded by Ken Schreiber, Council Bluffs St. Albert's. Motion carried.

Pinky presented the Executive Secretary's report. He discussed the speakers that are scheduled for the upcoming clinic in February. He feels a great line-up has been put together for both the coaches and umpires to enjoy. Pinky reminded district reps of the protocol for selecting the nominees that will be eligible for the annual awards that are presented at the clinic. He emphasized to not include anyone who did not turn in the appropriate nomination form. He also encouraged everyone to continue to recruit new members for the betterment of the association. In order to save postage costs, Pinky will continue to utilize e-mail as much as possible. He also noted that website usage continues to grow. Pinky extended his appreciation to Jeremy Langner, Waterloo West, and his committee for organizing and hosting a great All Star Series in Waterloo this past summer. Rick Heller, UNI, and his crew were also thanked for doing a fine job on field preparations. The State of Iowa plaque will continue to be given to members for 35 years of service. Pinky also suggested that a review be conducted to consider exchanging certificates for plaques at the 15 year service levels. This would help reduce the costs associated with presenting plaques, many of which do not get picked up by recipients. Discussion was eventually tabled and left to Phil Katz's Awards committee for review. Tentative sites for future All Star Series are as follows: 2008 - Des Moines; 2009 - Cedar Rapids; 2010 - Council Bluffs; 2011 - Davenport. The Player of the Year Award for this past season was presented to Jared Norris of Urbandale. Pinky thanked Pro-Line for sponsoring this award with a plaque and for their \$1000 donation to the All Star Series. Recipient of the Lanny Peterson Academic Player of the Year Award went to Brian Inloes of Mount Air.

Dave Rock, Calamus-Wheatland, committee chairman for the Lanny Peterson Academic and Player of the Year Awards, noted there were 78 nominations for the academic award.

Pinky recommended John Reglein, Graphic Edge for the President's Award; Tom & Linda Souhrada, Davenport, for the Bill and Sherry Freese Award; and Randy Wayne White, former Davenport Central player for the Harold "Pinky" Primrose Award. Paul Keitel, DeWitt, motioned to accept these nominees. Charlie Stumpff, Iowa City West, seconded the motion. The motion carried.

Tim O'Neill, West Des Moines Dowling, presented the All Star Series report. He said current preparations are going well for the event scheduled to be held in Des Moines this summer. He did note a format change, stating that games played on Friday and Saturday would be begin at 10:00 am and noon at Principal Park. This will also change the All State voting times. The Super Team voting will start at 7:00 am, while the other selections will be chosen at approximately 2:30 pm. During Tim's report, Pinky noted that he has some concerns about the number of coaches volunteering to coach in the All Star Series at the 4A level. He encouraged coaches to apply, including assistants. Motion by Dan Pomeroy to accept the report. Seconded by Steve Westphal, Lenox. Motion carried.

Roger Hoel gave the Hall of Fame report. The committee recommended the following people be inducted into the Hall of Fame at the 2008 Awards Banquet. Cal Eldred, Urbana/University of Iowa, player; Stan Bahnsen, Davenport Central, player; Don Lyons, Denison, coach; Rick Heller, UNI, coach; Phil Katz, Linn-Mar, coach. Discussion was held during Roger's report about the qualifications required to be considered for induction into the Hall of Fame. Roger noted there are "guidelines" for the committee to follow, however, it is also necessary to review each nominee on an individual basis. Roger and his committee were commended for the excellent job they do. Mike Morrison, West Delaware, made a motion to accept all recommendations for the Hall of Fame. Motion was seconded by Jeff Frese, Norway. Motion carried.

Jeff Frese presented the Umpires report. The committee recommended Marlow Van Ginkel, Rock Valley, for induction as an umpire into the Hall of Fame. Tom Souhrada, Davenport, made a motion to accept this recommendation. Jim Donohue, former Martensdale St. Mary's coach, seconded the motion. Motion carried. The committee also asked the advisory committee to discuss with the IHSAA using three man umpiring crews for all district final and sub-state games.

John Waddle, Coon Rapids-Bayard, gave the All-District report. He distributed a copy of the All-District sheet that is to be submitted to Pinky following the summer selection meetings. It includes an expanded stats format and should be filled out completely for each of the selected players. This form will then be distributed by Pinky and used at the All-State selection meetings. The purpose of the form is to have a uniform format in which to easily compare players from all of the districts across the state. The All-State nomination forms need to continue to be submitted by each coach before leaving their respective All-District meeting. This form provides coaches an opportunity to share more information about a nominated player. Steve Westphal made a motion to accept the report. Seconded by Jim Donohue. Motion carried.

Lee Toole, presented the Rating Poll committee report. He said interest continues to increase and the process seems to be getting better each year. Lee did note that one school was incorrectly classified and the problem was taken care of. He will work with Roger Barr at the athletic association to try and eliminate any future problems. Motion by Lenny Weih to accept the report. Seconded by Roger Hoel. Carried.

Steve Hanson, Marshalltown, pinch hit for Dave Middleton, North Polk, by presenting the Membership Committee report. The committee sent out 91 letters soliciting membership and was able to enroll 16 new members as a result. Great job! During the report, Randy Wee, Johnston, suggested that the association consider working with colleges to help endorse our organization. By including information about who we are and what we do into their coaching curriculums, it was felt future coaches may be more inclined to join. This will be left up to Dave's committee for further review.

Marshalltown coach, Steve Hanson, stated the All-State Coach committee is running smoothly.

Steve Hanson remained busy by presenting an Advisory committee update. He noted that the IHSAA Board would be voting on the 4A seeding issue during the state football championships. He reported a successful trial run with the process during the past summer. There was a 91% efficiency rating on returning the required seeding prerequisites. During Hanson's report, President Barton provided clarification about the potential consequences of a junior or senior player pitching at the JV level. He noted that this participation counted toward their 40 game limit. President Barton also wanted clarification as to whether or not it is legal for a coach to watch their player(s) at an indoor hitting facility. He will contact Boone for a ruling. Mike Morrison motioned to accept all of Hanson's reports. Fritz Keeling, seconded the motion. Carried.

Pinky noted that the IHSBCA is represented on the Iowa Sports Council. Gary Paulsen, Ogden, keeps us informed of any developments within this organization.

Pinky noted that he continues to receive thank you letters from All Star players and parents.

Pinky emphasized that ad hoc committees cannot be allowed to run the association. It is the Executive Secretary's responsibility to be in charge and to follow and enforce previously established rules/protocol.

The board meeting adjourned at 11:37 am with members moving to their respective district meetings.

The next meeting will be held at the US Cellular Crowne Plaza Hotel in Cedar Rapids, Iowa on Thursday, January 31, 2008.

Respectfully submitted,  
John Waddle



## **COMMITTEE DUTIES:**

The Association needs good committee members. If you are interested in serving on a committee, please contact the Vice-President of the Association, who makes all committee assignments.

### **ALL STAR COMMITTEE:**

Function of Committee: There shall be an All-Star Committee of the Board of Directors composed of 2 members of the Board and other members appointed by the President. The President will appoint the Chairman.

#### **DUTIES:**

1. Shall serve as evaluators of the All-Star Series along with the Board of Directors.
2. Shall recommend to the Board of Directors any changes and possible solutions to problems.
3. Shall secure advertising for series program.
4. Shall help in running the day-to-day operation of All-Star Series. a/ Gate keepers b/ Foul ball chasers c/ Program sellers d/ Field maintenance e/ PA announcer f/ Score keeper
5. Shall secure a printer of the All-Star Program.
6. Shall secure a photographer for taking All-Star team pictures.
7. Shall help process the players upon arrival.
8. Shall help in transportation to ball park.
9. Shall help in securing equipment.
10. Shall help in providing and serving meals.

Executive Secretary's Responsibility at All-Star Series:

1. Shall send out material to All-Star Coaches in late June.  
Material: a/ Medical Form b/ Insurance releases c/ Other information necessary for running series.
2. Shall handle all monies from the: a/ program b/ ticket sales c/ banquet d/ sponsors e/ etc.
3. Will be in charge of the Games: a/ Times b/ Setting up Series c/ Umpires
4. Overseer of Banquet, Meals, Total operation
5. Shall instruct the coaches about duties of All-Star Series and rules to live by.
7. Shall secure housing--food, etc.

President's Responsibility:

- 1/ Evaluate series 2/ Hand out medals 3/ Help in any area necessary.

### **HALL OF FAME COMMITTEE:**

Function of Committee: There shall be a Hall of Fame Committee of the Board of Directors composed of present Hall of Fame members and two members of the board, appointed by the President. The President will appoint the Chairman.

#### **DUTIES:**

1. Shall have the power to select Hall of Fame members each year.
2. Shall set up the selection process for other Hall of Fame members.
3. Shall set up a meeting of the Hall of Fame members at the annual clinic meeting for the selection and discussion of future Hall of Fame members.
4. Shall send out a note to present Hall of Fame members to encourage them to continue to be active in the Association.
5. Shall present to Board of Directors at their Fall meeting the Hall of Fame members for the up-coming year.
6. Shall recommend after evaluation of the Hall of Fame Award methods to improve the program of the Hall of Fame induction.

## **Executive Secretary's Responsibility:**

1. Shall send out letters to the nominees of the Hall of Fame.

### **STEERING COMMITTEE:**

Function of Committee: There shall be a Steering committee of the Board of Directors composed of the dues-paying Past Presidents. The past immediate president will serve as chairman.

All recommendations of the Committee shall be reported in full to the Board of Directors. All transactions of the Committee shall be reported to the Board and acted upon the next regular meeting of the Board of Directors.

The Steering committee shall have two meetings annually.

#### **DUTIES:**

1. Shall have the power to select the All-Star coaching staff.
2. Shall be the nominating committee.
3. Shall study long-range needs of the Association and make recommendations to the Board.
4. Shall serve as a screening committee, arrange interviews and make recommendations to the Board of Directors in the selection of the Executive Secretary.
5. Shall serve the President in any capacity deemed necessary by the President
6. Shall evaluate the Executive Secretary's work annually.

### **AUDITING COMMITTEE:**

Function of Committee: There shall be an Auditing Committee of the Board of Directors. The Committee shall consist of 1 member of the Board and other members appointed by the President. The President will appoint the Chairman.

All recommendations of the Committee shall be in full to the Board of Directors. All transactions of the Committee shall be reported to the Board for action upon.

#### **DUTIES:**

1. Shall serve no more than two terms.
2. Shall complete the audit by the Annual Convention Clinic meeting of the total membership.
3. Shall report their findings to the membership.
4. Shall give a written report of their findings to the Third Vice-President to be recorded in the minutes.
5. Shall visit with the accountant of the organization and recommend changes that are necessary with Board approval.

### **MEMBERSHIP COMMITTEE:**

Function of Membership Committee: The committee shall consist of the two-year voted members of the Board of Directors from each district. The President will appoint the Chairman.

#### **DUTIES:**

1. Shall develop and execute plans for increasing the membership of the Association.
2. Membership shall be chosen to represent the various geographic sections of the state.
3. Shall devise ways and means of cooperation with Umpires in securing members and in methods of organization for making such membership effective.
4. Such action shall be subject to the approval of the Board of Directors.
5. Shall work closely with Conference Representatives in their respective Districts.
6. Shall work to get 100% membership in each conference in the State.
7. Shall make a written annual report to the Board.

### **UMPIRE COMMITTEE:**

Function of Umpires Committee: There shall be an umpire committee of the Board of Directors composed of one 2-year umpire from each District and one alternate from each district. Two at-large umpires appointed by the 5-member committee. This committee selects its chairman. The two highest vote-getters will serve as the 2-year representative and alternate on the Board of Directors of I.H.S.B.C.A.

All recommendations of the committee shall be reported in full to the Board of Directors. All transactions of the committee shall be reported to the Board and acted upon at the meeting or next regular meeting of the Board of Directors.

Elected committee members may serve 2 three-year terms and then should drop off for 1 term. Appointed members are appointed for a 1-year term and may be reappointed at the wish of the committee chairman.

#### **DUTIES:**

1. Shall have the power to select one Hall of Fame member each year.
2. Shall set up the Clinic for umpires. This shall be completed by November 15.
3. Shall set up the process of nomination and selection of District Umpire of the Year along with the Board of Directors.
4. Shall serve as evaluators of the District nominees and State Umpire of the Year along with the Board of Directors.
5. Shall serve, plan, organize and implement program of information about Umpire of the Year.
6. Obtain names of umpires who will serve on this committee from different districts.
7. Complete reports from district on problems, possible solutions and changes.
8. Shall make a written annual report of committee to the Board of Directors at the annual Clinic/Convention.
9. Each District Representative is responsible for membership for the District.
10. Other duties set out by the President.

#### **DUTIES FOR ALL-STAR GAMES**

1. Umpires nominated for District Umpire of the Year are to be invited to work All-Star games. If not enough umpires from this source are available, the Chairman of the Umpires Committee or his designee is to appoint other umpires to work.
2. Chairman of Umpires Committee or his designee makes assignments based upon responses from above.
3. Umpires who work All-Star games receive the following:
  - a/ 2 tickets for banquet
  - b/ No less than \$40.00 cash to defray other expenses involved such as transportation and /or lodging.
  - c/ Other mementos as deemed appropriate by Executive Secretary.
4. Each umpire who works will sign a waiver of injury form before working any games.

#### **LONGEVITY AWARDS FOR UMPIRES**

Awards to be presented:

- 5 and 10-Year Certificate of Service
- 15 Years, 20 Years, 25 Years , 30 Years of Service Plaques

Requirements for Above:

1. Must be an active umpire
2. Must have at least 3 consecutive years of membership in IHSBCA for certificate.
3. Must have a least 5 consecutive years of membership in IHSBCA for a plaque.

4. Years as umpire certified by IHSAA

Further Stipulations:

1. Awards to be presented at banquet.
2. Umpires eligible for more than one award will be given the award for the longest number of years; however, he may purchase additional awards for earlier years.
3. Announcements of awards to be made in winter newsletter and umpire responses to be received by deadline as stated in newsletter.
4. All awards will be given on 5-year anniversary.

### **RATING POLL COMMITTEE:**

Function of Rating Poll Committee: There shall be a Rating Poll Committee of the Board of Directors. This Committee shall consist of the Directors from each district plus one at-large member. All members must be a member of the Association.

#### **DUTIES:**

1. Shall set up the rating poll members by district.
2. Shall send out material to committee members to help evaluate the teams in their district, such as cards, telephone #, key coaches, etc.
3. Shall try to work through the Conference representatives as much as possible.
4. Shall study needs of this committee and make recommendations to the Board of Directors.
5. All transactions of the committee shall be reported to the board in writing and acted upon at the regular scheduled meeting.

### **CLINIC COMMITTEE:**

Functions of Clinic Committee: There shall be a Clinic Committee of the Board of Directors composed of the Executive Secretary, Umpire Chairman, President and College advisory.

The Executive Secretary will serve as chairman.

Recommendations of the committee shall be reported to the full Board of Directors and acted upon at the next meeting of the Board of Directors.

#### **DUTIES:**

1. Shall set up and run the Annual clinic.
2. Shall secure speakers for Annual clinic.
3. Shall set up program for Annual clinic.
4. Shall mail out press releases for Annual clinic.
5. The site (city & school) will be selected by the Board of Directors after invitation has been tendered.
6. The convention shall be scheduled at such a time, location at such a site and housed in such property which shall maximize convention attendance, administrative efficiency, organization independence, membership convenience and the association image and prestige.

### **CONSTITUTION COMMITTEE:**

Function of Constitution Committee: There shall be a constitution Committee of the Board of Directors composed of two Board of Directors and other members appointed by the Chairman. The President shall appoint the chairman of this committee. They shall serve no more than two terms.

#### **DUTIES:**

1. Shall report any recommendations of the committee to the Board of Directors.
  - a/ These recommendations shall then be voted by the Board and then sent out in the newsletter for action at the next regular meeting.

hey shall be put into proper language before submitting to vote of the Board of Directors.

3. Shall conduct annual Committee meeting prior to Clinic/Convention meeting.
4. Shall make a written annual report of Committee to the Board of Directors.

#### ALL DISTRICT COMMITTEE:

Function of All-District Committee: There shall be an All-District Committee of the Board of Directors composed of two members of the Board of Directors and other members appointed by the Chairman. The chairman shall be appointed by the President.

They may not serve more than two terms on committee.

#### DUTIES:

1. Should develop and execute plans to review the All-District selection process.
2. Make recommendations to the Board on problems, possible solutions and purpose changes.
3. Serve as evaluators of All-District meetings and selection process.
4. Make a written annual report of Committee to the Board.

#### ALL STATE COACH COMMITTEE:

Function of All-State Coach Committee: There shall be an All-State Coach Committee of the Board of Directors composed of two members from the Board of Directors and 3 appointed by the Chairman. The President shall appoint the chairman. They may not serve more than two terms.

#### DUTIES:

1. Evaluate the Association All-State Coach Awards program and recommend methods of improving the program.
2. Make recommendations to improve the process of electing All-State Coach of the Year and District Coach of Year.
3. Plan, organize, and implement program of information about All-State Coach to be announced in the newsletter.
4. Make a written annual report of Committee to the Board of Directors at the February meeting.

5. Serve as evaluators of District nominees and State Coach of the Year along with the Board of Directors.
6. Conduct an annual committee meeting prior to clinic/convention.
7. Obtain names of coaches who will serve on this committee from different districts.
8. Complete reports from district on problems, possible solution and purpose changes.

#### LANNY PETERSON ACADEMIC COMMITTEE:

FUNCTION OF ACADEMIC COMMITTEE: To review and evaluate the process of choosing academic award winners and report to the Board any of their findings. Members of the committee shall serve at the request of the president until the end of each annual clinic/Convention or until their successor are appointed.

Committee chairman shall be the Vice-President, who shall call the committee together at the clinic/convention. This meeting should be held in the a.m. on Friday. The chairman shall report on their committee's direction at the Thursday night meeting and also at the general session. They should call as many meetings as necessary in order to get the job done.

#### DUTIES:

1. Select the First Team and Honorable Mention All-Academic.
2. Interview the candidates for the Lanny Peterson Award.
3. Evaluate the criteria for selection of candidates.
4. Report to the Board in writing an annual report of the Committee.
5. If any changes shall be necessary, they should be in writing and presented to the Board at the next regular meeting.

#### AWARDS COMMITTEE:

Function of the Awards Committee: There shall be an Awards Committee of the Board of Directors composed of two members of the Board of Directors and other members appointed by the Chairman. The Chairman shall be appointed by the President.

#### DUTIES:

1. To evaluate all awards presented by Association.
2. To evaluate a named award after 5 years, and recommend to the Board to continue the name or change the name of the award.

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### Questions frequently asked: (Repeat from earlier letter)

1. How can I get involved with the Association? All that is necessary is to attend the clinic and All-Star series. Volunteer to work or coach at the All-Star series and/or at the clinic. Serve on committees!

2. How can I coach in the All-Star Series? Fill out the form in this newsletter. The Steering Committee selects the All-Star coaches. They try to get a balance of coaches in each District, hoping to be able to cover the state. Your nomination form stays on file for two years.

3. How can I umpire in the All-Star games? An umpire in the All-Star Series must have been a member of the Association for at least three years. He must be nominated at the District meetings held in July. All the nominations from these meetings go to the Umpires Committee, which meets at the All-Star site. The nominees are narrowed down to three per district. The umpire chairman and committee will then select four additional umpires from the area to fill in the other four spots. Sixteen umpires are selected to work each year. If you are interested, fill out a nomination form that will be in the next newsletter. This form will be forwarded to the Umpire Committee chairman. All the umpires are selected by the Umpire committee.

4. How can I get on the Board of Directors? All a coach or umpire must do is get nominated by fellow coaches or umpires. The nomination form is in the Sept.-Oct.-Nov. Newsletter. The nominees who receive the most votes go on the ballot. The one-year representative and alternate stay on the ballot, but must win the votes to go on the Board.

5. Who makes the committee assignments? The Vice-President (President-elect) always makes the committee assignments for the coming year. A coach may request a certain committee. The president-elect will try to spread the committee assignments around so all sections of the state are represented. The chairmen of the committees are usually Board of Directors.

6. How are the district nominees selected? The district nominees are selected in the July meetings. Any coach who takes his team to the State tournament becomes an automatic nominee. The coaches who are nominated in the July All-District meeting and the State tournament are then narrowed down to three for each class at the fall meeting of the Board of Directors. The District Representatives (Two-Year, One-Year and 2-Year Umpire Reps) select the three nominees who go on the ballot. It is very important that a coach fill out the nomination form that is sent to him.

7. Who selects the officers? The steering committee, which is made up of dues-paying past presidents, selects the officers. The office of President moves around the state by each district. It is in this rotation: Northeast, West, Central, Southeast. The past president is chairman of the steering committee.

8. Who selects the award winners? The award winners are all selected by the Board of Directors. The Hall of Fame is selected by the Hall of Fame committee. All Hall of Fame nominations go to the Hall of Fame committee. This committee is made up of Hall of Fame members of the Board of Directors, Steering Committee and Hall of Famers.

9. Who selects the President's Award? The Board of Directors upon the recommendation of the Executive Secretary.

10. Who selects the Bill & Sherry Freese Award? The Board of Directors upon the recommendation of the Executive Secretary.

11. Who selects the Harold "Pinky" Primrose Award? The Board of Directors upon the recommendation of the Executive Secretary.

12. Who selects the District Media Winners? The District chairman of each district with the help of the other representatives selects the winners at the fall meeting.

13. How can a coach or umpire speak at the Annual Clinic? Very easy. Volunteer, give the Clinic chairman your topic, expertise and topic. That committee meets in October and puts the clinic together with the speakers.

14. How can I get my good ball player on the All-Star Team? Fill out the profile form in the newsletter or on the web site and submit to the Executive Secretary. The forms are then forwarded to the Head Coach of each team. Each coaching staff then selects the team that they feel can win the Series. They also must have a balance on their team; not everyone can play shortstop. After you submit the form, please let the coaches know that your player has been doing the job for you all year. Make sure you try to get the player exposure. Have other coaches recommend him.

If you have questions that you want answered, please forward them to the Executive Secretary or President of the Association. This is your organization; it needs you and you need it in order to get better and improve. Our business is to help improve high school baseball in the state of Iowa and also honor the coaches and players each year who have done an outstanding job in their district.





YEAR	SCHOOL	SALARY	VAR	SOPH	JV	VAR	VARS	SOPH	SINGLE	Class
2007	Bondurant	\$4,100	2		21/22	28/28	\$95			2A
2007	BGM	\$3,200	1		24/24	24/24				2A
2007	Burlington	\$4,255	2	36/36		40/38	\$90	\$75	\$55	4A
2007	Denison	\$5,431	1		17/18	35/36	\$90		\$55	3A
2007	D.M.	\$1,750	1		21/23	25/25	\$90			1A
2007	Hampton	\$4,411	2		25/25	30/30	\$85			2A
2007	Harris-Lake	\$2,750	1	23/25	23/25	32/33	\$75			1A
2007	Iowa Valley	\$4,200	1		20/22	26/26				2A
2007	Johnston	\$6,500	5	35/41	8/18	36/40	\$85	\$90	\$47.50	4A
2007	Knoxville	\$4,900	2		14/21	37/39	\$100	\$70.00		3A
2007	Lewis Central	\$4,100	2	40/40	30/30	38/40	\$87	\$75		4A
2007	Lenox	\$2,500	1		17/20	32/35	\$80			1A
2007	Mason City	\$4,428	3	36/38	8/8	40/40	\$95	\$90.00	\$47.50	4A
2007	Midland	\$2,500	2	16/16	16/20	27/33				1A
2007	MOC/FV	\$4,100	2		20/22	33/35	\$90	\$80.00	\$50	2A
2007	Muscatine	\$4,692	3	30/34	6/6	36/40				4A
2007	Pekin	\$5,077	1		27/34	34/39	\$90	\$75	\$60	2A
2007	Pleasantville	\$3,500	1		19/20	27/28	\$95			2A
2007	Pocahontas	\$3,810	1		19/23	27/28	\$80			2A
2007	Roland	\$3,500	1		19/20	28/30				2A
2007	Sergeant	\$3,943	1		30	34/35	\$90			3A
2007	Saydel	\$3,800	2		25/30	35/35	\$90			3A
2007	St. Ansgar	\$3,500	2	23/25	22/25	32/34	\$70	\$50	\$50	2A
2007	Tri-Center	\$3,276	2	24/25	20/22	24/25	\$80		\$45	2A
2007	Valley of Elgin	\$2,647	1		21/21	27/29				1A
2007	Webster City	\$5,520	2	35/35	24/28	32/33	\$75	\$60		3A
2007	West Central	\$3,600	2			32/32	\$80			2A
2007	West Harrison	\$3,600	1		18/20	29/30	\$100			1A
2007	West Sioux	10% of base	1		30/30	30/30	\$85			2A
2007	Cedar Rapids	\$6000	6	39/39	8/9	39/40	\$85	\$75	\$50	4A


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## Past History of I.H.S.B.C.A.

**40 YEARS AGO: 1968:** First Annual meeting was held. Officers elected were Harold Primrose, President; Elmer Starr, Vice-President, Bernie Hutchison, Treasurer and Dave Hoyt, Secretary. The First Annual Clinic was held the speakers: Cap Timm, Hal Trosky Jr., Dick Schultz, Joe Lutz, Hal Trosky, Pat Daugherty, Bill Freese, Gene Baker, Dick Rozek, Ray Petzelka, George Thomson and Bob Vrbicek. The first Hall of Fame members were L.W. "Mon" Whitford, Otto Vogel, Hamlet Peterson, Emil Klumpar, Ken Blackman.

**35 YEARS AGO: 1973:** Seven men inducted into the Hall of Fame were: Everett Barr, Jay Beekmann, Alex Evans, Bill Holmstrom, Orvan Madden, Merle E. "Midge" McKeever and Frank Tyrdik. Wayne Duke was the banquet speaker. The Officers were President Vern Bredeson, Bill Freese, Vice-President, Ed McNeil, Treasurer and Dave Hoyt, Secretary. Clinic speakers were: Dick Siebert, Dick Wagner, John Klippstein, Jerry Lumpe, Cap Timm, Jim Van Scoyoc, Pat Daugherty, Gene Baker, Clair Rierson.

**30 YEARS AGO: 1978:** Six men entered the Hall of Fame: Arthur Fish, Connie Goodman, Mel Happel, Mel Martens, Tom Vincent, Dick Wagner. The Officers were President, Jim Schultz, Vice President, Al Seabrooke; Treasurer, Bill Sapp and Secretary Dave Posegate. Clinic speakers were Vernon "Lefty" Gomez, Bill "Moose" Skowron, Jerry Lumpy, Lindy McDaniel; Ron Oestrike, Larry Wallin and Dick Birmingham. Banquet speaker was Gus Schrader.

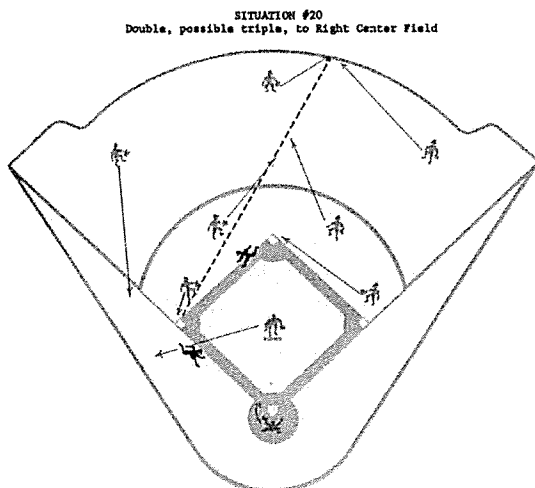
**25 YEARS AGO: 1983:** Five men entered the Hall of Fame: Jim Ellwager, Denis Menke, Jarold Lister, Dennis Olejniczak and Bob Vrbicek. The Officers were President Bob Watson, Vice-President Dick Core; Treasurer, Marv Thelen and Secretary, Jim Mahoney. Clinic speakers were Bob Floyd, Dr. Harlen Hunter, Tom Petroff, Paul Pryor, Bob Symonds, Dave Huckelberry, Gene Oliver. The Umpires clinic speakers were Gene Kopecky, Jim Brems, Bob Vrbicek, Fr. Craig Collison, Roger "Smoky" Barr, Larry Peterson and Paul Pryor. Banquet speaker was Paul Pryor.

**20 YEARS AGO: 1988:** Five men entered the Hall of Fame: Jack Anderson, Larry Blittner, Richard Folkers, Terry Heald and George Long. The Officers were President Jim Kloewer; Vice-President-Lanny Peterson; Treasurer Andy McGaffin and Secretary John Zahn. Clinic speakers were Rick Mathews, Dick Birmingham, Larry Blittner, Bob Symonds, Rick Folkers, Ron Klein, Bill Olson. The Umpires speakers were Lanny Peterson, Dave Harty, Randy Bruns.

**15 YEARS AGO: 1993:** Seven men entered the Hall of Fame: James Denner, Bill Huisman, Gary Paulsen, Dick Schultz, John Wathan, Lenny Weih, Lou Yacinich. The Officers were President Jim Donohue, Vice-President Ed Feyen, Treasurer, Fr. Craig Collison, Secretary Phil Lebo. Clinic speakers were John Wathan, Bruce Kimm, Bob Oldis, Duane Banks, Bob Randall, Jim Dimick, Cal Eldred, Jack Roeder, Jim Van Scoyoc, Lou Yacinich. The Umpires speakers were Wally Bell and Ed Spindler.

**10 YEARS AGO: 1998:** Five went into the Hall of Fame: Ed Feyen, Jack Lynch, Steve Reinert, Jerald Roling and John Siriani. The officers were President Gary Nyhus, Vice-President Eugene Meister, Treasurer Rich Stoffers and Secretary Tom Souhrada. Clinic speakers were Scott Broghamer, Dave Schrage, Bill Olson, Pat Daugherty, Lyle Smith, Jim Murphy, Elvis Dominquez, Dick Birmingham. The Umpires clinic speakers were Kirk Levine, Rich Fetchiet, Pat Daugherty was the Featured speaker.

**5 YEARS AGO: 2003:** Seven went into the Hall of Fame: Ken Ferris, Jack Hamilton, Jim Happel, Pat Heiderscheit, Bob Leech, Dan Reid and Tom Souhrada. The Officers were President Dan Pomeroy, First-Vice President Jim Gebhart, Second-Vice-President Paul Keitel and Thrid Vice-President Jerald Roling. Clinic speakers were Dick Birmingham, Pete Caliendo, Mel Didier, Rick Heller, Jonathan Mathews, Pete Seyfer, Ron Wolford. Umpires speakers were Dave Harty, Gary Paulsen, Bryce Fielder. E. Wayne Cooley was the featured speaker.



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Man on 3rd base or 2nd, or  
Men on 3rd and 2nd bases.

**Pitcher:**  
Back up 3rd base. Get as  
deep as possible.

**Catcher:**  
Protect Home plate.

**1st Baseman:**  
Trail the runner to 2nd base;  
cover the bag, ready for a  
play at that base.

**2nd Baseman:**  
Go to spot in center field,  
in line with 3rd, to become  
relay man.

**Shortstop:**  
Trail about 30 feet behind  
2nd baseman, in line with  
3rd base.

**3rd Baseman:**  
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