
Honoring and Preserving the Sports History of Chautauqua County



Chautauqua Sports Hall of Fame

15 West Third Street - Jamestown, NY 14701

July 2021

CSHOF Membership

It's time to call upon you to purchase your membership in the CSHOF for another year – our 41st. In addition to helping the CSHOF carry out its mission to honor and preserve the sports history of Chautauqua County, members will receive all of the following value-added benefits for their membership fee.

- ✓ Free members' picnic – August 9, 2021
- ✓ \$5 off induction banquet ticket
- ✓ Monthly newsletter
- ✓ Acknowledgment of membership on the CSHOF website
- ✓ Membership card with discounts at selected sports-minded marketing partners:

Jock Shop - Andriaccio's Restaurant - Lena's Pizza - Gialy's Bar & Grill - Gametime Sports Bar & Grill - Ashville General Store – The Mustard Seed - Honest John's - Pinehurst Golf Club - 360 Graphics

One year memberships are only \$30 for individuals and \$100 for family, business or athletic department. Family, business or athletic department members will receive 4 discount cards and corresponding benefits. Thank you for your kind consideration.

CSHOF Picnic



HOORAY, the annual CSHOF picnic will be Monday, August 9th, 5:00 p.m., at the Lakewood Rod and Gun Club. All CSHOF members and a guest are cordially invited to attend free of charge. **Reservations are required.** Contact Randy Anderson randy28b@netsync.net or 716-640-6219.

The following article written, by Scott Kindberg, appeared in the May 31, 2021 Post-Journal

WESTFIELD — The mission of the Chautauqua Sports Hall of Fame is to “*honor and preserve the sports history of Chautauqua County.*”

Thanks to the collaborative efforts of Randy Anderson, CSHOF president, and Westfield officials, one of the village’s most accomplished native sons — jockey and horse trainer Vincent M. Powers — will be remembered for posterity with a marker, which was unveiled Saturday morning in Moore Park.

“Inductees in our Hall of Fame from Westfield include Vinnie Calarco, Mark Orlando and Phil Young,” Anderson said, speaking during a ceremony from the park’s gazebo. *“We are pleased to have been able to work with the Village of Westfield to honor and preserve the legacy of Vincent Powers.”*

With several of Powers’ distant relatives, as well as community officials, in attendance, Anderson outlined the career of the jockey, who was born in Westfield on June 6, 1891, lived on Chestnut Street in the village and spent considerable time at a farm of relatives in Panama.

“He left home in his early teens to work as an exercise boy at the Fort Erie, Canada horse track,” Anderson said.

That was the beginning of an incredible career in the sport.

In fact, Powers was just 15 when he rode his first winner in a \$500 race for 2-year-olds at Churchill Downs on May 31, 1907. The following year, Powers handled 1,260 mounts and won 324 races, was second in 204 and third in 185.

But it was in 1909 where Powers made history at the Kentucky Derby, guiding Wintergreen to victory in the 35th classic. In combination with his success as a steeplechase rider and, later, as a noted trainer, he was inducted into the CSHOF in 2015 and the National Museum of Racing and Hall of Fame in Saratoga in 2016.

Powers’ resume prompted Anderson to contact the Pomeroy Foundation. One of the foundation’s initiatives, according to its website, is to provide grants to obtain signage in the form of roadside markers and plaques. Since 2006, the Pomeroy Foundation has funded more than 1,300 signs across the United States.

“I want to recognize and thank the Village of Westfield officials for their help in securing the grant from the Pomeroy Foundation to erect the historical marker in honor of one of Chautauqua County’s most accomplished, but, until now, may be the least well-known sportsman,” Anderson said. *“I especially want to thank Westfield’s village administrator and clerk, Vince Luce, for his unwavering dedication to securing the grant.”*



OUR Mission

The CSHOF provides a Hall of Honor to celebrate athletes and others involved in sports in Chautauqua County.



The CSHOF provides an exhibit hall in which the sports history of Chautauqua County is displayed and preserved.



OUR Program

An induction banquet is held each February to induct a new group of honorees into the CSHOF. At the banquet, we also recognize the special accomplishments of outstanding local high school and collegiate athletes.

The CSHOF maintains an exhibit hall located at 15 W. Third St. in Jamestown staffed by volunteers that contains our Hall of Honor and displays of sports memorabilia.



The CSHOF offers an extensive website that provides biographies of the inductees and material about the sports history of our county.

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MEMBER Benefits

In addition to knowing you are helping the CSHOF meet its mission and to maintain and expand its programs, your annual \$30 individual or \$100 family/business/athletic department membership fee will provide value-added benefits to CSHOF members:

1. Members' picnic
2. \$5 off banquet ticket
3. Monthly newsletter
4. Acknowledgment of membership on the CSHOF website
5. Membership card with discounts at selected marketing partners:
 - Andriaccio's - Mayville
 - Ashville General Store - Ashville
 - Gametime Sports Bar & Grill - Jamestown
 - The Mustard Seed - Fredonia
 - Honest John's - Jamestown
 - Jock Shop - Jamestown
 - Lena's Pizza - Jamestown
 - Pinehurst Golf Club - Westfield
 - Three Sixty Graphics - Jamestown
 - Gialy's - Jamestown
6. Family / business / athletic department members will receive 4 discount cards with corresponding benefits.

MEMBERSHIP ENROLLMENT

July 1, 2021 - June 30, 2022

Name: _____
Address: _____
City: _____
State: _____ Zip: _____
Telephone: (____) _____
E-mail: _____

Enclose a check for \$30 for an individual
or \$100 for a family/ business/athletic
department membership payable to:

Chautauqua Sports Hall of Fame

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