
Preserving the Sports History of Chautauqua County



Chautauqua Sports Hall of Fame

15 West Third Street - Jamestown, NY 14701

December 2023

Class of 2024 Inductees

The Board of Directors of the Chautauqua Sports Hall of Fame is proud to announce the inductees who will comprise the Class of 2024.

The inductees are **Karen Bakewell, Daniel Bryner, Cheryl (Miller) Burns, Tom D'Angelo, Doug Kaltenbach, Rod Maloy, Carlene Sluberski, Karen Tellinghuisen and Judy Young.**

These nine individuals will be formally inducted at the CSHOF's 42nd Annual Induction Banquet on Presidents' Day, February 19, 2024. Tickets are available by calling Chip Johnson at 716-485-6991.

Karen Bakewell



Born 1965; graduate Jamestown High School 1983
Sprinter at JHS and Chautauqua Striders 1981-1983
Silver medalist 1983 Empire State Games 200m and 400m
1986 NCAA Division 1 National Champion 800 meter sprint:
set a new meet record 2:00.85
First USA female collegiate runner to break 2:01; 1986 D-1
Track & Field All-American; ranked 10th in the world
1986 Mid-American Conference Outdoor Track Champ in
both 400 and 800 meter sprints
1986 Mid-American Conference Indoor Track Champ for
500 meters
1986 MAC Female Track Athlete of the Year
1984 Mid-American Conference Outdoor Champ for 400
meters

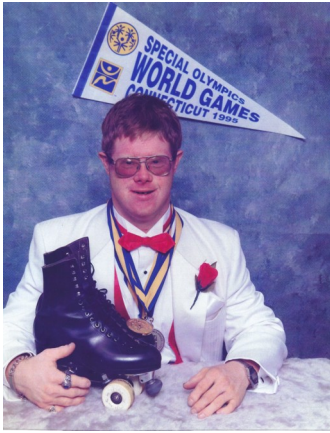
1984 set Miami University Indoor Track records for 200, 300, 400 and 500 meter races

1984 set Miami University Outdoor track records in 100, 200 and 400 meter races

1984 Mid-American Conference Indoor 400 meter Champion

Resides in Fairport, NY; retired information technology specialist

Daniel Bryner



Born 1959; graduate Southwestern Central School and BOCES

36 year sports career; 29 years in Special Olympics of New York

Competed at local, regional, state, national, international and world events

Participated in 14 different sports; Won over 200 gold, silver and bronze medals

Won 1 Gold and 2 Silver Medals at 1995 World Special Olympic Games in roller skating

Silver medalist in softball at 1987 Special Olympics International Games; Bronze Medalist in aquatics at 1983 Special Olympics International Games

6 Golds and 1 Bronze medal at Special Olympics National Games 1989, 1990, 1991

35 Golds, 64 Silvers and 32 Bronze Medals at New York State Special Olympics 1988-1995

1989 NYS Special Olympics Family of the Year with parents Charles and Helen Bryner

1997 NYS Special Olympics Athlete of the Year

Died 2016; interred Holy Cross Cemetery, Jamestown

Cheryl (Miller) Burns



Born 1961; graduate Forestville Central School 1979

Set Forestville basketball records for most points in game, season and career; jersey retired; Section 6 Class C Basketball Champion and Division 3 All-Star 1978-79 season

1994 Buffalo News Runner of the Year; 1997 Western New York's Top-Ranked Runner 35-39 age group

Multiple record-setting wins in 5K and 10K races in New Hampshire, Massachusetts, Pennsylvania and New York

6X qualifier for USA National Triathlon; 4X qualifier for World Triathlon

Third in the women's 60-64-year-old age group in the sprint triathlon at the 2021 USA Age Group National Championships in Milwaukee, Wisconsin.

Fourth place finisher in 2018 World Triathlon Championships held in Australia; Sixth place finisher in 2022 World Triathlon Championships in Montreal

2023 National Senior Olympic Games Silver Medalist in

triathlon relay

Founder /director Kick Cabin Fever Indoor Triathlon 2010-present

Resides in Jamestown, NY; teacher at Cassadaga Valley Central School; personal trainer

Tom D'Angelo



Born 1943; graduate Jamestown High School 1961 and Jamestown Community College
Inductee Jamestown Area Bowling Association 2003; served JABA for 20 years as lane representative, board director and board president; classic-level bowler for 35 years; recipient JABA Outstanding Service Award 2001
Baseball umpire 27 years; softball umpire 32 years, football referee 13 years
Inductee Chautauqua County Umpires Hall of Fame 1987
Umpired American Softball Association National Championships in 1984 and 1986
Coached Little League and Babe Ruth Baseball 12 years
Namesake of Jamestown Community College's Tom D'Angelo Memorial Lady Jayhawk Classic Basketball Tournament and Tom D'Angelo Spirit Award
Died 2007; interred Holy Sepulchre Cemetery, Jamestown

Doug Kaltenbach



Born 1960; graduate Brocton Central School 1978 and SUNY Fredonia
Baseball coach Westfield Academy and Central School for 30 years (1987-2017)
Career record 476-154; third most wins in county history; sixth most in Section VI history
Won 55 consecutive league games (2014-2017)
14 Chautauqua County Athletic Association division titles
13-time CCAA division Coach of the Year
8-time Section VI finalist; 2 Section VI Championships (2015 & 2016)
Far West Regional Champs and NYS Finalist in 2015
Post-Journal Coach of the Year in 2011 and 2015
Resides in Fredonia; retired art teacher WACS

Rod Maloy



Born 1958; graduate Panama Central School 1976 and Jamestown Community College
Automobile racer for 36 years (1976-2012)
Raced at Stateline Speedway, Eriez Speedway, Raceway 7 and Little Valley Speedway
Competed in Spectators (1976), Cadets (1977-78), Sportsman (1979-1984), Limited Late Models (1985-89) and Super Late Models (1990-2012)

32 Super Late Model wins; 51 total feature victories
2001 and 2007 Stateline Speedway Super Late Model Champion
2001 and 2002 Stateline-Eriez Speedways Circuit Super Late Model Champion
2001 and 2007 Stateline Speedway Driver of the Year
Resides in Panama, NY; retired truck driver

Carlene Sluberski



Born 1991; graduate Fredonia Central School 2009
Fredonia wrestling record: 116-36, 44 pins, against male competition
2008 Section VI 96# Champion
2009 New York State runner-up at 96#; First female in NYS wrestling history to place at state tourney
2009-2012 wrestled at Northern Michigan University and 2012-2015 at Brock University (Ontario, Canada)
3-time First Team All-Canadian; Brock University Female Athlete of the Year (2014-15)

Gold medalist at Ontario University Athletics

and Canadian Inter-university Sport Tournaments
Graduate assistant coach at University of the Cumberlands (KY) 2017-18
Volunteer coach USA Wrestling 2018-19
Head coach University of Providence (Montana) Women's Wrestling 2018-2020
Head coach Eastern Oregon University Women's Wrestling 2020-2022; Cascade Conference Coach of the Year (2020)
Head coach D'Youville University Women's Wrestling 2022-present
Resides in Lancaster, NY

Karen Tellinghuisen



Born 1958; lived in Falconer, NY; graduate of St. Mary's School for the Deaf 1978 and National Technical Institute for the Deaf at RIT

Most Valuable Player on volleyball, basketball and track & field teams in high school

1977 Deaf Girls Basketball All-American

Received Outstanding Athlete Award at St. Mary's School for the Deaf

Inductee St. Mary's School for the Deaf Hall of Fame 1998.

Gold Medalist in javelin at World Deaf Olympics 1977 in Bucharest, Romania; set US record

Bronze Medalist in javelin at World Deaf Olympics 1981 in Cologne, Germany

Village of Falconer named Karen Lane in her honor

Resides in Murfreesboro, TN; retired accounting clerk for NYS

Judy Young



Born 1926; resident of Chautauqua County since 1961

Began masters competitive swimming at age 61; participant for 36 years

Founding member Jamestown YMCA Masters Swim Team

15-time age group champion at YMCA Masters Nationals

8 Gold medals at 2016 YMCA Masters Nationals: set 3 new records in 90-94 age group

7 Gold medals at 2022 YMCA Masters

Nationals; set 6 new records in 95-99 age group

Holds age group YMCA national records in 50, 100, 200 & 500 freestyle and 50, 100 & 200 backstroke

6 Gold Medals at 2023 National Senior Games age 95-99 division; set new records in all 2023 Humana Game Changer Award

Resides in Jamestown; son, Jim, is 2013 CSHOF inductee