

**VANCLEAVE ATHLETIC HALL OF FAME
Nomination Form**

NOMINATION INSTRUCTIONS

All information requested on the nomination form must be provided, typed or legibly handwritten on standard size notebook or typing paper. Supporting materials that substantiate the nominee's accomplishments should also accompany the nomination form. This application will be kept on file by the Vancleave Athletic Hall of Fame Selection Committee. **Nomination forms must be submitted by June 15, 2019.** (See mailing address or the drop off location of forms on page 2.)

ELIGIBLE NOMINEES

Former athletes who competed in sports at Vancleave High School and Elizabeth Keys High School, which existed prior to integration, are eligible for selection into the Vancleave Athletic Hall of Fame. Also, eligible for induction are team(s) and former coaches at VHS or EKHS.

Please Type or Print All Requested Information Neatly and Legible

Name of nominee: _____
(All athletes/teams/relay teams nominated must have graduated from VHS a minimum of 10 years ago or a graduate of EKHS. Coaches must be inactive for 10 years.)

Address (number & street): _____

City: _____ State: _____ Zip Code: _____

Phone: _____ Age: _____ Email: _____

If deceased, check here _____ and indicate year of death: _____

Year Graduated or Years Coached: _____

If you did not Graduate, please give an explanation with specific mitigating circumstances for not graduating from VHS or EKHS. _____

Occupation: _____ Retired (Yes or No)

Employer: _____

Category (mark all that apply): _____ Athlete _____ Coach _____ Team _____ Relay Team _____ Other

SUPPORTING MATERIALS

Submit a brief statement as to WHY your nominee is worthy of being inducted into the VAHOF and outline the reasons why you wish to nominate the above named individual. You are encouraged to attach additional information to support your reason for nominating the nominee such as media clippings, documents, awards, photos, etc. (DO NOT send original supporting materials – COPIES ONLY as they WILL NOT be returned!) For cases in which supporting materials are difficult to obtain, additional letters (2 to 4) of recommendation from teammates, coaches, fans or opponents should be submitted with this form as supporting materials, please include a signature and contact number.

INDIVIDUAL ATHLETIC ACHIEVEMENTS AT VHS OR EKHS:

List ALL VARSITY SPORTS PARTICIPATION (indicate whether letter earned per year)

- **ATHLETIC ACHIEVEMENTS (per occurrence)** List awards, records and other considerations for

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Hall of Fame recognition by the year and sport(s). Please list all sports, achievements or records by freshman, sophomore, junior or senior years. If a LETTERMAN, please indicate so under the listing of "Letter Earned" by replying (Yes) or (No) per sport/per year. Also, if you competed on the high school level as a 7th grader or an 8th grader, please use the example format below for all years of competition in athletics on the high school level while attending VHS or EKHS.

FRESHMAN	VARSITY SPORT	ATHLETIC ACHIEVEMENTS or RECORDS	Letter Earned
SOPHOMORE	VARSITY SPORT	ATHLETIC ACHIEVEMENTS or RECORDS	Letter Earned
JUNIOR	VARSITY SPORT	ATHLETIC ACHIEVEMENTS or RECORDS	Letter Earned
SENIOR	VARSITY SPORT	ATHLETIC ACHIEVEMENTS or RECORDS	Letter Earned

- AWARDS (All Conference, All District, All South State, All State Award(s), Offense Award(s), Defense Award(s), Most Valuable Player, Athletic Award/Bulldog Award/Courage Award, etc.)
- NEWSPAPER SPORT TEAMS & AWARDS (List Newspaper All Sports Teams/Awards such as by the Sun Herald, Ocean Springs Record, Clarion-Ledger, etc.)
- Athletic Achievements in College (College, Scholarship, Letterman, year, awards, etc.)
- Amateur or Olympic Accomplishments (Sports Team Name, Year, Awards, Records, Olympic invite letter to tryout, etc.)
- Professional Accomplishments (Professional team invite letter to tryout, Pro Player, Super Bowl, etc.)
- Athletic Hall of Fame Inductee (College/Pro, Sport, Year, etc.)
- Vancleave Youth Sports Programs (Note: This is NOT TRAVEL TEAMS, ONLY those sports programs affiliated with and competing under the name of Vancleave Youth Sports Programs such as baseball, football, fastpitch, Vancleave All Star Team, Championships on the Local, State or World Series, etc.)
- Athletic Volunteer for VHS or EKHS (Such as a coach, sports announcer, scorebook keeper, clock keeper, media specialist, etc. for a high school sport. A role as a volunteer, not as a paid position.)
- Former Coaches: (A nominee must have been a former coach who demonstrated exceptional leadership, character and athletic achievement while at VHS or EKHS. List sports coached, years and achievements.)

WHERE TO SEND THE NOMINATION FORM and SUPPORTING MATERIALS:

All forms & materials must be in a sealed BUSINESS SIZE ENVELOPE. (Please use 4 1/2" X 9 1/2" envelope or 10" X 13" envelope.)

NOTICE: All materials and nomination forms must be returned by June 15, 2019.

Submit nomination forms by using one (1) of the three (3) methods listed below:

(1) Mail to: Vancleave Athletic Hall of Fame; P.O. Box 5434; Vancleave, MS 39565

(2) Email to: vahof.2019@gmail.com

(3) Deposit forms in the VAHOF DropBox located in the Vancleave Public Library.

(Library Hours: Monday thru Thursday from 9 AM - 7 PM & Friday/Saturday from 9 AM - 4 PM.)

• NOMINATOR NAME _____

ADDRESS _____

PHONE NUMBER (HOME): _____ (CELL): _____

Email Address: _____

X _____

(NOMINATOR'S SIGNATURE)

(DATE)