

## 2002 North Allegheny Athletic Hall of Fame Inductees

### Jason Augustino, '91

... was the starting tight end and defensive lineman on the North Allegheny WPIAL and State football championship team. He was First Team Quad-North All Star, a member of the PG "Fabulous" 22 All-Star Team, won the KDKA Extea Effort Award and was selected to play in the Big 33 Game vs. Maryland.

At the University of Virginia (on a scholarship), Jason was a two-year starter at offensive tackle. Honors included: Team Captain (senior year); 1<sup>st</sup> Team All-ACC (1995); Honorable Mention All ACC (1994); Offensive Lineman of the Year as named by the Touchdown Club of Richmond, VA.

Jason signed with the NFL Chicago Bears as a free agent and played for the NFL-Europe England Monarch Team.



### Kristen Beilstein Dubinski '88

... was a tri-athlete: golf, swimming, and softball. She led our golf team to a WPIAL golf championship and was runner-up in individual competition. She was named to the All-State swimming and gymnastics teams and was a member of the All-State relay Team in 1987.

Kristen attended the University of Michigan, was swim team captain in 1992 and was a four-year All-Bit Ten Academic Selection. She was Michigan's golf captain and Western Pennsylvania Golf Champion in 1991.

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### Todd Bibza '84

... graduated in 1984 from NA. While in school, he played 9th grade volleyball, middle school and 9th grade basketball. He received varsity letters in cross country from 9th through 12th grade and was co-captain of the cross country team in his senior year. Todd's love of baseball began in Little League and he played on the 9th grade team and the Junior Varsity Baseball Team in 10th grade. He lettered in baseball in his 11th and 12th grade years as a pitcher and first baseman. He pitched a record 7 complete games with a career ERA of 1.15 and hit a team leading .418 with 23 runs scored and 22 RBIs. He was named to the Post Gazette North Baseball All-Star Team and the Post Gazette WPIAL All-Star Section Team.

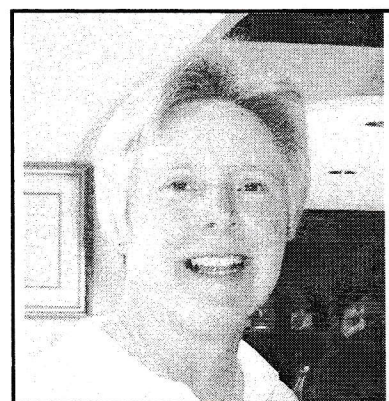
Todd pitched and lettered four years in Division I varsity baseball at the United States Naval Academy. Awarded the N star for a 2-1 extra-inning victory in the Army-Navy baseball game. Navy won the Eastern Intercollegiate Baseball League Championship and Todd pitched in the 1986 NCAA Atlantic Regional World Series in Miami, FL. Earned second team All-EIBL honors. Bibza led Navy in his senior year with 14 appearance, 12 starts with a 2.35 ERA and earned honors in Street & Smith's Yearbook and Baseball America's Almanac.

During his summer leave from the Naval Academy, he pitched on the North Pittsburgh team of the Federation League. He holds the record for pitching eight consecutive shut out victories in the 1986-87 seasons and was the starting pitcher in the Federation All-Star game at Three Rivers Stadium.

Managed and played on naval bases baseball and softball teams as well as semi-pro teams in the community. Recently pitched with the Pittsburgh 30's championship team in the 2000 Roy Hobbs Baseball World Series in Ft. Meyers, FL. Organized the first annual Special Olympics in Pensacola, FL. Graduated from the United States Naval Academy in Annapolis in 1988. Was awarded his "Wings of Gold" as a Naval Aviator in 1990 and has been stationed in Pensacola, Norfolk, and the Mayport Naval Air Station in Jacksonville, FL. Lt. Commander Bibza is a helicopter pilot deployed on the destroyer, U.S.S. Nicholson. He lives in Jacksonville, FL with his wife and three daughters.

### Audrey Gerginski, '73

... played field hockey, basketball and softball for the Tigers. She was team captain in all three sports. Audrey led the basketball team to a WPIAL championship in 1972 and a WPIAL runner-up in 1973. Her softball team was WPIAL runner-up in 1973.



The Tiger Volleyball Teams  
extend  
congratulations to the  
2002 Hall of Fame Inductees

Jason Augustine  
Kristen Beilstein Dubinski  
Todd Bibza  
Audrey Gerginski  
Robert Hillman  
Gary McCauley  
Bobby Miller  
Jamie Tomazich Van Epps  
Scott Trester  
Jerry Wall

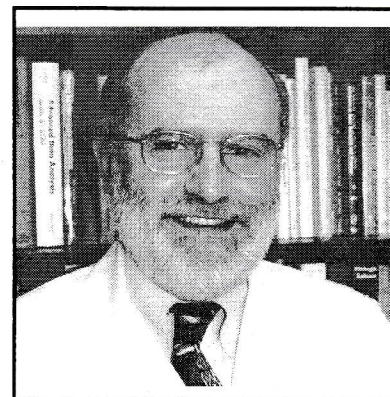


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### Robert Hillman, '70

... ran track and cross-country, lettering three times in each. He was medallist eight times in WPIAL meets and three times in PIAA meets. In 1968 and 1969 he was named to the SW Pennsylvania Cross-Country All-Star team, and he was the top runner on the '68 PIAA Championship team. His accomplishments in track include running a 4:16 mile to become WPIAL Allegheny County Class A Section 1 Champion, anchoring the 1970 PA State Championship in the 2-mile relay (fastest time in the U.S.A. by a high school team); scoring tops for the 1970 NA track team (he ran three distance events in every meet); and, being voted Outstanding Senior Athlete in Track.

At Penn State, Robert received four letters in cross-country and track. He was medallist 37 times in both Eastern U.S. and National Level meets, ran on the inoor 4-mile relay team that set an American record, missing a world record by 6 seconds! Hillman received the 1974 Penn State "Ernest B. McCoy Award" for combining successful athletic competition with academic excellence.



### Gary McCauley, '77

... played football and basketball, and ran track. McCauley lettered twice in both football and basketball; lettered once in track. In 1975 he was named to the All-West Penn Football Conference Honorable Mention Team, and All-Pittsburgh Press and All-West Penn Conference in 1976.

Gary attended Clarion University and letered all four years. He had the most career yardage gained as a tight end. Awards include: Kodak All-American First Team in 1980 and 1981, All NAIA Second Team in 1980 and All-NAIA First Team in 1981.

Gary signed with the Pittsburgh Steelers as a free agent tight end. He received the Dapper Dan Award in 1982, and was inducted into the Clarion University Hall of Fame in 1985.

*Congratulations!*

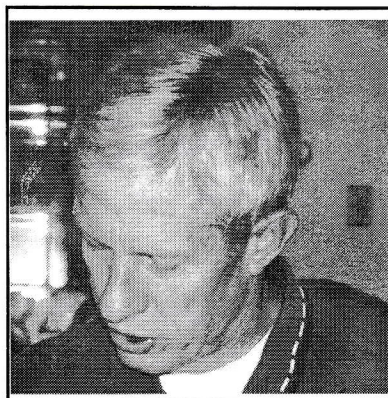
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### Bobby Miller, '63



... belongs in the Hall of Fame both as an athlete and as a coach. He was a standout athlete at NA, lettering in football, baseball, basketball and track. Bobby received the Outstanding Male Athlete Award his senior year.

Bob attended Capital University in Columbus, Ohio, where he played baseball 2 years and basketball 4 years. He received a B.S. Degree in Education in 1967 and a Master in Education Degree from Slippery Rock in 1971.

In 1967, Bob came home to NA as a Health and Physical Education teacher; he taught at the Intermediate High School for 10 years and at the Senior High School for 25 years, serving as Department Chair for 12 years. Bobby Miller has coached in the District for 35 years: football from 1967 to 1982; baseball from 1967 to 1970; and boys and girls' volleyball through 2002 (35 years with the boys and 30 years with the girls).

His boys' volleyball teams won PIAA Championships in '79, '87, '91 and '99. The girls won States in '92, '93, and '94. His teams have won well over 1,000 games. He received the Federation for Excellence Award and was elected into the inaugural class of the Pennsylvania Volleyball Coaches' Hall of Fame.

Bob has chaired the WPIAL Volleyball Steering Committee for 11 years (he has been a member of the Committee for 21 years), and is on the Board of Directors of the North Allegheny Center of Excellence / Baierl Center. His expertise and work ethic set him apart as an example of athletic and academic excellence. In his words, he considers it a privilege and pleasure to have had the opportunity to work with some of the finest student-athletes, assistant coaches, colleagues, athletic directors and administrators for so many year in the North Allegheny School District. Bob has been married to Margie for 35 years; they have two children, Julie, assistance women's volleyball coach at Penn State University; and Brian, Assistant Principal at Ingomar Middle School and 1998 Hall of Fame inductee. Brian and his wife Heidi, presented Bob with his first granddaughter, Abby, last fall.

### Jamie Tomazich Van Epps, '96

... is one of the finest divers in North Allegheny history, helping her team win WPIAL titles 3 years, WPIAL Runner-up 1 year, and State titles for two years. Individually, Jamie was 3-year WPIAL and PIAA Champion and State Record Holder. She still holds the WPIAL and PIAA records for one-meter diving, received All-American Status both her junior and senior years, and was All-State for four years. She was undefeated three consecutive years in high school and set records in six area high school pools. She was Captain of the 3-year undefeated Tiger team and a Dapper Dan honoree.

At the University of Pittsburgh, Jamie captained the Pitt swim team two years and lettered all four years, establishing an undefeated career dual meet record in the Big East Conference. She still holds the Pitt 1-meter and 3-meter board records. She was named

All-Big East all four years, Big East Academic All-American, NCAA Academic All-American and Bell Atlantic Scholar Athlete 1997-2000, was a NCAA Division I All-American, and won the NCAA Woman of the Year Scholarship and the University Blue-Gold Award for athletic and citizen accomplishments. She had the highest GPA in 1997, and was Most Valuable Diver 1997-2000 and was selected by her team for the Panther Spirit Award in 1999.



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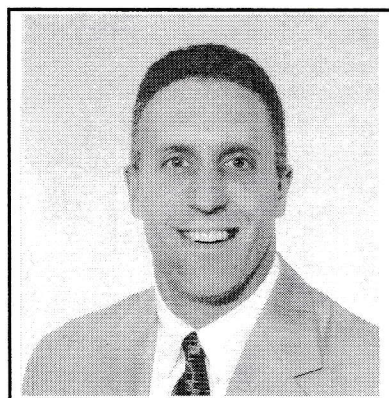
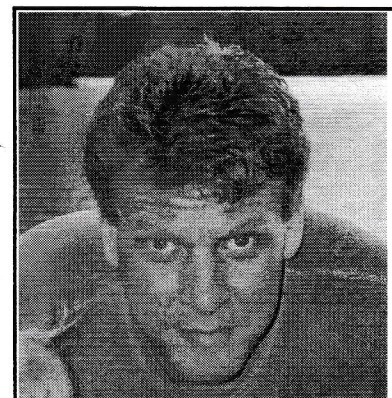
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### Scott Treser '81

... swam and played volleyball for NA, and earned seven varsity letters: 4 in swimming and 3 in volleyball. He set three individual and two relay swimming records, and in 1983 placed in the WPIAL as follows: 2<sup>nd</sup> (200 freestyle), 6<sup>th</sup> (100 freestyle), 1<sup>st</sup> (400 freestyle). That same year, he finished 3<sup>rd</sup> in the PIAA in the 400 freestyle relay. The following year in the WPIAL, Scott placed 3<sup>rd</sup> in the 100 free relays, 4<sup>th</sup> in the 200 free relays, and at the PIAA he was 5<sup>th</sup> in the 100 and 200 free.

In volleyball, Scott made the All-State team as a senior, was named MVP of numerous tournaments, and was named Western PA Co-Player of the Year as a senior. He was North Allegheny Outstanding Male Athlete in 1981.

Scott attended Penn State, lettering in volleyball three years. He was a member of the Olympic Festival Volleyball Team and played on the Junior National Team for two years.



### Jerry Wall, '84

... played football and basketball, and was named to the All-Conference Football Team as a junior and again as a senior; he was all-WPIAL and a member of the Fabulous 44 Team.

Jerry went to Pitt and received all-East honors in 1987 as a 2<sup>nd</sup>-team linebacker.

Jerry signed a free agent contract with the Cleveland Browns. He is now a regional executive for HealthAmerica.

# 2002 Athletic Hall of Fame Outstanding Supporter of North Allegheny Athletics

## Don Vandergrift

Don graduated from Oliver High School in 1956 and from the University of Pittsburgh in 1960; he played varsity baseball for 3 years. He taught Social Studies at the Senior High School for 37 years, was Student Council Advisor for 31 years, directed the Talent Show for 30 years, and coached Junior High Basketball for 6 years.

He has been a North Allegheny sports announcer since 1963, the year he began doing the public address announcing for football, basketball, and some wrestling. This continued until 1982, at which time he became play-by-play announcer for NATV, the student-operated television production station; his voice enhanced the action on video until 2001. In 1999 he became the Tiger Sports Network play-by-play announcers for football, field hockey, ice hockey, baseball, softball, and boys' & girls' soccer, volleyball, basketball, swimming, and track & field. NA sports fans unable to get to a Tiger sporting event have had the pleasure of Vandy's upbeat and enthusiastic sports reporting anywhere they could get on the Internet.

Don has also contributed greatly to the community, starting with the coaching of baseball in Brighton Heights and Bellvue-Avalon in the Sixties, a seven-year stint as basketball coach at St. Francis Xavier on the North Side (he coached football there for 1 year), President of NARA (NA's youth basketball program) for 3 years and Vice-President of the Ingomar Athletic Association for 3 years. He coached NARA Basketball (5 years), Youth Soccer (3 years), and baseball in the Ingomar Athletic Association for 5 years and in the McCandless Athletic Association for 2 years.

