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Hall of Fame Banquet - A Coach's Heaven



Lloyd Carr, Hall of Fame speaker and host, congratulates Ben Benford (River Rouge) on his induction.

High School, was in the unusual situation of being current MHSFCA President and also being inducted into the Hall of Fame. He handled both with dignity and poise.

By Tom Fagan, Hall of
Fame Chair

7 he Michigan High School Football Coaches' Association's 2001 Hall of Fame dinner was held at the University of Michigan Indoor Track Building on Saturday, April 7. One of the 24 new inductees to the Hall of Fame remarked that for one night it was a "Coach's Heaven."

Our current President, Keith Froelich, welcomed the crowd of over 600 people who attended to honor their favorite coach. Keith, a highly successful coach from Okemos

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MHSFCA Leadership Conference
July 28 • M.S.U.

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April 6, 2001

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MHSFCA
Meetings &
Important Dates**Board of Directors Summer Meeting**

Holiday Inn South

July 26-27, 2001

All Star Awards Banquet

Holiday Inn South, Lansing

July 28, 2001

MHSFCA Leadership Conference

West Holden Hall, MSU

July 27, 2001

All Star Game

Spartan Stadium, East Lansing

July 29, 2001

30th Winners Circle Clinic

McCamly Plaza, Battle Creek

January 25-26, 2002

50th Coach of the Year Clinic

Soaring Eagle Hotel, Mt. Pleasant

March 1-2, 2002

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**NEWSLETTER****Encourages
Contributors**

Over the past years several of Michigan's best coaches have sent materials for the Newsletter. We encourage you to join that group.

*Deadline for Submissions
for October Newsletter
— September 15 —*

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NOTES**2001 Winners Circle Clinic Re-Cap**

By Al Slamer, Battle Creek Central, Clinic Chair

The 29th annual MHSFCA football clinic was held at McCamly Plaza Hotel in Battle Creek on January 26th and 27th, 2001. A record turnout of more than 1700 coaches gathered for a weekend of instruction and fellowship.

The Friday afternoon sessions included presentations from outstanding Michigan high school staffs, Kalamazoo College and Lake Forest College of Illinois. Friday evening is college night and coaches from Saginaw Valley State University, Notre Dame and Eastern Michigan University made presentations in the Kellogg Arena. Seminars on team leadership and equipment fitting by Schutt and All-American added to the Friday line-up.

Saturday's "Road to the Dome" presentations offered insight to those who hope to take their teams to the coveted state championship.

The Saturday afternoon awards banquet was attended by nearly 400 people. The presentations of the Crowley Award and the Steve Spicer Award were particularly inspiring. Congratulations to all the award winners!

The Kellogg Arena was filled with over 70 exhibitors of football related equipment and services. This year we even had to turn away some exhibitors because we were completely filled-up.

The MHSFCA Board of Directors thanks all those who attended the clinic and we sincerely hope that you gathered some ideas to help you have a very successful 2001 season!

Jim Crowley Award

The Jim Crowley Award is given in memory of the late, former head coach at Jackson Lumen Christi High School, a great coach and dedicated family man who was tragically killed at the height of his career. The award honors individuals who have made special contributions to the game of football and the Michigan High School Football Coaches Association.

If you would like to nominate an individual for this most prestigious award, please send a letter of nomination.

Send nominations to:

Larry Sellers, Traverse City St. Francis H.S., 123 E. 11th Street, Traverse City, MI 49684

Placement Service

By Bobby Vaught, Greenville, Placement Chair

The MHSFCA sponsors a placement service for its members and football sponsoring schools. A placement bulletin is mailed to all interested coaches from January until June each year (see forms page 15).

It is, however, a two-way street. If you know of coaching and/or teaching openings in your school or area, please let us know (use second form page 15).

We are particularly interested in coaching/teaching positions, as most of our Newsletter subscribers are interested in dual openings rather than "coaching-only" vacancies.

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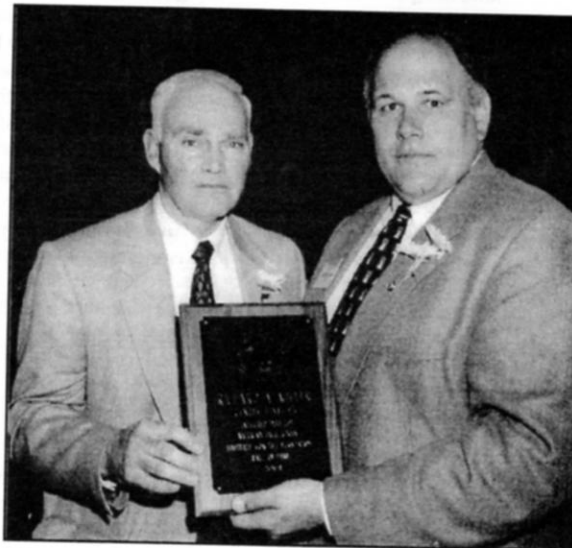
State Of The MHSFCA

By Keith Froelich, Oke
2001 President MHSF



Our association is enjoying its greatest fiscal health and largest membership (2346) since it's inception in 1972. This prosperity is a direct result of the efforts of our past officers and Boards of Directors. Their dedication to and the constant nurturing of our Association has made the Michigan High School Football Coaches Association a model for coaches associations across our state and the country. The primary goal of the MHSFCA is to promote high school football in the State of Michigan. Let's review just some of the ways our Association works to accomplish this:

- The new year always begins with our first-rate "Winners Circle Football Clinic" in Battle Creek, 2001 was no exception. The speakers and clinicians were outstanding, highlighted by our "Road to the Dome" presenters on Saturday morning. We saw record setting attendance by our membership in addition to fantastic participation by the vendors who help support the MHSFCA. Officers and regional directors for the upcoming year are always elected during the clinic as well.
- One of the highlights of the clinic weekend is our annual awards luncheon on Saturday. The Association takes time to recognize our state and regional coaches-of-the-year. We also present the prestigious Jim Crowley Memorial Award, Steve Spicer Team Leadership Awards, and the Honorary Membership Awards, all of which recognize significant contributions by many people to high school football. Current and newly elected directors are also recognized at this function.
- The MHSFCA is proud to honor academic achievement by naming Academic All State Teams in each of the eight classes and awarding 24 deserving individuals with Academic All State 1st team, Academic All State 2nd team, and Special Mention Academic All State recognition. These teams are announced during our clinic weekend.
- The spring finds us in Ann Arbor for the annual Hall of Fame induction and banquet. The Hall of Fame began in 1982 with the induction of the charter board of directors as the original members and the featured speaker was the late Woody Hayes, legendary Ohio State University football coach. The association annually inducts 24 Michigan high school football coaches who have attained 100 victories as a head varsity coach and/or a minimum 20 years of coaching in the state. The Hall of Fame Banquet also provides the setting for the presentation of the annual \$1000 Terry Rose Memorial Scholarship (MHSFCA Past-President, 1986)



MHSFCA President, Keith Froelich presents 2001 Hall of Fame inductee, Richard A. Miller (Center Line) with his Hall of Fame plaque.

- The summer takes us to East Lansing where we find 88 of the best high school football players from the state gathered for the annual MHSFCA All-Star Football Game. Not only does the Association put on one of the premier all-star football games in the United States, it also provides a forum to showcase the winning squads from the Michigan Cheerleading Coaches Association competition and an All Star Band composed of over 200 high school musicians representing communities from all over Michigan. In addition, the recipients of the ten annual \$500 MHSFCA scholarships are presented with their awards at halftime of the All Star game.
- All Star weekend also provides the setting for our annual Leadership Conference, which brings together over 300 aspiring leaders to share ideas and to learn new leadership techniques to take back to their schools and teams for the fall.

State of the MHSFCA

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"If you or any of your staff are not currently members, join now. I also strongly encourage and eagerly invite you to become actively involved in the association..."

- During the fall, the membership concentrates on football with members striving to mold each of their teams into a champion. The MHSFCA was instrumental in the adoption of a statewide play-off system to determine a true state champion in football. This goal was accomplished in 1975 with the introduction of the first post-season competition. The Association has been a driving force in the continued expansion and improvement of the format that now includes 256 teams each fall competing for eight state championships.
- The Association is currently working towards the accomplishment of another long-term goal, the construction of a permanent Hall of Fame building.

Much work and effort have gone into this project, many hurdles have already been cleared, however, we still have a long way to go. We are in the process of raising \$1.6-\$2.0 million dollars to equip, staff, maintain and operate a first class facility. One way you can help us in the challenge is to make sure your school is a "Gold Brick" member of the Hall of Fame. If you would like to help with this project please contact one of our officers or directors today (or through you high school coach) or contact Tom Fagan, Hall of Fame chairman, at 734-994-6282.

The MHSFCA is governed by a slate of officers and directed by 32 Regional Directors, Committee Chairs, Past Presidents, and an Executive Director, all who voluntarily give of their time and effort to make the Association and high school football in the state of Michigan the very best. If you or any of your staff are not currently members, join now. I also strongly encourage and eagerly invite you to become actively involved in the Association and help us to continue to make high school football in the state of Michigan the best experience a kid can have.

2000 Winners of the Steve Spicer Leadership Award Presented at the Battle Creek Clinic

Vassar High School - Class B

Coach Vince LaVeille

Significant Leadership Contributions

- Helped build new school playground
- Provided four umpires for every Vassar Little League baseball game in 2000
- Worked several local blood drives
- Worked as teacher aides for Vassar Elementary School
- Worked at local youth baseball and football camps
- Worked as church ushers
- Every player is encouraged to complete 20 hours of community service

Lowell High School - Class A

Coach Noel Dean

Significant Leadership Contributions

- All varsity players are involved in elementary reading program
- Raised \$2000 for new books for elementary school library
- Involved in school projects in cooperation with Lowell service clubs

South Lyon High School

Class A

Coach Bob Scheloske

Significant Leadership Contributions

- For past five years, during the football season, four players a day visit district elementary schools. They read, help with schoolwork and serve as mentors and role models.

Ravenna High School - Class C

Coach Dusty Fairfield

Significant Leadership Contributions

- Players mentor elementary students emphasizing positive lifestyle skills including responsibility and integrity.

Birmingham Groves HS

Class A

Coach Jim MacDougal

Significant Leadership Contributions

- Team serves holiday dinners and sings with seniors in community
- Players mentor special education students
- For past seven years upperclassmen have tutored underclassmen at study table



2001 Hall of Fame Inductees



Don Lessner, our Executive Director, gave a history of the Hall of Fame and also shared information on our future Hall of Fame. Don has great leadership ability and our Association has thrived under his outstanding leadership.

Our guest speaker, coach Lloyd Carr, gave a moving and emotional tribute to the coaches being inducted and to his own high school coach. He cited his own personal experiences with many of the inductees and related how he was able to spend time recently with his own Riverview High School coach and was able to tell him how his influence and guidance had been a major factor in his success as a coach as well as a person. Coach Carr again deserves our thanks, not only for providing a forum for our banquet, but also for being so gracious and accommodating to our Hall of Famers and their family and friends. He is always one of the last people to leave the banquet hall after having a picture taken with each Hall of Famer. Thanks Coach. We are very proud you were once a high school coach and have never forgotten your fellow coaches.

The highlight of the evening was the introduction of the Hall of Famers, their personal comments and love and appreciation of their family and supporters from all over the state. As one Hall of Famer stated, "It was a coach's heaven for one night." The award for the most schools coached goes to Paul Verska of Ann Arbor Huron, who has coached at ten different schools. His last ten years have been at Ann Arbor Huron where he has been very successful. There was Richard Miller of Center Line, who has coached for 35 years, only to be topped by Roger Nelson of Roseville/Shepard with 43 years of coaching football.

The comments of the inductees, answering questions used for their introduction, indicates the character of these outstanding coaches. In answer to the question, "Why coach?" Bill Tucker of Flint Powers summarized the feeling of the group when he said, "There can be no greater feeling than standing on the sidelines of a football field with a

group of young men who put their hearts and souls on the line to accomplish a dream. To be part of that is something very special."

Answering the question, "What coaching has meant to me?" Roger Smith of Bear Lake commented, "Football coaching has meant that I have been blessed beyond belief by having the opportunity to work with many athletes, parents, administrators and other coaches and that has created life long friendships and unbelievable memories and experiences that no amount of money could ever buy."

The most frequent answer to their biggest thrill in coaching was State and Conference Championships, big upsets, coaching their own sons and their selection as a member of the Hall of Fame.

Most of the Hall of Famers ended their acceptance talks by thanking their fellow coaches, administrators and players. The coaches were emphatic in their thanks to their wives and families. They gave their wives and families all the credit for any and all of their achievements in coaching.

In conclusion, I'd like to quote President Keith Froelich in his welcome talk, "It is with great pleasure that the MHSFCA enshrines these fine coaches and welcomes them into a select company of the greatest, most talented and devoted men to have coached the game of football in Michigan. All of you are truly Hall of Famers. Congratulations and thank you!"

It was a great night for Michigan high school football.



The Class of 2001

Frank Altimore

34 years of coaching: Midland High School, Midland Dow High School. Record: 219 wins, 95 losses, Detroit News Coach of The Year, Saginaw Valley Coach of The Year 1977. 1992 West All Star Coach.

Benjamin J. Benford

24 years of coaching: all at River Rouge High School. Record: 124 wins, 85 losses. Free Press Board of Coaches 1972, National High School Coaching Award 1987, Suburban Athletic Coach of The Year, News Herald Coach of The Year 1993.

Tim Bergan

29 years of coaching: Eau Claire H.S., Colona H.S., Benton Harbor H.S. Record: 178 wins, 87 losses. Assistant Coach of The Year MHSFCA 1987.

Tony Bruno

27 years of coaching: Upton Junior H.S. Record: 169 wins, 78 losses. Assistant Coach of The Year, MHSFCA 1992.

Doug Burger

28 years of coaching: all at Marshall H.S. Record: 260 wins, 84 losses. Assistant Coach of The Year 1987

Gary R. Chapp

30 years of coaching: DeLaSalle H.S., Rochester Adams H.S., Van Hoosen Jr. High, Van Hoosen Middle School. Record: 182 wins, 102 losses. 17 City Championships, 10 undefeated seasons, 1990 Catholic League A East Coach of the Year, 1996 MHSFCA Assistant Coach of The Year.

Bob Clement

28 years of coaching: All at Pittsford H.S. Record: 181 wins, 75 losses. Regional Coach of The Year, 1990, 1994, 1996. Coach of The Year DD, 1996.

Jim Coady

25 years of coaching: Mattawan H.S., Lawrence H.S. Record: 143 wins, 97 losses. Regional Coach of The Year, 7 times; State Coach of The Year, State Finalist 1990, Play-Off appearances, 7 times.

Keith Froelich

26 years of coaching: Alma H.S., Southgate Aquinas, DeLaSalle Prep., St. Mary's of Redford, Okemos H.S. Record: 152 wins, 84 losses. M.H.S.F.C.A. Board of Directors, M.H.S.F.C.A. President 2001

Bill Hollenbeck

27 years of coaching: Chippewa Hills, Mesick, Frankfort, Glen Lake. Record: 180 wins, 74 losses. Regional Coach of The Year 1985, 87, 89, 94, 95, 97. Coach of The Year 1989, A.P.: Coach of The Year 1994, M.H.S.F.C.A. Board of Directors, National Football Foundation, "Pete Schmidt Award" 2000.

Al Kastle

24 years of coaching: Fraser H.S., Albion College, Wayne St., Warren DeLaSalle H.S., Chippewa Valley H.S. Record: 144 wins, 75 losses. Retired.

Ken Kirby

30 years of coaching: All at Bellaire H.S. Record: 126 wins, 96 losses. Junior Varsity Coach of The Year 1991.

Michael G. Lemerise

30 years of coaching: Malon J.H.S., Eisenhower H.S., Eppler J.H.S. Record: 160 wins, 55 losses. Macomb Area Conference J.V. Coach of The Year 1983, Teacher of The Year 1998, Gatorade Coaches Service Award 1997.

Richard A. Miller

35 years of coaching: Busch Jr. High, Center Line H.S. Record: 143 wins, 137 losses. M.H.S.F.C.A. Assistant Coach of The Year 1993.

Guenther Mittelstaedt

28 years of coaching: Bridgman H.S., Maple Valley H.S. Record: 191 wins, 66 losses. Regional Coach of The year 1988, 1997, 2000, Class C Coach of The Year Honorable Mention 1987, 1988, 2000. State Journal Coach of The Year 1997, A.P. Honorable Mention 1991.

Robert W. Nelson

43 years of coaching: Shelby Public Schools, Shepherd H.S., Roseville H.S., Mt. Pleasant H.S., St. Louis H.S. Record: 196 wins, 182 losses. MHSCA Hall of Fame 1991.

Dave Potter

28 years of coaching: All at Jefferson H.S. Huron League Champions, 6 times; State Play-Offs, 6 times; Assistant Coach of The Year, 1998; Head Coach Monroe County All Star Game 2000.

Vern H. Reed II

29 years of coaching: Bellaire H.S., Hale H.S. In 1983 Vern was honored with a "Coach Reed Day" by the community of Hale. Record: 126 wins, 117 losses.

Roger Smith

23 years of coaching: Mendon H.S., Three Rivers H.S., Vicksburg H.S., Hillsdale H.S., North Adams H.S., Onkama H.S. Record: 149 wins, 74 losses. Regional Coach of The Year 1982, 83, 87, 88; MHSFCA Class D Coach of The Year 1982 and 1983.

John Stark

29 years of coaching: Kent City H.S., Comstock Park H.S., Cedar Springs H.S., Belding H.S., Forest Hills Northern H.S. Record: 153 wins, 124 losses. MHSFCA Director 1980-1986, Scholastic Coach Bronze Award 1986. Gatorade 25 Year Award, MHSFCA Assistant Coach of The Year 1994.

Nick Thompson

32 years of coaching: Detroit Osborn H.S., Grosse Pointe North H.S. Record: 184 wins, 104 losses. Free Press Metro Detroit Coach of The Year 1980, 1986; MHSFCA Assistant Coach of The Year 1993.

Carl Treutler

30 years of coaching: All at Grand Haven H.S. Record: 116 wins, 149 losses. MHSFCA Assistant Coach of The Year 1992. MHSFCA 30 Year Service Award, 2000.

Bill Tucker

34 years of coaching: Flint St. Agnes H.S., Powers Catholic H.S., Carman Ainsworth H.S. Record: 211 wins, 101 losses. Regional Coach of The Year 1979, 80, 83, 92, 93. U.P.I. Coach of The Year 1981. M.H.S.F.C.A. Board of Directors 1979-95. MHSFCA President 1995. Head Coach West All Stars 1984.

Paul J. Verska

34 years of coaching: Mt. Pleasant Sacred Heart H.S., Detroit Servite H.S., Barton Jr. High, Berkley H.S., Lincoln Alcona H.S., Allegan H.S., Gabriel Richard H.S., Cadillac H.S., Ann Arbor Huron H.S. Record: 166 wins, 152 losses. Catholic League Athletic Director of The Year 1983, Class D Catholic League Coach of The Year 1984, U.P.I. Class B Special Mention Coach of The Year 1989, Regional Coach of The Year 1997, State Championship Runner-Up AA 1997, City Champs Ann Arbor 1992, 94, 96, 97, 00.

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Chuck Miller, Vandercook Lake	84
Richard L. Moffit, Corunna	96

Ray Monte, Ionia	87
Tom Moshimer, Plymouth Salem	85
Ike Muhlenkamp, St Joseph	82
Fred Mushinski, Bishop Borgess	90

N

John Neumann, Mancelona	98
James Newell, Hopkins	00
Jack Newingham, Farwell	98
Wayne Nix, Tecumseh	89
Nels Northup, Gladwin	99

O

Mark O'Donnell, Ovid Elsie	83
James O'Leary, North Farmington	94
Jim Ooley, Traverse City	82
John Osborne, Novi	89
Tom Overholser, Ida	90

P

Art Paddy, Ortonville	83
Gerald Page, Thornapple Kellogg	95
Raymond Page, Middleville	96
Paul Pagel, Romeo	94
Alan Parker, Howard City Tri County	98
Roger Parmentier, St. Clair	89
Doug Parshall, Portland	90
Mike Pascuzzi, Wyandotte	87
Ron Pascuzzi, Lincoln Park	85
Paul Pfahler, Boyne City	85
Harley Pierce, Sturgis	83
Steven Piersma, Zeeland	96
Jack Piotter, East Lansing	86
Jerry Planutis, Bridgman	89
Harry Potter, Muskegon	84
Jack Pratt, Flint Kearsley	87
George Pratt, Bellaire	95
James W. Pretzlaff, Standish-Sterling	00

Q

Larry Quellman, Oscoda	83
Al Quick, Midland Dow	85
Jack Quinlan, Marysville	97

R

Mike Raczkowski, Jackson	84
Fred Rademacher, Flint Powers	82
Dick Rafferty, Constantine	94
Bill Rankin, Birmingham Groves	84
John Rapacz, Kalamazoo Hackett	84
Jack Reardon, Livonia Stevenson	85
Leo Redmond, Muskegon	83
Tom Reed, Alma	96
James Reynolds, Martin Luther King	96
Jon Rice, Grosse Pointe South	95
Don A. Riehl, Redford Thurston	91
Thomas E. Rinna, Melvindale	91
Andy Rio, Renaissance	00
Chuck Ritter, Ann Arbor Pioneer	83
Pierce Roberts, Battle Creek	86
Terry Rose, Stevensville Lakeshore	86
Bob Royer, Portage Central	96
Larry Rueger, Muskegon Mona Shores	95
Ed Rutherford, Detroit Denby	85
Richard W. Ryan, Henry Ford Com Coll	91
Ray Rynberg, Grant	86

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George Sahadi, Bishop Gallagher	95
Bob Sallow, Farmington Harrison	93
Chuck Salvano, St. Joseph	94
Joe Sanderson, Monroe St. Mary's Catholic	97
Gilbert Saucedo, Lansing Eastern	93
Dale Sawicki, Melvindale	86
Terry Sayen, Munising	97
Tom Saylor, Hudson	91
Bob Scheloske, South Lyon	96
Marv Schneider, White Pigeon	94
Bob Schroeder, Mt. Clemens Chippewa Valley	99
Dutch Schrottenboer, Alpena	82
Jack Schugars, Muskegon Oakridge	93
Ed Shadford, Ypsilanti	00
Robert Sclater, Taylor	90
John Seckinger, Mt. Morris	93
David Secord, Merrill	90
Larry Sellers, Traverse City St. Francis	94
Tom Seroczynski, North Muskegon	82
Ed Shadford, Ypsilanti	84
Robert W. Shippy, Lutheran East	89
Pat Sieszputowski, Riverview Gabriel Richard	00
Irv Sigler, Cheboygan	89
Al Sigman, Flint Northern	84
Don Silvi, Royal Oak Shrine	95
Roger Siwajek, Fraser	00
Mel Skillman, Saginaw MacArthur	85
Chuck Skinner, Birmingham Seaholm	84
Don Smeznik, North Branch	86
William H. Smiley, Sturgis	89
Jeff Smith, East Lansing	82
Thomas Smith, Flint St. Michaels	86
Jerry Snyder, East Jackson	95
Jack Sohn, Riverview	97
Dick Soisson, Kalamazoo Hackett	83
Steve Sonoga, Jackson	82
Ted Sowle, Grand Rapids C.C.	83
Charle Spann, Chadsey	00
Steve Spicer, Fowler	88
Dick Stephens, Battle Creek Central	87
Jim Stevenson, Marcellus	97
Bob Stoppert, Midland	83
Jim Stout, Detroit Denby	83

Jack Streidl, Plainwell	83
Robert Sullivan, Coleman	95
Jim Sullivan, Flint Powers	96
Frank Sumner III, Grosse Pointe North	98
Robert Sutter, Farmington Harrison	90
Steve Sventko, Tawas	84

T

James Taylor, Onkama	88
Ralph Temby, North Farmington	86
Paul Temerian, Royal Oak Kimbal	83
Calvin Terhaar, Davison	98
Woodrow Thomas, Detroit Central	95
Chuck Thompson, East Grand Rapids	91
Ron Thompson, DePorres	95
Jay Tissot, Grosse Ile	88
Roger Tompkins, Traverse City	91
Jim Trumble, Alma	95
Tom Truscott, Lansing	86
Bill Tucker, Flint Powers	00
Dennis Tuomi, Lutheran West	83
Vito F. Tuteria, Saginaw	88
Leonard Tyler, Au Gres	95

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Richard D. Ulrich, Rochester	91
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V

Rudy Valesano, Crystal Falls	88
Michael Van Dam, Rochester	00
Jim Van Paris, Reese	91
Garrett Veld, Kalamazoo	91
Jim Venia, Marysville	94
Don VerDuin, East Grand Rapids	86
Jack VerDuin, Wyoming Park	82
Armand Vigna, Livonia Franklin	91

W

Duane D. Wagberg, Manistee	91
Jim Waldo, Marlette	86

Bob Wallace, Hemlock	91
Roy Garth Walters, Middleville	88
Jack Ward, Lake Michigan Catholic	93
Ron Warner, Lake Linden-Hubbell	93
James Watkins, Imlay City	94
Rex Weaver, Hopkins	98
Frank Weeber, River Rouge	83
Ed "Bud" Weede, Niles	89
Ralph James Weddle, Lv Clarenceville	89
Donald Weichert, Chippewa Valley	91
Pat West, White Pigeon	96
Jim Weston, Farmington Harrison	99
Ron Wetherbee, Holland West Ottawa	96
Robert White, Middleville	83
Jim Whiteside, Trenton	87
Loren Willey, Flushing	87
Bill Wilson, Laingsburg	87
Tom Wilson, Ann Arbor Huron	90
Wes Wishart, Belleville	98
John Witkowski, Farmington Hills Harrison	96
Robert Wolcott, Portland St. Patrick	84
Fritz Wolff, Goodrich	94
Joe Wood, Portage Northern	90
Dave Woodcock, Jenison	86
Pete Woods, Port Huron Northern	91
Ed Wuestenberg, Armada	87
Nicholas Wurmlinger, Southgate Schafer	97
Robert Wyman, Kalamazoo Christian	87
Walt Wyniemo, Waterford Mott	99

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Robert Yauck, Dearborn Heights Robichaud	98
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Z

Dennis Zbozen, Romeo	96
Jeff Zonyk, Three Rivers	97
Ben Zukowski, Warren Woods Tower	97
Al Zyskowski, East Grand Rapids	90

Michigan High School Football Season and Career Records Through 2000

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Team Point Scoring

Game

216 Muskegon 216, Hastings 0, 28 Sep 1912

Season (minimum 500)

774 Muskegon Orchard View, 1999, (13-1-0), 55.3 per game average
 642 Gaylord St. Mary, 1999, (13-1-0), 45.9 per game average
 607 Battle Creek Pennfield, 1992, (11-1-0), 50.6 per game average
 601 Traverse City St. Francis, 1999, (13-1-0), 42.9 per game average
 597 Farmington Hills Harrison, 2000, (14-0-0), 42.6 per game average
 590 Dowagiac Union, 1990, (12-1-0), 45.4 per game average
 571 Frankfort, 1990, (13-0-0), 43.9 per game ave.
 564 Pittsford, 1996, (12-1-0), 43.4 per game ave.
 558 Whitmore-Prescott, 2000 (14-0-0), 39.9 per game ave.
 554 Muskegon Orchard View, 1998, (10-1-0), 50.4 per game ave.
 546 Hartford, 1993, (13-0-0), 42.0 per game ave.
 542 Frankfort, 1992, (11-2-0), 41.7 per game ave.
 537 Farmington Hills Harrison, 1988, (13-0-0), 41.3 per game ave.
 536 Johannesburg-Lewiston, 1998, (11-1-0), 44.7 per game ave.
 526 Belding, 1994, (13-0-0), 40.5 per game ave.
 524 Coopersville, 2000, (13-1-0) 37.4 per game ave.
 522 Belding, 1997, (13-0-0), 40.2 per game ave.
 520 Montrose, 1994, (11-1-0), 43.3 per game ave.
 518 Gaylord St. Mary, 2000, (11-1-0), 43.2 per game ave.
 517 Lake Linden-Hubbell, 1992, (13-0-0), 39.8 per game ave.
 517 Sand Creek, 1992, (12-1-0), 39.8 per game ave.
 514 Morenci, 1949, (9-0-0), 57.1 per game ave., also unscored upon.
 507 Ortonville Brandon, 1997, (10-1-0), 46.1 per game ave.
 501 Lansing Central, 1918, (8-0-0), 62.6 per game ave.

Season - Average Score

62.6 Lansing Central, 1918 (8-0-0), 501 points, Coach Ernest Shassberger
 62.4 Muskegon, 1912 (7-1-0), 499 points, Coach Louis Gudelsky
 61.3 Lansing Central, 1917 (7-0-1), 490 points, Coach Ernest Shassberger
 57.1 Morenci, 1949 (9-0-0), 514 points, Coach Bob Slovak
 55.3 Muskegon Orchard View, 1999, (13-1-0), 774 points
 54.4 Frankenmuth, 1966, (8-0-0), 435 points
 50.8 Menominee, 1929 (8-0-0), 407 points, Coach Bernard McCann
 50.6 Battle Creek Pennfield, 1992 (11-1-0), 607 points, Coach Dave Hudson
 50.4 Muskegon Orchard View, 1998, (10-1-0), 554 points, Coach John Shillito
 49.2 Saginaw Arthur Hill, 1973 (9-0-0), 443 points, Coach George Ihler
 48.1 Hamtramck, 1959 (8-0-0), 385 points, Coach Art May
 47.5 Lake Odessa, 1919 (8-0-0), 380 points, Coach Ervin Howard

Balanced Scoring

(minimum 100 loser scoring at least 40 points)

129 Wyoming Godwin Heights 65, Hamilton 64, (2 overtimes), 1989
 113 Clarkston 57, Macomb Dakota 56 (4OT) (D1 District Final) (1999)
 107 Imlay City 67, Macomb Dakota 40, September 5, 1997
 106 Flint Northern 54, Bay City Western 52, (2 overtimes), September 22, 1995
 104 Grandville 62, Holland West Ottawa, 42, 1994
 104 Monroe 63, Wyandotte, 41 (9/11/98)
 104 Monroe 54, Adrian 50 (10/30/98)
 104 Manistee 63, Muskegon Heights 41 (9/17/99)
 103 Sand Creek 55, Britton 48, 1989
 102 Haslett 54, Laingsburg 48, (4 overtimes) 1991
 102 Livonia Stevenson 54, Plymouth Salem 48 (9/22/00)
 102 Algonac 52, Imlay City 50 (10/4/96)
 102 Bellaire 54, Onaway 48, (1 OT) (10/10/97)
 102 Hudson 54, Onsted 48 (10/1/99)
 101 Grand Blanc 51, Flint Beecher 50, 1979
 101 Climax-Scotts 54, Colon 47 (9/17/99)
 101 East Kentwood 61, Grand Rapids Ottawa Hills 40 (8/25/00)
 100 East Kentwood 57, Grandville 43, 1987
 100 Mesick 54, Lake City 46 (3OT) (9/11/98)

Playoff Two Team Balanced Scoring

Loser scoring at least 40 points

92 Britton Macon 52, Peck 40, Class D Pre-regionals, 1990
 91 Belding 50, Detroit Country Day 41, Class B Finals, 1994

Victories

All Time

647 Muskegon (1895-1999) (647-241-43)
 605 Ann Arbor High/Pioneer (1891, 1898-1999) (605-249-41)
 536 Escanaba (1897-1999) (536-239-37)
 530 Traverse City Central (1896-1999) (530-258-50)
 507 Battle Creek Central (1893-1999) (507-347-48)
 487 Menominee (1894-1999) (487-250-40)
 452 Kalamazoo Central (1893-1999) (452-424-48)
 434 Cadillac, 1896-1999 (434-291-50)
 420 Bay City Central (1922-1999) (420-245-31)

Most Consecutive Victories No Ties

72 Hudson (9/20/68 - 11/22/75)
 44 Morenci, ended in 1953
 43 Cheboygan, ended in 1982

Most Consecutive Winning Seasons

35 Marysville (1965-99)
 28 Muskegon (1919-46)
 24 Detroit Catholic Central (1976-99)
 24 Cheboygan (1976-99)
 23 Battle Creek Pennfield (1974-96)
 21 Farmington Hills Harrison (1970-90)
 21 East Grand Rapids (1970-90)

Ties

Highest Scoring Tie Game

40-40 Grand Rapids Ottawa Hills vs Grand Rapids Union, 1950 Season

Season

4 Muskegon Heights (1938) (9)
 4 Madison Heights Madison (1946) (8 games)

Consecutive Ties

3 Muskegon Heights (1938)
 3 Madison Heights Madison (1946)

Overtimes

Most Overtime Periods One Game

9 Detroit Southeastern 42 vs Detroit Northeastern 36, 23 Sep 77. Regulation game score was 8-8 (after 3:43 elapsed time).
 6 Gobles 26, Saugatuck 20 (1974)
 6 Marquette 42, Gwinn 36 (1981)
 6 Ortonville 20, Hartland 14 (1973)

Most Overtime Games One Season

5 Lake Linden-Hubbell, 1976, One of two overtimes, four each of one overtime.

Most Overtime Periods One

Season

11 Waldron, 1979
 One game each of 5, 3, 2 and one overtime.

Most Consecutive Overtime Games

4 Detroit Central, 1983
 3 of 2 overtimes each, then one of one OT

Highest Scoring Overtime Games

129 Wyoming Godwin Heights 65 vs Hamilton 64, 1989 (2 OTs)
 113 Clarkston 57, Macomb Dakota 56 (4OT) (D1 District Final) (1999)
 106 Flint Northern 54 vs Bay City Western 52, 22 Sep 95 (2 OTs)
 102 Haslett 54 vs Laingsburg 48, 1991 (4 OTs)

Field goals

Longest

59 Doug Kochanski, Warren Woods-Tower 3 vs Marine City 49, 10/28/94
 58 John Langeloh, Utica 3 vs Sterling Heights 14, at Sterling Heights, 9/13/85
 55 Harold Moore, Dearborn vs Plymouth, 1979
 55 Mike Prindle, Grand Rapids Union 16, Muskegon 13, at Grand Rapids, 10/31/80
 55 Bob Hirschman, Sterling Heights Ford vs Mt Clemens Chippewa Valley, 1980
 55 Dave Blackmer, Farmington Hills Harrison vs Farmington, October 17, 1981
 54 Derrick Underwood, Ecorse vs Inkster, 1976
 54 John Alberison, Portage Northern 3 vs Marshall 9, 5/9/87
 54 Eric Oke, Eastpointe 17 vs Warren Cousino 6, 10/30/92
 53 Dennis Nicholl, Utica Eisenhower vs Warren Woods Tower, 1985

Game

6 Scott Barriger, Whitmore-Prescott, vs. Ecorse (6 of 7) (36, 32, 25, 29, 39, 23) (10/7/00)
 4 Ron Rich, Belleville vs. ??, September 17, 1982
 4 Fabien Dhulst, Whitmore-Prescott vs Arenac Eastern, October 28, 1989
 4 Mike Whelan, Grosse Pointe Woods University Liggett vs Rochester Hills Lutheran Northwest, October 19, 1990
 4 Bret Seltzer, Ann Arbor Huron vs Ann Arbor Pioneer, October 28, 1994
 4 Scott Visser, Montrose, vs. Lake Fenton, October 3, 1997

- 4 Kevin Gerback, Birmingham Brother Rice vs. East Kentwood (31, 24, 29, 32) (9/6/98)

Season

- 16/23 Dave Blackmer, Farmington Hills Harrison, 1982 (12 of 18 regular season)
 15/22 Anthony Bean, Rochester Adams, 1998, (11)
 12/20 Mark Spring, Ann Arbor Pioneer, 1991.
 12/21 Dave Schaefer, Birmingham Seaholm, 1996.
 11/14 J.J. Danhof, Haslett, 2000.
 10/14 Tony Svaluto, Westland John Glenn, 1986
 10/15 Zoran Djordjevic, Sterling Heights, 1988.
 10/18 Chris Stanton, Midland, 1993.
 10/14 Aaron Quinn, Waterford Kettering, 1997.
 10/12 Toller Starnes, Utica Eisenhower, 1997.
 9/14 Levi Jarvi, Crystal Falls-Forest Park, 1999.
 9/11 Mike Whelan, Grosse Pointe Woods University Liggett, 1990.
 9/15 Mike Gillette, St. Joseph, 1983.

Career

- 27/43 Dave Blackmer, Farmington Hills Harrison, 1980-1982. (21 of 34 regular season)
 27/32 Mike Whelan, Grosse Pointe Woods University Liggett, 1988-1991.
 27/43 Dave Schaefer, Birmingham Seaholm, 94-96
 23/36 Anthony Bean, Rochester Adams, 1996-98.
 21/30 J.J. Danhof, Haslett, 1998-00
 19/32 Chris Stanton, Midland, 1991-1993
 18/28 Nick DeGraw, Clinton Township Chippewa Valley, 1996-1998
 17/25 Toller Starnes, Utica Eisenhower, 1995-1997

Career Coaching Victories

(minimum 200)

- 308 Leo "Smokey" Boyd, Saginaw Nouvel (1953, 1956-99; 308-116-4) Retired.
 304 Al Fracassa, Birmingham Brother Rice (1963-2000, 304-80-7), 13-1-0 in 2000
 300 Walt Braun, Marysville (1956-1998, 295-98-3) Retired.
 285 John Herrington, Farmington Hills Harrison (1970-2000, 285-58-1), 14-0-0 in 2000.
 273 Bill Maskill, Galesburg-Augusta (1951-91, 273-84-2) Retired.
 268 Jeff Smith, East Lansing (1966-99, 268-85-2), 10-4-0 in 2000.
 253 Jack Pratt, Flint Kearsley/Flint Powers Catholic (1958-76, 1980-99; 253-111-7), 12-1-0 in 2000.
 249 Mike Boyd, Waterford Our Lady of the Lakes (1965-68, 1970-99; 249-87-1), 11-2-0 in 2000.
 239 Richard Mettlach, Crystal Falls-Forest Park (1956-89, 239-73-6 - .761) Retired.
 238 George Barcheski, East Grand Rapids (1970-99, 238-533) Retired.
 235 Jack Ver Duin, Wyoming Park (1962-99, 235-116-6), 3-6-0 in 2000.
 233 Dick Soisson, Kalamazoo Hackett (1950-90, 233-124-7) Retired.
 231 Jack Castignola, Trenton (1948-51, 1953-85; 231-88-6) Deceased.
 231 Ike Muhlenkamp, St. Joseph (1965-99, 231-106-1), 2-7-0 in 2000.
 229 Ron Warner, Lake Linden-Hubbell (1972-99, 229-61-1), 9-2-0 in 2000.
 224 Larry Sellers, Traverse City St. Francis (1973-99, 224-56-0), 5-5-0 in 2000.
 221 Tom Mach, Detroit Catholic Central (1976-99, 221-46-0), 10-3-0 in 2000.
 220 Mel Skillman, Merrill (1963-99, 220-123-6), 10-1-0 in 2000.
 219 Tom Moshimer, Plymouth Salem (1959-99, 219-146-6), 2-7-0 in 2000.

- 219 Don Lessner, Riverview (1967-99, 219-99-1), 4-5-0 in 2000.
 216 Dick Koski, Negaunee (1964-66, 1968-99, 216-118-1), 5-5-0 in 2000.
 209 Oscar Johnson, Muskegon Heights/Baldwin (1927-63, 1979; 209-106-28) Deceased
 208 Bob Lantzy, Utica Eisenhower (1971-2000, 208-85-1), 13-1-0 in 2000.
 206 Glen "Dutch" Schrotenboer, St. Charles, Flint Central, Alpena, L.C. Bird High of Chesterfield, VA; 1963-1991, 206-82-3, 120-55-3 in Michigan) Deceased.
 205 Joe D'Angelo, Detroit Country Day (1968-98, 209-79-4) Retired
 205 Dave Woodcock, Jenison (1962-96, 205-84-0) Retired
 202 Art Paddy, Ortonville-Brandon (1946-51, 1957-77, 1981-86, 1994-96; 202-92-9) Retired.
 202 Jack Streidl, Plainwell (1946-50, 1953-84; 202-102-9)
 202 Ken Hofer, Menominee (1971-2000, 202-103-0), 6-4-0 in 2000.
 201 Rick Bye, Sterling Heights Stevenson (1975-2000, 201-62-0), 3-6-0 in 2000.
 201 Steve Spicer, Fowler (1971-95, 201-49-1) Deceased.

Appearances in MHSAA**Football Finals**

- 14 Farmington Hills Harrison (1976, 1981, 1982, 1987, 1988, 1989, 1991, 1993, 1994, 1996, 1997, 1998, 1999, 2000)
 10 Detroit St Martin dePorres (1978, 1981, 1982, 1983, 1984, 1988, 1990, 1992, 1995, 1996)
 9 Detroit Catholic Central (1979, 1987, 1988, 1990, 1991, 1992, 1995, 1997, 1998)
 8 Muskegon Catholic Central (1980, 1981, 1982, 1986, 1990, 1991, 1995, 2000)
 7 Birmingham Brother Rice (1977, 1980, 1983, 1990, 1991, 1999, 2000)
 7 Crystal Falls-Forest Park (1975, 1976, 1977, 1978, 1981, 1984, 2000)
 7 Mendon (1982, 1983, 1989, 1991, 1993, 1995, 1999)
 6 Fowler (1980, 1986, 1993, 1995, 1996, 1998)
 6 Lake Linden-Hubbell (1989, 1991, 1992, 1995, 1996, 1997)
 5 East Grand Rapids (1976, 1983, 1993, 1994, 1995)
 5 Frankfort (1988, 1990, 1991, 1992, 1993)
 5 Schoolcraft (1979, 1988, 1989, 1994, 2000)

MHSAA Championship Game**Team Records****Rushing Offense**

- 532 Detroit St. Martin dePorres vs. Crystal Falls-Forest Park, 1981 Class D (62 attempts)

Rushing Attempts

- 64 Crystal Falls-Forest Park vs. Flint Holy Rosary, 1977 Class D (175 yards)

Rushing Touchdowns

- 6 Orchard Lake St. Mary's vs. Iron River West Iron County, 1977 Class C
 6 Hartford vs. Onsted, 1993 Class CC
 6 Belding vs. Detroit Country Day, 1994 Class

B

Passing Offense

- 290 Whittmore-Prescott vs. Schoolcraft, 2000 Division 6 (16 of 30, 2 TDs, 1 interception)

Passing Attempts

- 36 Schoolcraft vs. Whittmore-Prescott, 2000 Division 6 (12 completions, 1 intercepted, 156 yards)

Passes Completed

- 18 Onsted vs. Hartford, 1993 Class CC (29 attempts, 257 yards)

Passes Had Intercepted

- 5 Lawrence vs. Frankfort, 1990 Class D

Total Offense

- 532 Detroit St. Martin dePorres vs. Crystal Falls-Forest Park, 1981 Class D (All Rushing)

First Downs

- 23 Hartford vs. Onsted, 1993 Class CC

Fumbles

- 9 Litchfield vs. Beal City, 1994 Class D (2 lost)

Fumbles Lost

- 4 Battle Creek Lakeview vs. East Grand Rapids, 1983 Class B
 4 Fowler vs. Saginaw Michigan Lutheran Seminary, 1986 Class D
 4 Schoolcraft vs. Norway, 1979 Class D
 4 Marion vs. Waterford Our Lady, 1990 Class DD
 4 Muskegon Reeths-Puffer vs. Walled Lake Western, 1992 Class A
 4 Constantine vs. Orchard Lake St. Mary's, 1994 Class CC

Yards Penalized

- 129 Farmington Hills Harrison vs. Grand Rapids Creston, 2000 Division 3 (7 penalties)

Rushing Defense

- (-32) Crystal Falls-Forest Park vs. Flint Holy Rosary, 1975 Class D

Passing Defense

- (-3) Flint Holy Rosary vs. Crystal Falls-Forest Park, 1976 Class D

Total Defense

- 46 Crystal Falls-Forest Park vs. Flint Holy Rosary, 1975 Class D (-32 Rushing, +78 Passing)

Most Points Scored - Team

- 50 Crystal Falls-Forest Park vs. Flint Holy Rosary (10), 1975 Class D
 50 Belding vs. Detroit Country Day (41), 1994 Class B

Most Points Scored - Two Teams

- 91 Belding (50) vs. Detroit Country Day (41), 1994 Class B

Fewest Points-Winning Team

- 3 Ann Arbor Pioneer vs. Detroit Catholic Central (0), 1987 Class A

Fewest Points-Two Teams

- 3 Ann Arbor Pioneer (3) vs. Detroit Catholic Central (0), 1987 Class A

Most Points-Quarter

- 31 Detroit Country Day vs. Belding 1994 Class B (2nd Qtr.)

Most Points-Half

- 42 Farmington Hills Harrison vs. East Lansing, 2000 Division 3 (1st Half)

A Simple Running Series From an Unbalanced Formation

By Kevin Wilson Region 2 Director

It has been said, "art imitates life." It has also been said, at least according to some T-shirts and hats, that "football is life." Therefore it would be logical to conclude that a connection exists between art and football. Using this connection, one of my former quarterbacks and assistant coaches at Grosse Ile High School, Mark Welsch, employed the art color spectrum to develop a simple running series from an unbalanced formation.

This system, aptly called our "Spectrum Series," employs the color spectrum, ROY G BIV (red, orange, yellow, green, blue indigo, and violet) to call a series of plays from the line of scrimmage out of our unbalanced formations (diagram 1). Being so close to Detroit we use a Motor City theme in naming our unbalanced formations. Ford products are used to identify formations unbalanced to the right, and GM products are used to identify formations unbalanced to the left. Personnel are flip flopped to keep it simple for the linemen in terms of identifying which holes will be on either side of them. Example, the short side guard is always the short side guard, and therefore only needs to remember the part of the spectrum to the short side of the formation. Holes along the line of scrimmage are identified by color, starting on the short side of the formation with R for red (diagram 2). The holes are identified beginning on the short side with red regardless of which way the formation is unbalanced.

The three basic plays of this series are the isolation (spectrum), the fullback dive (spectrum dive), and the isolation keeper (spectrum keeper) (diagram 3). All three plays are blocked the same with a simple zone blocking scheme. The Quarterback calls one of the three plays in the huddle. At the line of scrimmage the QB then has the option to call the hole we will run, using the colors of the spectrum, depending on how our opponent adjusts to our unbalanced formation. The colors of the spectrum are also a part of our regular cadence, therefore, helping to disguise our calls at the line.

This simple series of plays has been especially effective for us in first down, short yardage, and goal line situations. Over the years we have added other plays; the fullback trap, tailback trap, play action passes, and three-step drop passes. But the heart of this series has always been the three initial plays, spectrum, spectrum dive, and spectrum keeper. I encourage you to experiment with this series. It is a simple way to force your opponent to prepare for something unusual and to take the defense out of their normal alignment, and therefore, out of their comfort zone.

Diagram 1 – Unbalanced Formations

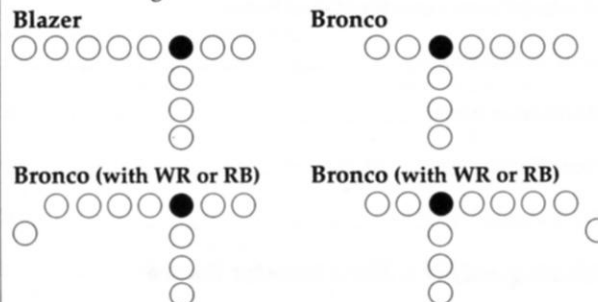


Diagram 2 – Roy G BIV

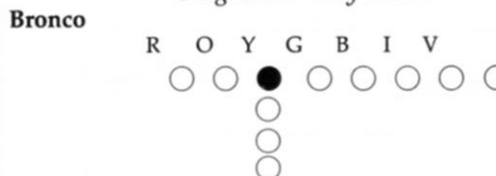
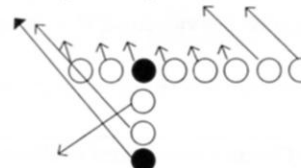
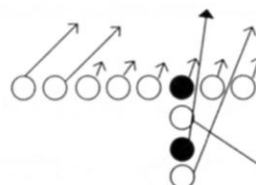


Diagram 3 – The Plays

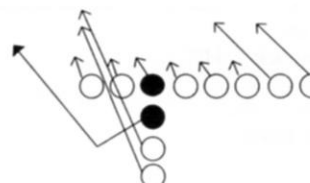
Bronco/Spectrum (red call)



Blazer/Spectrum (yellow call)



Bronco/Spectrum (orange call)



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Coaching and/or Athletic Director Record

School	Sport	Years	Won	Lost
_____	_____	19____-19____	_____	_____
_____	_____	19____-19____	_____	_____
_____	_____	19____-19____	_____	_____
_____	_____	19____-19____	_____	_____

Number of years as a coach _____ Number of years as a coach and/or athletic director _____

Total number of years of service in secondary school athletics as a coach and/or athletic director _____

Service to community: (Service clubs, church organizations, etc.) _____

Service to State: (Coaches associations or athletic associations, i.e. MHSFCA, MHSAA, etc.) _____

Coaching honors: _____

Recommendations: please forward letters and photo with the application form: (Please check)

Superintendent _____ Principal _____ Athletic Director _____ Church _____ Mayor _____ Other _____

Nominator's name, address, phone: _____

Please return to:

Dan McShannock, MHSCA
H.H. Dow High School
3901 N. Saginaw Rd.
Midland, MI 48640

Current Membership Card No. _____

Year: _____

From the MHSCA's Executive Vice President, Jack Johnson

MHSCA/Gatorade 15/20/25/30/35/40/45 Year Coaching Service Award Certificates

General Requirements

- Must have distinguished himself/herself with good coaching ethics and promoted good sportsmanship throughout his/her coaching career
- May use up to ten years coaching outside Michigan
- May use both years as head coach and assistant
- May combine sports coached but may not count more than one sport any school year
- May use years at the varsity, junior varsity, or junior high/middle school level
- May apply for certificate in more than one sport if you qualify for the number of years in each sport

Specific requirements

- To receive a 15/20/25/30/35/40 year certificate/plaque in a specific sport you must have been a coach in that particular sport for that number of years at any level
- To receive a 15/20/25/30/35/40 year certificate/plaque in for coaching sports in general you must have been coaching at least one sport per year for that number of years at any level

Procedure for receiving certificate

- Complete the application form and mail/Fax to:
Mr. Jack Johnson, Executive Director
MHSCA
35445 Hathaway
Livonia, MI 48150-2513
Fax: 734-762-9957

MHSCA Application for Year Coaching Award

☐ 15 ☐ 20 ☐ 25 ☐ 30 ☐ 35 ☐ 40 ☐ 45

Name _____ School _____

Address _____ Address _____

City _____ Zip _____ City _____ Zip _____

Years of Coaching (List Sport, Level, Years) (Example: Boys golf, Varsity, 20 years 1978-1997) – Use back of page if necessary.

Signature of Coach _____

Signature of AD or Principal _____

Completed form to:

Mr. Jack Johnson, Executive Director, MHSCA, 35445 Hathaway, Livonia, MI 48150-251 • Fax: 734-762-9957

*Coaching Award Program sponsored by Gatorade – The Official Thirst Quencher
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- Completed certificates/plaques will be sent to the President of your sport's association for his/her signature and then they will be mailed to you. This process may take time, so be patient.
- Plaques will be done twice a year – Late Fall/Late Spring

PLACEMENT BULLETIN JOBS AVAILABLE INFORMATION

If you would like to receive the MHSCA Placement Bulletin twice monthly from January-June please return the form below.

Name _____

Street Address _____

City _____ Zip _____ Phone _____

VACANCY NOTIFICATION FORM

If you have an opening on your staff please fill in the following form and return

School Name _____

Street Address _____

City _____ Zip _____ Phone _____

Position(s) Available _____

Qualifications _____

Person to contact _____

Send (resume, credentials, etc.) _____

Deadline for Application _____

Return to:

Bobby Vaught
6065 Montcalm
Greenville, MI 48838
email: football@pathwaynet.com

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Riverview High School
12431 Longsdorf
Riverview, MI 48192

☐ Superintendent
☐ Assist. Principal
☐ Athletic Director

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FOOTBALL COACHES' ASSOCIATION
Don Lessner, Executive Director
2903 Riverside
Trenton, Michigan 48183

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LIFETIME MEMBERSHIP

Send to: Mr. Jim Clawson
Membership Chairman
21681 Thorofare
Grosse Ile, MI 48138

Lifetime Membership Fee \$100

Name _____

Home Address (Street) _____

(City, State ZIP) _____

Home Phone _____

School Where Last Coached _____

Total Years Football Coaching _____

Qualifications • You must meet all THREE!

1. Coached football for twenty years at any level. 2. Previously were a MHSFCA Member.
3. Retired from coaching. 4. Pay a one-time fee of \$100

MEMBERSHIP APPLICATION FORM 2001-2002



Send to: Mr. Jim Clawson
Membership Chairman
21681 Thorofare
Grosse Ile, MI 48138

☐ Joint MHSFCA/MHSCA/NHSCA (\$20) ☐ No longer coaching

Name _____

School _____

School Address (Street, City) _____

Position _____ Total Years Coaching _____

Home Address (Street) _____

(City, State ZIP) _____

Home Phone _____

Membership runs September - August

Battle Creek Clinic Registration 2001 includes membership for 2001-2002