

PAMPA HIGH SCHOOL HALL OF FAME HISTORY AND CRITERIA

History:

The Pampa High School Hall of Fame began when the Class of 1996 discussed the need for a Hall of Fame to honor distinguished alumni. After several meetings, it was decided that a project of this magnitude would take research and planning.

With the help of the Class of 1997, and the guidance of Dr. Dawson Orr, then Superintendent of Schools, and Mrs. Ramona Hite, then PISD Administrator, in 1997 The Harvester Hall of Fame was born.

After researching area schools, the following criteria were determined:

Criteria:

The first year of 1997: induct five people plus one posthumous; the second year of 1998: induct five more; the third year 1999, induct three; and each year thereafter beginning with year of 2000 induct two.

The inductee:

- must have graduated **at least 10 years** ago
- must be successful for a **number of years** in their chosen field
- must be an **excellent citizen in their community** or a community leader - - a person exemplifying the Harvester Spirit in their life (community, success, loyalty)
- must be **present** at the Hall of Fame Assembly and give a motivational speech to the student body. (if the person selected first cannot attend, number two/three would be invited and inducted and number one would remain in the nominee pool for the following year)
- must submit one 8 x 10 color photograph, and four color billfold size photographs along with a one-page biographical sketch.
- must receive a written release from the photographer of their official pictures for the Hall of Fame stating the Pampa High School Hall of Fame has permission to print their photograph in programs, newspapers, the local Focus Magazine, PHS yearbook, and on the internet Hall of Fame web site.

Selection Committee:

PHS Principal or designee
PHS Student Council sponsor or designee
PHS Student Body President
PHS senior student
PHS junior student
Two PHS alumni

Nomination materials will be given to each member individually to review and cast their ballot. Nomination materials should not be duplicated or publicly shared, and committee members should not concur with each other.

Ballots will be returned in a sealed envelope to the Hall of Fame Coordinator, who will tally the votes. All committee member names will remain confidential.

