



## ***Eastern Hancock High School Distinguished Alumni Hall of Fame***

The Eastern Hancock High School Distinguished Alumni Hall of Fame was founded to recognize and celebrate the positive accomplishments and contributions of Eastern Hancock High School alumni. Graduates of Eastern Hancock as well as Charlottesville, Westland, and Wilkinson High Schools are all eligible for consideration.

It is the purpose of the Alumni Hall of Fame to recognize such individuals who have through their performance, conduct, and achievement, brought credit and honor to themselves and Eastern Hancock High School. Their public example will hopefully serve to inspire future graduates to perform and serve in the same spirit

Honorees will be recognized for outstanding achievement in their chosen field, leadership, the arts, and volunteer/community service. Nominees with outstanding records of achievement deserving of special recognition are eligible.

### **Areas of Consideration**

- **Achievement** - Alumni at Eastern Hancock High School whose distinguished actions have led to outstanding recognition in their chosen vocation on a local, national or international level are eligible.
- **Leadership** - Alumni at Eastern Hancock High School whose leadership has led to outstanding recognition in their vocation or another area of expertise or outside interest on a local, national or international level are eligible.
- **Arts** – Alumni at Eastern Hancock High School who have established an outstanding record of achievement in the visual or performing arts on a local, national or international level that would make them deserving of special recognition are eligible.
- **Volunteer/Community Service** - Alumni at Eastern Hancock High School whose actions and/or achievements may not be categorized in the above, but are deserving of such recognition and honor.

## **Criteria for Selection**

To be eligible for selection, individuals must have graduated from Eastern Hancock (or Charlottesville, Westland, and Wilkinson High Schools) at least ten years prior to nomination. Individuals meeting this criteria that are deceased are also eligible.

The recipient has been recognized for a high level of achievement in his/her field and made significant contributions to that field at the state, national, and/or international levels.

The recipient has demonstrated leadership, character, and service in a variety of venues from his/her field of expertise to community, state, and national initiatives.

A person(s) whose leadership can inspire students in the pursuit of excellence.

If a nominee is not elected to membership, they are removed from the list. However, the same individual can be nominated again for consideration in any future nomination year.

## **Hall of Fame Yearly Timeline**

- Nomination forms will be released by October 1st prior to the induction year.
- Nominations are due by January 15 of the induction year.
- Review committee selects inductees no later than March 1 of the induction year.

## **Hall of Fame Review Committee**

Hall of Fame Review committee members will always remain anonymous but make up a cross section of Eastern Hancock High School alumni, retirees and community members. The committee will always be composed of a minimum of five members to a maximum of 7, with seats to be filled on an as-needed basis.

## **Hall of Fame Induction**

Held at a public reception and awards ceremony in the spring of each school year.

Each inductee receives a personalized Hall of Fame award, with permanent recognition of the members of each HOF class to be prominently displayed at the high school.