

GUIDELINES FOR SELECTION COMMITTEE

Criteria for Nomination and Selection to South Dakota High School Basketball Hall of Fame

Candidate must be out of high school at least 15 years to be eligible

Criteria Pre 1955:

1. Played on a State Tournament team
 - a. Won a State Championship and undefeated team
 - b. Named to All-Tournament team
 - c. Played in a Region Tournament
2. Played in a National Tournament
3. Starter on a SDHSBHOF Team of Excellence
4. Season and Career Statistics that set school or conference records or made Top 10 State High School Records
 - a. Totals or averages for points, rebounds, assists, steals, field goals, free throws
 - b. Percentages for field goals, free throws
 - c. Single game highs

Criteria 1955 - 1985 (Two class system and start of All-State teams. Girls competition started 1975):

1. All-State First Team
2. Team accomplishments
 - a. Played on SD Prep Team of the Year
 - b. Played in State Tournament
 - c. Won a State Championship
 - d. Named to All-State Tournament team
 - e. Played on SDHSBHOF Team of Excellence
3. Season and Career Statistics that set school or conference records or made Top 10 State High School Records

- a. Totals or averages for points, rebounds, assists, steals, field goals, free throws
- b. Percentages for field goals, free throws
- c. Single game highs

Criteria 1986 – Present (Start of current 3-class system):

1. All-State First Team
2. Team accomplishments
 - a. Played on SD Prep Team of the Year
 - b. Played in State Tournament
 - c. Won a State Championship
 - d. Named to All-State Tournament team
 - e. Played on SDHSBHOF Team of Excellence
3. Any selection as All-American, Player of the Year, Ms. or Mr. Basketball, Combined class All-State team
4. Season and Career Statistics that set school or conference records or made Top 10 State High School Records
 - a. Totals or averages for points, rebounds, assists, steals, field goals, free throws
 - b. Percentages for field goals, free throws
 - c. Single game highs

* In addition, a nominee's candidacy may be further supported by the following:

1. Evidence of a successful college and/or professional basketball career
2. Selection to State-wide All-Star games
 - SDBCA/SDHSAA – Aberdeen
 - 3-Class Shootout – Salem
 - NE – SD All Star Games – Yankton
 - Black Hills All Star Game – Spearfish
 - Sanford SD All Star Games – Sioux Falls
3. Evidence of a successful occupational career
4. Evidence of recognition for contributions to community, state, or nation

Criteria for Selection as a Team of Excellence:

1. SD Prep Team of the Year
2. Team Record
 - Undeclared Season
 - Consecutive Wins
 - Overall Record/Winning Percentage
3. Won a State Championship
4. Participated in a National Tournament and their finish

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