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LASSITER TO INDUCT NEW MEMBERS TO ATHLETIC HALL OF FAME

MARIETTA (January 2014) — The Lassiter High School Athletic Hall of Fame instated four new members on January 21st during halftime of the varsity boys region basketball game against Cherokee.

The new members include four former Lassiter coaches: Steve Day, Ed Hutcherson, Neil Bloom, and the late Frank Fillmann Jr. These new inductees will join an impressive group of 12 current Hall of Famers. The inductees were selected for their success while at Lassiter and the lasting impact they made in the community.

Day, a former Cobb County Coach of the year, was the head wrestling coach for 31 years winning 10 region championships. Beginning with the inaugural season, Day also coached girls' golf for 12 years winning a state championship and three region championships. Both a teacher of the year and a state coach of the year, Bloom, won one state championship and three region championships during his 15-years tenure as the head boys' soccer coach. In 2010 Hutcherson was inducted into the Georgia Track and Cross Country Coaches Hall of Fame for bringing home 20 cross country region championship, 16 track and field region championships and originating stage races. The late Fillmann, in addition to being an administrator and athletic director, was instrumental in getting the football stadium built, what is now known as the "Frank Fillmann Stadium" a.k.a. "The Frank."

The Sports Information Department is hosting the induction ceremony and prior to the event the inductees and their guests will enjoy a nice dinner in the Trojan House. Current hall of fame members are expected to attend as well as the Lassiter administration and student body.

About Lassiter Athletics:

Since 1981, Lassiter High School has won 28 state championships in Georgia High School Association-sanctioned sports. Above all else, the athletics program believes in promoting scholarly student athletes. More than wins, the program focuses on the character of the players, coaches, and community. The entire Lassiter athletics community is bound together by common goals, determination, perseverance, and teamwork. For updates on Lassiter athletics schedules, scores, and insider information follow @LassiterSports on Twitter.

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