



PRA Hall of Fame Nomination

Thank you for your interest in the Pennsylvania State Racquetball Association Hall of Fame recognition program. The follow information describes the requirements and process involved with nomination and acceptance in to the PRA Hall of Fame. At any time if you have questions or need assistance in completing this nomination process, please don't hesitate to contact any board member for assistance.

The more complete the form and the more clear and substantiated supporting information included with the nomination will allow the nominating committee and the board to make their determinations fairly and quickly.

PRA Board

Procedures for Nomination

1. Deadline for submission is **December 1st**, to be considered for the current year's award.
2. Any current member of the PSRA shall have the opportunity to nominate an individual, *including themselves*, for Hall of Fame consideration.
3. The nominating person must submit a nomination form, along with the appropriate documentation. This would include detailed information on the nominee's racquetball career and background. Include any newspaper and/or magazine articles, testimonials or other relevant information. If requested, the nominee may have to provide proof for a specific item on the nomination form.
4. A candidate nominated, but rejected for three consecutive years, will not be considered for nomination again for a minimum of two years.
5. Nomination form, along with any supporting documentation, is to be submitted to the current Nominating Committee chairperson or current PRA President.

Criteria for Nomination

1. Minimum age for induction will be 35 years as of date of induction at PSRA State Singles Tournament.
2. Only one person shall be inducted for a calendar year.
3. Playing accomplishments must have occurred during amateur play
4. Nominee must have been involved in racquetball on a local, state, regional, or national level for a minimum of eight years from the time they became a USRA member or Pennsylvania resident. The person must have maintained their membership during these years.
5. In the case of special circumstances-(death, career ending injury, or illness) a person may still be eligible for nomination even though the eight year rule has not been met. Individual qualifications may be waived by unanimous consent of the voting board if this warrants consideration.
6. Playing accomplishments at the State, Regional, and National levels.
7. Teaching, coaching, innovations.
8. Promotion of the game. Administration, representation, or working for the good of the game.

Voting Process

1. The deadline for submitting nominations must be postmarked by December 1st for consideration for the current year.
2. All nominations will be reviewed by the Hall of Fame committee, which shall consist of one or more current PSRA Board members, a past Hall of Fame inductee, and anyone deemed knowledgeable on the sport. The Hall of Fame committee will select and recommend candidates to the voting board.
3. The selected candidates' resumes' and an official ballot will be distributed to the voting committee. The ballots will be returned by mail or e-mail by February 1.
4. A minimum of 50% of the distributed ballots must be returned. A candidate must receive 75% of the votes to be inducted. The voting board will have the discretion to waive the 75% requirement by a 100% vote of the voting board. In case of a tie among candidates, the president of the PSRA shall be the deciding vote.
5. A nominee on the PSRA board cannot be part of the voting board. The president of the PSRA shall not be part of the voting board
6. Once the official votes have been tallied all nominees will be notified and a congratulatory letter will be sent to the inductee. The elected Hall of Fame member will be inducted at the State Singles Tournament. After a brief introduction of the inductee's accomplishments, the inductee shall be presented with a plaque by a chosen member of the PSRA.



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Today's Date	
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Nominator's Contact Information

Name	
Phone	
Email Address	
USAR Membership Number	
Nominating Year	

Nominee's Information

Name	
Address	
City	
Phone	
Current State Ranking	
Current USAR Ranking	
Years Played/Involved in Racquetball	



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Nomination Information

Coaching Experience (School, local club, PRA/USAR)?	
Instruction Experience (School, Local Club, State or National)?	
Club Ownership, Management, or Program Manager Experience?	
Tournament Director, Staff or Sponsor Experience?	

In your own words, why candidate should be considered for the PRA Hall of Fame? Use additional paper if necessary.	
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