

# Inland Empire Softball Hall of Fame (1976-2019)

## 1976

Ed Ripple

## 1978

Jack West

Dick Phelps

Geo "Brick" Harris

Joe Stan

Thurm "Red" Cook

Manny Meineke

## 1979

Frank Tripp

Gene "Jug" Whitney

J.Lewis "Louie" Stevens

Carl Spliid

Jerry O'Brien

Willie Johnson

Bob Sheppard

Dale Hall

Dee Thompson

Sam Willmering, Umpire

Marvin Jacobs

John Smith

Joanne Hoff

Mary Rasmusson

## 1980

Charles "Chuck" Gabe

Ron Tyvan

Vic Cobb

John Presley

Gene Baldwin

Fred Betts

Bill Ives

## 1981

E.V. Buck

Eugene "Bitsy" LeGrant

George Gierke

Paul Bergman

Eugene "Rabbit" Wirsch

W. "Woody" Woodard, Umpire

Gus Turner

## 1982

Mick Delaney

Ellis "Digger" Conboy

Don Ingalls

Jay Benoscek

Harold "Woody" Woodruff

Len Pyne Sr.

Ken Nelson

Joey August

Bill McCracken

## 1983

Sil Mauro

Bob "Tubby" Russell

Freeman Walker

Matt McDonald

H.M. "Skip" Louderback

Bob "Maxwell House"

Anderson

Don Cobb

Denny Spellecy

Ann Mae Wallin

## 1984

Bill Clare

Joe Henderson

Denny Newcomb

Len Pyne Jr.

Hod Sanborn

Don Stoddard

Frank Viro

Ron Wardrop

Chris Wren

Bud Wren

Jim Hatch

R. Maurice Cooper

H.E. Red Watkins

Jack Leahy

Sid & Kay Wheeler

C.R. "Skinny" Matteson, Hall  
of Honor

## 1985

F.H. "Bud" Adams Sr.

Hank Coplen

Joe Lynch

Eddie Heaton

Don Simpson

"Mac" McKay

Cedric Hall

Frank Stoner

Edna & Vic Cobb

Mel Hogue, Hall of Honor

## 1986

Jack Eachon, Hall of Honor

Norm Prickett

Bob Poffenroth

Bob Elliott

Bud Roffler

Hank Harder

John Lemon

Dick Bostrom

Jack Armitage

Mickey Bartlett

Frank Webster

Howard Horn

## 1987

Peggy Gazette

Dick Daschbach

Henry Geagley

E.V. Henderson

Jim Pieroni

Bob Rousselle

Duane Shahan

Velna Smith

Bill Wilber

Wayne Wright

Sam Compogno

Bill Sperling Sr., Hall of Honor

Fred Backlund

Rich Culnane

Harold Vaughn

**1988**

Maryann Moscatelli  
 Doris Allgood  
 Norma Garritano  
 George Chalich  
 Don McIntosh  
 Wayne Christensen  
 Wes Graham  
 Tom Rosenberger  
 Harold Hartman  
 Tom Potter  
 Harry Almquist  
 Bob Burkhart  
 Keith Campbell, Hall of Honor  
 Jerry Ogle  
 Jerry Perkins  
 Dean "Bunny" Rofler  
 Wally Tesch  
 Jim Slawter  
 Ray Russell  
 Art Hansen  
 Jerry Fodey  
 "Junior" Huffman  
 Arnold "Red" Halpren, Hall of Honor  
 L.B. "Lou" Franco

**1989**

Bill Ellis  
 Pat Williams  
 Phyllis Gazette  
 Jim Kincaid  
 Bill Welch  
 Gary Brown  
 Bob "Fox-Smith" Anderson  
 Larry Brown  
 Elmer "Whitey" Kromm  
 Wes Fuller  
 Don Lynch  
 Bruce Campbell, Umpire  
**Hall of Honor ...**  
 Clarence Buckenberger Sr.  
 "Chic" Murray  
 Dave Heerensperger  
 Dorothy Turner

**1990**

Del Bohnet  
 Harry Arthur  
 Ron McDonald, Hall of Honor  
 "Mouse" McEwen  
 Jim Campbell  
 Lloyd Benson, Hall of Honor  
 Gene Elliott  
 Dan Harkins  
 Herm Pein  
 Bernie Duffy, Hall of Honor  
 Howard Fisher, Hall of Honor

**1991**

Greg Abernathy  
 Vicki Bodker-Nelson  
 Dave Defoe  
 Bill Custer  
 Gene Kelly  
 L.E. "Tick" Kloch  
 Bob Molett  
 Frank Nelson  
 Jerome Riordan  
 H.J. "Hoppy" Sebesta  
 Clyde Cotton  
 Everett McNew  
 Floyd O. "Fuzzy" Cole,  
 Umpire  
 Jack & Dan's Tavern  
 Joan Thompson, Hall of Honor

**1992**

Mike Asan  
 Dee Carper  
 Ilene Costello  
 Maxine Graham  
 Dick Henneman  
 Lee Hubenthal  
 George Kendall  
 Bill Long  
 Jim Porter  
 Howard Sullivan  
 Norm Harding  
 Art Leen  
 Red Waldron  
 Dishman Dodge

**1996**

Gene "Scooter" Brannon  
 Dan Curtis  
 Dan Fry  
 Skip Hardenbrook  
 Bill Kramer  
 Larry Paul  
 Bill Reilly  
 Dick Wright  
 Russ Sharp, Hall of Honor  
 Chris Anderson, Umpire  
 Scoot Adams  
 Tony Mangano  
 Jerry Peterson

**1997**

Laurie Lund  
 Dick Mackenzie  
 Fuzzy Buckenberger  
 Duane Emery  
 Buck Wilhelm, Hall of Honor  
 Stan Phelps  
 Jane Machen  
 Tom McLoughlin  
 Don Brock Sr., Umpire  
 Carol Kincaid  
 Hattie Lollis, Hall of Honor  
 Bill Dalgran  
 Jerry Peterson

**1999**

Del Japp  
 John Kroker  
 Ben & Dorothy Harney, Hall of Honor  
 Russ Brown  
 Greg Red  
 Doug Bender  
 Margie Udahl  
 Williard "Pee Wee" Little  
 Bud Bodman  
 Lloyd Madison  
 Kirk Madison  
 Randy Harris, Umpire  
 Dan McDermott

**2000**

Buzz Adams  
Sherri Callihan  
Pat Callan  
Jon Heimbigner  
Jack Koentopp  
John Neudorfer  
Ron Soss  
Woody Woodard  
George Albano  
Ed Martello  
Jerry McElroy, umpire  
Jerry Amicarella

**2001**

Karen Albano  
Pat Dalsanders  
Debbie Moscatelli Giampietri  
Rich Hobson, Umpire  
Dick Morrison  
N.A. Rolfe  
Jim Wieber  
Jerry Skaife

**2003**

Pat Belair  
Mike Scott  
Bob Reichert  
Chuck Stewart, Umpire  
Howard Vietzke  
Gordy Martin  
Dave Forsythe

**2004**

Marilyn Blair  
Virginia Danke  
Rex Edwards  
Rick Henry  
Larry Knight  
Dave Olson  
Larry Poffenroth  
Marv Richardson  
Jerry Schieche  
Dick Voegel  
Dennis Ocheltree, Umpire

Roy & Mariam Mulberry, Hall  
of Honor  
Mike Sanborn, Hall of Honor  
Denny Wardrop, Hall of Honor

**2005**

Arlen "Corky" Forsythe  
Dave Hammermeister  
Kristi Kuntz  
Ed Postoshnik  
Jerry Ruhling  
Larry Schwenke  
Wayne Town  
Bill Wissink  
Kathleen Burns, Umpire  
Don Love, Hall of Honor  
John Nugent

**2006**

Kurt Krauth  
Larry McClenny  
Lee McDowell  
Ray McMullen  
Mike Peterson  
Phil Queen  
Dave Rizzuto  
Ed Volkman  
Arle Peterson, Hall of Honor

**2007**

Ron Huffman  
Gary Johnson  
Tim Peterson  
Barry Poffenroth  
Don Preston  
Jim Queen  
Barry Shook  
Scott Waggoner  
Harry Amend  
Pat Graham

**2008**

Gary Crisp  
Pat Fiorillo  
Patty Knudtson  
Hal Sautter

Dan Schaffer  
Denise Schlepp  
Denny Wederspahn  
Dee Scott, Hall of Honor

**2009**

Judy Brown  
Jerry Dobson  
Mike Hare  
Tim Mellon  
Vern Ziegler

**2010**

Patti Blancher-Doyle  
Dave Gunderson  
Kevin Krebs  
Mark Siebert  
Dave Vaughn  
Tom Wissink  
Jerry Camp

**2011**

Rita Mauro Birge  
Jack Parker  
Mark Reeves  
Dana Schmerer  
John Schutz  
Paul Cooley  
Bud Blancher  
Rod Harrison

**2012**

Rod Anderson  
Tom Cook  
Paul Lewis  
Mike McCammon  
Darius Rappe  
Paul Schutz  
Rolf Aspaas

**2013**

Janet Skaife  
Becki O'Neal  
George Quiggles  
John Pixler  
Jim Parry

**2014**

Harlan Douglass, Hall of Honor  
 Ken Gibson  
 Janet Gregerson  
 Mike Kellogg  
 Troy Kent  
 Susan Rouse

**2015**

Mike Murphey, Hall of Honor  
 Morris Clark  
 Brian Reid  
 Rick Laughlin  
 Len Pupo  
 Todd Ulrich

**2016**

Bill DeMaine  
 Tom Engdahl  
 Bob Erickson  
 Annette Howland  
 Paula Nickerson  
 Jennifer Tinkle  
 Pete Zografos

**2017**

Jerry Buckenberger  
 Kelli Clinton  
 Roger DeShaw, Umpire  
 Deb Hjortedal  
 Mike McNeilly  
 Don O'Neal  
 Tim Poffenroth  
 LaDonna Schuster  
 Jim Strom, Hall of Honor

**2018**

Drew Brooks  
 Fred Farrell  
 Gary Firster  
 Vince Grippi  
 Randy Harnasch, Umpire  
 Wade Liberty  
 Len Pupo  
 Terry Walker  
 Ross Yearout

**2019**

Greg Branum  
 Dave Blevins  
 Terry Koentopp  
 Dave Maxwell  
 John Rhodes  
 Jon Schuh

**Doug "Pops" Bender  
Scholarship Award**

**2003:** Amanda Niles,  
 North Central HS  
**2004:** Morgan Thomsen,  
 West Valley HS  
**2005:** Jamie Taxter,  
 John R. Rogers HS  
**2006:** Jenne M. Harp,  
 Odessa HS  
**2007:** Kayleigh Fisk,  
 Davenport HS  
**2008:** Kim Hare,  
 North Central HS  
**2009:** Danielle Lynn,  
 Shadle Park HS  
**2010:** Regin Gallagher,  
 Mead HS  
**2011:** Alisha Meade,  
 Mead HS  
**2012:** Kelli Peckham,  
 West Valley HS  
**2013:** Margaret  
 Abercrombie, Newport HS  
**2014:** Amy Anderson,  
 Cheney HS  
**2015:** Josie Schultz,  
 Freeman HS  
**2016:** Marianna Furfaro,  
 John R. Rogers HS  
**2017:** Grace Lilje,  
 Davenport HS  
**2018:** Mattea Nelson,  
 Northwest Christian HS  
**2019:** Gabrielle Rickman  
 John R. Rogers HS

**Hank Coplen****Spotlite Award**

(Inaugurated 2013)

**2013**

Bob Poffenroth  
 Hod Sanborn

**2014**

Virginia Danke  
 Denny Newcombe

**2015**

Joe Henderson  
 Ron Wardrop

**2016**

Doug Bender  
 Dick Morrison

**2017, 2018, 2019**

No award given

**Team of the Decade**

(Inaugurated 2013)

**2013**

**1950s:** Rainier Beer, MFP  
**1960s:** Eagle Electric, MFP;  
 Spokane Diesel-Berelson  
 Carpet-Vaughn Realty, MSP

**2014**

**1970s:** Ziegler, MFP

**2015**

**1970s:** Big Foot Tavern, MSP

**2016**

**1970s:** Strick's Donuts, MMP

**2017**

**1980s:** Spokane Metros, MFP  
 Off Broadway/WTB/Capco,  
 MMP

**2018**

**1980s:** Juris Doctorettes/  
 Spokane Lilacs, WMP

**2019**

**1990s:** LB Franco/Stoneway  
 Electric/Food Rainbow/NW  
 Yankees, MMP