

The following categories and criteria for nomination to the John Hay High School Alumni Association Hall of Fame were developed as a result of input from the Alumni Committee and other John Hay alumni. The final list of categories and criteria reflects the common characteristics of existing Hall of Famers and the wishes of the general committee as expressed in preliminary meetings. The submission of a name for consideration will be made in one of 12 categories:

1. **Medicine and Science** – Graduates who are Surgeons, Specialists, and/or General Practitioners of high regard or distinction; Scientists whose findings have benefited humanity in an important area of existence or who have added substantially to the body of human knowledge; recipients of distinguished awards in any field of scientific endeavor; etc.
2. **Business and Professional** – Graduates who are respected Engineers, Economists, influential stock market Analysts, CEOs of noted corporations or businesses, particularly successful Business Persons, Legal Professionals, etc.
3. **Arts and Entertainment** – Graduates who are well-known or frequently published Writers, winners of prestigious literary, acting or artistic awards; influential Critics; recognized Musicians or Composers; media Celebrities; etc.
4. **Humanitarian and Service** [Politics & Public Service Politics & Public Service] – Graduates who have rendered consistent and significant service to the local, state, national, or world communities.
5. **Athletics** – Graduates who are all-Americans, Olympians, or all-star Professional Athletes; renowned or especially successful Coaches, Sports Specialists, Sports Promoters; etc.
6. **Lifetime Recognition** – This category is reserved for an individual who may not have attained award status in his or her chosen field but whose life demonstrates high moral character and dignity, or who has demonstrated courage in overcoming extraordinary obstacles in life.
7. **Honorary** – This category is for those who may not have graduated from John Hay High School, but have made significant impressions or donations to the John Hay High School community.
8. **Religion**- Graduates who are respected in his or her chosen field, and for an individuals who may not have attained award status but whose life demonstrates high moral character and dignity, or who has demonstrated courage in overcoming extraordinary obstacles in life.
9. **Activism**- Graduates who are respected in his or her chosen field and individuals who may not have attained award status but whose life demonstrates high moral character and dignity, or who has demonstrated courage in overcoming extraordinary obstacles in life.

10. **Education**- This category is reserved for an individual who may not have attained award status in his or her chosen field but whose life demonstrates high moral character and dignity, or who has demonstrated courage in overcoming extraordinary obstacles in life.

11. **General**- This category is reserved for an individual who may not have attained award status in his or her chosen field but whose life demonstrates high moral character and dignity, or who has demonstrated courage in overcoming extraordinary obstacles in life.

12. **Law**- Graduates who are respected in his or her chosen field and individuals who may not have attained award status but whose life demonstrates high moral character and dignity, or who has demonstrated courage in overcoming extraordinary obstacles in life.

Once a candidate is nominated in a category, he or she will be evaluated using the following criteria:

1. Exemplary achievements and recognition in their chosen field.
2. Outstanding citizenship.
3. Exhibit qualities of leadership.
4. Has made a meritorious contribution to society.
5. The candidate must demonstrate the qualities listed above in a manner that will inspire the students of John Hay High School in the pursuit of excellence.

*JOHN HAY HIGH SCHOOL
HALL OF FAME
NOMINATION FORM*

Nominee's Name Phone

Address Date of Birth

City, State, Zip

Nomination Category (see above): _____

If Nominee is Deceased:

Name of Spouse or Closest Living Relative Phone

Address

Year Graduated John Hay High School _____

Achievement Detail _____

INDIVIDUAL SUBMITTING NOMINATION

Submitter's Name Contact #

Address

Signature Date

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