

Ohio High School Wrestling Coaches Association 2011 Hall of Fame Inductees



Tim Dishong – Holland Springfield High School

Tim Dishong has achieved great success with the Holland Springfield High School wrestling program, both as a coach and a wrestler. As a coach, he has guided Springfield to tremendous heights during his 23 years as the head coach of his alma mater, boasting an overall dual meet record of 218-52-3. His teams have won 10 Northern Lakes League championships, one district championship, and earned a fourth place finish at the 1992 Division I state meet. Dishong has coached 150 district qualifiers, 202 tournament champions, 38 state qualifiers and 13 state placers. As a wrestler, the three-time state placer for the Blue Devils went on to wrestle collegiately at the University of Toledo. While there, he was a three-time Mid-American Conference placer, one-time NCAA qualifier, and a two-time captain for the Rockets.



STEVE HARRIS – Caldwell H.S., Xenia H.S., Beavercreek H.S.

Steve Harris has enjoyed a triumphant coaching for more than 35 years. His career includes head coaching stints at Caldwell High School from 1971 to 1979 and Xenia High School from 1982 to 2006. Most recently, he served as the Assistant Coach at Beavercreek High School. During his tenure as a head coach, Harris' teams won eight league championships, 10 sectional championships and six district championships, as well as eight district runner-up finishes. Harris has coached 43 state qualifiers, 16 state placers, and three state champions. A member of the GMVWCA Hall of Fame, and a two-time president of the GMVWCA, Harris also been named GWVWCA Coach of the Year twice in his career.



DOUG SHORT – Marion Pleasant High School

Doug Short has guided the Marion Pleasant wrestling program to great success in his tenure. Under his tutelage, the Spartans have won six Mid-Ohio Athletic Conference championships, three district championships, and six sectional championships. Additionally, his teams have won two state dual championships and have been state Division III runner-up twice. Short has coached 56 state qualifiers, 32 state placers and three state champions. He has twice been named the CDWCA Coach of the Year, and named the Dispatch All-Metro Coach of the Year once. Short was also honored as the Ohio High School Wrestling Coaches Association Division III Coach of the Year in 2008.