



2022

Hall of Fame

THE DEPOSIT CENTRAL
SCHOOL DISTRICT
PRESENTS
THE ANNUAL
HALL OF FAME DINNER

FRIDAY, SEPTEMBER 30, 2022 ELEMENTARY CAFÉ 5:30 PM

Deposit Central Schools Hall of Fame

The Deposit Central School District was proud to begin its Hall of Fame program in 2017 as a way to recognize outstanding alumni. Nominees are selected for induction into the Hall of Fame based on their local, regional, national or international recognition in one or more areas. These areas may be professional, educational, athletic, cultural or community/charitable.

A committee selects a maximum of three inductees from its pool of nominees. The Hall of Fame Committee will review all nominations and make its selection in the early spring. Nomination forms and letters of recommendation for Hall of Fame consideration are accepted throughout the year.

To honor the Hall of Fame program and its purpose, distinguished honorees visit and speak with current DCS students about their career path and necessary preparation. Plaques honoring the inductees will be permanently displayed in the newly renovated trophy hallway in the Middle-High School.





PROGRAM

5:30 PM Social Reception
 Entertainment provided by Gary Holdrege

 6:00 PM Welcome Remarks & Musical Performance
 Mrs. Denise Cook, Superintendent
 Trinity Singleton, DCS Student Musician

6:15 PM Buffet Dinner & Dessert
Entertainment provided by Gary Holdrege
Food Service provided by Mr. Patrick Walsh,
BT BOCES, Dave Stroka, Binghamton CSD
Chef, and Mrs. Lori Wheeler, Cafeteria
Manager. Waitstaff, DCS High School Students

7:00 PM Hall of Fame Presentations
Major William Burgess - Marcia Albrecht,
Daughter & DCS Alumnus
Dan Raymond - Terry Raymond, Uncle &
DCS Alumnus and Retiree

Closing Remarks - Denise Cook

2022 HALL OF FAME HONOREE Major William E. Burgess, U.S. Army, Retired

Major William E. Burgess, U.S. Army, Retired, class of 1976, is a highly accomplished military veteran, serving his Country for a total of 26 years. During his time in the Army, Major Burgess received his R.N. degree from Pittsburgh State University and his master's degree in Human Relations and Public Health from the University of Oklahoma. Throughout his life and career, Major Burgess has concentrated his efforts on service to others with a specialization in health, wellness, and meeting the needs of under-served populations. His resume includes a variety of prestigious positions including Clinical Case Manager at Walter Reed National Military Medical Center, Community Health Chief of Nursing, and Director of Clinical Services. Additionally, Major Burgess has received numerous advanced certifications and has presided as a guest speaker at wellness conferences around the world. In 2008, Major Burgess was called out of retirement to advocate for soldiers returning from active duty. Major Burgess served as a Representative of the Senate Armed Forces Subcommittee on Warrior Care and donates his time to humanitarian causes such as

The Special Olympics and The Wounded Warrior Program. Major Burgess lives in Cordova, TN, with his wife, Chinette. He is the proud father of three daughters, a son-in-law, six grandchildren, and two great-grandchildren.



2022 HALL OF FAME HONOREE Dan Raymond



Dan Raymond graduated from the Deposit Central School District in 1976. Dan attended SUNY Cortland where he earned his bachelor's degree in 1997 and subsequently earned his master's degree from Le Moyne College in 1999. Since 1995, Dan has devoted his life's work to coaching and mentoring college athletes. From 1995 -1997, Dan acted as the assistant coach for the Cortland Red Dragons and was promoted to head coach for

the 1997-1998 season. Since 1999, Dan has been serving the students at Ithaca College as the assistant coach of women's softball and the head coach of women's basketball. Dan holds the record as the most winning basketball coach and has led his team to fifteen appearances at the NCAA playoffs. Dan has been awarded the honor of Empire Coach of the Year an impressive eight times. According to Dan, "... relationships are what coaching is all about. The wins and championships are all secondary in my mind, truly. That's not why I'm doing what I'm doing. It's to watch a young college student mature and develop during the course of their four years here... That's the reward I get." (The Ithacan, April 2019) Dan and his wife, Shari, have been married for 41 years, and have three daughters and six grandchildren.

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Deposit Central Schools Alma Mater

In the grand old Catskill Mountains,
By the Delaware,
Stands our favorite Alma Mater,
DCS so fair.

Shout her praises,

Sing her honor,

Loud her name proclaim.

We will rally round her standard

And uphold her fame.

OUR VISION

Inspiring children to develop a passion for learning and a commitment to make a better world for themselves and their community.

Special Thanks

Tonight would not be have been possible without the assistance of many people and organizations:

BT BOCES Food Services staff including Patrick Walsh,
Dave Stroka and Lori Wheeler.

DCS Facilities & Maintenance; Mr. Matt Mastropietro

Ms. Trinity Singleton

Mr. Gary Holdrege

Jennifer Macumber, Assistant to the Superintendent

The Deposit Courier

DCS Student Waitstaff under the direction of Mrs. Kimberly MacDonald

The families and supporters of our distinguished alumni

Alissa Jones and Tracie Ostrander,
DCS Staff & Decorating Committee

DEPOSIT BOARD OF EDUCATION

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OUR MISSION

We are a community united to improve the quality of life through education.