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October 18, 2013

Dawahares/KHSAA Hall of Fame
ATTN: Nominations
2280 Executive Drive
Lexington, KY 40505

HOF Committee Members:

I write today in direct response to Montgomery County Schools request that Dan Manley be considered as a nominee for the Dawahares/KHSAA Hall of Fame, as a contributor.

Dan has served Montgomery County Schools as the voice of the Indians for over forty-six years. During this endeavor, Dan has gone to great lengths to promote and communicate a positive message about high school sports, to any and all that would dial him in on the radio dial. I personally have worked side by side with Dan for the past 28 years, and I can tell you, he truly has made a positive impact on our programs, our coaches, our student/athletes and our community.

Dan, currently is serving as WMST morning show host, sports editor for our Mt. Sterling Advocate, and has conducted a weekly coaches show on Saturday mornings for the past thirty years, which allows student/athletes the opportunity to share about their team experiences. Often times, I have heard people say, I can't attend, but I'll be listening to Dan.

Therefore, based on the outstanding contributions that Dan Manley has made throughout his career to bring games into the homes of sports fans throughout our Commonwealth, I highly recommend him as a nominee for the Dawahares/KHSAA Hall of Fame, as a contributor.

Sincerely



Phil Rison, CMAA
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October 28, 2013

TO: Nominating Committee
Kentucky High School Athletic Association

FM: Hays McMakin
Gateway Radio Works, Inc.

RE: K.H.S.A.A. Hall of Fame Nomination

Gentlemen / To Whom It May Concern:

I would like to take this opportunity to convey our company's support for our sports director, Dan Manley, for consideration and election to the K.H.S.A.A.'s "Hall of Fame".

Dan has been involved with Kentucky High School sports for forty five plus years. His expertise and excellence in the play-by-play of the game is a matter of record. However, that only represents one facet of his commitment and contribution to the young men and women in the High School sports arena. He is a lighthouse of knowledge, encouragement, and enthusiasm not only to the participants of the game, but to the coaches, parents, fans, and the administrators of the school systems with which he is aligned.

His radio broadcast involvements go beyond the playing fields and gymnasiums. For instance, on his own time each Saturday for an hour and a half he conducts a weekly live sports program "Sports Extra" from a local restaurant (complimentary breakfast included). This program embraces interviews with players, coaches, assistant coaches of not only the obvious, football and basketball, but includes the often less recognized sports, i.e. volleyball, golf, swimming, softball, baseball, etc. of which he includes both genders. It is not unusual that he and his play-by-play crews are out two, three, and sometimes four nights a week in the midst of our basketball season.

Dan's knowledge of sports goes beyond the local schools he covers. He is frequently solicited by the statewide "High School Scoreboard" programs, not just to report scores, but giving his assessment of the standing of teams throughout the state, East to West, North to South.

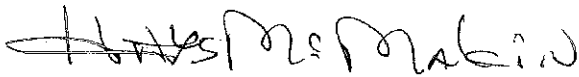


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I would be remiss if I did not mention that with all the regular season games, District, Regional, Sweet Sixteen (Girls & Boys) tournaments, our company's four stations originate over two hundred High School sporting events each year, of which Dan as Sports Director is involved. I could mention many other accolades and attributes of his passion to Kentucky High School sports, but that is not necessary as people who know and are associated with him recognize his upstanding character, professional, and gentleman like demeanor.

In conclusion I appreciate the committee's consideration for Dan Manley to be elected to the K.H.S.A.A.'S prestigious "Hall of Fame". Any questions or comments that you may have, please don't hesitate to contact me.


Kindest Regards,



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October 22, 2013

Dawahare's/KHSAA Hall of Fame Selection Committee
2280 Executive Drive
Lexington, Kentucky 40505

Selection Committee Members:

It is with sincere commitment that I bring to your attention, Mr. Dan Manley, for consideration as a member of the Dawahare's/KHSAA Hall of Fame Class 2015 (contributor).

For 35 years I have observed and worked with Dan as he supports and promotes athletics and students in Kentucky schools. A great significance of his work is the inclusion of all sports and the equality of both girls and boys programs. His love for sports began more than 40 years ago when he began covering athletic events on the radio at the age of 14 and writing about sports for the local newspaper at the age of 16.

Dan has been recognized by his peers in Central Kentucky, as well as those from the borders of the Commonwealth. His work in both print media and broadcasting is respected by his colleagues, counting those who serve much broader audiences. His expertise has been used by authors and national media, including ESPN and NCAA.

Dan Manley has contributed to the success of "getting the word out" on the efforts of the KHSAA. The services he provides include local, regional and state coverage that is unequalled by any outside the major metropolitan areas.

It is without reservation that I submit the accomplishments and skills of Mr. Dan Manley for consideration for the Hall of Fame.

Respectfully,



David Points

DAN MANLEY

The Voice of the Montgomery County Indians

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Dan Manley is not a dreamer; he is a doer. At an early age he didn't dream about what he wanted to do; he did it. As a result of his love of sports, Dan began covering sports activities on the radio at the age of 14 and writing about sports in the newspaper at the age of 16. Forty-five years later he continues to serve as a local legend and the voice of the Montgomery County Indians.

Dan received a bachelor's degree in Radio, Television, and Journalism Broadcasting, and a master's degree in business administration. Though he has varied work experiences, including 22 years as a trust banker and a stint as a sportscaster and videographer for a Lexington television station, he eventually elected to return to the work that he enjoys most, radio and journalism. He currently serves as News & Sports Director for WMST radio and Sports Editor for the *Mt. Sterling Advocate*.

Sports have always played an important role in the lives of the members of the Manley family. Dan is a native and life-long resident of Mt. Sterling. As a student, he had an opportunity to play baseball, but was limited due to a bout with polio. However, his brother, Mike, was a quarterback in college and was poised to play professional baseball had he not sustained an injury that prevented it.

Dan Manley lends his dulcet tones and sports expertise to calling games for Montgomery County football, boys' and girls' basketball, baseball, and softball. He firmly believes, "There are a million stories behind every story." We are grateful and proud that he has chosen to use his gifts to help tell the stories of the Montgomery County Indians.



**10th Region Boys Basketball
Contributor Hall of Fame**

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Mason County Royals

Fred Chumbler	Timekeeper
Billy Hitt	Scorekeeper
Tony Pogue	Scorekeeper
Ann Porter	Hospitality Room
Terry Stanfield	Ticket Manager
Danny Weddle	WFTM Radio

Montgomery County Indians

Dan Manley	WKCA Radio
Ann Karrick	Girls Basketball
Bobby Joe Whitaker	Coach
David Points	Principal

Maysville Bulldogs

Laurie Caproni	Sports Writer
Arthur "Punk" Griffin	Scorekeeper
Elza Whalen	Principal

Bourbon County Colonels

Wilson Barlow	Scorekeeper
Roy Poe	Scorekeeper
Kathy Johnston	Athletic Director

Pendleton County Wildcats

John Griffin	Scorekeeper
Lulu Record	Fan
Tom Woofert	Athletic Director

Fleming County Panthers

Kenneth Fern	Scorekeeper
Woodie Todd	Statistician

Brooksville

Warren Cooper	Referee
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Cynthiana

Joe B. Hall	Player
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Millersburg Military Cadets

Ben Pumphery	Coach
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Estill County Engineers

Johnny Rison	Timekeeper
Elwood Daugherty	Announcer

George Rogers Clark Cardinals

Dick Webb	Scorekeeper
Mike "Bear" Rogers	Scorekeeper

Paris Greyhounds

Eugene "Puck" Pucket	Scorekeeper
W.B. Stiles	Statistician

Harrison County Thorobreds

Larry White	Scorekeeper
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Saint Patrick Saints

Donny Stahl	WFTM Radio
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