

Name of Person Being Nominated

JAMES HAIRE

Address of Nominee OR Family Representative if Deceased

1514 MANCHESTER DRIVE
ELIZABETHTOWN, Kentucky 42701
United States

Email Address of Person Listed above

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Daytime Phone of the person detailed above

(270) 312-8936

Name of Person Making Nomination

DOUG BARNES

Address of Person Making Nomination

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Nomination Category

- Coach

Is this nominee deceased?

No

Birthdate (REQUIRED)

05/25/1957

Gender

Male

Is the nominee a minority (African American and others) as described in policy 2(c)

Yes

Coached at which schools?

ELIZABETHTOWN HIGH SCHOOL

Year of Retirement from Coaching?

N/A

Pull Down to Select Coach Competition Region (1-16) in Kentucky

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Please summarize this person's accomplishments as a coach, player, official or contributor at the high school level in Kentucky.

- HEAD COACH AT ELIZABETHTOWN HIGH SCHOOL 30 YEARS AND COUNTING
- 531 WINS
- 2000 SWEET SIXTEEN BOYS STATE CHAMPIONSHIP
- 2021 SWEET SIXTEEN BOYS STATE RUNNER-UP
- 1994 BOYS CLASS 2A TRACK STATE CHAMPIONS
- 2005 KING OF THE BLUEGRASS CHAMPIONS
- 2000, 2005, 2020, 2021, 2023 5TH REGION CHAMPIONS
- AREA COACH OF THE YEAR 1997, 2000, 2004, 2009, 2014, 2021
- KABC REGIONAL COACH OF THE YEAR 2002, 2003, 2014
- 5TH REGION COACHES ASSOC. COACH OF THE YEAR 2014, 2020, 2021
- 1998 & 2000 COACHED THE EXECUTIVE INN EAST/WEST ALL STAR GAME
- 2016 COURT OF HONOR INDUCTEE
- 2015 COACHED THE KY/IN ALL STAR GAME
- 2018 NATIONAL COACH OF THE YEAR FINALIST

Please list any other factors about this individual that you would like for the Screening or Selection Committees to consider.

James' character, longevity, loyalty and the impact he has had on so many of Elizabethtown High School's students, not just basketball players, is a true testament to the person he is. His goal is, and always has been, to develop young men of character that are prepared to step into life after high school basketball. Winning has been a byproduct of the demands he places on his players of discipline, respect, attitude and work ethic. He continues to be available to all of his players even after graduation. His ability to motivate and coach young athletes is confirmed by winning a KHSAA Boys Sweet Sixteen Championship and a Class AA Boys stack track championship. Letters of recommendation and supporting materials will be delivered to Jenny Elder at the KHSAA office to support this nomination. This will be done in lieu of uploading files as per my conversation with Assistant Commissioner Elder.

Upload Additional Support Documentation

- [JamesHaireHOFInfo.pdf](#)

Upload photographs, including head and shoulders photo(s)

- [JHAIRE.pdf](#)

Please use mouse or electronic pointer to sign this nomination attesting to its authenticity

*Doug
Barnes*