

*2019 Central District
Awards Presentation
#SHAPETampa*



Past Presidents Salute

Please Rise for the

Parade of Central District Past Presidents

Past Presidents Salute

1976-1977

Roger Bishop - IA

1977-1979

Jean L. Pyfer

1980-1981

JoAnne Owens-Nauslar - NE

1981-1982

Roger Kerns

(deceased)

1982-1984

Dorothy High

1984-1985

Hal McKain - CO

1985-1986

Jan Adair - MN

1986-1987

Mark Giese

1987-1989

Shirley Dutton CO

1989-1990

Charles DeCorsey (deceased)

1990-1991

Kathleen Kinderfather - MO

1991-1992

Mark Harvey - CO (deceased)

1992-1993

Cheryl Norton - CO

1993-1995

Perry Miller

1995-1996

Pauline Jacobson - SD

1996-1998

Terry Todd - CO

1998-1999

K. Kay Valentik

1999-2000

R. Scott Gorman - KS

2000-2001

Deborah Loper

2001-2002

James Herauf - MO (deceased)

2002-2004

Kathleen Engle - WY

2004-2005

Sally Scherrer - SD

2005-2006

John Zody - KS

2006-2007

Vicki Worrell - KS

2007-2008

Dennis Docheff - MO

2008-2009

Rich Burke - MN

2009-2010

Kelly Cook - KS

2010-2011

Lois Boeyink - IA

2011-2012

Joyce Ellis - KS

2012-2013

Scott Strohmeyer - MO

2013-2014

Meggin DeMoss - KS

2014-2015

Deb Stephenson - WY

2016-2017

Amy Heuer - ND

2017-2018

Clayton Ellis - CO

Past Presidents Salute

Pauline Jacobson - SD

1995-1996

**“Joining Forces -
The Power of One”**

Rochester, MN



Past Presidents Salute

Scott Gorman - KS

1999-2000

“Tomorrow is Today”

Omaha, NE



Past Presidents Salute

Sally Scherrer - SD

2004-2005

“Pursue Your Passion”

Cheyenne, WY

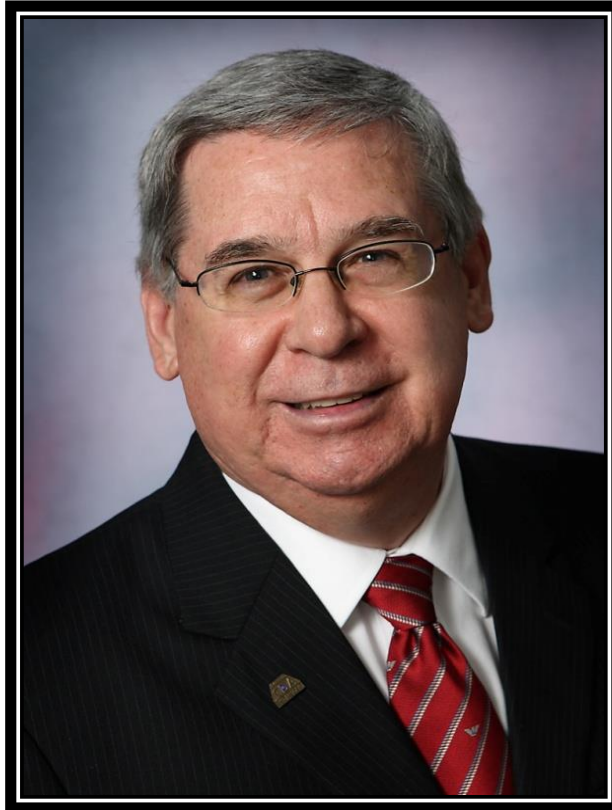


Past Presidents Salute

John Zody - KS

2005-2006

**“See the Unseen
Vision for the Future”
Broomfield, CO**



Past Presidents Salute

Vicki Worrell - KS

2006-2007

**“Choose Your Path:
People, Attitude,
Task, Health”**

Overland Park, KS



Past Presidents Salute

Dennis Docheff - MO

2007-2008

**“Taking the
L.E.A.D”**

Omaha, NE



Past Presidents Salute

Richard Burke - MN

2008-2009

**“The Passion of One,
The Power of Many”**

Rochester, MN



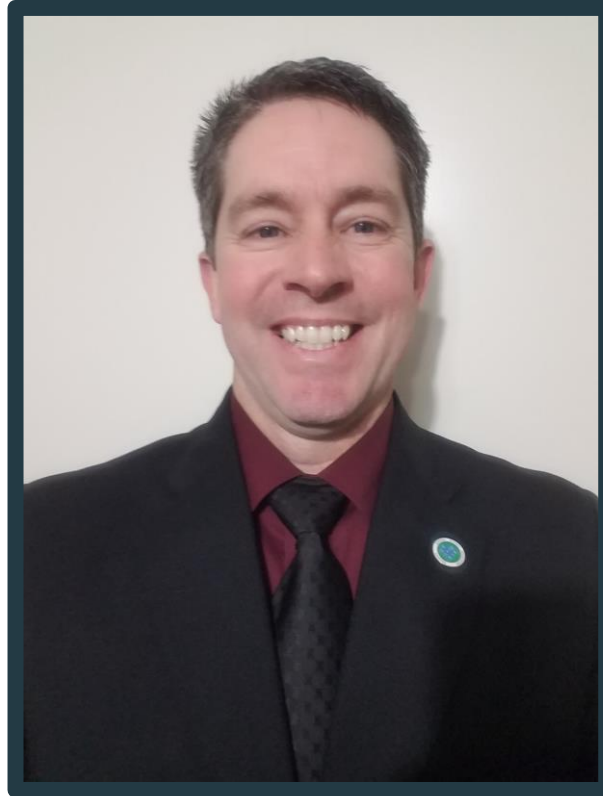
Past Presidents Salute

Kelly Cook - KS

2009-2010

**“Focusing Energy to
Enhance Teaching:
Are Your Feet Cold
Yet?”**

Fargo, ND



Past Presidents Salute

Lois Boyink- IA

2010-2011

“The Hills are Alive”

Rapid City, SD

Past Presidents Salute

Joyce Ellis - KS

2011-2012

“”

Colorado Springs, CO



Past Presidents Salute

Scott Strohmeyer - MO

2012-2013

“Ride for the Brand”

Jackson Hole, WY



Past Presidents Salute

Meggin Demoss - KS

**2013-2015
(2 terms)**

“The Power of Unity”

Moorhead, MN



Past Presidents Salute

Deb Stephenson - WY

2015-2016

**“Passionate and
Purposeful Teaching:
The Ticket to
Empowering
Students”**

Cedar Falls, IA



Past Presidents Salute

Amy Heuer - ND

2016-2017

“The Power of Five”

Sioux Falls, SD



Past Presidents Salute

Clayton Ellis - CO

2017-2018

“#MovingForward”

Sioux Falls, SD



Welcome Special Guests

Welcome to ALL of you!!

You are ALL Special to us!!

Necrology Report

Nancy Christiansen - Committee Chair

In Memoriam

Wayne Donaldson - KS



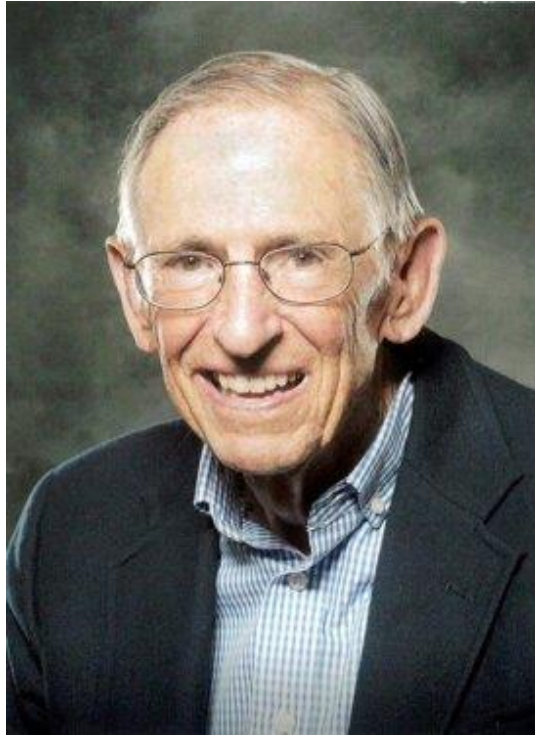
In Memoriam

Dennis Obermeyer - KS



In Memoriam

George Sage - CO



Central District - Executive Council

- **Past President: Clayton Ellis - CO**
- **President: Julie Lueckenhoff - MO**
- **President Elect: Joe Deutsch - ND**
- **Executive Director: Nancy Raso Eklund - WY**
- **Secretary: Cynthia Johnson - MN**

Leadership Council Members at Large

- **Brandon Wolff - KS**
- **Chris Watts - CO**
- **Taralyn Garner - MO**
- **Megan Adkins - NE**
- **Shannon Tjaden - SD**
- **Blanchette, Danielle Joy - SDSU**

Central District Committee Chairs

- Advocacy - Christopher Watts - CO
- Archives - Rick Pappas - KS
- Collaboration - (Ad-Hoc) - Deb Stephenson - WY
- Convention / Professional Development - Clayton Ellis - CO
- District Scholar - Megan Adkins - NE
- Future Professional/Higher Education - Joe Deutsch - ND
- Leadership Nominations - Julie Leuckenhoff - MO
- Membership - Brandon Wolff - KS
- Necrology - Nancy Christensen - MN
- Recognition - Clayton Ellis - CO
- Sanford Fit4Schools - (Ad-Hoc) Tari Garner - MO

District Scholar Committee

Chair: NE - Megan Adkins / CO - Clayton Ellis (Proxy)

CO - Karen Marley

IA - Bob Nutgrass

KS - Vicki Worrell

MN - Sue Tarr

MO - Matt Symonds

ND - David Moody

SD - Nikki Heinz

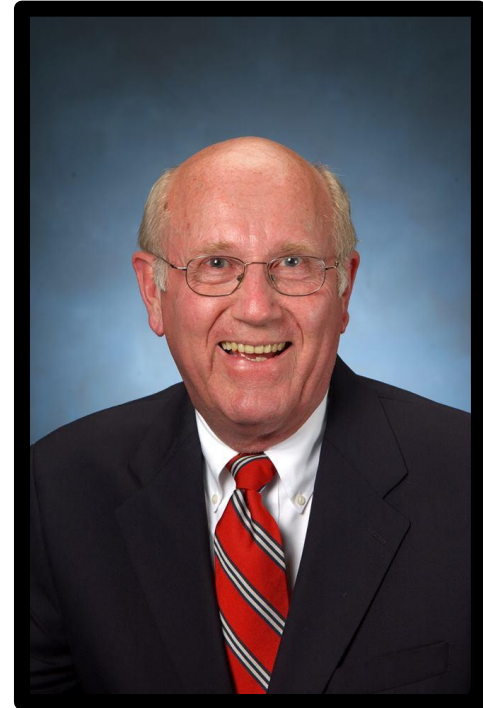
WY - Nancy Raso Eklund

Nominees: District Scholar

Megan Adkins - NE



Tom Loughrey - MO



2019 District Scholar

Megan Adkins - NE





Dr. Megan Adkins
District Scholar
2019

**University of Nebraska at Kearney
Health and Physical Education**

Central District - Awards Presentation



Central District Recognition Committee

Chair - Clayton Ellis - CO -

CO - Melissa Tank

IA - Jen Neubauer

KS - Susan Oldfather

MN - Pete Westby

MO - William Russell

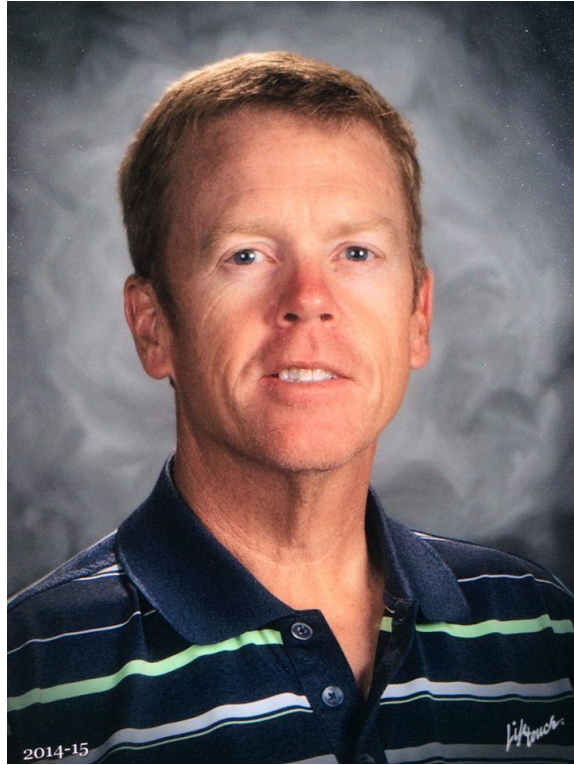
ND - Nicole Lindgren

NE - Wyatt Morse

SD - Nikki Heinz

WY - Nancy Raso Eklund

Nominees: Adapted Physical Educator of the Year

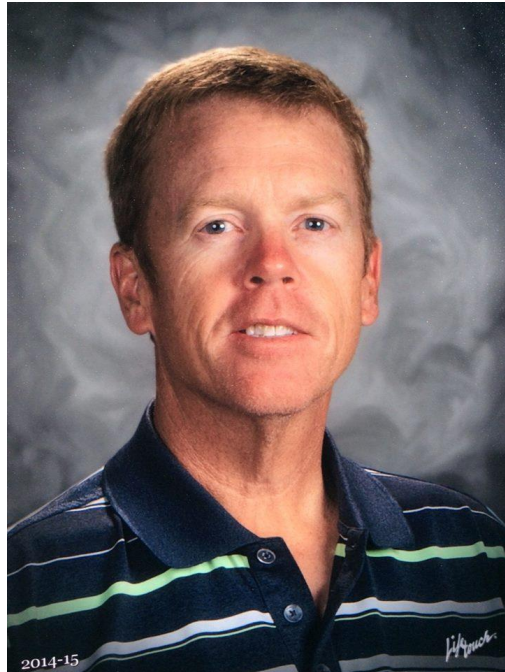


Bryan Wickoran - CO



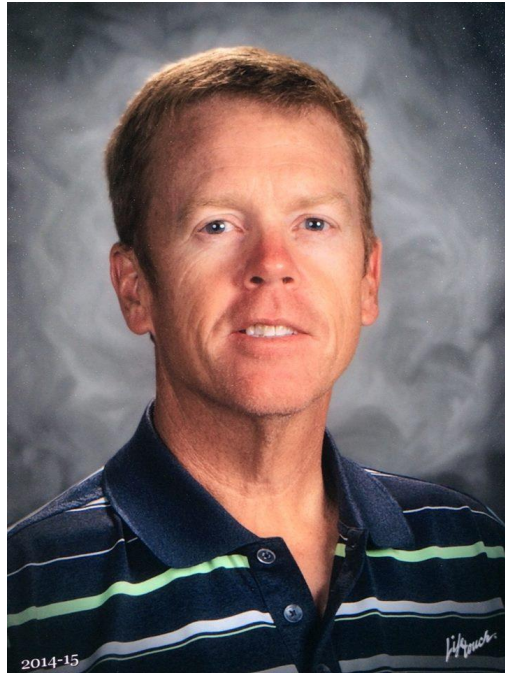
Judy Smaic - CO

2019 Central District - Adapted Teacher of the Year



Bryan Wickoran - CO

2019 Central District - Adapted Teacher of the Year



Bryan Wickoran - CO



Dance Nominees



Ashley Blanton - KS



Nicole Peterson - ND

2019 Central District - Dance Teacher of the Year



Nicole Peterson - ND

2019 Central District - Dance Teacher of the Year



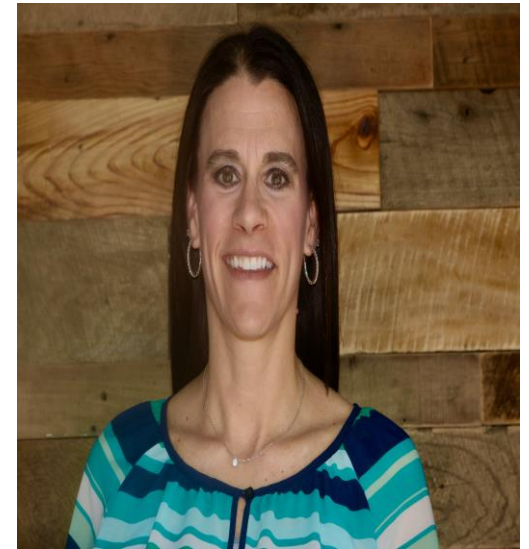
Nicole Peterson - ND

Nominees: Health Teacher of the Year

Darcy Bath - WY



Leah Swedberg - ND Jill Warner - MO



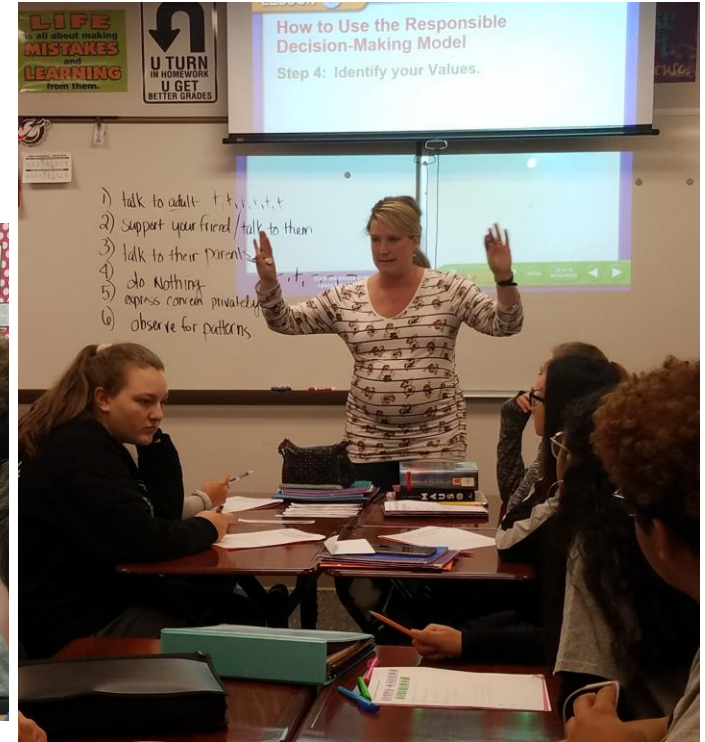
2019 Central District - Health Teacher of the Year

Leah Swedberg - ND



2019 Central District - Health Teacher of the Year

Leah Swedberg - ND



Nominees: Elementary Teacher of the Year

Jared Carder - IA



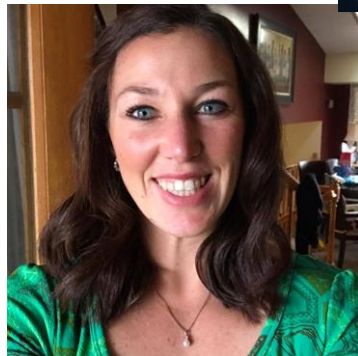
Jackie Hall - KS



Sally Schulte - MO



Jason Steele - ND



Jennifer Smith - CO



Melissa Tank - CO



Shannon Tjaden - SD

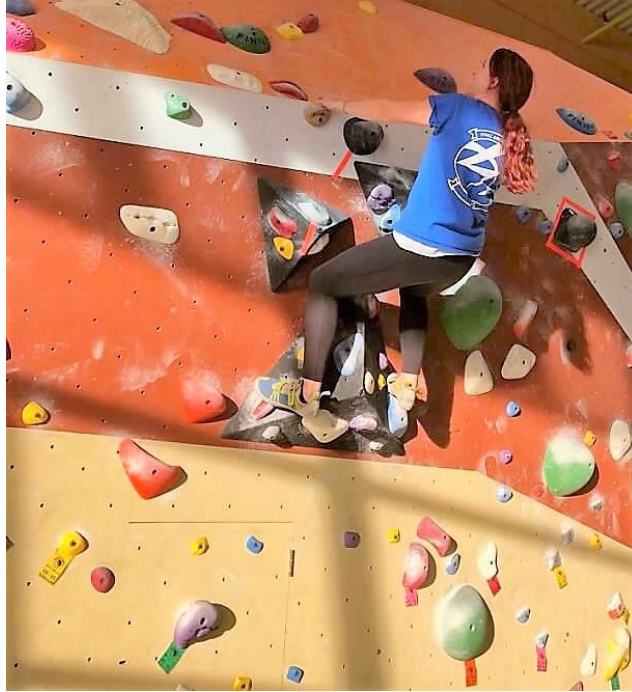
2019 Central District - Elementary Teacher of the Year



Sally Schulte - MO



2019 Central District - Elementary Teacher of the Year



Sally Schulte - MO

Nominees: Middle School Teacher of the Year

Paula Hickman - KS



Brad Hull - CO



Tara Stemsrud - IA



Marc Tiernan - MO

Murray Wallace - CO

2019 Central District - Middle School Teacher of the Year



Murray Wallace - CO



2019 Central District - Middle School Teacher of the Year



Murray Wallace - CO

Nominees: High School Teacher of the Year

Charli Fluti - WY



Danielle Haynes - KS



Brian Hull - CO



Justin Kinney - IA



Lisa Smith - MN



Jamie Zastoupil - ND



Melanie Zerr - MO

2019 Central District - High School Teacher of the Year



Melanie Zerr - MO

2019 Central District - High School Teacher of the Year



Melanie Zerr - MO

Kathleen Kinderfather Award

- **The Kathleen Kinderfather Award recognizes a group or organization (not an individual), that may or may not be members of SHAPE America but that has contributed significantly to Central District and/or the state affiliates that comprise the district.**

2019 Kathleen Kinderfather Award



Steamboat Springs Youth Winter Sports Club

Mark Harvey Legacy Scholarship Award

- **The Mark L. Harvey Legacy Future Professional Scholarship is awarded to a college junior or senior who is studying in the fields of health, physical education, recreation and/or dance. The scholarship supports the recipient's attendance at the Central District conference.**

Nominees: 2019 Mark Harvey Legacy **EMERGING LEADERS** Scholarship Award

Danielle Blanchette

- SD



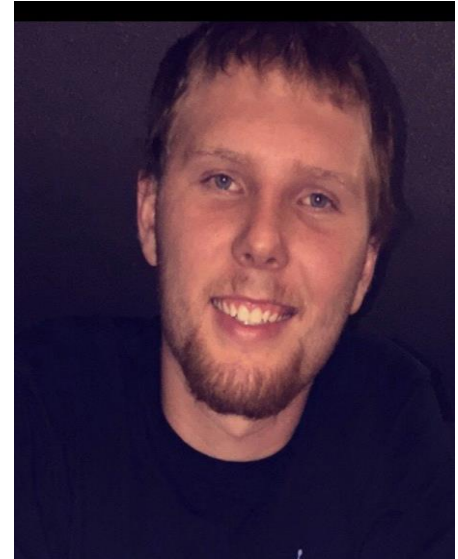
John Reid

- CO



Trevor Watson

- SD



2019 Mark Harvey Legacy
EMERGING LEADERS Scholarship Award

John Reid - CO

**University of
Northern
Colorado**



Mark Harvey Legacy Award

- **Dr. Mark L. Harvey enriched the lives of countless people. This award acknowledges individuals who, by performance, style, humility and wisdom have personified the personal and professional attributes of Dr. Mark L. Harvey. The recipient of the Mark L. Harvey Legacy Recognition Award demonstrates the qualities that were a part of Mark's character — friend, teacher, gentleman, leader and more.**

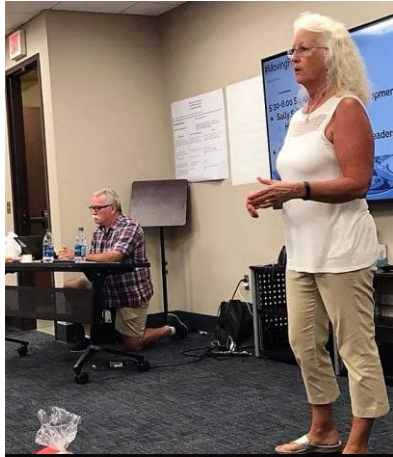
2019 Mark Harvey Legacy Recognition Award



Sally Scherrer - SD



2019 Mark Harvey Legacy Recognition Award

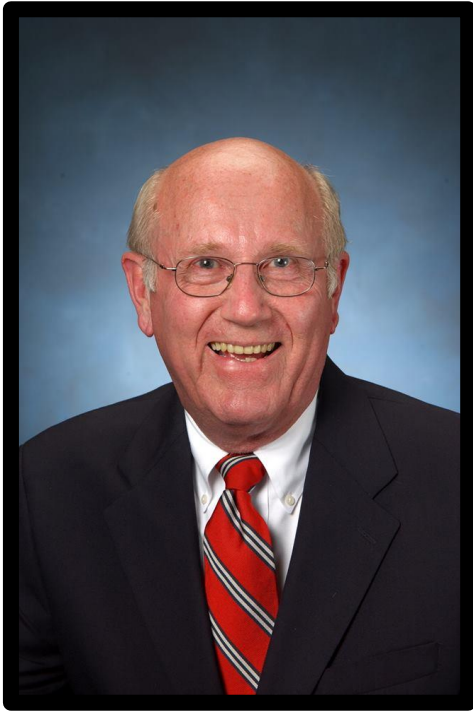


Sally Scherrer -

Central District Honor Award

- **The Central District Honor Award acknowledges recipients for their meritorious service and contributions. Candidates must be a member of SHAPE America for a minimum of eight years, and must have at least 10 years of experience as a full-time teacher, supervisor or administrator (or combination) in the fields of health, physical education, recreation and/or dance.**

Nominees: 2019 Central District Honor Award

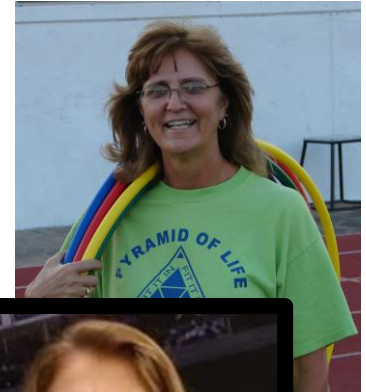


Tom Loughrey - MO



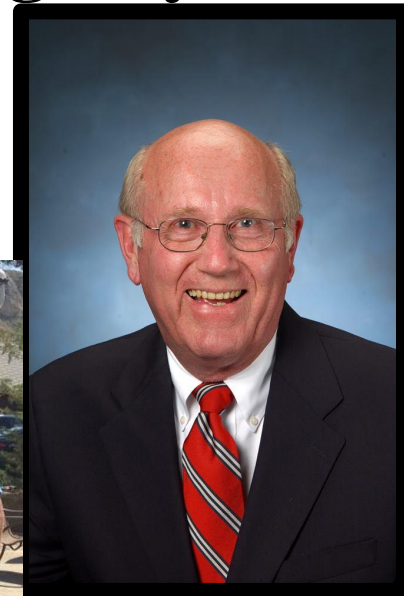
Claudia Welch - KS

2019 Central District Honor Award



Claudia Welch - KS

2019 Central District Honor Award Tom Loughrey - MO



Majors of the Year

- **The SHAPE America Major of the Year award celebrates outstanding undergraduate students in the fields of health, physical education, recreation and dance.**
- **Faculty advisors/professors are encouraged to nominate one outstanding student per major per college/university.**

SHAPE America - National Awards

SHAPE Majors of the Year

Brady Barker - CO

Ryann Long-Larkins - CO

Jacob Berger - IA

Caitlyn Welch - IA

Shelby Martin - KS

Alisha Henery - KS

Layne Nash - KS

Lauren Haney - KS

Kaylyn Biever - MN

Emily Bergland - MN

Makayla Pagel - MN

Mollie Graham - MN

Erica Brunker - MO

Kara Schnell MO

Anthony Washington - MO

Noah Knutson - ND

Julia Dehne - ND

Ashley Pietenpol - NE

Destiny Worthey - NE

Dana Johnson - NE

John Rech - NE

Taylor Stewart - NE

Trevor Watson - SD

Paul Sheppard - WY

North American Society

- Established in 1999, the North American Society (NAS) recognizes outstanding professionals from within the allied professions of health education, physical education, recreation, sport and dance in North America.

Individuals who are currently members of SHAPE America or PHE Canada are eligible to be nominated by a current NAS member. They must demonstrate **OUTSTANDING** competence through professional involvement over a period of at least 20 years and meet at least **TWO** of the identified aspects of professional endeavor:

- Service as an educator in the public or private sector within any community or educational setting.
- Administration within the public or private sector within any community or educational setting.
- Significant contributions to the professional literature within their discipline.
- Significant contributions to the scholarly literature within their discipline.
- Sustained involvement in leadership activities within their discipline.
- Other evidence of leadership within the profession including service to the community at large.

2019 North American Society Inductee



Dennis Docheff - MO

Presidential Citations

Julie Lueckenhoff

Presidential Ceremony

Ending Remarks - Executive Committee