

| <u>SPORT</u> | <u>CLASS</u> | <u>COACH</u> | <u>SCHOOL</u> | <u>SPORT</u> | <u>CLASS</u> | <u>COACH</u> | <u>SCHOOL</u> |
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| Football | A | Ty Fleming | Shadyside | Wrestling | A | Jim Potts | Cameron |
| | AA | Jay Circosta | Monroe Central | | AA | Paul Robison | Monroe Central |
| | AAA | Dave Bruney | Martins Ferry | | AAA | Larry Shaw | Oak Glen |
| | AAAA | Dave Everson | Edison | | AAAA | Rich Shilling | East Liverpool |
| Volleyball | A | Patricia Marcum | Beallsville | Cheerleading | A | Stephanie Gaich | Weirton Madonna |
| | AA | Dan McKinstry | Wellsville | | AA | Rose Palmer | Wheeling Central |
| | AAA | Colleen Kasper | Shenandoah | | AAA | Diana Stender | Tyler Consolidated |
| | AAAA | Bob Theiss | Beaver Local | | AAAA | Terry McAtee | Weir |
| Golf | A | Mark Zavatsky | Linsly | Track-Boys | A | Dave Plumby | Linsly |
| | AA | Joe Nolan | Steubenville Catholic | | AA | Tim Frye | River |
| | AAA | Ken Herron | Indian Creek | | AAA | Monte Miller | Bellaire |
| | AAAA | Mike Ricci | Wheeling Park | | AAAA | Scott Thornberry | East Liverpool |
| Cross Country | A/AA | Dugan Hill | Caldwell | Track-Girls | A | Bubba Kapral | Bellaire St. John |
| Boys | AAA | Tony Cirolì | St. Clairsville | | AA | Bob Stanko | Steubenville Catholic |
| | AAAA | Scott Thornberry | East Liverpool | | AAA | Monte Miller | Bellaire |
| Cross Country | A/AA | Dennis Delbert | Bellaire St. John | | AAAA | Linda Thayer | East Liverpool |
| Girls | AAA | Chris Arno | Bellaire | Swimming-Boys | Large School | Sandy Grimm | Steubenville |
| | AAAA | Herb Fitzer | Zanesville | | Small School | Bill Brubaker | Linsly |
| Soccer-Boys | Division I | Dave Coutts | Linsly | Swimming-Girls | Large School | Sandy Grimm | Steubenville |
| | Division II | Ed Vescovi | Edison | | Small School | Kaybeth Calabria | Steubenville Catholic |
| Soccer-Girls | Division I | Anthony James | Wheeling Park | Softball | A | Liz Hofreuter-Andini | Linsly |
| | Division II | Cynthia Lawther | John Marshall | | AA | Ted Brown | Monroe Central |
| Basketball-Boys | A | Lou Tolzda, Jr. | Beallsville | Baseball | AAA | Melissa Kaldor | Bellaire |
| | AA | Dan Liedtke | Fort Frye | | AAAA | Spencer Bendle | Edison |
| | AAA | Gene Ammirante | Bellaire | | A | Gary Sprague | Linsly |
| | AAAA | Gene Ford | Cambridge | | AA | Kyle Rose | River |
| Basketball-Girls | A | Jim Miller | Shadyside | AAA | Michael Cottis | Indian Creek | |
| | AA | Tad Secrest | Caldwell | AAAA | Bill Beattie | Edison | |
| | AAA | Mickey Blatnik | St. Clairsville | | | | |
| | AAAA | Ron Smyth | Edison | | | | |
| Tennis-Boys | Overall | Mike Church | Linsly | | | | |
| Tennis-Girls | Overall | Dave Reithmiller | Linsly | | | | |

**OVAC Banquet of Champions
Special Awards Presentations**

Bodkin Wilson & Kozicki Co. Soccer Scholarship.....Brandon Kelly, Linsly
 Cal Giffin Memorial Track Service Award.....William C. Thornberry
 Daniel M. Burke Wrestling Scholarship.....David Bertolino, Jr.,
 Buckeye Local
 Dave Bierkortte Award.....David Bertolino, Jr., Buckeye Local
 Douglas Pilney Memorial Golf Scholarship.....Jerome Pannacci,
 Weirton Madonna
 Football Officials' Scholarship.....Patrick Snyder, Magnolia
 George Kovalick Wrestling Scholarship.....Philip Bliss, Brooke
 Henry Lasasz Basketball OH Scholarship.....Zachary Burkhart,
 Beallsville
 Henry Lasasz Basketball WV Scholarship.....Chris Stephens,
 Wheeling Central
 James "Dead Eye" Morris Wrestling Scholarship.....Tony Mayle,
 Indian Creek
 Kroger Scholarship.....Anthony Antonucci, Toronto
 Matt Salsberry Wrestling Scholarship.....John Petrozzi, Buckeye Local
 OVAC Cheerleader Scholarships.....Lindsey Schloss, Steubenville
 Heather Magyar, Shadyside
 OVAC Swimming Scholarship.....Jo Beth Rollandini, Linsly
 Pepsi-Cola Scholarship.....Tristin Miracle, Shadyside
 Richard Potts Basketball OH Scholarship.....Tristin Miracle, Shadyside
 Richard Potts Basketball WV Scholarship.....Kara Blacker, Linsly
 Samuel A. Mumley Memorial Scholarship.....Mallory Zearott,
 Bishop Donahue
 Stephen E. Hannig Memorial Scholarship.....Carolyn Cook,
 Wheeling Central
 WesBanco Scholarship.....Anna Meckley, Tyler Consolidated

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Banquet of Champions

Program

Dinner Music Buckeye Local High School Jazz Band
Welcome Ron White, Banquet Chairman
National Anthem Shaylee Peckens,
 Buckeye Local High School

Invocation

Dinner

Master of Ceremonies Scott Nolte
Comments Bruce Umbleby, Kroger
 Cecil Toner, Wendy's
 Tim Bryan and Marty Spaner, Pepsi
 Tom Rataiczak, OVAC

PRESENTATION OF SPECIAL AWARDS

Bodkin Wilson & Kozicki Soccer Scholarship
 Basketball Coaches' Scholarships
 Cal Giffin Memorial Track Service Award
 Douglas Pilney Memorial Golf Scholarship
 Kroger Scholarship
 Ohio Valley Approved Football Officials' Scholarship
 OVAC Cheerleader Scholarships
 OVAC Swimming Scholarship
 Pepsi-Cola Scholarship
 Samuel A. Mumley Memorial Scholarship
 Stephen E. Hannig Memorial Scholarship
 WesBanco Scholarship
 Wrestling Scholarships
 Daniel M. Burke, Wrestling Scholarship
 Dave Bierkortte Wrestling Award
 George Kovalick, Memorial Wrestling Scholarship
 James 'Dead-Eye' Morris OVAC Wrestling Scholarship
 Matt Salsberry Wrestling Scholarship

**Presentation of the News Register-Bill Van Horne OVAC
 Coach of the Year Award** Nick Bedway

Presentation of the OVAC Championship Pennants

Benediction

Ohio Valley Athletic Conference
2002-2003
EXECUTIVE BOARD OFFICERS

Welcome

I would like to take this opportunity to welcome all the fine young athletes and coaches who have come together tonight to be honored for their tremendous athletic and academic achievements.

The athletes and coaches are to be congratulated on their hard work, dedication, and success in their respective sports.

Our corporate sponsors, Kroger, Pepsi, Wendy's, and the Ohio Valley Athletic Conference are proud to pay tribute to you and hope this banquet will be another outstanding memory of your championship season.

CONGRATULATIONS AND GOOD LUCK!!

*Ron White
Banquet Chairman*

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CLASS REPRESENTATIVES

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| Class A | Bob Koch | Cameron |
| Class AA | Ed Cihy | Wheeling Central |
| Class AAA | Warren Hood | Martins Ferry |
| Class AAAA | Blair Closser | Buckeye Local |

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**All-Star Softball Game
Chambers I-470 Field—Wheeling
Tuesday, June 4, 2003, 6:00 PM**

**George Kovalick Baseball Classic
Vaccaro Field—Steubenville
Monday, June 2, 2003, 7:00 PM**

**32nd Rudy Mumley
OVAC All-Star Charity Football Game
Wheeling Island Stadium
Wheeling, West Virginia
Sunday, July 27, 2003, 7:15 PM**

**McDonald's OVAC All Star Band
Queen of Queen's Pageant
All Star Cheerleaders**

**OVAC Ohio vs West Virginia Soccer
All-Star Match
Wheeling Jesuit University
Wednesday, May 21, 2003
Girls 5:30 PM
Boys 7:30 PM**

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ALL-STAR CONTESTS**

**Ohio Valley Athletic
Conference
Kroger, Wendy's
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presents the**

**18th BANQUET OF
CHAMPIONS**



**Wheeling Civic Center
Wheeling, West Virginia
Monday, May 19, 2003
6:30 p.m.**

*Sewing the Youth
of the Upper Ohio Valley*