

Coach Robert “Red” Locke ‘68 - Distinguished Athletics Coach

Coach Robert “Red” Locke, passed away in 2011 and was a legendary figure in Canevin athletics, most notably serving as Head Baseball Coach for 19 years. He built the baseball program into a WPIAL powerhouse, compiling 273 wins, 13 section titles, two WPIAL championships, and a state runner-up finish, while reaching the playoffs every season. Beyond his remarkable success on the field, Coach Locke was a constant and caring presence in the Canevin community, embodying dedication both to the game and to the school.

James “Jay” Jancosko ‘79 - Distinguished Athlete

This is a long overdue honor for Jay Jancosko. He was an exceptional two-sport athlete at Canevin and one of only two athletes in school history to earn All-State honors in both football and basketball during his senior year. His achievements earned him multiple scholarship offers and attended Tulane University to play football. That experience eventually helped launch a coaching career in football. Jay has served as QB Coach/Strength and Speed Specialist at Chaminade Madonna High School in Florida, winning seven state championships while also dedicating himself to supporting underprivileged students and giving back to the school community.

Stephen M. Wayhart ‘79

BBA and MBA Duquesne, Brandmill, Student Council, basketball, football the youngest Senior Marketing Manager in McDonald’s history

I cherish memories of my senior spring when my friend Jimmy Sciulli and I played HORSE nearly every day in the gym during our free eighth period

with Mr. Amorose and Mr. Jordan, who were technically supposed to be patrolling the halls. My favorite classes were American History with Mr. Jacoby, where I led the class after earning an extra five percentage points on my final grade for a Post-Gazette editorial, and Vocabulary with Mr. Holzer, which never produced a state of ennui; even teachers like Brother Jim, Mr. Fazio, and countless others with whom I never shared a classroom knew me by name, took a genuine interest, and made me feel truly seen and valued.

Jeffrey R. Keenan '70 - Distinguished Alumni

Jeff Keenan's life and career have taken him in many exciting directions, and we look forward to sharing those stories as the Ball approaches. Today, he serves as President of the Historical Society of Carnegie, where he has dedicated over twelve years of volunteer leadership. Through his vision, Bishop Canevin students have been welcomed into meaningful internship opportunities, a Canevin section of memorabilia was established at the Historical Society, and the Bishop Canevin Hall of Fame and Museum was created within the school. Through all of his experiences, Jeff has remained grounded in the Catholic values he first embraced at BC, guiding his work, his service, and his life.

Bernard "Bernie" Shaughnessy '84 - Distinguished Alumni

Bernie has devoted more than 40 years to the Bishop Canevin community and in particular the Mosaic yearbook, serving in nearly every role, including as its only two-time editor, yearbook advisor, and publisher. A graduate of St. Vincent College, he later became a franchise owner of

Shaughnessy & Associates/Jostens. Bernie and Jostens have faithfully supported BC through generous financial contributions and in-kind gifts over the years. Today, Bernie remains an active and proud member of the BC community, sharing his Crusader spirit alongside his wife and children.

Marilyn Schwab - Distinguished Supporter

Marilyn is a symbol of strength, love, and perseverance within our Crusader community. After the heartbreaking loss of her beloved daughter, Maura Grace Schwab '04, in 2015, Marilyn, her son Steven '01, and dear friends established the Maura Grace Schwab Memorial Scholarship in her honor, and faithfully sustain it each year. The scholarship supports students who demonstrate financial need, maintain a B average, and are actively involved in church, community, and school activities. Through profound loss and her own battle with cancer, Marilyn has remained a woman of deep faith and grace, leaning on prayer and emerging with unwavering courage.

John Mieczkowski - Distinguished Educator

Mr. Mitch went home to God in 2000, leaving behind a remarkable legacy at Bishop Canevin. For 37 years, he was a beloved and dedicated math teacher, and for many of those years also served as a basketball coach. His children proudly followed in his footsteps as Crusaders. He formed lifelong friendships with his fellow faculty members and inspired countless students to pursue mathematics in higher education. So profound was his impact

that the Mr. Mitch Scholarship continues to this day, awarded each year to an incoming freshman who demonstrates exceptional talent and passion for mathematics.