

18th Annual

# INDUCTION CEREMONY & BANQUET

September 2, 1994

# Honoring

Charlie Armstrong Barb Bunkowsky George McCloud Paul McGowan Deion Sanders
Ron Schomburger
Roger Slater
Mitchell Wiggins

Moore-Stone Award Weldon "Babe" Starry

# Hall of Fame Induction Ceremony Friday, September 2, 1994 Leon County Civic Center

# Inductee Procession

| Welcome  |
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| Opening Remarks  |
| Invocation   |
| Dinner   |
| Introduction of Special Guests Mr. Doug Mannheimer  Chairman, Hall of Fame                         |
| Presentation of Hall of Fame Inductees Mr. Wayne Hogan and and the Moore-Stone Award Mr. Don Fauls |
| Closing Remarks  |

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## **CHARLIE ARMSTRONG**

Charlie Armstrong was a true pioneer in Florida State athletics. An Army Corps veteran and outstanding football player on Indiana's Big 10 Championship team of 1946, Armstrong was hired by Don Veller as FSU's first assistant coach in the spring of 1948. Besides his football duties, Charlie

was also named FSU's first ever baseball coach. Armstrong led the Noles to winning records in each of their first four baseball seasons (1948-51).

During Charlie's four years on the football staff, the Noles won 30 of 34 games. Coach Don Veller gives Charlie much credit for the team's first football successes which culminated in FSU's first bowl win against Wofford College in the 1949 Cigar Bowl.

Armstrong was called back into the military service in 1951. He went on to coach winning programs at several high schools following his retirement from the military in 1970.

Charlie and Millie, his wife of 47 years, live in Tallahassee and have four children and ten grandchildren.



# BARBARA BUNKOWSKY

At the age of 10 Barbara Bunkowsky picked up a golf club and met her destiny. Twelve years later, the Burlington, Ontario native would leave Florida State as one of its finest golfers ever.

Bunkowsky's performance in the team's first national championship is still talked about in Tallahassee golfing circles. Barbara shot even par in the last round of the AIAW National Championship in Athens, GA. Her efforts were even more dramatic as she birdied the final five holes to seal the championship. The victory was a record fifth tournament win for the Lady Seminoles in 1981.

Barbara made a quick impact on the LPGA Tour picking up her first tournament win at the Chrysler-Plymouth Charity Classic in only her second professional season. Bunkowsky is now in her 11th season with the LPGA and ranks among the top 30 money winners on tour.



# GEORGE McCLOUD

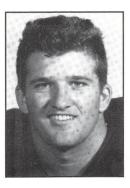
All George McCloud needed was a change. The arrival of Pat Kennedy as head basketball coach at Florida State was just what he needed. With an unusual switch from forward to point guard, McCloud became one of the finest players in FSU basketball history.

After posting only average numbers in his first two seasons, McCloud, a 6'6" native of Daytona

Beach, FL, would blossom his junior season and become one of the nation's top scorers leading the Seminoles to back-to-back NCAA Tournament appearances.

McCloud was twice named to the All-Metro Conference team earning Most Valuable Player honors as a senior following the 1988-89 season. George would finish his career as the Seminoles' second all-time leading scorer and as a finalist for the John Wooden Award which recognizes the nation's top player.

A lottery pick by the NBA's Indiana Pacers, McCloud enjoyed several outstanding seasons with the Pacers and currently continues his professional career.



## PAUL McGOWAN

Middle linebacker Paul McGowan forged a name for himself with consistent play and ferocious tackling that eventually distinguished him as Florida State's first Butkus Award winner.

McGowan, a native of Winter Park, FL was a terror for four seasons in the Seminole defense from 1984-87. While fans cheered his ability to stop ballcarriers with bone-jarring tackles, coaches marveled

at his sound fundamentals and dependability.

McGowan would mold an emerging Florida State defense into one of the country's most feared units, leading the team in tackles for three consecutive seasons. His 14 tackle performance against Nebraska as a sophomore brought Associated Press player of the week honors to a young McGowan who proceeded to become one of the finest defenders in the nation.

When Paul McGowan accepted the Butkus Trophy signifying the nation's top linebacker, he became the first Seminole to take home a national award. He ushered in an era that saw FSU's defense join the offense in national stature.



# ROGER SLATER

Few athletes have had as storied and successful a career at Florida State and beyond than Roger Slater. A diver and swimmer in the Navy, Slater was recruited by FSU Coach Bim Stults in 1948 and became a one-man swimming gold mine.

Roger won All-State low board diving honors three straight years and was an All-American swimmer and boxing champion in high school. Slater came to Florida State where he became famous for his half-gainer twist with a layout, and forward one-and-one half somersault pike with a full twist. So dominant was Slater that he finished his intercollegiate career undefeated. In 1950, Slater became FSU's first All-American in any sport earning the title in one-meter diving and repeating the feat in 1951.

Slater excelled academically as well, completing his pre-med degree in just three years. After attending Bowman Gray School of Medicine, Slater now lives in Blythe, California where he has practiced medicine for 34 years.



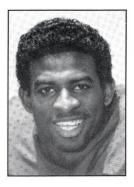
# MITCHELL WIGGINS

Mitchell Wiggins, an All-American and Florida State's career scoring leader, made his mark at FSU in just two short seasons. The North Carolina native came to Florida State via McDonnell Junior College where he was a junior college All-American.

As a junior in 1982, his first season at FSU, Wiggins averaged 23.8 points per game to become the school's first Metro Conference scoring champion. He averaged just under 10 rebounds per contest, the best mark in the country for a guard. Wiggins represented Florida State while touring with the United States national team in the summer of 1982.

A first-round draft pick of the Indiana Pacers in 1983, Wiggins was traded to the Houston Rockets, where he spent five of his six NBA seasons. He also played for the Golden State Warriors and Seattle Supersonics, averaging over 10 points per game in his NBA career.

Wiggins is still enjoying his professional career overseas in Europe.



# **DEION SANDERS**

If there was a quintessential athlete, a guy everybody wants, someone who is so unique that he is nearly indescribable, then that athlete would be Deion Sanders.

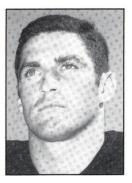
Deion proved from the start at Florida State he would be something special. As a freshman, Sanders started in the Seminoles' secondary, played outfield on the baseball team which finished 5th in the nation, and

led the track team to its 10th conference championship.

A two-time All-America at cornerback, Sanders was the 1988 Thorpe Award winner as the nation's finest defensive back. He led the Seminoles to some of their most memorable wins including picking off an Auburn pass with seconds left to preserve a win over the Tigers in the 1988 Sugar Bowl.

Deion was drafted as a professional by both the Atlanta Falcons of the NFL and the New York Yankees in major league baseball. Sanders continued to play two sports earning All-Pro honors with the Falcons and becoming a superstar in centerfield for the Braves, and now for the Reds.

An extraordinary athlete, when Deion Sanders is around it's always "Prime Time."



# RON SCHOMBURGER

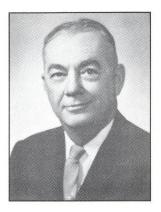
Ron Schomburger seemed destined to succeed from his earliest days at Florida State. The Pittsburgh, Pennsylvania native was a standout player for a fledgling FSU football program that would evolve into one of the nation's finest.

A three sport high school star and Army veteran, Schomburger came to FSU in 1954. His aggressive style and indomitable will were immediately

evident. Tom Nugent, the Seminole head coach at the time, described him as a "tough, complete package." A starter both offensively and defensively, Ron was named to the all-state as well as several all-American teams after his senior season.

Schomburger was equally exceptional as a student earning membership on the Collegiate All-American Academic Team, the FSU men's leadership honor society and Gold Key.

Ron was drafted by the Washington Redskins but elected to go into the paper business later known as UNIJAX. After 33 years of service, Ron and his wife Annella enjoy Seminole action with their three children and two grandchildren.



# The Florida State University Athletic Department PRESENTS THE MOORE-STONE AWARD

For Outstanding Service To Florida State Athletics

# Weldon "Babe" Starry

Weldon "Babe" Starry made as strong a contribution to Florida State as any athlete though he never competed in a single event. A graduate of the University of Florida and Cumberland University Law School, Starry set his sights on a political career.

Starry's career took off quickly as he was elected Chief Clerk of the Florida House of Representatives in 1935 and then appointed a Special Attorney for the U.S. Department of Justice in 1936. A commitment towards community and civic projects motivated Starry to establish the Chamber of Commerce's Committee of 100 designed to promote business development in the Tallahassee community.

"Babe" became an avid Florida State booster and furnished the Starry Conference Room in the FSU School of Business. He served three terms as the President of the Seminole Booster Club.

This spirit of giving will never be forgotten in Tallahassee.

# **MOORE-STONE AWARD**

| Bill McGrotha      | 1980 | Rainey Cawthon     | 1987 |
|--------------------|------|--------------------|------|
| LeRoy Collins      | 1981 | Herb Morgan        | 1988 |
| Daisy Parker Flory | 1982 | Louis Hill         | 1989 |
| J. Edwin White     | 1983 | Billy Parker       | 1990 |
| F. Wilson Carraway | 1984 | T.K. Wetherell     | 1991 |
| George Langford    | 1985 | Dr. Bernard Sliger | 1992 |
| Godfrey Smith      | 1986 | Syde Patrick Deeb  | 1993 |
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# FORMER INDUCTEES ENSHRINED

### CLASS OF 1977

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| Fred Biletnikoff Phil Boggs Dr. Doak Campbell Adrian Catarzi Dave Cowens Hubert Green Dick Howser | Dr. Mode Stone, Sr.  | J.K. "Bud" Kennedy<br>Ken Misner<br>Miss Katie Montgomery<br>Dr. Coyle Moore, Sr.<br>Buddy Reynolds<br>Bill Roetzheim<br>Ron Sellers |
|   | CLASS OF 1978        |  |
| Lee Corso<br>Kim Hammond<br>Ron Harris  |                      | Mike Long<br>Dr. Hartley Price<br>Bim Stults   |
|   | CLASS OF 1979        |  |
| Curt Genders<br>A. Downing Gray<br>Jack Haskin<br>Mike Kelly                                      |                      | Jimmy Oler<br>Bill Peterson<br>Barry Smith<br>James "J.T." Thomas  |
|   | CLASS OF 1980        |  |
| Hugh Adams<br>Mike Conley<br>Hugh Durham  |                      | Buck Hiles<br>Jeff Hogan<br>Buddy Strauss  |
|   | CLASS OF 1981        |  |
| Dave Fedor<br>Ron Fraser<br>Danny Litwhiler   | Woody Woodward       | Danny Smith<br>Steve Tensi<br>Bud Whitehead  |
|   | CLASS OF 1982        |  |
| Bobby Crenshaw<br>Don Holder<br>Terry Kennedy<br>Vaughn Mancha                                    | Jexander T. "Lex" Wo | Fred Pickard<br>Walt Sumner<br>Paul "Ham" Wernke<br>Del Williams   |
| А   | CLASS OF 1983        | 30d  |
| Bill Dawkins<br>Jesse Forbes<br>John Grubb  | Jack Veghte          | Dick Gutting<br>Gary Huff<br>Tom Nugent  |
|   | CLASS OF 1984        |  |
| Dick Artmeirer<br>Bill Cappleman<br>Bradley Cooper<br>Larry Key                                   | Don Veller           | Jim Lyttle<br>Dale McCullers<br>Jack Miles<br>Bobby Renn   |
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### CLASS OF 1985

|   | CLASS OF 1985       |  |
|---|---------------------|--|
| Dick Hermann<br>Jimmy Jordan<br>Donald Loucks<br>Gene McDowell<br>James McFatter    |                     | Bill Odeneal<br>Mike Roberson<br>Mac Scarce<br>Gary Schull<br>Wally Woodham              |
|   | CLASS OF 1986       |  |
| Ralph Chaudron<br>Don Fauls<br>Rowland Garrett                                      |                     | Walter McCoy<br>Ron Simmons<br>Rohn Stark  |
|   | CLASS OF 1987       |  |
| Bobby Butler<br>Mike Fuentes<br>Bob Harbison<br>Ed Williamson                       |                     | Ken Lanier<br>Lee Nelson<br>Wyatt "Red" Parish   |
|   | CLASS OF 1988       |  |
| Paul Azinger<br>Jane Geddes<br>Willie Jones<br>Ron King                             | Darby Cottle Veazey | Vic Prinzi<br>Bill Proctor<br>Tony Romeo<br>Margie Wessel Scott                          |
|   | CLASS OF 1989       |  |
| Winfred Bailey<br>Charles Durbin<br>Sue Galkantas<br>Randy Givens                   |                     | Reggie Herring<br>Paul Piurowski<br>Dick Roberts<br>Jeff Sluman                          |
|   | CLASS OF 1990       |  |
| Greg Allen<br>John D. Bridgers<br>Bill Capece<br>Alphonso Carreker<br>Michelle Finn | CL +CC OF 1001      | Patrick W. Hogan<br>Kenny Knox<br>Don Merrick<br>Barbara Jo Palmer<br>Lisa Young-Walters |
|   | CLASS OF 1991       |  |
| Gene Ammann<br>Tony Avitable<br>John Crowe<br>Jamie Dukes<br>Jeff Ledbetter         |                     | Kenneth Miller<br>Marita Payne<br>Reggie Royals<br>Mike Shumann<br>Colleen Walker        |
|   | CLASS OF 1992       |  |
| Dr. Ray Bellamy<br>Chic Cicio<br>Jeff Gray<br>Billy Rhodes                          |                     | Patti Henderson<br>Otto Petty<br>Jody Reed   |
|   | CLASS OF 1993       |  |
| Luis Alicea<br>Bill "Red" Dawson<br>Carlos Fraundorfer<br>Al Makowiecki             |                     | Paul Haarhuis<br>Bobby Jackson<br>Mike Loynd   |