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**22nd ANNUAL
Cortland C-Club
Hall of Fame
Banquet**



September 8, 1990
State University of New York
COLLEGE AT CORTLAND

**Corey College Union
Function Room**

C-Club Hall of Fame 22nd Annual Banquet

Invocation

*Rev. Donald Wilcox
Chaplain, Interfaith Center*

Opening Remarks

*Dr. Lee Roberts
Director of Athletics*

DINNER

Hall of Fame Induction

*Master of Ceremonies:
Dr. Robert J. Weber
Professor Emeritus*

1990 Inductees

*Col. Donald Neff '39
David Allardice '41
James L. Cranfield '61
John W. Cooper '67
Patricia Genovese '71*

The C-Club Hall of Fame

The C-Club Hall of Fame was established in 1969 as a means of recognizing alumni who competed as athletes at Cortland State and who have since distinguished themselves in their professions and their communities.

New members have been inducted annually for the past 22 years. The 1990 ceremony on September 8th will bring the C-Club Hall of Fame roster to 99 alumni and six honorary members.

State University of New York College at Cortland

Located atop one of the rolling hills in central New York's "City of Seven Valleys," the State University of New York College at Cortland was founded in 1868 as the Cortland Normal School, which included among its earliest students the inventor and industrialist Elmer A. Sperry of Sperry-Rand Corp. fame.

Over the decades, the campus expanded and in 1941, by an act of the legislature and the Board of Regents, the institution officially became a four-year college providing courses leading to a bachelor's degree. In 1948, Cortland College was a founding member of the State University of New York.

Today more than 5,600 undergraduate and 600 graduate students are pursuing degrees within the College's two academic schools - Arts & Sciences and Professional Studies. Twenty-three departments with a faculty of more than 300 offer the Cortland State student body some 100 major programs from which to choose.

The College's main campus covers 191 acres and includes 30 major buildings. Fourteen of these structures are residence halls providing on-campus housing for 2,600 students. Cortland also operates its Outdoor Education Center at Raquette Lake in the Adirondacks, the Hoxie Gorge Nature Preserve outside Cortland, and the Brauer Memorial Geological Field Station near Albany on the Helderberg Escarpment.

At Cortland, athletics are viewed as having an important role in the educational mission of the College. During the fall, winter and spring seasons, Cortland participates in 24 intercollegiate sports - 12 men's and 12 women's - in an attempt to provide a broad program which meets the needs, interests and abilities of its students.

Cortland College is particularly proud of its long tradition of intercollegiate athletics and its high standing in small college athletic circles. In support of this heritage, the College offers its student athletes - some 800 annually - a number of outstanding indoor and outdoor facilities for intercollegiate competition, as well for educational and recreational purposes.

The Park Center for Physical Education and Recreation, opened in 1973, features a main gymnasium with a 3,600 seating capacity; an Olympic-sized swimming pool with gallery seating for 1,500; an ice arena which can accommodate 2,500 spectators; racquetball and squash courts, a wrestling room, and modern athletic training facilities.

Nearby Lusk Field House, with its tartan-textured surface, is home for the indoor track teams, varsity practice sessions and recreational activities. The Red Dragon football and lacrosse squads compete on Davis Field with its 5,000 seating capacity. Cortland soccer teams play on Holloway Field, which has lights for night contests. The College also has 50 acres of athletic fields and 24 outdoor tennis courts.

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Col. Donald Neff '39
5509 Clark Avenue
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The recipient of the Silver Star for his heroic actions in World War II and a three-time honoree as commander of the top U.S. Armed Forces Examining and Entrance Station (AFEES) in the nation during the early 1970's, Col. Donald Neff has combined a distinguished military career with his continued interest in athletics.

A native of Rochester, N.Y., Neff graduated from Cortland College in 1939 with a bachelor's degree in physical education. While at Cortland, he won the Red Letter in soccer playing for "Prof" Holloway's first Red Mule squads. Neff was a four-year letterman in baseball and competed on the football and gymnastics teams.

Before enlisting in the Marine Corps in 1943, Neff coached football, basketball and baseball in Copenhagen, N.Y., and Margaretville, N.Y.

Assigned to the Amphibious Reconnaissance Battalion in the Pacific Theatre, Neff was awarded the Silver Star, the nation's third highest honor, for leading a pre-invasion reconnaissance of Tinian Island that resulted in the saving of thousands of Marine Corps lives.

After the War, Neff returned to teaching and coaching at Margaretville Central School and at Highland High School. From 1951 until 1956, Neff was the Assistant Commandant of the Cadet Corps and head football, basketball and baseball coach at Cardinal Farley Military Academy in Rhinecliff, N.Y. During this time, he also organized and commanded the Marine Corps Volunteer Training Unit in Poughkeepsie.

In 1958, after moving to Pittsburgh, PA, Neff became a member of the Pittsburgh Marine Corps Volunteer Training Unit. He commanded that unit from 1963 until 1966, when he was recalled to active duty as the commanding officer of the Pittsburgh AFEES. His operation served 60 Selective Service Local Boards in Pennsylvania and 77 local boards in West Virginia. From 1970 to 1972, Neff's AFEES was chosen as the nation's top from among 74 AFEES in the United States.

Over the years, Neff has officiated collegiate basketball in the Atlantic Coast Conference, the Eastern Collegiate Athletic Conference, the Southern Conference and the Tri-State Conference. He has officiated in the NCAA Tournament and, in 1968, was voted the top collegiate basketball official in Western Pennsylvania by the Pittsburgh basketball sportswriters. He has also officiated collegiate soccer in Western Pennsylvania, Maryland and West Virginia. He also served as chief collegiate scout in western Pennsylvania, West Virginia and eastern Ohio for the Philadelphia 76ers of the NBA.

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David Allardice '41
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Britton Creek #102
Hendersonville, N.C. 28739

"He was, undoubtedly, the best college goalie I have ever seen," the legendary "Prof" Holloway said of David Allardice, who captured All-State Teachers College goalie honors as a three-time letterman for Cortland between 1938-40.

A native of Rochester, N.Y., Allardice earned a bachelor's degree in Health and Physical Education from Cortland College in 1941. He earned a master's degree in Student Personnel Administration from Columbia University Teachers College in 1947 and an Ed.D. in Administration from the same institution in 1962.

From 1941 until 1974, Allardice worked in a variety of capacities in the Northport (NY) School District. He served as director of adult education for six years, head of the physical education department for two years, dean of boys for 13 years, principal of the summer school for two years, assistant principal for three years and principal for 14 years.

He has given numerous speeches and has been a consultant on topics such as Self-Directed Independent Study; Reporting Pupil Progress; and the Administrative Team Management Approach at conferences of the National Association of Secondary School Principals, the New York State Association of Secondary School Administrators, and other state and local educational groups.

Allardice, a member of Phi Delta Kappa and the 1963 recipient of the John Hay Fellowship in the Humanities from Bennington College, spent three summers as an adjunct professor in teacher education at Hofstra University and SUNY College at Geneseo.

After retiring in 1974, Allardice went overseas as an administrator of American Schools. Between 1975 and 1977, he was principal of The Community School Junior High in Tehran, Iran. The following year he served as superintendent of The American School of Kinshasa, Zaire. In 1979-80, Allardice was principal of The American School in Aberdeen, Scotland.

In 1981, he returned to the United States and spent the next six years as a counselor in the Fairfax (VA) Public Schools.

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James L. Cranfield '61
48 Forest Hill Drive
Auburn, New York 13021

A member of the National Junior College Wrestling Hall of Fame and a former Region III Cross Country Coach of the Year, James Cranfield has extended his exceptional achievements as a Cortland College undergraduate into an outstanding career as a physical education instructor and coach at Cayuga Community College since 1965.

Cranfield, who grew up in Auburn, N.Y., excelled at Cortland College between 1957 and 1961. He was president of the House of Delegates, a member of the Faculty-Student Board of Directors, a four-time letterman, SUNYAC champion and state runner-up Red Dragon wrestler, the Red Letter Award winner in track, soloist for the Men's Glee Club and treasurer of Delta Kappa Beta fraternity.

Graduating from Cortland College in 1961 with a bachelor of science degree in physical education, Cranfield earned a master's degree in physical education from Syracuse University in 1963. From 1963 until 1965, Cranfield taught science and health at West High School in Auburn, N.Y.

Cranfield began his long association with Cayuga Community College in Auburn, N.Y., in 1965. The versatile educator and coach continues to wear many hats at the institution. A professor in the physical education department, Cranfield has edited the C.C.C. Newsletter, served on a vast array of campus-wide committees, has been director of C.C.C. Alumni Affairs since 1984, spent 1986-87 as Acting Director of Admissions and has still found time to direct the C.C.C. wrestling and cross country teams that have produced numerous All-America athletes.

On an international level, Cranfield managed the C.C.C. basketball team's cultural exchange trip to Jamaica and coached the 1976 Junior Pan American Wrestling Team.

Within his community, Cranfield is a past president of the Auburn Enlarged School District Board of Education. He is a past president and current member of the Cayuga County Boces Board.

Since 1968, he has been College Chairman and Small Business Recruiter for the United Fund. A former member of the YMCA Camp Committee and the Auburn Jaycees, Cranfield has held the top offices in the Owasco Yacht Club Board of Directors. He has authored a number of articles for *Rudder Magazine* and *Lakeland Boating* and wrote *History of the Owasco Yacht Club 1893-1983*.

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John W. Cooper '67
3868 Orchard St.
Walworth, New York 14568

Selected as the "Outstanding New York State Principal" and named the New York State representative for the In Honor of Excellence in Education Award in 1986, Dr. John W. Cooper has earned distinction as a school administrator.

Cooper, who since 1987 has been the assistant superintendent for instruction in the Canandaigua School District, served as principal of James Beneway High School in Ontario Center, N.Y., between 1980-87, dean of students at Guilderland Central High School from 1977 to 1980, and coordinator of adult & continuing education for the combined schools districts of Draper Union Free, Mohonasen and Schalmont between 1970-75. At the latter, Cooper also worked as assistant principal, superintendent's intern, coordinator of secondary health education, and head varsity football coach in the Schalmont School District.

Cooper began his professional career as a health and physical education teacher and as a football and lacrosse coach at Wilbur Lynch High School in the Greater Amsterdam School District from 1968 to 1970.

Selected by the New York Library Association/School Library Media Section as its first annual Secondary Administrators Award winner, Cooper is an assessor for the National Association of Secondary School Principals (NASP) within the principal's assessment model. A presenter at state and national conferences, Cooper has been an author and consultant for numerous articles. He is a past president of the Wayne County Administrators Association and a member of the American Association of School Administrators.

A native of Altamont, N.Y., Cooper attended Cortland College from 1963 to 1967. He lettered three years in both football and lacrosse. As a senior, he was an ECAC Football Player of the Week. Cooper was a member of Beta Phi Epsilon fraternity and social chairman for two years.

Cooper earned a bachelor of science degree in physical education from Cortland in 1967. He graduated from Syracuse University with a master's degree in physical education in 1968. While at Syracuse, Cooper had an assistantship teaching physical education and coaching freshman lacrosse. He earned an Ed.D. in Educational Administration from SUNY-Albany in 1979.

Within his community, Cooper is a member of the Finger Lakes Youth Museum Board of Trustees and a former member of the Myers Community Hospital Board of Trustees and of the Walworth-Seely Library Board of Trustees. He is currently a board member for the Canandaigua Dollars for Scholars, the Ontario Bicentennial Video Committee and the Canandaigua Library Council.

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Patricia P. Genovese '71
1327 Prospect Hill Road
Geneva, New York 14456

As head coach of the William Smith College field hockey and lacrosse squads, Pat Genovese has directed her Heron squads to the pinnacle of national preeminence in recent years.

In 1988, the Genovese-led Heron lacrosse team finished second in the nation — the first New York State team to advance to the NCAA Division III women's lacrosse finals. Earlier, in the autumn of 1987, the William Smith field hockey team also earned second place at the NCAA Div. III Championships.

Genovese, the 1988 U.S. Intercollegiate Women's Lacrosse Association National "Coach of the Year," has produced numerous field hockey and lacrosse All-Americans since starting at William Smith immediately after graduation from Cortland in 1971. During her tenure, she has also coached volleyball, basketball and tennis. From 1974 to 1983, Genovese was coordinator of women's intercollegiate athletics at William Smith. In 1987, she served as acting athletic director at William Smith. She has also coordinated the Hobart and William Smith Colleges skiing, equestrian and sailing programs.

Active with the New York State Association of Intercollegiate Athletics for Women, Genovese served as a voting representative with that organization and with the Eastern AIAW. She served on a number of committees within the NYSAIAW and has coached William Smith to five NYSAIAW field hockey titles.

A native of Clifton Springs, N.Y., Genovese attended Green Mountain College in Poultney, VT for two years prior to transferring to Cortland College. She was on the Dean's List, a student government member, an honor society member and competed in basketball, volleyball and on the synchronized swim team at Green Mountain College. She earned an associate's degree from there in 1968.

From 1968 until 1971, Genovese attended Cortland where she was on the Dean's List, was a member of the Kappa Delta Pi national education honor society, and on the track, lacrosse and equestrian club teams.

Genovese graduated cum laude with a bachelor of science degree in physical education from Cortland in January, 1971. She earned a master of science degree in physical education from Ithaca College in 1975.

C-CLUB HALL OF FAME

Class of 1927-

William A. Class (*Inducted 1977*)

Class of 1928-

John Kress (*Inducted 1981*)

Class of 1930-

Leo Meldrim (*Inducted 1969*)

Class of 1931-

Allen "Chiz" Frye (*Inducted 1982*)

Joseph Palone (*Inducted 1979*)

Class of 1932-

Robert Rifenberick (*Inducted 1978*)

Class of 1933-

Wilbur S. Bergstrom (*Inducted 1973*)

George A. Brown (*Inducted 1973*)

Oliver E. Cook (*Inducted 1978*)

Dudley Hare (*Inducted 1980*)

Ernest J. Lalley (*Inducted 1987*)

Class of 1935-

Joseph P. Addressa (*Inducted 1976*)

Gerald McDonald (*Inducted 1984*)

Richard W. Ross (*Inducted 1980*)

Andrew C. Tei (*Inducted 1975*)

Class of 1936-

Charles H. Edkins (*Inducted 1983*)

David G. Miller (*Inducted 1978*)

Class of 1937-

Edward L. Carter (*Inducted 1972*)

Robert M. Dean (*Inducted 1986*)

Class of 1939-

Joseph St. Lawrence (*Inducted 1970*)

Anthony P. Tesori (*Inducted 1970*)

Class of 1940-

George Anderson (*Inducted 1970*)

Merlin W. Hathaway (*Inducted 1969*)

Leon Williams (*Inducted 1970*)

Class of 1941-

Peter Betrus (*Inducted 1983*)

Robert O. Lockwood (*Inducted 1977*)

Carlton Petrie (*Inducted 1980*)

Henry "Hank" Vetter (*Inducted 1980*)

Class of 1942-

Laurens E. Dietz (*Inducted 1977*)

Gordon "Tiger" Found (*Inducted 1982*)

Edward J. Walsh (*Inducted 1988*)

Class of 1943-

Whitney T. Corey (*Inducted 1969*)

Richard P. McLean (*Inducted 1983*)

Maurice L. Page Sr. (*Inducted 1980*)

Robert Springer (*Inducted 1979*)

Class of 1946-

John Moiseichik (*Inducted 1969*)

Simon J. Molnar (*Inducted 1984*)

Class of 1947-

Gerald J. Hase (*Inducted 1985*)

Arnold Rist (*Inducted 1987*)

Walter Schumacher (*Inducted 1977*)

Class of 1948-

Emilio DaBramo (*Inducted 1971*)

Charles T. Button (*Inducted 1971*)

Jean Chapin Dolat (*Inducted 1978*)

A. Hugh Jack (*Inducted 1972*)

Jack Kobuskie (*Inducted 1974*)

Ernest Luongo (*Inducted 1983*)

Patricia M. Peterson (*Inducted 1984*)

Francis "Red" Redmond (*Inducted 1982*)

Walter R. Suess (*Inducted 1977*)

Aurthur F. Thompson (*Inducted 1977*)

Nicholas F. Troisi (*Inducted 1982*)

John C. Tuthill (*Inducted 1971*)

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Class of 1949-

Marion J. Fricano (*Inducted 1972*)

George C. Fuge (*Inducted 1976*)

Anthony B. Grandinette (*Inducted 1985*)

Earl R. Keefer (*Inducted 1977*)

George J. King (*Inducted 1973*)

Marcus J. Martone (*Inducted 1975*)

Walter J. Przybylo (*Inducted 1972*)

Otis Sennett (*Inducted 1986*)

Robert H. Young (*Inducted 1984*)

Class of 1950-

John Hollaran (*Inducted 1985*)

John F. Reardon (*Inducted 1978*)

Class of 1951-

Edward Bosse (*Inducted 1989*)

Milton "Dutch" Hess (*Inducted 1989*)

Class of 1952-

Robert F. Riedel (*Inducted 1982*)

John L. Sciera (*Inducted 1987*)

Class of 1953-

Mary Hosking (*Inducted 1987*)

Robert Wallace (*Inducted 1979*)

Sally Yeager Wallace (*Inducted 1979*)

Class of 1954-

John Glinski (*Inducted 1969*)

Allan Van Nostrand (*Inducted 1989*)

Class of 1955-

John H. Arcaro (*Inducted 1982*)

Robert Hoppey (*Inducted 1987*)

Donald Quinn (*Inducted 1984*)

Class of 1956-

R. Bruce Allison (*Inducted 1988*)

George Breen (*Inducted 1969*)

T. Richard Terry (*Inducted 1988*)

Class of 1957-

Anna Boserup Rush (*Inducted 1981*)

Class of 1958-

Herman Druckman (*Inducted 1980*)

Class of 1959-

Nancy L. Langham (*Inducted 1986*)

Class of 1960-

Leo J. Johnson (*Inducted 1981*)

Class of 1962-

Barbara DiPalma (*Inducted 1983*)

Judith Forrest Risher (*Inducted 1988*)

Patricia Cole Rogers (*Inducted 1985*)

Class of 1963-

Paul Fardy (*Inducted 1974*)

Patricia J. Mihalko (*Inducted 1985*)

Class of 1964-

David Bleau (*Inducted 1974*)

Class of 1965-

Judith E. Rink (*Inducted 1988*)

Class of 1966-

Michael Messere (*Inducted 1985*)

Class of 1967-

Betty Burfeindt (*Inducted 1974*)

Sandy Weeden (*Inducted 1987*)

Class of 1968-

Barbara Southwick (*Inducted 1989*)

Class of 1970-

David Urlick (*Inducted 1986*)

Honorary Members-

Carl A. Davis (*Inducted 1973*)

T. Fred Holloway (*Inducted 1973*)

John W. Morgan (*Inducted 1984*)

M. Louise Moseley (*Inducted 1985*)

Rol Randall (*Inducted 1989*)

Robert J. Weber (*Inducted 1986*)

