

➤ **PRE-CENTRAL COAST SECTION ATHLETES**

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ATHLETIC ALUMNI

A LIST OF ATHLETES FROM CCS MEMBER SCHOOLS WHO CONTINUED TO ACHIEVE RECOGNITION IN SPORTS AFTER LEAVING HIGH SCHOOL

***** Please note that all achievements are not listed *****
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➤ **CRITERIA**

These athletes gained recognition after their graduation from high school for being:

- 1) an individual national, National Collegiate Athletic Association (NCAA), or world record holder
- 2) an individual national, NCAA, world or Olympic champion (*)
- 3) a member of a national, NCAA, world or Olympic championship team (*)
- 4) a consensus All-American, All-Pro or winner of a national award
- 5) a player in a major professional league or sport for a minimum of five years.
- 6) an inductee into a university, regional, national or international Hall of Fame.

(*) Some Olympic team members and medalists may not be listed because they were still attending high school at the time of their achievement.

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Bob Adams (San Mateo). Tight end and offensive lineman played in the NFL from 1969-1976

George Archer (San Mateo). PGA member was the winner of the 1969 Masters Golf Championship.

Sam Arena (San Jose). The 1938 national champion 200-mile motorcycle racer and winner of five U.S. hill climb titles.

Miriam "Mimi" Arnold (Sequoia). 1964 national tennis doubles champ is in the Northern California Tennis Hall of Fame.

Gene Ashton (St. Ignatius). Halfback on Santa Clara University teams in the early 1970's is in the school's Hall of Fame.

Richard "Rink" Babka (Palo Alto). He was NCAA discus champion in 1958 at 186-2 while attending USC.

Al Banuet (Sacred Heart Cathedral). U.S. Handball Hall of Fame has honored this 1929-1931 national four-wall champion.

Gary Beban (Sequoia). All-American quarterback at UCLA and winner of the 1967 Heisman Trophy.

Wayne Belardi (Bellarmine). Played first base for the Brooklyn Dodgers and Detroit Tigers from 1950-1956.

Don Bender (Sequoia). San Jose State Hall of Fame boxer won Pacific Coast Intercollegiate 156-pound titles in 1954 and 1955.

Bob Berry (Willow Glen). University of Oregon quarterback played in the NFL from 1965-1975.

Frank Bertaina (Sacred Heart Cathedral). Pitcher with teams in both major leagues between 1964 and 1970.

Vince Bigone (St. Ignatius). Santa Clara University Hall of Fame has inducted this baseball pitcher.

Keith Birlem (San Mateo). San Jose State Hall of Fame football player was killed in World War II piloting a B-17 bomber over Germany.

Don Bowden (Lincoln). University of California Hall of Famer who became the first American to run the mile in less than four minutes (3:38.7) in 1957.

Willis Boyarski (San Jose). Football end at College of the Pacific in the 1940's is a member of the Tigers' Hall of Fame.

Nate Branch (Ravenswood). Basketball forward played with the Harlem Globetrotters and is in the San Mateo County Sports Hall of Fame.

Joe Brovia (Santa Cruz). Slugging outfielder averaged .304 during 12 seasons in Pacific Coast League and is in the PCL Hall of Fame.

Stan Buchanan (St. Ignatius). USF Hall of Fame forward was member of the Dons' NCAA basketball champions in 1955.

Greg Buckingham (Menlo Atherton). Stanford Hall of Fame swimmer took the 1967 NCAA 200 freestyle title.



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Augie Bullwinkle (Sacred Heart Cathedral). Played for San Francisco's Stewart Chevrolet team, national AAU basketball champions in 1951.

Wally Bunker (Capuchino). Pitcher was voted 1963 Sporting News Rookie of the Year at the start of his nine-year big league career.

Larry Burke (Los Gatos). 1960 Olympic gold medal swimmer is in the International Swimming Hall of Fame.

Jim Cadile (San Jose). Played guard in the National Football League from 1962-1972.

Ron Calcagno (St. Ignatius). Little All-American quarterback is a member of the Santa Clara University Hall of Fame.

Russ Camilleri (Campbell). Wrestler won 12 national freestyle and Greco-Roman titles in the 1960's and is in the San Jose State Hall of Fame.

Dolph Camilli (Sacred Heart). Major league first baseman from 1933 to 1945 was National League Most Valuable Player in 1941.

Hugh Campbell (Los Gatos). As Washington State receiver, he led nation in passes caught, yardage and touchdowns in the 1960s.

Jim Canelo (St. Ignatius). This center on Santa Clara University's 1950 Sugar Bowl champion football team is in the Broncos' Hall of Fame.

Fred Canrinus (Burlingame). Outstanding 1930s football end at St. Mary's College who is in the school's Hall of Fame.

Doan Carmody (San Jose). Football tackle from the 1930s is in the San Jose State Hall of Fame.

Mike Carson (Riordan). Football and basketball star is in the San Francisco State Hall of Fame.

Hal Chase (Los Gatos). First baseman had a 15-year career in the major leagues between 1904 and 1919.

Edmundo "Eddie" Chavez (San Jose). Professional lightweight boxer from 1948 to 1959.

Ron Cicchi (Sacred Heart Cathedral). Santa Clara University Hall of Fame has honored him for his play at end on football teams in the early 1960s.

Steve Clark (Los Altos). International Swimming Hall of Famer won gold medals at 1964 Olympics and five NCAA titles at Yale.

Jerry Clifford (Sequoia). 1950s San Jose State catcher is in the university's Baseball Hall of Fame.

Tony Compagno (Jefferson). 1930s St. Mary's College running back honored by the San Mateo County Sports Hall of Fame.



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Clyde Connor (South San Francisco). Outstanding pass receiver with the San Francisco 49ers from 1956 to 1963.

Ron Cook (St. Ignatius). Santa Clara football center in the early 1960s is a member of the university's Hall of Fame.

James "Gentleman Jim" Corbett (Sacred Heart). World heavyweight boxing champion from 1892 to 1897.

Johnny Couch (Manzanita Hall Prep School of Palo Alto). Pitched five seasons in the major leagues between 1917 and 1925.

Joe Coughlin (St. Ignatius). Stanford Hall of Fame member was NCAA tennis doubles champion in 1932 and 1933.

Claude Crabbe (Monterey). Wide receiver and defensive back played five seasons in the National Football League in the 1960's.

Russ Critchfield (Salinas). University of California-Berkeley Hall of Fame basketball guard averaged 19.4 points per game from 1966-1968

Joe Cronin (Sacred Heart). Major league infielder and manager who has been enshrined in the National Baseball Hall of Fame.

Tim Cullen (Serra). Infielder played in the American League from 1966 to 1972.

Patricia Daniels (Capuchino). National AAU heptathlon champion from 1961 to 1967 and in 1970.

Hal Davis (Live Oak). Winner of 11 AAU and NCAA titles in the 100- and 220-yard dashes in the late 1930s and early 1940s.

Penny Dean (Santa Clara). World record holder for swimming the English Channel in seven hours and 48 minutes in 1978.

Cornelius "Con" Dempsey (Sequoia). Baseball pitcher from 1950s who is in the University of San Francisco Hall of Fame.

Donna de Varona (Santa Clara). Olympics swimming gold medalist who has been inducted into the San Jose Sports Hall of Fame.

Vance DeVost (Sacred Heart). San Francisco State Hall of Famer was a basketball guard for the Gators.

Cecil "Moose" Disbrow (San Jose). College of the Pacific football halfback in 1920s and member of the school's hall of fame.

Leon Donohue (James Lick). Offensive tackle played six seasons in the National Football League from 1962 to 1966.

Jerry Dowd (St. Ignatius). 1930s running back is a member of the St. Mary's College Hall of Fame.

LeRoy Doss (Sacred Heart). High scoring St. Mary's College basketball forward is in the Gaels' Hall of Fame

Jan Dukes (Mills). Santa Clara university baseball pitcher honored by the university's Hall of Fame.

Ben Eastman (Burlingame). Stanford Hall of Fame sprinter set world records at distances from 440 to 880 yards in the 1930s.



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Alonzo Emery (San Mateo). Arizona State running back who is a member of the San Mateo County Sports Hall of Fame.

Lee Evans (Overfelt). Set world 400-meter record and ran on world record relay team in gold medal performances at the 1968 Olympics.

Nello Falaschi (Los Gatos, Bellarmine). College Football Hall of Famer was 1936 All-American back at Santa Clara University.

Bob Feerick (St. Ignatius). Santa Clara University Hall of Fame basketball star was on the all-NBA teams in 1947 and 1948.

Joe Fena (San Mateo). 1920s University of Denver football back who is in the San Mateo County Sports Hall of Fame.

Joe Ferguson (Camden). Major league catcher for 14 seasons from 1970 to 1983.

Sharon Finneran (Santa Clara). National AAU champion in the 1960s and a member of the International Swimming Hall of Fame.

Jeff Fishback (San Mateo). San Jose State Hall of Fame runner who won the National AAU 3000 meter steeplechase in 1964.

Justin Fitzgerald (San Mateo). Pioneer professional baseball outfielder who is in the San Mateo County Sports Hall of Fame.

Eddie Forest (St. Ignatius). Santa Clara University 1930s football center/linebacker is a member of the University's Hall of Fame.

Jim Fregosi (Serra). Followed an 18-year career as a major league infielder by managing big league teams for more than a decade.

Danny Frisella (Serra). Spent a decade pitching in the American and National Leagues between 1967 and 1976.

Chon Gallegos (James Lick). San Jose State Hall of Fame quarterback led the NCAA in pass completions in 1961.

Jim Gentile (Sacred Heart). Major league baseball player for nine seasons from 1957 to 1966.

Walt Gilliam (San Mateo). Notable amateur golfer is a member of the San Mateo County Sports Hall of Fame.

Joe Greenbach (Sequoia). Santa Clara University basketball guard who was on the national AAU championship team in 1951.

Jack Grelish (St. Ignatius). First SI athlete to letter in four sports in 1940s was inducted into the USF Hall of Fame as a baseball outfielder.

Russ Gumina (Sacred Heart Cathedral). USF basketball guard is in the Dons' Hall of Fame.

Paul Hait (James Lick). Stanford Hall of Fame swimmer won a 1960 Olympic gold medal with USA 4x100 medley relay team.

Paul Hall (Lick). 1950s AAU Greco-Roman wrestling champion has been inducted into the Cal Poly-San Luis Obispo Hall of Fame.



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Billy Hardwick (Hillsdale). Won 17 major tournaments in career and is in the Professional Bowlers Association and United States Bowling Congress Halls of Fame

Charlie Harraway (Monterey). San Jose State Hall of Fame halfback played in the NFL between 1966 and 1973.

Bob Harris (San Jose Tech). Won 1948 NCAA medalist honors as a member of the San Jose State golf team.

Harry Heilmann (Sacred Heart). National Baseball Hall of Fame outfielder played 17 seasons between 1914 and 1932.

Rene Herrerias (St. Ignatius). Basketball guard in the 1940s is a member of the USF Hall of Fame.

Chuck Hightower (San Jose). 1950s pole vaulter is in the San Jose State Hall of Fame.

Danny Holman (Carmel). San Jose State quarterback in late 1960 has been inducted into the school's hall of fame.

George Horine (Palo Alto). Inventor of western roll high jump style set first recognized world record in the event at 6-6 in 1912.

Marty Hull (Sequoia). Stanford swimmer and water polo goalkeeper has been honored by the U. S. Water Polo Hall of Fame.

Dick Hyland (St. Ignatius). Member of USA's 1924 Olympic gold medal rugby team, he became a sports columnist for the Los Angeles Times.

Gary Iltan (James Lick). Long Beach State Hall of Fame swimmer won two gold medals in the 1964 Olympics.

Cass Jackson (San Jose). San Jose State football Hall of Fame member is recognized as the first African-American head football coach at a predominantly White university (Oberlin).

Margaret Jenkins (Santa Clara). American javelin and baseball throw record-holder was member of the 1928 USA Olympic Team.

Greg Jones (South San Francisco). UCLA All-Pac-10 running back is in the San Mateo County Sports Hall of Fame.

Bill Kahler (San Mateo). Outstanding football, basketball and baseball player is in the San Mateo County Sports Hall of Fame.

Bucky Kahler (San Mateo). University of Minnesota football and baseball player has been inducted into the San Mateo County Sports Hall of Fame

Diane Kalliam (San Mateo). All-American softball infielder six times and a member of the National Softball Hall of Fame.

Tom Kelly (St. Ignatius). 1940's first baseman has been honored by membership in the Santa Clara University Hall of Fame.

John Kerr (Sacred Heart). Major league infielder for eight seasons between 1923 and 1934.

Morris Kirksey (Palo Alto). Stanford sprinter won silver medal in 100 and gold in 440 relay in 1924 and another gold medal with the 1924 Olympic Rugby Team. He is one of four athletes to win Olympic gold medals in two sports.



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Pete Kmetovic (San Jose). Elusive halfback on Stanford's undefeated 1940 Rose Bowl champs is in the university's Hall of Fame.

Rich Koeper (Sequoia). Oregon State University football center and an inductee into the San Mateo County Sports Hall of Fame.

Arra "Butch" Krikorian (St. Ignatius). NAIA singles champion in 1952 and longtime tennis coach at San Jose State is in the International Tennis Association's Hall of Fame.

Joe Lacey (St. Ignatius). End on the Santa Clara University 1937 Sugar Bowl champs is in the University Hall of fame for his achievements as an amateur heavyweight boxer.

Jim Lassert (Bellarmine). Football center in the early 1960s is a member of Santa Clara University Hall of Fame.

Marshall Leahy (St. Ignatius). Early 1930s basketball forward has been inducted into the Santa Clara University Hall of Fame.

Hugo "Swede" Leistner (Palo Alto). While at Stanford he won the 1925 NCAA 120-low hurdles championship.

Frank Lico (Bellarmine). Baseball outfielder is in the Hall of Fame at Santa Clara University.

Woodson "Woody" Linn (Santa Clara). Kicker and shot putter has been inducted into the San Jose State Hall of Fame in both football and track.

Jim Loscutoff (Palo Alto). Played forward with seven Boston Celtics NBA championship teams between 1956 and 1964.

Max Lowe (Awalt). Set the national junior college high jump record of 7-1 1/2 in 1966 while attending Foothill College.

Jack Luceti (Riordan). San Jose State golfer is enshrined in the school's Hall of Fame.

Ray Lunny III (San Carlos). Son of the Stanford boxing coach, he won the National AAU 125-pound boxing title in 1970.

Ray Maloney (St. Ignatius). University of San Francisco Hall of Fame member played forward for the Dons in the early 1930s.

Tom Maloney (Santa Clara). San Jose State 1930s basketball forward is a member of the university's Hall of Fame.

Marv Marinovich (Watsonville). Tackle played on USC national championship football team in 1962.

Joe McNamee (St. Ignatius). Center on the Dons' 1949 National Invitational Tournament championship team is a member of the University of San Francisco Hall of Fame

Pete Middlekauff (Los Altos). All-American first baseman is in the Stanford Hall of Fame.

Bob Momsen (Blackford). Stanford University swimmer won NCAA 200-yard backstroke titles in 1967. and 1968.

Rich Morales (Westmoor). A major league infielder from 1967 to 1974.

Pam Morris (Los Altos). First synchronized swimmer inducted into the International Swimming Hall of Fame.



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Craig Morton (Campbell). Quarterback played 18 seasons in the NFL, including 1971 with Super Bowl VI champion Dallas.

Don Mossi (Jefferson). Pitched in the American League from 1954 to 1965.

R. Lindley Murray (Palo Alto). National singles tennis champion in 1917 and 1918 is in International Tennis Hall of Fame.

Frederick "Feg" Murray (Palo Alto). He won 120 high and 220 low hurdles for Stanford at the 1916 IC4A national track meet.

Dave Nelson (Fremont). San Jose State Hall of Fame boxer won the NCAA 125-pound title in 1960.

Tom Nelson (Serra). Member of the University of San Francisco's 1955 NCAA basketball championship team.

Ralph Neves (South San Francisco). Professional jockey rode 25,334 mounts with 3,773 wins between 1934 and 1964.

Carlos "Bud" Ogden (Lincoln). Santa Clara University Hall of Fame basketball player set school's game record of 55 points.

Dave Olerich (Menlo-Atherton). Linebacker and tight end played in the National Football League from 1967 to 1973.

Roger Olsen (Willow Glen). Won the 1962 NCAA high jump title at 6-10 while attending the University of California.

Kevin O'Shea (St. Ignatius). All-American basketball guard at the University of Notre Dame in the 1940s

Marv Owen (San Jose, Bellarmine). Slick fielding nine-year big league infielder played with Detroit's 1935 World Series champs.

Eric Paulson (Sunnyvale). Basketball starting guard in mid-1960s who is in the Santa Clara University Hall of Fame.

John "Jack" Patrick (Palo Alto). Member of the USA gold medal rugby team in the 1924 Olympic Games.

Bill Peterson (San Jose). Linebacker played six seasons in the National Football League between 1968 and 1975.

Bob Peterson (Sequoia). 1950s Oregon State and pro basketball player honored by San Mateo County Sports Hall of Fame.

Ralph "Babe" Pinelli (Sacred Heart). Twenty-seven-year major league umpire whose last game behind the plate was Don Larsen's 1956 World Series perfect game.

Mel Profit (Camden). UCLA end played for Toronto in the Canadian Football League from 1966 to 1971

Nick Radunich (St. Joseph of San Jose). 1930s basketball star at Santa Clara University, where he is in the school's hall of fame.

Jess Regli (Mountain View). 1920s San Jose State baseball, football, basketball, track star is school's only four-sport Hall of Fame member.



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Hal Rhyne (San Jose). Dependable infielder played seven seasons in the major leagues in the between 1926 and 1933.

Willie T. Ribbs (James Lick). Professional race car driver was the first African-American to drive in the Indianapolis 500.

C. E. "Swede" Righter (Campbell). All-around Stanford athlete was member of the 1920 Olympic gold medal USA rugby team.

Bert Robinson (Campbell). Later a high school basketball coach in Santa Clara County, he's in the San Jose State Football Hall of Fame.

Gene Rocchi (San Jose). The San Jose State Hall of Fame has inducted 1930s football halfback.

Jack Roche (Sequoia). 1930s Santa Clara University football running back who is in the school's hall of fame.

Jack Roddy (James Lick). Rodeo competitor who won world championships in 1960s. A member of the Cowboy Hall of Fame.

Ralph Romero (San Jose). 1940s basketball guard and baseball pitcher is in the San Jose State Hall of Fame.

Tim Rossovich (St. Francis). An All-American defensive end at USC in 1967 who had a seven-year NFL career.

Dick Roth (Menlo-Atherton). Swimmer won a gold medal in the 1964 Olympics and is in the Stanford Hall of Fame.

Jim Russi (St. Ignatius). Basketball forward from the 1950's is a member of the Santa Clara University Hall of Fame.

Mike Ryan (Wilcox). Air Force Academy runner who was the NCAA cross country champion in 1968.

Don Schollander (Santa Clara). Winner of the Sullivan Award won four swimming gold medals in the 1964 Olympics.

Ken Sears (Watsonville). Santa Clara University Hall of Fame forward played eight seasons in the NBA between 1956 and 1964.

Gary Sheerer (Awalt). Member of the 1968 Olympic water polo team has been inducted into the U.S. Water Polo Hall of Fame.

Charlie Silvera (St. Ignatius). New York Yankees back-up catcher from 1948 to 1956 when the team won six World Series.

Guido "Si" Simoni (Half Moon Bay). Pitcher from the 1920s who is in the Santa Clara University Hall of Fame.

John Sipin (Watsonville). Infielder batted .297 with 218 home runs in Japan's professional major leagues from 1972 to 1980.

Justus Smith (Burlingame). Cal Hall of Fame member who was a member of the 1948 USA Olympics gold medal eight-oar crew.

Warren "Locomotive" Smith (Hoitt's School Burlingame). University of California 1890s track and football star is in the Cal Hall of Fame.



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Tony Solaita (El Camino). Major league first baseman and designated hitter for seven seasons between 1968 and 1979.

Mark Speckman (Carlmont). Born without hands, this San Mateo County Sports Hall of famer stood out as Menlo College and Azusa Pacific University linebacker and head coach at Willamette University.

Tod Spieker (Menlo-Atherton). Swimmer set many masters records and won more than 20 national titles in 1970s, '80s and '90s.

Les Steers (Palo Alto). University of Oregon high jumper set the world record at 6-11 in 1941.

Vern Sterling (Sequoia). 1950s Santa Clara University football guard who is in the San Mateo County Sports Hall of Fame.

Bob Stoecker (Los Altos). Stanford Hall of Fame discus man won the Pac-8 and NCAA titles in 1965.

Dick Stuart (Sequoia). Slugging first baseman played 10 seasons in the major leagues between 1958 and 1969.

Tony Sunzeri (Campbell). San Jose State Hall of Famer pole vaulted 14-0 in the era of the bamboo pole to qualify for the 1940 Olympics, which were canceled because of World War II.

Bob Svihus (Sequoia). Offensive lineman spent nine seasons with the Oakland Raiders and New York Jets from 1965 to 1973.

Keith Swagerty (Camden). University of Pacific Hall of Fame center was among the top five NCAA rebounders in 1965-1967.

Al Tafoya (Santa Clara). Outstanding San Jose State collegiate boxer is in the university's Hall of Fame.

Carol Tait (Menlo-Atherton). Won the first national AAU championship for the powerhouse Santa Clara Swim Club in 1954.

John Tarantino (Sacred Heart). National fly casting champion eight times and world champ 12 times in 1950s and 1960s.

Chuck Taylor (San Jose). Football player, coach and athletic director at Stanford. Member of the College Football Hall of Fame.

Tony Teresa (Salinas). Starting quarterback for San Jose State in the mid-1950's and a member of the university's Hall of Fame.

Don Titcomb (San Jose). State horseshoe champion five times and world champion once in 1950s and 1960s.

Bob Toledo (Lincoln). San Francisco State QB set season NCAA college division records for pass attempts, completions, yards and touchdowns in 1967.

Ken Towns (San Mateo). Golf's National Public Links champion in 1947.

Bruce Van Alstyne (Burlingame). Stanford football end who has been inducted into the San Mateo County Sports Hall of Fame.

Byron Van Alstyne (Burlingame). Stanford basketball forward who is a member of the San Mateo County Sports Hall of Fame.



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Chris von Saltza (Los Gatos). Olympic gold medalist in 1960 who is in the International Swimming Hall of Fame.

Max Voshall (Los Gatos). San Jose State boxer won the 1955 NCAA 165-pound championship.

Mike Wall (Blackford). Member of Stanford University's 1967 NCAA swimming champions.

Dan Wallis (Bellarmine). The Santa Clara Hall of Fame has inducted 1940s football guard.



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Barry Weitzenerg (Awalt). Member of the 1968 and 1972 Olympic water polo teams has been inducted into the U.S. Water Polo Hall of Fame.

Ralph Wenzel (Cubberley). A National Football League guard from 1966 to 1973.

Jim Wiechers (Bellarmine). Professional golfer is in the Santa Clara University Hall of Fame.

Bruce Wilhelm (Fremont). National AAU super heavyweight lifting champion in 1975 and 1976.

Billy Wilson (Campbell). All-pro receiver who played with the San Francisco 49ers from 1951 to 1960.

Howard Withycombe (San Jose). 1930s swimmer has been inducted into the San Jose State Hall of Fame.

Harry Wolter (Monterey). Seven-year pre-World War I major league outfielder and Stanford baseball coach for 25 years.

Jack Wool (San Jose). Pole vaulter won 1931 National AAU title with a vault of 13-7 ½.

Nate Wright (Monterey). San Diego State defensive back played in the National Football League from 1969-1980.

Herm Zetterquist (San Jose). San Jose State Hall of Fame fullback played on the Spartans' undefeated 1939 team.

Jim Zylker (South San Francisco). Soccer forward on the 1972 and 1976 Olympic teams is in the San Jose State Hall of Fame.