

# Prairie View Interscholastic League Coaches Association

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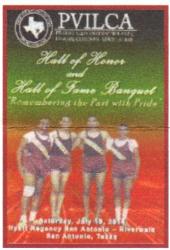






Clifford Branch

Joe Washington



#### **PVIL Coaches**

# THE PVILCA CLASS OF 2014

James Murphy Fisher Curtis Gipson Louis Kelley Sidney Lanier Sadler\* Meritorious Award

Ambassador Alfred F. Fonteneau

Naomi Hargis\* Mike Jinks Vernice Kindle D.W. Rutledge Johnny Walker

Coaches of the Year 2013-14

Chris Bennett – 2A Division State Track Champions, Rosebud-Lott High School David Green – 5A Division State Basketball Champions Galena Park North Shore

Beverly Day Humphrey – 4A Girls Co-State Track, Champions, Lancaster High School

Roderick Johnson – 3A Division State
Basketball, Champions, Dallas Madison
Royce Johnson – 4A Division State
Basketball Champions, Dallas Kimball
Curtis Mann – 2A State Track Champions
Uplift Hampton Preparatory
Leon Paul – Girls State Track
Champions, Kennedale High School

**Academic Athlete of the Year** 

Chad Tatum Derek Broussard Athlete of the Year

DjiMonii Rai Jackson Jonathan Slade

PVIL-UIL Bridging the Gap

Ira "Bubba" Ephriam – Basketball Al Mays – Football Derek Lagway – Football Lucious L. Newhouse – Coach/Athlete Roger Whitaker – Coach/Athlete William Ward – Basketball

Clifford Young - Baseball\*

Baseball

Joseph C. Valley, Jr. John H. Walker

Basketball

Emma L. Adams
Terry Vernon Cooper\*
Freddie Forcey
Marshall Land, Jr.
George C. Marshall
Mary Lena Cooper Peoples
Travis Alton Wright\*
Tennis
John Wilkerson

Track

Clifford "Cliff" Branch Luella Reece Frazier David Arthur Hall\* Bennie Lee Harris James Hunter Football

Herbert Anders George Raft Arnold Cecil Boykin Andrew Brown Leroy "Lumberjack" Brown Vernon Carathers Carl Crenshaw Louis Dotson, Jr. George Edmond William "Rock" Glosson\* Earnest Gualls Johnny Harper Nathaniel "Nate" Henderson Roy Lee Howard Charles James Marion Johnson John Earl Lee Robert McGee D.C. Nobles Larry Vernon Priestley Charles Purnell, Jr. Isaac Robinson Robert Sanders, Jr. Larry Surgers Lee Thomas Joe Wade\* Joe "Little Joe" Washington Willie "Tunnie" Williams

\* Posthumously

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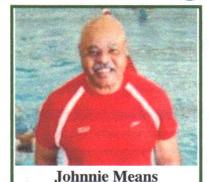
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# Congratulations To:



**Johnnie Means** 

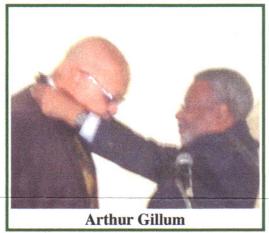
We Salute **Johnnie Means** for being elected to the Texas Swimming and Diving Hall of Fame. Means was chosen along with Mike Brown of the University of Texas; John Crouch of Hondo, Texas; Dennis Fosdick of California and Dana Vollmer of Fort Worth. Born in Houston, Means attended Jack Yates High School in Houston where he acquired all-state honors as a competitive swimmer under the Prairie View

Interscholastic League and attended college at Southern University with a swimming scholarship. Means began his career in the early '60s as a water safety instructor and started an AAU competitive swim program through the South Central YMCA. He coached numerous all-Americans and one of the top teams in the NAIA for over 25 years at Texas Southern University in Houston. He has worked with the Houston Parks and Recreation Department as an area supervisor for their swimming pools and has worked diligently instituting strength training and fitness for inner city youth. Means was recognized for his work with the American Red Cross since 1959. He presently serves as director and head coach of Harris County Aquatics Program (HCAP). The program, initiated in 1992, now serves well over 2,000 participants. HCAP has produced nationally ranked swimmers and participants in Olympic trials. Many of his swimmers have earned college scholarships in both academics and swimming. Coach Means and his wife Lynn have been married 52 years and have two children, Shelly and Troy, and four grandchildren.

### **Arthur Gillum**

On Saturday, April 12, 2014, ten distinguished educators were inducted into the African American Education Archives and History Program Annual Hall of Fame at the Hilton Garden Inn, 800 N. Main Street, Duncanville, Texas.

They are: **Arthur Gillum**, Dr. Janice Pettis Ingram, Dr. H. Rhett James, Jowanda Jordan, Martha J. Lee, Lawrence W. Muckelroy, Colonel Joe D. Sasser, Dr. C. B. T. Smith, Robert



Thomas and Dr. George O. Willis. Each year efforts of the African American Education Archives and History Program remind the public that African American education in Dallas County came at a high price over more than a century and a half of Dallas County history, and that many heroic and dedicated African American educators willingly paid that price for past, present and future generations.

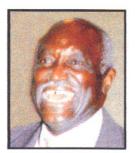
The Hall of Fame is one of five components that comprise the African American Education Archives and History Program that was initiated in 2002 and will observe its 12th Anniversary this year. The Hall of Fame honors both educators and other individuals who have significantly promoted and enhanced African American education throughout Dallas County history. In it's mission statement, the organization collects and maintains a repository of artifacts, documents and visual images that record the African American Education Experiences in Dallas County.

# Congratulations To: continued from page 2. Nick Williams takes Head Coaching Job!



**Nick Williams**(with glasses) sent an email after being hired by Grants/Cibola County Schools that read in part: "I am definitely looking forward to a successful football season, and most importantly creating a positive relationship between Pirate Football, the Feeder Schools of G/CCS, and the community of Cibola County."

### **Edward Jones**



Edward Charles Jones

Ed Jones was in San Antonio to compete in the Texas Senior Games, a week's worth of competitive games open to athletes 50 years and older. Ed came back from the Senior Games with five medals including one gold medal in the 500 yard freestyle and four silver medals: one in the 50 yard back stroke, one in the 200 yard back back, one in the 50 yard freestyle and one in the 100

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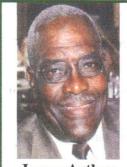
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# Ring"

Henry Johnson Robert Houston Land Jeff Lewis Jr. Coy Limbrick, Sr. David Q. Marks Lucious Newhouse, Jr Monroe Nichols, Jr. Ruben E. Phillips John "J.D." Richardson Dr. Thurman Robins Anthony Sampson Gene L. Sampson Jr. Robert B. Sanders, Jr. Joseph Warren Singleton Robert "Blue" Smith Johnny Tardy Jr. Thomas "Tom" Valley Franklin D. Wesley Jr James "Froggie" White. Jesse E. Yates Horace Young

yard individual medley. the individual medley requires the swimmers to swim one length of each of the four strokes in the following order: butterfly, backstroke, breaststroke, and freestyle. Ed was also featured in 2006 when he won four medals at the Senior Olympics in San Antonio. Congratulations to Ed Jones, the Jack Yates legend was taught by two great swimmers Raymond Daniels and Bennie Roy.

# PVILCA Celebrates The Completed Lives of Members and Family



James Arthur White

James Arthur "Foggie" White was born in Sweetwater, Texas Foggie (as he is affectionately known) graduated from Phillis Wheatley High School in San Antonio, Texas where he excelled in football and basketball. He graduated in 1960 from Prairie View A&M University. While at Prairie View, he was a member of the 1958 National Football Championship team, and was

selected to the 1959 All-SWAC Team as a defensive end. Coach White began his coaching career in 1961 at Lincoln High School in Cold Spring, Texas. He later coached in Beaumont, Texas at Dunbar Middle School, Charlton-Pollard High School, Beaumont-Charlton-Pollard High School and retired as head basketball coach at Central High School in 1996. The PVILCA family extends its condolences.



Delmaris Hill Roby

The PVILCA is mourning the recent death of Delmaris Hill Roby, mother of board member Ed Roby. Mrs. Roby passed away on June 12 after a lengthy illness. She was born on Nov. 28, 1922 as the sixth of fourteen children born to Mr. and Mrs. Henry Clay Hill. She retired

from the Austin Independent School District after 20-plus years of service. She was a member of Simpson United Methodist Church for 65 years and was involved in many church activities. In addition to Ed, she is survived by several grandchildren, great grandchildren, and other relatives. The PVILCA family extends its condolences.

2006

Jack Bellinger Robert Brown Ellis Davis, Jr. Herman Gabriel Arthur Gillum Clyde Glosson Charles Herbert 2007 Charles Brown Jackie Carr John Codwell, Jr. Glennor Davis Walter E. Day Ronald Goodbeer James "Bo" Humphery Alvin N. Jackson James C. Mayes, Sr. Stanley R. Mays King Arthur Prayther Dr. Thurman Robins Edward Roby Ray Seals William L. Sims James Wanza Gene Washington Franklin D. Wesley, Jr. Walter Yates, Sr. 2008 Weldon O. Baker Oliver "Show" Brown Coger H. Coverson Jefferson Davis, Jr. Joseph Melvin Dixon, Sr. Willie Floyd Charles Frazier George Gray Charles Green Roland Haves L.L. Jackson Don A. James Freddie James R. "Ralph" Johnson **Ed Jones** James Jones, II Kirby Jones Joe Leonard, Sr. Vickie Minor Michael Mitchell Homer Norville Marvin Pettway Dr. Joseph A. Pierce, Jr. Lewis Ritcherson Lewis H. Ritcherson, II Edward G. Robinson Hensley Sapenter, Jr. Dr. T. A. Sims Brannen G. Temple James A. (Froggie) White James "Clint" Williams

## Current Life Members "You are the grease in the wheel."

2009 James Alexander Roosevelt Alexander Leon Carr Kenneth Curl, Jr. Donald "Mantan" Dickson Thomas "Bill" Edwards Albert Fair, Jr. Leon "Big Hamp" Hamilton Charles "Tex" Harrison Dan Haskins Eddie Hughes Arnell Stripling Johnson Ralph Jones Chauncey King, Sr. Freddie Maura Ross E. Lewis Ocell Miller, Jr. Nicholas Overton Luther C. Robinson Dave Smith Robert J. Tapscott Albert "Big Al" Walker Horace Young 2010 Joe Curtis Baker Leroy Bookman, Jr. Leroy Bookman, Sr. Lorenzo Cole C. H. Collins Enoch Noble Dixon, Jr. Cleve L. Freeman Jr. Charles L. Fisher Charles L. Garcia Gentris Hornsby Edwin Johnson Johnnie Means Charles O'Saw Rodney D. Saveat John Smith, Jr. Waylan D. Wallace, Jr. 2011 Dr. William C. Akins Howard O'Neal Aldridge S. A. Anderson Billy Earl Beasley Jerry Lewis Blair Tommy Bookman Billy "Bill" Brown James "Bo" Bundage Timothy Carr, III Lawrence A. Collins Willie Frank Dearion Robert L. Dickson, II Charles "Doc" Dockery Nathaniel A. Gillespie Spencer Harris, III

John Hightower

2011 continued Beverly Day Humphery Dr. Jesse Henry Hurst, II Oliver E. Jenkins Henry Johnson Coy K. Limbrick Timothy C. Moon, Jr. Rathers Alvin Norwood J. M. Richard Pervis Rosemon William F. Rosemon Joseph Warren Singleton John A. Truitt, Jr. Dr. Gregory J. Vincent Joe D. Washington, Sr. Delvin Williams Nicholas "Nic" Williams James R. Wilson 2012 Tommy L. Amerson Brady Beauregard Willie Blackmon Clinton Booker Albert L. Breed Ben L. Cavil Dr. J. Kenyatta Cavil John Luther Clayton Sullie Eugene Cobbin Charles Ray Cone Felix L. Cook, Jr. Larry Edwards Jimmie L. Emanuel Arthur L. Haggerty Goree "Coach" Johnson James D. Kennedy Lester L. King Leroy Marshall Lewis M. Marshall Marcus Mosley John E. Payton Tommy Pierson William A. Stell Johnny Tardy, Jr Clarence W. Weatherspoon Jesse E. Yates 2013 George E. Adams Alton Earl Bennett Donald L. Bennett Cecil D. Boykin

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DON'T FORGET THE 2014 BANQUET JULY 19, 1:30 P.M. SAN ANTONIO HYATT REGENCY RIVERWALK.