

Dick Dillon – 2003 Hall of Fame Inductee



Dick Dillon made a positive and significant impact on students, colleagues, and patrons in Treasure Valley schools as a teacher, coach, counselor, and administrator for forty years. His career began in Emmett where he taught and coached for four years. He then spent time in New Plymouth and Middleton before moving to Payette in 1977. In 1986, Dick became Superintendent of Schools, a position he held until retiring in 2002.

During a twenty-four-year coaching career, Dick's football, basketball, track, tennis, and golf teams won an amazing 70% of the approximately 800 contests he coached, and his teams qualified for over 30 state tournaments. Dick was also a valuable contributor to many professional organizations, including the District III Board of Control and the IHSAA Board of Directors, serving as President in 1999.