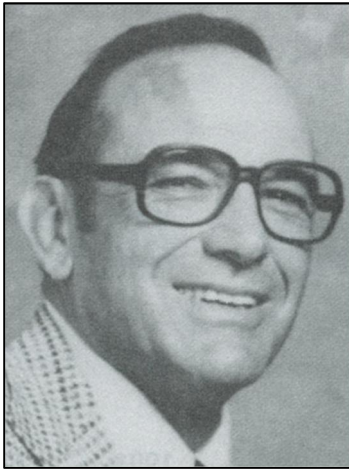


## Jerry Diehl – 1993 Hall of Fame Inductee



Jerry Diehl graduated from Jerome High School in 1945 where he was an athlete competing in football, basketball, and track. He played college football four years at the University of Idaho before being drafted by the Pittsburgh Steelers. He returned to Jerome taking a teaching position for seven years before becoming principal. He served as principal for 20 years before retiring.

During his time as principal, Jerome High School was one of four schools selected as the “Top School in the State of Idaho” and he supported Jerome’s teams as they won 68 state championship titles. Jerome High School named their auditorium in his honor because of his many contributions to the school.

Jerry served on the IHSAA Board of Directors for 9 years, the District IV Activities Board for 12 years, and received the 4<sup>th</sup> District Distinguished Service Award in 1990.