

# Congratulations to our 2024 Inductees:

#### Gavin Adkins

2004 HTHS Graduate

During his time at Hamilton, Gavin participated in Football and Track & Field where he earned letters all four years in each sport! As a left tackle and defensive end, he earned MSL Honors for his work on the field. The team went 7-2! As a member of the track & field team, he excelled in Shot Put & Discus earning an MSL Runner-Up title in Shot Put.

| Congratulations, | Gavin! |        |        |       |         |
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## Erin (Boyd) Smith

1998 HTHS Graduate

During her time at HT, Erin excelled on the Track & Field team as both a sprinter and hurdler! She earned All Ohio honors in 1996 as part of the  $4\times100$  Relay team where they placed  $6^{th}$  in the State. In 1997, she earned All Ohio honors for the 100m Hurdles placing  $6^{th}$  in the State! After an injury to her ACL during her Senior year of basketball, she returned to running and placed  $5^{th}$  at the regional meet! Erin is a four-year letter winner for Track & Field and a three-year letter winner for basketball as a guard!

### Paul Hammond

2002 HTHS Graduate

Paul is proud to be a Ranger Alumni having attended from Kindergarten through his Senior Year. He stood out on the soccer field being recognized as an All District and All League 1<sup>st</sup> teams in 2001. Over four years of wrestling, he compiled a 74-35 record notably going 42-8 his senior year where he placed 4<sup>th</sup> in the state tournament. Upon graduating from HT, he furthered his academic and athletic career by attending and graduating from Kent State. His passion for wrestling continued after college where he became a coach in Philadelphia and helped their program to a league championship appearance!

### This Year's Ranger Award of Merit is Randy Ruppert

Randy has been a part of Ranger Country since 1991 when he and his wife moved here. All four of his children are HTHS Grads and he is a proud Grandpa to three who all attend Hamilton! Since that time, he has been no stranger to the Athletic Department. From helping with our basketball programs to being the best ticket-taker, he is always ready to lend a helping hand wherever needed!

Congratulations, Randy!

Please join us on September 6th for our Hall of Fame Induction Ceremony prior to the start of the Varsity Football game as they take on the Centennial High School Stars! It's sure to be an exciting evening for our 2024 Hall of Fame Inductees!