

John Sherf

Calumet High School Athletic Hall of Fame

Lettered and was captain of the CHS hockey team (1926-1930).

Played with the Calumet Blackhawks semi-pro hockey team
for two years 1930-1932.

Lettered three years while playing hockey at the University of Michigan (1932-1936).

Was the Wolverines leading scorer in both the 1934-35 and 1935-36 seasons.

Led the Western Hockey Conference in scoring while serving as the Wolverines
captain during the 1935-36 season

Played all or parts of four years (1939-1942) with the American Hockey
League's, Pittsburgh Hornets, who were the top farm team of the Detroit Red Wings.

He is still the Hornet's 7th leading all-time scorer with 94 goals and 121 assists.

Played five years with the Detroit Red Wings (1936-1939 & 1943-1944).

In 1937, he helped the Red Wings win the Stanley Cup by playing in all five games
as they defeated the New York Rangers in the finals, 3 games to 2. He also played
three games in the 1939 Stanley Cup play-offs.

In 1976, he donated the John Sherf Trophy, which he presented until his death in
1991, to the winner of the Copper Island Classic high school hockey tournament.

Served as national president of the University of Michigan "M" Club and also as
president of the Detroit Red Wing Alumni Association.

Inducted into the Upper Peninsula Sports Hall of Fame in 1979.

Inducted into the University of Michigan Hall of Honor in 1981.

In 2011, the new Calumet Copper King's hockey locker room was named in his
honor.

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