

## **David Aird**

### **Calumet High School Athletic Hall of Fame**

Lettered in football, hockey, and track while attending Calumet High School (1978-1982).

Was named to the Superior Six All-Conference football team as a lineman in both the 1980 and 1981 seasons and as an honorable mention on the 1981 All-U.P. Team.

Scored 33 goals and 33 assists for 66 points as a member of the varsity hockey team (1980-1982), while earning all-conference honors in 1982. Set a record, at the time, for assists in a game with 5 assists against Houghton (1981-82).

Competed in track by throwing the shot put and discus. Placed in the Upper Peninsula Track Finals twice in the shot put throw (1981 & 1982). Set, at the time, a new CHS discus record of 154'10" during the 1982 season.

Received the George Gipp Award as the outstanding senior male athlete in the class 1982.

Named to the Copper Country American Legion Baseball League 1<sup>st</sup> Team All-Stars and was also chosen as the league's Most Valuable Player (1982).

Played, as a catcher, with Wolverine of the Copper Country Twilight Baseball League and was selected as the league's Most Valuable Player in 1984.

Earned three letters in football and was an All-GLIAC selection in his senior year at Michigan Tech (1983-1985).

Was honored when chosen to receive the Gene Timmer Award for three consecutive years (1983-1985). This award is given to the football player who displays the highest attributes of both academic achievement and sportsmanship.

Served as president of the Kappa Delta Psi fraternity and graduated from MTU in 1987 with a Business Administration degree in Management Information Systems.

Coached youth softball and hockey in Orland Park, Illinois (2000-2010).

Has had a very successful career with Kraft Foods as the Director of Applications and Development for Corporate Systems from 1987 to the present.

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