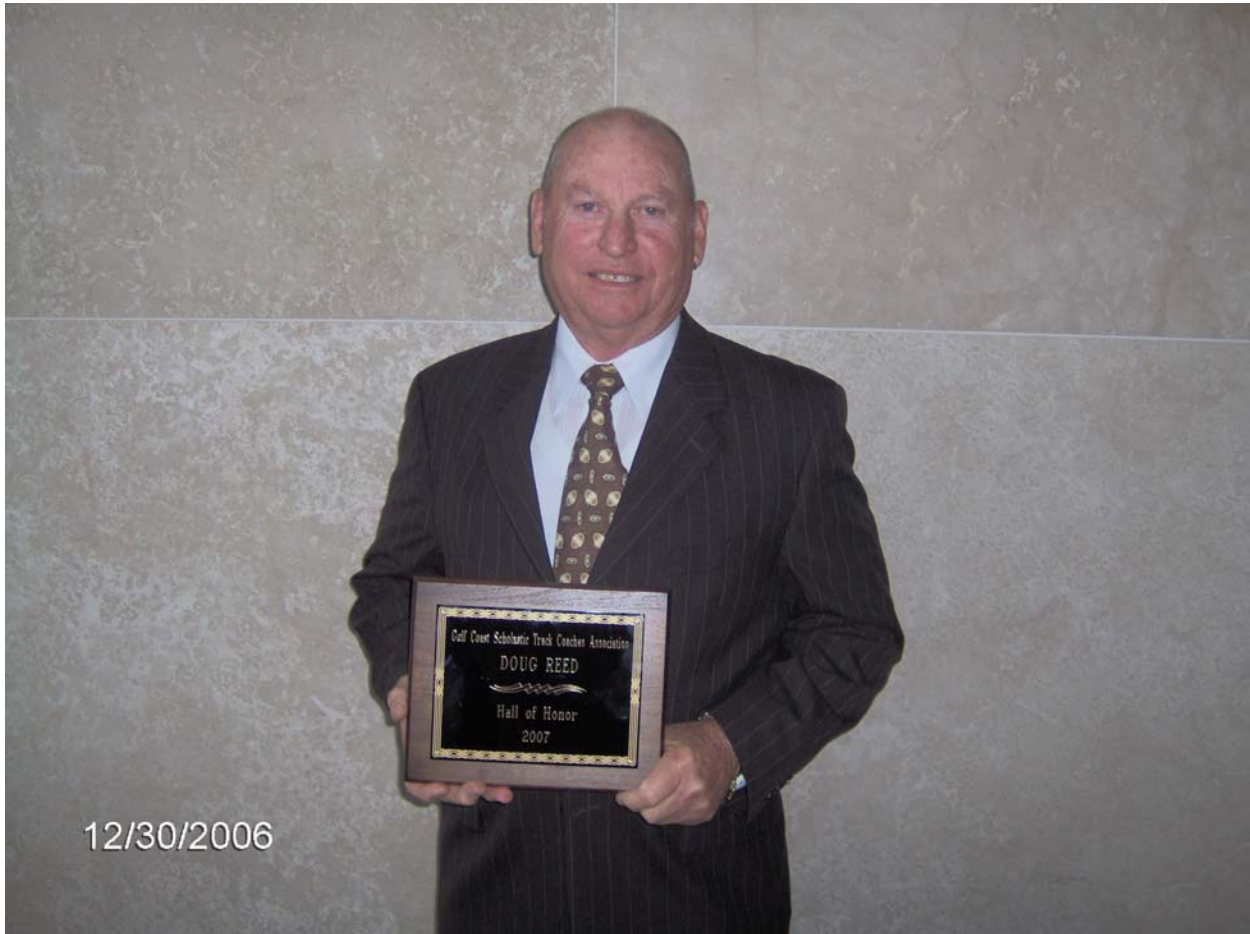


Douglas (Doug) Reid



Graduated: Cleveland H.S. Cleveland, Texas 1958
Track Coach was Joe Richardson, later Track Coach at S.F.A. (Stephen F. Austin University)

Graduated: Howard Payne University
Brownwood, Texas 1963
Lone Star Conference Mile Champion 1961-62
Member of Lone Star Conference Track & Field Champions 1961-62 at
Howard Payne

Taught and Coached Dickinson High School, Dickinson, Texas 1965-1979

Founded and Established Gator Relays – Spring 1966 (Won 8 of first 10 meets)

Started Cross Country Program in fall 1967 at Dickinson

Dickinson Track members numbered just 9 boys the year before I took over. First year finished 2nd to Deer Park; went on to win 7 District Titles and 2 Runner-Ups and 1 Third Place finish in 10 years.

Won Regional Championship in 1968

3rd in State in 1970

Had 5 individual State Champions and 3 Runner-Up 2nd Place finishers.

Qualified 1600 M. Relay to Regionals for 10 consecutive years.

Van Johnson won the State Cross Country title in 1969, first ever for Dickinson.

While at Dickinson, had 32 individuals go to college on some type of scholarship/financial aid in period of 10 years.

Two of the young men went on to represent the United States on International Level.

Ron Jenkins participated in the World Games in Moscow, Russia and Robert Taylor won the 400 M. Dash in the Pan American Games. Robert is now Head Track Coach at Kimbell H.S. in Dallas, and has won State Championship in 5-A Track and Field.

In 1975, I went into Administration. Later became High School Assistant Principal at Dickinson H.S.; but, returned to coaching Football, Track, and Cross Country in 1980 at Sweeny H.S. in Sweeny, Texas.

Again, I was blessed with quality athletes in Track and Cross Country.

In the 22 years at Sweeny, we won 19 District Championships; 2 Runner-Ups, and 1 Third Place finish when we moved up to 4-A for two years. After moving back to 3-A, won 5 straight District Championships; won 18 District Cross Country titles; 5 Regional Track & Field Championships; 4 Regional Cross Country Championships.

Won State Track & Field Meet in 1992; State Runner-Up 2 times, being nosed out both times by just 1 point.

While at Sweeny, qualified athletes to the State Meet 20 out of the 22 years.

Overall, had 20 individual State Champions out of 81 Track qualifying events.

I have been honored to have been inducted into the Dickinson Hall of Honor and have had the Sweeny Bulldog Relays named changed to the Doug Reid Bulldog Relays.

It has been my privilege to speak at a number of track clinics across the state. The highlight being a speaker at Coaching School in 2002, the year I retired.

Married 43 years to Katherine, elementary school teacher and my first assistant. Best vaulting pole pick-up person ever.

Two sons: Will – coaches Football and Head Girls' Track Coach at Tivy H.S., Kerrville, Texas
James – Men & Women's Track and Field Coach – Angelo State University, San Angelo,
Texas

I have truly been blessed by the Good Lord, to have been able to work with such fine young men
and women through the years.