

Wilburn (Willie) Raby



Willie Raby grew up in Corsicana, Texas where he played football and basketball at Corsicana High School. In 1944, he joined the Navy, served for 1 ½ years. He attended Navarro College in Corsicana and Daniel Baker College in Brownwood, playing football for both schools.

Education

BS and M.Ed from Sam Houston State

Life member of the Texas High School Coaches Association

Coaching Experience

Willie coached track and field for 39 years.

1950-1952

Colmesneil High School

1953-1964

Jackson Junior High

Southmore Junior High

1964-1965

South Houston High School

1966-1980 (retired in 1980)

Sam Rayburn High School

1985-1987

Corsicana Mildred High School

1987-1994

Capitan High School (Capitan New Mexico)

ACCOMPLISHMENTS**CROSS COUNTRY**

Two District Team Championships

One Regional Team Championship

Seven State Meet Qualifiers

TRACK AND FIELD

Six District Team Championships

139 Regional Qualifiers

28 State Meet Qualifiers

Regional Qualifier in 4X100 Relay 11 Times

BEST PERFORMANCES

4X200 meter relay 1:27:9 (Nationally ranked #1)

*Pasadena meet record of 1:28:2 still stands.

800 meters 1:56 (Mark Vincent)

100 Meter dash 9.4 (Andy Snelson)

Shot Put

Duane Johnson 55'5"

Lee Lucas (2nd in the State meet)

Discus

Lee Lucas (2nd in the State meet)

John Harper (3rd in the State meet)

High Jump

James Aggers 7' 1"

Don Fogo 7' 0"

Mike Williams

Ranked #1 nationally as State Qualifier, high Hurdles (13.5)

Intermediate Hurdles, State Qualifier (37.5)

Placed 2nd at the Golden West Meet, High Hurdles

BEST PERFORMANCES FROM NEW MEXICO (GIRLS)

Seven-plus track Meet Championships

Two Qualifiers Meet Championships

Three State Meet Champions (two Back-to-back)

Individual State Champions

Three 4X100 Meter Relay Champions

Two 2X100 meter relay Champions

One 4X100 meter relay Champions

One 400 meter Champion

Two Discus Champions

Two Shot put Champions