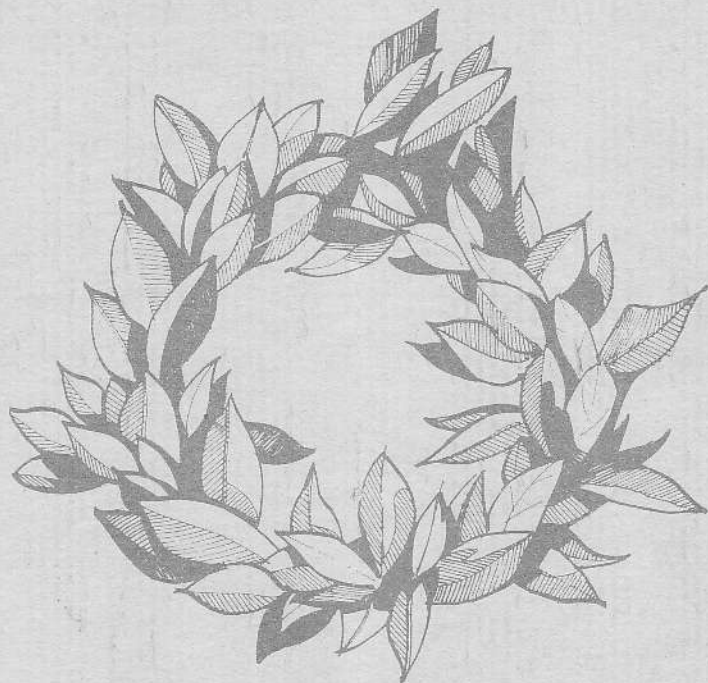


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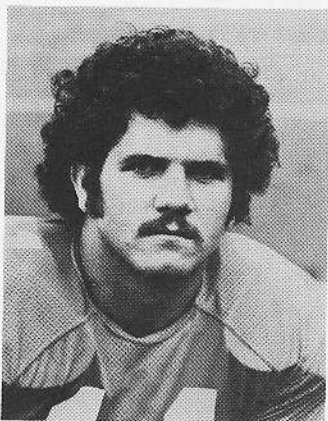
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# Athletes of the Year



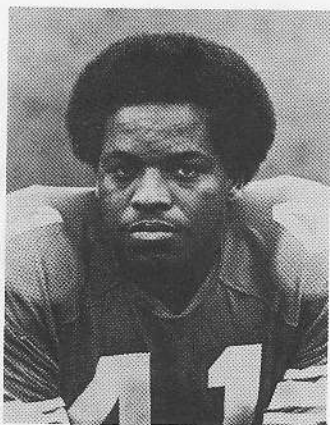
## BOBBY MCKINLEY

Following the football season, on the way to a 4-7 year, his teammates named him Offensive Player of the Year and team captain.

Bobby, a standout during his high school days at Bel Air, transferred to UTEP from Southern Methodist last year to start every game for the Miners.

All he did along the way was lead UTEP in total offense, including passing, fourth in rushing and second in scoring.

He personally engineered the 31-27 upset of Arizona State and was honored as Rookie of the Year in the WAC by the Tucson Conquistadores.



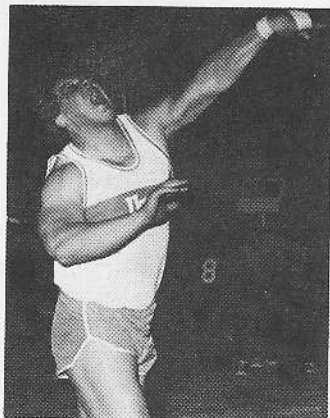
## LAFREDDIE COLEMAN

This three-year football letterman at UTEP in his senior year ranked sixth nationally in defensive stats with 59 tackles, 14 assists, four tackles for a loss, two interceptions, caused two fumbles, recovered two fumbles and deflected seven passes.

He won six Gold Helmet Awards, two each playing year, for his defensive play.

LaFreddie, who made the All-WAC team at three different positions, maintained just under a 3.00 average as a Business major at UTEP.

He served as co-captain of the 1974 team and was named Defensive Back of the Year by his teammates.



## HANS HOGLUND

Hans Hoglund the Swedish transplant, a senior majoring in education at UTEP, was the indoor and outdoor shot put champ in the WAC, winning the national indoor title and finishing third outdoors.

He has been three-time national champ in the shot, and has been named All-America every year he's competed. He holds the NCAA record of 67-7¼ and has a best throw of 67-9¼.

He is the Swedish record holder in the shot. Last summer he was a member of the Swedish National Team and competed in the European Games.

# Athletes of the Year

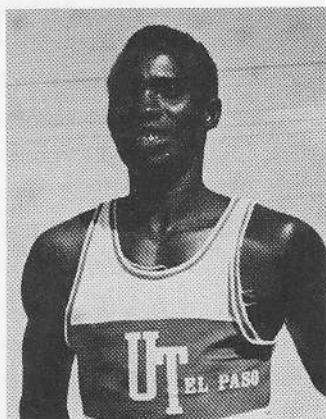


## PETER FARMER

When Peter Farmer enters the hammer throw, the only thing in question is how close the second-place finisher is going to be.

His throw of 230-6 ranks him among the top 20 in the world. He has won every WAC meet he's entered, winning last year's throw by over 30 feet (227-5), and winning the NCAA hammer competition by 20 feet (230-6).

This every-year All-America, a 3.4 education major, also holds the Australian record for the hammer throw and was a member of the Australian National Team which competed in the Commonwealth Games.



## WILSON WAIGWA

Wilson Waigwa has been named All-America four times already, twice in cross country, once indoors and once outdoors.

As a freshman last year at UTEP he ran a 3:57.2 indoor mile at San Diego. He won the WAC indoor mile and anchored the distance medley team that finished third nationally.

In 1974 he won the WAC cross country meet and was third in the NCAA meet at six miles.



## NANCY AARONSON

Nancy Aaronson, a sophomore at UTEP and a Coronado High School graduate, began her golf career at age 13.

Last year she was medalist and runner-up in the Southwest Championship in Albuquerque, played in the Trans National in Eugene, Oregon, and was fourth qualifier in a field of 150 with a 74 in the National Amateur in Seattle.

Nancy finished second in the Inter-Collegiate Tucker Tournament at Albuquerque, won the Dos Lagos Tournament, her second consecutive City tournament, the Coronado Country Club Championship, and the Horizon Championship.

# ***El Paso Athletic Hall of Fame Award***

## ***Athlete's Category***



LEE TREVINO

"Super Mex" Lee Trevino collects things about as quickly as any golfer going. As a professional golfer, it took him just six years to collect his first million dollars. Since 1966 he has collected 17 tournament victories, has been inducted into the Texas Sports Hall of Fame, won the Vardon Trophy for low stroke average on the 1974 tour, has won five major pro titles, and enough trophies to start his own smelter.

In 1974 he won the 1974 World Series of Golf by defeating Gary Player in a playoff. He was a member of the World Cup team in 1974, 1971, 1970, 1969 and 1968 and a member of the Ryder Cup team in 1973, 1971 and 1970.

The two-time U.S. Open champion won the Hickock Pro Athlete Belt in 1971, the Associated Press Male Athlete, International Sports Personality by the British Broadcasters Association, Sports Illustrated's Sportsman of the Year, Golf Magazine Athlete of the Year, PGA Player of the Year and Sporting News' Sportsman of the Year.

*Karen Linton*

## **El Paso Athletic Hall of Fame Award**

### **Athlete's Category**



**KAREN LINTON**

Bowling may not be a full-time occupation for pretty Karen Linton, but you couldn't tell it by looking at the scores. In the past 14 years she has never averaged less than 180. She became a member of the El Paso Woman's Bowling Association under the Women's International Bowling Congress in the 1960-61 season with an average of 187. She averaged 198 last year and currently averages 193.

The official publication of the WIBC Woman Bowler now shows Karen ranked fifth in the United States with a five-year average of 197. Her 206 average for the 1969-70 season gave her a third-best average of all time for the nation.

A few years ago she posted the first sanctioned 300 game ever rolled by a woman in El Paso, and at the same time posted a 760 series, a high not only for El Paso, but a state record as well. She has also rolled series of 721, 712 and 703.

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## ***Athlete's Category***



**DR. JOHN EDWIN**

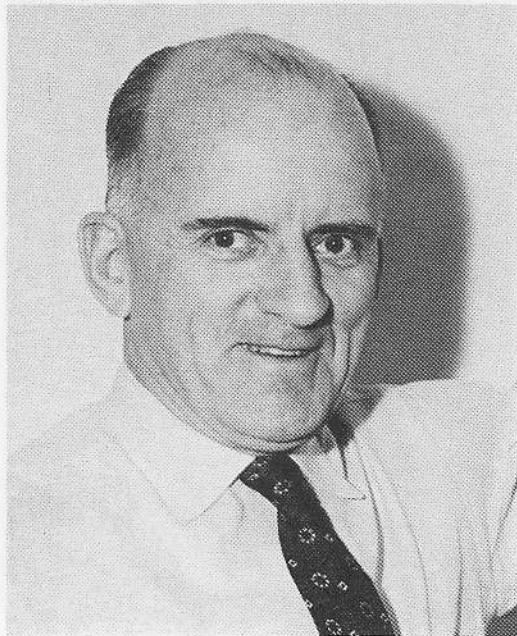
When matching men with shooting accomplishments, you're in the bullseye if you mention El Paso's Dr. John Edwin. He is a champion shooter as well as crackjack coach. In 1958, he was the team captain and coach of the United States Army International and Olympic Rifle Team, which placed the top seven men in the ten-man team representing the United States in the world championships at Moscow, Russia, in 1958.

Dr. Edwin is a lifetime member of the National Rifle Association, is a certified NRA rifle and pistol instructor and one of only 120 NRA Training Counselors in the United States.

Although listing all his accomplishments would require at least two pages in this book, here are some samples:

In 1954, team captain of the Texas Western College ROTC Rifle Team and team member of the National Champion Army W. R. Hearst Team. In 1957, individual Arizona State Free Rifle Kneeling Champion. In 1958, awarded recognition from the NRA and Winchester Arms Company for three 400 Club Awards, Club of Champions award, and International Team awards.

***El Paso Athletic  
Hall of Fame Award  
Coaches and Administrators  
Category***



**ROBERT CARSON**

Bob Carson coached at Cathedral High School from 1925 to 1944. The school's first coach, Carson not only was head football and basketball coach, but assisted in coaching boxing, swimming and gymnastics while teaching physical education. He also served as athletic director of the school and the Community Center during his coaching career.

Drawing on recruits which numbered no more than about 150 boys during his 19-year career, he nevertheless compiled a 46-69-4, won-lost-tied record in football; and a 175-101, won-lost record in basketball. During the 1937-42 period, Cathedral won six out of seven state tournaments in basketball, a record unmatched in Texas to this date.

During his career as head of the Community Center, he taught literally thousands of young people how to swim, box and tumble. He held classes seven days a week at the Center, located at Cathedral High.

By his own example and advice, he developed in his players those fundamentals that make for a moral human being.



# ***El Paso Athletic Hall of Fame Award***

## ***Member of the Sports Media***



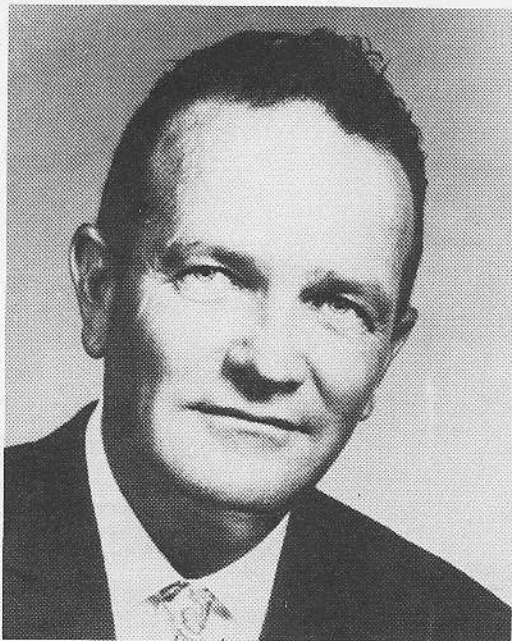
**JOHN PHELAN**

Veteran newsman John Phelan's media experience spans newspaper, radio and television. He started his sports reporting at the age of 16, working a six-day week for the Galveston Daily News for \$5. Following attendance at John Tarleton College he worked two years in San Angelo, served three years military duty in World War II, winding up in El Paso in 1946 as a part-time student at College of Mines and part-time radio broadcaster.

After graduation in 1948, Phelan joined KTSM full-time, broadcasting play-by-play Texas Western football games. During the following years, he broadcast Southwest Conference Game of the Week programs, detoured to take over general managership of the El Paso Texans baseball team, returned to KTSM for Miner football play-by-play, and in 1960 started his television career as sportscaster and news director.

He helped organize the El Paso Sun Kings in 1962, was named Newsman of the Year in 1969 by the El Paso Press Club, and has served as president of the El Paso Athletic Hall of Fame for three terms.

***El Paso Athletic  
Hall of Fame Award  
Posthumous Award  
Coaches and Administrators Category***



**LEE FLOYD**

Lee Floyd will be remembered as an outstanding athlete, a superb coach and a gentleman. His coaching career at the University of Southern Mississippi, interrupted by a nine-year stint as a businessman in El Paso, spans the years 1949-1972. His teams won 117 and lost 46 from 1949 through 1953, winning the Gulf States Conference in 1950, the Sun Carnival in 1951, and the District 19 NAIA Tournament two years running and qualifying for the national playoffs.

He was a member of the All-City basketball team while a student at Cathedral High, where he also lettered in football. At Texas College of Mines, he lettered in both basketball and football. He was a member of the Miner basketball team which won its first Border Conference basketball title in 1941 and in 1943 he made the All-Conference team while leading the league in scoring.

Lee is survived by his wife, Alice, two daughters, Carolee and Sally, and a son, Tim.

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## PAST AWARDS ATHLETES OF THE YEAR

1963	JIM (BAD NEWS) BARNES . . . . .	TWC
1964	RONNIE KAHN . . . . .	El Paso High School
1965	BILL STEVENS . . . . .	U.T. El Paso
1966	JACKIE GUADAGNOLI . . . . .	Irvin High School
1967	LEE TREVINO . . . . .	Professional Golf Assn.
	DON MAYNARD . . . . .	New York Jets, AFL
	FRED CARR . . . . .	U.T. El Paso
	CHARLIE WEST . . . . .	U.T. El Paso
1968	LEE TREVINO . . . . .	Professional Golf Assn.
1969	NCAA CROSS-COUNTRY CHAMPIONS . . . . .	U.T. El Paso
	JOHN BURGESS . . . . .	New Mexico State Univ.
	NATE ARCHIBALD . . . . .	U.T. El Paso
1970	KERRY PEARCE . . . . .	U.T. El Paso
	PAUL GIBSON . . . . .	U.T. El Paso
	KAREN LINTON . . . . .	WIBC
	DICK GIBBS . . . . .	U.T. El Paso
1971	FRED DeBERNARDI . . . . .	U.T. El Paso
	LEE TREVINO . . . . .	Professional Golf Assn.
	JAN WELSCH . . . . .	Aqua Posse Swim Team
1972	JAMES FORBES . . . . .	U.T. El Paso
	GARY KEITHLEY . . . . .	U.T. El Paso
1973	JAMES FORBES . . . . .	U.T. El Paso
	GARY KEITHLEY . . . . .	U.T. El Paso
1974	GUS BAILEY . . . . .	U.T. El Paso
	HUMBERTO BAUTISTA . . . . .	U.T. El Paso
	HANS HOGLUND . . . . .	U.T. El Paso

### CONGRATULATIONS TO JIM PAUL

The Hall of Fame Committee makes special recognition of Jim Paul for his extraordinary accomplishments as General Manager of the El Paso Diablos during 1974. He received the *Sporting News* Minor League "Executive-of-the-Year" award, becoming the first minor league executive in history to win this award during a first season in organized baseball.

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