

# **HALL of FAME INDUCTEE**

## **JIM BARKER**

**Sterling Hgts Utica Ford II High School**



One of only 14 boys' coaches to win 500 games in the state of Michigan, Jim Barker has led the boys at Utica Ford since 1971. He has compiled a remarkable record of 512 wins and only 178 losses.

Jim's teams were the Oakland A League Champions four times and MAC League Champions eight times. Eleven of Jim's squads had district titles, with two teams that claimed regional championships.

Jim has been a Lifetime Member of BCAM and has served on BCAM's All-Star committee.

Coach Barker has received Coach of the Year from the Detroit Free Press, Detroit News, Associated Press, Macomb Daily and the Macomb Athletic Conference. In 1993, he was awarded the Northwood University Teacher/Mentor of the Year.