## 2013 HALL-of-HONOR INDUCTEE

## ASSISTANT COACH



## Phillip Beachler - Lowell HS

Phil has coached at least one girls or boys basketball team since he was a young man fresh out of school in 1986. That was almost 30 years ago. He has coached varsity, JV, middle school, community basketball and travel teams. Some of the basketball programs Phil has coached or worked with over the years include Lowell Public Schools, Grand Rapids Christian, Lowell YMCA, the "Future Arrows" boys team, the "Stinger" girls team, the Grand Rapids Storm and Lowell Arrow Heat. In his early coaching career Beachler additionally coached the Lowell HS bowling team as well as

the baseball team. Lowell head basketball coach Jeff McDonald nominated Phil for the Hall of Honor. Jeff writes, "Phil scouts for us. He attends every clinic in winter and summer. He helps with team functions, etc. He is incredible and has been a HUGE asset for almost 3 decades."

Christine is Phil's wife and together they have two children, Kortney (17) and Matthew (15).