ELBERT RICHMOND Detroit Mackenzie High School

Elbert retired from coaching in 1993. He spent his entire coaching career in Detroit. He was at Detroit Cass Tech for two years (1960-1962) where his teams were 19-9. He did not coach again until 1972 when he to Mackenzie High School. During the next 21 years, his teams posted a 339 - 123 wins/loss record.



At Mackenzie his team won eight Division Championships, three West Side titles, was the Public School League runner-up twice and was the P.S.L. Champion in 1984. He won eight District titles, four Regional titles and won the Class A State Championship in 1979.

Elbert has served both the Detroit Coaches Association and the

Public School Coaches Association.

He has been honored by both the Detroit Free Press and the Detroit News over the years. He has been Public School Coaching Association Coach of the Year and was proclaimed 1979 Coach of the Year by the Detroit City Council.