

Bill Derks (Rochester High School 1975-1998)

Carthage High School - Class of 1968. State qualifier in the 100yd dash.

Taught at Rochester Jr. High School 1972-2006.

Head Boys Track Coach at Rochester High School for 24 years. 1975-1998

Teams won 3 state trophies during this time: 3rd in 1979, 2nd in 1982 and 3rd in 1990.

30 state medal winners including 8 individual state champions.

Athletic Director at Rochester 1981-1999

Hosted many boys and girls sectionals with fellow Hall of Fame Coach Robin Taft.

After retiring from coaching began officiating track and field from 1999-present.

