



COACH WILLIAM "Butch" STOCKTON 2013 HALL OF FAME INDUCTEE

Butch Stockton's 597 career victories and three straight Metro Coach of the Year awards are important to him, but no one is keeping track of the numbers that really matter to him. No one is counting the basketball scholarships his players have earned or the former players who still call him just to talk hoops or the number of miles Stockton has flown to watch his boys play in college and in the pros. "The victories are great," Stockton has said, "but seeing kids get better is more important." "You can't just let a good player be good. You have to make him want to be great,"

EDUCATION:

- » HIGH SCHOOL: NORTH PIKE HIGH SCHOOL
- » JUNIOR COLLEGE: SOUTHWEST MISSISSIPPI COMMUNITY COLLEGE
- » COLLEGE: DELTA STATE UNIVERSITY
- » MASTERS DEGREE: SOUTHEASTERN LOUISIANA UNIVERSITY
- » MASTERS PLUS THIRTY: UNIVERSITY OF SOUTHWESTERN LOUISIANA

ATHLETICS:

- » HIGH SCHOOL- FOOTBALL, BASKETBALL, BASEBALL
- » JUNIOR COLLEGE: FOOTBALL, BASEBALL

COACHING:

- » 1976-77 Berwick High School
- » 1977-79 Bootheville- Venice High School
- » 1979-80 Jena High School
- » 1981-88 Lafayette High School
- » 1991-95 University of South Alabama (women)
- » 1996-2005 St. Bernard High School
- » 2005-06 St. Bernard Unified School
- » 2006-Present Chalmette High School
- » 597 Career Victories

TOP 28 APPEARANCES:

- » LHSAA All-Star Game Coach, 1986, 2000, 2011
- » New Orleans Metro Coach of the Year, 1998, 99, 2000
- » Plaquemines Parish Coach of the Year, 1978, 79
- » St. Bernard Parish Coach of the Year, 1997, 98, 99, 2000, 01, 02, 03, 05
- » District Coach of the Year, 1978, 79, 87, 88, 98, 2000
- » 1978 State Finalist - A
- » 1979 - A
- » 1986 - AAAA
- » 1998 - AA
- » 2000 State Finalist - AA
- » 2009 LHSAA Top 28 Inductee
- » One of only 3 coaches in the state to take 3 different schools to the top twenty-eight

NOTABLE PLAYERS COACHED

Bootheville-Venice

- » Troy Hall, Southeastern Louisiana University

Lafayette High

- » David Benoit, University of Alabama, Utah Jazz
- » Mike St. Julien, McNeese State, Harlem Globetrotters
- » Cedric Figaro, Notre Dame, NFL
- » Jerry Fontenot, Texas A&M, NFL
- » Joseph Hebert, Lamar University

St. Bernard High

- » Byron Santiago, Louisiana Tech
- » Drionne Major, Xavier University

Chalmette High

- » Joshua Major, SUNO