

Baseball Alumni in the Linn-Mar Athletic Hall of Fame

Ryan Driscoll, Class of 1992

Inducted 2019-2020

Played varsity baseball from 1989-1992

Other sports (varsity): Football 1990-1991; Basketball '89-'90, '90-'91, '91-'92

Post-season honors (baseball)

1989 2nd Team All-District

1990 2nd Team All-MVC; Participated on All-Iowa team that played in Yamanashi, Japan from August 14-22, 1990

1991 2nd Team All-MVC, 1st Team All-District

1992 1st Team All-MVC, MVC Player of the Year, 1st Team All-District, 1st Team All-State (INA), Elite Team All-State (Coaches)

Post-season honors (football)

1990 2nd Team All-MVC, 2nd Team All-State (DM Register)

1991 1st Team All-MVC, MVC Player of the Year, 1st Team All-State (INA), Elite Team All-State (DM Register), Iowa Shrine Game – North QB, Gatorade Iowa Player of the Year

1992 Cedar Rapids Gazette, Male Athlete of the Year

Post-Season honors (basketball)

'90-'91 1st Team All-MVC

Ryan Driscoll in the Linn-Mar Baseball Record Book

Top 5 Hitting (Season)

5th in Hits (52) – 1991

4th in RBI (41) – 1991

3rd in Home Runs (8) – 1990

5th in Total Bases (81) – 1991

2nd in Batting Average (.539) – 1992

1st in Slugging Pct (.897) – 1990; 2nd in Slugging Pct (.831) – 1992

2nd in On-base Percentage (.606) – 1992

1st in OPS (1.437) – 1992; 3rd in OPS (1.379) - 1990

1st in Total Offense (1.977) – 1992; 4th in Total Offense (1.828) – 1990

5th in Toughest to K (2K in 104 PA's) - 1992

Hitting Streak – 25 consecutive games

Top 5 Pitching (Season)

2nd in ERA (1.30) – 1991

Ryan Driscoll in the Linn-Mar Football Record Book

Passing Attempts in a Career 464

Passing Yards in a Career 3613

Ryan Driscoll in the Linn-Mar Basketball Record Book

Most Assists in a Career 364

Top 5 Hitting (Career)

1st in At-Bats (390)

4th in Runs Scored (103)

1st in Hits (174)

1st in RBI (133)

3rd in Doubles (29)

1st in Triples (12)

1st in Home Runs (22)

1st in Total Bases (293)

1st in Batting Average (.446)

1st in Slugging Percentage (.751)

1st in OPS (1.250)

1st in Total Offense (1.696)

Top 5 Pitching (Career)

5th in ERA (2.14)

College Athletics

Ryan played QB at the University of Iowa from 1992-1996. He was named one of the five best drop back passers in the country by the Sporting News during his senior year of high school. Ryan chose the Hawkeyes over Illinois, Notre Dame, Florida State, Wisconsin, and Nebraska. He also played baseball for the Hawkeyes in 1996 before an injury cut his season short.

Coach Phil Katz on Ryan Driscoll

“As a person is how I want Ryan to be remembered. They just don’t get any better. Just humble, caring, loving, generally concerned about you. As an athlete, he was selfless too. He had all the god-given skills, but the thing Ryan had was the ability to lead and the ability to relate to his teammates. His teammates would run through a wall for him. Ryan had ‘It,’ that’s what I would say. From a straight baseball standpoint, he was the best hitter I ever coached. Power to all fields, he feared nobody and was as clutch as they come.”

