



Al Paolucci  
~ 2000 ~

Al was an outstanding athlete in high school and college. In high school he starred as QB for the football team and was captain of the baseball team, being elected All-County. A graduate of Ithaca College, earning his degree in health and physical education, Al served as a teacher at the Hamilton School in Mt. Vernon for 35 years.

He worked for the New Rochelle Parks and Recreation for over 30 years in various positions, ranging from playground supervisor to Supervisor of Officials for the adult's softball league. Al devoted his life to encouraging our young people to participate in sports. He truly believed that sports do make a difference in a young person's life.



Roy Stephenson  
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“The Greatest Softball Pitcher of All Time!” This statement is universally accepted by everyone who ever played with Roy, played against Roy, or watched Roy play. He played softball for 23 years, beginning in 1938 at the age of 15. He started in New Rochelle with the Shamrocks and the State Bears. Roy pitched more than 50 No-Hitters during his career. He was named to the ASA All-American team in 4 different years. His team won the famous Jones Beach Softball League six years in a row. He also starred in the Eastern Softball League, winning the title twice. Roy struck out 28 consecutive batters in a 15 inning game. He also went to the National Softball Tourney 8 times. Roy was named to the National Softball Hall of Fame, Nassau County Hall of Fame and the Long Island Hall of Fame.