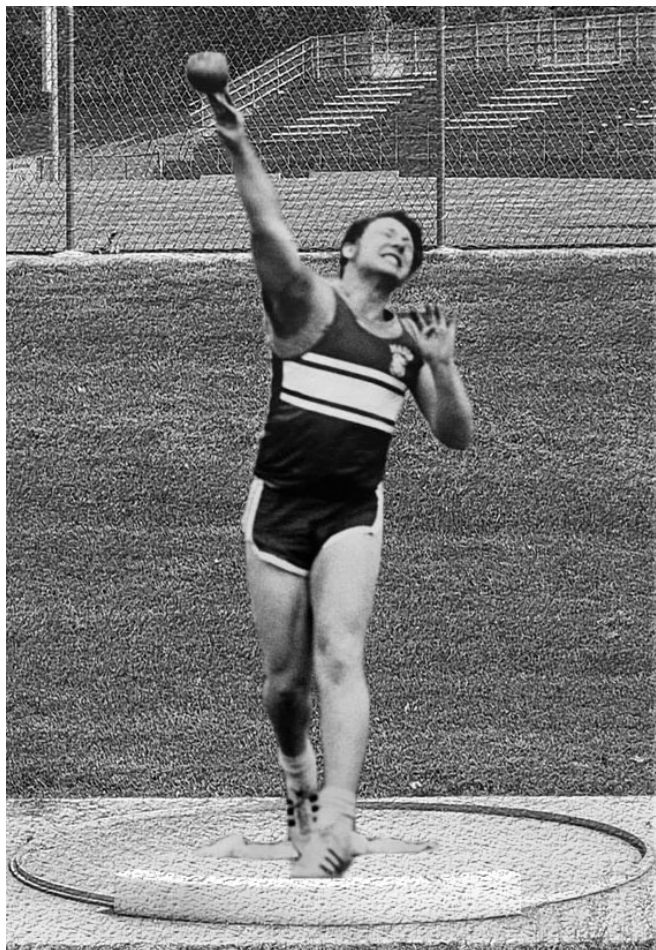




MASON HIGH SCHOOL ATHLETIC HALL OF FAME

Randy Foss



Randy Foss, a 1974 graduate, holds the distinction of being Mason High School's first individual state champion. A multi-sport athlete, Foss earned 3 varsity letters in football playing fullback and defensive tackle, earning all-league honorable mention his senior year. Foss received 3 varsity letters in track and field where he excelled at throwing shot. He broke the school record as a junior and his mark achieved as a senior stood for 42 years. Foss was a key contributor on track and field teams that won three consecutive Class B Regional Championships in 1972, 1973, and 1974 and the league title in 1974; accomplishments all the more impressive considering that Mason did not have a track and field facility or a weight room at the time. As a junior, Foss was a third place finisher at the state meet. In his senior season he was a favorite for the state title after throwing a season best 59-10, better than the state record at the time. At the 1974 state meet, Mason finished fifth as a team and Foss achieved his dream goal winning the Class B state title with a toss of 58-10. The state title was the first individual state title for Mason High School. Foss was also a member of the first tri-state track and field meet representing the state of Michigan against Ohio and Indiana in 1974. Foss was awarded a full ride to the University of Michigan where he lettered in track and field from 1975 to 1978. In that time, Foss was a member of four teams that won both Indoor and Outdoor Big Ten Conference Championships in 1976 and 1978.

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