

BISHOP FALLON HIGH SCHOOL / HOLY ANGELS COLLEGIATE INSTITUTE
HALL of FAME NOMINATION FORM

I nominate _____ Jack Dumpert _____ for
induction
into the Bishop Fallon High School/Holy Angels Collegiate Institute Hall of Fame

The nominee fits into one or more of the following categories:

Distinguished Alumni Faculty Member Staff Member
 Sports Team Activity Group (Attach year and members if possible)

CANDIDATES INFORMATION: (Please print)

Name _____ Jack Dumpert _____

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City, State Zip Code _____ Kenmore, NY 14217

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School (Check one) BFHS HACI Class Year _____

A WRITTEN BIOGRAPHY OF THE CANDIDATE MUST ACCOMPANY THIS FORM.
Information should include Education, Career, Outstanding Accomplishments,
Awards, and HACI or BFHS information such as awards, sports etc.
Nominations WILL NOT be considered without a complete Biography of the
Candidate.

NOMINATOR'S INFORMATION

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NOMINATIONS TO BE CONSIDERED FOR THE HALL of FAME must be submitted
with a complete, updated biography of the candidate no later than June 1st of
each year. Nominations are to be emailed to BishopFallon.org@gmail.com
or mailed to:

BFHS/HACI Alumni Association, Inc.

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Jack Dumpert provided surety bonds for virtually every major public construction contract over four decades. (Surety bonds guarantee completion of public construction contracts.)

His first major project was one he came to regret, the “hourglass” section of the Kensington Expressway. “We thought we’re contributing to the growth of a modern city,” he once recalled. “Instead, we destroyed gracious Humboldt Parkway, part of Buffalo’s Frederick Law Olmsted heritage.” His last project was one of his favorites, the restoration of the Commercial Slip at Canalside. “After working through so many years of decline,” he reflected, “it was thrilling to be part of Buffalo’s Renaissance.”

He also provided surety bonds in connection with the construction the stadium now known as Highmark, the arena now known as KeyBank Center, the Greater Buffalo International Airport terminal, the Buffalo Metro Rail rapid transit line, roads, bridges, schools, hospitals, treatment plants, utility lines and “...about a zillion miles of sidewalk”.

John J. “Jack” Dumpert, Jr. was born on July 20, 1942, in Newark, NJ. His father, John, Sr., was a life-long federal civil servant. His mother, Lucella (Timlin) Dumpert was an educator and homemaker. His father’s work with the federal government caused the family to relocate several times. When his father was appointed a federal senior administrative law judge, his family moved from Carson City, Nevada to Buffalo. “I was the happiest kid in the world,” he remembered, “moving from a Podunk town in the Nevada desert to a real bustling city.”

Once in Buffalo, he entered Bishop Fallon High School as a sophomore. He graduated from Canisius College in 1964 with a degree in literature and a ROTC commission as a second lieutenant. He served as a forward platoon leader with the First Calvary Division in Viet Nam.

After completing active duty, he returned to Buffalo. He used his veteran’s education benefits to obtain a MBA degree from the University at Buffalo. He was hired as a trainee in the Buffalo branch of a Baltimore based surety company. Seven years later he became the Buffalo Branch manager. He left the company in 1976 and became an independent surety bond agent. He joined the Joseph J Naples Companies in 1980 as Bond Manager and worked there for the balance of his career. He was promoted Vice President in 1996. He retired in 2008.