



**Bill Hare**  
**Athlete - Class of 1961**

Bill Hare graduated from St. Paul Park High School in 1961 and from Hamline University in 1965. In 1981 he earned a Masters Degree from St. Cloud State University. He was an accomplished high school and collegiate athlete earning 10 letters in high school and was a four year letter winner in baseball at Hamline.

He began his teaching and coaching career at Mounds View in 1965 and went to Greenway Schools in Coleraine, MN in 1972. His baseball teams won four state championships and one runner up finish. He has been selected state baseball coach of the year four times and nominated for national coach of the year three times. He was Region 7 Athletic Director of the year in 1993. He is a member of the Hamline University Athletic Hall of Fame, the MSHSCA Hall of Fame, the MN Baseball Coaches Association Hall of Fame and the MN Athletic Directors Hall of Fame.