Errol Logue Memorial Scholarship

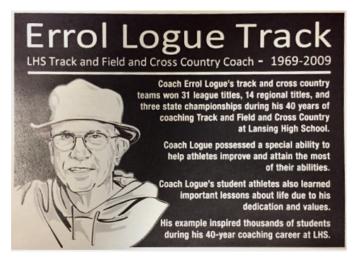


Errol graduated from Wichita West High School, Friends University, and received his Masters from the University of Kansas. He moved with his family to Lansing in 1969. He loved to teach, whether it was in the classroom or on the field. He was a successful coach, but he always felt that it was more important that students learned real life lessons in competitive sports. They learned the benefits of hard work, consistency, and preparing to handle the outcome of competition with grace and dignity. He made a lot of calls to college coaches asking them to scout athletes who had promise both athletically and academically. It was important to have financial support to attend college. When a former student succeeded, in making their way in the world, he was always proud of them and took every opportunity to tell them how proud he was of them.

When he began his career in Lansing, the high school was so small that when teachers were doing hall duty everyone could see one another down the only hallway in the building. Errol taught social studies. He had simulations, games, and guest speakers. One game the kids all loved was the War game. It was a huge success. It made big, complicated ideas understandable.

Errol felt he was lucky to be able to work in a community that supported the kids and the school system with time and dedication. He was proud of the fact that he taught three generations of kids. As the first member of his family to graduate from college, he believed he had opportunities that other working-class kids often did not get because they were unable to pay for college. Education gives people choice!

- 1. Applicants must be in the top 25% of their class, an athlete in track or cross country, and must have a goal of preparing to serve others in whatever their career goals.
- 2. A completed application, an essay of 250 words or less and <u>TWO</u> teacher evaluations with counselor section is required.



Lansing High School named the Track after Errol Logue in 2018. This plaque hangs proudly at the stadium.