

## HALL OF FAME INDUCTEE - 2012

### Dave Eiland

Pitcher / Coach



**Full Name** David William Eiland  
**Born** July 5, 1966 in Dade City, FL  
**Bats/Throws** Right/Right  
**Height** 6'3"  
**Weight** 210

**NOTES:** 1990 IL Most Valuable Pitcher  
 Played for 1991, 1993, and 1996 Governors' Cup Champions  
 1990 IL Postseason All-Star  
 Led IL in victories (16), complete games (11), and shutouts (3) in 1990  
 Pitching Coach for Scranton/Wilkes-Barre (2007)

IL PLAYING CAREER											
	<u>W</u>	<u>L</u>	<u>SV</u>	<u>ERA</u>	<u>G</u>	<u>CG</u>	<u>SH</u>	<u>IP</u>	<u>H</u>	<u>SO</u>	<u>BB</u>
1988 Columbus	1	1	0	2.59	4	0	0	24.1	25	13	6
1989 Columbus	9	4	0	3.76	18	2	0	103.0	107	45	21
1990 Columbus	16	5	0	2.87	27	11	3	175.1	155	96	32
1991 Columbus	6	1	0	2.40	9	2	0	60.0	54	18	7
1993 Charlotte	1	3	0	5.30	8	0	0	35.2	42	13	12
1994 Columbus	9	6	0	3.58	26	0	0	140.2	141	84	33
1995 Columbus	8	7	0	3.14	19	1	1	109.0	109	62	22
1996 Columbus	8	4	0	2.92	15	3	0	92.1	77	76	13
1997 Columbus	4	2	0	6.64	13	0	0	62.1	80	43	14
1998 Durham	13	5	0	2.99	28	2	1	171.2	177	112	27
1999 Durham	5	3	0	3.36	10	0	0	59.0	60	46	9
2000 Durham	2	1	0	4.63	4	0	0	23.1	31	10	3
<b>TOTALS</b>	<b>82</b>	<b>42</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>3.44</b>	<b>181</b>	<b>21</b>	<b>5</b>	<b>1056.2</b>	<b>1058</b>	<b>618</b>	<b>199</b>

Dave Eiland pitched in over 180 games in the International League between 1988 and 2000, along the way compiling a record of 82-42 with a 3.44 ERA. This was intermingled with a Major League career in which he played 248 games with the Yankees, Padres, and Devil Rays over the same time span.

Eiland was the IL's Most Valuable Pitcher in 1990, leading the circuit in wins, complete games, and shutouts. He went on to become the League's most accomplished starting pitcher of the 1990's, leading the IL in wins, innings pitched, complete games, and strikeouts for the decade. He was a member of Governors' Cup champion clubs in 1991 and 1996 with Columbus, as well as 1993 with Charlotte.

Following his retirement, Eiland became a pitching coach in the Yankees organization. In 2007 he served in that role for the IL's Scranton/Wilkes-Barre Yankees, helping lead the club to a division title thanks to the League's 3rd-best ERA (3.64) that season.

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### Bill Evers

Manager

**Full Name** William Joseph Evers  
**Born** January 29, 1954 in New York, NY

**NOTES:** Managed 2002 and 2003 Governors' Cup Champions  
 Durham All-Time leader in managerial wins (613)  
 Manager of 2001 International League All-Star Team  
 Coach on 1999 International League All-Star Team



IL MANAGERIAL CAREER					
	<u>W</u>	<u>L</u>	<u>%</u>	<u>POS</u>	
1995 Columbus	71	68	.511	3rd	
1998 Durham	80	64	.556	1st	<i>South Division Champions</i>
1999 Durham	83	60	.580	1st	<i>South Division Champions</i>
2000 Durham	81	62	.566	1st	<i>South Division Champions</i>
2001 Durham	74	70	.514	2nd	
2002 Durham	80	64	.556	1st	<i>Governors' Cup Champions</i>
2003 Durham	73	67	.521	1st	<i>Governors' Cup Champions</i>
2004 Durham	77	67	.535	2nd	<i>Wild Card</i>
2005 Durham	65	79	.451	2nd	
<b>TOTALS</b>	<b>684</b>	<b>601</b>	<b>.532</b>		

Under Bill Evers' leadership, the Durham Bulls won five division titles and two Governors' Cup Championships between 1998 and 2005, never finishing lower than 2nd place in the IL South. He is the first manager in International League history to sweep back-to-back Governors' Cup finals (6-0 in 2002-2003). Evers posted a 25-13 (.658) record in the postseason.

For the decade from 2000-09, Evers led the International League with 16 playoff victories and was 3rd with 450 regular season victories. After eight seasons in Durham, Evers left the Bulls in 2006 to join the staff of the Tampa Bay Devil Rays. When he departed the Minor Leagues, he owned the second-most career victories (1,381) amongst active managers at the time.

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### Mike Tamburro

Executive

**Born** February 13, 1952 in Worcester, MA

**NOTES:** General Manager, Pawtucket Red Sox, 1977-85  
President, Pawtucket Red Sox 1985-present  
1984, 1988, 2001, 2004, and 2008 IL Executive of the Year  
The Sporting News 1984 Triple-A Executive of the Year  
Organization Received 1990 and 2003 Triple-A Bob Freitas Award  
Organization Received 1990 President's Trophy as National Association's Most Complete Franchise  
National Association Board of Trustees member, 1992-97 and 2001-present (Chairman 2004-05)  
1984 Boston Baseball Writers Association Greg Montalbano Minor League Award recipient  
1996 Amby Smith Lifetime Achievement Award recipient



Mike Tamburro came to Pawtucket in 1977 at the urging of team owner Ben Mondor (IL Hall of Fame, Class of 2008), who had recently acquired the troubled Boston affiliate that winter. Tamburro, who had previously been honored as "General Manager of the Year" with Elmira of the New York-Penn League in 1976, helped create an incredible turn-around as Pawtucket became one of the strongest and most successful franchises in professional baseball. Under Tamburro's leadership, the PawSox have gone from drawing 70,000 fans in 1977 to over 688,000 fans in the club-record setting season of 2005. One of his major achievements was spearheading a \$16 million renovation of McCoy Stadium for the 1999 season which included increased seating capacity, a new grandstand with entry tower, a new playing field, an expanded main concourse, a new video board and scoreboard, and ADA and structural improvements.

In 2003 the PawSox welcomed their 10 millionth fan to McCoy Stadium during Tamburro's tenure. To put that achievement in perspective, had the club continued at their 1977 attendance pace it would have taken over 142 years to draw 10 million fans to McCoy. In 2004, the same year Pawtucket played host to the Triple-A All-Star Game, the PawSox led the entire International League in attendance for the first time ever. They would repeat the feat two more times in the next four seasons.

The International League began recognizing an Executive of the Year in 1964, and since that time no one has received the honor more than 5-time IL Executive of the Year Mike Tamburro. Tamburro has been a positive force for all of Minor League Baseball during his three-plus decades in Pawtucket. He is a member and former Chairman of the Minor League Baseball Board of Trustees. He served as Chairman of the Presidential Search Committee that was charged to find a new President of Minor League Baseball in 2008.

Tamburro will long be remembered for coining his team's nickname "PawSox" when a uniform crisis in his first season led to the restitching of "Boston" uniforms with the six-letter moniker that has become synonymous with the franchise. Tamburro is involved with a number of community charities. He is a trustee of Big Brothers of Rhode Island as well as Memorial Hospital, and helped create the Pawtucket Red Sox Charitable Foundation that supports numerous groups throughout New England. He is the former Director of the Cox Charities of New England and of the Providence Journal Summertime Fund. He has served as Vice President of the Pawtucket Education Foundation and the Vice President of the Boys and Girls Club of Pawtucket.

Tamburro is a 1974 graduate of the University of Massachusetts with a degree in Journalism and Sports Administration.