



## Muncy High School Athletic Hall of Fame

Jack Whalen

Class of 1940  
Induction year 1984

Jack was one of the best all-around athletes of his era. Jack lettered in basketball, football and baseball all three years he participated, 1937-38, 1938-39 and 1939-40. Jack led the Muncy Indians to their first West Branch Basketball championship in 1940 under the tutelage of Coach George Wilt. After posting an 11-1 regular season record, their only loss was to Ralston 33-28 on their home court saw Muncy get revenge in the championship game at Lycoming College as they routed Ralston by a 43-29 score. Jack led the

West Branch in scoring with 155 points.

Jack was a two way performer in football and played halfback on offense and defensive back on defense.

On the baseball team Jack was the catcher and one of the RBI men who drove in the runs, Jack was remembered for hitting some long home runs into those trees in left field. Jack also played semi-pro baseball several years and was also their catcher. One of the best in the West Branch.