



Muncy High School
Athletic Hall of Fame
Robert Wilt
Class of 1933
Induction year 2005

Bob left his mark in Muncy by owning and editing the Muncy Luminary from 1946 to 1983 when he retired. His zest for community service was unparalleled as he volunteered for many charitable endeavors and was relentless in whatever he undertook.

Bob wrote many a sports story about his hometown Muncy and alma mater but also all sports. His weekly sports column also covered area sports as well as national. Bob was awarded the distinguished service award by the Pa. Newspaper Publisher Association in 1969 while also garnering a second place national award for a sports story on wrestler Dan Gable's heralded career.

Bob competed in semi-pro baseball for 24 years and won 99 games on the mound, keyed by off speed pitches that baffled the hitters. Many years he sponsored amateur baseball and headed the Muncy Rotary Club in 1947 that started Muncy Little League. Bob joined the Rotary in 1946, was president in 1948 and put together a string of 33 straight years of perfect attendance.

Bob was quite a fixture at the bowling alleys for over 50 years and received a plaque in 1985 for 50 years as an active bowler.

Bob was a member of the Muncy Sports Booster Association for many years, a member of the West Branch Valley Chapter of Sports Hall of Fame and was a charter member of the Muncy High School Athletic Hall of Fame started in April 1976.

Few people can say they loved every minute of every job they ever worked but Bob was one of them. His unifying work and zeal for life will never be forgotten.