

Colette A. Fritts
Inducted June 26, 2009

Athlete – Class of 1975

Colette Fritts was a pioneer for women's athletics at Marathon High School. Prior to Colette's senior year, opportunities for women's athletic participation consisted of intramurals and "Play Days". The year 1974 witnessed the historic inauguration of Marathon women's athletics in a full varsity league schedule. Colette took full advantage of the newly expanded opportunities by participating and serving as a team captain in field hockey, volleyball, basketball and softball.

An outstanding athlete, Colette immediately set the early standards for participation, leadership, and performance for the many great female athletes that have followed. She was recognized as the Most Valuable Player in field hockey, volleyball, basketball and softball and was the first to be named Female Athlete of the Year.

After Graduation from Marathon, Colette earned a Bachelor of Science degree from Slippery Rock University in Pennsylvania in 1979. Colette has been employed by the State of Florida for over 25 years. She resides in Cape Coral where she currently serves as an Operations and Management Consultant at the Gulf Coast Center for Children and Families of Special Needs.