FERRELL NAMED TO PENN STATE STAFF

University Park, Pa., May ---Donald T. Ferrell, head basketball and track coach, assistant football coach and instructor of physical education at Bishop-McCort High School, Johnstown, Pa., for the past four years, has been appointed freshman basketball coach and instructor in physical education at Penn State. The appointment becomes effective September 1.

In the Penn State basketball program he'll work with head coach John Bach and assistant coach Casper Voithofer.

The 28-year-old Ferrell is a 1964 graduate of Drake University where he played football. He transferred there from the University of Iowa in 1960.

A native of Washington, Pa., he's a 1959 graduate of Washington High School where he was an all-Pennsylvania selection in basketball and football.

Before joining the Bishop-McCort staff in 1966, he was a science and mathematics teacher at Lelaschle Elementary School in Pittsburgh and following that was health, physical education and recreation instructor at the State Rehabilitation Center in Johnstown. Later he was promoted to supervisor of the adapted physical education and recreational program there, a program devising and adapting sports and games for the physically handicapped.

Ferrell is married to the former Josephine Baker of Washington and they have two children. He has done graduate work at the University of Pittsburgh.

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Hall of Fame set for more inductees

Fourteen individuals and a national championship soccer team will be inducted into the Washington-Greene County Chapter of the Pennsylvania Sports Hall of Fame.

Robert P. Czmiel, David R. 'Skitch' Henderson, and Harry 'Chic' McIlvaine will enter under the baseball category; Ted Zets and Wayne Edmonds under football; Dr. M. Patrick McCormick, Eugene Smittle and Wayne Cimino under wrestling; Donald J. Zenner under track and field; William D. Connors, and Rudy Marisa under coaching; Don Ferrell under Meritorious Achievement; and Arthur R. 'Bogan' Couts and Harry G. Stevens posthumously. The Avella soccer team of 1938-39 and 1939-40 will also be honored.

Induction ceremonies will be held 6:30 p.m., Friday, May 17 at the Holiday Inn, Meadow Lands. A reception will be held 6:30 p.m., Thursday, also at the Holiday Inn. The following is a brief look at remaining inductees. The first six biographies were published in last Sunday's edition of the Observer-Reporter.

Don Ferrell

Ferrell earned All-State honors in football and basketball at Washington High School and played in the Big 33 Game. He participated on the Washington Pony League championship team in 1955.

He was a defensive back and wide receiver at Drake University. In 1968, he was named assistant basketball coach for the Pan Am Paraplegic Wheelchair Games in Vancouver, B.C. Ferrell was an assistant basketball coach at Penn State in 1970 and now serves as an athletic and academic advisor.