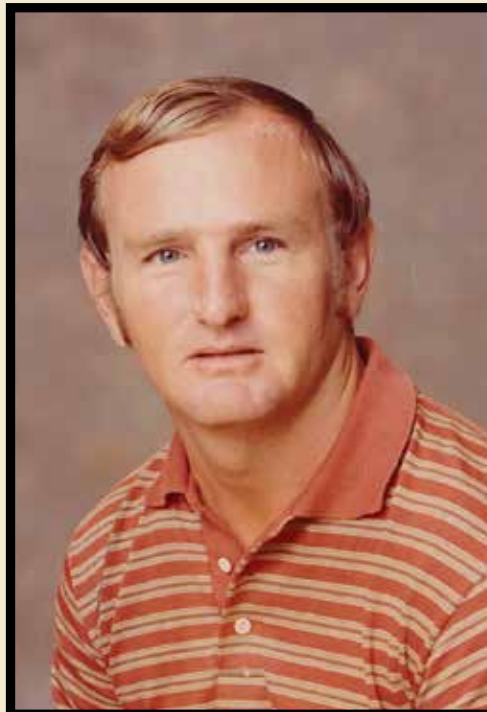


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Forsyth-Monroe County Sports Hall of Fame

Edgar Hatcher



Edgar Hatcher, a Macon native, served as Head Football Coach and Athletic Director at Monroe Academy in Forsyth from 1972 to 1977. He was a high school standout at Mt. DeSales High in Macon (1974 grad), and played football, basketball and baseball at Florida State. He served as an Assistant Coach under Billy Henderson at Willingham High School in Macon that won the Class AAA State Championship. During his tenure as Head Coach at Monroe Academy the Mustangs won back-to-back SEIAS State Championships in 1973 and 1974, and he was named SEIAS Coach of the Year. After five years at Monroe, Hatcher returned to Macon, coaching at Northeast and Southwest High Schools for a combined total of 17 years, winning 108 career games. Hatcher coached Jeff Harper, a Forsyth-Monroe County Hall of Fame inductee, at Monroe, before Harper moved on to collegiate play. Edgar's son, Chris Hatcher, was the 1994 Division II National Player of the Year at Valdosta State, and is now the head football Coach at Samford University. Edgar is a member of the Macon Sports Hall of Fame, inducted in 2009.

