

**Alabama Baseball Coaches Association  
2019 Award Winners  
To be honored Friday, January 17, 2020 - 7:00 p.m.  
ALABCA 25<sup>th</sup> Annual Coaches Convention  
19<sup>th</sup> Annual Awards Banquet  
Birmingham Marriott Hotel**

**Hall of Fame Class of 2020**

Tim Hulse  
Enterprise State Community College

Kevin Raley  
Robertsdale High School

Jim Robbins  
Ashford High School

Ray Walker  
Grissom High School

**2020 Distinguished Service Award Recipient**

Dr. Jack Hawkins  
Troy University

**ALABCA High School Honorees**

**Sammy Dunn Memorial Award**

Drew Miller, G.W. Long High School

**AHSAA Coaches of the Year (State Champions)**

- 1A – Jay Mitchell, Mars Hill Bible School
- 2A – Drew Miller, G.W. Long High School
- 3A – Casey Smith, Providence Christian School
- 4A – Jacob Fowler, Brooks High School
- 5A – Jonathan Ford, Springville High School
- 6A – Brent Patterson, Cullman High School
- 7A – Tim Becker, McGill-Toolen High School

**AHSAA Assistant Coach of the Year**

Steven Darwin, Brooks High School, (Head Coach Jacob Fowler)

**AHSAA Position Player of the Year**

Ethan Hearn, Mobile Christian School, Head Coach Talley Haines

**AHSAA Pitcher of the Year**

Justin Perreault, Homewood High School, Head Coach Lee Hall

**AHSAA Duel Player of the Year**

Chandler Best, McGill-Toolen High School, Head Coach

**AISA Coaches of the Year (State Champions)**

- 1A – Jackson Academy, J.D. Phillips
- 2A – Lakeside, Scottie Ates
- 3A – Pike Liberal Arts School, Allen Ponder

**AISA Assistant Coach of the Year**

Ross Hixon, Pike Liberal Arts School. Head Coach Allen Ponder

**AISA Position Player of the Year**

Gunner Henderson, Morgan Academy, Head Coach Stephen Clements

**AISA Pitcher of the Year**

Devin Pitre, Jackson Academy, Head Coach J.D. Phillips

**AISA Duel Player of the Year**

Taylor Gover, Lakeside Academy, Head Coach Scottie Ates

**College Honorees**

**Community College Division**

**Coach of the Year**

Hunter Vick, Chattahoochee Valley Community College

**Assistant Coach of the Year**

Trent Higginbotham, Coastal Alabama-North Community College

**Player of the Year**

Easton Kirk, Wallace State-Hanceville Community College, Head Coach Putman

**Pitcher of the Year**

Jackson Reynolds, Shelton State Community College, Head Coach Bobby Sprowl

**Small College Division - Division II, III & NAIA**

**Coach of the Year**

Jan Weisberg, Birmingham Southern College

**Assistant Coach of the Year**

J.D. Hulse, Birmingham Southern College

**Player of the Year**

Max Guzman, Faulkner University

**Pitcher of the Year**

Richie Mischia, Birmingham Southern College

## **Large College Division - Division I**

### **Coach of the Year**

Butch Thompson, Auburn University

### **Assistant Coach of the Year**

Evan Bush, Jacksonville State University

### **Player of the Year**

Ethan Wilson, University of South Alabama

### **Pitcher of the Year**

Garret Farmer, Jacksonville State University

### **Umpire Service Awards**

AHSAA – Chris Pike

Community College – Raymond Crawford

Association of Collegiate Umpires – Matthew Wilbanks

Panhandle Conference – Kerry Day

## **2019 - 2020 ALABCA Scholarship Recipients**

\* Awards to be used during the student-athletes 2020 - 2021 freshman year of college.

The following are Class of 2020 graduates who attended an

Underclassman Regional Workout in May of 2019 & applied for a scholarship.

They'll be honored on the field during the 10 a.m. second game of the 7A state baseball championship finals on Saturday May 16, 2020 at the Montgomery Biscuits Riverwalk Stadium

ALABCA Student-Athlete of the Year / Joe Mason Scholarship Recipient (\$2,000)

James Flynn – Faith Academy

### **\$1,500 Scholarship Recipients**

Tyler Bell – Baker High School

Bryan Galloway – Goshen High School

Carson Herring – Rehobeth High School