

Robert Russa Moton High School

HALL OF FAME NOMINATION

Biography of Ronnie Rose

Ronnie Rose was born to the union of Burnis and Irie Rose in Leeds, Alabama.

Educational Background:

Ronnie graduated from Robert R. Moton High School in 1965. He matriculated to Lawson State Community College where he completed requirements in 1968 for an Associate of Science Degree in Business Administration. He then entered Alabama State University, Montgomery, Alabama, where he received a Bachelor of Science Degree in Business Administration in 1970. He continued his quest for education by receiving a Master of Science Degree in Educational Administration from the University of West Alabama in 1994.

His first job on the college level was as the Assistant Business Manager at Stillman College, Tuscaloosa, Alabama. He has worked at Fredd State Technical College as Business Manager prior to being selected as the Interim President, from 1990 to 1993. As President, he was responsible for the daily direction and operation of the college, including: instruction, academic support, student services, institutional support, and maintenance of the facilities.

Ronnie also worked at Shelton State Community College where he served as dean of Human Resources. This is where he had a room named in his honor in the administration building. His other awards and recognition include being appointed a "Point of Light" for the State of Alabama by then President George H. W. Bush in 1990. Ronnie received a Certificate of Recognition for Outstanding Service from Alabama Governor Jim Folsom in 1993.

Memberships in community service organizations:

- The first President of the newly formed Robert R. Moton High School Alumni Association
- President, Benjamin Barnes YMCA Men's Association, 1984-1990.
- Board of Directors, Tuscaloosa Metropolitan Optimist Club, 2010-Present.
- President, Tuscaloosa Community Development Federal Credit Union, 1997-2005
- Board of Directors, West Alabama Chamber of Commerce, 1990-1996.
- Phi Delta Kappa Professional Fraternity

- Phi Beta sigma Fraternity, Inc.

Ronnie has two children, Timothy A. Rose and Tara Rose Campbell. He is affiliated with Forest Lake United Methodist Church of Tuscaloosa, Alabama.

Ronnie Rose was nominated by his daughter, Tara A. Rose-Campbell.