

Dan's early days of doing the radio show with Keith Lundahl.

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Early tournament days with partner Rich Qualls.



Brad Moiser and Dan with AGLOW Award.



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A recent photo of Dan with yet another beautiful bass!

## DAN GALUSHA INDUCTED INTO FRESH WATER FISHING HALL OF FAME • HAYWARD, WISCONSIN

## Inducted for 2012 Legendary Communicator Dan Galusha — Illinois

Dan was instrumental in introducing fishing to the public.

Through his work via seminars, the organization of special events, the Internet, newspapers, magazines, television and radio Dan has educated and informed anglers for over 30 years. While most of his work has been in the Midwest, Dan's considerable body of work has been national in scope as well.

Dan's promotional efforts have helped with continued trout stocking programs in the Bull Shoals, Arkansas and Davenport, Iowa areas. During a special program for troubled kids in a Davenport school, Dan was asked to take some of the kid's fishing as a special reward at the end of the season. When he handed a stocked tackle box to one of the kids, he was asked, "Is this really mine to keep?" Dan responded, "Yes, but promise to use it for fishing and get more kids involved in fishing."

Most notably, in 2008, Dan won the first place AGLOW Crafts Award in the Television Fishing Category for a show about fishing with mulberries. In all Dan has won 15 media awards in television, radio and writing. He also has 16 world records and 139 state fishing awards. Another of Dan's significant achievements, is that he co-produced with award winning videographer Brad Mosier, and hosted, is "The World of Virgil Ward," an award winning documentary for PBS about the life of one of fishing's most famous legends.

As Dan always says in closing his column and shows, "Until next time, get out on the water and enjoy a great day of fishing." Dan's closing line is emblematic of his enduring efforts to promote fresh water sportfishing. Inducted for 2011 Legendary Angler

Considered to have had at least regional lasting impact benefiting fresh water sportfishing.

James Saric – Illinois: Jim has stood out for years as an accomplished angler, teacher, innovator and leader in the advancement of fresh water fishing. As a tournament fisherman Jim has won 7 major musky tournaments, the MWC (Midwest Walleye Classic) on the Illinois River in 1989 and placed second at the prestigious Sturgeon Bay Bass Open in 1998.

Since becoming owner and publisher of Musky Hunter Magazine in 1997, Jim has devoted much of his time promoting and educating the public on musky fishing. Jim certainly has the credentials to do so. Jim has boated more than 1800 muskies! Included in that number are 110 muskies 50 inches or larger, with his biggest being a 53 pound released fish!

Jim's highly acclaimed "Musky Hunter" television

show has won 4 Telly Awards. The Telly's are to cable television as the Emmy's are to broadcast television. Jim's first cutting edge articles appeared in Fishing Facts magazine in 1984. He soon became a field editor for Fishing Facts, as well as a regular contributor to In-Fisherman and the North American Fisherman.

Jim has promoted fresh water fishing in just about every way possible. In addition, he has demonstrated

skills and developed techniques that few other anglers have matched. Jim is a tremendous ambassador for fresh water sportfishing and particularly for musky fishing.



