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Oakland A's to Induct Inaugural Class to Athletics Hall of Fame on Wednesday

OAKLAND, Calif. – Baseball Hall of Famers Dennis Eckersley, Rollie Fingers, Rickey Henderson, Jim "Catfish" Hunter, and Reggie Jackson; 1989 World Series MVP Dave Stewart; and former A's owner Charlie Finley will be enshrined in team history forever as members of the inaugural class of the Athletics Hall of Fame.

The club will host a private pregame reception in the Eastside Club to celebrate the inaugural class. **Members of the media are invited to the reception from 4:30 to 5 p.m.** The Athletics Hall of Fame class will also be honored on field prior to first pitch, including a formal presentation and speeches by each inductee. Fans in attendance for the 7:05 p.m. game versus the New York Yankees will receive an Athletics Hall of Fame plaque giveaway, presented by 7UP.

WHAT: Athletics Hall of Fame pregame reception and on-field ceremony

WHO: Members of the Athletics Hall of Fame inaugural class, including Dennis Eckersley, Rollie

Fingers, Rickey Henderson, Reggie Jackson, and family members of Catfish Hunter and

Charlie Finley.

WHEN: Wednesday, Sept. 5

Media availability: 4:30 to 5 p.m. in the Eastside Club

On-field induction ceremony: 6:15 p.m.

WHERE: Oakland Coliseum

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