

**Spring Branch Independent School District
Agenda Item Information**

Date of Board Meeting: January 19, 2010

Subject: Recognition of Rory Frazee, Recipient of the Texas Tennis Coaches Association's Coach of the Year Award

Administrator Responsible:

Name: Linda Buchman

Position: Community Relations Officer

Purpose of Agenda Item:

Information only **Action needed** **Report**

Additional Information and/or Back-Up:

Stratford High tennis coach Rory Frazee wound up in Spring Branch by chance after flying from New York to interview with a neighboring district for a position that had already been filled. It was SBISD's good fortune that he was referred to us. Nearly two decades later he has received one of the most prestigious awards in the state of Texas – Texas Tennis Coaches Association's Coach of the Year for 2009.

In the early 1980's Frazee began his tenure in SBISD as the industrial arts teacher at Westchester High School. In 1986 he was named Stratford's head tennis coach. Since then, he has coached the Spartans to countless district, regional and state victories.

As a part of his award, Frazee's photo will be displayed in the Texas Tennis Hall of Fame in Waco alongside other winning TTCA coaches.

SBISD applauds the long-standing dedication to excellence, to coaching his students in the game of tennis, and the game of life, and for demonstrating the outstanding leadership traits and coaching skills that made him so worthy of this honor.