

## Emily Carpenter (Maryland)

Emily currently lives in Massey, Maryland and is married to Fred Carpenter. They are the parents of two sons and a daughter and the grandparents of one granddaughter. Emily received a BS in Health and Physical Education from Pennsylvania State University and a MS from Wilmington College, Delaware, in Human Resource Management. Emily recently retired. She was a high school coach of field hockey, softball and volleyball and had been an assistant athletic director for eight years.

Emily has been a pairing master in the Middle Atlantic AAU District for 35 years including eight years as the District Pairing Chairperson. She has been a national wrestling pairing master for twenty-five years. She served on the national wrestling executive committee for ten years, including serving as secretary for eight years. She served as the Wrestling Tournament Director for the Junior Olympic Games for twelve years. Emily is also a life member of the AAU.

Emily's other professional duties and affiliations include: the Delaware Interscholastic Athletic Association State Softball Tournament Committee from 1986-2006, President of the Appoquinimink Education Association for six years, Secretary for the Appoquinimink Education Association for ten years, Middletown High School Wrestling Tournament Director for ten years and St. Andrew's School Wrestling Tournament Director for five years. She is a member of the Delaware State Education Association, the National Education Association, Alpha Delta Kappa, American Association for University Women, Delaware Association for Health, Physical Education, Recreation and Dance and the National Association for Health, Physical Education, Recreation and Dance.

Emily has been recognized for her hard work and dedication with numerous awards. She received the Walnut Street YMCA (Wilmington, DE) Wrestling Service Award in 1985 and 1989, AAU Wrestling Committee Official of the Year in 1988, AAU Junior Olympic Games Leadership Award in 1991, 1994, 1996, and 1997, AAU President's Leadership Award in 1996, and the National Wrestling Committee Outstanding Pairing Master in 1999.