

## Other Sports

- **Cross Country – strong season, beat Army**
  - **Soccer – strong season, beat Army**
  - **Wrestling – Strong season**
  - **Fencing – NCAA champs, Pan American champs,**
  - **Rome Olympics**
  - **Swimming – strong season, beat Army**
  - **Squash- strong season, beat Army**
  - **Gymnastics- winning season**
  - **Boxing- great as usual**
  - **Track & Field – good season**
  - **Tennis – winning season, beat Army**
  - **Lightweight crew and sailing had good seasons**
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- **We beat Army in most of our sports that year.**
  - **The 150-pound football team were national champions and Butch Thompson (Captain), Joe Maiolo, Ron Hinkle and Dick Super were named All American. It's interesting to note that several of that team tried out for the Plebe, let's call it "heavyweight" team, although I honestly don't recall anyone who weighed more than 180 pounds as a plebe.**
  - **Fencing had a great team, were NCAA champions, Pan American Champions, and individual members Al Morales and Joe Paletta represented the United States in the Rome Olympics.**
  - **Other individual '60 athletes had very good years. Wish I could mention them all. You'll hear of some of them when I mention those selected as members of Navy's Hall of Fame.**

## Major Award Winners

- **Karl (Ripplemeyer) won the NAAA Sword, Hank (Chiles) the Thompson Trophy Cup, and Joe (Tranchini) for becoming a member of the Academic All American football team.**

### Major Award Winners

#### NAAA SWORD

The Midshipman of the graduating class that has personally excelled in Athletics during his years of varsity competition

Karl Ripplemeyer

#### Thompson Trophy Cup

The Midshipman who has done the most for the promotion of Athletics at the Naval Academy

Hank Chiles

#### Academic All American

Joe Tranchini

## **Navy Athletics Hall Of Fame**

- **These classmates were selected for the Navy Athletics Hall of Fame:**
- **George Van Houten and Lew Hilder for Track & Field**
- **Pete Bos, Lyman Perry, and Skip Sweetser for Crew**
- **Dave Lowry for Squash**
- **Fred Marsh for baseball**
- **Jay Metzler for basketball**
- **Bill Lewis, Joe Paletta and Al Morales for fencing**
- **Dick Pariseau, Mickey Reeves and Karl Ripplemeyer for lacrosse**
- **Bob Parker for soccer**
- **And Joe Tranchini for football**
- **By the way, the Hall of Fame has been newly renovated and is in the basement of Lejuene Hall next door. It's well worth a visit.**