

Rebecca Marler

Seymore D'Fair Foundation Advisory Board Member

Professional Overview: Rebecca Marler is a retired educator with a commendable 41-year tenure in the Lafayette Parish School System, where she served as a teacher, multi-sport coach, and athletic director at Cathedral-Carmel School in Lafayette, Louisiana. Her expansive career is marked by significant contributions to physical education and special programs to meet diverse student needs.



Educational Contributions: Rebecca's dedication extended beyond traditional teaching roles; she specialized in physical education, hospital, and homebound programs, providing essential instruction to students confined to home or hospital settings. She was deeply involved with the Lafayette Parish School System adolescent treatment centers. For 25 years, Rebecca was integral to the Genesis Alternative Program, serving pregnant girls from age 11 through high school, where she was honored as Teacher of the Year at NP Moss Annex.

Professional Affiliations: Rebecca is an active member of both the Louisiana Health, Physical Education, Recreation and Dance (LAHPERD) and Texas Health, Physical Education, Recreation and Dance (TAHPERD) professional organizations. Her expertise led to an invitation to present at the LAHPERD Convention for the Lafayette Woman's Foundation, focusing on developmental class strategies for young girls. Additionally, she serves as an instructor for the Foundation for Wellness in Lafayette, further contributing to community health and education initiatives.

Personal Life: Rebecca has been married for 36 years and holds a B.S. in Health, Physical, Recreation, and Safety Education, with a minor in Special Education from Northwestern State University.