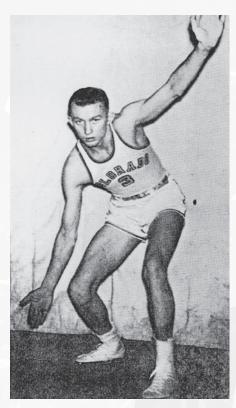
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## ALL-AMERICA SELECTIONS

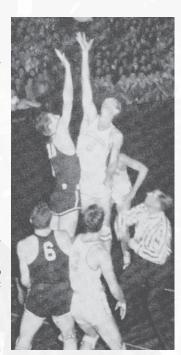


#### Jack Harvey 1939 & 1940

In his back-to-back All-America campaigns, Jack Harvey led the Buffs to two conference championships and a trip to the NCAA Tournament in his senior season. During those two years, CU posted an amazing 31-8 mark and received recognition as the No. 1 team in the land. Known for his tough defense, Harvey proved to be key in numerous Buff victories. He was also an outstanding ball-handler for a big man and was a key component in the CU fast break. A solid All-Conference performer, Harvey is the only CU cager to be selected twice as an All-American

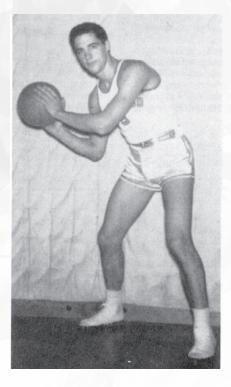
#### Robert Doll 1942

Bob Doll was the big-play man for coach Frosty Cox's 1941-42 Big Seven Championship squad. Doll, along with fellow All-American Leason McCloud helped lead CU to a 16-2 record and the NCAA Western Tournament finals as a senior. He scored 168 points (9.4 ppg.) and was known as an outstanding rebounder and controlled the paint in many CU wins. He was also renowned for his shooting prowess, finishing second to McCloud in scoring. An unanimous All-Big Seven selection, Doll was selected to All-America teams by Look, Pic and Time magazines. He was also tabbed as MVP of New York's Metropolitan Tournament as a sophomore and was a huge factor in CU's three conference titles in a four-year span. After graduation, Doll went on to play for the Boston Celtics.



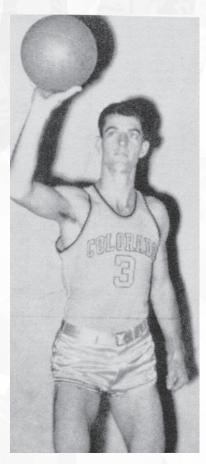
#### Jim Willcoxon 1939

Known for his defense, Jim Willcoxon continued Coach Frosty Cox's tradition of talented cagers. Willcoxon helped anchor the 1937-38 and 1938-39 Big Seven Championship teams with tough play on the defensive end. He also led the Buffs to national prominence with strong showings on East Coast road trips. His hard-nosed style of play earned him both All-Big Seven and All-America honors as a senior.

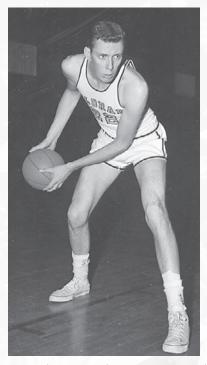


#### Leason McCloud 1942

The leading scorer for the 1942 Big Seven Champion Buffs, Leason McCloud was Coach Frosty Cox's "go-to guy." Known for his silky-smooth shot, McCloud was also a great passer and rebounder. McCloud was key in CU's NCAA Western Tournament semifinal win over Kansas, pacing the Buffs with 19 points. His play caught the attention of national media and he joined fellow Buff Bob Doll on the Look, Pic and Time magazines' All-America squads and was a unanimous All-Big Seven selection.



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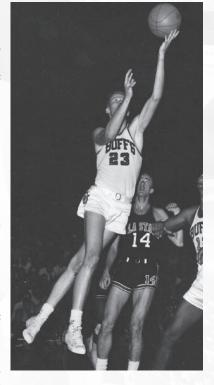
#### **Burdette Haldorson** 1955

Burdette Haldorson was virtually unstoppable in 1955. Prior to the season, Coach H.B. Lee said, "We'll be just as good as Haldorson. We need the big man to play well for us." And play well he did, leading CU to a conference championship and a third-place finish in the National Collegiate Tournament. The big man led the Big Seven in scoring at 23.9 points per game and set what still stands as a CU record with an amazing 346 boards on the year. For his efforts, the Amateur Athletic Union tabbed Haldorson a first-team All-American. Haldorson's talents were nationally recognized, as the standout was selected to the

1956 and 1960 U.S. Olympic teams. Upon graduation, Haldorson turned down a \$7,000 contract with the NBA's St. Louis franchise. He did continue playing, however, and led amateur powerhouse Phillips 66 to a National Industrial Basketball League title. Haldorson joined Cliff Meely as the only two Buffs to have their jerseys retired in 1994. and was named to the CU Hall of Fame in 1999.

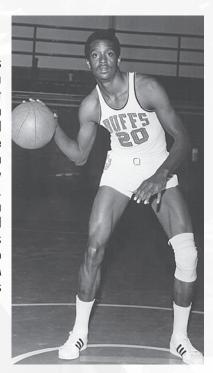
#### **Ken Charlton** 1963

Ranking No.12 on CU's alltime scoring charts, Ken Charlton battled through a history of knee problems to lead Colorado to two Big Eight titles and in 1963, Charlton was named an All-American by the United States Basketball Writers Association and Look magazine. Along with his penchant for scoring, Charlton was also a force inside, ranking in the top 10 on the CU rebounding charts with 671 career caroms (No. 11 at CU). He also succeeded in the classroom and was named an Academic All-American in 1963 as well. Buff Coach Sox Walseth said of Charlton's play, "On a leg and a half, he's better than anyone else in the Big Eight." Charlton was elected to the CU Hall of Fame in 2010.



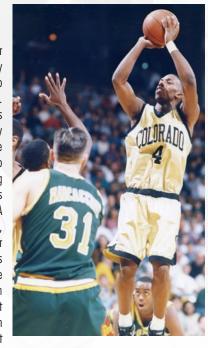
#### **Cliff Meely** 1971

In 1971, Cliff Meely was a scoring machine. He tallied a then-CU record 729 points and set a Big Eight record with 427 points in conference. Coach Sox Walseth said of Meely, "He is the most complete player I have ever coached." Known for his quickness and agility, Meely could play any position on the floor. He was named to several All-America teams as a junior and senior and played in numerous all-star games after graduation. Meely went on to play in over 300 games in the NBA for the Houston Rockets and the Los Angeles Lakers.



#### **Chauncey Billups** 1997

One of CU's top perimeter threats in hoops history, Chauncey Billups graced the CU campus for two seasons before departing for the NBA. As a sophomore in 1997, Billups was named a first-team All-American by Basketball News, becoming the eighth All-American in Colorado history. Known for his playmaking skills and ability to penetrate, Billups also led the Buffs to their first NCAA Tournament in over two decades. where CU topped perennial-power Indiana in the opening round. Billups went on to be the third pick in the NBA draft by the Boston Celtics. In 2004. Billups helped lead the Detroit Pistons to the NBA title, in addition was named The NBA Finals Most Valuable Player.



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### David Harrison 2003-04 AP Honorable Mention

The seven foot, 250pound big man performed his best season-to-date leading the Buffaloes in scoring (17.1 ppg.) and shooting an impressive 63.1 percentage from the field. His mark from the field led the Big 12 Conference and more impressively was third nationally. What turned out to be his third and final season in Boulder (opted for the NBA draft, first round No. 29, Indiana), Harrison would go on to break the CU block shot record (225) and eclipsed the 1,000-point barrier (1,317

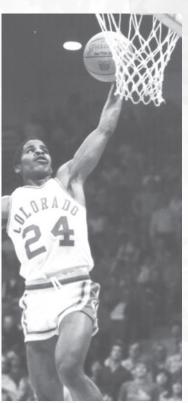
pts.). Harrison helped the Buffs to the 2002-03 NCAA Tournament and a 2003-04 NIT. Harrison holds or shares every blocked shot record in school history.

### Shaun Vandiver 1989-90 UPI Honorable Mention

The 1989-90 season for the junior center was the second of three seasons in Boulder. During the 1989-90 campaign, Shaun Vandiver led the team in scoring (22.3 ppg.), rebounding (11.2 rpg.), blocks (36), and field goal percentage (59.3). His 668 points during the season became the most scored by a CU big man (second all-time), in addition leading the Big Eight in scoring. At the conference postseason tournament, Vandiver earned most valuable player honors after he helped the Buffs upset



Missouri and Oklahoma State in back-to-back games, becoming the first eighth seed to advance to the title game. Vandiver scored 75 points (then-sixth best for points) and 41 rebounds during the three-game span.



## Jay Humphries 1982-83, 1983-84 AP Honorable Mention

Arguably the best and most exciting Buff of the 1980s, Jay Humphries became the school's all-time leader in assists (562) and steals (309). He finished his stellar career averaging five assists and 2.8 steals per game. On the scoreboard, Humphries became the then-eighth all-time scorer (1,306 points, 11.7 ppg.). His specialty, however, was defensive play leading the nation in thefts during the 1982-83 season with 115, which remains a school record for a season. His 101 steals during the 1983-84 campaign, ranks second on the CU list. Humphries also holds the second (174) and third (173) season assists totals, in addition to the school mark in assists in a conference game (14), and double-figure assist games for a career with eight.



## Alec Burks 2010-11 AP Honorable Mention

An electifying guard for two years in Boulder, Burks showcased on a nightly basis he was something special in a Buffs uniform. The holder of numerous school records in just two years, Burks holds the freshman (512) and sophomore (779) scoring records for those seasons. His career 19.0 points per game average ranks third all-time behind CU greats, Cliff Meely (24.3) and Shaun Vandiver (20.6). Named to the Big 12 Conference and NIT All-Tournament teams, Burks was also a conference unanimous first team selection, in addition being named a finalist (top 20) for John R. Wooden list in 2010-11. Burks scored a career-best 36 points (w/ personal-high 12 field goals) in an upset win over No. 9/8 Missouri (Jan. 8, 2011). He's the 18th player in school history to score that many in single game and the 36-point performance was the third highest at the Coors Events Center.