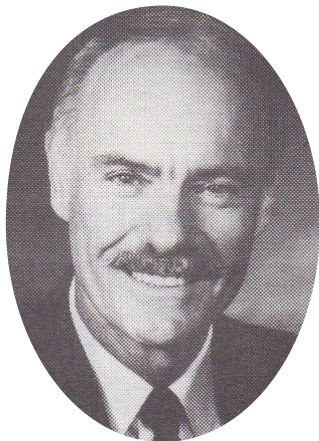


Ted Tedesco



Ted Tedesco was a top baseball and basketball player with several teams in the Norwalk area in the 1940s and 1950s. He played one year as end for Ike Kern's 1942 NHS team, but in succeeding years his interest centered on baseball and basketball. He played with the Norwalk Aces while still in high school and then played with the Sterlings, Pastimes, Strawberry Hill, the Westport Advertisers, and the Wilton Farmers. In basketball, he played with the Aces and O'Brien's Emeralds.

He played baseball and basketball with the Berlin Regiment in 1946 and 1947 and was a member of the Berlin Germany All Stars who swept a three-game series against the Mediterranean All Stars from Italy. Tedesco went seven for 12 in the series.

Starting a new career in softball in 1954, Tedesco played for Blue Moon for 11 years, both in fast and slow pitch. They won the first Norwalk slow pitch title in 1964.

Tedesco is married to the former Ann Capone. They have two children and two grandchildren.