

2006 Inductee

BERT DEEMS MAY, JR.

Deems was largely responsible for the Lexington Yellow Jackets' two-time State Championships (1985-1986). Making the Parade All-America in 1986, Deems was the Number 1 ranked recruit in the state in 1986. He attended and played four years at the University of

North Carolina. He started for Mack Brown's first career game at South Carolina and set a record for total yardage for a freshman. He was moved to tight end after his sophomore year and started every game through his senior season. He was co-captain of the Heels in 1991. Deems was drafted in the seventh round by the San Diego Chargers and was a member of the 1994 Super Bowl team. He finished his professional career with the Seattle Seahawks, 1997-2000.

