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CENTERFIELDER BOB VICK GETS ROD MCCALL AWARD

Bob Vick, starting centerfielder for University of Montana baseball teams for the past four years, has been selected for the third annual Rod McCall award as the school's outstanding baseball player for 1967.

The Missoula athlete follows previous winners Gary Peck, 1966, and Frank Spear, 1965, in obtaining the award.

Vick, noted for his outstanding ability both in the field and at the plate, hit at a .286 pace this season as the Grizzlies moved to a 12-11 record. In his previous three seasons, he batted over .300 each year.

The McCall Award is given to the outstanding baseball player each season, regardless of his class in school. Selection committee members include Morris McCollum and Henry Blastic, who work in the University Book Store, Jack Swarthout, UM athletic director, and Lowell Grunwald, UM baseball coach for the 1967 season.

The late Rod McCall was an outstanding Grizzly gridder in the early 1930s, and played for the Book Store baseball nine when there was no varsity team at the University.

Award winners receive a trophy cup and have their names engraved on a plaque which is on display in the Adams Field House trophy case.