

## **Dr. John Edward Guzman**

Born; May 1, 1936, Albuquerque, New Mexico

High School: St. Mary's High School (NM) 1954

College Saint Michael's College (New Mexico) BA of Biology & minor in Education 1966

UTEP Master's degree of Education Administration 1972

Washington State University PD in Education 1976

### **High School**

- Lettered in basketball and Football.
- Played basketball for the legendary coach and 1974 Albuquerque Sports Hall of Fame Inductee, Babe Parenti.
- 1954 All-City Team in basketball
- 1954 AAU Swimming
- 1956 New Mexico Athlete of the Year

### **College**

- Men's Basketball coach by Coach Sweeney

### **Athletics**

- 1958 Junior National Champion 200 M. Butterfly- Men's Swimming (Denver, CO) record was held for a long period of time.
- 1960 fourth U.S Army Olympic Team triple gold medal winner.
- 1960 – 1962 U.S Army Olympic Swim Team- Iowa City, Iowa under Coach David Armbruster.
- 1961 Toured Germany with U.S Army Olympic team
- 1961 International Military Championships (Swimming) Sonthofen, Germany
- 1965 Coached a touring swim team in South America
- 1999 – 2016 Won gold medals in the El Paso, Texas and New Mexico Senior Olympics in swimming every year.

## **Professional**

- Director of High School Equivalency Program, UTEP
- Director of Teacher Corp /Peace Corp -Washington State University
- Director of Teacher Corp – Trinity University-San Antonio, Texas
- Director of State Migrant Program – State of Texas
- Health Administrator -Department of Health- State of New Mexico

## **Honors**

- 1995 Hispanic Community Service Award from Sunwest Bank, Hobbs, New Mexico
- 2007 Inducted into El Paso Senior Games Hall of Fame for Swimming (Senior games)

## **Community Involvement**

- 1998-2000 Board Member of NM Senior Olympics
- New Mexico Border Health-Chairman.
- New Mexico Dental Clinic-President.
- Option – Hobbs, New Mexico-President

## **Family**

- Wife: Helen
- Children: Laura, John, Tim, Helene, Darrell, Brian, Cristina, Paula, and their spouses.
- 13 Grandchildren, 4 Great Grandchildren