

## **FRED RECKLING (PORTAGE FACULTY)**

Fred Reckling served the community of Portage and the Portage School District since 1979 as an educator, administrator, dean of students/assistant principal, counselor, representative, Portage City Council member, Portage School Board member, coach and sports radio announcer. Mr. Reckling began teaching in the Portage School District in 1979 at the Rusch Junior High School and eventually also taught at Portage High School. Having earned his Master's degree from the University of Wisconsin-Madison, Mr. Reckling also served as guidance counselor at the junior high. In his first year of teaching in 1979, Mr. Reckling took on the additional role of color commentator of Portage football games on WPDR radio. It was a role Mr. Reckling would hold for the next 33 years as he became known as the "Voice of the Portage Warriors". In addition to Mr. Reckling's commitment to the Portage School District through his teaching and counseling positions, he has also served as a member of the Portage School Board and the Portage City Council.