

ROLAND SACHO

GRADUATED FROM EDGAR HIGH SCHOOL IN 1943

Roland Sacho graduated from Edgar High School in 1943 and was drafted in June of 1943 to serve in France and Germany for three years of active service. He obtained rank of Staff Sergeant and then served as Sergeant Major until being discharged in 1946. He was a member of Medford National Guard from 1952-1976 and retired with rank of Captain.

Roland earned a Bachelor's Degree in Science & Conservation with a minor in Social Science. He then earned a Master's Degree from the University of Wisconsin (was granted National Foundation Merit Scholarship at UW.) Did three years of research for UW in DDT project called "Relative Toxicity of DDT and Methoxichlore on Song Bird Populations." He obtained approximately 45 graduate credits beyond Master's Degree through continued education at Universities of Michigan, Superior, Eau Claire and River Falls.

Roland has been a high school teacher in Medford WI for 35 years - taught Biology, Driver Education, American History and Computers. He formed the H.S. Wisconservationist's Club, was Medford school forest director for 33 years, Medford City Summer Recreation Director, Science Dept. Chair 15 years, and Medford WEA Union President. He served as Taylor County Emergency Management Director for 24 years.

Roland has two sons (a doctor and a college professor) and one daughter (currently employed by the University of Wisconsin.) His hobbies include miniature songbird carvings, intarsia, tennis, Bowling, fishing, golf.

Mr. Sacho received numerous awards and honors over the years. His complete resume is located in LMC Alumni Hall of Fame Binder.