

Pitcher Perfect

David Wells and Don Larsen, the two Point Loma High graduates who have thrown perfect games for the New York Yankees, will appear together for Sports at Lunch on Feb. 15 at the Hall of Champions. Padres announcer Jerry Coleman, a Yankees second baseman whose playing days (1949-57) include Larsen's era, will serve as the moderator.

Larsen threw his perfect game for the Yankees in the 1956 World Series to forever earn a place in baseball immortality. It's the only perfect game thrown in World Series history.

Wells, a baseball memorabilia buff who once pitched a Yankees game in a Babe Ruth hat he purchased, duplicated Larsen's feat in pinstripes in a regular-season game.

Wells has said the 2006 season, which he finished with the Padres after he was acquired from the Boston Red Sox, was the final one in his career before enjoying retirement at his new home in Rancho Santa Fe.

Larsen lives in Idaho but annually returns to San Diego for the Salute to Champions dinner, which is scheduled for Feb. 13.

WHAT: Sports at Lunch with David Wells and Don Larsen.

WHEN: Tuesday, Nov. 28 from 11:30 to about 1 p.m., with a question-and-answer period. Check-in for lunch begins at 11:15 a.m.

WHERE: San Diego Hall of Champions, Balboa Park, 2131 Pan American Plaza, San Diego, CA., 92101.

TICKETS: Ticket reservations are \$32 for members, \$40 for non-members and \$45 for tickets at the door. Sign up online or call Robin Redfearn at 619-699-2309.