

2022 ALL-STATE

AWARDS BANQUET June 1, 2022

HONORING ATHLETES, COACHES, OFFICIALS AND HALL OF FAME INDUCTEES WHO HAVE EXCELED IN ILLINOIS WATER POLO.











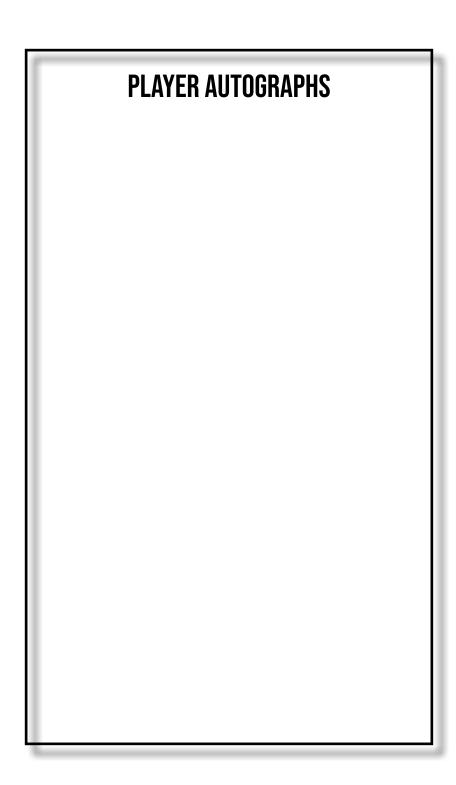


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Congratulations to the Participants and All-State Players





2022 ALL-STATE AWARDS BANQUET

DINNER AND SLIDESHOW

WELCOME AND OPENING REMARKS

SENIOR SCHOLASTIC AWARD PRESENTATION

DAVE PERRY COLLEGE SCHOLARSHIP AWARD

PHIL STELNICKI AWARD

GIRLS COACH OF THE YEAR

JIM MULCRONE BOYS COACH OF THE YEAR

HALL OF FAME AWARDS

PRESENTATION OF GIRLS ALL-STATE AWARDS



A MESSAGE FROM THE PRESIDENT

Welcome to the 2022 Illinois Water Polo All State and Hall of Fame Awards Banquet. After a two year hiatus, Illinois Water Polo is excited to host this inperson banquet again to honor the athletes, coaches, officials, and Hall of Fame inductees as they take their place in history as being the "Best of the Best." Congratulations on a tremendous high school season to all our award winners as we prepare to recognize them this evening.



I would like to take a moment to do a quick round of thanks to the following individuals for their efforts

with Illinois Water Polo in putting all the details of this event together, along with all the other things they do to keep water polo moving forward in Illinois. A very special thank you to Tom Musch for compiling the slide presentation for our event tonight and hosting the Illinois Water Polo picture website. Special thanks to our officers, Jimmy Heard (Vice-President), Elizabeth Timmons (Secretary), Heather Serrano (Treasurer) and our Board of Directors, Beto Garcia, Rose Wimer, Eddy Prystalski, and Carlos Ceja. Committee representatives are Eddy Przystalski (Referees), Jeff Wimer, Nancy O'Brien Kane, Pat Bauer, and Rich Norman (Hall of Fame), Chris Cloy (Player Recognition), Jesse Zien (Website), and Elizabeth Timmons (Banquet and Awards). Our Liaisons are Beto Garcia (Chicago Park District Liaison) and Tim Daniel (USAWP Liaison). Running our leagues are Jesse Zien and Everardo Leon (Summer high school leagues) and American Water Polo (Fall, summer, & winter leagues). I would also like to thank all those who have attended IWP meetings this past year. Your participation and support is greatly appreciated.

Water polo in Illinois continues to grow; want to get more involved? Illinois Water Polo is always looking for more coaches, officials, and even masters players. Feel free to reach out to me if you need help finding anything water polo related. Lastly, Illinois Water Polo will be holding elections for a variety of volunteer positions this November. Anyone interested in promoting and growing the great sport of water polo in Illinois is welcomed and encouraged to help Illinois Water Polo with its mission of educating athletes, officials, and coaches on the proper game play of water polo and recognizing athletes, officials, and coaches for outstanding performance and service to Illinois water polo.

Enjoy the event this evening, and I hope to see you in a pool sometime soon!

Kyle Perry President, Illinois Water Polo



ILLINOIS WATER POLO BOARD

IWP is organized to provide direction and growth of the sport of water polo in the state of Illinois at the player, coach, official, club, high school, and collegiate level. IWP helps educate athletes, parents, officials, and coaches on the proper game play of water polo. In addition, IWP helps recognize athletes, officials, coaches, and volunteers for outstanding performance and service to Illinois water polo through the annual All-State Banquet and All-Star Games.

The following is a list of our current officers and board members for 2022.

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BRADLEY (B.-BOURBONNAIS)
CHICAGO (BROOKS) [COOP]
FLOSSMOOR (HOMEWOOD-F.)
FRANKFORT (LINCOLN-WAY EAST)
MIDLOTHIAN (BREMEN) [COOP]
NEW LENOX (LINCOLN-WAY CENTRAL)
NEW LENOX (LINCOLN-WAY WEST)
ORLAND PARK (SANDBURG)
PALOS HILLS (STAGG)
TINLEY PARK (ANDREW)

LYONS TOWNSHIP SECTIONAL

CHICAGO (AGRICULTURAL SCIENCE)
CHICAGO (BACK OF THE YARDS)
CHICAGO (CURIE) [COOP]
CHICAGO (KENNEDY) [COOP]
CHICAGO (LINDBLOM)
CHICAGO (MOTHER MCAULEY)
CHICAGO (SOLORIO ACADEMY)
LAGRANGE (LYONS)
OAK LAWN (RICHARDS) [COOP]
SUMMIT (ARGO)

ST. IGNATIUS SECTIONAL

CHICAGO (ST. IGNATIUS COLLEGE PREP)
CHICAGO (AMUNDSEN)
CHICAGO (JONES) [COOP]
CHICAGO (JUAREZ)
CHICAGO (LANE)
CHICAGO (LATIN)
CHICAGO (LINCOLN PARK)
CHICAGO (ST. IGNATIUS COLLEGE PREP)
CHICAGO (VON STEUBEN) [COOP]
CHICAGO (WHITNEY YOUNG) [COOP]

CONANT SECTIONAL

ARLINGTON HEIGHTS (HERSEY)
ARLINGTON HEIGHTS (ST. VIATOR)
BARRINGTON
ELK GROVE VILLAGE (E.G.)
HOFFMAN ESTATES (CONANT)
HOFFMAN ESTATES (H.S.)
PALATINE (FREMD)
PALATINE (H.S.)
ROLLING MEADOWS
SCHAUMBURG (H.S.)

GLENBROOK SOUTH SECTIONAL

DES PLAINES (MAINE WEST)
EVANSTON (TWP.)
GLENVIEW (GLENBROOK SOUTH)
MT. PROSPECT (PROSPECT)
NORTHBROOK (GLENBROOK NORTH)
PARK RIDGE (MAINE EAST)
PARK RIDGE (MAINE SOUTH)
SKOKIE (NILES WEST)
WILMETTE (LOYOLA ACADEMY)
WINNETKA (NEW TRIER)

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AURORA (WAUBONSIE VALLEY)
DARIEN (HINSDALE SOUTH)
HINSDALE (CENTRAL)
LOCKPORT (TWP.)
NAPERVILLE (CENTRAL)
NAPERVILLE (NEUQUA VALLEY)
NAPERVILLE (NORTH)
ST. CHARLES (EAST)
ST. CHARLES (NORTH)

YORK SECTIONAL

BERWYN-CICERO (MORTON)
CHICAGO (NORTHSIDE)
CHICAGO (PROSSER)
CHICAGO (RESURRECTION)
CHICAGO (TAFT)
ELMHURST (YORK)
OAK PARK (FENWICK)
OAK PARK (O.P.-RIVER FOREST)
RIVERSIDE (R.-BROOKFIELD)



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CHICAGO (LATIN)
CHICAGO (LINCOLN PARK)
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NAPERVILLE (NORTH)
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CHICAGO (NORTHSIDE)
CHICAGO (PROSSER)
CHICAGO (ST. PATRICK)
CHICAGO (TAFT)
CHICAGO (TAFT)
CHICAGO (VON STEUBEN) [COOP]
ELMHURST (YORK)
OAK PARK (FENWICK)
OAK PARK (O.P.-RIVER FOREST)



SECTIONAL CHAMPIONS 2022

GIRLS SECTIONAL CHAMPIONS

SITE

York

Buffalo Grove

St. Ignatius

Glenbrook South

Conant

Lyons

Homewood-Flossmoor

Neuqua Valley

CHAMPION

Fenwick

Stevenson

Lane Tech

New Trier

Hersey

Lyons

Lincoln-Way East

Naperville North

BOYS SECTIONAL CHAMPIONS

SITE

York

Buffalo Grove

St. Ignatius

Glenbrook South

Conant

Lyons

Homewood-Flossmoor

Neuqua Valley

CHAMPION

York

Stevenson

Whitney Young

New Trier

Palatine

Lyons

Lincoln-Way East

Naperville North



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BUFFALO GROVE SECTIONAL

FIRST TEAM

ELIZABETH WHITE (SR) STEVENSON KATIE DELANEY (JR) STEVENSON BELLE CLOETER (JR) STEVENSON EMILY FINK (JR) LIBERTYVILLE LIBERTYVILLE SARAH COWSKY (SR) ELLIE DIGBY (SR) LAKE FOREST AMY SCHWAGER (SR) **BUFFALO GROVE**

SECOND TEAM

BECCA STONE (JR) STEVENSON CHHAYA DOSHI (JR) LIBERTYVILLE NINA PFEIFFER (SR) LAKE FOREST KAYLA DUMLAO (SR) **BUFFALO GROVE** HAYLEY WILLIAMS (JR) MUNDEL FIN WHEELING DASHA TSIALEHINA (SR) AUDREY MURPHY (SR) HIGHLAND PARK CHLOE POLZIN (SR) **DEERFIELD**

HONORABLE MENTION

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COACH

STEVENSON JEFF WIMER

CONANT SECTIONAL

FIRST TEAM

ALEXA KNUTSON (SR) **HERSEY** SALLY BORNHORST (SR) **HERSEY** ANNIKA LINDBERG (JR) HERSEY RYLEE MCGEE (SR) CONANT JACKIE WINDBIEL (JR) CONANT SARAH BERLS (SR) FREMD LEA STEEN (SR) **SCHAUMBURG**

SECOND TEAM

GRACE STEINBERG (SR) **HERSEY** GRACE WONG (SR) CONANT MAGGIE HEWSON (SR) FREMD NATALIA JASINSKA (SR) **SCHAUMBURG** REGAN ALBERTSON (SR) BARRINGTON GRACE SCHILLER (SR) **ELK GROVE** EMMA BANANESZCI (JR) HOFFMAN ESTATES KIERAN OHMES (JR) PALATINE

HONORABLE MENTION

TEAL LANG (SR) HERSEY ANANYA DEEPAK (SR) CONTANT BRIDGET MILLER (SR) **FREMD** DANIELLE ALLEY (SR) **SCHAUMBURG** RACHEL MALIK (JR) **ROLLING MEADOWS**

COACH

MEGAN BROWNLEY **HERSEY**

NEW TRIER

NEW TRIER

NFW TRIFR

EVANSTON

EVANSTON

NEW TRIER

EVANSTON

MAINE WEST

MAINE EAST

MAINE WEST

LOYOLA ACADEMY

GLENBROOK SOUTH SECTIONAL

HOMEWOOD-FLOSSMOOR SECTIONAL

FIRST TEAM

LINCOLN-WAY EAST GABBY BROZOVIC (SR) LINCOLN-WAY EAST PAITYN RICHARDSON (JR) MORGAN FRECH (SR) LINCOLN-WAY FAST ALLY WITT (SR) LINCOLN-WAY WEST ABBY KARPLUK (SR) LINCOLN-WAY WEST CARLI UDOVICH (SR) LINCOLN-WAY CENTRAL JULIE MALYSZ (SO) SANDBURG

SECOND TEAM

JULIA WARD (SR) LINCOLN-WAY EAST LINCOLN-WAY WEST EMMA STIGLIC (SR) LINCOLN-WAY CENTRAL ELIZABETH FRITZ (JR) CLAIRE DONNELL (SO) SANDBURG EMMA MCGUIRK (SR) ANDREW ALEX JACKSON (SR) HOMEWOOD-FLOSSMOOR MAKINZIE WERNER (SO) BREMEN ABBY ELLIOTT (SR) **BRADLEY-BOURBONNAIS**

HONORABLE MENTION

IZZY DIRIENZO (SR) SYDNEY MCGANN (SR) JOSEPHINE BERNIER (SR) PAYTON VANDRUNEN (SO) HEATHER IBRAHIM (SR) GABRIELA FRERYE (SO)

LINCOLN-WAY EAST LINCOLN-WAY WEST LINCOLN-WAY CENTRAL SANDBURG STAGG **BROOKS**

EMMA BLEZIEN (SO) ANNIE LEINENWEBBER (SR)

FIRST TEAM

SEREN UZKAN (JR)

EMMA WENDT (SR)

SYDNEY KALAINOV (JR)

HILDA ARELLANO (SR)

AVA SANTOS-VOLPE (SR)

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HONORABLE MENTION

ELISE CHANG (SR) ANNIKA MACY (SR) EMILY PICCHIOTTI (SR) LUCY HARACZ (SR) LOYOLA ACADEMY JESSICA DOMIAN (SR) ELLA ETHEN (SR) **GLENBROOK NORTH**

COACH

DREW SCHNEIDER MAINE WEST

COACH ERIC PAVLACKA LINCOLN-WAY WEST

2022 ALL-SECTIONAL TEAM GIRLS

LYONS SECTIONAL

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SECOND TEAM

ALLISON SCHROEDER (JR) LYONS MOTHER MCAULEY ELLA MULCHRONE (JR) JASMIN PETTWAY (SO) LINDBLOM SARA DOBRZYNSKI (JR) RICHARDS (COOP) DESTINY LOPEZ (SO) CURIE (COOP) JERSEY MERRICK (SR) AGRICULTURAL SCIENCE CLAUDIA WALCZAK (SR) ARGO

HONORABLE MENTION

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COACH

DOUG EICHSTAEDT LYONS

NEUQUA VALLEY SECTIONAL

NAPERVILLE NORTH

NAPERVILLE NORTH

NAPERVILLE NORTH

NAPERVILLE CENTRAL

NAPERVILLE CENTRAL

WAUBONSIE VALLEY

NAPERVILLE NORTH

WAUBONSIE VALLEY

ST CHARLES NORTH

HINSDALE CENTRAL

NAPERVILLE NORTH

WAUBONSIE VALLEY

ST. CHARLES EAST

HINSDALE SOUTH

METEA VALLEY

FENWICK

FENWICK

FENWICK

YORK

YORK

NAPERVILLE CENTRAL

NEUQUA VALLEY

METEA VALLEY

LOCKPORT

NAPERVILLE CENTRAL

METEA VALLEY

FIRST TEAM

KELSEY WESSEL (SO) ELLA SELLMAN (SR) CLAIRE JANSEN (SR) ANNIE HUNTER (SR) CLARE SHIFFER (JR) HANNAH TWADDELL (SR) MADELINE WALBRIDGE (SR)

SECOND TEAM

SOPHIE RAQUEL (JR) JULIANA RUSSO (JR) ELLE FILIPIAK (SR) SARAH VOAKES (SO) KRISTA DOMARACKI (SR) OLIVIA ZELENKA (SR) GRACE CHRISTOPHER (SR) NIKKI STERCHELE (SR)

HONORABLE MENTION

ALEX MANTEL (SR) ALLISON JURCICH (SR) ALEX SKURKA (JR) JULIANA CARTER (SO) OLIVIA KENNEDY (JR) LILY YURKOVICH (SR)

COACH

NAPERVILLE NORTH ANDY MCWHIRTER

ST. IGNATIUS SECTIONAL

FIRST TEAM

SUSAN PALMENTERA-REID (JR) LANE LANE MARTHA PALMENTERA-REID (JR) AVA GIBBS (SR) LANE ALONDRA TORRES (SO) ST. IGNATIUS ALICIA MONTES (SR) ST. IGNATIUS SARA CAWLEY (SR) JONES (COOP) NINA CHOPRA (SR) WHITNEY YOUNG (COOP)

SECOND TEAM

KARYME HERNANDEZ (SR) LANE ST. IGNATIUS SARAH HRUBECKY (SR) JONES (COOP) ELEANOR BURKE (SR) SONYA KO (JR) WHITNEY YOUNG (COOP) BELLA MCGOWAN (SR) LINCOLN PARK MIKAELA HULLIBERGER (SR) VON STEUBEN (COOP) LATIN LAUREN VALENTIN (SR) HOLLISTER OLSON (JR) **AMUNDSEN**

HONORABLE MENTION

ASHELY LOPEZ (SR) LANE ST. IGNATIUS ANA TRICE (JR) LILLY GUNN (SO) JONES (COOP) APOLONIA GARCIA (SO) WHITNEY YOUNG (COOP)

YORK SECTIONAL

FIRST TEAM

DEMI OVALLE (SR) LINDEN GIERSTORF (SR) ANNIE MCCARTHY (JR) ROSE JENSEN (JR) GABI HONKEN (SR) RORY CRONIN (SR) OAK PARK-RIVER FOREST GILLIAN DOWLING (SR) RIVERSIDE-BROOKFIELD

SECOND TEAM

XIOMARA TREJO (SO) **FENWICK** YORK JANE MARLOTT (SO) ASHBY STEWARD-NOLAN (SR) OAK PARK-RIVER FOREST ALLI BRAND (SR) RIVERSIDE-BROOKFIELD JOHANNA PEREZ TAFT NAILEA CHAVES (SR) MORTON

HONORABLE MENTION

PAM MEDINA (JR) **FENWICK** MEGHAN KRIZ (SR) YORK OAK PARK-RIVER FOREST CALI WEBER (SR) CECE ROSA (SR) RIVERSIDE-BROOKFIELD

COACH

MAC VARILLA JONES (COOP)

COACH

MARK GIULIANI YORK

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OLIN KUSEVSKIS (SO) STEVENSON ANGELOS KOUTSOGEORGAS (SR) STEVENSON MAX LAPOINTE-ST. GEORGES (JR) STEVENSON ERIC SPARKS (JR) LIBERTYVILLE LIBERTYVILLE NOLAN MCDONALD (JR) ALEC SETHNA (SO) MUNDEL FIN ARAL SEZGUN (SO) **DEERFIELD**

SECOND TEAM

KUNAL RAJADHYAX (JR) STEVENSON YASEEN TOLBA (SR) LIBERTYVILLE AYESH CHANDRASEKERA (SR) MUNDELEIN BEN BARNETT (SR) DEFREIEI D JOEY PECARO (SR) HIGHI AND PARK ARTUR DEMYANK (SR) WHEELING IVAN MORALES (JR) WARREN NICK SLOVER (SR) LAKE FOREST

HONORABLE MENTION

JACOB WHITING (SR) STEVENSON KOSTA WILCOX (SR) LIBERTYVILLE ANTHONY PETRASHKO (SR) MUNDELEIN **DEERFIELD** DAVID MCCAULEY (SR) ARJUNA VIMALARAJAH (SR) **VERNON HILLS** NICK GOODE (SR) **BUFFALO GROVE**

COACH

SEAN WIMER STEVENSON

CONANT SECTIONAL

FIRST TEAM

MAX ADAME (SR) PALATINE PATRYK MASLOWSKI (SR) PAI ATINE ADAM JELONKIEWICZ (SR) PALATINE MASON SHAFFER (SR) FREMD FREMD ALOK DAS (SR) JACK WOJTOWICZ (SR) HERSEY MICHAL CHOWANIEC (SR) CONANT

SECOND TEAM

PAI ATINE CAYDEN HILGERS (JR) AURELIEN LAFFONT (JR) FREMD HERSEY CONNOR NEILL (JR) NATHAN HALL (SR) CONANT ALEX ZIEGLER (SR) BARRINGTON **ELK GROVE** SAM SACHA (JR) TIM DOMBROWSKI (JR) **SCHAUMBURG**

HONORABLE MENTION

COLIN O'DONNELL PAI ATINE KURT PENNELL (JR) **FREMD** ERYK DEBICKI (SR) **HERSEY** SPENCER VECCHIONE (SR) CONANT

COACH

JOE GRZYBEK PALATINE

HOMEWOOD-FLOSSMOOR SECTIONAL

FIRST TEAM

LINCOLN-WAY EAST JAYDEN LOTT (SR) LINCOLN-WAY EAST ZACH FORMANSKI (SR) LINCOLN-WAY EAST NATHAN FORMANSKI (SR) LUKE REITER (SR) **ANDREW** CHRISTIAN BLASKE (SR) ANDREW CALE KOESTER (SR) LINCOLN-WAY CENTRAL JULIAN LIBRETTI-RIVER (SR) HOMEWOOD-FLOSSMOOR

SECOND TEAM

JAKE WOLF (SR) LINCOLN-WAY EAST **ANDREW** ALEX ZAWADA (SR) LINCOLN-WAY CENTRAL BRETT BETHKE (SO) ETHAN MYERS (SR) HOMEWOOD-FLOSSMOOR ZACH SCHEIWILLER (SR) **BRADLEY-BOURBONNAIS** BEN APPLEGATE (SR) LINCOLN-WAY WEST DAVID HUERTA (SR) STAGG LEO MILLER (SO) BREMEN (COOP)

HONORABLE MENTION

NICK DEBENEDETTO (SR) LINCOLN-WAY EAST ADAM VANDERBERG (SR) **ANDREW** LINCOLN-WAY CENTRAL TOMMY CRUBAUGH (SR) DECLAN DOLAN (SR) HOMEWOOD-FLOSSMOOR SHANE GORDON (JR) SHEPARD (COOP) JOE GALUBITZ (SR) AGRICULTURAL SCIENCE

COACH

SHAWN WALSH **ANDREW**

GLENBROOK SOUTH SECTIONAL

FIRST TEAM

NOAH WENDT (JR) **NEW TRIER NEW TRIER** RED RICCIARDI (SR) ELI STERNWEILER (SR) NFW TRIFR STEVAN RASIC (SR) MAINE SOUTH JOHN ROUSE (SR) MAINE SOUTH CADEN HARDY (SR) **EVANSTON** GLENBROOK NORTH GABE JOHNSON (JR)

SECOND TEAM

THOMAS DEAN (JR) NEW TRIER MAINE SOUTH ZACH WAGNER (SR) **EVANSTON** CONNOR MCGUIRE (SR) JOSH HYUN (JR) GLENBROOK NORTH JOEY BROCAR (SR) NILES WEST LOYOLA ACADEMY JOE GONNELLA (SR) GLENBROOK NORTH SACHIN PATEL (SR) SAM MOSIER (SR) MAINE EAST

NEW TRIER

EVANSTON

MAINE SOUTH

MAINE WEST

PROSPECT

HONORABLE MENTION

TEDDY WOODMAN (SR) CHARLIE MCALLISTER (SR) HENRY CHAPON (SO) JOE KAPECKI (SR) GLENBROOK NORTH KAMIL CZARNIK (SR) KADEN MARTSCHENKO (SO)

DAVID RAFFERTY-FLATTER NFW TRIFR

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LYONS SECTIONAL

FIRST TEAM

JACK BRADBURY (SR) JIMMY BOLAN (SR) AJ VITEK (SR) HOMER OLIVARES (SR) SAUL VENTURA (SR) JAIME LOPEZ (SR) LIAM MATHEWS (SR)

SECOND TEAM

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CAMERON CENSULLO (SO) AIDAN ALLAMIAN (SR)

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SECOND TEAM

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ANGELO ESPINOZA WHITNEY YOUNG (COOP)

YORK SECTIONAL

FIRST TEAM

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HONORABLE MENTION

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ST. PATRICK **NORTHSIDE** MORTON

OAK PARK-RIVER FOREST

COACH

ALAN WHITMORE VON STEUBEN (COOP)

GIRLS STATE HISTORY

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YEAR 1980 1981 1982 1983 1984 1985 1986 1987 1988 1990 1990 1991 1992 1993 1994 1995 1996 1997	CHAMPIONS Evergreen Park Lyons Township Mother McAuley Oak Park Mother Mother McAuley Lyons Township Lyons Township Lyons Township Lyons Township Oak Park Mundelein Oak Park Mundelein Mundelein Oak Park	RUNNER UP Morgan Park Morgan Park Fremd Palatine Riverside-Brookfiel Oak Park Evergreen Park Lyons Township McAuley Oak Park Oak Park Oak Park Other Park Other Park Other Park Other Park Other Park Mundelein Oak Park Fenwick
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2001	Mundelein	Mother McAuley

IHSA STATE HISTORY

YEAR	CHAMPIONS	RUNNER UP
2002	Mother McAuley	Oak Park
2003	Mother McAuley	Mundelein
2004	Fenwick	Mother McAuley
2005	Fenwick	Stevenson
2006	Fenwick	St. Ignatius
2007	Mother McAuley	Fenwick
2008	Fenwick HS	Mother McAuley
2009	Fenwick HS	Naperville Central
2010	Lyons HS	St. Ignatius HS
2011	Fenwick	Stevenson
2012	Fenwick	Naperville Central
2013	St. Ignatius HS	Lincoln-Way Central
2014	Fenwick	St. Ignatius
2015	Stevenson	New Trier
2016	Fenwick	Naperville Central
2017	Stevenson	Naperville Central
2018	Stevenson	Fenwick
2019	Stevenson	Naperville North
2020	DNP - COVID	
2021	Naperville North	Stevenson
2022	Npaerville North	Stevenson



BOYS STATE HISTORY

ISA STATE HISTORY

YEAR 1969 1971-1972	CHAMPIONS Glenbrook North Evanston	RUNNER UF New Trier W. Glenbrook North
1973	Oak Park	Glenbrook North
1974	Fenwick	Brother Rice
1975	Mt. Carmel	Oak Park
1976	Fenwick	Oak Park
1977	Fenwick	Loyola
1978	Loyola	Fenwick
1980	Brother Rice	Loyola
1981-1984	Brother Rice	Oak Park
1985-1986	Brother Rice	Loyola
1987	St. Laurence	Oak Park
1988	Brother Rice	Oak Park
1989	Brother Rice	Loyola
1990-1991	Fenwick	Brother Rice
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1994	Brother Rice	Fenwick
1995-1996	Brother Rice	St. Patrick
1997	St. Patrick	Fenwick
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2000-2001	Fenwick	St. Patrick
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IHSA STATE HISTORY

YEAR	CHAMPIONS	RUNNER UP
2002	Fenwick	Brother Rice
2003	Brother Rice	St. Patrick
2004	Fenwick	Stevenson
2005	Fenwick	Naperville Central
2006	Fenwick	The Latin School
2007	Fenwick	Naperville North
2008	Fenwick	Naperville Central
2009	Fenwick	Carl Sandburg HS
2010	Fenwick	Naperville Central
2011	Fenwick	St. Ignatius
2012	Lyons	Loyola
2013	Fenwick	Stevenson
2014	Loyola Academy	Fenwick
2015	Lyons	Stevenson
2016	Naperville Central	Stevenson
2017	Stevenson	New Trier
2018	Naperville Central	Fenwick
2019	Naperville Central	Lyons
2020	DNP - COVID	
2021	Stevenson	Lyons
2022	New Trier	Whitney Young



NOMINEES SENIOR SCHOLASTIC



For the last 31 years, water polo players who are seniors are nominated by their coaches to receive the Senior Scholastic Player of the Year Award.

Each coach has the opportunity to nominate players they feel exemplify the outstanding qualities of the sport, have a minimum of a 3.5 grade point average or better along with being involved in activities within their school and community in addition to being a top academic student.

From the names submitted, the coaches select one girl and one boy who they feel has met the requirements of this award. The nominees for the Senior Scholastic Players of the Year were:

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GIRLS SENIOR SCHOLASTIC NOMINEES

NAME

ST. IGNATIUS SARAH HRUBECKY SALLY BORNHORST JOHN HERSEY SARA CAWLEY WAITER PAYTON LIDEN GIERSTORF **FENWICK** CLAIRE JANSEN NAPERVILLE NORTH FAITH MA STEVENSON EMMA MCGUIRK **ANDREW** PAIGE PRATHER YORK

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FENWICK
WAUBONSIE
JULIAN

ANDREW JOSEPH ZORETIC ST. CHARLES NORTH

WINNERS SENIOR SCHOLASTIC



Faith Ma Stevenson



Sara Cawley
Walter Payton



Jack Kornowske Fenwick

GIRLS PAST SENIOR SCHOLASTIC WINNERS

ISA STATE HISTORY

YEAR	WINNER	HIGHSCHOOL
1987	Kim Nicholas	Oak Park
1988	Katherine Christmas	Oak Park
1988	Vanessa Perry	Lyons
1989	Kate Masur	Oak Park
1990	Maria Natsis	Lyons
1991	Chris O'Conner	Lyons
1992	Meg Martin	Oak Park
1993	Gretchen Verdoorn	St. Charles
1994	Heather Downes	St. Charles
1995	Erin Kelley	Oak Park
1996	Vaile Wright	Mundelein
1997	Alison Wimer	Palatine
1998	Christina Gnadt	Mundelein
1999	Melinda C. Martin	Barrington
2000	Susan Debourcy	Stevenson
2001	Aleksandra Weldon	Oak Park
2002	Allegra Fries	McAuley
2003	Stacey Galvez	Lyons
2004	Megan O'Connell	Morgan Park
2005	Kathleen L. McDonnell	Vernon Hills
2006	Alison Schilling	Sandburg
2007	Emily Marie Laning	Barrington
2008	Rachel Cliburn	Stevenson
2009	Katie Moy	Stevenson
2010	Maeve O'Connor	Loyola
2011	Sophie Schloen	Homewood-Flossmoor
2012	Katie Murphy	St. Ignatius
2013	Danijela Jackovich	Lincoln-Way Central
2014	Michelle Dundek	Lincoln-Way Central
2015	Clare Wieland	Lake Forest High School
2016	Grace Achepohl	York Community High School
2017	Sara Campbell	Naperville Central
2018	Eileen Hoang	Stevenson
2019	Eleanor Michaud	Stevenson
2020	No Recipient - COVID	
2021	Eilizabeth Matlin	Stevenson
2022	Faith Ma	Stevenson

Sara Cawley



Walter Payton

BOYS PAST SENIOR SCHOLASTIC WINNERS

ISA STATE HISTORY

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YEAR	WINNER	HIGHSCHOOL		
1987	Matt Himmelman	Brother Rice		
1988	Walter Kelly	Fenwick		
1989	Dan Dunleavy	Mt. Carmel		
1990	Brian Schilf	Fenwick		
1991	Tom Warta	St. Patrick		
1992	John Stassen	Latin School		
1993	Jonathan Newman	Oak Park		
1994	Edward Stancik	Brother Rice		
1995	Jason Merret	Lake Forest		
1996	Michael Grund	Brother Rice		
1997	Tom Berenberg	New Trier		
1998	John Holton	Brother Rice		
1999	Sean Collins	St. Rita		
2000	David Arnolds	Latin School		
2001	Paul Jameson	New Trier		
2002	Nicholas Macola	Morgan Park		
2003	Philips Arnolds	Latin School		
2004	Gerrit Adams	New Trier		
2005	Eric Nudel	Lake Forest		
2006	Henry Fyfe	Latin School		
2007	Alexander Buck	Naperville North		
2008	Ben Herrmann	York		
2009	Edward Osmolak	Fenwick		
2010	Tom Considine	Loyola		
2011	Zach Blumenfeld	Stevenson		
2012	Matt Veldman	Sandburg		
2013	Alex C. Wang	Libertyville		
2014	David Durkin	Fenwick		
2015	Charles Hussey	Loyola Academy		
2016	Michael Considine	Loyola Academy		
2017	Zachary Holecek	Loyola Academy		
2018	Brendan Chang	Glenbrook South		
2019	Brian Solmos	Loyola Academy		
2020	No Recipient - COVID	•		
2021	Jacob Dunlap	York		
2022	Jack Kornowske	Fenwick		



GIRLS 2022 ALL-STATE TEAMS

TEAM 1st	PLAYER Kelsey Wessel Elizabeth White Alexa Knutson Emilia Mladjan Seren Uzkan Demi Ovalle Susan Palmentera-Reid Katie Delaney Ella Selman Novalee Roberto	SCHOOL Naperville North Stevenson Hersey Lyons New Trier Fenwick Lane Stevenson Naperville North Lyons	YEAR 10 12 12 11 11 11 12 11 11 12 12
2nd	Emma Wendt Rose Jensen Gabby Brozovic Martha Palmentera-Reid Claire Jansen Belle Cloeter Ava Santos-Volpe Lidnen Gierstorf Bella Morquecho Sally Bornhorst	New Trier York Lincoln-Way East Lane Naperville North Stevenson Evanston Fenwick Mother McAuley Hersey	12 11 12 11 12 11 12 12 12 11
3rd	Annie Hunter Maya Mladjan Alondra Torres Paityn Richardson Emily Fink Hilda Arellano Sydney Kalainov Annie McCarthy Rylee McGee Rory Cronin	Naperville Central Lyons St. Ignatius Lincoln-Way East Libertyville Evanston New Trier Fenwick Conant Oak Park-River Forest	12 9 10 11 11 12 11 11 12 12
4th	Becca Stone Annika Lindberg Claire Shiffer Annie Leinenwebber Ally Witt Gabi Honken Sophie Raquel Becca Enquist Carli Udovich Ava Gibbs	Stevenson Hersey Naperville North Loyola Academy Lincoln-Way West York Naperville North Mother McAuley Lincoln-Way Central Lane	11 11 11 12 12 12 11 10 12 12



BOYS 2022 ALL-STATE TEAMS

TEAM 1st	PLAYER Noah Wendt Jack Bradbury Kenan Kalabic Tyson Berg Red Ricciardi Jack Schroeder Olin Kusevskis Angelos Koutsogeorgas Eli Sternweiler Nick Kamenica	SCHOOL New Trier Lyons Whitney Young (Coop) Naperville North New Trier York Stevenson Stevenson New Trier York	YEAR 11 12 12 12 12 12 12 10 12 12 11
2nd	Jack Reif Francisco Verdoy Jimmy Bolan Nate Lueken AJ Vitek Jayden Lott Mason Hofmann Max LaPointe-St. Georges Max Adame Mathew Czech	Naperville North Whitney Young (Coop) Lyons Naperville Central Lyons Lincoln-Way East Naperville North Stevenson Palatine York	9 10 12 12 12 12 12 9 11 12
3rd	Home Olivares Steve Mander Damian Garcia Chris Bajda Eric Sparks Luke Reiter Zach Formanski Aidan Allamian Patryk Maslowski Stevan Rasic	St. Rita Naperville Central Whitney Young (Coop) Fenwick Libertyville Andrew Lincoln-Way East St. Chalres North Palatine Maine South	12 12 11 11 11 12 12 12 12 12
4th	Saul Ventura Cale Koester Cameron Sarvis Thomas Dean Dean Marolda Cameron Censullo Gavin Shannon Mason Shaffer Charlie Vlk Nolan McDonald	St. Rita Lincoln-Way Central Fenwick New Trier St. Ignatius Waubonsie Valley St. Ignatius Fremd Lyons Libertyville	12 12 12 11 11 10 11 12 10



2022 PRESENTATION OF ADDITIONAL AWARDS

PLAYER OF THE YEAR (GIRLS AND BOYS)

GIRLS: KELSEY WESSEL, NAPERVILLE NORTH

BOYS: NOAH WENDT, NEW TRIER

JIM MULCRONE COACH OF THE YEAR (GIRLS AND BOYS)

GIRLS: ANDY MCWHIRTER, NAPERVILLE NORTH BOYS: DAVID RAFFERTY-FLATTER, NEW TRIER

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Andrew Barry	1986	Wee Barry	1993
Ralph Budelman	1986	Scottie Maclagan	1993
Russell Curry	1986	J.W. "Red" McCracken	1994
Harold Dash	1986	Herb Klein	1995
Ralph Erickson	1986	Bob Danner	1996
Al Gambel	1986	Art Fischer	1996
Werner Gerhard	1986	Kelli Billish-Fitter	1997
Donald Good	1986	John Weber	1998
Sam Greller	1986	Rick Marsh	1998
Robert Grosseth	1986	Patrick Barry	1998
Andy Haberman	1986	Erika Billish-Mccormick	1999
Ken Hahn	1986	Laura Coffman	1999
H. Jamison Handy	1986	Jeff Wimer	2000
George Iverson	1986	Joe Wendt	2000
Art Koblish	1986	Dan O'Connell	2001
Sam Kooistra	1986	Jim Caliendo	2001
Bill Kooistra	1986	Frank Mulcrone	2002
Sheldon "Fats" Lake	1986	Shelia Mulcrone-Carpenter	2002
Jim Lock	1986	Dave Perry	2002
Francis McDermott	1986 1986	Tom Allen	2003 2003
Michael McDermott Perry McGillivary	1986	Brian Pendergast Perry Korbakis	2003
John J. Miller	1986	Keith Yavitt	2003
Jim Mulcrone	1986	Jack Wagner	2004
Richard Norman	1986	Sally Stelnicki	2005
Larry O'Connell	1986	Joe Billish	2007
Joseph A. Pecoraro	1986	Marty Gibson	2007
Gary Radville	1986	Brian Kelly	2007
Phil Stelnicki	1986	Harry Hebner	2008
Vern Tittle	1986	Mike Gruszeczki	2008
Art Van Aman	1986	John Huiezuga	2009
Bill Walztoni	1986	Vanessa Wasik	2009
Hal White	1986	Tom Musch	2010
George Kastner	1987	Beth Novick	2010
Linda Kerner	1987	Joe Jekot	2011
Tom Nystrom	1987	Brigitte Kusevskis	2011
Albert Paterson	1987	Chad Castro	2012
James Radcliff	1987	Lynn Castro	2012
Bruce Wimer	1987	Stever Borowski	2013
Ann Gonia-Kersting	1988	George Horn	2013
Mike Martin	1988	Andy McWhirter	2013
Dave Musich	1988	Isaac Marshall	2013
Mary M. O'Connor	1988	Michael J. (Mick) Barry	2014
Tom Barry	1989	Patrick Bauer	2014
Jim Runkle	1989	Tim Caldwell	2015
Dan O'Brien	1990	Tom Tomsheck	2015
Keen Wollin	1990	Eric Fischer	2016
Brother Lindemen	1990	Jane Caliendo	2017
Mike Shanahan	1991	Drew Schneider	2017
Mike Vlamis	1991	Ron Koehler	2017
Frank Connors	1991	John B. Murphy	2018
William H. Thompson	1991	Jeff Plackett	2018
Mark Menis	1992	Ray Zeason	2018
Al Snyder	1992	Maura Billish Tiernan	2019
Joe Mansfield Bruce O'Brien	1992	Steve Vongluekiat	2019
Leslie Varcony	1992 1992	Nancy Kane O'Brien Bill Valentine	2022 2022
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HALL OF FAME BIOGRAPHY



NANCY O'BRIEN KANE

As the fourth of five children of John and Eileen O'Brien, Nancy O'Brien-Kane grew up on the Southside playing numerous sports, including swimming, water polo, basketball, volleyball, soccer, cheerleading and softball. Nancy was invited to join the Lawn Aqua Swim Team at age 4, after Nancy snuck out of the baby pool while her Mom wasn't looking, and was caught jumping off the 3M diving board! Nancy swam competitively year-round for 15 years at numerous Southside pools. Luckily in seventh grade, Nancy found herself a member of the Ridge Park Water Rats. Under the direction of Mary Meyering O'Connor, Mary Kay O'Connell and Scott White, Nancy found a forever home in Ridge Park.

After being introduced to water polo by Scott White and Larry O'Connell, Nancy soon fell in love with the game of water polo. Under the strong direction of coaches like Scott White, Joanie and Larry O'Connell, Andy Barry, Pat Bauer, Dave Perry and Moose Mulcrone, Nancy found her forever favorite sport in water polo. Around this same time, Nancy was blessed to meet the most wonderful water polo family-the Billish clan! Dick and Nancy Billish graciously allowed Nancy to join their family on many wonderful, memorable out-of-state trips to play in Junior Olympics tournaments.

With the help of Nancy's mom, Eileen O'Brien, and Scott White, Nancy helped start the swimming and water polo programs at Mother McAuley High School. Nancy competed at McAuley from 1981-1984 in water polo and swimming, and qualified several years for state in individual swimming and relay events. Thanks to the Billish family, Nancy gained two years of international experience while playing on the U.S.A. Jr. Women's National Team from 1983-1984.

After graduating from Mother McAuley in 1984, Nancy attended the University of Notre Dame. Nancy competed on Notre Dame's Varsity Swimming Team from 1984-1988. Nancy was Captain of the Swimming Team in 1988 and earned two Notre Dame Monogram Awards. Nancy also was the first and only woman to play all four years on the Notre Dame Men's Club Water Polo Team. Nancy received her Bachelor of Arts degree in American Studies from the University of Notre Dame in 1988. While studying abroad as a Junior in London, England, Nancy trained with a Men's Water Polo Team, and during the summers she trained with Loyola University Men's Team. While studying abroad, Nancy also met the love of her life, Jim Kane, from Tyler, Texas. After Nancy graduated from Notre Dame, she attended Loyola University of Chicago School of Law and obtained her law degree in 1991. Nancy has been a practicing attorney for 31 years and has taught law on the undergraduate level.

Nancy married her best friend, Jim Kane, in 1990, and Nancy gave birth to her three beloved children, Jimmy, Johnny and Nancy Kane. Not long after the births of their children, Nancy and her lifelong friend, Maura Tiernan, coached water polo at Mother McAuley High School from 2000-2003 with an overall record of 90-16. During their second year of coaching, Nancy and Maura guided McAuley's water polo team to an ISA State Tournament Runner-Up finish. After the IHSA sanctioned water polo as a sport, Nancy and Maura led McAuley's water polo team to the IHSA's first State Championship in 2002. In 2003, Nancy and Maura helped McAuley's water polo team earn its second IHSA State Championship. Nancy and Maura were named IHSA Coaches of the Year in both 2002 and 2003. Nancy refereed water polo for the IHSA for two years and also served on the IHSA Advisory Board for water polo. During the COVID epidemic from 2019-2021, Nancy and Maura returned to coach water polo at Mother McAuley High School. For 38 years, Nancy has coached various sports including swimming, water polo, soccer, basketball, volleyball, track and softball. Nancy hopes to continue to inspire young water polo players to join the sport and to reach for success in the sport she has loved her entire life and that has given Nancy her best friends and memories. Congratulations Nancy O'Brien-Kane on your induction into the Illinois Water Polo Hall of Fame!

HALL OF FAME BIOGRAPHY

BILL "SAL" VALENTINE

Bill (Sal) was born at Fort Sam Houston in San Antonio, Texas and spent the first years of his life living in exotic locales such as Oahu and Ethiopia. It was in Hawaii, at the age of two, that he fell in love with the water as he spent hours on the beach with his mother and brother. In Ethiopia, at the age of five, his parents signed him up for swim lessons at the base pool. After Bill's family returned stateside, he swam for the prestigious Nashville Aquatics Club and joined the B.R, Ryall YMCA swim team in the early eighties when his family settled in Glen Ellyn, Illinois. At Glenbard West High School, Bill was a center-defender on the Hilltoppers' soccer team. After high school, he continued his swimming career at Eastern Illinois University



while pursuing a degree in Physical Education. At this same time, he proudly served in the United States Navy Reserves as a Hospital Corpsman, spending much of his time stationed with the 4th Marine Division at Camp Pendleton, 29 Palms and Foster Avenue in Chicago.

Upon graduation from EIU (1988), Bill was employed as a teacher at Northwestern Memorial and Tilden high schools in Chicago, before finding his home at Naperville Central in the fall of 1992. Starting with a blank slate and a new facility, Bill became the Redhawks' Aquatics Director and Assistant Boys' Swim Coach. In the spring of 1993, he was asked by two student athletes if he could start a water polo club — until that time, the NCHS swimmers had been participating in club activities at Naperville North. In creating the club, Bill sought the advice of his oldest friend and former Purdue water polo club player Keith McClow; as well as former EIU teammates Bill and Mike Wallace who had played the sport at Brother Rice.

Naperville Central Redhawks

For the first seven years, the Redhawks competed as a club, sometimes coed, under the Illinois Water Polo Association. During this time, Sal did not keep track of his win-loss record as he was concentrating on developing his fledgling team. In the spring of 2000, the Redhawk water polo club became a varsity sport at Naperville Central, when it was classified as an emerging sport by the Illinois High School Association.

It did not take long for the Redhawks to emerge as a team to be reckoned with, earning their first IHSA tournament appearance in 2002 — a loss to eventual state champion Fenwick. Over the next 14 years, Sal's Redhawks competed in an additional eight IHSA tournaments racking up 3 second-place finishes and third-place finish. During this time he also was awarded his first Illinois Water Polo Coaches Association Coach of the Year award.

In 2016, the Redhawks' began their amazing run of three IHSA titles (2016, 2018 and 2019), an undefeated season and a third-place finish over four years. Sal was also named Coach of the Year three times during this run. He was also awarded IHSA and National Federation of High Schools Coach of the Year honors in 2010 and 2020; as well as being a finalist for National High School Athletic Coaches Association award in 2018 at their national conference in Sioux Falls, S.D.

Currently, Sal's IHSA record stands at 524-116-4. Several of his players have earned All-State and All-American honors. Many of his players continued playing the sport in college at varsity and at club levels. He is however, most proud, of the fact that several of his former players are now IHSA water polo coaches and/or officials; as well as the fine young men his players have turned into.

During many of the Redhawks' water polo games you will find Bill's wife Tamara, whom he met during the 1994 water polo season when she was a sports writer, and his son Liam, a college sophomore, in the stands cheering loudly. In his spare time, he enjoys golf, camping, fishing, hunting and kayaking.

PHIL STELNICKI AWARD

RICHARD NORMAN

Rich Norman began his water polo career playing grammar school water polo at Independence Park in 1961. After entering high school at Lane Tech, he began playing at Beilfuss Natatorium under coach Joseph A. Pecoraro. While in high school Rich also began playing at the Illinois Athletic Club which was coached by Ralph Erickson. At the IAC he played with several Olympians and Pan Am gold medalists. Upon graduating high school Rich attended Loyola University, playing on two teams that competed in AAU National Championships, the third place team in 1967 and the second place team in 1970 where he was selected as an All-American.



After graduating Loyola, Rich played and coached at Portage Park. In 1971-72 his team won the 15&U, 17&U, and Senior Men's water polo championships with basically the 15&U boys' team. In 1976 and 1978 his summer CPD teams won the North American Water Polo Championship, an international competition, at Portage Park. Rich also began taking teams to St. Louis and Des Moines Iowa for tournaments. During the early 1980's Rich began the practice of taking Chicago teams to compete in the national USWP Junior Olympics. He also coached at Loyola University from 1986-88 and attended development camps at the Air Force Academy. Rich was inducted into the Loyola University Athletic Hall of Fame for water polo in 1988.

Rich also simultaneously had a career as a water polo official. He refereed numerous ISA state championships, collegiate competitions, and summer tournaments. Rich refereed, with Dave Heck, the USWP national championship game in Indianapolis between NYAC and the Olympic Club in 1986. His referee mentors were Don Holbrook and Bill Frady. During several summers, Rich would coach teams and referee at the same tournaments.

Rich coached at the Latin School of Chicago as an assistant coach from 1988- 92. The Latin School finished 2nd to Fenwick in the ISA state championship. He then coached for four years at St. Patrick High School where his teams finished 13th, 3rd, 2nd, and 2nd. He was selected ISA water polo coach of the year in 1995 and 1996. In 1995, Rich was the assistant coach/manager of the North team at the Olympic Festival which won the gold medal. Rich then left coaching to return to graduate school. He refereed high school water polo including both girls' and boys' championship games in 1998. Rich returned to CPS in 1999 and worked with Isaac Marshall to get CPS involved in high school water polo. He started three programs at Mather, Northside College Prep, and Von Steuben that year, training at Northside. Rich then returned to The Latin School to coach girls water polo until 2005 when he became a high school principal at Nicholas Senn High School in Chicago.

Upon retiring in 2010 Rich coached one year at Latin and has refereed IHSA water polo from 2011-19. In 2021 Rich was a volunteer assistant coach at Lane Tech. He is in the inaugural ISA Water Polo Hall of Fame class in 1986 and the Loyola University Athletic Hall of Fame class of 1988. Rich retired from water polo after 60 years at the end of the 2021 high school season.

2022 STATE SNAPSHOTS























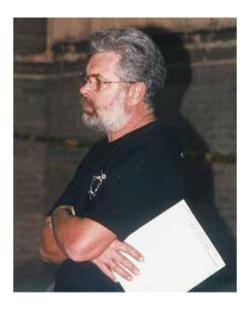








DAVE PERRY SCHOLARSHIP AWARD



In 2011, Illinois Water Polo lost a legend.

In its 7th year, the IWP Board of Directors is proud to honor Coach Perry with the awarding of scholarships in his name. The funds awarded to each athlete are intended to help support the Illinois Water Polo athletes who aspire to continue playing in college. The award challenges players to "Dream Big" and strive for their full potential.

Go to http://illinoiswaterpolo.net/the-dave-perry-scholarship/ for scholarship details

MARK YOUR CALENDARS!

The 13th Annual IWP Dave Perry Scholarship Fundraiser will take place on Saturday, May 6, 2023, immediately following the MCAC girls' and boys' championship games. Exact time and place still to be determined. More details to follow at the beginning of the 2023 water polo season. Hope to see you there!

DAVE PERRY SCHOLARSHIP FINALISTS

ALEXA KNUTSON - HERSEY, ARIZONA STATE

Alexa Knutson is an outstanding candidate for the Dave Perry scholarship. In the 2021 season, she was all-conference, first team all sectional and second team all-state on our fourth place state team at John Hersey High School. As a goalie last season, she had 265 saves and only allowed 66 goals total for an average of three goals a game. She had one shutout last season, and she has one so far this season. Alexa averaged 13 saves per game in 2021. She is such a versatile athlete that she has transitioned from playing field for us as well a lot this season and has emerged as the best field player in our sectional. This is truly



remarkable considering she's only been playing field positions for a few weeks. As a field player this season, she leads our team in goals (39), leads in steals (60), has 13 assists and a 60% shooting percentage. Alexa is also the captain for our team this year, and she goes above and beyond to include every player, from a brand new freshman to veteran seniors. Alexa has worked with our new goalies a lot and is kind, patient and encouraging with them. She epitomizes many qualities that represent Illinois Water Polo well. Alexa is incredibly gifted athletically, works harder than anyone in the pool each and every day, encourages others to do their best and work hard, and radiates positivity.



Dave Perry's grandson next to his grandfather's Perry Strong sign.

DAVE PERRY SCHOLARSHIP FINALISTS

NOVALEE ROBERTO - LYONS, ST. FRANCIS UNIVERSITY

Novalee Roberto's passion for the sport of water polo began when she started playing at age 9. Since then, she has gone to various ODP training camps, National Team Selection Camps (NTSC), 6-8 All-Star Training Trips, and even attended water polo referee training sessions. Novalee is a 4-year Varsity starter who has earned First (2021) and Second Team (2019) All-Sectional, First team All-State (2021) and All- American Honorable Mention (2021) Awards. One standout quality of Nova is that she is the definition of a team player, someone who always puts the team first. This team mentality



can be seen through her stats as she leads the team in assists with 98 so far this season. She prioritizes setting up her teammates and often is the one communicating in the water, directing her teammates where to go and passing them the ball when they get there. She further displays this team first mindset through her role as a Captain, often organizing team bonding activities and other team events. Not only is Nova a great athlete and captain, she is also an accomplished student. She is a National Honors Society Member and has earned the USA Water Polo and American Water Polo Scholar award multiple times. Nova will continue her academic and water polo career at St. Francis University.



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JUNIORS

#3 AVERY WRIGHT

#8 CAROLINE PENDLAY

#20 SOPHIE RAQUEL+(4th T)

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#6 CALISTA JANSEN #18 KELSEY WESSEL+(1st T- PLAYER OF THE YEAR)

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GIRLS - 2022 STATE RUNNER UP



BOYS - 2022 4TH PLACE FINISH



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BOYS - 3RD PLACE FINISH



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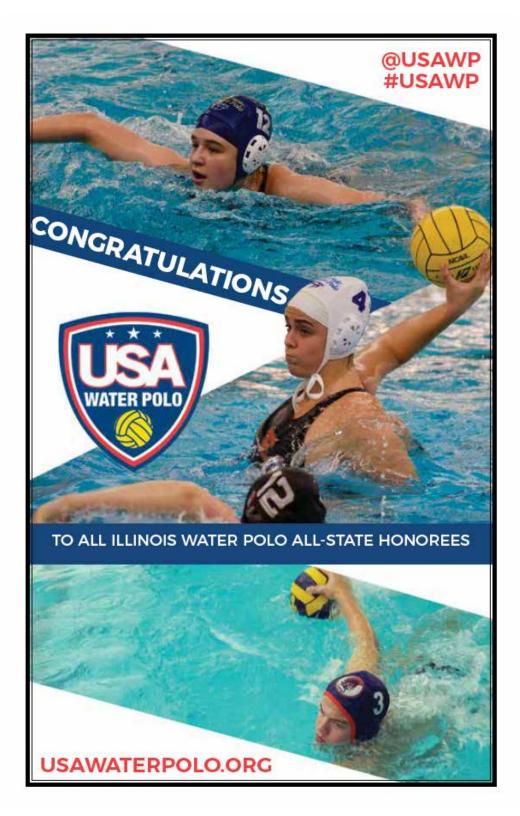


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HS Girls All-State Game

12:00pm

- Warm up at Noon

HS Boys All-State Game

1:00pm

Location:

Date:

Stevenson High School

Warm up at 12:30pm

Sunday, June 5, 2022

A tentative Age Group clinic is being sponsored by Illinois Water Polo & Stevenson HS prior to the All Star Games from 9:30 to 12 noon at the Stevenson High School Aquatic Center.

This clinic is for girls and boys in 8th grade and under (ages 6 to 14)

All clinic participants can watch the All Star games

More Information

http://illinoiswaterpolo.net/

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