

Pennsylvania Interscholastic Athletic Association

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Twelve Pennsylvania Students Selected to Attend the NFHS National Student Leadership Summit

The PIAA is proud to announce, twelve students who have been selected to represent Pennsylvania at the NFHS Leadership Summit, this summer July 18th—20th, 2022 in Indianapolis, Indiana.

The NFHS National Student Leadership Summit provides a forum for student leaders to discuss contemporary issues facing education-based athletics and activities. Through interactive, large and small group discussions, these leaders will learn to promote: respect, positive values, sportsmanship, teamwork, healthy lifestyles, and community service.



<u>Student</u>	School	<u>Grade</u>
Olivia Brenkacs	Trinity	11
Sarah Czapp	Spring Grove	11
Mylie Ormond	Spring Grove	11
Delaney Troxell	Catasauqua	10
Megan Vasas	Knoch	11
Madalynn Wenner	Oil City	11
Zach Byers	West Perry	11
Devin Campbell	Gettysburg	10
Josh Herr	Gettysburg	10
Trenton Leggett	Spring Grove	11
Michael Riccio	Altoona	11
Camden Sterner	Spring Grove	11

Participation in the National Leadership Summit is made possible through the PIAA Foundation. Congratulations to the twelve students who have been selected to represent their communities, their schools, and Pennsylvania at the 2022 NFHS National Student Leadership Summit.

Congratulations to the 2022 Swimming and Diving Team Champions & Individual Wrestling Team Champions

Girls—Swimming & Diving

2A: Schuylkill Valley

3A: Hatboro-Horsham

Wrestling

2A: Notre Dame GP

3A: Nazareth

Boys—Swimming & Diving

2A: Cathedral Prep

3A: Seneca Valley

For a complete list of Swimming & Diving results, click <u>here</u>.

For a complete list of Wrestling results, click here.

IMPORTANT INFORMATION:

Important Dates:

May 20th-21st

• Boys Team Tennis Championships Hershey Racquet Club

May 27th-28th

 Boys Singles/ Doubles Championships Hershey Racquet Club

May 27th—28th

• Track & Field Championships Shippensburg University

June 11th

• Boys' Volleyball Championships Rec Hall—PSU

June 11th

• Lacrosse Championships West Chester East HS

June 16th—17th

• Baseball Championships Medlar Field—PSU

June 16th—17th

• Softball Championships Beard Field—PSU



Pennsylvania Interscholastic Athletic Association (PIAA)

goal is to provide educational, character building opportunities for students through athletics.

316,400

Student-Athletes

1,431

Member Schools

769 High Schools 662 Junior High Schools



Title IX at 50 Years

In celebration of the 50th year anniversary of Title IX, PIAA would like to recognize those individuals who served as pioneers for girls athletics in Pennsylvania. If you know of someone who you believe provided leadership in the area of Title IX, please submit their information to Assistant Executive Director, Jen Grassel @ jgrassel@piaa.org. PIAA will attempt to recognize these women throughout the school year.

Important Links:

<u>Rule Interpretation Meetings</u>

Become an Official

Board of Directors Minutes

School Log-in

<u>Classifications</u>

Competition Formula

In-Season Transfer Infographic

Official Ball List

Pennsylvania Native Dee Kantner Recognized in NFHS Magazine as one of the First Females to Officiate in a Men's Professional League

Dee Kantner is a notable figure in the collegiate and professional basketball officiating world and is best known for her rise to become one of the first females to officiate in a men's professional sports league. Dee Katner attended Exeter HS where she earned 13 varsity letters. She received an athletic scholarship to attend the University of Pittsburgh. She started officiating basketball in 1982 during her senior year at Pitt and fell in love with it. She quickly climbed the officiating ranks and in 1992 she worked her first final four assignment. On November 5th, 1997 Kantner entered the history books as she took the court to officiate an NBA game between the Atlanta Hawks and Philadelphia 76ers. That same year she would also receive the Naismith Award for Women's Basketball Official of the Year. To read the

Boiling Spring HS recognized in NFHS High School Today

In the PIAA February Newsletter we recognized Boiling Springs HS coaches and athletes for supporting their community after a fire displaced local residents from their home. The school was also recognized in the April Issue of the NFHS High School Today in the Sportsmanship in Action section. To read the article, click here, and go to p. 14.

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Request for Proposal (RFP) to Cablecast, Telecast and/or Video Stream PIAA Championships and Request for Proposal (RFP) to host Spring Championships (Boys' Volleyball, Boys' Tennis, Boys' & Girls' Lacrosse, Softball, Baseball & Track and Field)

PIAA will be asking for RFP's from electronic media outlets for the streaming of their Championships (FINALS) for the next four year period beginning July 1, 2022—June 30th 2026. PIAA will also be asking for RFP's to host the above Spring Championships for the next four year period (2023-2026). Interested outlets or hosts should mail their information to the PIAA Office by 4:00pm, Monday, June 20th 2022. Please check the website www.piaa.org for additional information.

NFHS Foundation Approves Grant to Distribute Wet Bulb Globe Thermometers to High Schools

The NFHS has announced a grant program to distribute 5,000 wet bulb globe thermometers to high schools across the country. Wet bulb globe thermometers measure heat stress in direct sunlight, accounting for temperature, humidity, wind speed, sun angle and cloud cover. High schools can use the thermometer's reading to help determine if the weather is appropriate to hold outdoor activities. PIAA will be receiving a shipment of 375 wet bulbs. Wet bulbs will be distributed on a first come first serve basis. We ask that those schools that do not have a wet bulb thermometer make the first request. After we distribute to schools that do not have them we will assess how many we have left and ask schools if they are in need of an additional wet bulb thermometer. If you would like to receive a wet bulb please click here to fill out a form. For more information on the NFHS Wet Bulb Thermometer distribution, click here.