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Student Advisory Committee Members Announced for 2017-18

Eighteen high school student-athletes from across the Hoosier State will begin the school year as members of the 2017-18 IHSAA Student Advisory Committee (SAC).

Nine incoming juniors will join nine seniors beginning their second year with the group which will receive hands-on experience in various areas as well as serve as a voice to the IHSAA staff.

Each year, the IHSAA receives nominations from school principals on behalf of student-athletes from IHSAA member schools. From that group of nominations, 20 are selected for interviews by members of the IHSAA Executive Committee, Executive Staff and returning members of the SAC. From those interviews, nine juniors are invited to join the group of nine seniors.

Individuals who will serve as part of this year's committee include:

2017-18 IHSAA Student Advisory Committee

Name	Grade	School
Kye Barrett	11	Mooreville
Alexis Brown	12	Oldenburg Academy
Caroline Cherry	11	Bloomington North
Matthew Cotner	12	Highland
Refik Omer Dogruyol	11	Fort Wayne Wayne
Carter Filchak	12	Bremen
Taylor Hall	12	Indianapolis Crispus Attucks
Carmen Johnson	11	Monrovia
Warren McWilliams	12	Evansville Central
Makinzi Meurer	11	North Knox
Myra Miller	12	Indianapolis Cathedral
Caitlyn Reynolds	11	Springs Valley
CeCe Robinson	11	Plymouth
Kylie Shourds	12	South Spencer
Benjamin Vanderwall	11	North Newton
Andrew Walkowski	11	South Bend Riley
Maci Weeks	12	Eastern (Greentown)
Korbin Zvorkel	12	Wes-Del



The SAC, which began in 2001-02, represents the entire IHSAA membership of 409 schools, and its structure reflects that of the IHSAA Board of Directors in terms of classification and districts.

The SAC meets four times annually – twice each semester – and is responsible for hosting meetings with student peers at the upcoming Fall Area Principals Meetings; assisting with the awards ceremonies at IHSAA state championship events throughout the school year, planning and administering the annual IHSAA Student Leadership Conference in June and; to engage in and support the activities of Special Olympics Indiana including the Unified Track & Field State Tournament.

Other SAC functions include the development of an IHSAA Captain's Handbook which is posted to IHSAA.org as well as assisting in the creation of multiple public service announcements addressing good sporting behavior which will be utilized during 2017-18 state championships events.

About the Indiana High School Athletic Association, Inc. (IHSAA)

The IHSAA is a voluntary, not-for-profit organization that is self-supporting without the use of tax monies. Since its founding in 1903, the Association's mission has been to provide wholesome, educational athletics for the secondary schools of Indiana. Its member high schools - public, institutional, parochial and private - pay no annual membership fee or incur entry fees to play in the Association's tournaments. A state tournament series is conducted annually in 21 sports, 10 for girls, 10 for boys and one co-ed (unified track and field). A 19-person board of directors, elected by member school principals, governs the organization.