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Student Advisory Committee members announced for 2019-20

Eighteen high school student-athletes from across the Hoosier State will begin next school year as members of the 2019-20 IHSAA Student Advisory Committee (SAC).

Nine juniors will join nine seniors beginning their second year with the group which will receive hands-on leadership experience in various areas via several IHSAA-sponsored events 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 and returning members of the SAC. From those interviews, nine incoming juniors are invited to join the group of nine returning seniors.

Student-athletes who will serve as part of next school year's committee include:

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Name	Grade	School
Silas Allred	12	Shenandoah
Abby Bannon	12	Crawfordsville
Brookelyn Brown	11	North Vermillion
Clay Campbell	12	Jimtown
Brooke Comer	11	North Harrison
Leyton Czarnecki	11	LaVille
Ethan Keehn	11	Lake Station Edison
Lydia Laker	12	Franklin Central
Gracie Madison	11	Barr-Reeve
Grant McAtee	12	Castle
Emma-Kate Moore	12	Knightstown
Tom Newton	12	Harrison (West Lafayette)
Edreece Redmond	12	Indianapolis Bishop Chatard
Claire Shide	11	Mishawaka
Graham Siefker	11	LaPorte
Elizabeth Steinhart	11	Mt. Vernon
Savannah Strieter	12	Evansville North
Brynn Urban	11	Fishers



The SAC, which began in 2001-02, represents the entire IHSAA membership of 410 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 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 and Unified Flag Football State Tournaments.

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 2019-20 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 410 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 22 sports, 10 for girls, 10 for boys and two co-ed (unified flag football and unified track and field). A 19-person board of directors, elected by member school principals, governs the organization.