
MEMO—OFFICE OF THE PRINCIPAL

Date: December 10, 2025
To: Dr. Andy Barrett
From: Mr. Tom Rogers
Re: Board Presentation for Tradition of Excellence Award



I want to express my sincere appreciation for the opportunity to present to the Board of Education students whose accomplishments and contributions to Geneva High School exemplify the Tradition of Excellence Award. On Monday, December 15, 2025, we will present to the Board of Education the following students.

A. Outstanding Achievement – 36 ACT Scores

Alexa Cosky
Landon Fanale
Kirill Lunin

These students earned a perfect score of 36 on the ACT. This remarkable accomplishment reflects their hard work and academic excellence, and marks an extraordinary milestone for all three students.

B. Chicagoland 4X5 Art Show

Amber Mejia – Honorable Mention Digital Photography
Miles Sheppard – 3rd Mixed Media
Sage Wilson – Honorable Mention Film Photography

These students were awarded recognition for their artwork at the annual Chicagoland 4X5 Art Show on Wednesday, November 5th at Oswego High School, where students submitted art pieces for judging.

The 4X5 is the Largest “Small” Art Exhibition in the nation. It started in the 1999-2000 school year and draws entries from more than 40 schools.

C. IHSA Girls State Cross Country

Sofia Borter – 6th place

Sofia Borter competed and placed 6th at the IHSA State Cross Country meet at Detweiller Park in Peoria, IL, on November 8th. This was Sofia’s 4th straight year qualifying for the State Cross Country meet. The team is coached by **Beth Morrison**.

D. IHSA Girls State Swimming

Jenna Bilut – 7th in 400 FS Relay, State Qualifier 200 Medley Relay, 100 Butterfly, 500 FS

Claire Conklin – 6th in 50 FS, 10th in 100 FS, 7th in 400 FS Relay, 9th in 200 FS Relay

Makena Kothe – State Qualifier 100 Butterfly

Kayla Kowal – Alternate

Emery Larsen – 7th in 400 FS Relay, State Qualifier in 200 FS, 100 Backstroke

Ryann Lehan – State Qualifier 200 Medley Relay

Claire Schumacher – 9th in 200 FS Relay, State Qualifier in 200 Medley Relay, 50 FS, 100 FS

Maddie Seykora – 9th in 200 FS Relay

Claire Simon – State Qualifier in 200 Medley Relay, 200 IM, 100 Backstroke

Nine GHS Swimmers competed at the IHSA State Swim Championship on Friday, November 14th, and Saturday, November 15th at the FMC Natatorium in Westmont, IL.

Together, these students distinguished themselves, our school and Geneva District #304. Thank you for this opportunity.