
MEMO—OFFICE OF THE PRINCIPAL

Date: February 3, 2026

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, February 9, 2026, we will present to the Board of Education the following students.

A. IHSA Girls Dance Team:

- The GHS Varsity Dance Team placed 5th at the IHSA State Dance Finals held at Grossinger Motors Arena in Bloomington January 30th- January 31st, 2026. The varsity dance team is coached by **Amy VanWagenen and Kinzie Sheridan**.
 - Madi Altman, Alessandra Centimano, Mila Costello, Reese Doll, Elise Frick, Sara Fuerst, Mayah Gleason, Melanie Goodfellow, Brookelyn Graham, Stella Henley, Emily Johnson, Yaslin Lopez, Miranda Meyer, Tatum Mocchi, Avery Pruis, Juliana Statkus

B. ILMEA Conference Participants:

- Two GHS All-State musicians attended the Illinois Music Education Conference (IMEC). The conference took place in Peoria, IL from January 29th - January 30th, 2026. These students are led by the following music directors: **Neal Shipton, Riley Carter, Krista Halvorson, and Jessica Heinrich**.
 - **Cami Juriga** – All-State Honors Band
 - **Annalise Policastro** – Future Music Educators Seminar

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