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# MEMO—OFFICE OF THE PRINCIPAL

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Date: October 29, 2025  
To: Dr. Andrew Barrett  
From: Mr. Dave Carli, Principal GMSN  
Re: Board Presentation for Tradition of Excellence Award

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I would like to express my sincere appreciation and consideration for the opportunity to present to the Board of Education on Monday, November 10, 2025 students whose accomplishments and contributions to Geneva Middle School North Athletics exemplify the Tradition of Excellence Award.

The following students will be presented to the Board of Education on Monday, November 10:

A. **Boys XC Team State Qualifiers**

**Gavin Anderson (alternate)**  
**Evan Best (12:01.48 – 115)**  
**Jacob Calvario (10:41.81 – 1)**  
**Daniel Dempsey (11:32.01 – 47)**  
**Lachlan Deringer (12:09.65 – 133)**  
**Owen Knecht (11:19.72 – 29)**  
**Jonathan Lando (11:20.12 – 30)**  
**Evan McGowan (11:30.54 – 43)**  
**Elliott Wagner (alternate)**

**These athletes competed with several schools across the state, ending with a third place finish with a score of 105 behind Edwardsville Liberty who finished 2<sup>nd</sup> with a score of 97 and 1<sup>st</sup> place going to Woodridge Jefferson with a score of 91.**

B. **Girls XC State Qualifier**

**Maya Lehan (12:18.56 – 27)**

**This athlete competed against several individuals/schools across the state, ending with a twenty-seventh place finish behind Lake Zurich North, Arlington Heights Thomas and Rolling Meadows Plum Grove JHS.**

These athletes qualified to compete at the IESA Class 4A State Cross Country meet held on October 18, 2025 at Maxwell Park in Normal, Illinois. The Cross-Country team is coached by Jake Austin, Tushar Nakum, Angela Rago

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