

# Information From the Activities Department

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## Triple "A" Awards

Congratulations to Cassandra Bohnsack and Noah Polipnick, this year's nominees for Sauk Centre Triple "A" Award recipients.

Established in 1988, the Academics, Arts, and Athletics Award (Triple "A" Award) is sponsored by the Minnesota State High School League. The award goes to a high school senior who excel in the Academics, and who participate in MSHSL-sponsored athletic and fine arts activities.

Cassandra is active in swimming and diving, softball, and choir. Her parents are Barry and Heather Bohnsack.

Noah is active in Cross Country, Swimming and Diving, Track and Field, One Act Play, Choir, and Speech. His parents are Phil and Jacque Polipnick.



Triple "A" Award recipients are selected by a multi-level process involving the League's member schools and administrative regions. League officials will announce the four award recipients (a girl and a boy from both a Class "A" and

Class "AA" school) at an on-court recognition ceremony held in March. Congratulations to Cassandra and Noah!

## The Activities Department Continues to Seek Volunteers

The Activities Department would like to thank all the people who volunteer at athletic events – clock and scorekeepers, ticket takers, announcers, etc. We do need volunteers to help at track meets and especially need officials for junior high baseball and softball games. We do pay people to officiate. If you are interested, contact Geri in the Activities Office at 320-352-2258, Ext. 4006.

## Minnesota State High School League Minimal Behavior Expectations for Regular and Post-Season Tournament Competitions:

- Respect the American flag and the National Anthem.
- Spectators must wear clothing that covers the entire torso. Those who do not comply or who wear clothing that is vulgar, obscene or that in some other way inappropriate, as determined by school/tournament personnel, will be removed from the arena/stadium if they do not cooperate with this behavior expectation.
- The use of appropriate language is expected at all times. Profanity, negative chants, booing, trash talk, name calling, personal attacks or other acts of disrespect are unacceptable and must be immediately addressed by school/tournament administrators.
- Respect the game/contest. Under no condition shall anyone other than the members of the official squad enter the playing surface. No one may interfere with the contest in any way.
- Hand held signs, which do not obstruct the view of others, will be permitted provided they are in good taste. Signs, message boards, "white" boards or other similar items contest/tournament officials deem to be in poor taste will be removed.
- Artificial noise makers (i.e. megaphones, cowbells, sirens, whistles, thunder sticks, and other similar items) are not allowed.
- Laser lights are strictly prohibited.