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THE CONNECTICUT ASSOCIATION OF SCHOOLS

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Dear CAS Member Principal:

The 40th Annual Connecticut High School Scholar-Athlete Awards Program will be held on Sunday, May 7, 2023 at the Aqua Turf Club, Southington at 4:30 p.m. Schools are expected to base their selection of scholar-athletes on the following criteria:

Qualification Criteria

- 1. Each scholar-athlete must be a graduating senior.
- 2. Each scholar-athlete must possess a cumulative grade point average of no less than 3.5 or its equivalent on a scale of 1-4 or its equivalent.
- 3. Each scholar-athlete must have participated in a CIAC-sponsored varsity sport in Connecticut for a minimum of two years.
- 4. Each scholar-athlete must have exhibited outstanding school and community service.
- 5. Each scholar-athlete must possess high levels of integrity, self-discipline and courage with personal standards which serve as a model to others.
- 6. Each school may select two scholar-athletes.
- 7. All participating high schools must be CAS-CIAC member schools.

Registration – The registration process must be completed electronically via the CAS-CIAC web site. To submit your honoree information, please click on the member schools login link at the top of the CAS home page at http://cas.casciac.org. Enter your school number and login ID and after successfully logging in, select "view/submit scholar-athlete submission form" from the options menu. The reservation form for the scholar-athlete, family members and school officials must be submitted by February 15th 28th. Due to increased membership, seating will be based on the date the registration materials are received and on a "first come, first serve" basis. (Note: If your athletic director is going to submit your registration, they can access the form via the "Admin Actions" tab in the Eligibility Center.)

<u>Photos</u> – Please upload one photo for each scholar-athlete in a high quality/high resolution png or jpg format that is suitable for display at the banquet.

Program – The event program will consist of the scholar-athlete names and their schools.

<u>Tickets</u> – Tickets for family, school officials, CAS-CIAC Board members and spouses are available at \$45 per person. There is no charge for the scholar-athlete honorees. There is a maximum of ten seats per school including family, officials and scholar-athletes. This event is sold out each year so we are not able to accommodate more than 10 people per table. **No walk-ins will be allowed due to the magnitude of this banquet**. Your understanding and cooperation are very much appreciated. Banquet information/table numbers will be emailed to principals during the third week in April.

<u>Dinner Choices</u> – Dinner will be served family style. The menu includes: roast beef, chicken parmesan and pasta primavera as entrees, as well as tossed salad, potatoes, rolls, dessert, soda, coffee and tea.

If you have any questions, please do not hesitate to email Erin Guarino, Assistant Marketing Director, at eguarino@casciac.org.