



2013-14 YEAR IN REVIEW

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20th Year

Established in 1994, the Southern Connecticut Conference undertook its 20th year in 2013-14... One of the top – *if not the best* – high school leagues in the state of Connecticut, the athletic success of our member schools was once again outstanding in 2013-14 with 14 state championships won with another 22 teams earning runner-up status... Since the league's formation, SCC teams have won 379 state championships – an average of 19 per academic year ... More importantly, the league continued its positive tradition of offering first-rate non-athletic programs and events which seek to enrich our students' overall high school experience and make them responsible citizens. In addition, the year was marked by the acceptance of Luralton Hall as the league's 23rd full member school.



Member Schools:

Amity Regional
 Branford
 Career Magnet
 Cheshire
 Daniel Hand
 East Haven
 Fairfield Prep
 Foran
 Guilford
 Hamden
 Hillhouse
 Jonathan Law
 Luralton Hall (new in 2014)
 Lyman Hall
 Mercy
 North Haven
 Notre Dame-WH
 Sacred Heart Academy
 Sheehan
 Shelton
 West Haven
 Wilbur Cross
 Xavier

2013-14 Executive Board

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Special Thanks to our Corporate Sponsors

To continue to offer top-notch programs and events, the SCC relies on financial support from the local business community. The SCC had several corporate sponsors for the 2013-14 academic year, including the **The United Illuminating Company, Fresh Concepts, Connecticut Orthopaedic Specialists, Holiday Hill/Holiday Hill Day Camp, Great Blue Research** and **Town Fair Tire**. For the seventh straight year, **Dick's Sporting Goods** partnered with the SCC to provide coupons and promotional material at league events... In addition, the **SportsCenter of Connecticut** continued its sponsorship of the Scholar Athlete of the Month program... Thanks also to the various event sponsors during the year, including **Walter Camp Football Foundation** (football banquet), **New Haven Gridiron Club** (football banquet), **Gene Casey New Haven chapter of the National Football Foundation** (football banquet), the **New Haven Lions Club** (baseball playoffs), and **Sound Runner** (sponsor of the league's running events). *Their support is much appreciated!*



League Events



Catherine Peng won first prize in the 2014 SCC Arts Exhibition (photo by Bill O'Brien).

Arts Exhibition

The **SCC Student Arts Exhibition** was held the week of April 7–11 at the Creative Arts Workshop in downtown New Haven. The exhibition featured more than 60 selections of outstanding student-originated visual arts in a variety of media. Each SCC member school had the opportunity to submit up to three works. A grand opening of the show with refreshments and award presentations was held on April 9. Prizes were awarded by a jury of professional artists and arts administrators coordinated through CAW Executive Director Susan Smith.

2014 SCC Arts Exhibition Awards

First Prize – Catherine Peng, Daniel Hand (\$100), *charcoal on paper*

Second Prize – Nikki Mecca, Sacred Heart Academy (\$75), *oil on canvas*

Third Prize – Bianca Martone, Cheshire (\$50), *tempera on cardboard*

Fourth Prize – James Garvey, Hamden (\$40), *acrylic paint*

Fifth Prize – Arianna Lawless, North Haven (\$35), *clay and glaze*

Honorable Mention: Juliette Geller (Daniel Hand), Sarah Moon (Foran), Nikolas Thomson (Xavier), Michelle Sciancelepore (Hamden), Astrid Molina (Wilbur Cross)

Scholar Leader Banquet

The annual **SCC Scholar Leader Banquet** was held on March 24 at Anthony's Ocean View in New Haven. Forty-four students were recognized for their outstanding scholarship and leadership in their respective school and external communities. Recipients were given a commemorative SCC medal and certificate. Special congratulations to **Amanda Royka** (North Haven) and **Carl Verch** (Sheehan) for being named recipients of the "Bill O'Brien Community Service" scholarship – each received \$500.

2013-14 SCC Scholar Leaders

Amity Regional – Christina Glusac, Arlo Eitzer

Branford – Bradley Roth, Tracy Crookston

Hill Regional Career – Maria Rosemond, David Garcia

Cheshire – Brooke Mommsen, Landon Bassett

Daniel Hand – Michael Lomazzo, Amanda Corcoran

East Haven – Maria Melchor, Michael Scoopo

Fairfield Prep – Andrew Ostrowski, Jairo Martinez

Joseph A. Foran – Naagma Timakundu, John Casey

Guilford – Gabrielle Sejourne, Thomas Kicak

Hamden – Rachel Jones, Anthony Mills

Hillhouse – Renee Blake, Tarrol Stafford

Jonathan Law – Ciara Hayden, Josh Paton

Lyman Hall – Kaitlyn Marunda, Paul Nigro

Mercy – Alyssa Case, Stephanie Case

North Haven – Amanda Royka, Patrick LeGates

Notre Dame – Drew Arciuolo, Christopher Cofrancesco

Sacred Heart Academy – Madeline Ross, Demery Ormrod

Mark T. Sheehan – Danielle Richetelli, Carl Verch

Shelton – Alice Yih, Hudson Boles

West Haven – Vincent Madar, Catherine DePino

Wilbur Cross – Olivia Buckholz, Jesus Morales-Sanchez

Xavier – Benjamin Baumgaertner, Peter Dovidaitis



Amanda Royka (North Haven) and Carl Verch (Sheehan) were the recipients of the "Bill O'Brien Community Service" scholarship. Amanda and Carl are pictured with Mr. O'Brien.

Unified Sports A Success!

More than 400 students participated in the SCC Unified soccer, basketball, bowling and track tournaments held during the 2013-14 academic year. Unified Sports has become a very important part of the SCC!

Thanks to those who participated and hosted events. *Congratulations to our member schools and students!*



Athletics Highlights

Captains Council

More than 800 sport captains attended the two SCC Captains Council events (winter and spring) held during the year at New Haven's Floyd Little Athletic Center. The meetings bring together the captains before their respective seasons start to provide guidance of what it means to be a captain and the responsibility that comes with the position and enhance the ideals of sportsmanship.

State Championships

It was another successful year as SCC member-schools fared extremely well in league and statewide athletic competition. All told, SCC teams captured 14 state championships (3 fall, 5 winter, 6 spring) during the 2013-14 academic year. Twenty-two additional teams (7 fall, 10 winter, 5 spring) earned runner-up status in CIAC state competition.

More State Championship Facts

Ten different SCC schools won state titles in 2013-14 with Daniel Hand capturing the most with three state titles... Guilford and Notre Dame each won two state titles. Since the league's inception in 1994, SCC schools have won 379 state championships. In those 20 years, Cheshire has won the most state championships (58) followed by Hillhouse (55), Amity (34), Daniel Hand (33) and Fairfield Prep (32).

Season-by-Season State Playoff Recap

In 2013-2014, two-thirds of eligible SCC teams (147-of-222, 66.2%) qualified for CIAC state tournament competition in sports requiring a qualification (wins or winning percentage).

FALL (45-of-66), 68%

Sixty-eight percent of SCC teams qualified for the state tournaments in the following sports: field hockey (8-of-11), girls soccer (10-of-17), boys soccer (14-of-19) and girls volleyball (13-of-19). In addition, four football teams (out of 19) earned state playoff berths.

WINTER (45-of-66), 68%

Sixty-eight percent of SCC teams qualified for the state tournaments in the following sports: boys ice hockey (15-of-16), boys basketball (13-of-20), girls basketball (12-of-19) and girls ice hockey (5-of-11).

SPRING (57-of-90), 63.3%

Sixty-three percent of SCC teams qualified for CIAC spring team sport playoff competition in baseball (12-of-19), softball (11-of-19), boys lacrosse (11-of-17), girls lacrosse (10-of-13), boys volleyball (3-of-5) and girls tennis (10-of-17).

SCC vs. SCC – For all the Marbles

During 2013-14, there were three All-SCC state championship contests. In the fall, Guilford defeated Branford, 2-0, in the Class L state final at West Haven HS. In the winter, Simsbury defeated Guilford, 3-1, in the state girls ice hockey championship game at Yale's Ingalls Rink. Two weeks later, Daniel Hand held off league-rival Amity Regional, 5-4, in the Division II boys ice hockey final at Ingalls Rink. Since 1994, there have been 21 All-SCC state championship game matchups in 10 different sports, including 10 in the last five years.

Alvarado Earns Trifecta

Fairfield Prep senior **Christian Alvarado** was the Most Outstanding Performer (and also was selected the SCC/OrthoNOW Athlete of the Year) in all three running sports (cross country, indoor and outdoor track) championship meets in 2013-14. In fact, Christian has been the MOP in each of the last six events. Alvarado will attend Georgetown.

Rivers Named Athlete of the Year

Wilbur Cross sophomore **Danae Rivers** was named the *New Haven Register's* 2013-14 Female Athlete of the Year. Danae was a three-sport (cross country, indoor and outdoor track) standout for the Governors. An All-SCC honoree in each sport, Danae was the SCC Indoor and Outdoor Track Athlete of the Year. Danae is the 25th student athlete – since 1996-97 – from the SCC to earn this prestigious honor.

History of Success

In 2013-14, three SCC teams finished as the #1 team in their respective sports' season-ending media or coaches polls. That brings the total to 15 in the last three years.

2011-12 (7)

Boys Cross Country – Fairfield Prep
Field Hockey – Cheshire
Football – Xavier
Ice Hockey – Notre Dame
Wrestling – Xavier
Boys Volleyball – Cheshire
Baseball – Shelton

2012-13 (5)

Football – Daniel Hand
Ice Hockey – Fairfield Prep
Boys Basketball – Hillhouse
Baseball – Amity
Boys Lacrosse – Fairfield Prep

2013-14 (3)

Girls Volleyball – Cheshire
Boys Ice Hockey – Fairfield Prep
Baseball – Amity Regional



Wilbur Cross' Danae Rivers and Fairfield Prep's Christian Alvarado, were the Most Outstanding Performers at both the SCC Indoor and Outdoor Track meets this year. Photo by Bill O'Brien

Athletics Highlights

SCC "Best of... 2013-14"

Town Fair Tire was the sponsor of the SCC's "Best of... for 2013-14," an online poll to determine the best moment or performance in the Southern Connecticut Conference during the academic year. Nearly 600 votes were cast.



THE WINNER: *Cheshire girls volleyball team, which completed a 27-0 perfect season in the fall – winning both the SCC and Class LL state titles.*

- Xavier tennis freshman Richard Ciamarra wins SCC Division II Player of the Year on his way to capturing the Class LL and State Open singles titles.
- Lauralton Hall of Milford joins the SCC as the league's 23rd full member.
- West Haven's Ed McCarthy becomes the state's all-time winningest football coach with a win over Hamden on October 26.
- On November 16, Guilford defeats league-rival Branford in the Class L girls soccer state championship game just two weeks after winning the SCC title over the Hornets.
- Fairfield Prep senior Christian Alvarado completes the triple crown – he is named Most Outstanding Athlete in the SCC cross country, indoor track and outdoor track & field championship meets.
- Despite starting the season 0-3, Amity Regional wins its second straight Class LL baseball title, defeating Southington, 8-2, on June 15.



Cheshire became the third SCC girls volleyball team to finish the season undefeated. Photo by John Steady (Steady Photography).

- Fairfield Prep boys swimming team captured its 10th straight SCC title with a dominating effort on March 5.
- Fairfield Prep captures its first-ever SCC boys basketball title; the Jesuits defeat Hillhouse, 56-52, in the title game on March 5.
- Led by senior Stefani Taschner, the Daniel Hand gymnastics team captures both the SCC and Class M state titles.
- Week #1 of football season has teams from the SCC and FCIAC compete in 17 games with the FCIAC holding a slim, 9-8 edge.
- Guilford girls ice hockey team blanks Darien, 2-1, in overtime in the state semifinals to reach its first-ever state championship game.
- North Haven's Rasmey Kong shoots a one-under 70 to earn medalist honors at the SCC Golf Championship on May 27. Kong goes on to capture medalist honors at the Division II state tournament two week later.
- Wilbur Cross sophomore Danae Rivers sets an Indoor Track State Open record in the mile (4:52.29 seconds). She then went on to claim the mile crown at the New England Championships, and finish fourth at the national meet.
- Ben Solin scores three goals, including the game-winner, as Daniel Hand defeated league-rival Amity, 5-4, in the Division II state boys ice hockey title game.
- Notre Dame-Fairfield, Branford and New Fairfield-Immaculate win playoff titles in the first year of the SCC-SWC Boys Ice Hockey League.
- Branford's Anna Atkinson wins the state heptathlon – becoming the third straight SCC winner.
- Daniel Hand boys and girls tennis team both capture league titles with exciting, hard-fought 4-3 victories over Amity in the SCC championship matches on May 30.
- A league-record three SCC softball teams – Amity Regional (LL), Sacred Heart Academy (L) and East Haven (M) – reach state title games. It is the fourth straight year at least two SCC teams reached the championship game.
- Fairfield Prep avenges two regular-season losses to Darien and defeats the Blue Wave, 2-1, in the Division I state ice hockey championship game.
- On June 13, Shelton's Peter Cotto completed a sweep of the discus competition, winning the New England title with a throw of 165'7". Cotto also won the SCC, Class LL and State Open titles.

Athletics Highlights*

Connecticut Orthopaedic Specialists Awards "Comeback Player" Scholarships

Two senior student athletes – **Stefani Taschner (Daniel Hand)** and **Eric Laugeni (Amity Regional HS)** – were the recipients of the 2014 SCC "Comeback Player of the Year" scholarship award, presented by Connecticut Orthopaedic Specialists (COS). Both students overcame severe injuries during their high school careers, yet were able to overcome them to become outstanding role models in their respective schools.



Left to right: SCC Commissioner Al Carbone, Stefani Taschner, Eric Laugeni and Michael Cianciulli from Connecticut Orthopaedic Specialists. Photo by Bill O'Brien, SCC

A corporate sponsor of the Southern Connecticut Conference (SCC), Connecticut Orthopaedic Specialists P.C. (COS) has offered a Comeback Player of the Year Scholarship for one male and one female athlete who participated in an interscholastic sport during the 2013-2014 academic year, and showed great leadership both on and off the field after their severe injury.

Coaches and school's athletic directors nominated these student-athletes after they each suffered an unfortunate injury that prohibited them from play during their high school careers. Stefani and Eric each received a \$1,000 scholarship to be used for their college education.



**Connecticut
Orthopaedic
Specialists**

"This is our fourth year in awarding student-athletes from the SCC with scholarships," explained Glenn Elia, Chief Executive Officer of COS. "Our goal has been to acknowledge two athletes that have overcome the challenges of an injury and, through hard work and

determination, have become positive role models for their fellow teammates."

"Many thanks to the doctors and staff at Connecticut Orthopaedic Specialists for their support of the SCC and this scholarship," explained SCC Commissioner Al Carbone. "Our league has many outstanding student-athletes who excel in the classroom and on the playing fields, and we are delighted that two exceptional young people in can be recognized for their admirable stories of perseverance."

Stefani Taschner, Daniel Hand – gymnastics

Stefani recently completed a fabulous senior season for the Tigers' SCC and Class M state champion gymnastics team. Selected the 2014 SCC Gymnast of the Year, Stefani also earned All-SCC, All-State, All-New England and Elite All-American honors, all after undergoing ankle surgery last spring. Her surgery was required after she suffered a series of severe ankle sprains.

Stefani's work ethic following her surgery was remarkable; her positive attitude and competitiveness allowed her to not miss a beat, returning to a high level of performance as indicated by the slew of accolades she received following the season.

Daniel Hand gymnastics head coach Kelly Smith said, "Stefani's ability to overcome her surgery was imperative to her individual success and the success of the team. Her leadership, her performances, and her camaraderie with her teammates created a positive atmosphere in our gym. She inspired her coaches and teammates with her positive attitude, hard work and focus."

Stefani will attend Towson University and is interested in studying criminal justice.

Eric Laugeni, Amity Regional – football

In the summer of 2008, Eric Laugeni was involved in a freak accident involving a fork lift that severed his left leg and his right leg was broken and dislocated. After numerous hours of surgery, doctors saved his leg, but cast a dubious outlook for him in terms of running. More surgeries and rehabilitation occurred, and Eric began to walk by himself and eventually returned to athletics, but only through a sheer determination and unending work ethic. He played varsity football for the Spartans, and he served as the team's co-captain this past fall.

Amity head football coach Bert Mozealous said, "Eric has worked so hard to overcome so much. That's why I believe he was voted captain because his teammates were so impressed with his work ethic and his sacrifice."

A standout student in the classroom and a member of the National Honor Society, Eric plans to attend the Lehigh University in the fall.

SCC/SportsCenter of Connecticut

"Scholar Athlete of the Month" Program

For the seventh year, the Southern Connecticut Conference partnered with The SportsCenter of Connecticut (www.sportscenterct.com) on a Scholar Athlete of the Month program. A total of 115 student-athletes were recognized during the 2013–14 academic year. Each recipient received a certificate, t-shirt and SportsCenter activity pass.



SEPTEMBER 2013 recipients

Ali Lamberti (Cheshire, soccer), Ben Kaplan (Cheshire, cross country), Zach Ligham (Guilford, cross country), Kathryn Jankura (Guilford, field hockey), Xavier Milling (Hillhouse, cross country), Jaliyah White (Hillhouse, cross country), Abigail Benchimol (Mercy, field hockey), Grace Brodeur (Mercy, volleyball), Kenneth Cortes (Notre Dame, soccer), Sal Esposito (Notre Dame, football), Joelle MarkAnthony (Sheehan, soccer), Greg Suplinskis (Sheehan, football), Nicholas Bisio (Xavier, football), Joseph McCormack (Xavier, soccer)

OCTOBER 2013 recipients

Christina Glusac (Amity Regional, field hockey), Michael Yuan (Amity Regional, cross country), Amanda Summerfield (Career, volleyball), Marwane Taroua (Career, soccer), Mike DeMarco (East Haven, football), John Casey (Foran, soccer), Valeriya Pozdnyakova (Foran, soccer), Alice Matthews (Hamden, soccer), Calum Wright (Hamden, cross country), Michael Ortoll (Shelton, football), Casey Douglas (Shelton, cross country), Angela Ciaramella (Sacred Heart Academy, soccer)

NOVEMBER 2013 recipients

Justin Waters (Branford, soccer), Isabella Suppa (Branford, soccer) Caroline Wolek (Daniel Hand, swimming), Griffin Wray (Daniel Hand, soccer), James Mulliken (Fairfield Prep, cross country), Nicholas Crowle (Fairfield Prep, football), Tim Maher (Jonathan Law, football), Ciara Hayden (Jonathan Law, soccer), Kiana Hernandez (Wilbur Cross, volleyball), Emmanuel Ruiz (Wilbur Cross, cross country), Pablo Perez (West Haven, soccer), Yingxian Guo (West Haven, swimming), Amanda Royka (North Haven, field hockey), Jesse Morrow (North Haven, cross country)

DECEMBER 2013 recipients

Maissane Taroua (Career, indoor track), Amos Ford (Career, basketball), Selina Sampieri (Cheshire, indoor track), Jonathan Hauser (Cheshire, ice hockey), Mike Afeltra (Guilford, basketball), Gabrielle Sejourne (Guilford, indoor track), Kendra Landy (Mercy, basketball), Morgan Cahill (Mercy, basketball), Ryan Sullivan (Notre Dame, swimming & diving), Steve Castiglione (Notre Dame, swimming & diving), Devynn Shook (Sheehan, cheerleading), Carl Verch (Sheehan, indoor track)

JANUARY 2014 recipients

Teimur Kayani (Amity Regional, indoor track), Kathleen Feng (Amity Regional, basketball), Wade Dodge (Fairfield Prep, swimming & diving), David Martens (Fairfield Prep, wrestling), Benjamin Lavallee (Foran, ice hockey), Lucy Weissauer (Foran, basketball), Megan DeCrescente (Hamden, ice hockey), Vincent DiMonaco (Hamden, indoor track), Alyssa Woosley (West Haven, ice hockey), Devin Hickman (West Haven, tennis)

FEBRUARY 2014 recipients

Alexander King (Branford, basketball), Hannah Zampano (Branford, basketball), Ashton Gyenizs (Daniel Hand, wrestling), Caroline O'Neil (Daniel Hand, indoor track), Kalya Campano (East Haven, basketball), Jenna Gaudio (East Haven, basketball), Madison Cowan (Hillhouse, basketball), Raiquan Clark (Hillhouse, basketball), Mark Bluemer (Jonathan Law, wrestling), Kelly Kruysman (Jonathan Law, indoor track), Gabriel Stiles (Wilbur Cross, wrestling), Shannon Foley (Wilbur Cross, indoor track), John Burkinshaw (Xavier, ice hockey), Noah Lyke (Xavier, rifle)

MARCH 2014 recipients

Stefani Taschner (Daniel Hand, gymnastics), Ben Solin (Daniel Hand, lacrosse), Andrew Jones (Foran, lacrosse), Jennifer Fugal (Foran, tennis), Ian Robinson (Guilford, outdoor track & field), Jenna Moscarelli (Guilford, lacrosse), Alex Hassen (Notre Dame, lacrosse), Blake Rice (Notre Dame, lacrosse), Patrick Murphy (Shelton, baseball), Victoria Begley (Shelton, outdoor track & field), Mary Adametz (Mercy, softball), Astin Donovan (Mercy, softball)

APRIL 2014 recipients

James Chapman, Amity Regional, lacrosse), Krista Reynolds (Amity Regional, softball), Ben Shao (Branford, tennis), April Simmons (Branford, lacrosse), Allie Luzzi (East Haven, softball), Brady Reynolds (East Haven, outdoor track & field), Austin Sims (Fairfield Prep, lacrosse), Matthew McKinney (Fairfield Prep, tennis), Soumya Kundu (Jonathan Law, tennis), Brittany Scott (Jonathan Law, outdoor track & field), Carly Mantle (Lyman Hall, lacrosse), Allen Yanbul (Lyman Hall, outdoor track & field), Deirdre Reidy (Sacred Heart Academy, lacrosse), Rebecca Golia (Sacred Heart Academy, outdoor track & field), Sam Rosofsky (Wilbur Cross, lacrosse), Troi Branham (Wilbur Cross, softball)

MAY 2014 recipients

Nina Sowah (Career, outdoor track & field), Alex Bunnell (Career, baseball), Nadja Pejovic (Cheshire, tennis), Liam Nicoll (Cheshire, outdoor track & field), Sam Kirschenbaum (Hamden, baseball), Ali Santelli (Hamden, softball), Turner French (Sheehan, baseball), Danielle LaButis (Sheehan, lacrosse), Michael Pingree (Shelton, golf), Alexandria Gumbs (Shelton, tennis), Alex Scranton (West Haven, tennis), Sierra Santana (West Haven, softball)

2013-14 SCC Postseason Champions

*The SCC hosted thirty postseason championships during the 2013-14 academic year.
Listed below are the champions, runner-ups and final score/result and top finishers in each of the sports.*

FALL

<u>Sport</u>	<u>Champion</u>	<u>Runner-up</u>	<u>Result</u>
Girls Cross Country:	Mercy	Daniel Hand	<i>Mercy (85), Daniel Hand (106), Amity Regional (107)</i>
Boys Cross Country:	Fairfield Prep	Amity Regional	<i>Fairfield Prep (56), Amity Regional (76), Cheshire (89)</i>
Field Hockey	Cheshire	Daniel Hand	3-1
Boys Soccer:	Xavier	Guilford	2-1 (2 OT)
Girls Soccer:	Guilford	Branford	3-1
Girls Volleyball:	Cheshire	Mercy	3-0(25-19,25-20,25-21)
Girls Swimming:	Cheshire	Amity Regional	<i>Cheshire (1342.5), Amity (1123), Daniel Hand (616)</i>

WINTER

<u>Sport</u>	<u>Champion</u>	<u>Runner-up</u>	<u>Result</u>
Boys Indoor Track:	Amity Regional	Xavier	<i>Amity (70), Xavier (68), Hamden (50)</i>
Girls Indoor Track:	Wilbur Cross	Daniel Hand	<i>Wilbur Cross (62), Daniel Hand (50), Mercy (47.5)</i>
Boys Basketball:	Fairfield Prep	Hillhouse	56-52
Girls Basketball:	Mercy	Career	56-32
Wrestling:	Xavier	Daniel Hand	<i>Xavier (224), Daniel Hand (103.5), Foran (85)</i>
Gymnastics:	Daniel Hand	North Haven	<i>Daniel Hand (141.45), North Haven (123.25), Jonathan Law (117.95)</i>
Div. I Boys Ice Hockey	ND-Fairfield	ND-West Haven	5-2
Div. II Boys Ice Hockey	Branford	Amity Regional	4-3
Div. III Boys Ice Hockey	New Fairfield	Newtown	2-1 (OT)
Girls Ice Hockey	Simsbury	East Catholic	3-2(OT)
Boys Swimming:	Fairfield Prep	Cheshire	<i>Fairfield Prep (1365), Cheshire (850), Notre Dame (671)</i>
Cheerleading All-Girl	Shelton	Daniel Hand	<i>Shelton (184.5), Daniel Hand (168.4), Cheshire (167.2)</i>
Cheerleading Co-ed	Lyman Hall	Wilbur Cross	<i>Lyman Hall (145), Wilbur Cross (115.5), Guilford (77.5)</i>

SPRING

<u>Sport</u>	<u>Champion</u>	<u>Runner-up</u>	<u>Result</u>
Golf:	Daniel Hand	Amity Regional	<i>Daniel Hand (310), Amity (316), Fairfield Prep (322)</i>
Boys Volleyball:	Cheshire	Xavier	3-0(25-16,25-17,25-21)
Baseball:	Xavier	Amity Regional	7-1
Softball:	Mercy	Amity Regional	4-0
Div. I Boys Tennis:	Daniel Hand	Amity Regional	4-3
Div. II Boys Tennis:	Xavier	Notre Dame	4-3
Div. I Girls Tennis:	Daniel Hand	Amity Regional	4-3
Div. II Girls Tennis:	Cheshire	Branford	5-2
Boys Outdoor Track & Field:	Amity Regional	Shelton	<i>Amity Regional(106), Shelton (82), Hamden (76)</i>
Girls Outdoor Track & Field:	Amity Regional	Wilbur Cross	<i>Amity Regional (71), Wilbur Cross (69), Shelton (65)</i>
Boys Lacrosse:	Fairfield Prep	Guilford	8-5
Girls Lacrosse:	Cheshire	Daniel Hand	13-7

SCC Championship Facts

- In 2013-14, eleven different SCC member schools won or shared a SCC playoff title.
- Cheshire had the most league titles with six (field hockey, girls volleyball, girls swimming, boys volleyball, girls lacrosse and Division II girls tennis), followed by Daniel Hand and Fairfield Prep with four each.
- Amity had the most runner-up finishes with eight, followed by Daniel Hand (6).
- Mercy (girls cross country) and Fairfield Prep (boys basketball) won their first-ever SCC championships.
- Fairfield Prep won its 10th consecutive boys swimming title this past winter – the longest current streak in the league.



State Championships

During the 2013–14 academic year, SCC teams won fourteen state championships. Since the league's inception in 1994, SCC schools have now won 379 state championships.

STATE CHAMPIONS (14)

SPRING (6)

- Class M Boys Outdoor Track & Field – Sheehan**
- Class LL Baseball – Amity Regional** – *defeated Southington, 8-2*
- Class L Baseball – Notre Dame** – *defeated Masuk, 9-2*
- Division II Boys Golf – Notre Dame**
- Class L Boys Tennis – Daniel Hand**
- Class M Boys Tennis – Guilford**

WINTER (5)

- State Open Girls Indoor Track – Wilbur Cross**
- Class M Gymnastics – Daniel Hand**
- Girls Ice Hockey – Simsbury** – *defeated Guilford, 3-1*
- Division II Boys Ice Hockey – Daniel Hand** – *defeated Amity, 5-4*
- Division I Boys Ice Hockey – Fairfield Prep** – *defeated Darien, 2-1, in OT*

FALL (3)

- Class LL Girls Volleyball – Cheshire** – *defeated Staples, 3-1 (24-26, 25-17, 25-15, 25-17)*
- Class L Girls Soccer – Guilford** – *defeated Branford, 2-0*
- Class MM Girls Cross Country – Branford**

STATE RUNNER-UPS (22)

SPRING (5)

- Class MM Boys Outdoor Track & Field – Hillhouse**
- Class MM Girls Outdoor Track & Field – Wilbur Cross**
- Class LL Softball – Amity Regional** – *lost to Southington, 1-0, in 15 innings*
- Class L Softball – Sacred Heart Academy** – *lost to Fitch, 3-1*
- Class M Softball – East Haven** – *lost to Seymour, 2-0*

WINTER (10)

- Class LL Cheerleading – Shelton**
- State Open Gymnastics – Daniel Hand**
- Class L Girls Indoor Track – Wilbur Cross**
- Class LL Wrestling – Xavier**
- Class LL Boys Swimming – Fairfield Prep**
- State Open Boys Swimming – Fairfield Prep**
- Girls Ice Hockey – Guilford** – *lost to Simsbury, 3-1*
- Division II Boys Ice Hockey – Amity** – *lost to Daniel Hand, 5-4*
- Class LL Boys Basketball – Fairfield Prep** – *lost to Bridgeport Central, 76-73*
- Class L Boys Basketball – Career** – *lost to Windsor, 63-59*

FALL (7)

- Class MM Boys Cross Country – Guilford**
- Class L Girls Cross Country – Mercy**
- Class LL Girls Swimming – Amity Regional**
- Class L Girls Soccer – Branford** – *lost to Guilford, 2-0*
- Class L Field Hockey – Cheshire** – *lost to Darien, 3-1*
- Class M Girls Volleyball – Foran** – *lost to Woodland, 3-1 (25-15, 25-23, 23-25, 25-15)*
- Class LL Football – Fairfield Prep** – *lost to Southington, 52-34*

Year-by-Year SCC State Championships Won

Year	Fall	Winter	Spring	Total
1994-95	5	6	4	15
1995-96	7	5	9	21
1996-97	9	8	8	25
1997-98	9	8	6	23
1998-99	5	7	6	18
1999-00	4	9	5	18
2000-01	6	6	6	18
2001-02	5	8	9	22
2002-03	6	6	9	21
2003-04	9	8	4	21
2004-05	9	7	5	21
2005-06	8	8	4	20
2006-07	4	6	3	13
2007-08	3	5	3	11
2008-09	3	5	4	12
2009-10	7	8	8	23
2010-11	6	8	8	22
2011-12	6	12	7	25
2012-13	5	6	5	16
2013-14	3	5	6	14
TOTALS	119	141	119	379

State Championship Facts

Ten Schools Won Titles

Ten different SCC schools won state titles in 2013–14 with Daniel Hand capturing the most with three state titles... Guilford and Notre Dame each won two state titles.




Who has the most?

Cheshire (58) and Hillhouse (55) have won the most state titles since becoming members of the SCC in 1994. Amity Regional (34), Daniel Hand (33) and Fairfield Prep (32) round out the top five. Daniel Hand has won 11 state titles in the last three years.

SCC Player and Coaches of the Year

During the 2013-14 academic year, the Southern Connecticut Conference named a Player of the Year and Coach of the Year in each of its 28 sponsored sports.

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FALL

Players of the Year

Field Hockey – Michelle Federico, Cheshire

Girls Soccer – Tanya Altrui, Branford

Girls Volleyball – Allison Denny, Amity Regional

Girls Cross Country – Kaleigh Roberts, Mercy

Girls Swimming (Div. I) - Dana Chung, Amity Regional

Girls Swimming (Div. II) – Cara Dube, Foran

Boys Soccer – Pablo Perez, West Haven

Boys Cross Country – Christian Alvarado, Fairfield Prep

Football (Div. I) – Ervin Philips, West Haven

Football (Div. II) – Harold Cooper, Hillhouse

Coaches of the Year

Field Hockey – Eileen Gallagher, Cheshire

Girls Soccer – Scott McMahon, Guilford

Girls Volleyball – Tricia Shugrue, Hamden

Girls Cross Country – John Hastings, Mercy

Girls Swimming (Div. I) - Steve Diverniero, Sacred Heart Academy

Girls Swimming (Div. II) – Kristin Skuches, Foran

Boys Soccer – Brian Fitzgerald, Xavier

Boys Cross Country – Bob Ford, Fairfield Prep

Football (Div. I) – Ed McCarthy, West Haven

Football (Div. II) – Anthony Sagnella, North Haven

WINTER

Players of the Year

Cheerleading – Michelle Kauffman, Daniel Hand

Gymnastics – Stefani Taschner, Daniel Hand

Girls Basketball – Tanaya Atkinson, Career

Girls Indoor Track – Danae Rivers, Wilbur Cross

Girls Ice Hockey – Edy Moritz, Guilford

Wrestling – Will Chowanec, Xavier

Boys Basketball – Paschal Chukwu, Fairfield Prep

Boys Indoor Track – Christian Alvarado, Fairfield Prep

Boys Ice Hockey – Div. I – Ryan Lynch, Notre Dame-West Haven

Boys Ice Hockey – Div. II – Adam Shea, Amity Regional

Boys Ice Hockey – Div. III – Jonathan Lovorn, Newtown

Boys Swimming – Div. I – Bjorn Davis, Fairfield Prep

Boys Swimming – Div. II – Noel Haren, Daniel Hand

Coaches of the Year

Cheerleading – Megan Morrissey, Branford

Gymnastics – Jamie Whiting, North Haven

Girls Basketball – Michelle Martinek, Amity Regional

Girls Indoor Track – Travis Gale, Wilbur Cross

Girls Ice Hockey – Kris Arnold, Simsbury

Wrestling – Mike Cunningham, Xavier

Boys Indoor Track – Jeremy Iverson, Amity Regional

Boys Basketball – Jeff DeMaio, Guilford

Boys Ice Hockey – Div. I – Joe Morrell, West Haven

Boys Ice Hockey – Div. II – Mike Richetelli, Amity Regional

Boys Ice Hockey – Div. III – Dave Festa, Sheehan

Boys Swimming – Div. I – Fran Connolly, Cheshire

Boys Swimming – Div. II – Kristin Skuches (Foran)

SPRING

Players of the Year

Baseball – Kevin Johnson, Jonathan Law

Softball – Fallon Bevino, Foran

Girls Lacrosse – Lauren Cole, Daniel Hand

Boys Lacrosse – Austin Sims, Fairfield Prep

Boys Outdoor Track & Field – Christian Alvarado, Fairfield Prep

Girls Outdoor Track & Field – Danae Rivers, Wilbur Cross

Boys Tennis – Div. I – Jason Seidman, Amity Regional

Boys Tennis – Div. II – Richard Ciamarra, Xavier

Girls Tennis – Div. I – Emily Migliorini, North Haven

Girls Tennis – Div. II – Vidhya Maran, Hamden

Golf – Div. I – Brian Carlson, Daniel Hand

Golf – Div. II – Patrick Hennessey, East Haven

Boys Volleyball – Kevin Berger, Xavier

Coaches of the Year

Baseball – Greg Simler, Jonathan Law

Softball – Ray Ramelli, Sacred Heart Academy

Girls Lacrosse – Jenny DeRosa, Amity Regional

Boys Lacrosse – Eric Bailey, North Haven

Girls Outdoor Track & Field – Nally Sahin, Wilbur Cross

Girls Tennis – Div. I – Harold Freedman, Amity Regional

Girls Tennis – Div. II – Chris Kulenych, Jonathan Law

Boys Tennis – Div. I – Chris Raffone, Amity Regional

Boys Tennis – Div. II – Skip South, Notre Dame

Golf – Div. I – Mike Kohs, Xavier

Golf – Div. II – Dave Augustine, East Haven

Boys Volleyball – Sue Bavone, Cheshire

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2013-14 Sport-by-Sport Recap

FALL

GIRLS VOLLEYBALL

STATE CHAMPIONS

Class LL: Cheshire defeated Staples, 3-1 (24-26, 25-17, 25-15, 25-17)

STATE RUNNER-UPS

Class M: Foran lost to Woodland, 3-1 (25-15, 25-23, 23-25, 25-15)

STATE SEMIFINALISTS

None

Divisional Champions

Hammonasset – Foran (7-1)

Housatonic – Cheshire (8-0)

Oronoque – Branford (8-0)

Quinnipiac – Mercy (6-0)



SCC Playoffs

First Round – Oct. 25/26 @Higher Seeds

#4 Shelton 3, #13 Hamden 0 (25-18, 26-24, 25-14)

#5 Branford 3, #12 West Haven 0 (25-20, 25-19, 25-15)

#6 Foran 3, #11 Guilford 0 (25-20, 25-19, 26-14)

#7 Lyman Hall 3, #10 Jonathan Law 1 (24-26, 25-15, 27-25, 25-15)

#9 Sheehan 3, #8 Daniel Hand 1 (25-10, 15-25, 25-10, 25-15)

Quarterfinals – Oct. 28 @Higher Seeds

#1 Cheshire 3, #9 Sheehan 0 (25-8, 25-17, 25-8)

#2 Mercy 3, #7 Lyman Hall 1 (25-20, 25-16, 21-25, 25-21)

#3 Amity 3, #2 Foran 2 (25-20, 21-25, 23-25, 25-21, 15-9)

#5 Branford 3, #4 Shelton 0 (25-19, 25-20, 25-19)

Semifinals – Oct. 30 @Higher Seeds

Cheshire 3, Branford 1 (23-25, 25-11, 25-19, 25-17)

Mercy 3, Amity 0 (27-25, 25-23, 25-23)

Championship Game – Nov. 1 @North Haven HS

Cheshire 3, Mercy 0 (25-19, 25-20, 25-21) – *10th title for the Rams*

SCC/OrthoNOW Player of the Year:

Allison Denny, Amity Regional

SCC/OrthoNOW Coach of the Year:

Tricia Shugrue, Hamden

All Hammonasset

Fallon Bevino (Foran), Colleen Bogucki (Jonathan Law), Brooke Bonetti (Jonathan Law), Ana Gomez (Hillhouse), Sam Grinold (Guilford), Kendall Jerzyk (Daniel Hand), Janae Owen (Foran), Cassidy Wygonik (Daniel Hand)

All-Housatonic

Maria Buzzelli (Cheshire), Allison Denny (Amity Regional), Jillian Haberli (Cheshire), Kathryn Pisano (Amity Regional), Caitlin Read (Sheehan), Sarah Rodgers (Cheshire), Francesca Testani (Shelton), Amanda Vecchio (Amity Regional)

All-Oronoque

Alyssa Apuzzo (East Haven), Anna Atkinson (Branford), Tara Dering (Branford), Kiana Hernandez (Wilbur Cross), Lauren Kuhn (Branford), McKenzie Miessau (East Haven), Morgan Schaff (North Haven), Hannah Zampano (Branford)

All-Quinnipiac

Shannon Bissell (Sacred Heart Academy), Angelica Erazo (Hamden), Jessica Hoops (Mercy), Erin Kent (Sacred Heart Academy), Taylor Mayes (Hamden), Leah Morrissey (West Haven), Abigail Nagy (Mercy), Talon Yahaya (West Haven)

BOYS SOCCER

STATE CHAMPIONS

None

STATE RUNNER-UPS

None

STATE SEMIFINALISTS

Class LL: Xavier lost to Ridgefield, 2-1

Class L: Daniel Hand lost to Joel Barlow, 3-0

Class M: Lyman Hall lost to Ellington, 1-0

Divisional Champions

Oronoque – North Haven (7-1)

Housatonic – Amity (7-1)

Hammonasset – Daniel Hand (4-2)

Quinnipiac – Xavier (8-0)



SCC Playoffs

Quarterfinals – Oct. 26 @Higher Seeds

#1 Xavier 3, #8 Fairfield Prep 1 (Oct. 27)

#4 Branford 5, #5 Sheehan 2

#6 Guilford 1, #3 Daniel Hand 0

#2 Amity 2, #7 Shelton 2 (*Amity advances via penalty kicks, 3-0*)

Semifinals – Oct. 28 @Higher Seeds

Guilford 1, Amity 1 (*Guilford advances via penalty kicks, 4-2*)

Xavier 2, Branford 0 (Oct. 29)

Championship Game – Oct. 30 @East Haven HS

Xavier 2, Guilford 1 (2 OT) – *Third title for the Falcons*

SCC/OrthoNOW Player of the Year:

Pablo Perez, West Haven

SCC/OrthoNOW Coach of the Year:

Brian Fitzgerald, Xavier

All-Quinnipiac

Matt Wilson (Hamden), Brendan Cutuli (Xavier), Chris Montani (Fairfield Prep), Joe Zacchia (Xavier), Alex Matthews (Notre Dame), George Oppong (West Haven), Steve Tortora (Fairfield)

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Prep), Tom Gardner (Xavier), Connor Williams (Notre Dame), Austin Sims (Fairfield Prep), Ken Callahan (Xavier), Pablo Perez (West Haven)

All-Oronoque

Max Condon (Branford), Ryan Chieffo (North Haven), Liam Daley (Branford), Zach Tabak (North Haven), Hunter Duval (Branford), Justin Waters (Branford), David Garcia (Career/Hillhouse), Brayan Lucero (East Haven), Joe Roca (Branford), Janos Kanyo (North Haven), Walter Muralles (North Haven), Seny Camera (Career/Hillhouse)

All-Housatonic

Dean Schwartz (Amity), Matt Manzo (Shelton), Antonio Jandreau (Lyman Hall), Drin Pacuku (Sheehan), Griffin Volta (Amity), Matt Brouillette (Shelton), Joseff Phillips (Cheshire), Evan Donahue (Amity), Matt Stoll (Shelton), Justyn Broderick (Amity), Esteban Santacruz (Sheehan), Griffen Andes (Cheshire)

All Hammonasset

Brian Jackson (Daniel Hand), Christian Koshgarian (Daniel Hand), Noah Rattet (Guilford), Justin Kassouf (Foran), Wyatt Vilaseca (Guilford), Rich Sangster (Daniel Hand), Julian Yuliawan (Foran), Cedrick Lingane (Foran), Griffin Wray (Daniel Hand), Herbie Pritchard (Jonathan Law), Antonio Gjuraj (Jonathan Law), Nick Nelson (Daniel Hand)

GIRLS SOCCER

STATE CHAMPIONS

Class L: Guilford defeated Branford, 3-1

STATE RUNNER-UPS

Class L: Branford lost to Guilford, 3-1

STATE SEMIFINALISTS

Class LL: Mercy lost to Suffield, 3-1

Divisional Champions

Hammonasset – Guilford (6-0)

Housatonic – Cheshire (7-1)

Oronoque – Branford (6-0)

Quinnipiac – Mercy (5-0-1)

SCC Playoffs

Quarterfinals – Oct. 26 @ Higher Seeds

#1 Guilford 1, #8 West Haven 0

#5 Amity 2, #4 Cheshire 1

#3 Mercy 4, #6 Sacred Heart Academy 1

#2 Branford 2, #7 Daniel Hand 0

Semifinals – Oct. 28 @ Higher Seeds

Branford 1, Mercy 0

Guilford 2, Amity 0

Championship Game – Oct. 30 @ East Haven HS

Guilford 3, Branford 1 – *First SCC title for the Indians since 2002*

SCC/OrthoNOW Player of the Year:

Tanya Altrui, Branford

SCC/OrthoNOW Coach of the Year:

Scott McMahon, Guilford

All Hammonasset

Carly Pala (Foran), Amy Boswell (Daniel Hand), Brianna Grazynski (Jonathan Law), Allison Stephens (Guilford), Kendall Goodman (Daniel Hand), Kyera Bryant (Guilford), Julia Carr (Guilford), Tori Loukakes (Guilford), Chloe Broquet (Daniel Hand), Nikki Basilicato (Guilford), Bianca Stefanacci (Jonathan Law), Natalie Baughan (Daniel Hand), Emma Smith (Guilford)

All-Quinnipiac

Kendra Landy (Mercy), Marisa Pacapelli (West Haven), Mary Verneris (Sacred Heart Academy), Alex Zampini (Mercy), Allyson Hemstock (West Haven), Tory Lavery (West Haven), Kianna Rocco (Sacred Heart Academy), Danielle Wendland (Hamden), Sarah Vita (Hamden), Katie Dadio (Hamden), Olivia Ozycz (Mercy), Angela Ciaramella (Sacred Heart Academy)

All-Oronoque

Becca Vitale (Branford), Megan Kikosicki (East Haven), Nicole Avena (East Haven), Bethanny Scofield (East Haven), Emma Pottenger (Branford), Shea Connors (Wilbur Cross), Tanya Altrui (Branford), Sara Consolo (Branford), Desiree Carter (Wilbur Cross), Elya Paolillo (North Haven), Hannah Milles (Branford), Rachel Cholewinski (Branford)

All-Housatonic

Dakota Kelly (Amity), Alexandra Pelletier (Cheshire), Joelle MarkAnthony (Sheehan), Zoie Reed (Amity), Leah Chamberlin (Cheshire), Alessandra Lamberti (Cheshire), Laurel Bailey (Shelton), Ania Spina (Sheehan), Hannah Bonitz (Cheshire), Cassie Giza (Amity), Krista Petersen (Lyman Hall), Samantha Hartmayer (Shelton)

FIELD HOCKEY

STATE CHAMPIONS

None

STATE RUNNER-UPS

Class L: Cheshire lost to Darien, 3-1

STATE SEMIFINALISTS

Class M: Daniel Hand lost to Wilton, 2-1

Regular-season Champion: Cheshire (10-0)

SCC Playoffs

Quarterfinals – Oct. 26 @ Higher Seeds

#1 Cheshire 5, #8 Sacred Heart Academy 0

#5 Branford 1, #4 Amity 0

#3 Guilford 3, #6 Hamden 0



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#2 Daniel Hand 4, #7 Sheehan 1

Semifinals – Oct. 28 @Daniel Hand HS

Cheshire 4, Branford 1

Daniel Hand 5, Guilford 0

Championship Game – Oct. 30 @Branford HS

Cheshire 3, Daniel Hand 1 – *Third straight title for the Rams*

SCC/OrthoNOW Player of the Year:

Michelle Federico, Cheshire

SCC/OrthoNOW Coach of the Year:

Eileen Gallagher, Cheshire

All-Conference First Team

Michelle Federico (Cheshire), Emma Farrel (Cheshire), Brenna Hobin (Daniel Hand), Grace Ireland (Guilford), Emily Tyler (Hamden), Megan Shea (Branford), Danielle Bellantonio (Cheshire), Mackenzie Hilton (Daniel Hand), Caroline Napoli (Guilford), Kira Saunders (Amity Regional), Katy Jankura (Guilford), Hannah Leckey (Daniel Hand), Carly Femniak (Sheehan)

All-Conference Second Team

Erin Mammele (Daniel Hand), Brooke Barry (Daniel Hand), Natalie Grimm (Branford), Olivia Larson (Cheshire), Caroline Murphy (Branford), Amanda Przybowski (Hamden), Caroline Kennedy (Hamden), Deirdre Reidy (Sacred Heart Academy), Alexa Rubano (Lyman Hall), Olivia Schlegel (Amity Regional), Jenna Moscarelli (Guilford), Nichole Ciccarelli (North Haven)

FOOTBALL

STATE CHAMPIONS

None

STATE RUNNER-UPS

Class LL: Fairfield Prep lost to Southington, 52-34

STATE SEMIFINALISTS

Class LL: West Haven lost to Fairfield Prep, 29-28

Class L: North Haven lost to New Canaan, 17-0

Divisional Champions

Division I West – Fairfield Prep (4-0)

Division I East – West Haven (4-0)

Division II West – Guilford (4-0)

Division II East – North Haven (3-0)

SCC/OrthoNOW Division I Player of the Year:

Ervin Philips, West Haven

SCC/OrthoNOW Division I Coach of the Year:

Ed McCarthy, West Haven

SCC/OrthoNOW Division II Player of the Year:

Harold Cooper, Hillhouse

SCC/OrthoNOW Division II Coach of the Year:

Anthony Sagnella, North Haven

Division I – Offense

OL: Michael Brehon (Wilbur Cross), Cullen Clairmont (Cheshire), Dave Cinti (West Haven), Jesse Ridgway (West Haven)

TE: Kyle Drost (Shelton)

WR: Drew Arciuolo (Notre Dame), Tom Wilson (Daniel Hand), Ben Feola (Amity)

RB: Andrew Meoli (Xavier), Ervin Philips (West Haven), Cam Tucker (Notre Dame), Jason Thompson (Shelton)

QB: Colton Smith (Fairfield Prep), Joe Carbone (Xavier)

PK: Lyle Luth (Amity)

Division I – Defense

DL: Antonio Collins (Hamden), Ian Dieli (Daniel Hand), Jacob Grosso (Shelton), Max Trudeau (Fairfield Prep)

LB: Jaylin Fuller (Wilbur Cross), Nick Crowle (Fairfield Prep), Will Garrity (Xavier), Sal Esposito (Notre Dame)

DB: Tyler Burns (Amity), Duane Gary (West Haven), Jack Cunningham (Cheshire), Nate McCary (Hamden), Nate Gonzalez (Xavier), Michael Pingree (Shelton)

P: Steve Walsh (Fairfield Prep)

Division II – Offense

OL: John Tondalo (North Haven), Zach Hubler (Foran), Dane Lawrence (Guilford), Nick Casagrande (Jonathan Law), Mike Siwek (North Haven), Brad Roth (Branford)

WR: Nick Weissauer (Foran), Brandon Gauthier (Sheehan), Sean Deegan (Foran)

RB: Ethan Suraci (North Haven), Harold Cooper (Hillhouse), David Knapp (Guilford)

QB: Jake Kasuba (Foran), Joe Nault (Guilford), Tim Maher (Jonathan Law)

Division II – Defense

DL: Austin Mahon (North Haven), Tarrol Stafford (Hillhouse), Jordan Lytle (Sheehan), Tymar Greene (Lyman Hall), Zack Kastenhuber (North Haven), Jalen Gardner (Hillhouse)

LB: Mike Halloran (North Haven), Koby Mensah (Lyman Hall), Michael DeMarco (East Haven), Tyler MacNeil (Branford), Ford Linell (Guilford)

DB: Stan Olsson (Foran), Dom DellaCamera (East Haven), Connor Cadrin (Foran), Jeremy Gannon (Sheehan)

GIRLS SWIMMING

STATE CHAMPIONS

None

STATE RUNNER-UPS

Class LL: Amity Regional

TOP STATE FINISHES

2013-14 Sport-by-Sport Recap

Class L: Cheshire (4th)

Class M: Branford (3rd), Sheehan (6th)

Divisional Champions

Division I – Amity (6-0)

Division II – North Haven (7-0)



SCC Championship Meet – October 30 at Moore Fieldhouse – SCSU

Team Results: 1. Cheshire, 1342.5; 2. Amity Regional, 1123; 3. Daniel Hand, 616; 4. Branford, 598.5; 5. Sacred Heart Academy, 594.5; 6. Mercy, 432; 7. North Haven, 398.5; 8. Sheehan, 356; 9. Hamden, 290; 10. Lyman Hall, 277; 11. Foran, 274; 12. West Haven, 270; 13. Shelton, 222; 14. Jonathan Law, 198; 15. East Haven, 177; 16. Career, 11

SCC/OrthoNOW Division I Swimmer of the Year: Dana Chung, Amity Regional

SCC/OrthoNOW Division II Swimmer of the Year: Cara Dube, Foran

SCC/OrthoNOW Division I Coach of the Year: Steve DiVerniero, Sacred Heart Academy

SCC/OrthoNOW Division II Coach of the Year: Kristin Skuches, Foran

All-Conference

200 yard Medley Relay

Cheshire (Laura Mongillo, Lily Kurtz, Lindsay Smalec, Ellie Senft)

Branford (Julia Dietz, Erika Maercklein, Paige MacNeil, Lauren Rasile)

200 yard Freestyle

Jaime Robinson (Sacred Heart Academy), Madeline Snow (Amity Regional), Denise Costello (Cheshire)

200 yard IM

Lindsay Smalec (Cheshire), Marisa Daly (Sheehan), Danielle Grenon (Cheshire)

50 yard Freestyle

Dana Chung (Amity Regional), Lauren Rasile (Branford), Erika Maercklein (Branford)

100 yard Butterfly

Lindsay Smalec (Cheshire), Jessica Poole (Shelton), Paige MacNeil (Branford)

100 yard Freestyle

Dana Chung (Amity Regional), Ellie Senft (Cheshire), Claire Anderson (Sacred Heart Academy)

500 yard Freestyle

Jaime Robinson (Sacred Heart Academy), Madeline Snow (Amity Regional), Olivia Smith (Amity Regional)

200 yard Freestyle Relay

Amity Regional (Megan Lasto, Maggie Lasto, Madeline Snow, Dana Chung)

Branford (Paige Macneil, Caitlin Daley, Erika Maercklein, Lauren Rasile)

100 yard Backstroke

Laura Mongillo (Cheshire), Marisa Daly (Sheehan), Cara Dube (Foran)

100 yard Breaststroke

Erika Maercklein (Branford), Lily Kurtz (Cheshire), Holland Driscoll (Lyman Hall)

400 yard Freestyle Relay

Cheshire (Lindsay Smalec, Laura Mongillo, Denise Costello, Ellie Senft)

Amity Regional (Maggie Lasto, Jessica Kochiss, Madeline Snow, Dana Chung)

Diving

Brianna Buehler (Sheehan), Kiersty Neeman (Lyman Hall), Erin Mostoller (Cheshire)

BOYS CROSS COUNTRY

STATE CHAMPIONS

None

STATE RUNNER-UPS

Class MM: Guilford

TOP STATE FINISHES

Class LL: Amity Regional (4th), Fairfield Prep (5th)

Class MM: Branford (3rd), Foran (6th)

Divisional Champions

Hammonasset – Guilford (4-0)

Housatonic – Amity (4-0)

Oronoque – Branford (4-0)

Quinnipiac – Fairfield Prep (4-0)



SCC Championship Meet – October 17 at Hammonasset State Park

Final Team Results: 1. Fairfield Prep, 56; 2. Amity, 76; 3. Cheshire, 89; 4. Guilford, 98; 5. Xavier, 160; 6. Branford, 189; 7. Daniel Hand, 212; 8. Shelton, 225; 9. North Haven, 254; 10. Hamden, 257; 11. Notre Dame, 311; 12. Foran, 317; 13. Sheehan, 370; 14. Jonathan Law, 416; 15. Wilbur Cross, 437; 16. Lyman Hall, 460; 17. East Haven, 547; 18. West Haven, 584

2013-14 Sport-by-Sport Recap

First Place Finisher: Christian Alvarado (Fairfield Prep), 15:16
(meet record)

SCC/OrthoNOW Runner of the Year:
Christian Alvarado, Fairfield Prep

SCC/OrthoNOW Coach of the Year:
Bob Ford, Fairfield Prep

First Team All-Conference

Christian Alvarado (Fairfield Prep), Tim Kenefick (Guilford), Zach Williams (Xavier), Sal Siciliano (Guilford), Michael Yuan (Amity Regional), John O'Hara (Xavier), Russell Adam (Cheshire), James Mulliken (Fairfield Prep), Lucas Marcouiller (Cheshire), Luke Arsenaault (Branford), Kyle Beaudette (Amity Regional), Alec Hilton (Fairfield Prep)

Second Team All-Conference

Tommy Laydon (Sheehan), Rafael Phillips (Cheshire), Ian Connell (Guilford), Sricharan Kadimi (Amity Regional), Andrew Thane (Fairfield Prep), Adam Vare (Fairfield Prep), Joseph Edelstein (Shelton), Daniel Tozzi (Hamden), Aaron Barkin (Amity Regional), David Napierkowski (Notre Dame), Christopher MacKay (Amity Regional), Calum Wright (Hamden)

GIRLS CROSS COUNTRY

STATE CHAMPIONS

Class MM: Branford

STATE RUNNER-UPS

Class L: Mercy

TOP STATE FINISHES

Class LL: Amity Regional (6th)

Class MM: Branford (5th)

Divisional Champions

Hammonasset – Daniel Hand (4-0)

Housatonic – Amity Regional (4-0)

Oronoque – Branford (4-0)

Quinnipiac – Mercy (3-0)

SCC Championship Meet – October 17 at Hammonasset State Park

Team Results: 1. Mercy, 85; 2. Daniel Hand, 106; 3. Amity, 107; 4. Branford, 116; 5. Cheshire, 145; 6. Guilford, 151; 7. Hamden, 159; 8. Wilbur Cross, 229; 9. Shelton, 230; 10. Sacred Heart Academy, 270; 11. Hillhouse, 298; 12. North Haven, 309; 13. Lyman Hall, 324; 14. Sheehan, 353; 15. Jonathan Law, 375; 16. East Haven, 480; 17. Career, 524; 18. West Haven, 558

Top Finisher: Kaleigh Roberts, Mercy (18:37)

SCC/OrthoNOW Runner of the Year:
Kaleigh Roberts, Mercy

SCC/OrthoNOW Coach of the Year:
John Hastings, Mercy

First Team All-Conference

Kaleigh Roberts (Mercy), Danae Rivers (Wilbur Cross), Cyrene Nicholas (Branford), Liz Fengler (Sheehan), Ashley Cambisaca (Hamden), Kathryn Phillips (Daniel Hand), MacKenzie Pias (Mercy), Joelle Schumacher (Shelton), Leah Rivers (Wilbur Cross), Sheila Flaherty (Daniel Hand), Lisa Gorham (Amity Regional), Bridgid Selfors (Mercy)

Second Team All-Conference

Emily Criscuolo (Amity Regional), Anneliese Troidle (Branford), Natalie Wickenheisser (Cheshire), Hannah Albert (Mercy), Abby Lieberman (Hamden), Claudia Schatz (Wilbur Cross), Jessica Lohret (Branford), Dawn Hubbell (North Haven), Olivia Schultes (Guilford), Evelyn Ferrall (Guilford), Sarah Odabashian (Daniel Hand), Claire Pite (Amity Regional)

WINTER

BOYS BASKETBALL

STATE CHAMPIONS

None

STATE RUNNER-UPS

Class LL: Fairfield Prep lost to Bridgeport Central, 76-73

Class L: Career lost to Windsor, 63-59

STATE SEMIFINALISTS

None

Divisional Champions

Hammonasset: Hillhouse (8-0)

Housatonic: Cheshire (8-0)

Oronoque: Career (8-0)

Quinnipiac: Fairfield Prep (8-0)

SCC Playoffs

First Round – Feb. 27 @ Higher Seeds

#5 Guilford 53, #12 Shelton 35

#11 Branford 50, #6 Daniel Hand 46

#7 Xavier 33, #10 West Haven 30

#9 Notre Dame 60, #8 Cheshire 56

Quarterfinals – March 1 @ Branford HS

#1 Fairfield Prep 54, #9 Notre Dame 50

#4 Wilbur Cross 53, #5 Guilford 47

#2 Career 50, #7 Xavier 39



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#3 Hillhouse 59, #11 Branford 45

Semifinals – March 3 @ East Haven High School

Hillhouse 63, Career 47

Fairfield Prep 75, Wilbur Cross 71

Championship Game – March 5 @ TD Bank Sports Center- Quinnipiac University

Fairfield Prep 56, Hillhouse 52

SCC/OrtoNow Player of the Year:

Paschal Chukwu, Fairfield Prep

SCC/OrtoNow Coach of the Year:

Jeff DeMaio, Guilford

All-Housatonic

Dave Ryan (Amity Regional), Andrew Yamin (Cheshire), Collin Jordan (Cheshire), Mike Tiedemann (Sheehan), Brandon Rentas (Sheehan), Pat Murphy (Shelton)

All-Quinnipiac

Paschal Chukwu (Fairfield Prep), Elijah Pemberton (Xavier), Brandon McPherson (Xavier), Tahj Eaddy (Notre Dame), Gary Dudley (West Haven), Keith Pettway (Fairfield Prep)

All Hammonasset

Andre Frederick (Daniel Hand), Luke Dombroski (Guilford), Will Cofrances (Guilford), Shane Christie (Hillhouse), Raiquan Clark (Hillhouse), Brendan Hughes (Daniel Hand)

All-Oronoque

Chan Williams-Bey (Wilbur Cross), Tyrell Eaddy (Career), Josh Fleming (Wilbur Cross), Jordan Lomax (Career), Amos Ford (Career), Rustinel Lomotey (Branford)

GIRLS BASKETBALL

STATE CHAMPIONS

None

STATE RUNNER-UPS

None

STATE SEMIFINALISTS

Class LL: Mercy lost to Luralton Hall, 52-43

Divisional Champions

Hammonasset: Daniel Hand (7-1)

Housatonic: Amity Regional/Lyman Hall (7-1)

Oronoque: Career (8-0)

Quinnipiac: Mercy (6-0)

SCC Playoffs

First Round – Feb. 20 @ Higher Seeds

#5 Daniel Hand 49, #12 East Haven 32

#11 Sacred Heart Academy 46, at #6 Cheshire 41

#7 Hillhouse 49, #10 Guilford 40

#8 Sheehan 56, #9 Branford 43

Quarterfinals – Feb. 22 @ Sheehan HS

#1 Mercy 69, #8 Sheehan 51

#5 Daniel Hand 63, #4 Lyman Hall 61

#2 Career 75, #7 Hillhouse 53

#3 Amity 44, #11 Sacred Heart Academy 34

Semifinals – Feb. 24 @ East Haven HS

Career 65, Amity 55

Mercy 48, Daniel Hand 39

Championship Game – Feb. 26 @ TD Bank Sports Center – Quinnipiac University

Mercy 56, Career 32

SCC/OrtoNOW Player of the Year:

Tanaya Atkinson, Career

SCC/OrtoNOW Coach of the Year:

Michelle Martinek, Amity Regional

All Hammonasset

Teneya McLaughlin (Foran), Presley Altieri (Guilford), Cassidy Wygonik (Daniel Hand), Shyla Osmond (Hillhouse), Alexis Beene (Hillhouse), Sophie Joel (Daniel Hand)

All-Housatonic

Chloe Brinton (Amity Regional), Mikaila Schmitt (Amity Regional), Joelle MarkAnthony (Sheehan), Nicole Mierzejewski (Lyman Hall), Taylor Mierzejewski (Lyman Hall), Missy Bailey (Cheshire)

All-Oronoque

Tanaya Atkinson (Career), Brooklin Davis (Career), Charleese Smith (Career), Jenna Gaudio (East Haven), Adrienne DiGioia (Branford), Jill Johnson (North Haven)

All-Quinnipiac

Maura Fitzpatrick (Mercy), Kendra Landy (Mercy), Sarah Gallo (Mercy), Lauren Davis (Sacred Heart Academy), Ava Gambardella (West Haven), Alivia Wilson (Hamden)

GIRLS ICE HOCKEY

STATE CHAMPIONS

Simsbury defeated Guilford, 3-1

STATE RUNNER-UPS

Guilford lost to Simsbury, 3-1

STATE SEMIFINALISTS

None

Regular-season Champions: East Catholic/
Glastonbury/South Windsor co-op (9-1)

SCC Playoffs



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Division I Semifinals – Feb. 22/24 @ Higher Seeds

#1 East Catholic 2, #4 Guilford 1

#2 Simsbury 4, #3 West Hartford co-op 1

Division II Semifinals – Feb. 24 @ Higher Seeds

#3 Notre Dame-Fairfield/Milford co-op 4, #2 West Haven 3 (2OT)

#1 Branford/East Haven/N. Branford co-op 8, #4 Daniel Hand 7 (OT)

Championship Games – Feb. 26/28

Division II @ Bennett Rink: Branford/East Haven/North Branford co-op 4, Notre Dame-Fairfield/Milford 0

Division I @ Trinity College: Simsbury 3, East Catholic 2 (OT)



SCC/OrthoNOW Player of the Year:

Edy Moritz, Guilford

SCC/OrthoNOW Coach of the Year:

Kris Arnold, Simsbury

All-Conference First Team

Jordan Arnold (Simsbury), Mya Berretta (West Haven), Lexi Cafiero (Guilford), Monica Darby (East Catholic/Glastonbury/South Windsor co-op), Maggie Grigely (Simsbury), Edy Moritz (Guilford)

All-Conference Second Team

Katie Grigely (Simsbury), Abigail Lange (Amity/Cheshire/North Haven co-op), Caitlin O'Meara (West Hartford co-op), Tina Paolillo (Branford/East Haven/North Branford co-op), Samantha Talmadge (Hamden), Tiler Thompson (Hamden), Lauren Sorgio (West Hartford co-op)

BOYS ICE HOCKEY

In 2013-14, the SCC and SWC formed one conference for the sport of boys ice hockey.

STATE CHAMPIONS

Division I: Fairfield Prep defeated Darien, 2-1

Division II: Daniel Hand defeated Amity Regional, 5-4

Division III: Newtown defeated EO Smith/Tolland, 2-1 (OT)

STATE RUNNER-UPS

Division II: Amity Regional lost to Daniel Hand, 5-4

STATE SEMIFINALISTS

Division I: Notre Dame lost to Fairfield Prep, 4-3 (OT)

Division II: Milford lost to Amity Regional, 5-4

Division III: Masuk lost to EO Smith/Tolland, 3-2

Regular-season Champions

Division I: ND-Fairfield, ND-West Haven, Fairfield Prep (5-1)

Division II: Branford (8-2)

Division III: Newtown (6-0)

SCC Playoffs

Division III

Semifinals – March 5 @ Milford Ice Pavilion

#1 Newtown 5, #4 Sheehan 2

#2 New Fairfield-Immaculate 5, #3 Masuk 2

Championship Game – March 7 @ Bennett Rink

New Fairfield/Immaculate 2, Newtown 1 (OT)



Division II

Semifinals – March 6 @ Bennett Rink

#3 Amity 3, #2 North Haven 1

#1 Branford 4, #4 Cheshire 1

Championship Game – March 8 @ Bennett Rink

Branford 4, Amity Regional 3



Division I

Championship Game – March 7 @ Bennett Rink

#1 Notre Dame-Fairfield 5, #2 Notre Dame-West Haven 2

SCC/OrthoNOW Division I Player of the Year:

Ryan Lynch, Notre Dame-West Haven

SCC/OrthoNOW Division II Player of the Year:

Adam Shea, Amity Regional

SCC/OrthoNOW Division III Player of the Year:

Jonathan Lovorn, Newtown

SCC/OrthoNOW Division I Coach of the Year:

Joe Morell, West Haven

SCC/OrthoNOW Division II Coach of the Year:

Michael Richetelli, Amity Regional

SCC/OrthoNOW Division III Coach of the Year:

David Festa, Sheehan

Division I – First Team

Mike Savino (West Haven), Alex Scranton (West Haven), Brendan Killooy (Fairfield Prep), Ryan Lynch (Notre Dame-West Haven), Christian LaCroix (Notre Dame-Fairfield), Mike Falanga (East Haven), Matt Wikman (Fairfield Prep)

Division I – Second Team

Matt Beck (Fairfield Prep), Jake Delguidice (East Haven), Colin O'Connor (Notre Dame-West Haven), Matt Dumas (Notre Dame-West Haven), Matt Longobardi (East Haven), Kyle Lynch (Notre Dame-West Haven), Andrew Meoli (Xavier)

Division II – First Team

Chase Briggs (Daniel Hand), John Uscilla (Amity Regional), Brian Donohue (Guilford), Zach White (Milford co-op), Tyler Hackett (Branford), Adam Shea (Amity Regional), Luke Vendetto (Cheshire)

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Division II – Second Team

AJ Brink (Branford), Matt Bogart (North Haven), Cody Borowski (Cheshire), Ben Solin (Daniel Hand), Vin Fasulo (North Haven), Steven Berry (New Milford), Nick Capriglione (New Milford)

Division II – Third Team

Andrew Graziano (North Haven), Jameson Steinhardt (New Milford), Shea Conway (Watertown-Pomperaug co-op), Steven Almeida (Bethel-Brookfield-Danbury co-op), Alec Martone (North Branford), Jon Manzer (Watertown-Pomperaug co-op), Harrison O'Connell (New Milford)

Division III – First Team

Ryan Dobos (New Fairfield-Immaculate co-op), Joey Hicks (New Fairfield-Immaculate co-op), Christian Suda (Masuk), Shane Dushay (Masuk), Jonathan Lovorn (Newtown), Andrew Loya (Shepaug-Nonnewaug-Litchfield co-op), Michael Cerrotti (Sheehan)

Division III – Second Team

Patrick McLoughlin (Newtown), Will Sinsigalli (Joel Barlow), Matt Sabia (Newtown), Charlie Berry (Joel Barlow), Charlie Christo (Masuk), Sal Gozzo (Sheehan), Rocko Cuccaro (Lyman Hall-Haddam Killingworth co-op)

GYMNASTICS

STATE CHAMPIONS

Class M: Daniel Hand

STATE RUNNER-UPS

State Open: Daniel Hand

TOP STATE FINISHES

None

SCC Championship Meet – February 6 at Jonathan Law HS

Final Team Results: 1. Daniel Hand (141.45 – meet record); 2. North Haven (123.25); 3. Jonathan Law (117.95); 4. Foran (104.75); 5. Hamden (95.5)

SCC/OrthoNOW Gymnast of the Year:

Stefani Taschner, Daniel Hand

SCC/OrthoNOW Coach of the Year:

Jamie Whiting, North Haven

All-Conference

Stefani Taschner (Daniel Hand), Meghan French (Shelton), Abigail McGuirk (Daniel Hand), Kendall Jerzyk (Daniel Hand), Cynthia Lerman (Branford), Erin Maxwell (Daniel Hand), Gabrielle Gontarek (North Haven), Fallon Berry (Shelton), Julia Lindberg (Shelton), Marie Facin (North Haven), Alyssa Battick (Hamden), Maria Iennaco (Daniel Hand)

BOYS SWIMMING

STATE CHAMPIONS

None

STATE RUNNER-UPS

State Open: Fairfield Prep

Class LL: Fairfield Prep

TOP STATE FINISHES

Class M: Branford (4th)

Class M: Sheehan (6th)

Divisional Champions

Division I: Fairfield Prep (6-0)

Division II: Daniel Hand (7-0)

SCC Championship Meet – March 5 @Moore Fieldhouse – SCSU

Final Team Results: 1. Fairfield Prep, 1365; 2. Cheshire, 850; 3. Notre Dame, 671; 4. Branford, 573; 5. Amity Regional, 554; 6. Daniel Hand, 497; 7. Xavier, 416; 8. Lyman Hall 368; 9. Sheehan 367; 10. Hamden 365; 11. Foran 319; 12. Shelton, 260; 13. West Haven, 160; 14. North Haven 157; 15. Guilford, 105; 16. Jonathan Law, 83

SCC/OrthoNOW Division I Swimmer of the Year:

Bjorn Davis, Fairfield Prep

SCC/OrthoNOW Division I Coach of the Year:

Fran Connolly, Cheshire

SCC/OrthoNOW Division II Swimmer of the Year:

Noel Haren, Daniel Hand

SCC/OrthoNOW Division II Coach of the Year:

Kristin Skuches, Foran

All-Conference

200 yard Medley Relay

Fairfield Prep (Matthew Lee, Stuart Stritzel, John Hoin, Andrew McPhee)

Cheshire (Ryan Mostoller, Michael Goodrich, Kyle Shadeck, Alexander Cheruk)

200 yard Freestyle

Bryce Keblish (Fairfield Prep), Nicholas Wargo (Fairfield Prep), Connor Robinson (Sheehan)

200 yard IM

Brandon Cole (Fairfield Prep), Alan Pite (Amity Regional), David May (Notre Dame)

50 yard Freestyle



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Bjorn Davis (Fairfield Prep), Carl Thurston (Sheehan), Kyle Neri (Lyman Hall)

Diving

Tianyi Zeng (Daniel Hand), Robert McCrory (Fairfield Prep), Liam Barnes (Xavier)

100 yard Butterfly

Bryce Keblish (Fairfield Prep), David May (Notre Dame), John Hoin (Fairfield Prep)

100 yard Freestyle

Bjorn Davis (Fairfield Prep), Nicholas Wargo (Fairfield Prep), Carl Thurston (Sheehan)

500 yard Freestyle

Brandon Cole (Fairfield Prep), Karl Bishop (Cheshire), Ali Pourmaleki (Branford)

200 yard Free Relay

Fairfield Prep (Bjorn Davis, Brandon Cole, Nicholas Wargo, Bryce Keblish)
Amity Regional (Alan Pite, Stephen Cheung, Adam Ambrosey, Charles Pite)

100 yard Backstroke

Edmund Falcigno (Notre Dame), John Kealy (Fairfield Prep), Guido Balderrama (Fairfield Prep)

100 yard Breaststroke

Alan Pite (Amity Regional), John Hoin (Fairfield Prep), Stuart Stritzel (Fairfield Prep)

400 yard Free Relay

Fairfield Prep (Nicholas Wargo, Brandon Cole, Bryce Keblish, Bjorn Davis)
Amity Regional (Charles Pite, Stephen Cheung, Adam Ambrosey, Alan Pite)

BOYS INDOOR TRACK

STATE CHAMPIONS

None

STATE RUNNER-UPS

None

TOP STATE FINISHES

Open: Fairfield Prep (6th)

Class LL: Cheshire (5th)

Class L: Daniel Hand (4th)



West Sectional Meet – Jan. 26 @Floyd Little Athletic Center

Final Team Results: 1. Hamden, 108.33; 2. Xavier, 90; 3. Branford, 76.33; 4. Fairfield Prep, 62; 5. Notre Dame, 47; 6. North Haven, 41.33; 7. Wilbur Cross, 15; 8. East Haven, 14; 9. West Haven, 8

East Sectional Meet – Jan. 26 @Floyd Little Athletic Center

Final Team Results: 1. Amity Regional, 91; 2. Hillhouse, 65; 3. Daniel Hand, 64.66; 4. Shelton, 58; 5. Cheshire, 56.33; 6. Sheehan, 40; 7. Guilford, 34; 8. Foran, 24; 9. Lyman Hall, 22; 10. Jonathan Law, 1

Championship Meet – Jan. 30 @Floyd Little Athletic Center

Final Team Results: 1. Amity, 70; 2. Xavier, 68; 3. Hamden, 50; 3. Daniel Hand, 50; 5. Fairfield Prep, 39; 6. Cheshire, 36; 7. Shelton, 30; 8. Hillhouse, 18; 9. Lyman Hall, 17; 9. Sheehan, 17; 11. Branford, 16; 12. North Haven, 14; 12. Notre Dame, 14; 14. Wilbur Cross, 10; 15. Foran, 9; 16. Guilford, 7

SCC/OrthoNOW Athlete of the Year:
Christian Alvarado, Fairfield Prep

SCC/OrthoNOW Coach of the Year:
Jeremy Iverson, Amity Regional

All-Conference

Harold Cooper (Hillhouse), 55 meters
Liam Nicoll (Cheshire), 300 meters
Adam Vare (Amity Regional), 600 meters
Michael Yuan (Amity Regional), 1000 meters
Christian Alvarado (Fairfield Prep), 1600 and 3200 meters
Aaron Rattley (Amity Regional), 55 meter hurdles
Amity Regional (Aria Mohseni, Benjamin Feola, Aaron Rattley, Joshua Timpko), 4 x 200 meter relay
Cheshire (Frank Fusco, Mark Fusco, Rafael Phillip, Liam Nicoll), 4 x 400 meter relay
Xavier (Owen Wrinn, Graham Gilarde, Ethan Rodrigues, John O'Hara), 4 x 800 meter relay
Amity Regional (Joshua Timpko, Mark Pigatt, Aria Mohseni, Michael Yuan), 1600 Sprint Medley
Doud Akok (Wilbur Cross), High Jump
Ian Bergere (Daniel Hand), Pole Vault
Xavier Ward (Hamden), Long Jump
Chibueze Njoku (Cheshire), Shot Put

GIRLS INDOOR TRACK

STATE CHAMPIONS

State Open: Wilbur Cross

STATE RUNNER-UPS

Class L: Wilbur Cross

TOP STATE FINISHES

Class LL: Amity Regional (6th)

Class M: Hillhouse (3rd)

Class M: Sheehan (6th)

West Sectional Meet – Jan. 26 @Floyd Little Athletic Center



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Final Team Results: 1. Mercy, 98; 2. Wilbur Cross, 82; 3. Branford, 80; 4. Career, 54; 5. Hamden, 51; 6. North Haven, 48; 7. Sacred Heart Academy, 31; 8. East Haven, 17; 9. West Haven, 4

East Sectional Meet – Jan. 26 @Floyd Little Athletic Center

Final Team Results: 1. Cheshire, 110; 2. Amity Regional, 83; 3. Hillhouse, 74; 4. Daniel Hand, 63; 5. Shelton, 46; 6. Sheehan, 43; 7. Guilford, 25; 8. Foran, 8; 9. Lyman Hall, 6; 10. Jonathan Law, 5

Championship Meet – Jan. 30 @Floyd Little Athletic Center

Girls Team Results: 1. Wilbur Cross, 62; 2. Daniel Hand, 50; 3. Mercy, 47.5; 4. Hillhouse, 46; 5. Cheshire, 45; 6. Branford, 33; 7. Amity, 31; 8. Shelton, 31; 9. Sheehan, 24.5; 10. North Haven, 24; 11. Sacred Heart Academy, 21; 12. Hamden, 19; 13. East Haven, 14; 14. Guilford, 8; 15. Career, 8; 16. Jonathan Law, 1

SCC/OrthoNOW Athlete of the Year:
Danae Rivers, Wilbur Cross

SCC/OrthoNOW Coach of the Year:
Travis Gale, Wilbur Cross

All-Conference

Chaslenn Saucier (Wilbur Cross), 55 meters
Caroline O'Neil (Daniel Hand), 300 meters
Lananja Carr (Hillhouse), 600 meters
Kaleigh Roberts (Mercy), 1000 and 3200 meters
Danae Rivers (Wilbur Cross), 1600 meters
Anna Atkinson (Branford), 55 meter hurdles, High Jump
Hillhouse (Tonija Spencer, Diana Skinner, Jaliyah White, Alethia Moore), 4 x 200 meter relay
Amity Regional (Zoie Reed, Alissa Beedle, Shalyn Sullivan, Brooke Krohley), 4 x 400 meter relay
North Haven (Elise Symon, Morgan Heyl, Alexandra Ford, Elizabeth Stern), 4 x 800 meter relay
Wilbur Cross (Chaslenn Saucier, Gabby Curtis, Shea Connors, Danae Rivers), 1600 Sprint Medley
Selina Sampieri (Cheshire), Pole Vault
Zoie Reed (Amity Regional), Long Jump
Destiney Coward (East Haven), Shot Put

WRESTLING

STATE CHAMPIONS
None

STATE RUNNER-UPS
Class LL: Xavier

TOP STATE FINISHES
Open: Xavier (4th)
Class M: Foran (3rd)
Class M: Branford (5th)



Divisional Champions

Division I: Xavier (5-0)

Division II: Amity Regional (5-0)

Championship Meet – Feb. 15 @Shelton HS

Final Team Results: 1. Xavier, 224; 2. Daniel Hand, 103.5; 3. Foran, 85; 4. Shelton, 84.5; 5. Amity Regional, 84; 6. Guilford, 80.5; 7. Branford, 52.5; 8. Fairfield Prep, 46; 9. East Haven, 38.5; 10. New Haven, 32; 11. Cheshire, 28; 12. Notre Dame, 21; 13. Jonathan Law, 10; 14. Lyman Hall, 9

SCC/OrthoNOW Wrestler of the Year:
Will Chowanec, Xavier

SCC/OrthoNOW Coach of the Year:
Mike Cunningham, Xavier

All-Conference First Team

106 lbs. - Patrick Moynihan (Xavier)
113 lbs. - Jake Pouliot (Foran)
120 lbs. - Kyle McGinnis (Shelton)
126 lbs. - Colin Rook (Guilford)
132 lbs. - Anthony Milano (East Haven)
138 lbs. - Will Chowanec (Xavier)
145 lbs. - Quinn Marino (Xavier)
152 lbs. - Jake Lundberg (Guilford)
160 lbs. - Brendan Butler (Xavier)
170 lbs. - Liam Cummings (Shelton)
182 lbs. - Colin Cunningham (Xavier)
195 lbs. - Noah Cruz (Xavier)
220 lbs. - Chidi Broderick (Xavier)
285 lbs. - Camilo Vanegas (Notre Dame)

All-Conference Second Team

106 lbs. Connor Sakmar (Daniel Hand)
113 lbs. Jake Cala (Amity)
120 lbs. Patrick Precourt (Xavier)
126 lbs. Jesse Cala (Amity)
132 lbs. Tom Fredericks (Xavier)
138 lbs. Ashton Gyenizs (Daniel Hand)
145 lbs. Nick Pogacsas (Shelton)
152 lbs. Tyler Kenney (Xavier)
160 lbs. Ben Onofrio (Daniel Hand)
170 lbs. Seve Burgos (Xavier)
182 lbs. Mike DeMarco (East Haven)
195 lbs. Zach Hubler (Foran)
220 lbs. Gabriel Stiles (New Haven)
285 lbs. Nick Crowle (Fairfield Prep)

CHEERLEADING

STATE CHAMPIONS
None

STATE RUNNER-UPS
Class LL: Shelton

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TOP STATE FINISHES

Class LL: Cheshire (6th)

Class L: Sacred Heart Academy (6th)

Coed: Lyman Hall (5th)

SCC Competition – February 1
@Shelton HS

Co-ed Division: 1. Lyman Hall (145); 2. Wilbur Cross (115.5), 3. Guilford (77.5)

All-Girl Division: 1. Shelton (184.5); 2. Daniel Hand (168.4), 3. Cheshire (167.2), 4. North Haven (152.5), 5. West Haven (132.9), 6. Foran (129.3), 7. Hamden (122), 8. Sacred Heart Academy (121.2), 9. East Haven (117.9), 10. Jonathan Law (117), 11. Sheehan (92.9), 12. Mercy (89.9)

Spirit Award: Career

SCC/OrthoNOW Cheerleader of the Year:
Michelle Kauffman, Daniel Hand

SCC/OrthoNOW Coach of the Year:
Megan Morrissey, Branford

All-Conference

Brianna Diorio (Lyman Hall), Lisa Gail-Balls (Lyman Hall), Nikki Pizzi (Lyman Hall) Taylor Ardito (Daniel Hand), Tiffany Kaufmann (Daniel Hand), Madison McNeilly (Daniel Hand), Jessica D' Andrea (Cheshire), Brianna Mariano (Cheshire), Lovely Jannetty (Cheshire), Carla Anania (East Haven), Angelina DeMarco (East Haven), Ashley Mauro (Shelton), Nikole Rudenko (Shelton), Alexis Pavone (Shelton), Devynn Shook (Sheehan), Stephanie Corniello (North Haven), Jordyn Sheely (North Haven), Oriana Orsini (West Haven), Leatrice Alston (West Haven), Samantha Kennedy (Sacred Heart Academy)

SPRING

BASEBALL

STATE CHAMPIONS

Class LL: Amity defeated Southington, 8-2

Class L: Notre Dame defeated Masuk, 9-2

STATE RUNNER-UPS

None

STATE SEMIFINALISTS

Class L: Jonathan Law lost to Masuk

Divisional Champions

Hammonasset: Jonathan Law (6-0)



Housatonic: Amity Regional, Cheshire (6-2)

Oronoque: East Haven (7-1)

Quinnipiac: Fairfield Prep, Notre Dame (6-2)

SCC Playoffs

Quarterfinals – May 27 @ Higher Seeds - 3:45 p.m.

#1 Fairfield Prep 6, #8 East Haven 2

#4 Xavier 11, #5 Cheshire 6

#7 Amity Regional 1, #2 Notre Dame 0

#3 Jonathan Law 10, #6 Career 9 (10 innings)

Semifinals – May 29 @ Yale Field

Xavier 3, Fairfield Prep 2 (12 innings)

Amity Regional 6, Jonathan Law 1

Championship Game – May 31 @ Yale Field

Xavier 7, Amity Regional 1 - *First SCC title since 1998 for the Falcons*

SCC/OrthoNOW Player of the Year:

Kevin Johnson, Jonathan Law

SCC/OrthoNOW Coach of the Year:

Greg Simler, Jonathan Law

All Hammonasset

Dillon Rocha (Jonathan Law), Jake Rouse (Jonathan Law), Jim Palmer (Jonathan Law), Ray Miklos (Daniel Hand), Jack Pancak (Daniel Hand), Scott Braren (Daniel Hand), Mike Afeltra (Guilford), Dan Gardner (Daniel Hand), Kevin Johnson (Jonathan Law), Rich Dow (Jonathan Law), Sam Olsson (Foran)

All-Housatonic

Wes Robertson (Cheshire), Sal Gozzo (Sheehan), Jake Russo (Amity Regional), Ben Miller (Lyman Hall), Cooper Mrowka (Cheshire), Dan Schock (Cheshire), Brandon Gauthier (Sheehan), Sebastian DeMauro (Amity Regional), Ethan Lonardelli (Cheshire), Turner French (Sheehan), Anthony Capozziello (Amity Regional)

All-Oronoque

Mike Caruso (Career), Nick Lamberti (East Haven), Josh Colon (Career), Tyler Criscuolo (Branford), Isiah Rodriguez (Branford), Josh Lopez (North Haven), Steve Cochrane (East Haven), Will Jackson (Career), Jose Negron (Career), Jeff Cunningham (North Haven), Kevin Rivas (Wilbur Cross)

All-Quinnipiac

Rick Balzano (West Haven), Shawn Blake (Fairfield Prep), Matt Moskal (Hamden), Alex Parkos (Xavier), Nick Price (West Haven), Drew Arciuolo (Notre Dame), Nick Roy (Xavier), Matt Carter (West Haven), John Amendola (Notre Dame), Kevin Stone (Fairfield Prep), Simon Whiteman (Fairfield Prep)



BOYS LACROSSE

STATE CHAMPIONS

None

2013-14 Sport-by-Sport Recap

STATE RUNNER-UPS

None

STATE SEMIFINALISTS

Class L: Amity Regional lost to Staples, 8-6

Class M: Daniel Hand lost to Darien, 18-3

Regular-Season champion: Fairfield Prep (9-0)

SCC Playoffs

Semifinals – May 28 @ Surf Club - Madison

#1 Fairfield Prep 11, #4 Amity Regional 5

#2 Guilford 4, #3 North Haven 3

Championship Game – May 29 @ West Haven HS

Fairfield Prep 8, Guilford 5 – *4th straight title for Jesuits*



SCC/OrthoNOW Player of the Year:

Austin Sims, Fairfield Prep

SCC/OrthoNOW Coach of the Year:

Eric Bailey, North Haven

All-Conference First Team

Attack: Colin Uyeki (North Haven), Cole Pecora (North Haven), John Edmonds (Fairfield Prep), Burke Smith (Fairfield Prep), Wesley Reid (Xavier)

Midfield: Austin Sims (Fairfield Prep), Joe Choiniere (Amity Regional), Cam Harris (Fairfield Prep), Matt Blois (Cheshire), Patrick Lambert (Fairfield Prep), Ethan Suraci (North Haven)

Defense: Anthony Johnson (Fairfield Prep), John Burkinshaw (Xavier), David Knapp (Guilford), Max Trudeau (Fairfield Prep), Logan Ryan (Fairfield Prep)

Goalie: Jack O'Connor (Fairfield Prep)

LS Defensive Midfielder: Greg Onofrio (Xavier)

SS Defensive Midfielder: Ted Long (Fairfield Prep)

All-Conference Second Team

Attack: Will Dacey (Guilford), Jake Milner (Amity Regional), Bryan McManus (Daniel Hand), Colin O'Donnell (Xavier), Josh Kreidler (Shelton)

Midfield: Frank Ranfone (Guilford), Tyler Burns (Amity Regional), Reid Sweitzer (Daniel Hand), Zach White (Foran), Rob LoRizzo (Guilford), Mike Cinicolo (Daniel Hand)

Defense: Nick Wright (Amity Regional), Jordan Fredericks (North Haven), Tyler Bailey (Cheshire), Andrew Jones (Foran), Connor Paleski (Branford)

Goalie: Jared Lawson (Cheshire)

LS Defensive Midfielder: Nick Franchuk (Fairfield Prep)

SS Defensive Midfielder: Jack Cunningham (Cheshire)

GIRLS LACROSSE

STATE CHAMPIONS

None

STATE RUNNER-UPS

None

STATE SEMIFINALISTS

Class L: Cheshire lost to Darien, 12-6

Regular-Season champion: Cheshire, Daniel Hand (6-1)

SCC Playoffs

Semifinals – May 27 @ Cheshire HS

#1 Cheshire 18, #4 Amity 8

#2 Daniel Hand 15, #3 Guilford 13 (May 28 @ Daniel Hand)

Championship Game – May 29 @ West Haven HS

Cheshire 13, Daniel Hand 7 – *4th straight title for the Rams*



SCC/OrthoNOW Player of the Year:

Lauren Cole, Daniel Hand

SCC/OrthoNOW Coach of the Year:

Jenna DeRosa, Amity Regional

All-Conference First Team

Lauren Cole (Daniel Hand), Marnie Jacobs (Guilford), Sarah Turner (Amity Regional), Erin Mammele (Daniel Hand), Maddy Levy (Cheshire), Edy Moritz (Guilford), April Simmons (Branford), Maggie Sullivan (North Haven), Brooke Barry (Daniel Hand), Grace Ireland (Guilford), Michelle Federico (Cheshire), Emilee Wargo (Daniel Hand), Natalie Grimm (Branford)

All-Conference Second Team

Sam Cozzolino (Hamden), Emma Bonassar (Mercy), Allyson Hemstock (West Haven), Olivia Larson (Cheshire), Brenna Hobin (Daniel Hand), Cara Kennedy (Hamden), Emma Jewett (Guilford), Kira Saunders (Amity Regional), Lily Fontes (Hamden), Katrina Niedziela (Guilford), Kelly Niziolek (Daniel Hand), Alexa Carbone (Cheshire), Jessie Severino (Branford)

GOLF

STATE CHAMPIONS

Division II: Notre Dame

STATE RUNNER-UPS

None

TOP STATE FINISHES

Division I: Fairfield Prep (T-6th)

Division II: Daniel Hand (T-6th)



Divisional Champions

Division I: Xavier

Division II: East Haven

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SCC Championship – May 27 @Racebrook Country Club – Orange (par 71)

Final Team Results: 1. Daniel Hand, 310; 2. Amity Regional, 316; 3. Fairfield Prep, 322; 4. Notre Dame, 323; 5. Xavier, 326; 6. Cheshire, 329; 7. Shelton, 355; 8. East Haven, 366; 9. Branford, 377

Medalist: Rasmey Kong (North Haven), -1 (70)

SCC/OrthoNOW Division I Golfer of the Year:
Brian Carlson, Daniel Hand

SCC/OrthoNOW Division II Golfer of the Year:
Patrick Hennessey, East Haven

SCC/OrthoNOW Division I Coach of the Year:
Michael Kohs, Xavier

SCC/OrthoNOW Division II Coach of the Year:
David Augustine, East Haven

All-Conference

-1 (70) – Rasmey Kong (North Haven)
+4 (74) – Andrew Sciarretta (Fairfield Prep)
+5 (75) – Brian Carlson (Daniel Hand), Tommy Pellet (Daniel Hand)
+6 (76) – Brent Marieb (Amity Regional)
+7 (77) – Billy Emery (Amity Regional), Justin Freund (Daniel Hand), James Nemias (Fairfield Prep), Zach Iannone (Notre Dame), Willy Stone (Sheehan)

BOYS VOLLEYBALL

STATE CHAMPIONS

None

STATE RUNNER-UPS

None

STATE SEMIFINALISTS

None

Regular-Season champion: Cheshire (8-0)

SCC Playoffs

Semifinals – May 27 @Higher Seeds

#1 Cheshire 3, #4 Amity Regional 0 (25-11, 25-17, 25-19)
#2 Xavier 3, #3 Shelton 2 (22-25, 25-21, 29-27, 20-25, 16-14)

Championship Game – May 29 @Higher Seed

Cheshire 3, Xavier 0 (25-16, 25-17, 25-21) – *4th straight title for Rams*

SCC/OrthoNow Player of the Year:

Kevin Berger, Xavier



SCC/OrthoNow Coach of the Year:

Sue Bavone, Cheshire

All-Conference First Team

Tyler Barwise (Amity Regional), Ted Li (Cheshire), Anthony Carbone (Cheshire), Colin Haensel (Cheshire), Eric Kocur (Shelton), Andre Zumerchik (Xavier), Kevin Berger (Xavier)

All-Conference Second Team

Nick Bottone (Amity Regional), Patrick Lindner (Cheshire), Trenton Hager (Cheshire), Wes Kimmel (Daniel Hand), Grant Fevrier (Shelton), John Hunter (Shelton), John Babon (Xavier)

SOFTBALL

STATE CHAMPIONS

None

STATE RUNNER-UPS

Class LL: Amity Regional lost to Southington, 1-0, in 15 inn.

Class L: Sacred Heart Academy lost to Fitch, 3-1

Class M: East Haven lost to Seymour, 2-0

STATE SEMIFINALISTS

Class LL: Daniel Hand lost to Southington, 8-0

Divisional Champions

Hammonasset: Jonathan Law (7-1)

Housatonic: Amity Regional, Cheshire (6-2)

Oronoque: East Haven (7-1)

Quinnipiac: Mercy (6-0)

SCC Playoffs

Quarterfinals – May 28 @Higher Seeds

#1 Daniel Hand 3, #8 Foran 0

#7 Jonathan Law 5, #2 Sheehan 1

#3 Amity Regional 4, #6 Cheshire 3

#4 Mercy 3, #5 East Haven 2 (9 inn.)

Semifinals – May 29 @Biondi Field – West Haven HS

#3 Amity Regional 1, #7 Jonathan Law 0

#4 Mercy 8, #1 Daniel Hand 1 (May 30)

Championship Game – May 31 @Biondi Field – West Haven HS

Mercy 4, Amity Regional 0 – *Second straight title for the Tigers*



SCC/OrthoNOW Player of the Year:

Fallon Bevino, Foran

SCC/OrthoNOW Coach of the Year:

Ray Ramelli, Sacred Heart Academy

All Quinnipiac

Astin Donovan (Mercy), Stephanie Mangiameli (Mercy), Madison DeRita (Mercy), Brianna Sawicki (Mercy), Molly Flowers (Sacred Heart Academy), Becca Marks (Sacred Heart Academy), Leah Rowe (Hamden), Kelly O'Connor (Hamden), Sierra Santana (West Haven), Keil Watts (West Haven), Amber Bonewicz (West Haven)

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All-Oronoque

Talia Loda (East Haven), Jenna Gaudio (East Haven), Alyssa Apuzzo (East Haven), Allison Luzzi (East Haven), Amanda Kenny (North Haven), Rachel Giatrelis (North Haven), Mia Martinez (North Haven), Tara Dearing (Branford), Cassidy Murphy (Branford), Nicole Carrano (Branford), Alex Fargeorge (Wilbur Cross)

All-Housatonic

Jenna DiLorenzo (Amity Regional), Katie Koshes (Amity Regional), Teresa Marchitto (Amity Regional), Heather Watt (Amity Regional), MacKenzie Juodaitis (Cheshire), Olivia Odermatt (Cheshire), Casey Harding (Cheshire), Sara Pisanelli (Sheehan), Missy Pereira (Sheehan), Kendall Hansen (Shelton), Morgan Shura (Lyman Hall)

All Hammonasset

Stephanie Cameron (Jonathan Law), Amanda Leone (Jonathan Law), Jenna Bernard (Jonathan Law), Danielle Gray (Jonathan Law), Mel Rennie (Daniel Hand), Katie Omdahl (Daniel Hand), Maddie Yaggi (Daniel Hand), Fallon Bevino (Foran), Dani Kemp (Foran), Ana Gomez (Hillhouse), Olivia Boudreau (Guilford)

BOYS OUTDOOR TRACK & FIELD

STATE CHAMPIONS

Class M: Sheehan

STATE RUNNER-UPS

Class MM: Hillhouse

TOP STATE FINISHES

Class LL: Amity (4th), Hamden (5th)

East Sectional – May 19 @Amity Regional HS

Boys Final Team Results: 1. Amity, 172; 2. Shelton, 107; 3. Hillhouse, 106; 4. Cheshire, 85; 5. Sheehan, 69; 6. Daniel Hand, 66.5; 7. Guilford, 33; 8. Foran, 29; 9. Jonathan Law, 23.5; 10. Lyman Hall, 10

West Sectional – May 20@Amity Regional HS

Boys Final Team Results: 1. Hamden, 141; 2. Branford, 130; 3. Xavier, 125.5; 4. North Haven, 60; 5. Wilbur Cross, 58; 6. Fairfield Prep, 57; 7. Notre Dame, 52; 8. West Haven, 30; 9. East Haven, 21.5; 10. Career, 3

SCC Championships – May 27 @Sheehan HS

Final Team Results: 1. Amity Regional, 106; 2. Shelton, 82; 3. Hamden, 76; 4. Sheehan, 61; 5. Hillhouse, 58; 6. Cheshire, 48; 7. Xavier, 46; 8. Daniel Hand, 42.5; 9. Branford, 37; 10. Fairfield Prep, 30; 11. North Haven, 22; 11. Notre Dame, 22; 13. Foran, 20; 14. Wilbur Cross, 14; 15. Jonathan Law, 12.5; 16. West Haven, 12; 17. Guilford, 9; 18. Lyman Hall, 4

SCC/OrthoNOW Athlete of the Year:

Christian Alvarado, Fairfield Prep

SCC/OrthoNOW Athlete of the Year:

Thom Jacobs, Amity Regional

All-Conference First Team

Tom Kane (Shelton), 100 meters
Tyreise Swain (Hillhouse), 200 meters
Ben Feola (Amity Regional), 400 meters
Griffin Cobb (Sheehan), 800 meters
Christian Alvarado (Fairfield Prep), 1600 and 3200 meters
Aaron Rattley (Amity Regional), 110 meter hurdles
Wesley Kocurek (Shelton), 300 meter hurdles
Hillhouse (Akiel Smith, Tyreise Swain, Darius Wise, Corey Maddox), 4 x 100 meter relay
Sheehan (Griffin Cobb, Carl Verch, Matt Baum, Connor Hourign), 4 x 400 meter relay
Branford (Luke Arsenault, Nathan D'Amico, Ryan Connell, Alec Janis), 4 x 800 meter relay
Nik Griswold (Foran), High Jump
Ian Bergere (Daniel Hand), Pole Vault
Conor Williams (Notre Dame), Long Jump
Joe Cantone (Sheehan), Triple Jump
Akeemo Dixon (Hamden), Shot Put
Peter Cotto (Shelton), Discus
Matthew Post (Amity Regional), Javelin

All-Conference Second Team

Xavier Ward (Hamden), 100 meters
Tyler Post (Cheshire), 200 meters
Tyreise Swain (Hillhouse), 400 meters
Mark Fusco (Cheshire), 800 meters
Christopher MacKay (Amity Regional), 1600 meters
Zachary Williams (Xavier), 3200 meters
Mark Pigatt (Amity Regional), 110 meter hurdles
Matt Baum (Sheehan), 300 meter hurdles
Hamden (John Lomax, Evan Walker, Xavier Ward, Trevor Perry), 4 x 100 meter relay
Hillhouse (Corey Maddox, Darius Wise, Akiel Smith, Brendon Stewartson), 4 x 400 meter relay
Shelton (Liam Fama, Michael Lynders, Seth Shuster, Dylan Smith), 4 x 800 meter relay
Wadson Petithomme (Shelton), High Jump
Rich Sangster (Daniel Hand), Pole Vault
Brendon Sebastian (West Haven), Long Jump
Bryant Backus (Hamden), Triple Jump
Chibueze Njoku (Cheshire), Shot Put and Discus
Vincent D'Amore (Fairfield Prep), Javelin

GIRLS OUTDOOR TRACK & FIELD

STATE CHAMPIONS

None

STATE RUNNER-UPS

Class MM: Wilbur Cross



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TOP STATE FINISHES

Open: Wilbur Cross (3rd), Amity Regional (6th)

Class LL: Shelton (6th)

Class L: North Haven (4th), Daniel Hand (5th)

Class MM: Hillhouse (3rd)

Class M: Career (3rd)



East Sectional – May 19 @Amity Regional HS

Final Team Results: 1. Amity, 112.85; 2. Shelton, 103.85; 3. Daniel Hand, 103; 4. Cheshire, 90.85; 5. Guilford, 78; 6. Hillhouse, 77; 7. Sheehan, 75.71; 8. Jonathan Law, 34; 9. Lyman Hall, 24.71; 10. Foran, 1

West Sectional – May 20 @Amity Regional HS

Final Team Results: 1. Wilbur Cross, 103.5; 2. Hamden, 98.5; 3. Mercy, 92; 4. Career, 90; 5. North Haven, 89.5; 6. Branford, 84.5; 7. Sacred Heart Academy, 71; 8. East Haven, 57; 9. West Haven, 14

SCC Championships – May 27 @Sheehan HS

Girls Final Team Results: 1. Amity Regional, 71; 2. Wilbur Cross, 69; 3. Shelton, 65; 4. Hillhouse, 53; 5. Branford, 52; 6. Career, 45; 7. Mercy, 44.5; 8. Daniel Hand, 44; 9. Sheehan, 42.5; 10. Sacred Heart Academy, 38.5; 11. Hamden, 33; 12. Cheshire, 32; 13. East Haven, 31; 14. North Haven, 25.5; 15. Guilford, 17; 15. Lyman Hall, 17; 17. Jonathan Law, 14; 18. West Haven, 8

SCC/OrthoNOW Player of the Year:

Danae Rivers, Wilbur Cross

SCC/OrthoNOW Coach of the Year:

Nally Sahin, Wilbur Cross

All-Conference First Team

Chaslynn Saucier (Wilbur Cross), 100 meters
Zoie Reed (Amity Regional), 200 meters and Long Jump
Tonija Young-Spencer (Hillhouse), 400 meters
Danae Rivers (Wilbur Cross), 800 and 1600 meters
Kaleigh Roberts (Mercy), 3200 meters
Anna Atkinson (Branford), 100 meter hurdles
Jalayah White (Hillhouse), 300 meter hurdles
Daniel Hand (Justine Griffith, Hailey Raudat, Molly Citrin, Samantha Schaefer), 4 x 100 meter relay
Wilbur Cross (Leah Rivers, Gabby Curtis, Shea Connors, Denae Rivers), 4 x 400 meter relay
Mercy (Bridgid Selfors, Mackenzie Pias, Hannah Albert, Kaleigh Roberts), 4 x 800 meter relay
Becki Golia (Sacred Heart Academy), High Jump
Selina Sampieri (Cheshire), Pole Vault
Jalayah White (Hillhouse), Triple Jump
Destiney Coward (East Haven), Shot Put
Michaela Mendygral (Sheehan), Discus
Victoria Begley (Shelton), Javelin

All-Conference Second Team

Zoie Reed (Amity), 100 meters
Alethia Moore (Hillhouse), 200 meters

Brooke Krohley (Amity Regional), 400 meters
Kathryn Phillips (Daniel Hand), 800 meters
Liz Fengler (Sheehan), 1600 and 3200 meters
Milani Glass (Career), 100 meter hurdles
Samantha-Jo Hartmeyer (Shelton), 300 meter hurdles
Hillhouse (Alethia Moore, Diana Skinner, Tonija Young-Spencer, Jalayah White), 4 x 100 meter relay
Amity Regional (Brooke Krohley, Christine Hill, Shayln Sullivan, Allisa Beedle), 4 x 400 meter relay
Amity Regional (Dakota Kelly, Emma Tucker, Melissa Taggart, Lisa Gorham), 4 x 800 meter relay
Victoria Wall (Lyman Hall), High Jump
Laurel Bailey (Shelton), Pole Vault
Milani Grace (Career), Long Jump
Vanessa Brown (West Haven), Triple Jump
Michaela Mendygral (Sheehan), Shot Put
Destiney Coward (East Haven), Discus
Lauren Oakes (Shelton), Javelin

GIRLS TENNIS

STATE CHAMPIONS

None

STATE RUNNER-UPS

None

STATE SEMIFINALISTS

Class L: Amity Regional lost to Fairfield Ludlowe, 4-3

Class M: Sheehan lost to Weston, 7-0

Regular-season Champions

Division I: Amity Regional (7-0)

Division II: Cheshire (7-0)

SCC/OrthoNOW Division I Player of the Year:

Emily Migliorini, North Haven

SCC/OrthoNOW Division I Coach of the Year:

Harold Freedman, Amity Regional

SCC/OrthoNOW Division II Player of the Year:

Vidhya Maran, Hamden

SCC/OrthoNOW Division II Coach of the Year:

Chris Kulenych, Jonathan Law

SCC Division I Playoffs

Quarterfinals – May 27 @Higher Seeds

#3 Guilford 6, #6 Sheehan 1

#4 North Haven 4, #5 Shelton 3

Semifinals – May 29 @Yale University

#2 Daniel Hand 4, #3 Guilford 3

#1 Amity Regional 5, #4 North Haven 2



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Championship Match – May 30 @Yale University

Daniel Hand 4, Amity Regional 3 – *Third straight title for the Tigers*

SCC Division II Playoffs

Quarterfinals – May 27 @Higher Seeds

#6 Sacred Heart Academy 6, #3 Hamden 1

#5 Career 5, #4 Jonathan Law 2

Semifinals – May 29 @Yale University

#2 Branford 5, #6 Sacred Heart Academy 2

#1 Cheshire 4, #5 Career 3

Championship Match – May 30 @Yale University

Cheshire 5, Branford 2 – *Second straight title for the Rams*

All-Conference – Division I

Singles: Emily Migliorini (North Haven), Daphne Kreiger (Amity Regional), Kristen Forscher (Guilford), Claire Foster (Amity Regional), Anna Babbini (Guilford), Rigel Mahmood (Shelton)

Doubles: Gabby Diotalevi/Megan Sosensky (Daniel Hand), Jamie Thimineur/Rachel Einbinder (Amity Regional), Anna Levinson/Naagma Timakodu (Foran)

All-Conference – Division II

Singles: Vidhya Maran (Hamden), Nadja Pejovic (Cheshire), Lianne Maynard (Jonathan Law), Tyla Goodbridge (Career), Julia Watsky (Branford), Katie Esposito (Hamden)

Doubles: Jocelyn Giordano/Maria Quagliano (Branford); Christy Freitag/Katie Freitag (Cheshire), Krista Peterson/Emma Sears (Lyman Hall)

BOYS TENNIS

STATE CHAMPIONS

Class L: Daniel Hand

Class M: Guilford

STATE RUNNER-UPS

None

TOP STATE FINISHES

Class LL: Amity (3rd)

Regular-season Champions

Division I: Daniel Hand (8-0)

Division II: Xavier, Notre Dame (8-1)

SCC Division I Playoffs

Quarterfinals – May 27 @Higher Seeds

#3 Fairfield Prep 7, #6 Branford 0

#4 Guilford 7, #5 Cheshire 0

Semifinals – May 29 @Yale University

#1 Daniel Hand 6, #4 Guilford 1

#2 Amity Regional 6, #3 Fairfield Prep 1

Championship Match – May 30 @Yale University

Daniel Hand 4, Amity Regional 3 – *Second straight title for the Tigers*

SCC Division II Playoffs

Quarterfinals – May 27 @Higher Seeds

#3 West Haven 5, #6 Lyman Hall 2

#4 Hamden 5, #5 North Haven 2

Semifinals – May 29 @Yale University

#2 Notre Dame 5, #3 West Haven 2

#1 Xavier 5, #4 Hamden 2

Championship Match – May 30 @Yale University

Xavier 4, Notre Dame 3 – *Second straight title for the Falcons*

SCC/OrthoNOW Division I Player of the Year:

Jason Seidman, Amity Regional

SCC/OrthoNOW Division I Coach of the Year:

Chris Raffone, Amity Regional

SCC/OrthoNOW Division II Player of the Year:

Richard Ciamarra, Xavier

SCC/OrthoNOW Division II Coach of the Year:

Skip South, Notre Dame

All-Conference – Division I

Singles: Jason Seidman (Amity Regional), Alex Rieger (Daniel Hand), Bradley Orban (Foran), Scott Rubinstein (Daniel Hand), Jeremy Reichtahl (Cheshire), Carl Thurston (Sheehan)

Doubles: Luke Lemieux/Evan Powell (Guilford), David Schulz (Daniel Hand), Nick Sabatelli (Amity Regional), Gabe Betancur (Amity Regional), Matt McKinney (Fairfield Prep)

All-Conference – Division II

Singles: Rich Ciamarra (Xavier), Roy Smith (Notre Dame), Brandon Howard (Hamden), John Delgado (West Haven), Mike DeFelice (Notre Dame), Bobby Phong (Jonathan Law)

Doubles: Gabe Sparks/Pat Francis (Notre Dame), Mike Iovanne/Evan Manemeit (North Haven), Dillon Amble/Rob Borea (Xavier)



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