



2017-18

YEAR IN REVIEW

SOUTHERN CONNECTICUT CONFERENCE

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24TH YEAR

Established in 1994, the Southern Connecticut Conference completed its 24th year in 2017-18. One of the most competitive high school leagues in the state of Connecticut, the athletic success of SCC member schools was once again outstanding in 2017-18 with 19 state championships won; and another 21 teams earned state runner-up status. Since the league's formation in 1994-95, SCC teams have won 445 state championships – an average of 18 per academic year. More importantly, the league has 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.

2017-18 EXECUTIVE BOARD

PRESIDENT: Vincent DeNuzzo, Principal – East Haven HS
 VICE-PRESIDENT: Anna Mahon, Principal – Amity Regional HS
 SECRETARY: Craig Semple, Athletic Director – Daniel Hand HS
 TREASURER: Steve Trifone, Athletic Director – Cheshire HS
 ATHLETIC DIRECTOR CHAIRPERSON: John Niski, Athletic Director, Shelton HS
 COMMISSIONER: Al Carbone
 COMMISSIONER EMERITUS: Bill O'Brien

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 2017-18 academic year, including the Connecticut Orthopaedic Specialists, Holiday Hill/Holiday Hill Day Camp, Great Blue Research, Town Fair Tire, GMA Sales, the Lions Club of New Haven, Pawson Group and The Next Street. Thanks also to the various event sponsors during the year, including Walter Camp Football Foundation (football banquet) and Gene Casey New Haven chapter of the National Football Foundation (football banquet), the New Haven Lions Club (baseball playoffs), and Blanchette Sporting Goods (scholar athlete recognition program).



2017-18 YEAR-IN-REVIEW

CAPTAINS COUNCIL

More than 1,200 sport captains attended the three SCC Captains Council events (fall, winter and spring) held during the year at New Haven's Floyd Little Athletic Center. The meetings brought together the captains of each sport 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. In addition, guest speakers presented on topics of social media and leadership/communication skills.

STATE CHAMPIONSHIP CONFERENCE

It was another successful year as SCC member-schools fared extremely well in league and statewide athletic competition. All told, SCC teams captured 19 state championships (6 fall, 7 winter, 6 spring) during the 2017-18 academic year. Twenty-one additional teams (6 fall, 12 winter, 3 spring) earned runner-up status in CIAC state competition.

MORE STATE CHAMPIONSHIP FACTS

Twelve different SCC schools won state titles in 2017-18 with Daniel Hand and Hillhouse winning the most with four each. Since the league's inception in 1994, SCC schools have won 444 state championships. In those 24 years, Hillhouse has won the most state championships (67) followed by Cheshire (61), Daniel Hand (45), Amity Regional (40) and Fairfield Prep (34).

SEASON-BY-SEASON STATE PLAYOFF RECAP

In 2017-2018, more than two-thirds of eligible SCC teams (173-of-245, 70.6%) qualified for CIAC state tournament competition in sports requiring a qualification (wins or winning percentage).

FALL (48-OF-70), 69%

Sixty-nine percent of SCC teams qualified for the state tournaments in the following fall sports: field hockey (9-of-13), girls soccer (13-of-18), boys soccer (13-of-19) and girls volleyball (13-of-20). In addition, a league-record six football teams (out of 22) earned state playoff berths.

WINTER (60-OF-80), 75%

Seventy-five percent of SCC teams qualified for the state tournaments in the following winter sports: boys ice hockey (20-of-25), boys basketball (15-of-20), girls basketball (16-of-20) and girls ice hockey (9-of-15).

SPRING (65-OF-95), 69%

Sixty-nine percent of SCC teams qualified for CIAC spring team sport playoff competition in baseball (14-of-19), softball (15-of-20), boys lacrosse (13-of-17), girls lacrosse (10-of-16), boys volleyball (4-of-5) and girls tennis (9-of-18).

SCC vs. SCC – FOR ALL THE MARBLES

During 2017-18, there were two All-SCC state championship contests. On March 17, East Haven used a last-second basket to defeat Career, 49-47, in the Class M girls basketball championship game at Mohegan Sun. On June 9, Branford avenged a regular-season loss to Daniel Hand, defeating the Tigers, 11-8, in the Class M girls lacrosse final at Jonathan Law High School. Since 1994, there have been 30 All-SCC state championship game matchups in 12 different sports, including 19 in the last nine years.

SCHLOTTMAN/TAYLOR NAMED ATHLETES OF THE YEAR

East Haven senior Kylie Schlottman and Wilbur Cross senior Kwane Taylor were named the New Haven Register's 2017-18 Athletes of the Year. Kylie (a volleyball and basketball standout) and Kwane (a football and basketball standout) were outstanding for their schools. Kylie and Kwane are the 31st and 32nd student athletes – since 1996-97 – from the SCC to earn this prestigious honor.



Kwane Taylor (Wilbur Cross) and Kylie Schlottman (East Haven) were named the New Haven Register's 2017-18 Athletes of the Year (photo courtesy of www.Game-

SCC ARTS EXHIBITION

The SCC held its annual Arts Exhibition at the Creative Arts Workshop in downtown New Haven. Each SCC school had the opportunity to submit up to three pieces of work.

A jury of art professionals judged the student pieces, and awards were announced at a reception on April 30. CAW staff judged the pieces and awarded seven students. *Many thanks to the staff at Creative Arts Workshop for allowing the SCC to host its annual arts exhibition in its gallery.*

2018 ART EXHIBITION WINNERS

1st prize: Jackson Martin, Xavier HS (watercolor)

2nd prize: Isabelle Greene, Guilford HS (saggar fire ceramic)

3rd prize: Ryan Zhao, Joseph A. Foran (digital photograph)

Honorable Mention:

Lucia Mikan, Joseph A. Foran

Devin Perkins, Notre Dame

Amelia Rozear, Sacred Heart Academy



1st prize: Jackson Martin, Xavier HS (photo by Bill O'Brien)

FORTY-SIX HONORED AS SCC SCHOLAR LEADERS

Forty-six outstanding students were recognized as "SCC Scholar Leaders" at a banquet on March 26 at Anthony's Ocean View. Two students from each SCC member school, as chosen by their school's administration, were honored for their outstanding work in the classroom and community.

2017-18 SCHOLAR LEADERS

Amity Regional – Samantha Fleischman, Colin Roy

Branford – Liam Deane, Caroline Erickson

Hill Regional Career – Te'a Gray, Charles Sakouvogui

Cheshire – Elizabeth Lurz, Isaac Moskowitz

Daniel Hand – Maxwell Liu, Josephine Anderson

East Haven – Kylie Schlottman, Joseph Castellano

Fairfield Prep – Alexander McMullen, Sean Lynch

Joseph A. Foran – Julia Kopstein, Ethan Skuches

Guilford – Shayla Goldberg, Brendan O'Callahan

Hamden – Lily Sendroff, Christopher Mills

Hillhouse – Manasseh Bekele, Kayla Beamon

Jonathan Law – Ore Opayemi, Carl Maxwell

Lauralton Hall – Caroline Favano, Sabrina Yeung

Lyman Hall – Brian Oliveira, Katelyn Miller

Mercy – Lila Fraser, Grace O'Brien

North Haven – Mehak Sharma, Francesco Spirlì

Notre Dame – Eric Harkins, Frank Paine

Sacred Heart Academy – Claire Donelan, Avishan Montazer

Mark T. Sheehan – Nora Akila, Hannah Whitney

Shelton – Jack Marciano, Saumya Shah

West Haven – Megan Patterson, Jeremy Tamaro

Wilbur Cross – Maya Geradi, Sara Thakur

Xavier – Benjamin Clemmey, Matthew Lyons



O'Brien Scholarship: Lily Sendroff (Hamden) and Manasseh Bekele (Hillhouse) each received \$500 scholarship in honor of Bill O'Brien, the former SCC commissioner and community leader.

Bill O'Brien Community Service Scholarship Winners:

Congratulations to Lily Sendroff (Hamden) and Manasseh Bekele (Hillhouse), who each received \$500 scholarship in honor of Bill O'Brien, the former SCC commissioner and community leader. Manassah's personal leadership growth became evident when he was a key member of an organization called Co - Creating Effective and Inclusive Organizations. Lily's leadership with a group called FRESH WATER FOCUS let to a development effort that raised more than \$6,000 to purchase water filters for two villages in India.

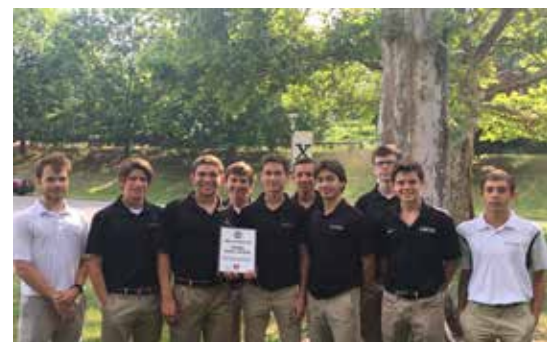
SCC's BEST OF.... 2017-18

Town Fair Tire was the presenting sponsor of the SCC's "BEST OF... FOR 2017-18," an online poll to determine the best moment or performance in the Southern Connecticut Conference during the academic year. More than 1,700 votes were cast.



THE WINNER: X-MEN

Xavier boys cross country wins the SCC, State Open and New England titles, and becomes the first Connecticut and New England squad to win the Nike/Northeast Regional championship.



MORE TOP SCC MOMENTS FROM 2017-18...

WELCOME TO THE CLUB: Daniel Hand wins its first-ever SCC boys volleyball title with a 3-1 victory over Cheshire.

Falcons Fly: The Xavier boys cross country squad had a banner year in the fall of 2017 (SCC photo)

PREP LAX: Fairfield Prep wins its seventh SCC boys lacrosse title in the last eight seasons, defeating Cheshire, 12-10.

ONE STROKE: Amity Regional captures the SCC girls golf title by one stroke over runner-up Mercy.

GOT RINGS?: Hillhouse boys (Class MM) and girls outdoor track (Class M) each capture state titles.

TIGERS HOLDING COURT: For the third time since 2013, Daniel Hand boys and girls tennis teams each capture SCC titles.

ROCK, PAPER, SCISSORS: After its SCC quarterfinal game as postponed by rain, the Amity Regional-North Haven baseball teams engage in a fun game of "rock-paper-scissors," which garners substantial local and national media attention.

STATE TITLE: East Haven girls basketball wins its first-ever state title, defeating SCC-rival Career, 49-47, on a last-second putback by Isabella Ragaini.

MERCY, MERCY, MERCY: Mercy wins the SCC girls basketball title, and then proceeds to capture the Class LL state title (49-37 over Hall) and the final number-one ranking in the state of Connecticut.

GREEN DRAGONS: Hamden captures its first-ever SCC Boys Basketball title, defeating Hillhouse, 67-49.

WORKING TOGETHER: The co-op of West Haven/Sacred Heart wins the SCC Girls Ice Hockey South Division title.

PREP SKATERS #1: Fairfield Prep defeats Greenwich, 4-2, to capture the Division I state boys ice hockey championship and earn the state's final top ranking.

SCC, SCC, SCC: Fairfield Prep (I), Guilford (II) and Sheehan (III) all win SCC/SWC postseason boys ice hockey titles.

TIGER MAT DOMINANCE: Daniel Hand gymnastics wins its 10th consecutive SCC title.

POOL SUCCESS: Fairfield Prep wins its 14th straight SCC boys swimming title.

GIVE ME A "G": Shelton cheerleading wins the SCC and Class LL titles.

LUTH: Foran wrestler Ryan Luth (152 lbs.) ends his high school wrestling career with a fifth-place finish at the Nationals. He was a four-time SCC champion, a three-time All-American and a two-time New England champion.

SCC's BEST OF.... 2017-18 - CONTINUED



HOUSE FAMILY: Hillhouse captures both the boys and girls SCC indoor track titles, and then both teams capture Class M state titles.

GRIDIRON TROPHIES: Daniel Hand captures the Class L state football title, defeating Masuk, 35-21.

TIGER BOOTERS: Daniel Hand boys soccer wins the SCC title, and two weeks later, defeats Masuk, 2-1, to capture its second straight Class L state title.

CRUSADERS: Lauralton Hall captures the Class M girls swimming state title, its third state championship in the last four years.

TIGERS FIELD HOCKEY: Daniel Hand field hockey follows up its SCC title with a 2-1 win over New Canaan in the Class M state title game.

RAMLAND: Cheshire girls swimming captures the SCC and Class L state titles.

CAREER EFFORT: Career's Dyshon Vaughn captured the long jump national championship with a jump of 24.5.5 Saturday's New Balance National Championships at The Armory in New York City.

DREW IS FAST: Fairfield Prep senior Drew Thompson wins the SCC, Class LL, State Open and New England cross country titles and then places eighth at the Foot Locker National Championships.

REPEAT RED: Branford defeats SCC-rival Daniel Hand, 11-8, in the Class M girls lacrosse final. It is the second straight state title for the Hornets.

RAM-TASTIC: Cheshire baseball captures the Class L state title, defeating Ridgefield, 1-0, It is the Rams' first state title since 1993.

GOING LOW: Xavier's Chris Fosdick wins medalist honors with a four-under 67 at the inaugural CIAC Boys Golf State Open.

SPARTAN REJOICE: Amity Regional softball defeats Trumbull, 13-7, to capture the Class LL title.

INDIANS WIN: North Haven softball wins its first-ever SCC title.



Easties Prevail: The East Haven girls basketball won its first-ever state title, defeating SCC-rival Career, 49-47, in the Class M championship game on a last-second putback by Isabella Ragaini (Steady Photography photo)



Drew Was Great: Fairfield Prep's Drew Thompson finished eighth at the 2017 Foot Locker National Cross Country Championships, the best-ever finish by a Connecticut runner in the history of the race. (photo courtesy of GameTimeCT.)

CONNECTICUT ORTHOPAEDIC SPECIALISTS

AWARDS COMEBACK PLAYERS OF THE YEAR

Two student athletes – Olivia Coyle (East Haven) and Mark Montano (North Haven) – are the recipients of the 2018 SCC “Comeback Player of the Year” awards. Both students suffered severe injuries, yet were able to overcome them to become outstanding role models in their respective schools.

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 student-athletes who participated in an interscholastic sport during the 2017-2018 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 for their high school teams. Both will receive a financial scholarship to be used for their college education.

“This is our eighth year in awarding student-athletes from the SCC with scholarships,” explained Glenn Elia, Chief Executive Officer of COS. “Our goal has been to acknowledge student-athletes who have overcome the challenges of an injury and, through hard work and determination, have become positive role models for their fellow teammates. Because sports medicine and rehabilitation is one of the many subspecialties that COS offers, we understand intimately what it takes to recover from an injury and return to playing sports at a high level.”



Call it a Comeback: SCC Commissioner Al Carbone, Mark Montana, Olivia Coyle, and Glenn Elia, CEO of Connecticut Orthopaedic Specialists (photo by Bill O'Brien)

2017-18 SCC/Connecticut Orthopaedic Specialists Comeback Players of the Year

OLIVIA COYLE – East Haven (basketball)

Olivia sustained a meniscus tear in her left knee during the last part of the 2016-17 season, one that saw her earn All-SCC honors for her efforts. Through her diligent rehabilitation, Olivia returned to the team for the 2017-18 season, yet was dealt another setback when she injured the same knee the first week of practice. She had surgery again, and went through another bout of rehab to return to the court. Olivia’s second comeback to the court was indeed admirable; but her positive attitude, persistence and leadership she exhibited were integral reasons the Yellowjackets ascended to their first appearance in the SCC title game, and earned the program’s first-ever state championship (Class M).

East Haven head girls basketball coach Anthony Russell said, “When Olivia was hurt, she knew there was light at the end of the tunnel. She was remained enthusiastic, which helped her and her teammates. The end result was spectacular for her and her teammates, and she deserves credit for her drive and determination.”

Olivia will attend Pace University in the fall with plans to major in finance.

MARK MONTANO, North Haven (football)

Mark tore his labrum in his right shoulder midway through his junior year, and continued to play despite his injury. He received surgery in the February 2017, and undertook the rehabilitation to return to the field in the fall. And return he did. Mark led the Indians in all offensive and defensive categories, propelling the team to the Class L state playoffs. He earned consensus All-State honors, and was the SCC Tier 1 Co-Player of the Year.

North Haven head football coach Anthony Sagnella said, “Mark was our guy. He was our captain, our leader and the hardest working player in our program. He is honorable, selfless and courageous. He exemplifies what every student athlete should hope to be.”

Mark will attend the University of Connecticut in the fall with plans to major in biology and then attend dentistry school.



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2017-18 SCC POSTSEASON CHAMPIONS

FALL

SPORT	CHAMPION	RUNNER-UP	RESULT
BOYS CROSS COUNTRY	Xavier	Amity Regional	Xavier (33), Amity Regional (84), Fairfield Prep (97)
GIRLS CROSS COUNTRY	Guilford	Cheshire	Guilford (40), Cheshire (76), Daniel Hand (114)
FIELD HOCKEY	Daniel Hand	Branford	0-0, Daniel Hand won via penalty strokes (4-2)
BOYS SOCCER	Daniel Hand	Fairfield Prep	4-2
GIRLS SOCCER	Daniel Hand	Jonathan Law	3-0
GIRLS VOLLEYBALL	Cheshire	Guilford	3-1 (23-25, 25-22, 25-18, 25-22)
GIRLS SWIMMING	Cheshire	Lauralton Hall	Cheshire (1630.5), Lauralton Hall (845.5), Amity Regional (789.5)

WINTER

SPORT	CHAMPION	RUNNER-UP	RESULT
BOYS INDOOR TRACK	Hamden	Lyman Hall	Hillhouse (75), Lyman Hall (57), Xavier (47)
GIRLS INDOOR TRACK	Hillhouse	Guilford	Hillhouse (97), Guilford (73), Shelton (50)
BOYS BASKETBALL	Hamden	Hillhouse	67-49
GIRLS BASKETBALL	Mercy	East Haven	64-40
WRESTLING	Xavier	Daniel Hand	Xavier (166.5), Daniel Hand (129.5), Foran (128.5)
GYMNASTICS	Daniel Hand	Mercy	Daniel Hand (133.4), Mercy (131.25), Foran (124.55)
DIV. I BOYS ICE HOCKEY	Fairfield Prep	Notre Dame-WH	5-0
DIV. II BOYS ICE HOCKEY	Guilford	Watertown-Pomperaug	3-2
DIV. III BOYS ICE HOCKEY	Sheehan	BBD co-op	8-3
NORTH GIRLS ICE HOCKEY	Suffield Co-op	Mercy/NW Catholic co-op	4-1
SOUTH GIRLS ICE HOCKEY	West Haven/SHA	Hamden	4-3
BOYS SWIMMING	Fairfield Prep	Daniel Hand	Fairfield Prep (1445), Daniel Hand (871), Amity Regional (778)
CHEERLEADING ALL-GIRL	Shelton	North Haven	Shelton (87.8), North Haven (86.6), Daniel Hand (82.2)

SPRING

SPORT	CHAMPION	RUNNER-UP	RESULT
BOYS GOLF	Xavier	Fairfield Prep	Xavier (304), Fairfield Prep (308), Hamden (311)
GIRLS GOLF	Amity Regional	Mercy	Amity Regional (383), Mercy (384), Cheshire (394)
BOYS VOLLEYBALL	Daniel Hand	Cheshire	3-1 (25-17, 25-21, 22-25, 25-18)
BASEBALL	Fairfield Prep	Daniel Hand	2-1
SOFTBALL	North Haven	Amity Regional	12-8
BOYS TENNIS	Daniel Hand	Amity Regional	7-0
GIRLS TENNIS	Daniel Hand	Amity Regional	5-2
BOYS OUTDOOR TRACK & FIELD	Shelton	Daniel Hand	Shelton (94), Daniel Hand (74), Hillhouse (66)
GIRLS OUTDOOR TRACK & FIELD	Hillhouse	Hamden	Hillhouse (103), Hamden (92), Shelton (78)
BOYS LACROSSE	Fairfield Prep	Cheshire	12-10
GIRLS LACROSSE	Daniel Hand	Cheshire	12-10

SCC POSTSEASON FACTS

31 Playoff Champions Crowned: In 2017-18, thirty-one SCC champions (16 girls, 15 boys) were crowned in 28 different sports.

14 Schools Earned a Championship Plaque: In 2017-18, fourteen different member schools won or shared a SCC playoff title. Fifteen different schools earned runner-up finishes in league playoff competition.

8 is Enough: Daniel Hand won a league-best eight SCC titles in 2018-18, including four titles in the spring season.

Girls Champion: Daniel Hand won the most girls playoff titles (5), winning field hockey, soccer, gymnastics, tennis and lacrosse.

Boys Champion: Fairfield Prep won the most boys playoff titles (4), winning ice hockey, swimming, baseball and lacrosse.



2017-18 SCC STATE CHAMPIONSHIPS

During the 2017-18 academic year, SCC teams won 19 state championships with another 21 teams finishing as runner-ups. Since the league's inception in 1994-95, SCC schools (both full and associate members) have won 445 state titles (135 fall, 168 in winter, and 142 in the spring).

STATE CHAMPIONS (19)

SPRING (6)

Amity Regional softball (Class LL) – defeated Trumbull, 13-7
Branford girls lacrosse (Class M) – defeated Daniel Hand, 11-8
Cheshire baseball (Class LL) – defeated Ridgefield, 1-0
Hillhouse boys outdoor track & field (Class MM)
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Daniel Hand boys tennis (Class M)

WINTER (7)

Hillhouse boys indoor track (Class M)
Hillhouse girls indoor track (Class M)
Foran wrestling (Class M)
Shelton cheerleading (Class LL)
Fairfield Prep boys ice hockey (Division I) – defeated Greenwich, 4-2
East Haven girls basketball (Class M) – defeated Career, 49-47
Mercy girls basketball (Class LL) – defeated Hall, 49-37

FALL (6)

Daniel Hand, Class L Boys Soccer - defeated Masuk, 2-1
Daniel Hand, Class L Football – defeated Masuk, 35-21
Daniel Hand, Class M Field Hockey - defeated New Canaan, 2-1
Lauralton Hall, Class M Girls Swimming
Cheshire, Class L Girls Swimming
Xavier, State Open Boys Cross Country (also won the New England and Northeast Regional titles)

STATE RUNNER-UPS (21)

SPRING (3)

Daniel Hand boys lacrosse (Class M)
Daniel Hand girls lacrosse (Class M)
Sheehan girls outdoor track & field (Class MM)

WINTER (12)

Xavier wrestling (Class L)
Lyman Hall boys indoor track (class M)
Guilford girls indoor track (Class L)
Daniel Hand gymnastics (Class M)
Mercy gymnastics (Class S)
Lauralton Hall cheerleading (Class M)
Fairfield Prep boys swimming (Class LL and State Open)
Daniel Hand boys swimming (Class M) Guilford boys ice hockey (Division II) – lost to Farmington Valley, 7-3
Career girls basketball (Class M) – lost to East Haven, 49-47
Amity Regional boys basketball (Div. II) – lost to Immaculate, 53-34

FALL (6)

East Haven, Class M Girls Volleyball – lost to New Canaan, 3-1 (26-24, 25-27, 25-21, 25-17)
Amity Regional, Class LL Girls Volleyball – lost to Greenwich, 3-1 (25-18, 26-28, 25-6, 25-18)
Guilford, Class L Girls Cross Country
Xavier, Class LL Boys Cross Country
Cheshire, State Open Girls Swimming
North Haven, Class M Girls Swimming



X-Men: The Xavier boys cross country team became the first team from a New England state to win the Nike/Northeast Regional team title (photo courtesy of Xavier HS).



Keep Dreading the Red: Branford defeated SCC-rival Daniel Hand, 11-8, to win the Class M girls lacrosse state title for the second straight year (photo courtesy of GameTimeCT.com).

2017-18 COS NOW PLAYER AND COACHES OF THE YEAR

During the 2017-18 academic year, the Southern Connecticut Conference named a Player of the Year and Coach of the Year in each of its 29 sponsored sports. Many thanks to league corporate sponsor Connecticut Orthopaedic Specialists and its affiliate COS NOW for sponsoring the awards. The Player and Coach of the Year honorees were selected by the respective sport's head coaches at the conclusion of the regular season.

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FALL

PLAYERS OF THE YEAR

Boys Cross Country – Drew Thompson, Fairfield Prep
Girls Cross Country – Meredith Bloss, Guilford
Field Hockey – Olivia Clarke, Guilford
Girls Soccer – Caroline Monahan, Luralton Hall
Boys Soccer – Charles Sakovogui, Career/Hillhouse
Girls Swimming (Div. I) – Liz Boyer, Cheshire
Girls Swimming (Div. II) – Laura Rosado, Wilbur Cross/East Haven
Girls Volleyball – Abby Harbinson, Amity Regional
Football (Tier 1) – Kyle Godfrey, West Haven; Mark Montano, North Haven
Football (Tier 2) – Brian Casagrande, Daniel Hand
Football (Tier 3) – Stephen Zenisky, Sheehan

COACHES OF YEAR

Boys Cross Country – Chris Stonier, Xavier
Girls Cross Country – Jim Ford, Guilford
Field Hockey – Eileen Wildermann, Cheshire
Girls Soccer – J.D. Rhode, Jonathan Law
Boys Soccer – Mike Gruber, Jonathan Law
Girls Swimming (Div. I) – Martha Phelan, North Haven
Girls Swimming (Div. II) – Kristin Skuches, Foran
Girls Volleyball – Patricia Shugrue, Hamden
Football (Tier 1) – Jeff Roy, Shelton
Football (Tier 2) – Dave Mastroianni, Daniel Hand
Football (Tier 3) – Bill Weyrauch, Lyman Hall

WINTER

PLAYERS OF THE YEAR

Boys Indoor Track – Deshaun Poole, Hillhouse
Girls Indoor Track – Meredith Bloss, Guilford
Cheerleading – Kaitlyn Khachadorian, Luralton Hall
Gymnastics – Erin Naclerio, Daniel Hand
Girls Basketball – Kylie Schlottman, East Haven
Boys Basketball – Tyler Thomas, Amity Regional
Boys Swimming (Div. I) – Collin Roy, Amity Regional
Boys Swimming (Div. II) – Ethan Skuches, Foran
Girls Ice Hockey (South) – Julianna Constantinople, East Haven/Branford/NB
Girls Ice Hockey (North) – Grace Melanson, Simsbury
Boys Ice Hockey (Div. I) – Skyler Celotto, Fairfield Prep
Boys Ice Hockey (Div. II) – John DeLucia, Guilford
Boys Ice Hockey (Div. III) – Scott Bradley, Lyman Hall/HK
Wrestling: Ryan Luth, Foran

COACHES OF YEAR

Boys Indoor Track – David Palmer, Lyman Hall
Girls Indoor Track – Gary Moore, Hillhouse
Cheerleading – Samantha Hill, Cheshire
Gymnastics – Kelly Smith, Daniel Hand
Girls Basketball – Mike Busillo, Sheehan
Boys Basketball – Jeff DeMaio, Guilford
Boys Swimming (Div. I) – Todd Rainey, Amity Regional
Boys Swimming (Div. II) – Martha Phelan, North Haven
Girls Ice Hockey (South) – Erin Blake, West Haven/SHA
Girls Ice Hockey (North) – Brett Soucy, Hall/Conard
Boys Ice Hockey (Div. I) – Larry Vieira, NFI
Boys Ice Hockey (Div. II) – Vic Vicenzi, Watertown-Pomperaug
Boys Ice Hockey (Div. III) – David Festa, Sheehan
Wrestling: Ryan Roddy, Amity Regional

SPRING

PLAYERS OF THE YEAR

Baseball - Patrick Winkel, Amity Regional
Softball – Amanda King, Guilford
Boys Lacrosse – Div. I - Michael Jeffrey, Cheshire; Mason Reale, Fairfield Prep
Boys Lacrosse – Div. II – Robbie Lionetti, Branford
Girls Lacrosse – Div. I – Taylor Scully, Daniel Hand
Girls Lacrosse – Div. II – Andrea Torres, Jonathan Law
Boys Tennis – Div. I – Andrew Forchetti, Notre Dame
Boys Tennis – Div. II - Kai Ton, Xavier
Girls Tennis – Div. I – Julia Migliorini, North Haven
Girls Tennis – Div. II – Jovanna Gaetano, West Haven
Boys Volleyball – Jarrett McCurdy, Shelton
Boys Golf – Div. I – Chris Fosdick, Xavier
Boys Golf – Div. II – Kyle St. Pierre, Shelton
Girls Golf – Praewa Treekul, Mercy
Girls Outdoor Track & Field – Aisha Gay, Hamden
Boys Outdoor Track & Field – Deshaune Poole, Hillhouse

COACHES OF YEAR

Baseball - Rudy Mauritz, Fairfield Prep
Softball - Mike Niekrash, Daniel Hand
Boys Lacrosse – Div. I - John Orlando, Daniel Hand
Boys Lacrosse – Div. II – Jim May, Branford
Girls Lacrosse – Div. I – Jackie Ceccolini, Branford
Girls Lacrosse – Div. II – Lois Frankforter, North Haven
Boys Tennis – Div. I – Skip South, Notre Dame
Boys Tennis – Div. II - Peter Lyons, Xavier
Girls Tennis – Div. I – Miquel Garcia, Mercy
Girls Tennis – Div. II – Mike Marcello, West Haven
Boys Volleyball – Marc Figler, Daniel Hand
Boys Golf – Div. I – Michael Kohs, Xavier
Boys Golf – Div. II - Andy Koorejian, Jonathan Law
Girls Golf – Pete Golanski, Mercy
Girls Outdoor Track & Field – Gary Moore, Hillhouse
Boys Outdoor Track & Field – Mike Gambardella, Shelton

SCHOLAR ATHLETE RECOGNITION,

PRESENTED BY BLANCHETTE SPORTING GOODS

Blanchette Sporting Goods is the presenting sponsor of the SCC Scholar Athlete Recognition program.

The Scholar Athlete recognition program recognizes the “best of the best” in the SCC. Recipients are selected by their school’s coaches and athletic directors. Recipients must have a minimum of a B (3.0) average overall and be a varsity letterwinner. The recipients should also demonstrate leadership qualities by: being a positive role model for other students both on and off the field; exhibiting an ability to help a teammate overcome adversity; showing a commitment to self-improvement; and putting the needs of the team before themselves.



FALL

Amity Regional – Joseph Sugarmann (cross country), Danyu Hu (cross country)
Branford – Charles Longway (cheerleading), Autumn McHenry (field hockey)
Career – Charles Sakouvogui (soccer), Alexandra Queen (volleyball)
Cheshire – Brendan Murray (cross country), Elizabeth Boyer (swimming)
Daniel Hand – Brian Casagrande (football), Taylor Leckey (field hockey)
East Haven – Kylie Schlottman (volleyball), Justin Fonacier (football)
Fairfield Prep – Chris Massaro (crew), Drew Newcomb (cross country)
Foran – Addison Poffenberger (soccer), Gabrielle Tunucci (swimming)
Guilford – Julia Hyman (volleyball), Thomas Mitzelfelt (soccer)
Hamden – Alessandra Pinedo (volleyball), Dylan Zack (football)
Hillhouse – Kayla Beamon (volleyball), Manassek Bekele (cross country)
Jonathan Law – Rhea Grant (soccer), Mike Loschiavo (cross country)
Lauralton Hall – Caitie Lynch (soccer)
Lyman Hall – Brian Oliveira (cross country), Nicole Cislo (swimming)
Mercy – Katharine Sadak (field hockey), Jillian Pernerewski (soccer)
North Haven – Katie Rogers (soccer), Jackson Frank (cross country)
Notre Dame – Frank Paine (football), Liam Nuttall (cross country)
Sacred Heart Academy – Claire Donelan (field hockey)
Sheehan – Christine Thorp (soccer), Stephen Fengler (cross country)
Shelton – Andrew Cordes (soccer), Courtney Litts (soccer)
West Haven – Megan Patterson (volleyball), James Delgado (tennis)
Wilbur Cross – Denisel Cerda (cross country), Will Suzuki (soccer)
Xavier – Owen Curran (cross country), Will Levis (football)

WINTER

Amity Regional – Eliza Crane (indoor track), Jacob Silliman (ice hockey)
Branford – Liam Deane (ice hockey), Caroline Erickson (ice hockey)
Career Magnet – Tamar Williams (basketball), Carmen Rosemond (basketball)
Cheshire – Ben DeLaubell (basketball), Samantha Oris (cheerleading)
Daniel Hand – Halle Freund (basketball), Mark Hartmann (wrestling)
East Haven – Marley Herard (basketball), Joseph Castellano (indoor track)
Fairfield Prep – Carter Kral (ice hockey), Jack Gurnham (skiing)
Foran – Sarah Kummer (indoor track), Ryan Luth (wrestling)
Guilford – James Hyman (basketball), Jacqueline Guerra (indoor track)
Hamden – Lauren Stanley (gymnastics), Phillip Thomas (indoor track)
Hillhouse – Kristen Washington (indoor track), Davon Warner (basketball)
Jonathan Law – Catherine Burns (gymnastics), Justin Goglia (swimming)
Lauralton Hall – Kaitlyn Khachadorian (cheerleading)
Lyman Hall – Kiley Lipka (basketball), Patrick Doherty (basketball)
Mercy – Maeve Williams (indoor track), Riley Moynihan (indoor track)
North Haven – Sarina Sandwell (cheerleading), Anthony Yang (fencing)

Notre Dame – Christopher Holt (swimming), Michael Brooks (basketball)
Sacred Heart Academy – Haley Bothwell (indoor track)
Sheehan – Adrian Gorczyca (swimming), Paige Mantzaris (cheerleading)
Shelton – William Ciccione (basketball), Lauren Pawlowski (indoor track)
West Haven – Daniel Lanziero (indoor track), Amanda Carr (basketball)
Wilbur Cross – Jatzari Aguila (indoor track), Kwane Taylor (basketball)
Xavier – Andrew Reagan (swimming), Collin Malloy (wrestling)

SPRING

Amity Regional – Vince Li (tennis), Sebin Park (golf)
Branford – Sophie Spencer (lacrosse), Christian Miller (baseball)
Career Magnet – Selma Abouneameh (tennis), Arturo Munoz (tennis)
Cheshire – Rachel Kaplan (outdoor track & field), Mike Jeffrey (lacrosse)
Daniel Hand – Riley Kokoruda (lacrosse), James DeGrasse (baseball)
East Haven – Frank Camera (baseball), Molly Mazzucco (outdoor track & field)
Fairfield Prep – Nicholas Allen (tennis), Shane McGorty (rugby)
Foran – Julia Kopstein (lacrosse), Gean DeGuzman (tennis)
Guilford – Rhys Kalama (outdoor track & field), Samantha Stofflet (tennis)
Hamden – Michael Ferrett (baseball), MacKenzie Sargolini (softball)
Hillhouse – Shayna Smith (outdoor track & field), Pierroto Muhire (golf)
Jonathan Law – Carl Maxwell (baseball), Monica Pydipati (tennis)
Lauralton Hall – Julia Elizabeth Petalcorin (tennis)
Lyman Hall – Sierrah Rich (outdoor track & field), Jack Gaynor (tennis)
Mercy – Megan Buyak (lacrosse), Mary Sposito (lacrosse)
North Haven – Kylie Brandt (lacrosse), Matthew Carroll (tennis)
Notre Dame – Akshay Reddy (baseball), Stephen Stanio (lacrosse)
Sacred Heart Academy – Maia Jakubowski (tennis)
Sheehan – Patrick Christensen (baseball), Samantha Iannone (softball)
Shelton – Alex Reunhorst (tennis), Victoria Kostour (tennis)
West Haven – Eugene Pacapelli (ice hockey), Mackenzie Holy (lacrosse)
Wilbur Cross – Neco McFadden (golf), Sara Thakur (tennis)
Xavier – Dylan Albert (baseball), Zachary Rampone (volleyball)

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FALL

FOOTBALL



2017 SCC/ COS Now Football player and coaches of the year

STATE CHAMPIONS:

Daniel Hand (Class L) – defeated Masuk, 35-21

STATE RUNNER-UPS:

NONE

STATE SEMIFINAL RESULTS:

Class LL: Darien 27, West Haven 13
Class L: Daniel Hand 31, Windsor 6

STATE QUARTERFINAL RESULTS:

Class LL: West Haven 46, Shelton 7
Class LL: Greenwich 27, Fairfield Prep 6
Class L: Daniel Hand 35, North Haven 13
Class M: Killingly 57, Jonathan Law 21
Class M: Joel Barlow 47, Sheehan 34

TIER LEADERS

Tier 1: Shelton (4-1), West Haven (4-2), Fairfield Prep (3-2), North Haven (3-2)
Tier 2: Daniel Hand (5-0), Wilbur Cross (4-1), Hillhouse (3-3)
Tier 3: Sheehan (6-0), Guilford (4-1), Jonathan Law (4-2), Lyman Hall (4-2)

ALL-CONFERENCE

TIER 1 ALL-CONFERENCE – OFFENSE

OL: Ed Radizon (Shelton), Mekhi Geter (West Haven), Nick Nelson (Cheshire), Eric Milliard (North Haven), Henry Pearson (North Haven)
WR: Kyle MacGillis (Xavier), Michael Jeffrey (Cheshire)
QB: Will Levis (Xavier), Christopher Elias (Notre Dame)
RB: Mark Montano (North Haven), Chris Chance (West Haven), Zack Conlan (West Haven), Jack Carr (Shelton)
PK: Nick Andrade (Shelton)

TIER 1 ALL-CONFERENCE – DEFENSE

DL: Frank Paine (Notre Dame), Michael Casinelli (Shelton), Tom

Donahue (Fairfield Prep), Dan Covell (Cheshire), Jared Witkowski (Shelton)

LB: Ryan Cartelli (Xavier), Zack Orth (North Haven), Anthony Mastroni (Fairfield Prep), Mike Charlton (West Haven), Ray Weiner (Shelton), Justin Keith (Fairfield Prep)

DB: Kyle Godfrey (West Haven), Tairece Somers (Fairfield Prep)

P: Ethan Bronson (Cheshire)

TIER 2 ALL-CONFERENCE – OFFENSE

OL: Ben Corniello (Daniel Hand), Rickqueal Warren (Wilbur Cross)

TE: Luigi Luciani (Amity Regional)

WR: Terron Mallory (Hillhouse), Quintus Reid (Hillhouse), Zac Clearly (Foran), Coleman Adams (Harding)

QB: Jared Hubler (Foran)

RB: Neal Eley (Hillhouse)

TIER 2 ALL-CONFERENCE – DEFENSE

DL: Travis Jones (Wilbur Cross), Jaaven Brown (Hillhouse), Marque Sherman (Hamden), Prince Boyd (Hillhouse)

LB: Brian Casagrande (Daniel Hand), Noah Washington (Wilbur Cross), Eilja Cherry (Wilbur Cross), Matt Cruz (Foran), Ryan Sabo (Amity Regional), Gabe Okeke (Hamden), Tion Hampton (Harding), Ryan Coady (Daniel Hand)

DB: Ian Butler (Daniel Hand), Macken McDonald (Daniel Hand), Kwane Taylor (Wilbur Cross)

TIER 3 ALL-CONFERENCE – OFFENSE

OL: Luke Willette (Sheehan), Andrew McClure (Lyman Hall), Tanner Small (Guilford), Corey Franchi (East Haven)

QB: Weston Terzi (Sheehan)

RB: Terrence Bogan (Sheehan), Mike Plaskon (Jonathan Law), A.J. Moscato (Guilford)

WR: Evan Mansfield (Sheehan), Danny Thomas (Branford), Ethan Saley (Jonathan Law)

Utility: Jordan Davis (Sheehan)

TIER 3 ALL-CONFERENCE – DEFENSE

DL: Stephen Zenisky (Sheehan), Zachary Kizer (Lyman Hall), Justin Abe (Jonathan Law), Tayqwan Taylor (Bassick), Sheldon Gargano (Jonathan Law)

LB: William Terzi (Sheehan), Randy McFarline (Lyman Hall), Nick Santello (Lyman Hall), Jack Gabriel (Guilford), Nick May (Creed/Career/WT), Jackson Seward (Branford)

DB: Jimmy Boyle (Jonathan Law)

SCC/COS NOW PLAYER/COACHES OF YEAR

Tier 1 Players of the Year: Mark Montano (North Haven), Kyle Godfrey (West Haven)

Tier 1 Coach of the Year: Jeff Roy (Shelton)

Tier 2 Player of the Year: Brian Casagrande (Daniel Hand)

Tier 2 Coach of the Year: Dave Mastroianni (Daniel Hand)

Tier 3 Player of the Year: Stephen Zenisky (Sheehan)

Tier 3 Coach of the Year: Bill Weywrauch (Lyman Hall)

BOYS CROSS COUNTRY

STATE CHAMPIONS:

Xavier (State Open, New England, Nike/Northeast Regional champions)

STATE RUNNER-UPS:

Xavier (Class LL)

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Xavier won its 11th SCC boys cross country title in 2017.



Guilford won its 14th SCC girls cross country title in 2017.

TOP STATE FINISHES:

Fairfield Prep (State Open, 4th; Class LL, 5th)
Amity Regional (Class LL, 6th, State Open, 9th)
Wilbur Cross (Class L, 4th)
Guilford (Class MM, 3rd)
Lyman Hall (Class MM, 6th)
Sheehan (Class M, 6th)

DIVISION CHAMPIONS:

Hammonasset: Guilford (4-0)
Housatonic: Amity Regional (4-0)
Oronoque: Wilbur Cross (4-0)
Quinnipiac: Xavier (4-0)

SCC CHAMPIONSHIP MEET - Oct. 19 @East Shore Park – New Haven
Final Team Results: 1. Xavier, 33; 2. Amity Regional, 84; 3. Fairfield Prep, 97; 4. Shelton, 123; 5. Cheshire, 157; 6. Wilbur Cross, 166; 7. Guilford, 194; 8. Lyman Hall, 225; 9. Hamden, 275; 10. Sheehan, 290; 11. Daniel Hand, 293; 12. Jonathan Law, 342; 13. Notre Dame, 389; 14. Foran, 398; 15. Branford, 409; 16. Hillhouse, 427; 17. North Haven, 488; 18. East Haven, 608

Top Finisher: Drew Thompson (Fairfield Prep), 15:13 – meet record

ALL-CONFERENCE FIRST TEAM

Drew Thompson (Fairfield Prep), Brendan Murray (Cheshire), Robert Dillon (Shelton), Peter Schulten (Xavier), Owen Curran (Xavier), Robbie Cozean (Xavier), Azaan Dawson (Fairfield Prep), Owen Lally (Xavier), Connor Visnic (Amity Regional), Dillon Selfors (Xavier), William Curran (Xavier), Jake Mattei (Amity Regional)

ALL-CONFERENCE SECOND TEAM

Trevor Christie (Xavier), Andrew Burford (Amity Regional), Mahaamed Hussain (Wilbur Cross), Spencer Paragas (Amity Regional), Stephen Fengler (Sheehan), Alexandre Fishbein-Ouimet (Lyman Hall), Brendan Mellitt (Cheshire), Drew Newcomb (Fairfield Prep), Edward Tristine (Fairfield Prep), Matthew Richard (Shelton), Kevin Preneta (Foran), Brian Oliveira (Lyman Hall)

SCC/COS NOW RUNNER/COACH OF YEAR

Runner of the Year: Drew Thompson (Fairfield Prep)
Coach of the Year: Chris Stonier (Xavier)

GIRLS CROSS COUNTRY

STATE CHAMPIONS: None

STATE RUNNER-UPS:

Guilford (Class L)

TOP STATE FINISHES:

Guilford (State Open, 4th)
Cheshire (Class L, 5th)
Mercy (Class MM, 5th)

DIVISION CHAMPIONS:

Hammonasset: Guilford (4-0)
Housatonic: Cheshire (4-0)
Oronoque: Wilbur Cross (4-0)
Quinnipiac: Mercy (4-0)

SCC CHAMPIONSHIP MEET - Oct. 19 @East Shore Park – New Haven
Final Team Results: 1. Guilford, 40; 2. Cheshire, 76; 3. Daniel Hand, 114; 4. Shelton, 118; 5. Mercy, 163; 6. Wilbur Cross, 216; 7. Luralton Hall, 224; 8. Hamden, 229; 9. Foran, 242; 10. Amity Regional, 249; 11. Lyman Hall, 268; 12. Sheehan, 308; 13. Jonathan Law, 332; 14. Sacred Heart Academy, 352; 15. Hillhouse, 379; 16. North Haven, 400; 17. West Haven, 536; 18. Branford, 544; 19. East Haven, 579

Top Finisher: Meredith Bloss (Guilford), 19:17

ALL-CONFERENCE FIRST TEAM

Meredith Bloss (Guilford), Elisabeth Brown (Sheehan), Jacqueline Guerra (Guilford), Gianna Siciliano (Guilford), Rachel Kaplan (Cheshire), Rachael Cipolla (Mercy), Abigail Bowser (Amity Regional), Amanda LoMonte (Shelton), Clara Wiesler (Guilford), Anna Weissenberg (Shelton), Emily Longmore (Cheshire), De'Janay Davis (Hillhouse)

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ALL-CONFERENCE SECOND TEAM

Grace Adolphe (Wilbur Cross), Emily Baker (Daniel Hand), Amanda Addesso (Cheshire), Anna Steffen (Daniel Hand), Abigail Baisley (Lauralton Hall), Luran Daddi (Cheshire), Jackie Theroux (Hamden), Ariana Garay (Amity Regional), Madison Rotermund (Daniel Hand), Rachel Parthasarthy (Daniel Hand), Emma Bonz (Guilford), Elexis Eden (Wilbur Cross)

SCC/COS NOW RUNNER/COACH OF YEAR

Runner of the Year: Meredith Bloss (Guilford)

Coach of the Year: Jim Ford (Guilford)

BOYS SOCCER

STATE CHAMPIONS:

Daniel Hand (Class L), defeated Masuk, 2-1

STATE RUNNER-UPS: none

STATE SEMIFINALS:

Daniel Hand defeated Guilford, 1-0

DIVISION CHAMPIONS

Hammonasset: Fairfield Prep (7-0-1)

Housatonic: Daniel Hand (7-0-1)

Oronoque: Cheshire (7-1)

Quinnipiac: Hamden (4-1-1)

ALL-CONFERENCE FIRST TEAM

Jason Addi (Xavier), Ethan Boileau (Branford), Khaleed Dawkins (Shelton), Jack Gaynor (Lyman Hall), Toby Goldstein (Cheshire), Thomas Kanter (Amity Regional), Kevin Linn (Jonathan Law), Owen McShane (Daniel Hand), Sean Mufarinya (Notre Dame), Charles Sakovogui (Career/Hillhouse), Ethan Skinner (Guilford), Axel Whamond (Fairfield Prep)



Daniel Hand won its second SCC boys soccer title in 2017.

ALL-CONFERENCE SECOND TEAM

Carson Anders (Cheshire), Tyler Carvalho (Shelton), Michael Lanouette (Hamden), Jonah Melton (Fairfield Prep), Riley Powell (North Haven), Ian Slattery (Guilford), Tyler Stowik (Lyman Hall), William Suzuki (Wilbur Cross), Caleb Tondora (Foran), Jason Umbehr (Sheehan), Lee Wilderman (Daniel Hand), Manny Yeboah (Hamden)

SCC PLAYOFFS

Quarterfinals – Oct. 28 @Higher Seeds

#8 Career/Hillhouse 1, #1 Guilford 1 (Career/HH advances via penalty kicks, 5-4)

#4 Fairfield Prep 2, #5 Branford 1

#2 Shelton 1, #7 Cheshire 0

#3 Daniel Hand 1, #6 Hamden 0

Semifinals – Oct. 30 @Higher Seeds

#4 Fairfield Prep 7, #8 Career/Hillhouse 0

#3 Daniel Hand 4, #2 Shelton 1

Championship – Nov. 2 @West Haven HS

#3 Daniel Hand 4, #4 Fairfield Prep 2

SCC/COS NOW PLAYER/COACH OF YEAR

Player of the Year: Charles Sakovogui (Career)

Coach of the Year: Mike Gruber (Jonathan Law)

GIRLS SOCCER

STATE CHAMPIONS: none

RUNNER-UPS: none

STATE SEMIFINALS:

Daniel Hand (Class L), lost to St. Joseph, 3-0

DIVISION CHAMPIONS

Hammonasset: Guilford (4-0-4)

Housatonic: Cheshire (6-1-1)

Oronoque: Shelton (5-0-1)

Quinnipiac: Daniel Hand (6-0)

ALL-CONFERENCE FIRST TEAM

Abigail Allen (Amity Regional), Kelsey Burr (Shelton), Madison Butts (Jonathan Law), Alessandra Fronc (Mercy), Erin Keary (Shelton), Jillian Klem (Cheshire), Riley Kokoruda (Daniel Hand), Sam Larkin (Sheehan), Caroline Monahan (Lauralton Hall), Taylor Scully (Daniel Hand), Chloe Shaw (Guilford), Taylor Shutak (Guilford)

ALL-CONFERENCE SECOND TEAM

Cassie Bennett (Foran), Demirre Cyr (Lyman Hall), Olivia Dubac (Sheehan), Mackenzie Holy (West Haven), Kayla Howard (Daniel Hand), Kelly Hurd (Shelton), Haley Montesanto (East Haven), Kelsey Morgan (Amity Regional), Paige Perez (Cheshire), Suzanne Prota (Branford), Samara Thacker (Jonathan Law), Leya

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Daniel Hand won the 2017 SCC girls soccer title.



Daniel Hand won its third SCC field hockey title in 2017.

Vohra (Shelton)

SCC PLAYOFFS

Quarterfinals – Oct. 28 @Higher Seeds

- #1 Daniel Hand 0, #8 Cheshire 0
- #2 Sheehan 2, #7 Mercy 1
- #3 Jonathan Law 1, #6 Amity Regional 0
- #4 Shelton 2, #5 Guilford 0

Semifinals – Oct. 30 @Higher Seeds

- #1 Daniel Hand 3, #4 Shelton 2 (OT)
- #3 Jonathan Law 3, #2 Sheehan 0

Championship – Nov. 2 @West Haven HS

- #1 Daniel Hand 3, #3 Jonathan Law 0

SCC/COS NOW PLAYER/COACH OF YEAR

Player of the Year: Caroline Monahan (Lauralton Hall)

Coach of the Year: J.D. Rhode (Jonathan Law)

FIELD HOCKEY

STATE CHAMPIONS:

Daniel Hand (Class M), defeated New Canaan, 2-1

STATE RUNNER-UP: none

STATE SEMIFINALS:

Daniel Hand (Class M), defeated Guilford, 2-1
Branford (Class M), lost to New Canaan, 2-1

REGULAR-SEASON CHAMPIONS:

Branford (11-1)

ALL-CONFERENCE FIRST TEAM

Tess Csejka (Amity Regional), Sabrina Torcellini (Branford), LanLe Crotty (Branford), Molly Zaffino (Branford), Mikayla Crowley (Cheshire), Mia Pulisciano (Cheshire), Olivia Clarke (Guilford), Mallory Peters (Guilford), Jess Gaetgens (Mercy), Claire Donelan

(Sacred Heart Academy), Taylor Leckey (Daniel Hand), Sophie Schreck (Daniel Hand), Abi Barry (Daniel Hand), Mackenzie Sargolini (Hamden)

ALL-CONFERENCE SECOND TEAM

Eliza Crane (Amity Regional), Autumn McHenry (Branford), Annie Eddy (Cheshire), Lexie Hemstock (Cheshire), Emily Torre (Guilford), Kailyn Ball (Lauralton Hall), Riley Keating (Lyman Hall), Taylor Dostie (Sacred Heart Academy), Erickson Richard (Daniel Hand), Kylie Gargiulo (Daniel Hand), Claire Boncek (Hamden), Taylor Klesyk (Hamden)

SCC PLAYOFFS

Quarterfinals - Oct. 30 @Higher Seeds

- #1 Branford 5, #8 Amity Regional 1
- #2 Cheshire 2, #7 Lauralton Hall 1
- #3 Daniel Hand 3, #6 Hamden 0 (Oct. 31)
- #4 Guilford 4, #5 Sacred Heart Academy 0

Semifinals - Nov. 1 @Guilford HS

- #1 Branford 1, #4 Guilford 0
- #3 Daniel Hand 3, #2 Cheshire 1

Championship – Nov. 4 @Guilford HS

- #3 Daniel Hand 0, #1 Branford 0 (3 OT, Daniel Hand wins 4-2 via penalty strokes)

SCC/COS NOW PLAYER/COACH OF YEAR

Player of the Year: Olivia Clarke (Guilford)

Coach of the Year: Eileen Wildermann (Cheshire)

GIRLS VOLLEYBALL

STATE CHAMPIONS: none

STATE FINALISTS:

East Haven (Class M), lost to St. Joseph, 3-1 (26-24, 25-27, 25-21, 25-17)

Amity Regional (Class LL), lost to Greenwich, 3-1 (25-18, 26-28,

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25-6, 25-18)

STATE SEMIFINALS:

Amity Regional (Class LL), defeated Cheshire, 3-0 (25-14, 25-19, 25-21)

Guilford (Class L), lost to RHAM, 3-0 (25-13, 25-12, 25-16)

East Haven (Class M), defeated Seymour, 3-2 (25-13, 25-23, 20-25, 18-25, 15-12)

DIVISION CHAMPIONS

Hammonasset: Cheshire (8-0)

Housatonic: Amity Regional (8-0)

Oronoque: Guilford (8-0)

Quinnipiac: Foran, Branford, Luralton Hall (6-2)

ALL-CONFERENCE FIRST TEAM:

Meagan Clyne (Cheshire), Andrea DeFilippo (Mercy), Alyssa Deptulski (Foran), Maya Epps (Hamden), Sophia Flanders (Hamden), Trinity Flynn (Guilford), Abby Harbison (Amity Regional), Amanda King (Guilford), Emily Musso (Sheehan), Elena Piran (Cheshire), Kylie Schlottman (East Haven), Tyra Smith (Hamden)

ALL-CONFERENCE SECOND TEAM:

Lindsay Abramson (Cheshire), Emily Bump (Luralton Hall), Chrissy Chow (Sacred Heart Academy), Pamela Ellison (Jonathan Law), Sydney Hunt (Sheehan), Katherine Kiernan (Foran), Megan Kreitler (Shelton), Haley Maercklein (Branford), Brooke Matyasovsky (Amity Regional), Summer Onorato (East Haven), Karly Pedbereznak (Cheshire), Jaiden Williams (Amity Regional)

SCC PLAYOFFS

First Round – Oct. 27-28 @Higher Seeds

#4 Hamden 3, #13 Wilbur Cross 0 (25-10, 25-21, 25-16) (Oct. 27)

#12 Sheehan 3, #5 Luralton Hall 1 (25-20, 25-20, 21-25, 25-15) (Oct. 27)

#6 East Haven 3, #11 Shelton 2 (23-25, 21-25, 25-19, 25-17, 15-9) (Oct. 28)

#7 Branford 3, #10 Daniel Hand 0 (25-22, 25-20, 25-15) (Oct. 27)

#9 Foran 3, #8 Jonathan Law 1 (20-25, 25-19, 26-24, 25-20) (Oct. 28)

Quarterfinals – Oct. 30 @Higher Seeds

#1 Cheshire 3, #9 Foran 1 (23-25, 25-23, 25-16, 25-14)

#2 Guilford 3, #7 Branford 0 (25-16, 25-16, 25-13)

#3 Amity Regional 3, #6 East Haven 1 (25-15, 22-25, 25-13, 25-21)

#12 Sheehan 3, #4 Hamden 1 (22-25, 25-14, 25-22, 25-16)

Semifinals – Nov. 2 @Higher Seeds

#1 Cheshire 3, #12 Sheehan 0 (25-22, 25-12, 25-19)

#2 Guilford 3, #3 Amity Regional 1 (25-20, 20-25, 25-19, 25-22)

Championship Match – Nov. 4 @East Haven HS

#1 Cheshire 3, #2 Guilford 1 (23-25, 25-22, 25-18, 25-22)

SCC/COS NOW PLAYER/COACH OF YEAR

Player of the Year: Abby Harbison (Amity Regional)

Coach of the Year: Patricia Shugrue (Hamden)



Cheshire won its 12th SCC girls volleyball title in 2017.

GIRLS SWIMMING

STATE CHAMPIONS:

Cheshire (Class L)

Luralton Hall (Class M)

STATE RUNNER-UPS:

Cheshire (State Open)

North Haven (Class M)

TOP STATE FINISHES:

Lyman Hall (Class M, 5th)

Foran (Class M, 6th)

SCC CHAMPIONSHIP MEET – Nov. 3 @SCSU – Moore Fieldhouse

Final Team Results: 1. Cheshire, 1630.5; 2. Luralton Hall, 845.5; 3. Amity Regional, 789.5; 4. Daniel Hand, 652; 5. North Haven, 630; 6. Shelton, 545.5; 7. Foran, 502; 8. Lyman Hall, 500; 9. Mercy, 390.5; 10. Sacred Heart Academy, 379; 11. East Haven/Wilbur Cross, 347; 12. Hamden, 322; 13. Branford, 314; 14. Jonathan Law, 299.5; 15. Guilford, 183; 16. West Haven, 117; 17. Sheehan, 97

ALL-CONFERENCE

200 Medley Relay:

Cheshire (Alessandra Tyler, Elizabeth Boyer, Julia Stevens, Esther Han)

North Haven (Maddie Bergin, Angela Gambardella, Jasmine Nguy, Laura Borrelli)

200 yard Freestyle: Katherine Begg (Luralton Hall), Sophie Murphy (Cheshire), Emma Parkes (Shelton)

200 yard IM: Angela Gambardella (North Haven), Samantha Grenon (Cheshire), Kayla Mendonca (Daniel Hand)

50 yard Freestyle: Louise Kim (Shelton), Simona Visinski (Shelton), Maddie Bergin (North Haven)

Diving: Emma Longley (Foran), Sienna Bretton (Cheshire), Stephanie Silin (Cheshire)

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Cheshire has won 23 of the 24 SCC girls swimming titles.



Shelton won its 13th straight SCC cheerleading title in 2018.

100 yard Butterfly: Julia Stevens (Cheshire), Jordan MacDonald (Foran), Alexandra Tyler (Cheshire)

100 yard Freestyle: Maddie Bergin (North Haven), Louise Kim (Shelton), Allie Mascia (Daniel Hand)

500 yard Freestyle: Elizabeth Boyer (Cheshire), Jordan MacDonald (Foran), Jillian Stevens (Cheshire)

200 Freestyle Relay
Shelton (Emma Parkes, Louise Kim, Caitlin McGuire, Simona Visinski)
Cheshire (Jordyn Deubel, Shannon Lindsey, Sophie Murphy, Alexandra Tyler)

100 yard Backstroke: Kayla Mendonca (Daniel Hand), Laura Rosado (East Haven/Wilbur Cross), Sophie Murphy (Cheshire)

100 yard Breaststroke: Angela Gambardella (North Haven), Emma Glover (Cheshire), Nicole Cislo (Lyman Hall)

400 Freestyle Relay:
Shelton (Emma Parkes, Louise Kim, Alyssa Brettan, Simona Visinski)
Cheshire (Jordyn Deubel, Sophie Murphy, Julia Stevens, Elizabeth Boyer)

SCC/COS NOW SWIMMER/COACH OF YEAR

Div. 1 Swimmer of the Year: Liz Boyer (Cheshire)

Div. 1 Coach of the Year: Martha Phelan (North Haven)

Div. 2 Swimmer of the Year: Laura Rosado (Wilbur Cross)

Div. 2 Coach of the Year: Kristin Skuches (Foran)

WINTER

CHEERLEADING

STATE CHAMPIONS:

Shelton (Class LL)

STATE RUNNER-UPS:

Lauralton Hall (Class L)

TOP STATE FINISHES:

North Haven (Class L, 3rd)

Daniel Hand (Class L, 5th)

Cheshire (6th in Class LL)

SCC COMPETITION: Feb. 3 @Shelton HS

All-Girl Division

1. Shelton, 87.8; 2. North Haven, 86.6; 3. Daniel Hand, 82.2;
4. Lauralton Hall, 80.6; 5. Cheshire, 79.55; 6. Sheehan, 77.4; 7. Mercy, 76.45; 8. East Haven, 76.35; 9. Jonathan Law, 69.65; 10. Foran 65.7; 11. Sacred Heart Academy, 62.75; 12. Hamden, 57.3;
13. Lyman Hall, 53.75; 14. H0illhouse, 25.4

Co-Ed Division – Branford (77.55)

Spirit Award: Sacred Heart Academy

ALL-CONFERENCE

Kaitlyn Khachadoorian (Lauralton Hall), Justin Tadduni (Shelton), Isabella Carusone (Daniel Hand), Samantha Oris (Cheshire), Samantha Konspore (North Haven), Abby Haggerty (North Haven), Gina Ciotti (Daniel Hand), Karina Brea (Lauralton Hall), Jessica Sanchez (Lauralton Hall), Morgan Sullivan (North Haven), Rachel Rustemeyer (Branford), Hannah DiStassio (Shelton), Chloe Scott (Daniel Hand), Regan Kranyak (Cheshire), Haley Bumbala (Shelton), Jessica Theriault (Cheshire), Alyssa Cariglio (Branford), Morgan Thorpe (Sheehan), Jamie Harvey (Sheehan), Lexi Furst (Foran), Grace Laychak (Foran), Kelsey Carmanica (Mercy), Ava McLachlan (Mercy), Olivia Delbasso (East Haven), Natalia Gentile (East Haven)

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SCC/COS NOW CHEERLEADER/COACH OF YEAR

Cheerleader of the Year: Kaitlyn Khachadoorian (Lauralton Hall)

Coach of the Year: Samantha Hill (Cheshire)

GYMNASTICS

STATE CHAMPIONS: none

STATE RUNNER-UPS:

Daniel Hand (Class M)

Mercy (Class S)

SCC CHAMPIONSHIP MEET – Feb. 9 @Jonathan Law HS

Final Team Results: 1. Daniel Hand, 133.4; 2. Merct, 131.25; 3. Foran, 124.55; 4. Jonathan Law, 122.65; 5. Hamden, 111.6

All-Around

Erin Naclerio (Daniel Hand), 36.5; Bri Laggis (Foran), 36.0; Mia Lawrence (Mercy), 34.15; Grace Rogers (Daniel Hand), 33.65; Sara Rodia (Shelton), 32.8; Catherine Burns (Jonathan Law), 32.45; Kaci Buono (Mercy), 31.4; Brooke Kustra (Branford), 31.35; Sarah Cartelli (Mercy), 31.2; Schylar Saliba (Daniel Hand), 31.1; Olivia Cocca (Guilford), 30.85; Lexi Theel (Daniel Hand), 30.75; Annie Berger (Mercy), 30.55; Megan Connolly (Sacred Heart Academy), 30.5; Cassidy Davis (Jonathan Law), 30.4

Bars

Bri Laggis (Foran), 9.1; Erin Naclerio (Daniel Hand), 9.0; Sara Rodia (Shelton), 8.7; Cecilia Vess (Mercy), 8.5; Brooke Kustra (Branford), 8.3; Mia Lawrence (Mercy), 8.2; Catherine Burns (Jonathan Law), 8.2

Floor

Bri Laggis (Foran), 9.4; Erin Naclerio (Daniel Hand), 9.1; Mia Lawrence (Mercy), 8.9; Grace Rogers (Daniel Hand), 8.7; Catherine Burns (Jonathan Law), 8.35; Cassidy Davis (Jonathan Law), 8.25

Vault

Erin Naclerio (Daniel Hand), 9.2; Bri Laggis (Foran), 9.1; Mia Lawrence (Mercy), 9.05; Sara Rodia (Shelton), 9.0; Quincy Platt (Mercy), 8.75; Kaci Buono (Mercy), 8.5

Beam

Erin Naclerio (Daniel Hand), 9.2; Grace Rogers (Daniel Hand), 9.5; Bri Laggis (Foran), 8.4; Mia Lawrence (Mercy), 8.0; Jamie Murphy (Mercy), 8.2; Lexi Theel (Daniel Hand), 8.0

ALL-CONFERENCE

Erin Naclerio (Daniel Hand), Briana Laggis (Foran), Mia Lawrence (Mercy), Grace Rogers (Daniel Hand), Sara Rodia (Shelton), Cecilia Vess (Mercy), Catherine Burns (Jonathan Law), Cassidy Davis (Jonathan Law), Quincy Platt (Mercy), Brooke Kustra (Branford), Lexi Theel (Daniel Hand), Schylar Saliba (Daniel Hand)



Daniel Hand won its 10th straight SCC gymnastics title in 2018.

SCC/COS NOW GYMNAST/COACH OF YEAR

Gymnast of the Year: Erin Naclerio (Daniel Hand)

Coach of the Year: Kelly Smith (Daniel Hand)

GIRLS INDOOR TRACK

STATE CHAMPIONS:

Hillhouse (Class M)

STATE RUNNER-UPS:

Guilford (Class L)

TOP STATE FINISHES:

Hamden (State Open, 3rd)

Hillhouse (State Open, 3rd)

Sacred Heart Academy (Class M, 6th)

WEST SECTIONAL MEET – Jan. 23 @Floyd Little Athletic Center

Final Team Results: 1. Hamden, 110; 2. Willbur Cross, 70; 3. Sacred Heart Academy, 59; 4. Mercy, 55; 4. North Haven, 55; 6. Branford, 41; 7. East Haven, 30; 8. Lauralton Hall, 28; 9. Career, 14; 10. West Haven, 2

EAST SECTIONAL MEET – Jan. 24 @Floyd Little Athletic Center

Final Team Results: 1. Hillhouse, 144; 2. Guilford, 94; 3. Shelton, 61; 4. Sheehan, 49.3; 5. Amity Regional, 41.33; 6. Cheshire, 28; 7. Daniel Hand, 26; 8. Lyman Hall, 13.33; 9. Foran, 4; 10. Jonathan Law, 3

SCC CHAMPIONSHIP MEET – Feb. 2 @Floyd Little Athletic Center

Final Team Results: 1. Hillhouse, 97; 2. Guilford, 73; 3. Shelton, 50; 4. Hamden, 47.5; 5. Wilbur Cross, 34; 6. Amity Regional, 28; 7. Sacred Heart Academy, 23; 8. Branford, 22; 8. Sheehan, 22; 10. North Haven, 18.5; 11. East Haven, 17; 12. Daniel Hand, 15; 13. Cheshire, 11; 14. Career, 3; 14. Mercy, 3; 16. Lauralton Hall, 1

ALL-CONFERENCE FIRST TEAM

Aisha Gay (Hamden), 55 and 300 meters

Nyia White (Hillhouse), 600 meters

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Hillhouse captured its second straight SCC girls indoor track title in 2018.



Hillhouse captured the SCC boys indoor track title in 2018.

Jacqueline Guerra (Guilford), 1000 meters
Meredith Bloss (Guilford), 1600 and 3200 meters
Elizabeth Herlihy (Shelton), 55 meter hurdles
Sacred Heart Academy (Bianca Kave, Aliya Cameron, Meghan Cameron, Haley Bothwell), 4 x 200 meter relay
Hillhouse (Jada Boyd, Sarai Black, Nyia White, Shayna Smith), 4 x 400 meter relay
Guilford (Chloe Shaw, Julia Esposito, Kelsi Putnam, Elissa Strand), 4 x 800 meter relay
Amity Regional (Nicole Koshes, Emily Zielinski, Danielle Grosso, Caroline Rafferty), 1600 Sprint Medley Relay
Diane Karosas (Branford), High Jump
Bridget Wirtz (Branford), Pole Vault
Erica Marriott (North Haven), Long Jump
Suzie Okoli (Wilbur Cross), Shot Put

ALL-CONFERENCE SECOND TEAM

Ayesha Nelson (Hillhouse), 55 meters and 55 meter hurdles
Nyia White (Hillhouse), 300 meters
Jad Boyd (Hillhouse), 600 meters
Grace Adolphe (Wilbur Cross), 1000 meters
Jacqueline Guerra (Guilford), 1600 and 3200 meters
Shelton (Haley Oko, Kelly Hurd, Emma Wadeka, Elizabeth Herlihy), 4 x 200 meter relay
Hamden (Love Melton, Tori Raquell Roberts, Arreyiona Jones, Alysia Joseph), 4 x 400 meter relay
Shelton (Maeve Sheldon, Amanda LoMonte, Alexandra Kenealy, Heather Garrett), 4 x 800 meter relay
Wilbur Cross (Yaleija Jackson, Sadeja Angus, Elexis Eden, Grace Adolphe), 1600 Sprint Medley Relay
Molly Mazzucco (East Haven), High Jump
Stephanie Phoenix (Sheehan), Pole Vault
Kisha Francois (East Haven), Long Jump
Leah Moore (Hillhouse), Shot Put

SCC/COS NOW ATHLETE/COACH OF YEAR

Athlete of the Year: Meredith Bloss (Guilford)
Coach of the Year: Gary Moore (Hillhouse)

BOYS INDOOR TRACK

STATE CHAMPIONS: Hillhouse (Class M)

STATE RUNNER-UPS: Lyman Hall (2nd)

TOP STATE FINISHES:

Amity Regional (Class LL, 3rd)
Hillhouse (State Open, 6th)

WEST SECTIONAL MEET– Jan. 23 @Floyd Little Athletic Center
Final Team Results: 1. Xavier, 96; 2. Hamden, 71; 3. Wilbur Cross, 70; 4. Fairfield Prep, 62; 5. North Haven, 41.66; 6. Notre Dame, 36; 7. Branford, 34.33; 8. West Haven, 22; 9. East Haven, 22; 10. Career, 10

EAST SECTIONAL MEET – Jan. 24 @Floyd Little Athletic Center
Final Team Results: 1. Lyman Hall, 97; 2. Hillhouse, 91; 3. Shelton, 81.50; 4. Amity Regional, 49.50; 5. Daniel Hand, 42; 6. Jonathan Law, 35; 7. Foran, 21; 8. Guilford, 17; 8. Sheehan, 17; 10. Cheshire, 14

SCC CHAMPIONSHIP MEET – Feb. 2 @Floyd Little Athletic Center
Final Team Results: 1. Hillhouse, 75; 2. Lyman Hall, 57; 3. Xavier, 47; 4. Fairfield Prep, 36; 5. Shelton, 34; 6. Hamden, 29.5; 7. Branford, 24; 8. Daniel Hand, 21; 9. Jonathan Law, 20; 10. Amity Regional, 19; 11. Guilford, 16; 12. North Haven, 14; 12. Foran, 14; 14. Notre Dame, 13; 15. Career, 10; 15. Cheshire, 10; 17. West Haven, 9; 18. East Haven, 8; 19. Wilbur Cross, 4.5; 20. Sheehan, 4

ALL-CONFERENCE FIRST TEAM

Corey Sondak (Guilford), 55 meters
Deshaune Poole (Hillhouse), 300 meters and 55 meter hurdles
Talib McBride (Hillhouse), 600 meters
Marzio Mastroianni (Branford), 1000 meters
Drew Thompson (Fairfield Prep), 1600 meters
Brendan Murray (Cheshire), 3200 meters

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Hamden (Chris Pigatt, John Mayes, Rodney Davis, Chris Wallace), 4 x 200 meter relay
Lyman Hall (Matt Niceferro, Jordan Crawford, Randy McFarline, Blake Jandreau), 4 x 400 meter relay
Fairfield Prep (MacKinnon Sheldon, Drew Newcomb, Edward Tristine, Drew Thompson), 4 x 800 meter relay
Branford (Christian Miller, Carlos Macaay, Aidan Kropiwnicki, Marzio Mastroianni), 1600 Sprint Medley relay
Tyler Seamans (Lyman Hall), High Jump
Nicholas Petruzzelli (Notre Dame), Pole Vault
Dyshon Vaughn (Career), Long Jump
Ed Radzion (Shelton), Shot Put

ALL-CONFERENCE SECOND TEAM

Jay Donaldson (East Haven), 55 meters
Manasseh Bekele (Hillhouse), 300 meters
Pierre Sylvain (Xavier), 600 meters
Owen Lally (Xavier), 1000 meters
William Curran (Xavier), 1600 meters
Robert Dillon (Shelton), 3200 meters
Jordan Beck (Jonathan Law), 55 meter hurdles
Hillhouse (Deshaune Poole, Neal Eley, Naszier Torrence-Robinson, John Gardner), 4 x 200 meter relay
Daniel Hand (Jaime Calderon, Carson Hines, Liam Akers, Nick Porte), 4 x 400 meter relay
Xavier (Matt Pryden, Ryan Grochowski, Peter Schulten, William Curran), 4 x 800 meter relay
Lyman Hall (Tyler Seamans, Harrison Febbriello, Matthew Nicefaro, Robert Ottens), 1600 Sprint Medley relay
Russell Powell (Daniel Hand), High Jump
Nicholas Costantini (Foran), Pole Vault
Neal Eley (Hillhouse), Long Jump
Eric Milliard (North Haven), Shot Put

SCC/ORTHONOW ATHLETE/COACH OF YEAR*

Athletes of the Year: Deshaun Poole (Hillhouse)
Coach of the Year: David Palmer (Lyman Hall)

BOYS SWIMMING

STATE CHAMPIONS: none

STATE RUNNER-UPS:

Fairfield Prep (Class LL)
Daniel Hand (Class M)

TOP STATE FINISHES:

Cheshire (Class LL, 3rd)
Fairfield Prep (State Open, 4th)
Amity Regional (Class LL, 4th)
Notre Dame (Class M, 4th)

REGULAR-SEASON CHAMPIONS

Div. I: Fairfield Prep (6-0)
Div. II: Sheehan (7-0)



Fairfield Prep won its 14th straight SCC boys swimming title in 2018.

SCC CHAMPIONSHIP MEET – Feb. 28 @SCSU – Moore Fieldhouse
Final Team Results: 1. Fairfield Prep, 1445; 2. Daniel Hand, 871; 3. Amity Regional, 778; 4. Cheshire, 699; 5. Notre Dame, 517.5; 6. Xavier, 473; 7. Sheehan, 450; 8. Shelton, 426; 9. Hamden, 308; 10. North Haven, 295; 11. Branford/Guilford, 265; 12. Jonathan Law, 207; 13. Foran, 197; 14. Lyman Hall, 189.5; 15. West Haven, 175

ALL-CONFERENCE

200 Yard Medley Relay
Fairfield Prep (Liam Colleran, Oliver Rus, Yarmoussik Stanislav, William Duffy)
Amity Regional (Colin Roy, Arsenio Bustos, Kevin Yanagisawa, Tyler Roy)

200 yard Freestyle: Alfred Hansen (Notre Dame), Ben Brewer (Cheshire), Brody Biebel (Fairfield Prep)

200 yard IM: Richard Nolan (Fairfield Prep), Aidan Henry (Branford/Guilford), Andrew Reagan (Xavier)

50 Yard Freestyle: Colin Roy (Amity Regional), Liam Colleran (Fairfield Prep), William Duffy (Fairfield Prep)

Diving: Andrew Buehler (Sheehan), Mary Huminski (Daniel Hand), Uranik Klobucishta (Amity Regional)

100 Yard Butterfly: Kevin Yanagisawa (Amity Regional), Ben Brewer (Cheshire), Arsenio Bustos (Amity Regional)

100 Yard Freestyle: Oliver Rus (Fairfield Prep), Tyler Cusano (Hamden), William Duffy (Fairfield Prep)

500 Yard Freestyle: Alfred Hansen (Notre Dame), Andrew Mitchell (Xavier), Kevin Yanagisawa (Amity Regional)

200 Yard Freestyle Relay
Fairfield Prep (Liam Colleran, Jack Rogers, Oliver Rus, William Duffy)

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Daniel Hand (John Beiner, Paul O'Connor, Dylan Merritt, Tyler Merritt)

100 Yard Backstroke: Liam Colleran (Fairfield Prep), Colin Roy (Amity Regional), Christopher Wu (Daniel Hand)

100 Yard Breaststroke: Oliver Rus (Fairfield Prep), Richard Nolan (Fairfield Prep), Alec Keblish (Fairfield Prep)

400 Yard Freestyle Relay

Amity Regional (Tyler Roy, Kevin Yanagisawa, Arsenio Bustos, Colin Roy)

Daniel Hand (William Porter, Nathan Imbergamo, Tyler Merritt, Christopher Wu)



Xavier won its seventh SCC wrestling title in 2018.

SCC/ORTHO NOW SWIMMER/COACH OF YEAR

Div. 1 Swimmer of the Year: Collin Roy (Amity Regional)

Div. 1 Coach of the Year: Todd Rainey (Amity Regional)

Div. 2 Swimmer of the Year: Ethan Skuches (Foran)

Div. 2 Coach of the Year: Martha Phelan (North Haven)

WRESTLING

STATE CHAMPIONS:

Foran (Class M)

STATE RUNNER-UPS:

Xavier (Class LL)

TOP STATE FINISHES:

Daniel Hand (Class L, 5th)

Guilford (Class M, 3rd)

Xavier (State Open, 6th)

SCC CHAMPIONSHIP MEET – Feb. 10 @Alumni Hall – Fairfield University

Final Team Results: 1. Xavier, 166.5; 2. Hand, 129.5; 3. Foran, 128.5; 4. Amity 90; 5. Guilford 81; 6. Branford 73; 7. Jonathan Law 71; 8. East Haven 66; 9. Shelton 40; 10. Fairfield Prep, 32.5; 11. Notre Dame 28.5; 12. New Haven 14

CHAMPIONSHIP MATCHES

106 Michael Rapuano (Xavier) def. Matt Divito (East Haven) Major Dec. 16-2

113 Victor Garcia (East Haven) def. Steven Reyes (Shelton) 5-3

120 Aiden Hebert (Amity Regional) def. Kyle Davern (Daniel Hand) Major Dec. 9-0

126 Keldon LaRose (Guilford) def. Ronan Marino (Xavier) Pin at 5:23

132 James Lunt (Xavier) def. Mark Hartman (Daniel Hand) 4-1

138 Grant Barber (Xavier) def. Aisaiah Rodriguez (Jonathan Law) Tech Fall 16-0

145 Connor Massey (Notre Dame) def. Dean Tsiranides (Fairfield Prep) 6-4

152 Ryan Luth (Foran) def. Matt Rothman (Amity Regional) Tech Fall 18-1

160 Zach Cash (Branford) def. Ron Gaul (Foran) Major Dec. 12-1
170 Ryan Devivo (Xavier) def. Adam Hendrick (Daniel Hand) Major Dec. 17-6

182 Dylan Sousa (Xavier) def. Charlie Andrus (Guilford) 11-6

195 Kevin Brocksom (Jonathan Law) def. Ray Weiner (Shelton) 4-2 (OT)

220 Kyle Zalewski (Branford) def. Qasim Khan (Foran) 3-1

285 Mike Burchell (Daniel Hand) def. Justin Griffen (Amity Regional) Pin at 2:17

ALL-CONFERENCE FIRST TEAM

Michael Rapuano (Xavier), Victor Garcia (East Haven), Aiden Hebert (Amity Regional), Keldon LaRose (Guilford), James Lunt (Xavier), Grant Barber (Xavier), Connor Massey (Notre Dame), Ryan Luth (Foran), Zach Cash (Branford), Ryan Devivo (Xavier) def. Dylan Sousa (Xavier), Kevin Brocksom (Jonathan Law), Kyle Zalewski (Branford), Mike Burchell (Daniel Hand)

ALL-CONFERENCE SECOND TEAM

Matt Divito (East Haven), Steven Reyes (Shelton), Kyle Davern (Daniel Hand), Ronan Marino (Xavier), Mark Hartman (Daniel Hand), Aisaiah Rodriguez (Jonathan Law), Dean Tsiranides (Fairfield Prep), Matt Rothman (Amity Regional), Ron Gaul (Foran), Adam Hendrick (Daniel Hand), Charlie Andrus (Guilford), Ray Weiner (Shelton), Qasim Khan (Foran), Justin Griffen (Amity Regional)

SCC/ORTHO NOW WRESTLER/COACH OF YEAR

Wrestler of the Year: Ryan Luth (Foran)

Coach of the Year: Ryan Roddy (Amity Regional)

BOYS BASKETBALL

STATE CHAMPIONS: none

STATE RUNNER-UPS:

Amity Regional (Division II, lost to Immaculate, 53-34)

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Hamden captured its first-ever SCC boys basketball title in 2018.

STATE SEMIFINALS:

Amity Regional (Division II, def. Newtown, 48-45)

DIVISION CHAMPIONS

Hammonasset: Guilford, Xavier (7-1)

Housatonic: Hillhouse (7-1)

Oronoque: Wilbur Cross (8-0)

Quinnipiac: Career (8-0)

ALL-CONFERENCE FIRST TEAM

William Antrum (Wilbur Cross), Jackson Benigni (Xavier), Sam Dombroski (Guilford), Ronnie Ellis (Hamden), Connor Raines (Notre Dame), Noah Rubino (Guilford), Eddie Popolizio (East Haven), Victor Rosario (Hamden), Jaylen Ricks (Hamden), Kwane Taylor (Wilbur Cross), Tyler Thomas (Amity Regional), Mekhi Warren (Hillhouse), Davon Warner (Hillhouse)

ALL-CONFERENCE SECOND TEAM

Tyler Boris (Daniel Hand), Mike Brooks (Notre Dame), Conor Creane (Jonathan Law), Matt Cruz (Foran), Kyle Daniels (Career), Matt Donlan (Guilford), Flynn Driscoll (Daniel Hand), Jakeem Foreman (Wilbur Cross), RJ Hager (North Haven), Josh Krause (Guilford), Brian Noone (Fairfield Prep), Kevin Ransom (Lyman Hall), Jordan Williams (Career)

SCC PLAYOFFS

First Round – Feb. 22 @Higher Seeds

#3 Hamden 99, #14 Lyman Hall 74

#4 Hillhouse 73, #13 Jonathan Law 53

#5 Xavier 56, #12 Foran 30

#6 Amity Regional 50, #11 Daniel Hand 30

#7 Career 65, #10 North Haven 52

#8 Notre Dame 63, #9 Cheshire 34

Quarterfinals – Feb. 24 @Branford HS

#8 Notre Dame 59, #1 Wilbur Cross 56

#4 Hillhouse 48, #5 Xavier 35

#2 Guilford 49, #7 Career 47

#3 Hamden 67, #6 Amity Regional 51

Semifinals – Feb. 26 @Floyd Little Athletic Center

#3 Hamden 71, #2 Guilford 69

#4 Hillhouse 55, #8 Notre Dame 50

Championship – Feb. 28 @Floyd Little Athletic Center

Hamden 67, Hillhouse 49

SCC/ORTHONOW PLAYER/COACH OF YEAR

Player of the Year: Tyler Thomas (Amity Regional)

Coach of the Year: Jeff DeMaio (Guilford)

GIRLS BASKETBALL

STATE CHAMPIONS:

Mercy (Class LL, defeated Hall, 49-37)

East Haven (Class M, defeated Career, 49-47)

STATE RUNNER-UPS: none

STATE SEMIFINALISTS:

Mercy (Class LL, def. Trumbull, 62-46)

Daniel Hand (Class L, lost to RHAM, 59-40)

East Haven (Class M, def. Rocky Hill, 56-52)

Career (Class M, def. Weston, 39-34)

DIVISION CHAMPIONS

Hammonasset: Mercy (8-0)

Housatonic: Career, Sheehan (7-1)

Oronoque: Daniel Hand (8-0)

Quinnipiac: East Haven, Hamden (7-1)

ALL-CONFERENCE FIRST TEAM

Meghan DeVillie (Mercy), Gabby Egidio (Daniel Hand), Ky'Jae Hargrove (Career), Bella Santoro (Mercy), Kylie Schlottman (East Haven), Taniyah Thompson (Hamden), Mackenzie Helms (East Haven), Sara Wohlgermuth (Daniel Hand), Mia Juodaitis (Cheshire), Mikaela Johnson (Hamden), Samantha Chapps (Mercy), Olivia Robles (Sheehan)

ALL-CONFERENCE SECOND TEAM

Amanda King (Guilford), Kailey Lipka (Lyman Hall), Fallon Andriolas (Jonathan Law), Tanayja London (Hillhouse), Amanda Granados (Amity Regional), Kameryn King (Mercy), Cali Jolley (Jonathan Law), Tara Laugeni (Amity Regional), Halle Freund (Daniel Hand), Alexis Pendziwater (East Haven), Anaija Ricks (Wilbur Cross), Sophia Araneo (Branford)

SCC PLAYOFFS

First Round – Feb. 15 @Higher Seeds

#3 Daniel Hand 66, #14 Cheshire 37

#4 Hamden 76, #13 Shelton 38

#5 Amity Regional 46, #12 Lyman Hall 27

#6 Wilbur Cross 56, #11 Guilford 28

#7 Career 60, #10 Hillhouse 51

#8 Sheehan 54, #9 Jonathan Law 39

Quarterfinals – Feb. 17 @Sheehan HS

#1 Mercy 72, #8 Sheehan 37

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Mercy captured the 2018 SCC girls basketball title.

#4 Hamden 70, #5 Amity Regional 43
#2 East Haven 56, #7 Career 54 (OT)
#3 Daniel Hand 64, #6 Wilbur Cross 62

Semifinals – Feb. 19 @Jonathan Law HS

East Haven 56, Daniel Hand 55
Mercy 62, Hamden 47

Championship – Feb. 21 @East Haven HS

Mercy 64, East Haven 40

SCC/ORTHO NOW PLAYER/COACH OF YEAR

Player of the Year: Kylie Schlottman (East Haven)

Coach of the Year: Mike Busillo (Sheehan)

BOYS ICE HOCKEY – SCC/SWC

STATE CHAMPIONS:

Fairfield Prep (Div. I, def. Greenwich, 4-2)

STATE RUNNER-UPS:

Guilford (Div. II, lost to Farmington Valley co-op, 7-3)

STATE SEMIFINALS:

Fairfield Prep (Div. I, def. Ridgefield, 4-1)

Xavier (Div. I, lost to Greenwich, 3-2, in OT)

Guilford (Div. II, def. Watertown-Pomperaug, 2-1)

SCC/SWC PLAYOFFS

Division III

Semifinals – Feb. 28 @Milford Ice Pavilion

##2 Sheehan 6, #3 Daniel Hand 2

#4 BBD 3, #1 Lyman Hall/HK/Coginchaug 3 (BBD advances via shootout, 4-3)

Championship Game – March 3 @Bennett Rink

Sheehan 8, BBD 3

Division II

Semifinals - March 1 @Bennett Rink

#1 Guilford 6, #4 Amity Regional 3

#2 Watertown-Pomperaug 4, #3 North Branford 0

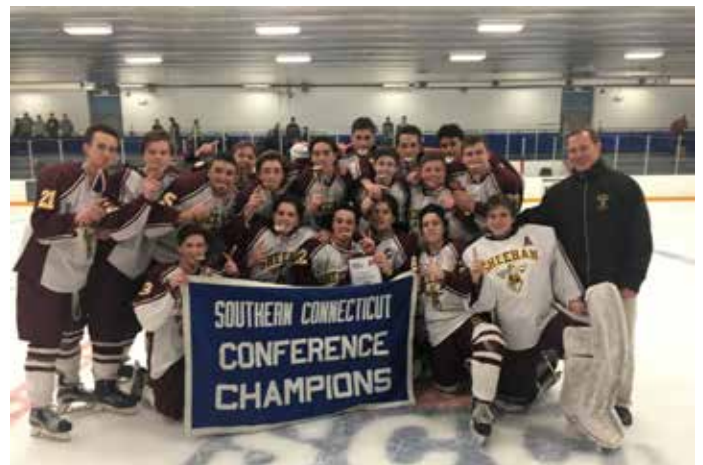
Championship - March 3 @Bennett Rink



Fairfield Prep – 2018 Div. I boys ice hockey champions



Guilford repeated as Div. II boys ice hockey champions in 2018.



Sheehan – 2018 Div. III boys ice hockey champions

Guilford 3, Watertown-Pomperaug co-op 2

Division I

Championship Game - March 3 @Bennett Rink

Fairfield Prep 5, Notre Dame-WH 0

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DIVISION I FIRST TEAM

Forward: Skyler Celotto (Fairfield Prep), Michael Bencivengo (Notre Dame-West Haven), Aden Hotchkiss (Xavier)
Defense: Matt Carlucci (NFI), Cole Casl (Fairfield Prep)
Goalie: Logan Cole (West Haven), Jack McGee (Fairfield Prep)

DIVISION I SECOND TEAM

Forward: Mason Boyhen (Hamden), Kris Shkreli (Notre Dame-Fairfield), Tony DiPreta (Xavier), A.J. Ludee (Hamden)
Defense: Joel Hotchkiss (Xavier), Zack Dumas (Notre Dame-West Haven)
Goalie: Stephen Turner (Hamden)

DIVISION II FIRST TEAM

Forward: Nate Capriglione (New Milford), Sean McKee (North Branford), John DeLucia (Guilford), Jack Ring (Guilford), Jamie Blum (Amity Regional)
Defense: Joel Neleber (Guilford), Hunter Shea (Watertown-Pomperaug), Brendan Dupuis (North Branford), Ben O'Connor (Cheshire)
Goalie: Matt Twarowski (East Haven), John Lovelace (North Branford)

DIVISION II SECOND TEAM

Forward: Santiago Palacio (Milford), Liam Killea (Cheshire), Jason Csejka (Amity Regional), David Brestovansky (Newtown), Ryan Berry (New Milford), C.J. Kenny (North Haven)
Defense: Jake Silliman (Amity Regional), Rob Lionette (Branford), Andrew Carmody (North Haven), Drew Mancini (Watertown-Pomperaug)
Goalie: Tyler Cole (Amity Regional)

DIVISION III FIRST TEAM

Forward: Scott Bradley (Lyman Hall/HK), Kyle Roberts (Lyman Hall/HK), Paul Gagliardi (Daniel Hand)
Defense: James McCarthy (BBD), Nick Gonsalves (Sheehan), Brendan Andros (Masuk)
Goalie: Tyler Robertson (Sheehan)

DIVISION III SECOND TEAM

Forward: Colin Raymond (Masuk), Joe Romano (Sheehan), Vin Masselli (Joel Barlow)
Defense: Jarrod Sullivan (Lyman Hall/HK), Ian Rice (Daniel Hand), Alex Ficorilli (Sheehan)
Goalie: Andrew Sacco (Lyman Hall/HK)

SCC/ORTHONOW PLAYER/COACH OF YEAR

Div. I Player of the Year: Skyler Celotto (Fairfield Prep)

Div. I Coach of the Year: Larry Vieira (NFI)

Div. II Player of the Year: John DeLucia (Guilford)

Div. II Coach of the Year: Vic Vicenzi (Watertown-Pomperaug)

Div. III Player of the Year: Scott Bradley (Lyman Hall/HK)

Div. III Coach of the Year: David Festa (Sheehan)



Suffield co-op – 2018 North girls ice hockey champions



GIRLS ICE HOCKEY

STATE CHAMPIONS: none

STATE RUNNER-UP:

Suffield co-op - lost to Darien, 5-2

STATE SEMIFINALS:

Suffield co-op def. Branford/EH/NB, 7-0

NORTH REGULAR-SEASON CHAMPION: Suffield co-op (9-1)

SOUTH REGULAR-SEASON CHAMPION: West Haven/SHA co-op (7-1)

SCC PLAYOFFS

North Division

Semifinals – Feb. 19 @Higher Seeds

#1 Suffield co-op 4, #4 Simsbury 1

#3 Northwest Catholic/Mercy co-op 2, #1 Hall/Conard co-op 2

Championship – Feb. 23 @Koeppel Rink – Trinity College

#1 Suffield co-op 4, #3 NW Catholic/Mercy 1

South Division

First Round – Feb. 19 @Higher Seeds

#3 Amity/Cheshire/NH co-op 3, #6 Daniel Hand co-op 2

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#5 Notre Dame-Fairfield co-op 2, #4 Branford/EH/NB co-op 0

Semifinals – Feb. 21 @Higher Seeds

#1 West Haven/SHA co-op 3, #5 ND-Fairfield co-op 0

#2 Hamden 3, #3 Amity/Cheshire/NH co-op 2 (2 OT)

Championship – Feb. 24 @Bennett Rink

#1 West Haven/SHA co-op 4, #2 Hamden 3

NORTH DIVISION FIRST TEAM

Nora McGowan (Hall/Conard), Katherine Sadak (NW Catholic/Mercy), Tori Geaglone (Suffield/Enfield), Grace Melanson (Simsbury), Sophie Lupone (Suffield), Ana Tittmann (Suffield/Housatonic)

NORTH DIVISION SECOND TEAM

Caitlynn Caldon (Suffield/MLC), Claire Bettor (Simsbury), Julia Swanson (East Catholic), Molly Dowd (Suffield/Housatonic), Kendall Castro (NW Catholic/Mercy), Genevieve Bushy (Suffield/Housatonic), Victoria Amaral (East Catholic/Glastonbury)

SOUTH DIVISION FIRST TEAM

Julia SanGiovanni (Branford/EH), Julianna Constantinople (Branford/EH), Veronica Lynn (West Haven/SHA), Taylor Nowak (West Haven/SHA), Emmy Norton (Branford/EH/NB), Cally Dixon (Amity/NH/Cheshire)

SOUTH DIVISION SECOND TEAM

Carina Mancini (Daniel Hand/OL/Coginchaug), Tatum Courtmanche (West Haven/SHA), Maggie Gould (Hamden), Mackenzie Sargolini (Hamden), Taylor Klesyk (Hamden), Ari Martin (Hamden), Tess Csjecka (Amity/NH/Cheshire)

SCC/ORTHONOW PLAYER/COACH OF YEAR

North Player of the Year: Grace Melanson (Simsbury)

North Coach of the Year: Brett Soucy (Hall/Conard co-op)

South Player of the Year: Julianna Constantinople (East Haven/Branford/NB co-op)

South Coach of the Year: Erin Blake (West Haven/SHA co-op)



Xavier won the SCC golf title in 2018.

SCC CHAMPIONSHIP – May 29 @Racebrook Country Club (par-71)

Final Team Results: 1. Xavier, 304; 2. Fairfield Prep, 308; 3. Hamden, 311; 4. Daniel Hand, 321; 5. Notre Dame, 322; 6. Shelton, 337; 7. Cheshire, 341; 7. Guilford, 341; 9. Jonathan Law, 385

Co-Medalists: Chris Fosdick (Xavier) and Will Mallek (Fairfield Prep), 71

Other Top Finishers:

Alex Aurora (Hamden), 72
Kevin Morris (Hamden), 75
Kyle St. Pierre (Shelton), 76
Michael McKeon (Daniel Hand), 76
Matthew Doyle (Daniel Hand), 76
Drew Bellina (Cheshire), 77
Kevin Lynch (Xavier), 77
Patrick Kennedy (Xavier), 77
Robbie Ludwig (Notre Dame), 77
Tommy Rosati (Notre Dame), 78
Jack Kane (Fairfield Prep), 78
Joe Colavito (Xavier), 79

ALL-CONFERENCE

Chris Fosdick (Xavier), Kevin Lynch (Xavier), Will Mallek (Fairfield Prep), Kyle St. Pierre (Shelton), Matthew Doyle (Daniel Hand), Michael McKeon (Daniel Hand), Robbie Ludwig (Notre Dame), Alex Aurora (Hamden), Kevin Morris (Hamden), Drew Bellina (Cheshire)

SCC/ORTHONOW GOLFER/COACH OF YEAR

Div. I Golfer of the Year: Chris Fosdick (Xavier)

Div. I Coach of the Year: Michael Kohs (Xavier)

Div. II Golfers of the Year: Kyle St. Pierre (Shelton)

Div. II Coach of the Year: Andy Koorejian (Jonathan Law)

SPRING **BOYS GOLF**

STATE CHAMPIONS: none

STATE RUNNER-UPS: None

TOP STATE FINISHES:

Fairfield Prep (Division I, 5th)

Xavier (Division I, 6th)

Daniel Hand (Division II, 3rd)

Notre Dame (Division II, 5th)

DIVISION I REGULAR-SEASON CHAMPION: Xavier

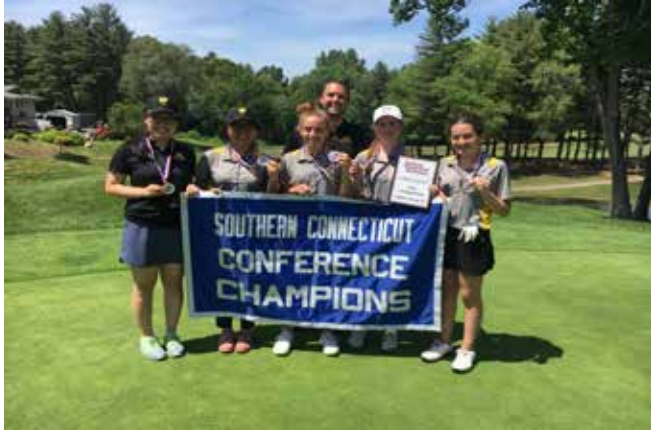
DIVISION II REGULAR-SEASON CHAMPION: Shelton

GIRLS GOLF

STATE CHAMPIONS: none

STATE RUNNER-UPS: none

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Amity Regional won the SCC Girls Golf title in 2018.



Daniel Hand won its first-ever SCC boys volleyball title in 2018.

TOP STATE FINISHES:

Mercy (7th)

SCC CHAMPIONSHIP – May 30 @Hawk's Landing-Southington

Final Team Results: Amity Regional (383), Mercy (384), Cheshire (394), Daniel Hand (424), Luralton Hall (442).

Medalist: Praewa Treekul (Mercy), 72

Other Top Finishers:

Meghan DeVille (Mercy), 84
Bridget Barnsley (Amity Regional), 86
Tess Csejka (Amity Regional), 88
Marisa Brough (Cheshire), 89
Maggie Burkhard (Cheshire), 96
Cassidy Keaney (Cheshire), 99
Olivia Wilson (Sheehan), 99
Haley Bernier (Luralton Hall), 101
Carolina Cadelina (Amity Regional), 101

ALL-CONFERENCE FIRST TEAM

Praewa Treekul (Mercy), Bridget Barnsley (Amity Regional), Meghan DeVille (Mercy), Caroline Thompson (Mercy), Tess Csejka (Amity Regional), Haley Bernier (Luralton Hall)

ALL-CONFERENCE SECOND TEAM

Cassidy Keaney (Cheshire), Caroline Cadelina (Amity Regional), Eileen So (Mercy), Bailey McGuigan (Luralton Hall), Marisa Brough (Cheshire), Erin Eason (Luralton Hall)

SCC/ORTHONOW GOLFER/COACH OF YEAR

Div. I Golfer of the Year: Praewa Treekul (Mercy)

Div. I Coach of the Year: Peter Golanski (Mercy)

BOYS VOLLEYBALL

STATE CHAMPIONS: none

STATE RUNNER-UPS: none

STATE SEMIFINALS: none

REGULAR SEASON CHAMPION: Cheshire (6-2)

SCC PLAYOFFS

Semifinals – May 23 @Higher Seeds

#1 Cheshire 3, #4 Xavier 1 (25-14, 25-21, 22-25, 25-20)

#3 Daniel Hand 3, #2 Shelton 2 (22-25, 22-25, 25-22, 25-22, 15-10)

Championship Game – May 25 @Cheshire HS

Daniel Hand 3, Cheshire 1 (25-17, 25-21, 22-25, 25-18)

ALL-CONFERENCE FIRST TEAM

First Team: Alex Feldman (Cheshire), Colby Hates (Cheshire), Erik Lazor (Daniel Hand), Skyler Kim (Shelton), Jarrett McCurdy (Shelton), Kian McCormack (Xavier), Zach Rampone (Xavier)

ALL-CONFERENCE SECOND TEAM

Christian Tzepos (Amity Regional), Berkley Fang (Cheshire), Mike Card (Daniel Hand), Matt McSweeney (Daniel Hand), David Niski (Shelton), Tyler Nolan (Shelton), Ethan Powers (Xavier)

SCC/ORTHONOW PLAYER/COACH OF YEAR

Div. I Player of the Year: Jarrett McCurdy (Shelton)

Div. I Coach of the Year: Marc Figlar (Daniel Hand)

BASEBALL

STATE CHAMPIONS:

Cheshire (Class LL, def. Ridgefield, 1-0)

STATE RUNNER-UPS: none

STATE SEMIFINALS:

Cheshire (Class LL, def. Fairfield Prep, 5-4 in 10 inn.)

Guilford (Class L, lost to Wethersfield, 4-1)

Branford (Class L, lost to Windsor, 1-0)

DIVISION CHAMPIONS

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Hammonasset: Amity Regional, Daniel Hand (7-1)
Housatonic: Hamden, Cheshire (6-2)
Oronoque: Fairfield Prep (8-0)
Quinnipiac: Branford, North Haven (4-2)

SCC PLAYOFFS PRESENTED BY THE LIONS CLUB OF NEW HAVEN

Quarterfinals - May 23 @Higher Seeds

#1 Fairfield Prep 1, #8 Hamden 0 (10)
#4 North Haven 7, #5 Amity Regional 6
#2 Daniel Hand 1, #7 Guilford 0
#6 Branford 8, #3 Cheshire 5

Semifinals - May 24 @Higher Seeds

Fairfield Prep 7, North Haven 0
Daniel Hand 6, Branford 3

Championship Game - May 24 @Piurek Field

Fairfield Prep 2, Daniel Hand 1

ALL-HOUSATONIC DIVISION

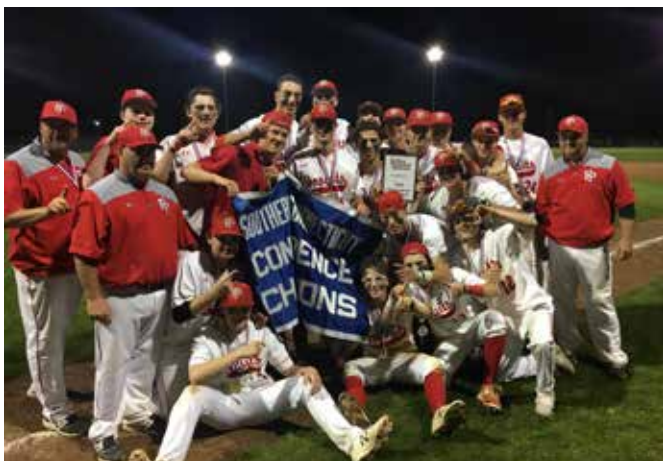
Pat Winkel (Amity Regional), Jack Nolan (Amity Regional), James DeGrasse (Daniel Hand), Carl Maxwell (Jonathan Law), Phoenix Billings (Daniel Hand), Eddie Sweeney (Daniel Hand), Pat Christensen (Sheehan), Cam Fitzgerald (Daniel Hand), Kyle Schaefer (Daniel Hand), Ben Lodewick (Amity Regional), Quinn Burke (Amity Regional), Carlos Lugo (Career)

ALL-HOUSATONIC DIVISION

Ron Desroches (Hamden), Ben DeLaubell (Cheshire), Jack McDonald (Lyman Hall), Russell Edeen (Lyman Hall), Mike Ferrett (Hamden), Nick Flammia (West Haven), Ryan Strollo (Cheshire), Tyler Osbourne (Hamden), Mike Sansone (Notre Dame), Ben Shaddeck (Cheshire), Mike Torniero (Notre Dame)

ALL-ORONOQUE DIVISION

Dan Fallacaro (Fairfield Prep), Andrew Marrero (Wilbur Cross), Matt Hunyade (Shelton), Mark Wooten (Foran), Will Lucas (Fairfield Prep), Logan Driscoll (Guilford), Pat Browne (Fairfield Prep), Joe Mancini (Fairfield Prep), Noah Rubino (Guilford), Ben Panagoulas (Guilford)



Fairfield Prep won its first-ever SCC baseball title in 2018.

ALL-QUINNIPIAC DIVISION

Kevin Lucey (North Haven), Damien Maniscalco (Branford), Connor Cardi (Xavier), Nate Furino (East Haven), Carson Mendoza (Branford), Payton Farina (North Haven), Ryan Spano (East Haven), D.J. Caron (Branford), Luca Lawrence (North Haven), Alphonse Suppa (Branford), Bryce Hammen (Xavier)

SCC/ORTHO NOW PLAYER/COACH OF YEAR

Player of the Year: Patrick Winkel (Amity Regional)

Coach of the Year: Rudy Mauritz (Fairfield Prep)

SOFTBALL

STATE CHAMPIONS:

Amity Regional (Class LL, def. Trumbull, 13-7)

STATE RUNNER-UPS: none

STATE SEMIFINALISTS:

Amity Regional (Class LL, def. Southington, 6-5)
Cheshire (Class LL, lost to Trumbull, 6-5)
Daniel Hand (Class L, lost to Brookfield, 6-5)
Jonathan Law (Class L, lost to Masuk, 14-2)

DIVISION CHAMPIONS

Hammonasset: Cheshire (8-0)
Housatonic: Amity Regional (8-0)
Oronoque: North Haven (7-1)
Quinnipiac: Daniel Hand (8-0)

SCC PLAYOFFS

Quarterfinals - May 23 @Higher Seeds

#8 Sheehan 3, #1 Cheshire 2
#4 Amity Regional 7, #5 Guilford 4
#7 East Haven 9, #2 Daniel Hand 4
#3 North Haven 10, #6 Lyman Hall 6

Semifinals - May 24/25 @Higher Seeds

Amity Regional 4, Sheehan 1 (May 24)
North Haven 5, East Haven 0 (May 25)

Championship Game - May 26 @Biondi Field

North Haven 12, Amity Regional 8

FIRST TEAM ALL-CONFERENCE

Nicole Koshes (Amity Regional), Carly Marchitto (Amity Regional), Brooke Matyasovsky (Amity Regional), Natalie Amato (Cheshire), Mia Juodaitis (Cheshire), Sara Mulligan (Cheshire), Ari Perlini (Cheshire), Julia SanGiovanni (East Haven), Jess Stettinger (East Haven), Amanda King (Guilford), Abby Gershwind (Daniel Hand), Sophie Schreck (Daniel Hand), Emma Larke (Lauralton Hall), Cali Jolley (Jonathan Law), Elise Hastings (Lyman Hall), Morgan Tuscano (Lyman Hall), Lauren Card (North Haven), Bernadette Kingsbury (Sacred Heart Academy), Carolyn Biel (Sheehan), Erin Dighello (Sheehan), Kayla Resto (Shelton), Makenna White (West Haven)

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North Haven won its first-ever SCC softball title in 2018.



Fairfield Prep won its 14th SCC boys lacrosse league title in 2018.

SECOND TEAM ALL-CONFERENCE

Danielle Nordyk (Amity Regional), Alexis Falcigno (Branford), Agdielys Alicia (Career), Sydney Vallombroso (Wilbur Cross), Selena Mauro (East Haven), Kalie Mendola (Foran), Ava Gladwin (Guilford), Kiana Robinson (Hamden), Christina Coric (Daniel Hand), Caroline O'Connor (Daniel Hand), Maura Keary (Lauralton Hall), Gina Boccamazzo (Jonathan Law), Kacy O'Connor (Jonathan Law), Sam Carbone (Lyman Hall), Alexa Boone (Mercy), Zoe Stenger (Mercy), Kyleen Crowe (Sacred Heart Academy), Ally Kirck (Sacred Heart Academy), Samantha Iannone (Sheehan), Kailey Carrano (West Haven), Veronica Lynn (West Haven)

SCC/ORTHONOW PLAYER/COACH OF YEAR

Player of the Year: Amanda King (Guilford)

Coach of the Year: Mike Niekrahs (Daniel Hand)

BOYS LACROSSE

STATE CHAMPIONS: none

STATE RUNNER-UPS:

Daniel Hand (Class M, lost to New Fairfield, 13-11)

STATE SEMIFINALS:

Daniel Hand (Class M, def. Waterford, 15-5)

Notre Dame (Class M, lost to New Fairfield, 19-7)

SCC PLAYOFFS

First Round @Higher Seed

#3 Guilford 16, #6 Shelton 4 (May 20)

#4 Cheshire 18, #5 Xavier 12 (May 19)

Semifinals – May 22 @Higher Seeds

#4 Cheshire 9, #1 Daniel Hand 5

#2 Fairfield Prep 20, #3 Guilford 9

Championship Game – May 24 @Ken Strong Stadium – West Haven HS

Fairfield Prep 12, Cheshire 10

ALL-CONFERENCE FIRST TEAM

Attack: Mason Reale (Fairfield Prep), Jack Raba (Cheshire), John DeLucia (Guilford), Nate Palumbo (Daniel Hand), Robbie Lionetti (Branford), Tim Hoynes (Cheshire)

Midfield: TJ Walton (Fairfield Prep), Jack Ring (Guilford), Connor Boyle (Fairfield Prep), Mike Jeffrey (Cheshire), Zach Orth (North Haven), Michael Ford (Xavier), Zack Hoffman (Notre Dame)

Defense: Kevin Hughes (Daniel Hand), Justin Keith (Fairfield Prep), Jack Carr (Shelton), Sam Keresey (Fairfield Prep), Aiden O'Donnell (Xavier)

Goalie: Griffin Fitzmaurice (Daniel Hand)

LS Defensive Mid: Sean Fox (Fairfield Prep)

SS Defensive Mid: Skyler Celotto (Fairfield Prep)

FO Mid: Mark Hartmann (Daniel Hand)

ALL-CONFERENCE SECOND TEAM

Attack: Ethan Grandolfo (Fairfield Prep), Tommy Swank (Daniel Hand), Nick Pavone (Shelton), Bradley Rider (Xavier)

Midfield: Jae Stuhlman (Fairfield Prep), Tom Ferrick (Daniel Hand), Ben Hassen (Notre Dame), Matt Moran (Cheshire), Sean Fitzgerald (Guilford)

Defense: Max Tavitian (Foran), Matt Peters (Notre Dame), Ryan Flynn (Daniel Hand), Jason Schumilla (Cheshire), Ben Corniello (Daniel Hand)

Goalie: Kevin Moriarty (West Haven)

Goalie: Griffin Fitzmaurice (Daniel Hand)

LS Defensive Mid: Mike Parker (Branford)

SS Defensive Mid: Tyler Boris (Daniel Hand)

FO Mid: Max McGillicuddy (Fairfield Prep)

SCC/ORTHONOW PLAYER/COACH OF YEAR

Div. I Players of the Year: Michael Jeffrey (Cheshire), Mason Reale (Fairfield Prep)

Div. II Player of the Year: Robbie Lionetti (Branford)

Div. I Coach of the Year: John Orlando (Daniel Hand)

Div. II Coach of the Year: Jim May (Branford)

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BOYS OUTDOOR TRACK & FIELD

STATE CHAMPIONS:

Hillhouse (Class MM)

STATE RUNNER-UPS: none

TOP STATE FINISHES:

Daniel Hand (Class MM, 3rd)

Lyman Hall (Class MM, 4th)

Sheehan (Class M, 6th)

Shelton (Class LL, 5th)

Xavier (Class LL, 6th)

EAST SECTIONAL MEET – May 14 @Amity Regional HS

Final Team Results: 1. Shelton, 113; 2. Daniel Hand, 103; 3. Amity Regional, 81; 4. Jonathan Law, 74; 5. Lyman Hall, 73; 6. Hillhouse, 71; 7. Sheehan, 69; 8. Cheshire, 54; 9. Foran, 38; 10. Guilford, 38

WEST SECTIONAL MEET – May 18 #Bowen Field - New Haven

Final Team Results: 1. Xavier, 131; 2. Notre Dame, 96.5; 3. Hamden, 92; 4. Branford, 72.5; 5. Fairfield Prep, 71; 6. Wilbur Cross, 61; 7. North Haven, 53; 8. West Haven, 50; 9. East Haven, 45; 10. Career, 20

SCC CHAMPIONSHIP MEET – May 23 @Amity Regional HS

Final Team Results: 1. Shelton, 94; 2. Daniel Hand, 74; 3. Hillhouse, 66; 4. Lyman Hall, 61; 5. Xavier, 54.5; 6. Hamden, 49; 7. Amity Regional, 40; 8. Jonathan Law, 37; 8. Cheshire, 37; 10. Branford, 33.5; 11. Fairfield Prep, 33; 12. Notre Dame, 25; 13. Foran, 24; 14. Sheehan, 19; 15. North Haven, 16; 16. Wilbur Cross, 12; 17. West Haven, 10; 17. East Haven, 10; 19. Guilford, 7

ALL-CONFERENCE FIRST TEAM

Rodney Davis (Hamden), 100 meters
Deshaune Poole (Hillhouse), 200 meters, 110 meter hurdles and 300 meter hurdles
Blake Jandreau (Lyman Hall), 400 meters
Marzio Mastroianni (Branford), 800 and 1600 meters
Drew Thompson (Fairfield Prep), 3200 meters
Shelton (Camerin Gumbs, Michael Rodia, Sean Sirisouk, Nicholas Andrade), 4 x 100 relay
Hillhouse (Talib McBride, Dale Thompson, Naszier Torrence-Robinson, Manasseh Bekele), 4 x 400 relay
Xavier (Pierre Sylvain, Peter Schulten, William Curran, Owen Lally), 4 x 800 relay
Tylor Seamans (Lyman Hall), High Jump
Jared Hbler (Foran), Pole Vault
David Samedi (Shelton), Long Jump
Christopher Wallace (Hamden), Triple Jump
Mike Burchell (Daniel Hand), Shot Put and Discus
Isaiah McNeilly (Daniel Hand), Javelin

ALL-CONFERENCE SECOND TEAM

Erik Lorent (Shelton), 100 and 200 meters
Warren Murphy (Notre Dame), 400 meters



Shelton won the 2018 boys outdoor track & field title.

Manasseh Bekele (Hillhouse), 800 meters
Drew Thompson (Fairfield Prep), 1600 meters
Peter Schulten (Xavier), 3200 meters
Richard Papa (Amity Regional), 110 meter hurdles
Tylor Seamans (Lyman Hall), 300 meter hurdles
Fairfield Prep (Robert McCulloch, John Iaripoli, John Gnibus, Gregory Anderson), 4 x 100 relay
Lyman Hall (Mike Toppin, Robert Ottens, Andrew Horobin, Blake Jandreau), 4 x 400 relay
Hillhouse (Talib McBride, Dale Thompson, Ryan Martinez, Manasseh Bekele), 4 x 800 relay
Zachary Prindle (Shelton), High Jump
Kyle Stuart (Foran), Pole Vault
Camdan Wallace (Sheehan), Long Jump
Cornell Tonge (Hamden), Triple Jump
Ed Radzion (Shelton), Shot Put
Andrew Zebarth (Cheshire), Discus
Michael Casinelli (Shelton), Javelin

SCC/ORTHO NOW ATHLETE/COACH OF YEAR

Athlete of the Year: Deshaune Poole (Hillhouse)

Coach of the Year: Mike Gambardella (Shelton)

GIRLS OUTDOOR TRACK & FIELD

STATE CHAMPIONS:

Hillhouse (Class M)

STATE RUNNER-UPS:

Sheehan (Class MM)

TOP STATE FINISHES:

North Haven (Class MM, 3rd)

Shelton (Class LL, 6th)

EAST SECTIONAL MEET – May 14 @Amity Regional HS

Final Team Results: 1. Sheehan, 128; 2. Hillhouse, 123; 3. Shelton, 114; 4. Guilford, 101; 5. Amity Regional, 57; 6. Cheshire, 54; 7. Daniel Hand, 39; 8. Jonathan Law, 38; 9. Lyman Hall, 37; 10. Foran, 7

WEST SECTIONAL MEET – May 18 @Bowen Field - New Haven

2017-18 SPORT-BY-SPORT RECAP

Final Team Results: 1. Hamden, 155; 2. Wilbur Cross, 105; 3. Sacred Heart Academy, 103; 4. North Haven, 79; 5. Mercy, 74; 6. East Haven, 59; 7. Branford, 43; 8. Luralton Hall, 25; 9. Career, 23; 10. West Haven, 13

SCC CHAMPIONSHIP MEET – May 23 @Amity Regional HS

Final Team Results: 1. Hillhouse, 103; 2. Hamden, 92; 3. Shelton, 78; 4. Guilford, 74.5; 5. Sheehan, 68.5; 6. Sacred Heart Academy, 50.5; 7. Wilbur Cross, 45; 8. North Haven, 39; 9. Amity Regional, 22.5; 10. Daniel Hand, 22; 11. East Haven, 21; 11. Cheshire, 21; 13. Jonathan Law, 16; 14. Lyman Hall, 12.5; 15. Mercy 12; 15. Branford, 12; 17. Career, 8; 18. Luralton Hall, 3; 19. Foran, 0.5

ALL-CONFERENCE FIRST TEAM

Ayesha Nelson (Hillhouse), 100 meters
Aisha Gay (Hamden), 200 and 400 meters
Tori Roberts (Hamden), 800 meters
Jacqueline Guerra (Guilford), 1600 meters
Meredith Bloss (Guilford), 3200 meters
Elizabeth Herlihy (Shelton), 100 meter hurdles
Ayesha Nelson (Hillhouse), 300 meter hurdles
Hamden (Emma Cayward, Andreyra Gardner, Alysia Joseph, Aisha Gay), 4 x 100 relay
Hillhouse (Nyia White, Jada Boyd, De'Janay Davis, Nyimah Ambrose), 4 x 400 relay
Guilford (Julia Esposito, Chloe Shaw, Kelsi Putnam, Elissa Strand), 4 x 800 relay
Nyla Conway (Wilbur Cross), High Jump
Stephanie Phoenix (Sheehan), Pole Vault
Kristen Washington (Hillhouse), Long Jump and Triple Jump
Susie Okoli (Wilbur Cross), Shot Put
Amanda Brown (Sheehan), Discus
Madeline Adzigian (Amity Regional), Javelin

ALL-CONFERENCE SECOND TEAM

Andraya Gardner (Hamden), 100 meters
Erica Marriott (North Haven), 200 meters and Long Jump
Jada Boyd (Hillhouse), 400 meters
Love Melton (Hamden), 800 meters
Meredith Bloss (Guilford), 1600 meters
Jacqueline Guerra (Guilford), 3200 meters
Ayesha Nelson (Hillhouse), 100 meter hurdles
Elizabeth Herlihy (Shelton), 300 meter hurdles



Hillhouse captured the 2018 girls outdoor track & field title.

Wilbur Cross (Yaleija Jackson, Jahlyn Lowndes, Sadeja Angus, Teresa Durrant), 4 x 100 relay
Hamden (Ehsan Ibet, Arreiyona Jones, Love Melton, Tori Roberts), 4 x 400 relay
Hillhouse (Jada Boyd, De'Janay Davis, Kiera Payne, Nyia White) 4 x 800 relay
Molly Mazzucco (East Haven), High Jump
Bridget Wirtz (Branford), Pole Vault
Aliya Cameron (Sacred Heart Academy), Triple Jump
Leah Moore (Hillhouse), Shot Put
Yasmeen Dabiran (Shelton), Discus
Taylor Andrzejewski (Sacred Heart Academy), Javelin

SCC/ORTHONOW ATHLETE/COACH OF YEAR

Athlete of the Year: Aisha Gay (Hamden)

Coach of the Year: Gary Moore (Hillhouse)

GIRLS LACROSSE

STATE CHAMPIONS:

Branford (Class M, def. Daniel Hand, 11-8)

STATE RUNNER-UPS:

Daniel Hand (Class M, lost to Branford, 11-8)

STATE SEMIFINALS:

Daniel Hand (Class M, def. Guilford, 16-8)

Branford (Class M, def. Pomperaug, 12-11 in OT)

Cheshire (Class L, lost to Ridgefield, 14-13 in OT)

REGULAR-SEASON CHAMPION:

Daniel Hand (9-0)

SCC PLAYOFFS

First Round

#3 Branford 21, #6 North Haven 6 (May 19)

#5 Guilford 16, #4 Mercy 10 (May 20)

Semifinals – May 22 @Higher Seeds

#1 Daniel Hand 17, #4 Guilford 7

#2 Cheshire 10, #3 Branford 7

Championship Game – May 24 @Ken Strong Stadium – West Haven HS

Daniel Hand 12, Cheshire 10

ALL-CONFERENCE FIRST TEAM

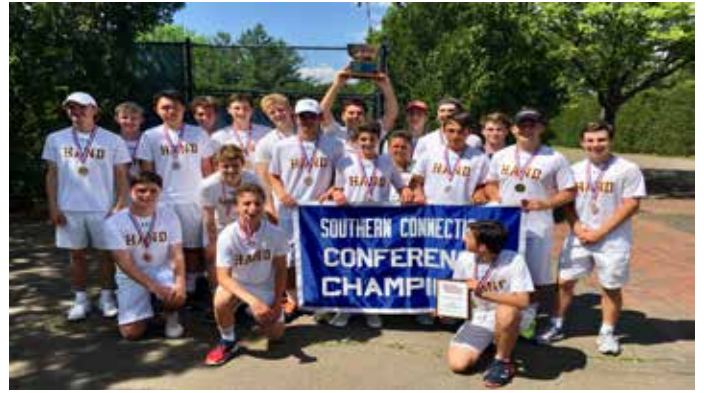
Attack: Taylor Scully (Daniel Hand), Annie Eddy (Cheshire), Sabrina Torcellini (Branford), Glenna-Kate Gies (Daniel Hand)
Midfield: Riley Kokoruda (Daniel Hand), Sophie Spencer (Branford), Mia Pulisciano (Cheshire), Autumn McHenry (Branford), Dory Howard (Daniel Hand)
Defense: Emma Valdez (Daniel Hand), Sam Oris (Cheshire), Grace Paleski (Branford), Caroline Erickson (Branford), Kayla Sansone (Cheshire)
Goalie: Mackenzie Larson (Daniel Hand)

ALL-CONFERENCE SECOND TEAM

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Daniel Hand won its 11th outright SCC girls lacrosse title in 2018.



Daniel Hand - 2018 SCC boys tennis champions

Attack: LanLe Crotty (Branford), Mikayla Crowley (Cheshire), Andria Torres (Jonathan Law), Annie Uyeki (North Haven), Olivia Clarke (Guilford)

Midfield: Emma Sullivan (Daniel Hand), Nicolette Spotlow (Guilford), Annie Acquavita (Cheshire), Colleen Goodwin (Jonathan Law), Kylie Brandt (North Haven)

Defense: Marianna Terenzio (Mercy), Madison Neilander (Sheehan), Amani Cayo (West Haven), Madelyn Pickett (Amity Regional),

Goalie: Sydney O'Neil (Lauralton Hall)

SCC/ORTHONOW PLAYER/COACH OF YEAR

Div. I Player of the Year: Taylor Scully (Daniel Hand)

Div. II Player of the Year: Andrea Torres (Jonathan Law)

Div. I Coach of the Year: Jackie Ceccolini (Branford)

Div. II Coach of the Year: Lois Frankforter (North Haven)

BOYS TENNIS

STATE CHAMPIONS:

Daniel Hand (Class L)

STATE RUNNER-UPS: none

SCC PLAYOFFS

Quarterfinals – May 21 @Higher Seeds

#1 Daniel Hand 6, #8 Shelton 1

#4 Fairfield Prep 5, #5 Xavier 2

#2 Amity Regional 7, #7 Branford 0

#3 Guilford 4, #6 Notre Dame 2

Semifinals – May 22 @Yale University Tennis Courts

#1 Daniel Hand 7, #4 Fairfield Prep 0

#2 Amity Regional 4, #3 Guilford 3

Championship – May 23 @Yale University Tennis Courts

Daniel Hand 7, Amity Regional 0

DIVISION I ALL-CONFERENCE

Singles: Andrew Forchetti (Notre Dame), Alex Ruenhorst (Shelton), Josh Israel (Daniel Hand), Justin Pace (Daniel Hand), Marco Delsanto (Amity Regional), Gian Esposito (Guilford)

Doubles: Robbie Israel (Daniel Hand), Pierce Barry (Fairfield Prep), Andre Singer (Notre Dame), James Delgado (West Ha-

ven), Brett Gloria (Amity Regional), Nash Lovallo (Fairfield Prep)

DIVISION II ALL-CONFERENCE

Singles: Khai Ton (Xavier), Brad Stutzman (Branford), Jack Gaynor (Lyman Hall), Nick Cristante (North Haven), Ryan Money (Foran), Praneeth Ganedi (Branford)

Doubles: Nick Ericson/Jackson Sokolowski (Xavier), Charles Hall/Eli Hanlon (Branford), Sem Jans/Nico Esposito (Foran)

SCC/ORTHONOW PLAYER/COACH OF YEAR

Div. I Player of the Year: Andrew Forchetti (Notre Dame)

Div. II Player of the Year: Kai Ton (Xavier)

Div. I Coach of the Year: Skip South (Notre Dame)

Div. II Coach of the Year: Peter Lyons (Xavier)

GIRLS TENNIS

STATE CHAMPIONS: none

STATE RUNNER-UPS: none

STATE SEMIFINALS:

Daniel Hand (Class L, lost to Darien, 6-1)

Lauralton Hall (Class M, lost to Joel Barlow, 4-3)

SCC PLAYOFFS

Quarterfinals – May 21 @Higher Seeds

#1 Daniel Hand 7, #8 Foran 0

#4 Lauralton Hall 6, #5 Cheshire, 6-1

#2 Guilford 7, #7 North Haven 0

#3 Amity Regional 5, #6 Mercy 2

Semifinals – May 22 @Yale University Tennis Courts

#1 Daniel Hand 5, #4 Lauralton Hall 2

#3 Amity Regional 4, #2 Guilford 3

Championship – May 23 @Yale University Tennis Courts

Daniel Hand 5, Amity Regional 2

DIVISION I ALL-CONFERENCE

Singles: Julia Migliorini (North Haven), Sarah Bullers (Amity Regional), Sam Riordan (Daniel Hand), Faren Roth (Guilford), Justin Hoover (Sheehan), Lindsay Riordan (Daniel Hand)

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Daniel Hand – 2018 SCC girls tennis champions

Doubles: Anna Lang/Lee Jiaen (Daniel Hand), Sam Stofflet/Emily Dietzko (Guilford), Erin O'Connell/Missy Caiola (Lauralton Hall)

DIVISION II ALL-CONFERENCE

Singles: Jovanna Gaetano (West Haven), Grace Hiza (Foran), Krya Johnson (Foran), Lauren Elmasry (Branford), Jenna Pane (East Haven), Monica Pydipati (Jonathan Law)

Doubles: Elise Wardell/Vicky Kostour (Shelton), Keeley Lepre/Tory Rudden (Branford), Liz Mackey/Cambell Doyens (Sacred Heart Academy)

SCC/ORTHO NOW PLAYER/COACH OF YEAR

Div. I Player of the Year: Julia Migliorini (North Haven)

Div. II Player of the Year: Jovanna Gaetano (West Haven)

Div. I Coach of the Year: Miguel Garcia (Mercy)

Div. II Coach of the Year: Mike Marcello (West Haven)

BY THE NUMBERS

2 – All-SCC matchups in a State Championship Game in the 2017-18 academic year (Girls Basketball and Girls Lacrosse).

8 – Number of SCC postseason titles that Daniel Hand won in 2017-18.

14 – Different SCC teams that captured a League Post-season championship in 2016-17.

14² – Consecutive Years that Fairfield Prep has won the SCC Boys Swimming title; it is the longest current post-season streak in the conference.

25 – The SCC will celebrate its 25th year of existence in 2018-19.



40 – Total number of SCC teams that won or finished as state runner-ups in 2016-17.

43 – Student-Athletes who were named "OrthoNOW" SCC Players of the Year in 2017-18. Also, 41 head coaches were named "OrthoNOW" SCC Coaches of the Year.

70.6 – Percentage of SCC teams that qualified for state tournament competition in 2017-18.

445 – SCC teams that have won or shared a state championship since 1994-95.

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