



Hinsdale Central High School Red Devils Soccer

Individual Awards

Most Improved Player

This player is one of the student-athletes that participates in the varsity program, who will receive the award based upon a vote from his teammates, having most improved his level of play and skill.

2002	Dave Ronning	2007	Sam Toczykowski	2012
2003	Nathan Schulz	2008	Paul Cooper	
2004	Geoff Edwards	2009	Ryan Johnson	
2005	Brian Grasso	2010	Phillip Gutman	
2006	Paul Khalil	2011	Aaron Cheever	

Sportsmanship Award

This award is given to the student-athlete who respects the rules of the game, plays fairly, keeps his cool, works cooperatively with team members, and conducts himself with class.

2002	Raef Chenery	2007	Alex Scott	2012
2003	John McGrath	2008	Sean Donovan	
2004	Pat Flynn	2009	Paul Girgis	
2005	Brendan Mulhern	2010	RJ Dralle	
2006	Billy Cheng	2011	RJ Dralle	

Dick Ohl Determination Award

After starting the soccer program in 1973, Coach Ohl coached the varsity team until he lost his life to cancer. Coach Ohl beat the disease for 27 years through perseverance and determination. The award winner, like Coach Ohl, is always determined to give his best no matter how adverse the conditions, whether in practices or games.

2002	Billy Fenton	2007	Alex Scott	2012
2003	Matt Tutich	2008	Sean Donovan	
2004	Lawrence DeGeest	2009	Mitch Reavis	
2005	Sean Lacy	2010	Mitch Reavis	
2006	Mark Knight	2011	Mitch Reavis	



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Most Valuable Player

This is one of the student-athletes that participates on the varsity level, who receives the award based upon a vote from his teammates, having most improved his level of play and skill.

1973	Tom King	1986	Joe Kolnick	2001	Daniel Grasso
1974	Jim Tomei	1987	Dan Buron	2002	Daniel Grasso
1975	Jim Tomei	1988	Imad Haque	2003	Jack Smithson
1976	Tom Casady	1989	Imad Haque	2004	Jack Smithson
	Tom Scholz	1990	Jason Smith		Patrick Sperry
1977	George Gesior	1991	Bob Barber	2005	Steve Oleszkiewicz
1978	Brad Bates	1992	Dave Moran	2006	Brian Collins
	Roman Gesior	1993	Will Oehler	2007	John Shakon
1979	Jim Bunta	1994	Sebastian Tamm	2008	Alex Scott
1980	Carlos Duarte	1995	Ahmed El-Ganzouri	2009	Robbie LaRoque
1981	Carlos Duarte	1996	Dan Fremer		Michael Oleszkiewicz
1982	Rick Lebeck	1997	Andre Ilbawi	2010	Andrew Worthington
1983	Mike Duarte	1998	Nadim Ilbawi	2011	Mitch Reavis
1984	Steve Crawford	1999	Andre Ilbawi	2012	
1985	Dave DeBoer	2000	Brian Dolan		

“Goal of the Year”

The “Goal of the Year” is given to the player who scored a truly outstanding goal, based on the skill that was demonstrated, or the significance of it against a varsity opponent during the season.

2002	Matt Sperry vs. DGS
2003	Jack Smithson vs. Naperville North
2004	Pat Flynn vs. Oswego (IHSA)
2005	Brian Collins vs. Glenbard West
2006	Bruce Metcalf vs. Downers Grove North
2007	Jason Loebig vs. Lyons Township (IHSA)
2008	Alex Scott vs. Morton (IHSA)
2009	Michael Oleszkiewicz vs. OPRF
2010	Taylor Cole vs Lyons Township
2011	Leandro Perez vs Brother Rice
	Mitch Reavis vs Argo (IHSA)
2012	



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Red Devil Award

Sponsored by the Student Athletic Council, this award is based on effort, seasons on the team, sportsmanship, supportive attitude displayed toward other team members, cooperation, enthusiasm, positive attitude and example, intensity and attendance at practice, work ethic and modeling good behavior by setting a good example on and off the field.

2002	Raef Chenery	2008	Jeff Graham
2003	Corey Tallent	2009	Andrew Worthington
2004	Matt Tutich	2010	Andrew Worthington
2005	James Buddig	2011	RJ Dralle
2006	David Tiemstra	2012	
2007	David Tiemstra		

Richard Flesher Coaches Award

A Hinsdale Central Hall of Fame Inductee in 2008, Coach Richard Flesher served as the Head Boys Soccer Coach at Hinsdale Central from 1981 through 1995. The Richard Flesher Coaches Award recipient is a player who epitomizes what it means to play in the Hinsdale Central soccer program. This player is a student-athlete, who is looked up to by his teammates, someone who can always be counted on in practice and matches, and a player who always has a positive outlook. The award winner respects everyone involved in the game: the officials, coaches, fans, opponents, the game itself as well as his teammates.

2004	Brendan Lacy	2009	Eric Loebig, Jack O'Donnell
2005	Sean Lacy	2010	Andrew Scott
2006	Kenny Legan	2011	Phillip Gutman, Andrew Scott
2007	John Balsamo	2012	
2008	Alex Scott		



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Captains

1996	Dan Fremer, Joe O'Malley
1997	Dave Kasperek, Joe Teelucksingh
1998	Dave Hall, Nadim Ilbawi, Chris May
1999	Michael Grasso, Andre Ilbawi
2000	Brian Dolan, Kenny Kunesh
2001	Chris Bock, Joe Capadona
2002	Raef Chenery, Billy Fenton, Matt Sperry
2003	Peter Grasso, Patrick Sperry
2004	Peter Grasso, Jack Smithson, Patrick Sperry
2005	Brian Collins, Sean Lacy
2006	Brian Collins, David Tiemstra
2007	John Shakon, David Tiemstra
2008	Sean Donovan, Jeff Graham, Alex Scott, Taylor Cole, Michael Oleszkiewicz
2009	Taylor Cole, Robbie LaRocque, Jack O'Donnell, Michael Oleszkiewicz
2010	Taylor Cole, Will Meyer, Mitch Reavis, Andrew Worthington
2011	Phillip Gutman, Will Meyer, Mitch Reavis, Andrew Scott

The J. Kyle Braid Leadership Award

Ken Braid, Hinsdale Central Hall of Fame inductee in 2005, along with his wife Colleen created the J. Kyle Braid Leadership Foundation in 1994, in memory of their only child. The Mission Statement: identify and select young adults who exhibit leadership potential, have a strong sense of moral values, and possess the compassion necessary to improve their world. The following student-athletes were also members of our soccer program, recipients of this prestigious recognition.

2003	Peter Grasso, Patrick Sperry
2005	Nick Ruge
2008	Jeremy Pincus
2009	Andrew Worthington
2010	Mitch Reavis, Will Meyer



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IHSSCA

(Illinois High School Soccer Coaches Association)

All-Sectional

1976	Tom Herschel	2000	Brian Dolan
1977	George Gesior	2001	Daniel Grasso
1977	Brad Bates	2002	Lawrence DeGeest, Daniel Grasso, Patrick Sperry
1983	Mike Duarte	2003	Jack Smithson, Matt Tutich
1986	Landon McEwan	2004	Lawrence DeGeest, Peter Grasso, Jack Smithson, Patrick Sperry
1987	Dan Buron		
1988	Richard Andrusko	2005	Brian Collins*, Steve Oleszkiewicz*, David Tiemstra
1991	Greg Peelman	2006	Brian Collins, Mark Knight*, John Shakon*, David Tiemstra
1993	Will Oehler		
1994	Sebastian Tamm	2007	Jeffrey Graham*, Alex Scott*, John Shakon, David Tiemstra
1996	Dan Fremer	2008	Sean Donovan*, Jeff Graham, Alex Scott
1997	Joe Teelucksingh	2009	Robbie LaRocque, Michael Oleszkiewicz
1998	Nadim Ilbawi	2010	Mitch Reavis, Andrew Worthington
		2011	Mitch Reavis

**Honorable Mention*

All-State

1976	Tom Herschel
1983	Mike Duarte
1986	Landon McEwan
1999	Andre Ilbawi
2001	Daniel Grasso
2002	Daniel Grasso
2004	Peter Grasso, Jack Smithson, Patrick Sperry
2006	David Tiemstra
2007	John Shakon, David Tiemstra

Illinois Boys' Soccer Coach of the Year

2004 Michael Wiggins

IHSSCA Soccer Person of the Year

2010 Richard Flesher



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NSCAA

(National Soccer Coaches Association of America)

All-Midwest

2007 GK John Shakon
DEF David Tiemstra

Scholar All-Midwest

2008 GK Sean Donovan

All-American

2007 DEF David Tiemstra

Scholar All-American

2008 GK Sean Donovan

NSCAA Letter of Commendation

2008 COACH Richard Flesher



Gatorade Player of the Year

State Winner – Illinois

John Shakon 2007-08 Boys Soccer GK Hinsdale IL