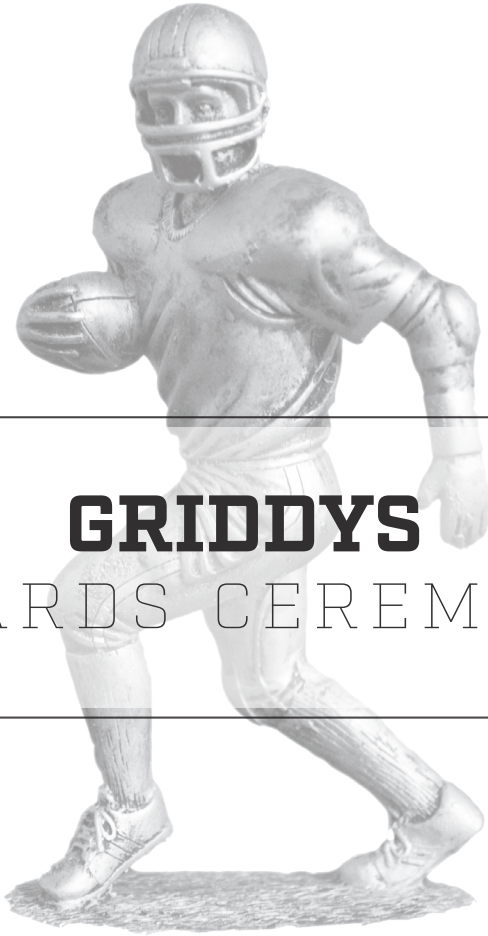


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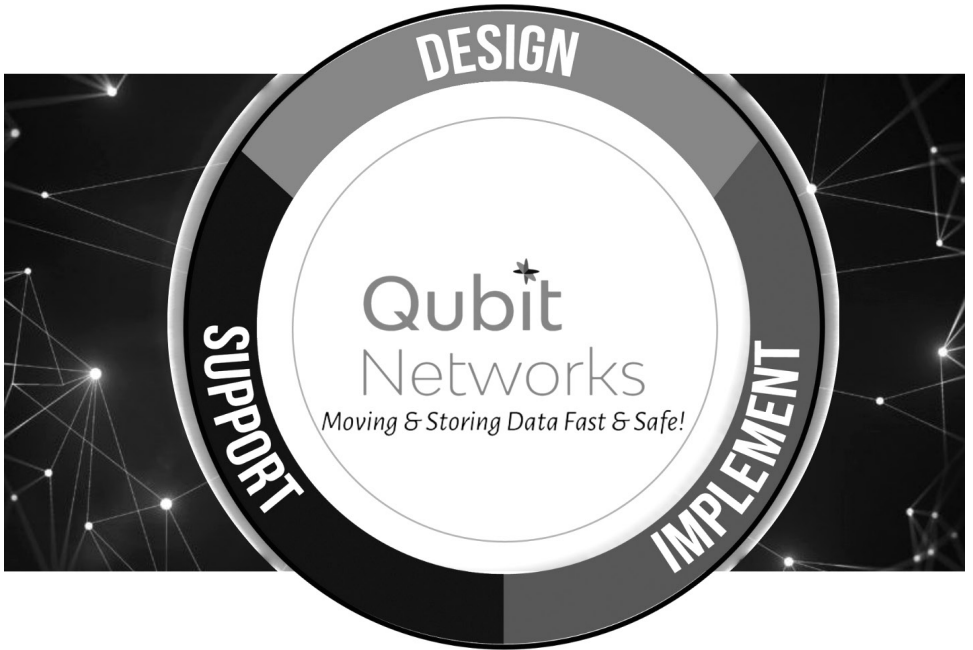


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Coaches of the Year

1A- Dave Pasch - *Indianapolis Lutheran*

4A- Casey McKim - *New Prairie*

2A- Mike Goebel - *Evansville Mater Dei*

5A- Bill Marshall - *Valparaiso*

3A- Ryan Knigga - *Lawrenceburg*

6A- Eric Moore - *Center Grove*

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1A- Reid Messer - *North Decatur*

2A- Drayk Bowen - *Andreas*

3A- Max Mullis - *West Lafayette*

4A- Luke Hansen - *Roncalli*

5A- Peyton Emberton - *Whiteland*

6A- Danny O'Neil - *Indy Cathedral*

2022 Big School All-State Team

~ Selected from Classes 6A, 5A, and 4A ~

Jaron Tibbs	Brady Neu
Kamari Juarez	Zach Brown
George Burhenn	John Purdy
Jontae Lambert	Will Heldt
Micah Coyle	Tylen Cunningham
Nick Patterson	Tayvion Ortman
Trevor Lauck	Tyler Dikos
Dawson Nowacki	Phillip Roche
Luke Burgess	CJ Davis
Leighton Jones	Griffen Haas
De'Eric Mister	Sebastian Lopez
Justin Marshall	Andrew Hargrove
Josh Mickens	
Kendrick Gilbert	

2022 Small School All-State Team

~ Selected from Classes 3A, 2A, and 1A ~

Charlie Perine	Carson Parmer
Brad Schultz	Jacob Jones
Micah Mackay	Luke Wilhelm
Robert Lamar	Quinton Frasure
Tyler Dollar	Noah Richhart
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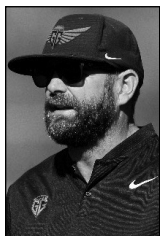
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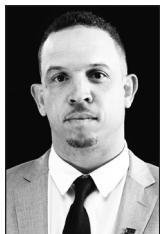


2023 GRIDDY AWARDS SPEAKERS



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RYAN WALTERS, PURDUE UNIVERSITY

Considered one of the nation's fastest rising young coaches, Ryan Walters was named the 37th head coach in Purdue Football history this past December. Hired at age 36, Walters became the fourth-youngest coach in the Power 5 conferences and eighth youngest in the FBS. As the coordinator for the nation's best scoring defense last season, Walters earned honors such as 247Sports (Two-Four-Seven Sports) Defensive Coordinator of the Year and On3 (On-Three) Coordinator of the Year. He was a defensive coordinator for the past seven seasons before arriving in West Lafayette as head coach of the Boilermakers. A native of Aurora, Colorado, Walters was a football student-athlete at Colorado, where he starred as a standout safety for the Buffaloes. He started 33 times in 46 career appearances as a Buffalo and earned All-Big 12 Conference Honorable Mention his senior season. He began his coaching career as a student assistant at Colorado, working with the secondary in 2009, and then spent two years on staff at Arizona, where he was a graduate assistant in 2010 before being promoted to defensive backs coach for the 2011 season. Other stops on his coaching resume include Oklahoma, North Texas, Memphis and Missouri.

2022 COACHES OF THE YEAR



DAVE PASCH - INDIANAPOLIS LUTHERAN (CLASS 1A)

The Brownsburg High product is coming off his second straight state championship and second consecutive undefeated campaign with the Saints (15-0). He has a state runner-up finish in 2019 and an overall record of 203-110 over 26 seasons with a previous stop at North Putnam.



MIKE GOEBEL - EVANSVILLE MATER DEI (CLASS 2A)

Known by many as "the Lord of the Rings" for winning numerous state wrestling championships, he has guided his alma mater to a pair of state titles in 2000 and 2022 and five runner-up finishes. He is 260-82 over 26 seasons with the Wildcats (12-3).



Ryan Knigga - Lawrenceburg (Class 3A): The Lawrenceburg native has led the Tigers (13-2) to seven sectional crowns and a pair of state runner-up finishes in 2016 and 2022. During his 12-year run at his alma mater, he has compiled a 112-37 record.



Casey McKim - New Prairie (Class 4A): Over his three-year stint, the Valparaiso High graduate has guided the Cougars (13-2) to a 29-10 mark, which includes back-to-back sectional and regional titles and a state runner-up finish this past fall.



Bill Marshall - Valparaiso (Class 5A): Since taking over the program in 2018, the Valparaiso University product has helped the Vikings (11-3) to a 52-11 record, including five straight sectional crowns, a state runner-up finish in 2019 and a state championship in 2022.



Eric Moore - Center Grove (Class 6A): In addition to leading the Trojans (12-2) to three straight state championships, the Edgewood and Indiana University product has compiled a 236-74 record over 24 years. During his 38 years overall, he has a mark of 283-79 with other state titles coming in 2008 and 2015.



Defensive Coordinator of the Year

Jeff Gutowski - Andean: The former 59ers standout and Mercyhurst University assistant led an Andean defense which limited opponents to 15 points a contest, posted three shutouts, and forced 15 turnovers during the 2022 campaign.



Offensive Coordinator of the Year

Bill Gumm - New Prairie: The longtime sideline mentor has worn many hats over the years at his alma mater. This past season, he orchestrated a Cougars' offensive attack which accumulated over 5,000 total yards, including more than 3,800 yards on the ground.

LIFETIME ACHIEVEMENT



Jeff Adamson - Eastbrook: The 1982 graduate has been a fixture on the sidelines for more than three decades at his alma mater. In posting a 308-96 record, he has guided the Panthers to 16 sectional titles, seven regional crowns, four semistates, and four state runner-up finishes.

EXCELLENCE IN FOOTBALL MEDIA



Tony Ross - MAX 98.3: Known by many as “The Boss”, the Purdue University product has been a fixture in broadcasting and promoting high school and college sports in the northern half of Indiana for 35 years.

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Doug Dinan - Carroll (Fort Wayne): In addition to guiding the Chargers to a 13-1 record and Class 6A state runner-up finish, the 13-year leader also had to help his club deal with the sudden loss of senior quarterback Owen Scheele to cancer in June 2022. Dinan and company used the phrase “Owen Strong” and Scheele’s No. 13 jersey as motivation all the way to Lucas Oil Stadium.



JASON KUNTZ BADGE OF COURAGE

Jason Lowe and Michael Allstott - Springs Valley High School: Following the unfortunate passing of 10-year-old football player Treven Ball, Lowe, the Blackhawks’ head coach, and youth coach Allstott spearheaded a scholarship in Ball’s memory as well as a Go Fund Me page to help pay the family pay for the funeral and other expenses.



2022 PLAYERS OF YEAR



Reid Messer - North Decatur (Class 1A): Along with running 238 times for 1,604 yards with 36 touchdowns, the 6-foot-1, 185-pound senior standout also hauled in 36 receptions for 560 yards with four scores for the sectional and regional champion Chargers (13-1). He also registered 78 tackles with seven for loss and five interceptions from his spot in the secondary.



Drayk Bowen - Andean (Class 2A): A two-way force for the 2021 state champion and 2022 state runner-up 59ers (10-4), the 6-foot-2, 230-pound senior accumulated 1,784 yards and 26 touchdowns on 242 attempts out of the backfield. The standout linebacker has also racked up 144 tackles with 19 for loss, five sacks, two interceptions, and a fumble recovery.



Max Mullis - West Lafayette (Class 3A): In addition to completing 179-of-279 passes for 2,580 yards with 31 touchdowns, the 6-foot, 190-pound senior signal caller also scampered 120 times for 1,156 yards with 21 scores for the sectional and regional champion Red Devils (13-1).



Luke Hansen - Indianapolis Roncalli (Class 4A): The 6-foot, 205-pound senior proved to be a workhorse in the backfield for the sectional and regional champion Royals (12-2) with 428 carries for 3,080 yards and 35 touchdowns. He also caught nine passes for 111 yards with two scores.



Peyton Emberton - Whiteland (Class 5A): The 5-foot-8, 185-pound senior back was instrumental in the Warriors' (12-2) run to a state runner-up finish in 2022. Along with carrying the ball 210 times for 1,365 yards with 11 touchdowns, he had six receptions for 48 yards.



Danny O'Neil - Indianapolis Cathedral (Class 6A): The 6-foot-1, 185-pound quarterback enjoyed a solid junior season for the sectional and regional champion Irish (10-2). In addition to going 207-of-329 for 2,654 yards with 32 touchdowns, he also ran 129 times for 293 yards with nine scores.

2022 BIG SCHOOL ALL-STATE TEAM



Zach Brown - Valparaiso (LB): The 6-foot-2, 230-pound senior linebacker helped the Vikings (11-3) to the Class 5A state title with 41 tackles, including four for loss, three sacks, and a fumble recovery.



Luke Burgess - New Palestine (OL): The 6-foot-7, 285-pound senior lineman helped the Class 4A sectional champion Dragons (12-1) rack up more than 5,000 total offensive yards.



George Burhenn - Mount Vernon Fortville (WR): In addition to coming up with 38 receptions for 784 yards with nine touchdowns, the 6-foot-5, 200-pound senior receiver also ran 16 times for 127 yards with a score for the Marauders (6-4).



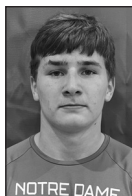
Micah Coyle - Center Grove (RB): The 5-foot-10, 195-pound senior back played a big role in the Trojans' (12-2) run to their third straight Class 6A state title with 306 rushes for 2,072 yards with 22 touchdowns.



Tylen Cunningham - Lawrence Central (LB): The 5-foot-11, 210-pound linebacker accumulated 155 tackles with 17.5 for loss, 5;5 sacks, two interceptions, and a fumble recovery for the Bears (5-6).



CJ Davis (Fort Wayne Bishop Dwenger) (DB): In addition to totaling 73 tackles with four for loss and five interceptions in the secondary, the 5-foot-10, 175-pound senior standout also hauled in 28 receptions for 380 yards with five touchdowns for the Saints (6-4).



Tyler Dikos (Westfield) (LB): The 6-foot-3, 205-pound linebacker had a solid senior campaign for the three-time Class 6A sectional champion Shamrocks (8-4) with 142 tackles, including 4.5 for loss, two interceptions, and a fumble recovery.



Kendrick Gilbert (Indianapolis Cathedral) (DL): Along with recording 31 tackles with 1.5 for loss, the 6-foot-5, 250-pound lineman also had 3.5 sacks for the Class 6A sectional and regional champion Irish (10-2).



Griffen Haas (Hamilton Southeastern) (DB): The 5-foot-10, 205-pound senior defensive back played a big role for the Class 6A sectional and regional champion Royals (12-1) with 101 tackles, including six for loss, and an interception.



Andrew Hargrove (Lawrence North) (P): Along with averaging 42.9 yards per punt with a long of 63 yards, the 6-foot-1, 190-pound senior also averaged 55.1 yards on kickoffs for the Wildcats (4-6).



Will Heldt (Carmel) (LB): The 6-foot-6, 240-pound senior was a force in the middle of the Greyhounds' (6-4) defense with 82 tackles, including seven for loss, and six sacks.



Leighton Jones (Brownsburg) (OL): The 6-foot-4, 290-pound senior lineman was responsible for the two-time Class 6A sectional champion Bulldogs (10-2) racking up 450 yards of offense per game.



Kamari Juarez (Fort Wayne Snider) (WR): The 5-foot-10, 170-pound senior wide out hauled in 46 passes for 762 yards with 10 touchdowns and returned three kickoffs and a punt for scores for the Class 5A sectional and regional champion Panthers (11-2).

2022 BIG SCHOOL ALL-STATE TEAM



Jontae Lambert (Fort Wayne North) (RB): Along with running 230 times for 2,257 yards with 17 touchdowns, the 5-foot-11, 185-pound senior back also caught 15 passes for 231 yards with two scores for the Legends (8-3).



Trevor Lauck (Indianapolis Roncalli) (OL): The 6-foot-6, 300-pound senior paved the way on the front line for the Class 4A sectional and regional champion Royals (12-2) to accumulate more than 5,000 yards of offense.



Sebastian Lopez (Carroll Fort Wayne) (K): The 6-foot, 190-pound senior kicker connected on 52-of-58 extra-points and 4-of-8 field goals with a long of 41 yards for the Class 6A state runner-up Chargers (13-1).



Justin Marshall (Merrillville) (ATH): In addition to running 186 times for 1,296 yards with 18 touchdowns, the 5-foot-11, 185-pound senior standout also caught 36 passes for 684 yards with six scores for the Class 5A sectional champion Pirates (9-3).



Josh Mickens (Lawrence Central) (DL): The 6-foot-4, 222-pound senior was a one-man wrecking crew in the trenches for the Bears (5-6) with 74 tackles, including 20.5 for loss, and 6.5 sacks.



De'Eric Mister (Gary West) (OL): The 6-foot-7, 300-pound lineman enjoyed a solid senior campaign by helping the Cougars (7-3) tally nearly 3,000 yards on the ground.



Brady Neu (Indianapolis Roncalli) (DL): The 6-foot-4, 275-pound senior lineman registered five tackles for the Class 4A sectional and regional champion Royals (12-2) and was part of a defense that limited opponents to seven or fewer points six times.



Dawson Nowacki (Mishawaka) (OL): The 6-foot-3, 285-pound senior proved to be a force up front by helping the Class 5A sectional champion Cavemen (10-2) average more than 250 yards rushing per contest.



Tayvion Ortman (New Prairie) (LB): The 6-foot-5, 225-pound senior linebacker helped the Cougars (13-2) to a Class 4A state runner-up finish with 144 tackles, including five for loss, two sacks, two interceptions, and a fumble recovery.



Nick Patterson (Mooresville) (QB): The 6-foot-2, 220-pound senior signal caller proved to be a double threat by going 190-of-323 for 2,147 yards with 23 touchdowns and running 165 times for 1,221 yards with 15 scores for the Pioneers (8-3).



John Purdy (Castle) (LB): The 5-foot-11, 200-pound enjoyed a sensational senior season for the Class 5A sectional and regional champion Knights (8-5) with 200 tackles, including five for loss, two sacks, and two interceptions.



Phillip Roche (Merrillville) (DB): The 6-foot, 190-pound senior was a standout in the secondary for the four-time sectional champion Pirates (9-3) with 51 tackles, including four for loss, two fumble recoveries, and two interceptions.



Jaron Tibbs (Indianapolis Cathedral) (WR): The 6-foot-5, 200-pound senior wide receiver proved to be quite a catch for the Class 6A sectional and regional champion Irish (10-2) with 61 receptions for 910 yards with 13 touchdowns.

2022 SMALL SCHOOL ALL-STATE TEAM



Mitch Adler (Evansville Mater Dei) (LB): The 6-foot, 195-pound senior linebacker helped the Wildcats (12-3) to their first Class 2A state title since 2000 with 121 tackles, including 14 for loss, and 4.5 sacks.



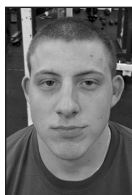
Brody Bolyn (Norwell) (OL): The 6-foot-3, 280-pound senior anchored a front line that allowed the Knights (10-2) to ramble for more than 3,000 yards.



Gavin Cook (Adams Central) (DB): The 5-foot-6, 150-pound senior not only came up huge in the secondary for the two-time Class 1A state runner-up Flying Jets (14-1) with 64.5 tackles with five for loss, but also ran 52 times for 829 yards with 10 scores.



Tyler Dollar (Lapel) (RB): The 5-foot-10, 185-pound senior runner was instrumental in helping the Bulldogs (7-6) to their first Class 2A sectional championship since 2018 with 275 rushes for 2,346 yards and 30 scores.



Isaac Fischer (Indianapolis Bishop Chatard) (OL): The 6-foot-2, 225-pound senior lineman paved the way for the Class 3A state champion Trojans (11-4) to accumulate more than 5,000 yards of offense.



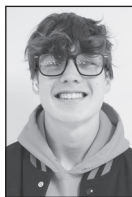
Quinton Frasure (North Judson) (LB): The 5-foot-11, 180-pound senior was a force in the middle for the two-time Class 1A sectional and regional champion Bluejays (12-2) with 153 tackles, including 24 for loss, four sacks, two interceptions, and a fumble recovery.



Wrigley Franklin (Linton-Stockton) (OL): The 6-foot-2, 205-pound senior lineman helped the Class 2A sectional and regional champion Miners (13-1) roll up almost 6,000 total yards of offense.



Hunter Gennicks (Linton-Stockton) (DB): Along with compiling 114 tackles with six for loss, four fumble recoveries, and four interceptions, the 6-foot, 195-pound senior defensive back also went 104-of-216 for 1,565 yards with 22 touchdowns and ran 199 times for 2,082 yards with 34 touchdowns for the Class 2A sectional and regional champion Miners (13-1).



Ryan Hinthorne (Lawrenceburg) (P): The 5-foot-8, 160-pound sophomore averaged 44 yards per punt with a long of 57 yards for the Class 3A state runner-up Tigers (13-2).



Gannan Howes (Hanover Central) (DB): The 5-foot-9, 175-pound senior defensive back not only accumulated 69 tackles with five for loss and seven interceptions, but also caught 43 passes for 937 yards with 15 scores for the Wildcats (11-1).



Jacob Jones (Sheridan) (DL): The 5-foot-11, 195-pound senior was instrumental up front in helping the Blackhawks (11-2) claim their first Class 1A sectional title since 2012 with 144 tackles, including 17 for loss, and four sacks.

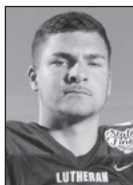


Robert Lamar (Clarksville) (RB): The 5-foot-9, 185-pound senior running back not only led the Generals (5-6), but the state in rushing with 3,035 yards and 37 touchdowns on 341 carries.



Micah Mackay (Indianapolis Lutheran) (WR): The 6-foot-2, 195-pound senior receiver was instrumental in helping the Saints (15-0) earn their second straight Class 1A state title with 68 receptions for 1,496 yards with 17 touchdowns.

2022 SMALL SCHOOL ALL-STATE TEAM



Nick Miller (Indianapolis Lutheran) (K): The 5-foot-7, 150-pound senior kicker averaged 45.9 yards per kickoff and converted 67-of-78 extra-points for the two-time Class 1A state champion Saints (15-0).



Carson Parmer (North Decatur) (DL): The 6-foot-3, 215-pound senior lineman not only registered 59 tackles with 10.5 for loss, two sacks, and two interceptions, but also completed 123-of-221 for 2,049 yards with 23 touchdowns for the Class 1A sectional and regional champion Chargers (13-1).



Charlie Perine (Park Tudor) (WR): The 6-foot-2, 190-pound senior wide receiver helped the Panthers (9-4) to their first (Class 1A) sectional championship since 2005 with 56 receptions for 1,198 yards with 14 touchdowns.



Jake Pierce (Lawrenceburg) (OL): The 6-foot-1, 225-pound senior lineman led the charge on the front line as the Class 3A state runner-up Tigers (13-2) racked up over 3,500 yards on the ground.



Seth Pirtle (Sullivan) (DB): Along with coming up with 45 tackles, the 5-foot-10, 155-pound senior was also among the state leaders with nine interceptions in the secondary for the Golden Arrows (7-5).



Noah Richhart (LaVille) (LB): The 5-foot-10, 200-pound senior linebacker accumulated 81 tackles with three for loss, an interception, and a fumble recovery for the Lancers (10-1).



Colton Roth (Lawrenceburg) (DL): The 6-foot-1, 220-pound senior was a force in the trenches for the Class 3A state runner-up Tigers (13-2) with 37 tackles, including seven for loss, four sacks, and three fumble recoveries.



Brad Schultz (Triton Central) (WR): The 5-foot-10, 170-pound senior wide out paved the way for the Tigers (10-3) to claim their fourth straight Class 2A sectional crown with 79 catches for 1,496 yards with 17 scores.



Nick Thompson (Fort Wayne Bishop Luers) (DB): In addition to recording 79 tackles with five for loss, two interceptions, and a fumble recovery, the 6-foot-2, 197-pound senior cornerback also tallied 55 receptions for 1,029 yards with eight touchdowns for the Class 2A sectional and regional champion Knights (8-6).



Cody Wells (Evansville Mater Dei) (OL): The 6-foot-3, 235-pound senior was instrumental on the front line as the Class 2A state champion Wildcats (12-3) averaged more than 330 yards per contest.



Luke Wilhelm (Yorktown) (LB): The 6-foot, 180-pound senior linebacker racked up 183 tackles with five for loss to lead the Tigers (9-4) to their first Class 3A sectional title since 2014.



Jackson Willis (Indianapolis Lutheran) (QB): The 6-foot-2, 185-pound signal caller enjoyed a successful sophomore campaign by going 215-of-305 for 4,169 yards with 55 touchdowns and just six interceptions for the two-time Class 1A state champion Saints (15-0).



Tamir Woods (Indianapolis Seccina) (DL): The 6-foot-4, 205-pound senior lineman recorded 96 tackles with 28.5 for loss, 11 sacks, and two fumble recoveries for the Crusaders (10-2).



Mason Wunderlich (Evansville Mater Dei) (ATH): In addition to completing 220-of-336 passes for 2,911 yards with 29 touchdowns, the 6-foot-5, 200-pound senior quarterback also ran 87 times for 291 yards with six scores for the Class 2A state champion Wildcats (12-3).

2023

PRIMETIME TWENTY-FIVE

Zach Bandy (Avon): The 6-foot-5, 290-pound senior lineman was one of the bright spots by helping the Orioles (2-9) rack up nearly 4,000 yards of offense.

Aiden Beadles (South Putnam): A fixture in the middle of the defense, the 6-foot-3, 215-pound senior linebacker accumulated 174 tackles with 18 for loss and a fumble recovery for the Eagles (7-3).

Keegan Bluhm (Adams Central): In addition to rambling 248 times for 1,645 yards with 18 touchdowns, the 6-foot-1, 205-pound senior standout also recorded 78.5 tackles and three interceptions from his linebacker slot for the two-time Class 1A state runner-up Flying Jets (14-1).

Nylan Brown (Indianapolis Ben Davis): The 6-foot, 239-pound senior linebacker proved to be a force in the middle for the Giants (6-4) with 109 tackles, including eight for loss, three sacks, and a fumble recovery.

Cannon Brunus (Western Boone): Along with registering nine carries for 43 yards, the 6-foot, 225-pound senior also tallied 133 tackles with 23 for loss, nine sacks, and four fumble recoveries from his linebacker spot for the Stars (9-2).

TJ Caldwell (Calumet New Tech): The 5-foot-11, 170-pound senior proved to be quite a catch on the perimeter for the Warriors (9-2) with 47 receptions for 1,249 yards with 16 touchdowns and four rushes or 19 yards with a score.

Tyler Cherry (Center Grove): The 6-foot-5, 215-pound senior signal caller helped the Trojans (12-2) claim their third straight Class 6A state championship by completing 140-of-215 for 2,269 yards with 22 touchdowns and also ran for four scores.

Eli Edwards (Eastern Greentown): A two-way threat for the Comets (6-4), the 6-foot-4, 223-pound senior not only recorded 86 tackles with 18 for loss, 10.5 sacks, and three fumble recoveries from his linebacker slot, but also went 151-of-215 for 2,072 yards with 25 touchdowns and ran 39 times for 425 yards with four scores.

Brady Fisher (Mishawaka): The 6-foot-3, 205-pound quarterback was double trouble for opponents by completing 28-of-56 for 533 yards with four touchdowns and running 149 times for 1,180 yards with 12 scores for the Class 5A sectional champion Cavemen (10-2).

Mylan Graham (New Haven): Along with catching 48 passes for 1,149 yards with 14

touchdowns, the 6-foot, 170-pound senior receiver also averaged 23 yards returning kickoffs and 35 yards returning punts for the Bulldogs (5-5).

Jaden Hart (Michigan City): The 5-foot-10, 180-pound senior back rolled up 215 carries for 1,092 yards with six touchdowns, 16 receptions for 139 yards, and returned a punt for a score for the Wolves (2-8).

Hudauri Hines (Franklin Central): Along with coming up with eight receptions for 116 yards with two touchdowns, the 6-foot-2, 200-pound senior was also a force in the secondary for the Flashes (3-7) with 25 tackles and a fumble recovery.

Matt Hofer (Valparaiso): The 6-foot-5, 280-pound senior lineman paved the way for the Class 5A state champion Vikings (11-3) to accumulate more than 3,300 yards on the ground and over 4,500 total yards.

Brauntae Johnson (Fort Wayne North): In addition to catching 69 passes for 1,081 yards with 16 touchdowns, the 6-foot-3, 185-pound senior standout also came up with 23 tackles in the secondary for the Legends (8-3).

Auden Jones (Penn): A fixture on the front line for three seasons, the 6-foot-3, 315-pound senior was at the center of the things for the Kingsmen (7-3) by helping them average over 300 yards per contest.

Ransom McDermott (Noblesville): The 6-foot-8, 300-pound senior lineman helped the Millers (4-7) register more than 3,000 rushing yards and over 3,700 total yards of offense.

Ian Moore (New Palestine): The 6-foot-5, 295-pounds senior anchored a front line for the Class 4A sectional champion Dragons (12-1) that averaged almost 400 yards per game.

Danny O'Neil (Indianapolis Cathedral): A fixture under center for the third straight campaign, the 6-foot, 185-pound senior completed 207-of-329 passes for 2,654 yards

with 32 touchdowns and ran 129 times for 293 yards with nine scores for the Class 6A sectional and regional champion Irish (10-2).

Styles Prescod (Hamilton Southeastern):

The 6-foot-6, 270-pound senior lineman was a fixture up front for the Class 6A sectional and regional champion Royals (12-1), who recorded more than 4,700 offensive yards.

Josh Ringer (East Central): Entering his fourth year in the backfield for the Class 4A state champion Trojans (13-2), the 6-foot-1, 190-pound senior raced 282 times for 2,368 yards with 39 touchdowns, caught 18 passes for 320 yards with three scores, and was 2-of-2 for 17 yards with a touchdown.

Lucas Rohrbacher (Fort Wayne Snider): The 6-foot, 200-pound senior linebacker registered a single-season record 128 tackles with four for loss, four sacks, and an interception for the Class 5A sectional and regional champion Panthers (10-2).

Trey Rominger (Paoli): A four-year starter for the Rams (7-4), the 6-foot, 190-pound senior is already the program's all-time leading runner after coming up with 255 carries for 1,927 yards with 20 touchdowns. He also came up with 73 tackles with 7.5 for loss and three fumble recoveries from his linebacker position.

Jace Stuckey (Triton Central): Along with going 168-of-251 for 2,657 yards with 23 touchdowns, the 6-foot-3, 185-pound senior signal caller also ran 83 times for 232 yards with eight scores for the four-time Class 2A sectional champion Tigers (10-3).

Hayden Summers (Evansville Reitz): The 6-foot-3, 170-pound senior hauled in 51 receptions for 883 yards with eight touchdowns and also came up with 11 tackles and four interceptions from his slot in the secondary.

Cooper Zeltwanger (Harrison West Lafayette): The 6-foot-5, 300-pound senior led the charge up front as the Raiders (8-2) rolled up more than 275 total yards per

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COACH OF THE YEAR

	2020	2021	2022
6A	John Hebert, Carmel	Eric Moore, Center Grove	Eric Moore, Center Grove
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4A	Luke Amstutz, East Noble	John Rodenberg, Ind. Roncalli	Vince Lidy, Mt. Vernon (Fortville)
3A	Rob Doyle, Ind. Bishop Chatard	Rob Doyle, Ind. Bishop Chatard	Nick Hart, Gibson Southern
2A	Jeff Phillips, Lewis Cass	Justin Pelley, Western Boone	Todd Mason, Eastside
1A	Brian Nay, Laf. Central Catholic	Grant Moser, South Adams	Dave Pasch, Ind. Lutheran

ASSISTANT COACHES OF THE YEAR

	2020	2021	2022
OC	Pat Shanley, Lafayette Jefferson	Dave Burton, Ind. Roncalli	Toby Jacobs, Mt. Vernon (Fortville)
DC	Travis Brunos, Western Boone	Larry McWhorter, Zionsville	Richard Green, Monroe Central

PLAYER OF THE YEAR

	2020	2021	2022
6A	Ty Wise, Carmel	Carson Steele, Center Grove	Caden Curry, Center Grove
5A	Charlie Spegal, New Palestine	Nathan McCahill, Ind. Cathedral	Danny O'Neil, Ind. Cathedral
4A	Brock Combs, Evansville Memorial	Bobby Babcock, Hobart	Keagan Belle, Mt. Vernon (Fortville)
3A	Kyle Adams, West Lafayette	Brady Allen, Gibson Southern	Brady Allen, Gibson Southern
2A	Spencer Wright, Western Boone	Luke Marsh, Western Boone	Drayk Bowen, Andean
1A	Marcus McFadden, Ind. Lutheran	James Arnold, South Adams	Montasi Clay, Ind. Lutheran



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JoJo Johnson, Merrillville
Theran Johnson, North Central (Ind.)
Cooper Jones, Valparaiso
Yanni Karlaftis, West Lafayette
Donaven McCulley, Lawrence North
Rodney McGraw, Elkhart
Nick Miller, South Adams
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Nate Newcomer, NorthWood
Dominic Padjen, Carmel
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Aaron Roberts, Ind. Cardinal Ritter
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Aaron Steinfeldt, Bloomington North
Preston Terrell, Brownsburg
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Jonah VanDer Kamp, Fishers
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Popeye Williams, Westfield

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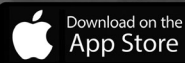


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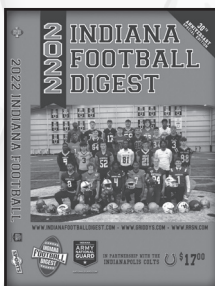
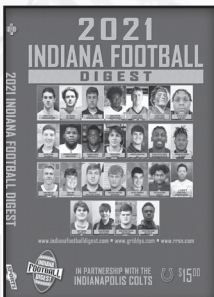
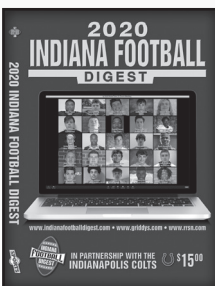
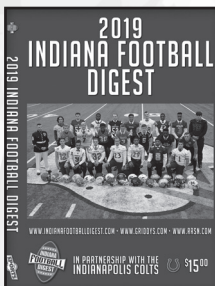
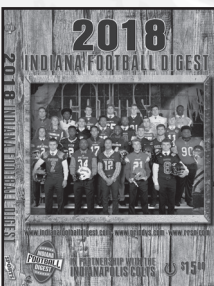
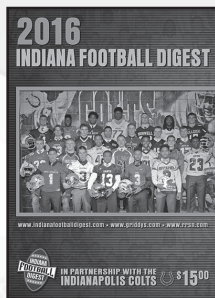
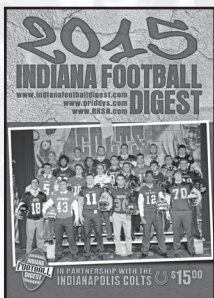
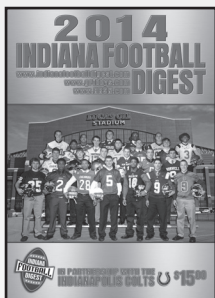
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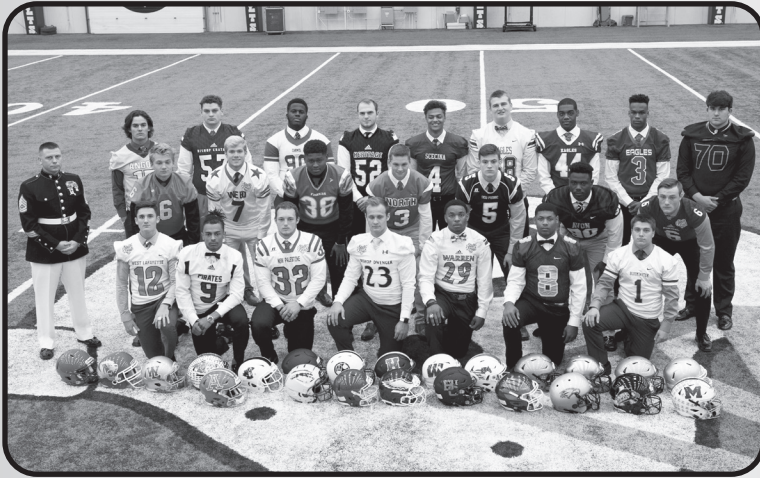
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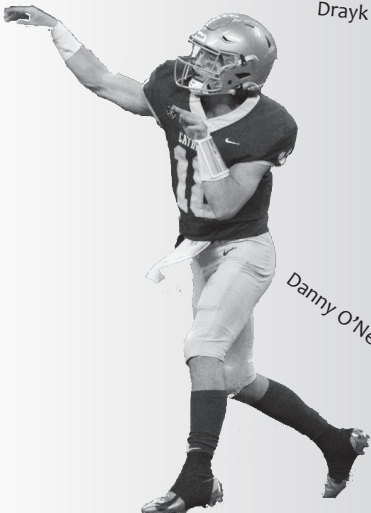
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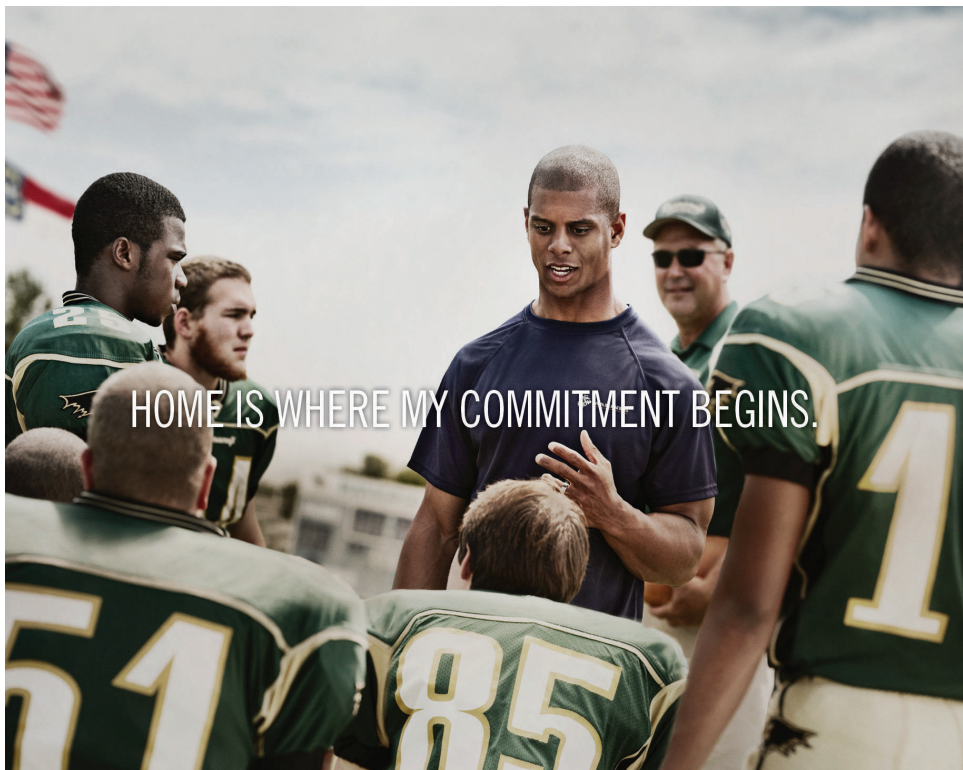
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