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Boys lacrosse fans can anticipate the best games at the season's end.

Lacrosse Tournament Seeding Continues to Work Well

When boys lacrosse was brought under the championship umbrella of the MHSAA in 2005, they were allowed to bring their "seeded" state tournament format with them on a trial basis. Since then the state has witnessed exciting, competitive tournaments culminating with arguably the two best teams in each division playing for the championship. The seeded tournament is now the accepted format. How is this seeding accomplished?

The task of seeding is performed by the MHSAA Lacrosse Committee, a group of 14 coaches and administrators (evenly split) under the direction and with the assistance of two MHSAA staff members. Prior to the fall meeting, the 62 teams in each of our two division are placed in to 8 regions based on geography.

Pre-season seeding takes place in October at which time the top eight programs in each division are determined for placement in each region. This one-through-eight ranking is based upon competitions between MHSAA member schools only (no out-of-state schools or Michigan club team stats allowed). The committee looks at the prior two season performances and considers the overall W-L record, performance in the MHSAA tournament, Lax Power (non-affiliated computer) ranking, strength of schedule, head-to-head and common opponent results, and the professional judgement of the committee. Once the top eight teams are identified, they are each placed in one of the eight regions.

Late-season seeding takes place in May at which time each region is seeded for tournament play. The committee only considers the current season play between MHSAA member schools and uses the criteria of W-L record, Lax Power ranking, strength of schedule, head-to-head and common opponent results, and discretion of the committee. Slight adjustments are allowed within a region to reduce excessive travel.

For **playoff seeding**, regions are seeded for the quarterfinals where #1 would play #8, #2 would play #7, and so on. The semifinals are also seeded wherein the strongest regional winner would play the weakest regional winner and the two remaining teams would play in the other semifinal. The two teams left standing would play for the championship.

Although seeding a tournament takes a great deal of time, energy, and commitment by the committee, it eliminates early tournament match ups between "finalist" quality teams and provides progressively higher quality competition as the teams advance. Boys lacrosse fans can anticipate the best games at the season's end.

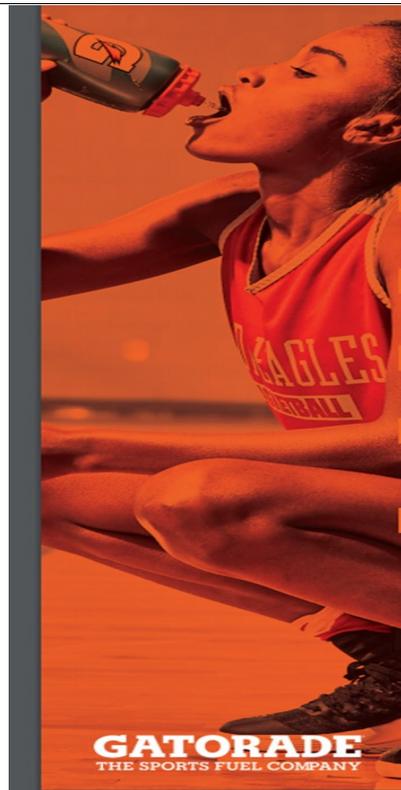
MICHIGAN WOMEN'S LACROSSE COACHES ASSOCIATION

The MWLCA serves to promote the appreciation, understanding and growth of high school women's lacrosse in Michigan. We aim to direct and coordinate the efforts of association programs and clubs, fostering sportsmanship and goodwill. We place an emphasis on promoting the best interests of lacrosse student athletes in a manner consistent with the MHSAA and US Lacrosse practices and standards.

The MWLCA launches a new web site <http://www.mwlca.com>. This new site links to you the latest news, clinics, coaches resources, along with All-state and the history page of the sports.

Check out the latest for high school women's lacrosse. <http://www.mwlca.com>

Michigan High School Sport Association Coaches Clinic Events
Baseball: January 12-13, 2018 @ Soaring Eagle, Mt. Pleasant
Basketball: BCAM Clinic - 2018. Oct. 6 & 7. Oakland Univ.
Bowling : October 2018 TBA
MITCA; Cross Country: November 8 —10 2018 @ Comfort Inn, Mt. Pleasant
Competitive Cheer: October 2018 Crowne Plaza Lansing
Football: January 2018 @ Lansing Center & Radisson Capitol, 18, 19 & 20 Jan 2018
Golf: February 18, 2018 @ MSU Golf Facility
Gymnastics : October 21, 2018
Men's Lacrosse: Hall of Fame Game May 13 , 2018 @ Northville HS
Skiing: October 2018
Softball: January 26 & 27, 2018 @ Causeway Bay, Lansing
Swimming: September 2018 TBA
Tennis; February 2nd & 3rd, 2018 Site: Troy Marriott
Track & Field: January 24-27 2018 Site: Crowne Plaza, Lansing
Volleyball: March 9-10, 2018 at Harper Creek HS. All-Star Match will be at Harper Creek HS on Friday, July 13
Wrestling: TBA
MIAAA: March 16, 2018 @ Traverse City
NHSACA Convention: June 22, 27th Sioux Falls, SD



KEEP THEM HYDRATED, KEEP THEM SAFE

5 TIPS TO HELP ATHLETES STAY HYDRATED

1 KEEP HYDRATION TOP OF MIND

- Remind athletes to check their urine color before practice. If it's the color of pale lemonade, that's a sign of being hydrated.
- Take weather into account and give athletes opportunities to drink during practice.
- Teach athletes to pay attention to how they feel, including their thirst and energy levels.

2 KEEP FLUID LEVELS UP

- Athletes should drink enough fluid to maintain hydration without over-drinking.
- Flavored, cold, lightly salted sports drinks like Gatorade® Thirst Quencher are important, because sodium helps maintain the athlete's desire to drink and retain the fluid consumed.

3 KEEP THE BODY COOL

- Remind athletes to drink cool fluids to help maintain their body temperature.
- If your athletes experience heat illness, help them lower their body temperature by laying them down in a cool place with their legs elevated, applying cool, wet towels to their body and having them drink cool fluids.

4 KEEP HYDRATED BEFORE, DURING AND AFTER ACTIVITY

- Athletes need to think about their entire athletic schedule when it comes to fueling (not just when they are competing).
- Encourage them to drink plenty of fluids throughout the day to replace the fluids lost through sweat.

5 KEEP A RECOVERY SCHEDULE

- Rest and recovery are an essential part of avoiding heat illness.
- Ensure your athletes have time for breaks during practices.
- Encourage athletes to get 6-8 hours of sleep each night in a cool environment if possible.

THE EFFECTS OF DEHYDRATION:

- DECREASED PERFORMANCE
- DECREASED FLUID ABSORPTION
- DECREASED MENTAL FUNCTION
- DECREASED TOLERANCE TO HEAT
- DECREASED MOTOR SKILLS

THE SYMPTOMS OF DEHYDRATION:

- NAUSEA
- FATIGUE/EXHAUSTION
- LIGHT-HEADEDNESS
- HEADACHE
- LOSS OF MUSCLE COORDINATION/ DECREASED PERFORMANCE
- VOMITING
- PAINTING
- WEAKNESS
- POOR CONCENTRATION/ ALTERED MENTAL STATUS

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GENERAL LIABILITY INSURANCE PROGRAM	CAMP INSURANCE														
<p>As a membership benefit, coverage is provided by the Commercial General Liability Policy issued to the National Organization of Coaches Association Directors. This policy will provide general liability coverage to the Michigan High School Coaches Association and its members.</p>	<p>Today, most Coaches are involved in some type of sports camp. Please note that our General Liability Program follows insured members while working at camps and/or conducting their own personal camp.</p> <p>In addition, Participant/Accident Coverage is required for coaches and/or participants. Should an accident occur during a camp, clinic or event, this secondary coverage helps offset the loss suffered by families affected by such accidents.</p>														
CARRIER	NEW PROCEDURE FOR CAMP INSURANCE														
Houston Casualty Company	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ❖ Participant Waivers - Signed waivers must be in place for all participants attending camps. The waiver must have indemnification language and acknowledgement that primary medical insurance is in place for the participant. ❖ Participant/Accident (Medical) - If you cannot secure such a waiver, you must purchase coverage for all participants attending your camp. ❖ Additional Insured/Certificate of Insurance - If you require a certificate of insurance naming an additional insured, you must purchase the Participant/Accident (Medical) coverage for all participants attending your camp. ❖ Proof of Insurance - If you require a certificate of insurance showing proof of insurance and you have the required waiver in place, you DO NOT have to purchase the Participant/Accident (Medical) coverage. 														
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Disclaimer: This is an insurance overview for summary purposes only; for complete policy terms and conditions please refer to the NOCAD Master Policy.

2017-18 NFHS Coach of the Year Honors

NFHS NATIONAL COTY WINNER

Recipients must exemplify the highest standards of sportsmanship, ethical conduct and moral character, and be endorsed by their respective state high school associations. Recipients are selected by the NFHS Coaches Association Awards Committee and approved by the NFHS Board of Directors

The NFHS, which has been recognizing coaches through an awards program since 1982, honors coaches in the top 10 girls sports and top 10 boys sports (by participation numbers), and in one "other" sport that is not included in the top 10 listings.

The NFHS also recognizes a spirit coach as a separate award category. Winners of NFHS awards must be active coaches during the year for which they receive their award.

One of the most successful boys swimming & diving coaches in MHSAA history was honored Thursday by the National Federation of State High School Associations (NFHS) Coaches Association. Birmingham Brother Rice's Michael Venos was recognized as the National Coach of the Year in his sport after leading the Warriors to a fourth-straight Lower Peninsula Division 1 championship last winter. The following brief bio includes Venos' coaching philosophy, which he was asked to submit after being identified as a candidate for the award. Mike Venos is in his 34th year coaching and 21st at Brother Rice, including his 20th as the head of the Warriors program. He has coached 12 individuals MHSAA Finals champions and 15 relay Finals champions, with a record 19 straight Detroit Catholic League team championships. He has been named Class A/Division 1 Swim Coach of the Year by the Michigan Interscholastic Swim Coaches Association four times.

Venos also led the Farmington Hills Mercy girls swimming & diving team to the LPD1 championship in the fall. *"Very simply stated, it's never about winning. It's about being the best. I am fortunate enough to be able to coach young men and women who just happen to swim. My mission in life is for them to be able to take the lessons they learn from our sport and apply it to their lives. I understand that our parents have their children involved in swimming for more reasons than just to swim fast. I believe that no one person is more important than the team and I want my student-athletes to understand that they are part of something larger than themselves. I don't measure our success by wins and losses, but by how our young men and women go out into the world and represent their team by applying what they have gained from our sport in the daily aspects of their lives.*

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By Geoff Kimmerly
Second Half editor



The NFHS Coaches Association has an advisory committee composed of a chair and eight sectional representatives. The sectional committee representatives evaluate the state award recipients from the states in their respective sections and select the best candidates for the sectional award in each sport category. The NFHS Coaches Association Advisory Committee then considers the sectional candidates in each sport, ranks them according to a point system, and determines a national winner for each of the 20 sport categories, the spirit category and one "other" category.

A total of 537 coaches will be recognized this year with state, sectional and national awards.

NFHS REGIONAL COTY WINNERS

To be Announced

NFHS STATE COTY WINNERS

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Greetings All, from the Great State of Illinois. I apologize for the lateness of this newsletter. This month just got by pretty quick.

The record cold streak in Illinois has made things difficult. Canceled school and events. It has been so cold here that the politicians in Chicago were caught with their hands in their own pockets.

We are five months from the convention in Sioux Falls. President Dave Dolan and his team have been very busy preparing for this summer's event. In October, our Executive Committee received an example of the hospitality that will be in store as Sioux Falls was the host of the fall NHSACA Ex. Committee meeting. Our committee was treated like royalty by Dave, Jerry Miller and Virg Polak. The Executive Committee thanks them for their generosity. Everyone should have already received Virg's email regarding the convention. He was so kind as to attach a link in his email for activities offered in Sioux Falls. I have included that link at the bottom of this newsletter.

The finalists for Coach of the Year in our 19 activities have been released. You should have received this list from Dave Dougherty. Please check this list and make an attempt to contact finalists from your state. It would be fitting if each finalist were to receive contact, either a phone call, email, or note in the mail, from a member of the NHSACA Board that is from their home state. You may know this person previously. If you do not know them, it would be a good personal bridge for you to get to know them and would help Sports Chairs in their effort get these deserving finalists to the convention. I plan to make that contact with the finalists from Illinois this week. As you congratulate them on their selection as a NHSACA COTY Finalist, be sure to impress upon each how rewarding this experience will be for them and their families. As mentioned above, there are many activities in Sioux Falls. There are also many travel opportunities in the Dakotas for these finalists and their families. This would be a great opportunity for them to plan a family trip either before or after the convention. I plan on a trip to the western part of South Dakota after the convention. You can also pass Virg's link on to the finalist as well.

Be sure to go to the NHSACA web site at www.hscoaches.org to register for the 2018 Convention. You can register online or you can print off a paper copy if you wish. While you are on this site, you can also check out the member benefits.

I hope everyone has a productive winter and spring season and Good Luck. See everyone in Sioux Falls, SD.

Joe Cliffe
NHSACA Immediate Past President
https://www.tripadvisor.com/Attractions-g54805-Activities-Sioux_Falls_South_Dakota.html

MHSCA COACHING RECOGNITION for 15/20/25/30/35/40/45/50 Years

The candidate must have distinguished himself/herself with good coaching ethics and promoted good sportsmanship throughout his/her coaching career. *The AD or principal's signature confirms this. Ten (10) years of coaching outside of Michigan may be applied to the application. Coaching at any level may be applied as long as it is a school sponsored interscholastic sport. To receive a general coaching certificate the candidate must have been coaching at least one sport per year at any level for the requested number of years. To receive specific certificates for a single sport the candidate must qualify for the specified number of years in that sport. This can be at any

level. You cannot however count more than one level or season for a sport in any one year. For example, coaching both boys and girls basketball during the same school year counts as "1" year; coaching both 7th grade boys and JV boys during the same school year counts as "1" year. Up to three (3) years may be included for active duty military service which delayed or interrupted an applicant's coaching career. Awards for 30 years and more (plaque) will have the sports that the candidate coached listed on the plaque. The coach will be presented only one award for each level of service after 30 years.

For more information go to www.mhsca.org or contact Mike Jolly at E-mail to: dlsathletics@aol.com



Application online now for The Rich Tompkins Multi-Sport Athlete Award

The MHSCA Board of Directors recognized Rich Tompkins (1946-2015), former Executive Director, for his service to high school athletics by naming the multi-sport athlete award in his name.

Each school in the state can nominate one boy and one girl from their school for the MHSCA Rich Tompkins Multi-Sport Athlete Award. The only requirement for the athlete is that they must have participated in a least 3 sports for all four years of high school. Information will be sent out through the help of the MIAAA to all AD's in the state.

Nominations are due by April 15th and

must be submitted by the school's principal or AD. Each of the nominees are evaluated on the basis of their athletic achievements (both individual and team), scholarship, leadership and service. The committee utilizes a rubric to rate the candidates.

All of the nominees receive a high quality certificate from the MHSCA in honor of being their school's honoree. Additionally, one boy and one girl from each of the four classes of schools (A, B, C, D) receive a plaque as the MHSCA State Multi-Sport Athlete of the Year.

For more information contact Mr. Larry

Merx, MHSCA 2nd Vice President at: larrymerx@gmail.com or go to MHSCA.org



The NHASCA & Coach & Athletic Director Magazine launch Sports 40 Under 40 Nominations

The National High School Athletic Coaches Association (NHSACA) has partnership with Coach and Athletic Director magazine debuting in 2018, the Sports 40 Under 40 Awards will honor 40 outstanding individuals making their marks in the industry. Nominations are encouraged from all segments of the industry – men and women who are demonstrating involvement, innovation and commitment. The 40 young professionals chosen

will represent the best in the industry. The Sports 40 Under 40 Class of 2018 will be honored at the National High School Athletic Coaches Association (NHSACA) National Convention, and recognized in the July/August 2018 issue of Coach and Athletic Director. The awards are free to enter and we encourage self-nominations as well. Criteria

- Under the age of 40 (as of March 15, 2018)
- Currently employed within the sports industry

- Demonstrates leadership qualities
- Strives to propel the industry forward through involvement and innovation
- Eligible Candidates
- Coaches
- Assistant Coaches
- Administrators
- Officials
- Trade Show Management
- Association Management
- Industry Suppliers

Nomination Deadline: March 15, 2018
 Questions? awards@greatamericanpublish.com visit the web site: www.https://coachad.com/40-under-40/

MICHIGAN HIGH SCHOOL COACHES ASSOCIATION HALL OF FAME APPLICATION

Criteria for Application: Only persons who have coached and or directed a secondary school athletics program for 25 years or more and actively coached in Michigan for a minimum of 10 years are eligible for the MHSCA Hall of Fame. The applicant must have been a member of the association (MHSCA), in good standing, and an active member of the association two years prior to nomination into the Hall of Fame. In addition to the application, the nominee will need to have two letters of support sent to the address at the bottom.

Contact Information

Date of Birth: _____

Name of Candidate: _____ Phone: _____

Home Address: _____ City: _____ State: _____ Zip: _____

Candidate E-mail: (please print carefully) _____

School _____ Phone: _____

Address: _____ City: _____ State: _____ Zip: _____

Athletic Director Name: _____ Phone: _____

E-Mail Address _____ FAX Number _____

Nominator's Name: _____ Phone: _____

Home Address _____ City: _____ State: _____ Zip: _____

E-mail: (please print carefully) _____

Coaching and/or Athletic Director Record (Please include all that you can on this form)

School	Sport	Years	# of Seasons	Won-Loss Record, Summary
Example Smithville HS	Basketball	1969—2008	48	600-20; 34 League, 20 Reg. 10 State Titles
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Number of years as a Coach: _____ Number of years as an Athletic Director: _____ Combined Total: _____

Coaching Honors Listed: _____

Service to Sports Associations and/or Community (sports associations, committees, leadership roles, service clubs, church organizations, etc.)

Please send application, photograph (5 x 7) and have 2 letters of support forwarded to:

Mr. Mark Holdren, 854 Marshall Street, Portland, MI 48875

For more information contact: mholdren@portlandk12.org or call: 517-526-4575

MICHIGAN HIGH SCHOOL COACHES ASSOCIATION/GATORADE

15/20/25/30/35/40/45/50 YEAR COACHING SERVICE AWARD

GENERAL REQUIREMENTS

- The candidate must have distinguished himself/herself with good coaching ethics and promoted good sportsmanship throughout his/her coaching career. *The AD or principal's signature confirms this.
- Ten (10) years of coaching outside of the state of Michigan may be applied to the application.
- Coaching at any level may be applied as long as it is a school sponsored interscholastic sport. A maximum of ten (10) years may be allowed for coaching at the collegiate level.
- To receive a general coaching certificate the candidate must have been coaching at least one sport per year at any level for the requested number of years.
- To receive specific certificates for a single sport the candidate must qualify for the specified number of years in that sport. This can be at any level. You cannot however count more than one level or season for a sport in any one year. For example, coaching both boys and girls basketball during the same school year counts as "1" year; coaching both 7th grade boys and JV boys during the same school year counts as "1" year.

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PROCEDURE FOR RECEIVING AWARD

- Complete the application forms (2) and mail to: Mike Jolly, Years of Service Awards,
- 20917 Parkplace Lane, Clinton Twp., MI 48036 or E-mail to: dlsathletics@aol.com
- Certificates will be sent to your home address. Please allow four (4) weeks for processing.

Plaques will be mailed to your home address. Please allow six (6) weeks for processing.

MHSCA APPLICATION FOR YEARS COACHING SERVICE AWARD

___15 Years ___20 Years ___25 Years ___30 Years ___35 Years ___40 Years ___45 Years ___50 Years

Name (as it is to appear on award) _____

Best Phone _____ Email Address: _____

Home Address _____

Home City _____ Home State _____ Home Zip _____

Michigan High School Sports Association: _____ (MITCA, BCAM, etc.)

MHSCA Membership Card #: _____ Year: _____

Signature of Coach _____

Signature of AD or Principal * _____ Phone Number: _____

Printed Name of Administrator: _____ EMail: _____

Send Completed form to: Mike Jolly, Years of Service Awards, 20917 Parkplace Lane, Clinton Twp., MI 48036

or E-mail to: dlsathletics@aol.com. Be sure to include your Year-by-Year Summary Sheet.

The MHSCA Coaching Service Award is sponsored by GATORADE in cooperation with MHSCA

MHSCA Service Award Worksheet

NAME: _____

COACHING SERVICE AWARD WORKSHEET

	School Year	School	Sport		School Year	School	Sport
	(Example)	(Example)	(Example)		(Example)	(Example)	(Example)
1	1990-91	MCHS	FB, BBSK, BSB	4	1993-94	MACOMB CC	BBSK
2	1991-92	USAF	Active Duty	5	1994-95	TOLEDO ST. JOHN	BBSK
3	1992-93	MACOMB CC	BBSK	6	1995-96	MCHS	BBSK
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BSB, BBSK, GBSK, BBWL, GBWL, CHR, BCC, GCC
 FB, BGLF, GGLF, GYM, HCK, BLAX, GLAX, BSKI, GSKI,
 BSCR, GSCR, SFB, BSWM, GSWM, BTEN, GTEN,
 BTRK, GTRK, VB, WR

SCHOOL or SERVICE CODE

(Example)

MCHS	Mt. Clemens HS
USAF	US Air Force

Michigan High School Coaches Association Distinguished Service Award is one of our highest award for services and contributions sports in the state of Michigan.

The MHSCA Distinguished Service Award:

MHSCA recognizes individuals and organizations who have provided extraordinary service to educational athletics, the advancement student athletes, coaches, or those who serve interscholastic athletics through its Distinguished Service Awards.

The Distinguished Service Award (DSA) is given to a person (or persons), either volunteer or staff, who have exhibited valuable professional service (within the MHSCA or among its association membership) including academically, supportive, service, or assistance distinction at any level of interscholastic athletics. These criteria are good measures of acceptable candidates and help to assure that recipients have a wide range of "service" that they provide to the profession of interscholastic athletics. Nominations should be submitted on an individual basis, not by a group or on behalf of constituent groups (conferences, affiliates, assemblies, committees, etc)..

The MHSCA Distinguished Service Award does not need to be awarded each year. This award should be bestowed only when the MHSCA Board of Directors committee decides that nominations warrant presentation of the award. This award may be given posthumously.

- Why nominate? Someone for the MHSCA Distinguished Service Awards:
- Represent an opportunity to steward high-impact on interscholastic athletics
- Recognize institutions for their affiliation with individuals who demonstrate the highest level of professionalism and commitment to interscholastic athletics.
- Are judged by peers and colleagues as a creditable nominee.
- Celebrate individuals who epitomize the profession's highest standards for interscholastic sports
- Focus attention on the exemplary, and by doing so, elevate the profession overall and establish a high standard of excellence in promoting, supporting or contributing to interscholastic.

Required information for completed application:

Name of MHSCA Distinguished Service Award Nominee:

School or sport affiliation:

Email:

Mobile Phone

Nominated by:

Email:

Mobile Phone:

I believe this nominee is worthy of receiving this award for the following reasons:

Completed application can be submitted to MHSCA1954@gmail.com

Michigan High School Coaches' Association

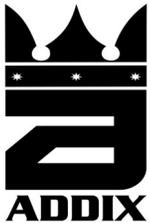


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We're pleased to announce Amanda Estep (Mandy), has joined the Medco Sports Medicine sales team, serving our South Central Territory.

Living just outside of Cincinnati Ohio, Mandy will assume responsibility for our Midwest sales territory which includes the states of Ohio, Michigan, Indiana, Kentucky and West Virginia.

Mandy received her Bachelor's degree in Athletic Training from Eastern Kentucky University where she was a member of the women's varsity soccer team, and her Master's degree in Sports Medicine from Georgia State University in Atlanta. After working several years as an Athletic Trainer for high schools in Georgia, North Carolina and Florida, Mandy and her family returned to Cincinnati where she worked as an Outreach Athletic Trainer for Mercy Health. Mandy began her sales career working for Apex Medical Systems and DJO Global, where she's worked for the past 2 years.

Mandy will begin her Medco career on Monday (October 9th) and spend the first week getting acclimated in our Amherst NY office. Please join me in welcoming Mandy to Medco and wishing her great success in her new position!

Thank you for your continued support of Medco Sports Medicine!

MHSCA BOARD OF DIRECTORS & EXECUTIVE COMMITTEES CALENDAR

- Board of Directors Spring Board Meeting March 11, 2018
@ Ramada Convention Center,
Lansing
- Board of Directors Fall Board Meeting & Hall of Fame Banquet
September 2018 @ CMU



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