

2014-15 BROWARD SCHOLAR-ATHLETE FINALISTS

GIRLS' FINALISTS

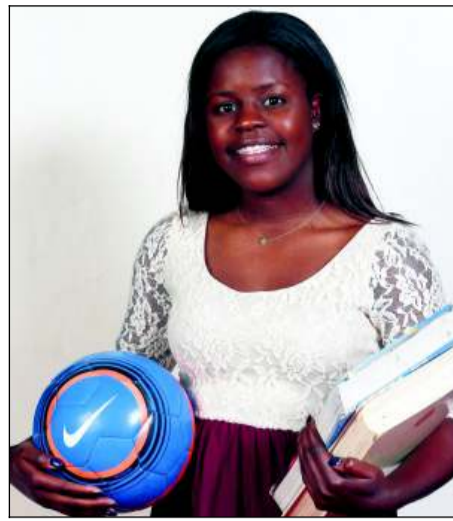


CHARLES TRAINOR JR./MIAMI HERALD STAFF

LINETTE FLORES

UNIVERSITY SCHOOL

Sport(s): Softball, volleyball.
GPA/SAT/ACT: 3.98/4.55 GPA, 1240/1840 SAT.
Class rank: School does not rank.
College: Nova Southeastern.
Athletic honors: Two-time All-Broward softball first-team selection.
Scholastic honors: National Honor Society, Spanish Honor Society, Science Honor Society.
Class schedule: AP Calculus AB, AP Government, Economics Honors, English Honors, AP Physics I, Anatomy and Physiology Honors, Statistics Honors.



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BRITTANY SIMPSON

ST. THOMAS AQUINAS

Sport(s): Soccer.
GPA/SAT/ACT: 4.61 GPA, 1170/1720/29 SAT/ACT.
Class rank: N/A.
College: Duke.
Athletic honors: All-Broward soccer second-team selection.
Scholastic honors: Principal's Honor Roll, Spanish National Honor Society, Mu Theta Alpha, National Honor Society, Campus Ministry.
Class schedule: Government Honors, Physics I AP, Statistics AP, Literature and Composition AP, Chemistry II Honors, Theology Honors.



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MEAGAN LANTZ

NORTH BROWARD PREP

Sport(s): Softball, volleyball.
GPA/SAT/ACT: 3.98/4.71 GPA, 29 ACT.
Class rank: 16th of 244.
College: Harvard.
Athletic honors: Two-time All-Broward softball first-team selection.
Scholastic honors: National Honor Society, National Spanish Honor Society, Yearbook Editor in Chief, Student Body Vice President.
Class schedule: IB English HL 2, AP Government/Politics, IB Environmental Systems/Societies, Anatomy/Physiology Honors, Yearbook Honors, Student Government.



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LINDSEY SWARTZ

PINE CREST

Sport(s): Swimming.
GPA/SAT/ACT: 4.024/4.76 GPA, 1310/2060 SAT.
Class rank: School does not rank.
College: Princeton.
Athletic honors: Three-time All-Broward first-team swimming selection; State champion in 100 breaststroke.
Scholastic honors: National Beta Honor Society, National English Honor Society, National Rho Kappa Honor Society, Johns Hopkins Book Award, USA Swimming Scholastic All-American, AP Scholar with Distinction, Cum Laude.
Class schedule: Post AP Seminar in Contemporary Literature, AP Calculus BC, AP Physics, AP Art History, AP Chinese Language and Culture.



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CRYSTAL MCDUFFY

MIRAMAR

Sport(s): Softball, volleyball.
GPA/SAT/ACT: 3.63/5.33 GPA, 1990 SAT/24 ACT.
Class rank: 24th of 576.
College: Deciding between Duke, FSU and UCF.
Athletic honors: Four-year starter in softball, 2 years in volleyball.
Scholastic honors: IB Scholar Student top 5 percent, Member of FIU Bridge Accounting Program, CEO & Founder of IB Successful program, Spanish National Honor Society, National Honor Society, Key Club.
Class schedule: IB Biology 3, IB English 4, IB Contemporary History, IB Theory/Knowledge 2, IB Psychology 2, IB Spanish 6.



DANIEL BOCK/FOR THE MIAMI HERALD

JACLYN YAO

CHAMINADE-MADONNA

Sport(s): Soccer, softball.
GPA/SAT/ACT: 3.82/4.82 GPA, 1690/24 SAT/ACT.
Class rank: 5th of 161.
College: Florida.
Athletic honors: All-Broward first-team selection in soccer and softball as a junior.
Scholastic honors: Principal's Honor Roll, National Honor Society, Mu Alpha Theta, National Art Society, National Science Society, National Spanish Society, 4 years Top 100 and no demerits.
Class schedule: AP Economics, AP American Government, Intro to Painting, Theology, Honors Anatomy and Physiology, AP English 4, AP Geography, AP Calculus.



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NICOLAS COVONE

ARCHBISHOP MCCARTHY

Sport(s): Soccer, volleyball, bowling.
GPA/SAT/ACT: 4.995 GPA, 1460/2190/35 SAT/ACT.
Class rank: N/A.
College: Johns Hopkins.
Athletic honors: All-Broward honorable mention in bowling; four years on regional playoff teams in soccer and volleyball.
Scholastic honors: National Merit Finalists, AP Scholar with Distinction.
Class schedule: AP Calculus BC, AP Computer Science, AP Physics I, AP English Literature, AP Macro and U.S. Government, World Religion and Church History.

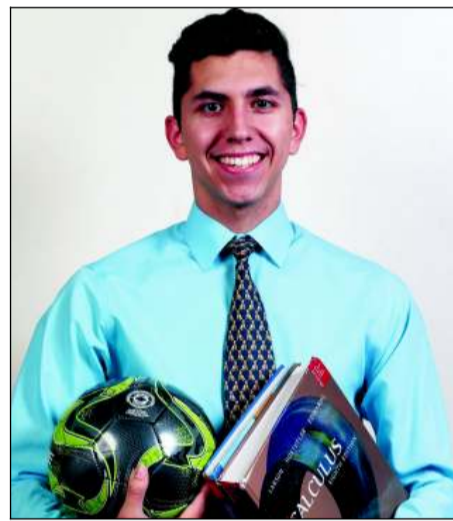


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NICHOLAS PEART

AMERICAN HERITAGE

Sport(s): Football, basketball, track and field.
GPA/SAT/ACT: 4.0/4.86 GPA, 1330/1960/28 SAT/ACT.
Class rank: School does not rank.
College: Dartmouth.
Athletic honors: All-Broward first-team selection in football.
Scholastic honors: National Honor Society.
Class schedule: English IV Honors, American Government Honors, Economics Honors Macro, Statistics AP, Environment AP, Competitive Fitness, Ceramics II.

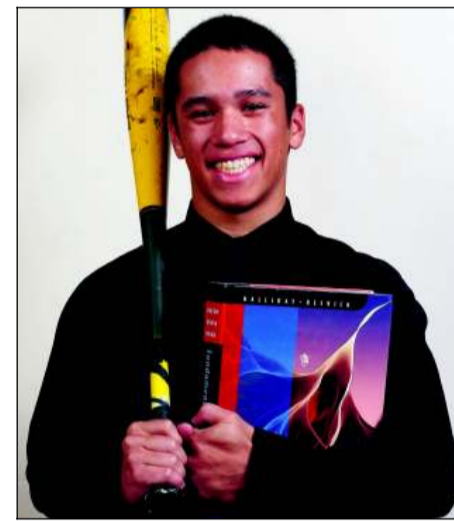


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JUAN FAJARDO

CALVARY CHRISTIAN

Sport(s): Soccer, track and field, cross-country.
GPA/SAT/ACT: 4.56 GPA, 1490/2250/34 SAT/ACT.
Class rank: School does not rank.
College: MIT.
Athletic honors: All-Broward honorable mention in soccer.
Scholastic honors: National Merit Scholar winner, MITES Summer program for engineering in MIT, National Hispanic recognition AP Test Scores, AP Scholar with Distinction.
Class schedule: AP Physics, AP Music Theory, Honors Statistics, Honors English, DE Calculus III.



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JARED SCHWAIT

NORTH BROWARD PREP

Sport(s): Baseball.
GPA/SAT/ACT: 3.95/4.66 GPA, 1510/2230/32 SAT/ACT.
Class rank: Top 2.5 percent of 246.
College: MIT.
Athletic honors: All-Broward second-team baseball selection.
Scholastic honors: National Merit Scholar finalist, Rensselaer Polytechnic Medal/Scholarship for Math and Science, Duke Software competition- Alice Programming 2nd place Nationals, Poetry Out Loud School Finalist, National Honor Society, AP Scholar with Distinction.
Class schedule: AP Physics C, AP U.S. Government, IB English Year 2, AP Computer Science, AP Calculus BC, IB ESS.



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LUKE MISEYKO

WESTMINSTER ACADEMY

Sport(s): Football, track and field.
GPA/SAT/ACT: 3.93/4.910 GPA, 1380/1990 SAT.
Class rank: Top 10 percent.
College: Florida.
Athletic honors: Placed third in the shot put at state in 2014; All-Broward football team honorable mention.
Scholastic honors: Summa Cum Laude, Furman Scholar, NHS President, Headmasters Club.
Class schedule: Physics, Dual Enrollment Calculus 2, DE Statistics, DE Business Calculus, Concert Orchestra, AP Literature, Yearbook, AP Government.



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CORRY SHORT

CARDINAL GIBBONS

Sport(s): Volleyball.
GPA/SAT/ACT: 3.77/4.74 GPA, 1420/210/29 SAT/ACT.
Class rank: 20th of 265.
College: Princeton.
Athletic honors: Two-time All-Broward first-team selection.
Scholastic honors: National Honor Society, Math Honor Society, Student Leadership, Key Club.
Class schedule: Sociology, Multicultural Studies, English 4 Honors, Composition 4 Dual Enrollment, Statistics Honors, Calculus BC AP, Psychology AP, Statistics AP.

OTHER NOMINEES

American Heritage: D'Kota Cassidy (softball), 3.8562/3.954 GPA, 24 ACT.
Calvary Christian: Carly Reis (soccer, cheerleading), 4.36 GPA, 27 ACT.
Cardinal Gibbons: Brittany Morgan (soccer, cross-country, track and field), 3.75/4.698 GPA, 1250/1880/27 SAT/ACT.
Chaminade-Madonna: Zachary Wilkerson (volleyball), 3.98/5.08 GPA, 2100 SAT.
Cooper City: Sarah Gannon (soccer, volleyball, lacrosse), 3.715/4.4615 GPA, 1050/1550/23 SAT/ACT.
Coral Glades: Yagna Patel (tennis), 3.8/5.4 GPA, 34 ACT; Krystina Nealon (bowling, cheerleading, tennis), 3.6/4.43 GPA, 1610/26 SAT/ACT.
Coral Springs: Matthew Shapiro (wrestling, track and field), 3.96/5.29 GPA, 1460/2160/28 SAT/ACT; Alexandra Voss (soccer/softball), 3.70/5.01 GPA, 1650/27 SAT/ACT.
Coral Springs Christian: Brendan Teeters (swimming), 3.57/4.45 GPA, 1290/1890/29 SAT/ACT; Julia Lindbergh (volleyball, track and field, basketball, soccer), 3.32/4.01 GPA, 1040 SAT.
Cypress Bay: Nicholas Schwarz (water polo, swimming),

3.918/5.301 GPA, 2070 SAT; Rachel Newman (soccer), 3.98/5.20 GPA, 2170/30 SAT/ACT.
Dillard: Jason Collins (football, baseball, tennis), 3.4/4.4 GPA, 1370/22 SAT/ACT; Jade Wyatt (basketball, track and field, flag football), 3.5/4.2 GPA, 1150/19 SAT/ACT.
Flanagan: Miguel Presno (baseball), 3.6207/4.4038 GPA, 1160/1710/27 SAT/ACT; Amanda Aloy (cheerleading), 3.6/4.34 GPA, 1780/24 SAT/ACT.
Highlands Christian: James McGrath (baseball, cross-country, golf), 3.92/4.58 GPA, 1350/1950/31 SAT/ACT; Kaely Wik (soccer, volleyball), 3.5/3.90 GPA, 960/1450/26 SAT/ACT.
McArthur: Anthony Vasconez (swimming, wrestling), 3.9333/5.2222 GPA, 1240/1850/27 SAT/ACT; Shirley Chua (cross-country), 3.8/4.9 GPA, 1660/25 SAT/ACT.
Miramar: Brandon Morris (football, track and field), 3.49/5.34 GPA, 1830/27 SAT/ACT.
Monarch: Joseph Gerber (baseball), 3.9887/4.1415 GPA, 1000/1400 SAT; Stefany Collins (softball), 3.1471/3.6226 GPA, 1220/15 SAT/ACT.
Nova: Eric Merante (baseball), 3.6792/4.7255 GPA, 1230/

1780 SAT; Kiani Lurry (basketball), 3.9872/4.56 GPA, 1000/22 SAT/ACT.
Pembroke Pines Charter: Carlos Penaranda (cross-country, track and field), 3.56/4.57 GPA, 1860 SAT; Courtney Zahar (soccer), 3.5/4.3 GPA, 1090/1680/24 SAT/ACT.
Pine Crest: James Leahy (football, track and field), 3.96/4.56 GPA, 1430/2170/34 SAT/ACT.
Piper: Mateo Diaz (football, volleyball), 3.7/4.8 GPA, 28 ACT; Brianna Turner (cheerleading, flag football), 31/4.0 GPA, 24 ACT.
Plantation: Maxwell Carter (cross-country, track and field), 3.5429/4.8448 GPA, 1200/26 SAT/ACT; Leeron Wurms (soccer), 3.8698/5.3936 GPA, 1100/24 SAT/ACT.
Sagmont: Christopher Iacono (soccer, baseball), 3.71/4.75 GPA, 29 ACT; Jacqueline Lutz (softball, flag football, volleyball), 4.0/5.04 GPA, 1210/1830/26 SAT/ACT.
St. Thomas Aquinas: Alexander Turminello (lacrosse, football), 1110/1690 SAT.
Somerset Academy: Michael Van Degna (baseball), 3.5/4.1 GPA, 1000/1450/23 SAT/ACT.
South Plantation: Phillip Schwab (track and field, cross-

country), 3.9/5.25 GPA, 1350/2030/28 SAT/ACT; Fasheba Funeus (cross-country, volleyball, lacrosse, track and field, basketball), 3.715/4.33 GPA, 1220/21 SAT/ACT.
Stranahan: Kirk Livingstone (football, basketball), 3.2692/4.44 GPA, 1490/22 SAT/ACT; Alisha Daise (flag football, volleyball, basketball), 3.2963/4.40 GPA, 23 ACT.
University School: Raul Mendy (lacrosse, football), 3.62/4.16 GPA, 1290/1950 SAT.
West Broward: Anthony DiFede (baseball), 3.88/4.84 GPA, 1240/1850 SAT; Elena Menendez (track and field, cross-country), 3.5789/4.5784 GPA, 1070/1610/23 SAT/ACT.
Westminster Academy: Emily Stevenson (water polo, swimming, track and field, soccer, volleyball), 3.71/4.64 GPA, 1150/1850/30 SAT/ACT.
Credits: Finalists were selected by Miami Herald Assistant Sports Editor John Devine, Miami Herald sports writer Andre C. Fernandez and correspondent Bill Van Smith. Schools not listed did not submit ballots. Scholar-athlete winners will be announced at the Miami Herald's All-Broward Awards breakfast May 22 at Signature Grand in Davie.