

September 2018

TO: All KSHSAA Member School Principals and/or Athletic Directors

FROM: Bill Faflick, KSHSAA Executive Director

**SUBJECT: National Activities Week Sportsmanship Recognition Certificate Presentation**

With the cooperation of the National Federation, we have once again arranged for you to have the **“Award of Excellence” certificate to use during National High School Activities Week, October 7-13, 2018.**

With support from the KSHSAA Student Advisory Team, the recommendation was to ask each member school to present the certificate to a deserving adult who models good sportsmanship in support of school activity programs.

The intent of the Student Advisory Team **is to involve students in the selection of the honoree and also in the actual presentation, at a highly visible event:** a football game, volleyball match, soccer game, pep assembly/rally, etc. Selection and presentation might involve captains, cheerleaders, student body officers, or other appropriate student leaders. **The goal is to present the award during National Activities Week, October 7-13, 2018.**

**The adult chosen would be someone who has demonstrated ongoing support for the total activities program of your school.** Obviously, the selection and presentation will require the assistance of the school administrative team. **The certificate is designed to be personalized with the name of your school and honoree.**

Please share with the KSHSAA ways in which you used the **“Award of Excellence”** certificate at your school. We would also appreciate pictures of the event to be used in future publications by the KSHSAA.

On behalf of the Student Advisory Team, I hope you will choose to be involved and ensure that a deserving patron of your school will be honored. Thank you in advance for your participation. I hope this opportunity results in a positive experience for all. **For more information, please refer to our website: [www.kshsaa.org](http://www.kshsaa.org) and click on “Activities Week” under the “Schools” menu.**

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