



# South High Community School Student-Athletes Receive Inaugural MIAA Educational Athletics Achievement Award

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Franklin, MA - A group of 6 student-athletes from numerous teams at South High Community School (Worcester) were recently awarded the inaugural MIAA Educational Athletics Achievement Award in the areas of **Community Service** and **Leadership** for their service as volunteers at *Andy's Attic*, a clothing distribution center located within the school.

*Andy's Attic* is currently run by the students of South High Community School. Through their dedication and hard work they have served hundreds of students and families by collecting clothing for schools and social service agencies to distribute to needy teenagers. Those requiring assistance can anonymously request a bag of items tailored to one's specific needs. Several student volunteers spoke about their involvement with this exemplary effort on a short video: [www.vimeo.com/91616935](http://www.vimeo.com/91616935)



MIAA Executive Director Bill Gaine commented, "The Educational Athletics Achievement Award presented to South High student-athletes represents the outstanding lessons learned by giving back to the community for the privilege of participation. These South High student-athletes are to be applauded for their leadership and positive power of influence".



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