

January 2023



**41st ANNUAL LAKEWOOD YOUTH HALL OF FAME
2022 AWARD RECIPIENTS**

CO-ATHLETES OF THE YEAR

**MIA ESCANDON, Saint Joseph High School – Soccer
FATIMAH HALL, Lakewood High School – Volleyball**

PERFORMERS OF THE YEAR

Badminton

Amanda Chhoy, Lakewood High School
Karen Tan, Lakewood High School

Baseball

Anthony Eyanson, Lakewood High School

Basketball

Aaron Banks, Artesia High School

Cheerleading

Sara Scalas, Saint Joseph High School

Cross Country

Jason Parra, Millikan High School

Football

Evan Tomich, Mayfair High School

Golf

Hyacinth Hernandez, Artesia High School

Gymnastics

Vasiliki Georgakopoulos, Saint Joseph High School

Lacrosse

Aidan Wilder, Lakewood High School

Soccer

Raul Pantoja, Artesia High School

Softball

Laci Berecochea, Lakewood High School
Maya Torres, Artesia High School

Tennis

Sara Villalta, Mayfair High School

Track and Field

Jason Parra, Millikan High School
Chelsea Aninyei, Mayfair High School

Volleyball

Samarah DaCoud, Lakewood High School

Water Polo

Alyssa Valente, Saint Joseph High School

Wrestling

Zainab Hakeem, Lakewood High School
Andrew Prado, Mayfair High School

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DISTINGUISHED NOMINEES

Basketball

*Nyemah King, Lakewood High School
Chris Willis, Lakewood High School*

Cheerleading

*Jennifer Galicia, Saint Joseph High School
Catherine Lalonde, Saint Joseph High School*

Football

*Brayden Downen, Lakewood High School
Kaleb Foster, Lakewood High School
Tyree McCowen, Lakewood High School
Rahkeen Moore, Lakewood High School*

Gymnastics

Sara Scalas, Saint Joseph High School

Lacrosse

Jaelyn Tuinei, Lakewood High School

Soccer

*Esperanza Logan, Los Alamitos High School
Dominick Martinez, Artesia High School
Aimee McSparren, Mayfair High School
Adrian Palacios, Artesia High School
Marbely Puga, Mayfair High School
David Ramirez, Artesia High School
Phoenix Tucker, Saint Joseph High School*

Softball

Leah Canales, Saint Joseph High School

Tennis

Camilla Uchio, Saint Joseph High School

Track and Field

Maya Gonsalves, Saint Joseph High School

Volleyball

*Jade Epps, Lakewood High School
Emma Fa'alogo, Saint Joseph High School
Jillian Hitt, Mayfair High School
Sasha Luzina, Saint Joseph High School
Cortni Youngblood, Lakewood High School*

Wrestling

*Elijah Ocampo, Lakewood High School
Richelle Shriver, Artesia High School*

SPECIAL ACHIEVEMENT AWARDS

Scholar Athlete of the Year

*Elise Chung, Artesia High School
Samantha Vong, Lakewood High School
Mia Cuellar, Mayfair High School
Christina Ayon, Saint Joseph High School*

All-Round Performer

Sara Scalas, Saint Joseph High School

Joe Esquivel Coach of the Year

*Ibee Atalla, Mayfair High School
Isaac Ayala, Saint Joseph High School
Jeff Myles, Artesia High School
Justin Utupo, Lakewood High School*

Outstanding High School Career

Chelsea Aninyei, Mayfair High School

Outstanding Sustained Contribution to Youth Sports

Kam Weller – Athletic Trainer, Lakewood High School

Larry Van Nostran Future Star Award

Chaz Gilbreath, Mayfair High School

Chairman's Award

*Piazza Family McDonald's Restaurants – Ron and Sean Piazza
Title IX 50th Anniversary Commemoration Hosted by Mayfair High School – Dennis Guerra, Samantha Miyahara, Christine Mead*

Mayor's Award

*Jazzmin Gatica
Kurt Lewis
Gilbert Quijada, Sr.
Jon Pratte*

Special Olympic Athlete of the Year

Naomi Whatley, Lakewood Special Olympics

Outstanding Youth Team

*Special Olympic Belly Busters – Soccer
Special Olympic Dirtbags – Softball*

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High School Varsity League Champions

Artesia High School Boys Basketball

Artesia High School Boys Soccer

Mayfair High School Girls Basketball

Mayfair High School Girls Tennis

Mayfair High School Boys Wrestling

Mayfair High School Girls Wrestling

Lakewood High School Girls Volleyball

Saint Joseph High School Swimming

Saint Joseph High School Track & Field

CIF Champions

Artesia High School Boys Soccer

Mayfair High School Boys Wrestling

Saint Joseph High School Cheerleading

Saint Joseph High School Soccer