

## **SELECTION OF THE 2019-2020 ALL LONG ISLAND INDOOR TRACK AND FIELD ATHLETES**

Plainview, NY – Representatives from the **Nassau and Suffolk County Track Coaches Associations, NSCHSSA and USATF Long Island** have come together to select the **All Long Island athletes** for the 2019-2020 indoor track and field season. Performances throughout the season were analyzed, discussed and debated with an emphasis placed on achievements in the season's championship meets (County, Intersectional and State) along with the Long Island Elite Invitational.

Three athletes were selected for each individual running and field event to comprise 1<sup>st</sup>, 2<sup>nd</sup> and 3<sup>rd</sup> team All Long Island. Athletes who could have qualified for selections in multiple events were assigned one selection in their most outstanding event. The committee has also awarded 1<sup>st</sup>, 2<sup>nd</sup> and 3<sup>rd</sup> All Long Island selections in the 4x200, 4x400, 4x800, sprint and distance medleys and the shuttle hurdle relay.

The 2019-2020 indoor track and field season was another strongly successful campaign for the athletes of Long Island and was highlighted by the committee's selection of the two **Most Outstanding Athletes of the Season** in **Andre Leslie** (Farmingdale) and **Analisse Batista** (Huntington).

With his 6.30 second victory in the 55 at the Long Island Elite Invitational, Andre Leslie broke the Long Island and New York State Junior record for the event. His season also included victories at the Nassau County A Championship and Section VIII State Qualifier, along with a 2<sup>nd</sup> place finish at the State-Federation Championships. Analisse Batista also captured a runner-up finish in the State-Federation Championships, running to a 1:32.05 finish in the 600. This capped off an impressive season of victories at the Suffolk County Championships, Section XI State Qualifier and Long Island Elite Meet, all in the 600, to go along with 56.79 victory in the 400 at the Ocean Breeze HS Invitational. Both of those times ranked as the fastest on Long Island this season.

In regard to the **Most Outstanding Sprinter of the Season**, the committee selected a pair of 300 meter New York State Champions who each possessed the fastest time run on Long Island this season in **Cavel Campbell** (Hempstead) and **Gianna Paul** (Walt Whitman). Campbell saved his best for last with his 34.44 performance in the State Championships at Ocean Breeze. His season also included victories at the Nassau County A Championship, Section VIII State Qualifier and Long Island Elite Meet. Paul mirrored those accomplishments with victories of her own at the Suffolk County Championship, Section XI State Qualifier, Long Island Elite Meet and Bullis Speed Invitational. Likewise, her fastest time of the season, 39.15, was attained in the State Championship Final.

For the **Most Outstanding Distance Runner of the Season**, the committee went with a duo of Suffolk County athletes in **Michael Danzi** (Smithtown) and **Sarah Connelly** (Mt. Sinai). Danzi's season highlight was attained at the State Championships when he went to the lead early in the 1000 and led until breaking the tape at the finish line in 2:29.96. That time was the fastest this season by a Long Islander and joined his victories in the Suffolk County Championships in the 1000 and 1600. Connelly's season ended with a pair of All State performances in the 1500 (7<sup>th</sup> – 4:41.25) and 3000 (3<sup>rd</sup> – 9:38.10) to add even more accolades onto one of the best high school track and field careers in Long Island history. This season Connelly came away victorious in both events at the Suffolk County Championships and Section XI State Qualifiers to go along with victories at the Ocean Breeze Holiday Festival (2 mile), Stanner Games (3000) and Long Island Elite Meet (1500). Her times in the 1500, mile and 3000 all rank as the fastest on Long Island from this season.

Finally in the field component of the sport, the committee honors **Nicholas Pisciotta** (Commack) and **Soledad Jean** (Half Hollow Hills East) as the **Most Outstanding Field Event Competitors of the Season**. Pisciotta's weight throw launch of 75-6 won the State Championship by four feet and was the furthest throw of the season by a Long Island athlete by an astounding thirteen feet! This season he also captured victory at the Long Island Elite Meet, placed as the weight throw runner-up at the prestigious Millrose Games and was the Suffolk County Champion in the shot put. Jean claimed a nearly perfect record in the high jump winning 8 of the 9 times she competed in the event this season and highlighted by a 5-8 victory at the State Championship. That leap was the highest on Long Island this season and completed a season where she also claimed victories at the Suffolk County Championships, Section VIII State Qualifier, Long Island Elite Meet and two high quality invitational meets held at Ocean Breeze.

The Long Island Track and Field Coaches Association would like to congratulate all of our **All Long Island** athletes on their memorable and successful indoor track and field campaigns. Future All Long Island selections for track and field will be made annually after the conclusion of each season.

*Male and Female Athletes of the Year*  
**Male Track and Field Athlete of the Year**

Andre Leslie Farmingdale High School

**Sprint Events**

Cavel Campbell Hempstead High School

**Distance Events**

Michael Danzi Smithtown West High School

**Field Events**

Nicholas Pisciotta Commack High School

**Female Track and Field Athletes of the Year**

Analisse Batista Huntington High School

**Outstanding Sprinter**

Gianna Paul Walt Whitman High School

**Outstanding Field Events**

Soledad Jean Half Hallow Hills East

**Outstanding Distance Events**

Sarah Connelly Mount Sinai High School

*2020 ALL LONG ISLAND BOYS WINTER TRACK AND FIELD TEAM*

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<b>EVENT</b>	<b>1<sup>st</sup> TEAM</b>	<b>2<sup>nd</sup> TEAM</b>	<b>3<sup>rd</sup> TEAM</b>
<b>55 METER DASH</b>	Andre Leslie Farmingdale High School	Christian Fils-Aime North Babylon High School	Andrew Deoteau Baldwin High School
<b>300 METER DASH</b>	Cavell Campbell Hempstead High School	Christopher Holt Holy Trinity High School	Nicholas Lavazoli Middle Country
<b>600 METERS</b>	Fernando Sanchez St. John the Baptist H.S.	CJ Kiviat Huntington High School	Justin Stevens Huntington High School
<b>1000 METERS</b>	Michael Danzi Smithtown West H.S.	Brian Healy St. John the Baptist H.S.	Daniel Sabia Smithtown West H.S.
<b>1600 METERS</b>	Kal Lewis Shelter Island High School	Thomas Fodor Northport High School	Tim Weber MacArthur High School
<b>3200 METERS</b>	Jason Linzer Seaford High School	Gavin Ehlers Westhampton Beach H.S.	Michael Silveri Eastport-South Manor H.S.
<b>55 METER HURDLES</b>	Justin Wei Mount Sinai High School	Tyreek Parker Riverhead High School	Ryan Bailey Comsewogue High School

<b>HIGH JUMP</b>	Jack Meigel Westhampton Beach H.S.	Blake Wehr Shoreham Wading River H.S.	Jaden Hanson Uniondale High School
<b>LONG JUMP</b>	Christian Quinn Freeport High School	Anthony Joseph Huntington High School	Alex Kanes Kings Park High School
<b>TRIPLE JUMP</b>	Amir Cambridge Farmingdale High School	Ryan John Valley Stream North H. S.	Isaiah Allen Westbury High School Jeremy Bertolet Connetquot High School
<b>POLE VAULT</b>	Brandon Love East Meadow High School	Nicholas Bianco Massapequa High School	Nicholas Lourenco St. Anthony's High School
<b>SHOT PUT</b>	Quinn Smith Hampton Bays High School	Evan Rosen Syosset High School	Brandon Dennis Amityville High School
<b>Weight Throw</b>	Nicholas Pisciotta Commack High School	Travis Roux Northport High School	Jacob Fishler Syosset High School
<b>Pentathlon</b>	Ryan Tona Smithtown West H.S.	Thomas Cuff Smithtown West H.S.	Arik Sen Port Jefferson High School
<b>RELAYS</b>			
<b>4x200 RELAY</b>	Westbury High School	Freeport High School	Holy Trinity High School
<b>4x400 RELAY</b>	Huntington High School	Uniondale High School	Smithtown West High School
<b>4x800 RELAY</b>	Syosset High School	Bay Shore High School	Chaminade High School
<b>Distance Medley</b>	Syosset High School	Chaminade High School	Bay Shore High School
<b>Sprint Medley</b>	Smithtown West H.S.	Mount Sinai High School	Hauppauge High School
<b>Shuttle Hurdle Relay</b>	Huntington High School	Uniondale High School	Chaminade High School

## Final Boy's Long Island Team Rankings

### Long Island Team of the Year – Huntington High School

2. Farmingdale High School
3. East Meadow High School
4. Smithtown West High School
5. Mount Sinai High School

## Final Girl's Long Island Team Rankings

### Long Island Team of the Year – Bay Shore High School

2. Mount Sinai High School
3. Saint Anthony's High School
4. Ward Melville High School
5. Hewlett High School

## *2020 ALL LONG ISLAND GIRLS'S WINTER TRACK AND FIELD TEAM*

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<b>EVENT</b>	<b>1<sup>st</sup> TEAM</b>	<b>2<sup>nd</sup> TEAM</b>	<b>3<sup>rd</sup> TEAM</b>
<b>55 METER DASH</b>	Adaliz Hunt Middle Country	Brianna Davis Brentwood High School	Jada Hodge Middle Country
<b>300 METER DASH</b>	Gianna Paul Whitman High School	Alexandria Yarbrough Freeport High School	Michele Daye Half Hollow Hills West H.S.
<b>600 METERS</b>	Analisse Batista Huntington High School	Renee Newtown Hempstead High School	Ja'len DeFilippis West Babylon High School
<b>1000 METERS</b>	Brianna Grant Ward Melville High School	Lauren Trejo Sachem East High School	Kaitlyn Chandrika Mount Sinai High School
<b>1500 METERS</b>	Nicole Schneider North Shore High School	Maggie Maier Sacred Heart High School	MacKenzie Seton Jericho High School
<b>3000 METERS</b>	Sarah Connelly Mount Sinai High School	Nicole Garcia Shoreham Wading River H.S.	Emily Lamena John Glenn Elwood H. S.
<b>55 METER HURDLES</b>	Aniyah Walters Walt Whitman High School	Chinyere Akazi Uniondale High School	Olivia Nelson Valley Stream Central H.S.
<b>1500 M Race walk</b>	Isabella Rogler West Islip High School	Analiese Fabrizi Sachem North High School	Emily Porti East Islip High School
<b>HIGH JUMP</b>	Soledad Jean Half Hollow Hills East H.S.	Alexandria Earle Sacred Heart High School	Mia Grassia Lauryn Piccirelli Bay Shore High School
<b>LONG JUMP</b>	Efe Omakeni Freeport High School	Alexandra Kelly Rocky Point High School	Erin McLoughlin Connetquot High School
<b>TRIPLE JUMP</b>	Alissa Braxton Commack High School	Leann Nicholas Farmingdale High School	Jahnia Hodge Half Hollow Hills East H.S.
<b>POLE VAULT</b>	Marisa D'Angelo Saint Anthony's High School	Ashley Brule Half Hollow Hills West H.S.	Emily Pfeuffer Connetquot High School Abby Larsson Bayport-Bluepoint H.S.
<b>SHOT PUT</b>	Caitlin Christie Bay Shore High School	Megan Wood Ward Melville High School	Brook Pohl Rocky Point High School
<b>Weight Throw</b>	Kayley Ragazzini Hewlett High School	Anastasia Richards Mount Sinai High School	Arianna Alladio Zacpal Saint Anthony's High School
<b>Pentathlon</b>			

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