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Winter Academic Sport Champions Named

The Osceola County School Board has named its 2008/2009 Osceola Academic Champions for the winter sports of soccer, basketball, wrestling, weight lifting, and competitive cheerleading. This award recognizes student athletes for performance in the classroom, as well as in the athletic arena.

2008/2009 WINTER OSCEOLA ACADEMIC CHAMPIONS

BOYS SOCCER - **Harmony High School** -- 3.251 TEAM UNWEIGHTED GPA

GIRLS SOCCER - **Harmony High School** -- 3.333 TEAM UNWEIGHTED GPA

BOYS BASKETBALL - **Harmony High School** -- 3.099 TEAM UNWEIGHTED GPA

GIRLS BASKETBALL - **St. Cloud High School** -- 3.351 TEAM UNWEIGHTED GPA

BOYS WRESTLING - **Gateway High School** -- 3.155 TEAM UNWEIGHTED GPA

GIRLS WEIGHT LIFTING - **Harmony High School** -- 3.300 TEAM UNWEIGHTED GPA

COMPETITIVE CHEERLEADING - **Harmony High School** -- 3.300 TEAM UNWEIGHTED GPA

Each season, the team earning the highest grade point average in each sport from Osceola's eight comprehensive high schools will be presented a certificate at a School Board meeting. The grades of the student athletes are submitted each season to the Florida High School Athletic Association (FHSAA), and top schools in the state are also recognized by the FHSAA.

"I am proud to recognize these student athletes for their teamwork not only in competition, but in the classroom as well," said Superintendent Dr. Michael A. Grego. "Their success both on and off the playing field speaks to the high standards we have set for our students and the motivation they have to achieve."

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