

To: District III Member Schools
From: Cathy Wreski, Sportsmanship Chair
Subject: **E. Jerry Brooks Academic Excellence Awards
District III Fackler-Hower Sportsmanship Awards**
Date: February 20, 2012

The District III Committee recognizes outstanding sportsmanship and academic excellence among our student-athletes by awarding medals to deserving students. The number of medals awarded has continued to grow each year and indicates the success of the program. In keeping with the Committee's philosophy that member schools continue to honor student-athletes for exemplary sportsmanship and academic excellence, E. Jerry Brooks Academic Excellence Award medals and Fackler-Hower Sportsmanship Award medals will be distributed at the annual spring meeting. **Please return the attached nomination form to Cathy Wreski by March 30, 2012.**

The criterion for the E. Jerry Brooks Academic Excellence Award is provided as an attachment. Sportsmanship medals should be awarded to one each, senior female and male student-athlete, selected for demonstrating the most sportsman-like qualities throughout the year. Sportsmanship criteria are determined by your school's student code of ethics, or you may refer to #3 of the Academic Excellence attachment. It is imperative that each school provides me with the names of its sportsmanship winners so that they may be published in local media outlets.

Please e-mail any questions to wreskibc@comcast.net. The academic and sportsmanship medals will be distributed to representatives of each school at the Annual District III Meeting, which will be held at 8:30 AM on Tuesday, April 17, 2012 at Hershey Country Club.