



STUDENT SENATE NEWSLETTER

DISTRICT III NEWS



Congratulations to Ray Davis MS, ATC
on his recent election as the incoming
District III Director!

2022 MAATA Annual Symposium

Date: Friday, May 13 - Sunday, May 15
Location: Hilton Charlotte University Place

This is an in-person event.

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SCHOLARSHIP OPPORTUNITIES

MAATA SCHOLARSHIPS

EDWARD BLOCK SCHOLARSHIP

- Developed to target candidates currently enrolled in a District III CAATE-accredited Athletic Training Program who have distinguished themselves academically and clinically while matriculating through the ATP, and who indicate an intention to continue academic work beyond the completion of the Professional Athletic Training Program level.
- 1st Place – \$1,500.00; 2nd Place – \$1,000.00

A.C. 'WHITEY' GYWNNE SCHOLARSHIP

- Developed to target candidates who are BOC-certified, and who are currently enrolled in a post-professional master's degree or will have completed their master's degree by the time this scholarship is presented, and who also plan on pursuing the profession of Athletic Training as their means of livelihood.
- 1st Place – \$1,500.00; 2nd Place – \$1,000.00

LARRY SUTTON SCHOLARSHIP

- Developed to target candidates who indicate an intention to continue academic work beyond the completion of the Professional Athletic Training Program level, and who plan to pursue the profession of Athletic Training as their means of livelihood.
- 1st Place – \$1,500.00; 2nd Place – \$1,000.00

WILLIAM PRENTICE SCHOLARSHIP

- Developed to target candidates who will be entering a Post-Professional degree granting Athletic Training or AT related program including Masters (until 2022), PhD, EdD, or DAT programs. This award is meant to encourage the continuing education of the individual towards completion of a Post-Professional Master or Doctoral degree.
- \$1,500.00 is awarded annually to the selected candidate

For more information or to apply click [here!](#)

NATA NEWS



APPLY TO THE STUDENT LEADERSHIP COMMITTEE!

Do you want to get involved with NATA and represent your fellow athletic training students at the national level? The NATA SLC is seeking applicants for multiple positions on the 2022-2023.

If you are interested in representing your district, you are strongly encouraged to apply. Applications will be accepted Sept. 27- Nov. 20 on [Gather](#).

WHAT IS THE NATA STUDENT LEADERSHIP COMMITTEE (SLC)?

The SLC provides a voice for students within the athletic training community. The SLC promotes learning about issues impacting the athletic training profession, getting involved in volunteer opportunities and taking a stand on matters impacting students in the present and future.



DIHI STATE NEWS



Looking for volunteers for the Rock N' Roll Run Series

Date: Friday, November 12, 2021

Time: 9:30 AM - 2:30 PM

Location: Stadium Armory

To register click [here](#) and enter the password DCATA to register for the 9:30-2:30 time block.

We hope to see you there!

If you have any questions you can reach out to Tina Carrillo at ccarrillo@friendshipschools.org



Nothing new to report.



VATA Annual Meeting

Date: January 8-9, 2022

Location: Hotel Madison, Harrisburg, VA

Price: Student - \$75 (Day of \$100)

Registration now OPEN, click [here](#).

DIII STATE NEWS



PSA Competition

More info to come.



President-Elect 2022 -

Nina Walker, MA, ATC, LAT

State Conference scheduled for:
March 4-6, 2022



SCATA Symposium scheduled for:

July 13-15, 2022, at the Columbia Convention Center
More info to come.

Recap of 2021 SCATA Student Symposium:

- Successful virtual symposium/quiz bowl
 - 20+ attendees for mock interviews
 - 26 non-certified registrants
 - SCATA Quiz Bowl winner: Limestone University (Zakaria Holt, Taylin Jean, Savannah Venters)
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SETTING SPOTLIGHT

National Association of Intercollegiate Athletics (NAIA)

What is it?

- Headquartered in Kansas City, Mo., is a governing body of small athletics programs that are dedicated to character-driven intercollegiate athletics.
- Founded in 1937.
- Each year more than 77,000 NAIA student-athletes have the opportunity to play college sports, earn over \$800 million in scholarships, and compete for a chance to participate in 27 national championships.
- There are around 30 sports competing in 20+ conferences.
- NAIA programs are comparable to NCAA D3 schools and top-level NAIA programs match mid/high-level NCAA D2 schools.



What to Expect:

- There may be 4-9 sports going on at once.
- Only 1-3 athletic trainers are normally on staff.
- Types of injuries will vary because of the variety of sports.
- Less time is spent traveling because teams compete against local or regional teams.



Things to Keep in Mind:

- Review the NAIA Athletic Trainers' Manual and Handbook to be familiar with the rules.
- There are generally less resources and funding for an NAIA school.