

2023 ELITE-ELEVEN

STUDENT-ATHLETE AWARDS

Nate Schuckman, Mary Institute St. Louis Country Day School (MICDS)

Parents: Matt and Jennifer Schuckman

Head Coach: Dr. Fred Bouchard

Nate Schuckman played offensive and defensive line for MICDS at 6' 6" and 255 pounds. He was a key force in every game plan, as he helped his team to the state quarter finals, state semi-finals and state finals (runner-up) over the past three years. He was selected "Lineman of the Year" at MICDS in 2021 and 2022. He was named to All-Conference, All-District and All-State teams in each of the last two years and has been an Academic All-State winner for three consecutive years. Nate competed at the state track meet in 2022 as a thrower, and we suspect he will be heading back there this spring. The MICDS offense has averaged 45 and 43 points per game over the past two years with Nate as the leader of the offensive line. He has received scholarship offers from several D-1 schools including the Air Force Academy, Yale, Brown, Butler, Missouri State, Illinois State, and Indiana State.

Nate carries a 4.0 grade point average with him as he leaves MICDS with a wealth of advanced placement classes. He was the captain of the football team as a senior and captains the track thrower at MICDS. He has tutored middle school students and serves as a camp counselor for the youth football program. Prospective students to MICDS shadow Nate when they visit the school.

Head Coach Dr. Fred Bouchard says he cannot say enough good things about Nate Schuckman. He identifies Nate as the most academically high achieving player on the team while achieving at an impressive level on the gridiron and in the track and field program. Matt Esman, Director of College Counseling at MICDS concludes, "In all ways, Nate is poised for success as he takes the next step in his educational journey. He is a natural leader who brings out the best in others."

The Tom Lombardo Chapter of the National Football Foundation is very pleased to have Nate Schuckman in this class of winners. His academic and athletic success standout in a crowd and we wish him great success wherever he chooses to attend next fall.

