



## Scotus Central Catholic Jr./Sr. High School

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Scotus Central Catholic is proud to induct four Shamrocks into the prestigious Scotus Athletic Hall of Fame.

Payton Chohon ('14) was a multi-sport athlete at Scotus. In Volleyball, Payton played on the 2011 undefeated (29-0) state Class C1 championship team, the 2012 state runner up team, the 2013 state 4<sup>th</sup> place team and the 2014 state 3<sup>rd</sup> place team. She held the school record for career digs in a single match at 31. She was also selected first team, all-state in 2013 and 2014; and played in the 2014 NE Coaches Association all-star game.

In Basketball she was a varsity player for three years and was named all-conference in 2013 and 2014. In Soccer she was a four-year varsity player and selected to the second team, all-state in 2014. Payton would go on to play volleyball at CCC for two seasons and then Rockhurst University.

Next is Laura Miksch ('14). Miksch was a four-time letter winner in swimming and was a five-time all class gold state medalist. She won the 50-yard freestyle three years in a row, the 100-yard breaststroke in 2013 and 100-yard freestyle in 2014. She was the state meet all-class girls swimmer in 2014 and was academic all-state in 2010-2014.

On the track, she was a seven-time medalist at state. She was the runner up in the 400-meter dash in 2013, she placed 3<sup>rd</sup> in 2012 and 4<sup>th</sup> in 2014. She placed 5<sup>th</sup> in the 200-meter dash in 2013, and 7<sup>th</sup> in 2014. She placed 3<sup>rd</sup> in the 100-meter dash in 2013. Laura was named the 2014 Scotus Athlete of the Year. Laura would go on to swim at Iowa State. Laura could not be here tonight, but her sister Emily is accepting this award on her behalf.

Our third inductee is Taylor Suess ('09). Suess was a four-year letter winner, and two-way starter on the offensive line and at linebacker. He was 2<sup>nd</sup> all class in C1 in 2008. On defense in 2009, he recorded 103 tackles and 9 for loss. He played in the 2009 Shrine Bowl.

In basketball he was a 3-year letter winner, Class C1 Sixth Man of the Year in 2009. In track he was an all-class gold medalist in the discus in 2009 and was third place in 2008. He held the school record in the discus for many years with a throw of 167' 3". Suess would go on to play football at South Dakota State University.

Our fourth inductee is Cody Zimmerman ('14). Cody was a three-year letter winner in football. He was first team all-state place kicker in 2013 and a team captain.

In soccer he was the first Shamrock to receive Class B all-state recognition for three consecutive years in 2012-2014. He was a four-year starter, three year team captain, offense MVP all four years and led the team in goals and assists all four years. He was a member of the 2014 state soccer championship team and was the 2014 Scotus Male Athlete of the Year.

**Thank you, Payton, Laura, Taylor and Cody, for being amazing Shamrocks! You are now included in a great lineage of Shamrocks in the Scotus Athletic Hall of Fame.**