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Nominations due for 48th annual Kane County Educator of the Year

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Do you know a current educator in Kane County who leads, assists, and inspires the community every day?

Nominate them for Educator of the Year 2024. Nominations are due to the Kane County Regional Office of Education by Friday, March 8.

Nominees and represented school districts are invited to a formal dinner on Friday, May 3, at the Q Center in St. Charles. Social hour will begin at 5:30 p.m. with dinner served at 6:30 p.m. Tickets will be available after April 1 through local district offices.

Last year's Educator of the Year was Charles Hiscock, principal at West Aurora High School for West Aurora Unit District 129.

Listed are the education professionals who won their respective categories in the 2023 Educator of the Year:

Regional Superintendent Award: Neil Currie, St. Charles East High School, St. Charles Unit District 303

Educational Service Personnel Award: Adam Bryl, **South Elgin High School**, Elgin Area School **District U-46**

Student Support Personnel Award: Faye Licari, Kaneland Unit District 302

Private/Parochial Teacher Award: Sharon Elgar, Aurora Central Catholic High School

Early Career Educator Award: Michael Smith, Davis Primary School, St. Charles Unit District 303

Elementary/Early Childhood Teacher: Dr. Ann Butcher, Fearn Elementary, West Aurora Unit District 129

Middle School Teacher: Kiel Douglass, Waldo Middle School, East Aurora Unit District 131

High School Teacher: Emma Cole, Geneva High School, Geneva Unit District 304

School Administrator: Susan L. Harkin, Algonquin-based Community Unit District 300

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High school scores

January 26, 2024

Wednesday's late results

Boys wrestling

Huntley 40, Hampshire 24

Girls basketball

Stevenson 55, Warren 21

Benet 70, Carmel 36

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Thursday's results

Boys basketball

Aurora Central Catholic 53, Mooseheart 31

Barrington 55, Fremd 52

Conant 66, Hoffman Estates 33

Downers Grove South 66, Hinsdale South 57

Glenbard South 54, East Aurora 49

Harvest Christian 78, Schaumburg Christian 61

Lake Park 53, Geneva 18

Lisle 50, Peotone 47

Palatine 49, Schaumburg 31

Prospect 62, Wheeling 28

Rolling Meadows 73, Hersey 52

Wheaton North 57, St. Charles East 30

Wheaton Warrenville South 64, Glenbard North 59 (2OT)

Yorkville 57, West Aurora 50

Girls basketball

Alden-Hebron 62, Westminster 31

Bartlett 66, Elgin 28

Glenbard South 53, East Aurora 29

Montini 85, Rosary 31

Prospect 61, St. Viator 44

Resurrection 47, Vernon Hills 29

South Elgin 53, Streamwood 31

Waubonsie Valley 73, Metea Valley 29

Boys wrestling

Huntley 57, **South Elgin 15**

Leyden 54, Proviso East 21

Kaneland 43, Plainfield East 30

Kaneland 66, St. Francis 12

Girls bowling

Huntley 3113, Woodstock 3075

Wheeling 2270, Buffalo Grove 2217

Girls gymnastics

NSC Championship

Lake Forest 145.200, Lake Zurich 138.525, Warren 138.350,

Stevenson 135.500, Libertyville 134.625, Mundelein 130.425