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Drury High School Student Receives MIAA Student-Athlete of the Month Award

NORTH ADAMS – Cassie Lincoln, a junior at Drury High School, has been selected by the Massachusetts Interscholastic Athletic Association (MIAA) as the "Student-Athlete of the Month" for May 2010.

A member of the Drury High School soccer, basketball and outdoor track teams, Cassie has shown a great deal of leadership. She served as a captain of both the varsity basketball and track teams as a junior this year. Her performance on the court led to an All-Transcript selection in basketball as both a sophomore and a junior. In addition, Cassie participated at the MIAA High School Captains Workshop in the Summer of 2009.

Academically, Cassie is ranked fifth in the junior class at Drury High School. She has earned a 96.74 GPA while consistently achieving high honors on her quarterly report cards. Cassie represented Drury High School during the Massachusetts Student-Athlete Citizenship Day ceremony at the Naismith Memorial Basketball Hall of Fame. In addition to her academic accomplishments, Cassie has also participated in the Peer Mediation Program, served as a student intern and a teacher assistant, and volunteers in the free lunch program at her church.

Drury High School Athletic Director John Franzoni says, "Cassie Lincoln is a leader both in the classroom and on the playing fields. She is a tireless worker who always strives to do her best in all aspects of her life. This year our school district made the decision to realign and include the 8th grade class at our high school. Cassie volunteered to be a Peer Leader in order to assist the younger students with their transition into Drury. This is just one example of the positive leadership that Cassie exhibits on a daily basis. It is an honor to be her coach and athletic director, and I am confident that she will continue to be successful through her hard work and determination. "

The MIAA launched the "Student-Athlete of the Month" award program to honor students who set a positive example of leadership through academics and athletics in their communities. One male and one female student-athlete from MIAA member schools are selected as recipients of this award each month. Recipients are sent a congratulatory letter and certificate from the MIAA Student Services Staff. In addition, recipients are noted for their achievement on the MIAA web site and in the "Building the Future" MIAA Student Services Newsletter. A complete list of MIAA "Student-Athlete of the Month" award recipients and finalists can be found online at: <http://www.miaa.net/student-athlete-of-the-month.htm>.