



Congratulations Ally Marrs on being chosen to represent Waconia High School as our 1st female student athlete to have earned the prestigious, Athena Award. Ally's excellence and leadership in athletics, as well as in the classroom and the community, has distinguished her as an outstanding recipient for this award.

Ally Marrs, daughter of Nancy and Michael Marrs, has been a team leader in Cross Country, Hockey and Track. Her athletic accomplishments as a three-sport athlete throughout her high school career are impressive. Ally is a five-time letter winner in Cross Country and was voted team captain of the 2015 Cross Country team. Ally is a four-time letter winner and was named All Conference and Academic All State in hockey. Additionally, Ally was a strong, contributing member of the 2015-2016 Wright County Conference Championship Girls Hockey Team. Ally's numerous track honors include being named team captain and Academic All State, earning multiple All Conference, Section and State Awards and earning an athletic letter in each season of participation. Ally's twelve total career athletic letters is quite remarkable, to say the least! In the Spring of 2015, Ally's prowess in track shined through when, along with her teammates, they set the school record for both the 4x200m Relay and the 4x100m Relay and then secured the **State 4x200Meter Relay Team Championship Title!**

Academically, Ally is outstanding. Ally is a member of the International Club, has earned four academic letters and has been on the Waconia High School "A" honor roll with a 4.0 grade point average throughout her career. Ally is extremely involved as a volunteer with the America Reads program and at Ridgeview Medical Center. She also serves as a Freshman Peer Mentor, a confirmation sponsor and as a youth hockey coach. With a resume like this, Ally is sure to be successful as she enters college at either UW-Madison or Notre Dame and studies Biology with plans to continue on to medical school.

Congratulations to Ally on being named the 1st Waconia High School Athena Award representative!