

4th Annual Illinois High School Association



**2017-18 STUDENT
SECTION SHOWDOWN**

Presented by the IHSA Student Advisory Committee

Get your fans, video cameras, and creativity ready!

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We're looking for the School Student Section that
ROCKS their school **spirit** and follows the

Do What's Right!

Expectations to the fullest!

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Contest details can be found on our website:

www.ihsa.org/Resources/Sportsmanship/StudentSectionShowdown

Deadline for video submission is Feb. 6, 2018

*You will be competing against high schools from all over Illinois,
so show us what makes YOUR school outstanding in
Spirit and Sportsmanship!*

OVERVIEW

FILM YOUR STUDENTS: Get your video camera and film your student section in action on game nights. Don't forget to film your student body at pep assemblies, school events, activities, etc.

POST TO YOUTUBE: Edit your video to no more than 3 minutes, and after showing it to and receiving approval from a school administrator (principal, athletic director, etc.) post to YouTube entitled "2018 IHSA SS Showdown: School Name". Be sure to include your high school name in the video description as well as the submitter's name. The deadline is Tuesday, Feb. 6, 2018 at 11:59 p.m.

EMAIL US YOUR LINK: Email your YouTube link to Beth Sauser at bsauser@ihsa.org. We'll add it to our IHSA Student Section Showdown Playlist and page on the IHSA State webpage.

FINALISTS: The finalists from Class1/2A will be announced on Tuesday, February 27, 2018. The finalists from Class3/4A will be announced on Tuesday, March 6, 2018.

WINNERS: Will be chosen by the IHSA SAC.

Class 1/2A: The winner will be announced on Saturday, March 10, 2018 at the 1A Boys Basketball State Final.

Class 3/4A: The winner will be announced on Saturday, March 17, 2018 at the 3A Boys Basketball State Final.

JUDGING CRITERIA/RULES:

Show us your version of the DWR! Expectations:

Coaches, Players and Fans who follow the DWR! Expectations will represent their school well and create a positive game experience.

- Represents their school and community well with positive interaction with opposing fans and players before, during and after the competition.
- Use positive yells, chants, songs or gestures.
- Display modesty in victory and graciousness in defeat.
- Respect and acknowledge the integrity and judgment of officials.
- Exhibit positive behavior in both personal interactions and social media comments.

Other Judging Criteria:

- Positive Sportsmanship (any negative cheering will automatically result in disqualification)
- Overall Fan Participation
- School Spirit
- Creativity
- Organization
- Overall Impression

