

## NEWS RELEASE

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Mariemont City Schools

### **Mariemont Athletic Director To Receive National Service Award**

The South Western Ohio Athletic Directors Association (SWOADA) each year honors individuals for exceptional service to their student athletes, schools and communities.

Among the honorees this year will be Mariemont High School Athletic Director Tom Nerl. Nerl will receive the NIAAA State Award of Merit, an award presented to a member of the National Interscholastic Athletic Administrators Association in each state in recognition of service and leadership to interscholastic athletics at both the state and local levels.

Nerl has been with Mariemont City Schools for eleven years, eight as Athletic Director. He was honored as South West Ohio Athletic Director of the Year in 2009-10 and currently serves as the SWOADA President Elect. He also serves as a member of the Ohio School Girls Lacrosse Board.

“In my estimation, Tom Nerl is the finest athletic director in the State of Ohio. He is selfless in directing and promoting outstanding extra-curricular opportunities for our junior high and high school students. We are so fortunate and proud to have Tom as the leader of our athletic department,” stated Dr. Jim Renner, principal of Mariemont High School.

Nerl will be presented with this honor at the Ohio Interscholastic Athletic Administrators Association (OIAAA) State Conference in October.



*Photo: Mariemont High School Athletic Director Tom Nerl will receive the NIAAA State Award of Merit for outstanding service and dedication.*

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