

Saint Thomas Academy Rifle Team Wins at MN State Junior Olympic Championship

MENDOTA HEIGHTS, Minn., Jan. 26, 2009 – Saint Thomas Academy announced today that the Academy's Rifle Team, along with many other junior shooters from across Minnesota, competed in the Minnesota State Junior Olympic Championship held at the Saint Thomas Academy Range on Jan. 24 and 25.

Individually, in the J1 Sporter Class, W. Sullivan '09 took first place, with B. Bowersox '09 and D. Zimmermann '10 taking second and third, respectively. Additionally, the team of Sullivan, Bowersox and Zimmermann took first place overall in the Sporter Team category. The team will travel to Camp Perry, Ohio, on Feb. 11, 2009, to compete in the 2009 U.S. Army JROTC service championship. That competition will determine which team will represent the U.S. Army at the National JROTC competition to be held at Ft. Benning, Ga., March 26-28.

About Saint Thomas Academy

Founded in 1885, Saint Thomas Academy is an all-male, college preparatory, Catholic, military/leadership school committed to preparing young men to succeed in college and in life. Nationally accredited by the Independent Schools Association of the Central States (ISACS), the academy challenges young men to excel academically, spiritually, morally and physically in and out of the classroom. For more information, please visit www.cadets.com <<http://www.cadets.com/>> .

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