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## 2024 MR. FOOTBALL AWARD WINNERS ANNOUNCED BY MHSAA/MAC

CLINTON, Miss. – Continuing a partnership with C Spire to recognize outstanding student-athletes in numerous sports, the Mississippi High School Activities Association (MHSAA) and Mississippi Association of Coaches (MAC) have announced the winners of the 2024 Mr. Football awards.

The 2024 Mr. Football, presented by C Spire, award winners are listed below by classification:

<u>Class</u>	<u>Name</u>	<u>School</u>
1A	Tyshun Willis	Velma Jackson
2A	Adarius McDougle	Sebastopol
3A	KaMario Taylor	Noxubee County
4A	Coby King	Greene County
5A	Paul "Trey" Irving	Gautier
6A	Tony "Deuce" Vance	Hattiesburg
7A	Jaeden "JJ" Hill	Tupelo



Among the list of 2024 award winners, Adarius McDougle of Sebastopol retained the 2A Mr. Football title from 2023 while Tyshun Willis helped Velma Jackson keep the award on its campus (Gavin Griffin in 2023).

To learn more about the award winners, click **HERE** to visit the newly developed website, highlighting all C Spire Outstanding Player award winners (currently Mr. Football and Miss Volleyball award winners are active.). Other sport pages are under construction.

All 2024 Mr. Football award winners will be honored at a special awards luncheon, which will also be live streamed on the NFHS Network, in the MHSAA Conference Center on Wednesday, November 20. Additionally, award recipients will be recognized during the Blue Cross Blue Shield Gridiron Classic MHSAA Football State Championships in Hattiesburg at USM on December 5-7. The winner for each classification will be recognized pregame at each championship game. The full schedule of state championship games follows:

- 2024 Blue Cross Blue Shield of Mississippi Gridiron Classic MHSAA Football State Championships
  - $\circ~$  Thursday, December 5: 3A 4:00 pm / 7A 7:30 pm
  - Friday, December 6: 1A 4:00 pm / 5A 7:30 pm
  - Saturday, December 7: 2A 12:00 pm / 4A 3:30 pm / 6A 7:00 pm

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