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Minnesota High School and Elite Pole Vault Showcase

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Everyone is welcomed to attend both events, we just need head counts. H.S vaulters will compete unattached, since we will be 3 day before the start of the season! "Don't miss out on this great event"

On Saturday March 12th Fuzion Athletics will host the largest pole vault meet in the history of the state. The best high school pole vaulters in the Minnesota and elite pole vaulters from across the nation will have the opportunity to compete at the Fuzion Athletics Pole Vault Showcase in Burnsville, Minnesota on March 12th. This is an event unlike anything the State of Minnesota has ever seen. High school athletes from all over the state take to the runway a full week before the start of the high school season in a meet that can be an early indicator of the state's standout athletes. "We are expecting" over 100 H.S PV" In addition, elite pole vaulters will fly in from across the nation to jump for cash prizes "Over \$5000". With a 3'9" bar differential, elite male and female vaulters compete against each other on a level playing field. Elite pole vaulters will include:

Mark Hollis - 2011 and 2010 USA National Camp 18'10" (Just won indoors today)
Jacob Pauli - 2009 USA Team Member 19'1"
Paul Litchfield - 2008 Olympic Trials Finalist 18'5"
Jeff Coover - 2010 NCAA All American 18'1"
Sam Pribyl 2007 - 2 time NCAA D2 National Champ 17'10"
Shawn Francis - Home grown all star from Hastings, MN 17'4"
Zack Johnson - 2 time NCAA D3 National Camp 17'4"
Mary Saxer - First H.S girl over 14' and a PR of 14'9"
Jenny Soceka - Big Ten Record holder 14'8"
Katelin Rains – Home grown all star from Spring Lake Park, MN. 4 time NCAA D2 National Champ, 14'6"
Alica Rue – Home grown all star from Plymouth, MN. 4 time Big Ten Champ, 14' 5"

The night before the competition March 11th at 6:30pm, athletes and their families will meet at the restaurant Buca di Beppo in Burnsville for "Dinner with the Stars" where athletes will have a question and answer session with the elite athletes followed by dinner. This will give high school kids an otherwise unimaginable chance to interact on a personal level with World Class athletes. Everyone understands the allure of pole vaulting, but few have ever seen the event in person. Many that have been around the event for decades must still admit that they have never seen an eighteen foot vault in person. Athletes and spectators alike can share in the excitement of this groundbreaking event. The Fuzion Athletics Pole Vault Showcase offers the people of Minnesota an opportunity to experience the wonder of watching athletes of all ages and abilities propel themselves skyward with nothing but a piece of fiberglass and their own sheer determination.