

Nicholas Galanos

SJRCS Graduate 2006



Nick currently attends the United States Naval Academy on a full scholarship. Having been nominated by Congressman Paul Hodes and Senator Judd Gregg, he was chosen on the basis of academic and moral achievement from among 17,400 applicants to fill the 1430 spaces available. Originally recruited to play Division I lacrosse at Hofstra University in New York, Nick turned down this offer in order to serve his country, and made the Navy lacrosse team as a walk-on in the first semester of his freshman year.

After graduating from St. Joseph Regional Catholic School, Nick attended Brooks School in North Andover, MA on a full scholarship, where he graduated with highest honors. He was selected for the Student Exchange Scholarship program junior year allowing him to study abroad at Glenalmond College in Scotland for five weeks.

Nick also distinguished himself athletically in high school as captain of the Brooks School hockey and lacrosse teams. He received the "All Independent School League Award" two years in a row for varsity hockey and lacrosse as well as the top goal scorer and point leader awards for hockey and the Robert C. Best Award for lacrosse.

Nick, a parishioner of St. Luke the Evangelist parish in Plaistow, NH served as a Eucharistic minister there. He still credits his fifth grade teacher at St. Joseph and the index card system of note-taking she taught as "helping him get better organized and focused."