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Delavan-Darien High School Senior Named One of Eight National Finalists for 2026 NFL Latino Youth Honors

Green Bay Packers nominee Quintin Arizola selected for prestigious national recognition, earning a trip to Super Bowl LXI and an opportunity to receive a $25,000 college grant.

DELAVAN, WI – The Delavan-Darien School District is proud to announce that Delavan-Darien High School senior and varsity football quarterback Quintin Arizola has been named one of just eight national finalists for the 2026 NFL Latino Youth Honors, a prestigious recognition celebrating outstanding high school student-athletes across the country.

Nominated by the **Green Bay Packers**, Arizola was selected from a pool of 61 student-athletes nominated by NFL teams nationwide. He is one of only eight finalists selected to represent the NFL's eight divisions, making this an extraordinary achievement for Arizola, Delavan-Darien High School, and the entire Delavan-Darien community.

The NFL Latino Youth Honors, now in its fourth year, is a national initiative led by the National Football League in partnership with the Hispanic Heritage Foundation (HHF) and presenting sponsor Procter & Gamble. The program recognizes high school seniors who demonstrate exceptional achievement in football, academics, community involvement, and meaningful engagement with Latino culture and community.

Arizola has demonstrated his commitment to excellence both on and off the football field. As quarterback for the Delavan-Darien Comets, he has balanced the demands of high school athletics with academic success, maintaining an impressive 3.7 grade point average.

A Once-in-a-Lifetime Super Bowl Experience

As one of eight national finalists, Arizola will travel to Los Angeles during Super Bowl LXI Week, where he will participate in exclusive events designed to provide mentorship, professional development, and opportunities to explore careers within the sports industry.

All eight finalists will also attend Super Bowl LXI, experiencing one of the world's largest sporting events firsthand.

In addition to this incredible opportunity, each finalist will receive a college grant to support their future educational goals. Six finalists will receive $5,000 grants, while one male and one female national winner will each receive a $25,000 college grant.

The two national winners will be announced during Super Bowl Week and will also receive invitations to the Hispanic Heritage Foundation's National Youth Awards ceremony later in 2027.

A Proud Moment for Delavan-Darien

Arizola's selection highlights the dedication, talent, and character of student-athletes within the Delavan-Darien School District and demonstrates the opportunities that can come from hard work, academic achievement, and community involvement.

Being recognized on a national stage by the NFL is an exceptional honor, not only for Arizola and his family, but also for his teammates, coaches, teachers, and the entire Delavan-Darien community.

"We are incredibly proud of Quintin and everything he has accomplished both on and off the field. To be selected as one of only eight finalists nationwide is a tremendous honor and a reflection of his hard work, dedication, and character. He is an outstanding representative of Delavan-Darien High School and our entire Comet Nation community," said Kyle Polzin, Athletics & Activities Director for the Delavan-Darien School District.

The Delavan-Darien School District congratulates Quintin on this remarkable achievement and looks forward to supporting him as he represents his school, community, and the Green Bay Packers on the national stage.

To read the NFL's official announcement and learn more about the 2026 NFL Latino Youth Honors, visit:
https://www.nfl.com/news/finalists-named-for-2026-nfl-latino-youth-honors

About the Delavan-Darien School District

The Delavan-Darien School District serves students and families in the Delavan-Darien community in southeastern Wisconsin. The district is committed to providing educational opportunities that support academic excellence, student achievement, personal growth, and preparation for success beyond graduation.

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