CHRISTIAN ACADEMY OF LOUISVILLE



# **CENTURION ENEWS**

**January 11, 2021** 

## Centurion Boys Basketball Wins Home Opener and Splits Two on the Road

After a six week Covid delay, our varsity basketball team finally took the court to begin the 2021 season. New coach Aaron Hill was excited to start back in November, but all games between Thanksgiving and the first week of January were canceled. Coach Hill and Athletic Director Brad Morgan tirelessly worked the phones to rework a nearly full schedule beginning January 4th.

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*January 4th* CAL 90 Bardstown Bethlehem 56



CAL's offense exploded for 90 points in a 32 minute game. We hit 55% of our shots and seven Centurions nailed at least one three pointer. Bethlehem had no answer for big man Stephen Wearsch who hit 9 of 10 shots from the field for 20 points and 13 rebounds. Sophomore sensation George Washington scored 23 points, hitting three shots from beyond the arc. Senior Brayden Daniels hit three treys as well en route to 14 points total. Hodge scored 6. McClure scored 6. Erhardt 7. Lagestee 5. This game was never in doubt as CAL's confidence grew as the game wore on. We ended the game with a barrage of points scoring 52 in the final 16 minutes to pull away by 30.

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## Varsity Girls Basketball Game Scores (page 2)



## The Centurion Armory is back open!

Open Tuesday-Friday 2:30-4 p.m.

COVID-19 GUIDELINES: Masks are required. Limited to 5 people in the Armory at a time. One person per house-



hold, bring children if necessary. Also we please ask that you keep your visit to shop to 20 minutes.

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## VARSITY BOYS BASKETBALL (continued from front page)



January 8th CAL 85 Holy Cross (Covington) 86

In our first true road game up on the river in Newport, CAL almost stole a victory from a good Holy Cross team, losing a heartbreaker by one point. After a lackluster first half which saw our boys down by 6 or 7 points most of the time, coach Aaron Hill fired the boys up at halftime and we came out with a chip on our shoulder mounting a comeback that almost resulted in a victory. Captain Brayden Daniels was feeling it from deep. Daniels hit 6 three pointers en route to 21 points on the night. Newcomer Luke Erhardt proved his mettle scoring 13 points and hit several key free throws during our fourth quarter



comeback. Tyler Lagestee calmly hit 3 three pointers at opportune times to help tie the game late. Stephen Wearsch took it upon himself to score 15 points alone in the third quarter including several old fashioned three point plays. He finished with 19 points. George Washington con-

tributed 13.



CAL tied the game at 85 all with 10 seconds to play. It looked as though the game was going to go to overtime. We would have had a distinct advantage as Holy Cross lost a key guard to fouls and we had big momentum as well as no foul trouble for most of our key contributors. But, alas, the referees never let that happen. As time expired, the referee blew the whistle as two players fought for a rebound. Foul on CAL. Two shots for Holy Cross. He made one. Game over. A bitter pill to swallow for sure, but CAL proved they would never give up no matter what. This lesson learned would prove monumental the very next night.

#### January 9th CAL 73 Newport Central Catholic 63

After the painful loss the night before, CAL found itself in the same position against NCC. We were behind for three quarters. Down 6 at the start of the fourth. But this time we would not be denied the victory. CAL put it all together, mounted a comeback, and pulled away for a 10 point victory.

Maybe it was the seniors only meeting at BW3's the night before, or maybe it was the meat and cheese they ate, but no matter, CAL was bent on stealing the win. Senior Conner Haun exemplified this winning attitude with his hustle play. Conner dove, kicked, and scrapped his way to numerous deflections and rebounds, drawing fouls, and getting to the free throw line. He finished with 8 points and many rebounds. George Wash-



ington introduced himself to Kentucky high school basketball by dropping 33 points and hitting seven 3 pointers. He will be a force to be reckoned with over the next several years. Brayden Daniels chipped in 6 points. Wearsch scored 9 second half points. Lagestee, of course, hit another 3 pointer. Erhardt scored double digits for the second straight game netting 10.

Our high scoring Centurions are averaging 83 points per game through three games. Eight different players have hit three pointers.

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## VARSITY BOYS BASKETBALL (continued from previous page)

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Here is your 2021 Christian Academy Varsity Boys Basketball Roster:

Seniors: Brandt Babin 6'1", Brayden Daniels 6'3" (Captain), Keaton Foster 6'2", Conner Haun

6'4", Tyler Lagestee 6'1" (Captain), William Paar 6'5", Stephen Wearsch 6'6" (Captain)

Juniors: Jordan McClure, Sean Wilkinson

Sophomores: Baylor Hill, Josh Sangalli, George Washington, Alex Wolfe Freshmen: Luke Erhardt, Cole Hodge, Abram Stinebruner, Jackson Washington

#### Up Next:

Tuesday January 12 vs. Bullitt East @ home, 7:30pm Thursday January 14 vs. Trinity @ home, 7:30pm Saturday January 16 vs. DeSales @ DeSales, 7:30pm

Be sure to watch the home games on the livestream and support our Centurions!

## VARSITY GIRLS BASKETBALL

#### **LADY CENTURIONS BEGIN SEASON 2-1**

Monday, January 4, 2021 CAL 60 vs Grayson Co. 42

Tuesday, January 5, 2021 CAL 58 vs Bardstown 53

Saturday, January 9, 2021 CAL 59 vs Mercer Co. 63





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## January 11, 2021

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#### FALL SPORTS: HIGH SCHOOL

Cross Country—Brian Dewey
Cheerleading—Sydney Pridemore
Field Hockey—Stephanie Seeley
Football—Hunter Cantwell
Boys & Girls Golf—Greg Zimmerer
Boys Soccer—Grant Hendrix
Girls Soccer—John Zutt
Volleyball—Paige Suttton

#### FALL SPORTS: MIDDLE SCHOOL

Cross Country–Jon Derry
Cheerleading– Courtney Jackson
Field Hockey—Chris Ward
Football—Kris Griffee
Volleyball–Chad Foster
Tennis Girls/Boys—Jessica Altman

#### WINTER SPORTS: HIGH SCHOOL

Archery—Jacob Killion
Boys Basketball—Aaron Hill
Girls Basketball—Cameron Pridemore
Bowling—TBD
Cheerleading—Sydney Pridemore
Swimming—David Robinson

#### WINTER SPORTS: MIDDLE SCHOOL

Archery—Jacob Killion Boys Basketball—Nathan Popp Girls Basketball—Doug Wilkins Cheerleading—Courtney Jackson Swimming—Lauren Thomas

#### SPRING SPORTS: HIGH SCHOOL

Baseball—Michael Clark
Softball—Kyle Mullin
Boys Lacrosse—TBD
Girls Lacrosse—Jason Curran
Boys Tennis—John O'Bryan
Girls Tennis—Jessica Altman
Boys/Girls Track and Field—Jon Derry

#### SPRING SPORTS: MIDDLE SCHOOL

Baseball—Andrew Viola
Softball—Jeff Ashley
Boys Lacrosse—Brice Vinson
Girls Lacrosse—Jonathan Smith
Boys Golf—Justin Davis
Girls Golf—Mattew Feltner
Girls Soccer—Carli Brown
Boys Soccer—Mason Lyverse
Boys/Girls Track—Luke Montgomery

#### Intramural Offerings: Grades K-5

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