

# WARRIOR UPDATE JANUARY 12, 2021

### **UPCOMING EVENTS**

<u>Tuesday, January 12</u> 6:00pm JV BBB @ South Central 7:30pm V BBB @ South Central

<u>Thursday, January 14</u> 6:00pm 7/8 Gold BBB @ Borden 6:30pm V GBB @ Clarksville

Friday, January 15 6:00pm 7/8 Blue BBB v High. Latin 6:00pm JV BBB @ Lanesville 6:00pm 7/8 GBB v Highlands Latin 7:15pm 7/8 Gold BBB v High. Latin 7:30pm V BBB @ Lanesville

Saturday, January 16 11:45am 5 BBB v CAL \*Held @ Portland Christian 1:00pm 6 BBB v Highlands Latin \*Held @ CAI 1:05pm 4 BBB v Whitefield \*Held at Whitefield 2:10pm 4 BBB v Highlands Latin \*Held @ Whitefield 2:15pm 5/6 GBB v CAL \*Held @ CAI 4:45pm 6 BBB v Portland Christian \*Held @ Portland Christian 6:00pm JV BBB v Perry Central 7:30pm V BBB v Perry Central

## -LAST WEEK'S SUMMARIES-JV/VARSITY BOYS BASKETBALL

On Tuesday, the Varsity team traveled to Whitefield Academy to take on the host Wildcats. The Warriors ended up winning 64-15, with Brady Dunn leading the way in scoring (16 points). Myles Morgan added on 10 and Caleb Roy had nine points. Freshman Matt Carter scored his first Varsity points by going 2-2 from three.

The JV and Varsity Warriors took on the Jeffersonville Red Devils Saturday night. Both the JV and Varsity lost. In the JV game, Nathan Whitten led the team in scoring with 10 points. In the Varsity game, Brady Dunn led the team in scoring with 13 points.

#### **VARSITY GIRLS BASKETBALL**

The Lady Warriors had a busy week with three games. The first game was against Portland Christian School, out of Kentucky. The Lady Warriors were unable to stop Portland Christian's best scorer and were defeated with a final score of 45-19. The girls would use this game to help them grow as basketball players, and it led to two of their best overall performances of the season. On Friday night, CAI hosted Cannelton. Cannelton got hot from behind the three point line and started off strong offensively. The Warriors were not quite ever able to recover from that and the final score was 54-30. Even in defeat, the Lady Warriors had their best overall performance of the season. They took almost 60 shots and had limited turnovers. They played with tremendous effort, and it was so great to see. Ella McCoy and Brooklyn Shields led the offensive attack of the Lady Warriors.

On Saturday afternoon, the Warriors traveled to Switzerland County to play a very strong team. The Lady Warriors came out ready to play and made Switzerland County work for every single point. Turnovers were a struggle against their high-pressure defense, but the hard work that was put on display did not go unnoticed. Multiple referees complimented our team. One referee commented how well our girls found someone to block out every time on defense, and another referee commented on how hard our girls play. Our girls know that is what our program is built on, and the coaching staff could not be prouder of them.



## -LAST WEEK'S SUMMARIES (CONT'D)-



#### **7/8 BOYS BASKETBALL**

Last week, the Warriors faced off against two tough opponents that match-up with teams our high school program faces. On Tuesday, the Warriors travelled to Paoli and came up short in both the Blue and Gold games (Blue 7-41, Gold 18-49). The Warriors then took on Parkview on Thursday at home. Despite Parkview being a talented and strong team, the Warriors worked hard to keep it close and keep points on the scoreboard. Both teams ultimately came up short (Blue 6-65, Gold 24-65).

#### **4 BOYS BASKETBALL**

The Warriors were back in action on Saturday and cruised to a convincing victory over CAL 34-12. Jed Jackson was red hot in the first quarter, scoring the first eight Warrior points. Michael Bryant led the team with 20 points, many coming as a result of his relentless defensive pressure. Tripp Rice contributed four points, including his second "And 1" of the year. The Warrior scoring was capped off with Sam Fore's first bucket of the year! Adding to the good defensive performance was James Annis, with several steals, and Cohen Hawkins with three blocked shots. Saturday marked the best all-around team performance of the year as these boys are really showing improvement from all the hard work they've been putting in at practice, despite not knowing if they would get to continue the season.

#### **6 BOYS BASKETBALL**

The Warriors had a busy week and were excited to take the court after the eight week layoff. The team traveled to Whitefield Academy on Tuesday and were excited to play prior to the Varsity game.

The Warriors defeated Whitefield Academy 49-27.

On Thursday, the team traveled to Paoli. The first half of the game was back and forth and the Warriors trailed by six points at the half. The Rams made a run in the second half that CAI was unable to respond to, losing by a score of 42-28.

On Saturday, the Warriors played CAL. The pressing and trapping of CAL proved challenging and provided a good learning experience despite losing 37-22. Leading scorers for the week were Noah Vance and Cooper Lewis, with Noah having a particularly strong game against. Whitefield, scoring 22 points.

#### 7/8 GIRLS BASKETBALL

Last week, the Lady Warriors won two games against Southwestern (24-23) and Portland Christian (34-9). The Southwestern game was highly competitive, with a lot of adversity. Key baskets from Addison Jackson and Alexus Bryant kept the Warriors in the game down the stretch. In the final minute, Carly Stevens was fouled on a drive to the basket. She would make both free throws to give the Warriors a onepoint lead. Southwestern would score again, leaving the Warriors down one with 17 seconds to play. Coach Jackson put the ball in Leah Stevens' hands and called for an Addison Jackson pick and roll. Leah's floater in the lane rattled in as time expired. The team celebration was priceless. The Portland Christian game was important to the team. The girls came out and played with impressive intensity. Kristen Abbott grabbed 15 rebounds! Macy Jackson scored eight points to set the tone

offensively in a dominant performance for

the Warriors.

#### **5 BOYS BASKETBALL**

The Warriors were excited to be back in action after the break in play. On Thursday the team travelled to Paoli to face a tough 2A opponent. In the end, the Warriors came up just short, by a score of 26-36.

#### **4-6 GIRLS BASKETBALL**

The Lady Warriors had another exciting game against CAL and were victorious 20-19. The team as a whole secured 23 rebounds, with contributions from eight different girls. <u>Carly Stevens</u>: 10 pts, 5 rebs, 1 assist, 2 steals, 1 block <u>Maddie Webb</u>: 4 pts, 6 rebs, 1 assist, 2 steals, 2 blocks <u>Aiana Rightnowar</u>: 2 pts, 3 rebs, 1 assist <u>Rachel Jones</u>: 2 pts, 3 rebs <u>Makenna Noble</u>: 2pts, 1 reb