

CENTURION ENEWS



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CAL BASEBALL PREPARES FOR POSTSEASON

The Christian Academy Louisville baseball team split four games this past week as they prepare to begin district tournament play on Saturday, May 29.



The week began with a dramatic walk-off victory as CAL overcame an early 5-0 deficit to defeat 17th ranked Oldham County in extra innings, 7-6.

With the game tied at 6-6 in the middle of the eighth, home team CAL's inning began when Jack Perdue reached first base on an infield single.

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Men's Tennis Hosts Regional Tournament

Christian Academy of Louisville served as host site for this year's KHSAA Region 7 singles and doubles state tournament. The tournament began on Monday with singles matches. Both Charlie Rothpletz and Ian Royse won their first-round matches in convincing fashion. Charlie notched a 6-1, 6-1 victory over the opponent from Eastern High School. Ian cruised with a 6-0, 6-0 win over Atherton.



The boys played their second round match that same day, and both Ian and Charlie were matched up against two of the top seeds in the tournament.

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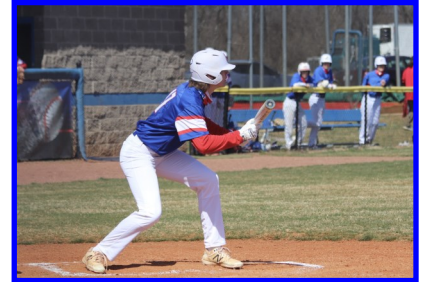
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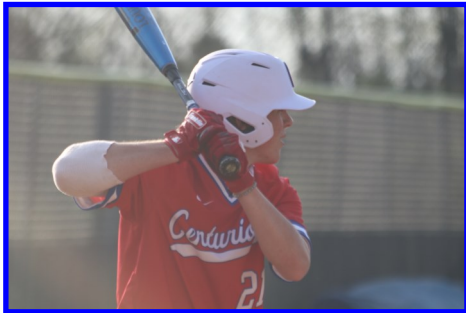
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Marshall Mowder then reached base with Perdue moved to second base when Oldham County mishandled Mowder's sacrifice bunt. Both runners advanced when Ben Kirk sacrificed. Perdue scored when Jack Mauzy's fly ball to shallow center fell for a single to give the CAL the walk-off win.



CAL had tied the game with a four-run seventh inning. Trailing 6-2 entering the bottom half of the seventh, Mowder led off with a fly ball single to right field. One out later, pinch hitter Landon Mullaney lined a single to centerfield with Mowder stopping at second base. Mauzy re-entered the game to run for Mullaney. Mowder scored and Mauzy advanced to third base when Jett Peterson reached on an infield error. Mauzy scored on a wild pitch with Peterson moving to second base. Nick Britton walked and both runners advanced on a Noah McCarty ground out. CAL then tied the game when Johnny Pohlman lined a single to leftfield scoring both Peterson and Britton.

Oldham County opened a large early game lead by scoring five runs in the top half of the second inning. CAL countered with two runs in the bottom half of the second. Perdue reached on an error to open the inning and advanced to second base on a Mowder single to right field. Kirk sacrificed, advancing both runners. Perdue and Mowder scored CAL's first two runs when Peterson lined a double to centerfield. Oldham County scored their sixth run in the fifth inning setting the stage for CAL's late game heroics.



CAL had nine hits in the game: two singles each by Marshall Mowder and John Pohlman, a double by Jett Peterson, and singles by Landon Mullaney, Jack Mauzy, Noah McCarty, and Nick Britton. Jack Perdue went the distance on the mound for the Centurions, pitching eight innings and allowing six hits while striking out eight.

On Tuesday, CAL played #9 ranked St. Xavier at home and collected ten hits, but fell behind early before falling, 7-1.

St. Xavier scored once in the second inning, four in third, and twice in the sixth to take a 7-0 lead before CAL dented the scoreboard in the bottom half of the sixth. Marshall Mowder singled to centerfield with one out before Jacob Price hit into a force play at second base. Price advanced to second base on a passed ball with Noah McCarty entering the game to run for Price. Jack Perdue reached on an infield error with McCarty moving to third. McCarty scored CAL's only run when Avery Hare reached on an infield error.

CAL loaded the bases again in the seventh inning, but the rally faded before scoring. Besides their run, CAL had three runners reach third base and left the bases loaded twice, leaving 11 runners on base in the game.

John Pohlman, Marshall Mowder, and Jack Perdue all singled twice in the game for CAL and Jacob Price doubled. Ben Kirk, Landon Mullaney, and Nick Britton all singled once. Jacob Price started on the mound for CAL and pitched six innings with Noah McCarty pitching the seventh inning in relief.

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On Thursday at duPont Manual, the game was pretty much a reversal of Monday's game, with duPont Manual overcoming a 4-1 deficit to defeat CAL, 8-6.

CAL scored twice in the first inning. Nick Britton and Avery Hare were both hit by pitches and advanced to third and second, respectively, on wild pitches. Britton scored on a Marshall Mowder sacrifice fly and Hare scored on the same play on an errant throw by the right fielder.

CAL upped their lead to 3-0 in the top half of the second inning. Logan McNair led off the inning with a line drive single to left field and was balked to second base. McNair advanced to third on a Bradey Moad fly out to right field and scored on Britton's ground ball single to center field.

duPont Manual scored once in the bottom of the second inning before CAL scored again in the top of the third. Mowder singled to right with one out and advanced to third base one out later when Jack Perdue reached on an infield single. Mowder stole home to score CAL's fourth run of the game on a successful CAL double steal with Perdue nabbing second base on the play.

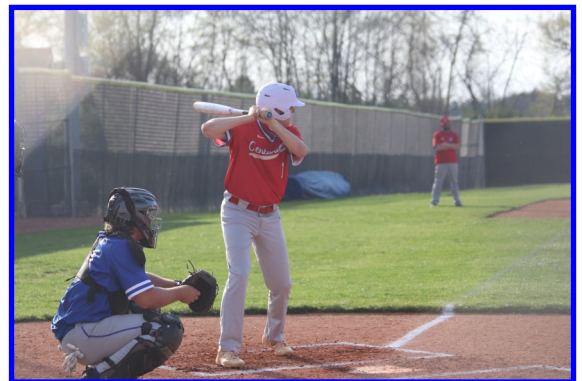
CAL held the 4-1 lead into the fifth inning as Centurion starting pitcher Nathaniel Turner had held duPont Manual hitless through four innings. However, duPont Manual erupted for six runs in the fifth inning to take a 7-4 lead. duPont Manual scored once in the sixth to extend their lead to 8-4 before CAL began another seventh inning rally.

Britton walked with one out and Noah McCarty doubled to left with Britton stopping at third. Hare singled to left with Britton scoring and McCarty advancing to third. Mowder hit into a fielder's choice to score McCarty but the game ended when Jacob Price flied out to deep center field.

CAL had eight hits in the game, led by Noah McCarty's double and single. Jacob Price doubled and Nick Britton, Avery Hare, Marshall Mowder, Jack Perdue, and Logan McNair all singled. Nathaniel Turner started on the mound and pitched five innings and Will Thompson pitched the final inning in relief.

CAL played their third home game of the week on Saturday. CAL spotted Spencer County three runs in the top of the first inning before coming back to win, 11-8. CAL scored three runs in the bottom of the first and three more in the second to take a 6-3 lead before coasting to the win.

Nick Britton opened the CAL half of the first with a base on balls, the first of his three walks in the game. One out later, Johnny Pohlman reached on an infield error with Britton stopping at second. Both scored one out later when Jack Perdue lined a triple to right centerfield, cutting the Spencer County lead to 3-2. Jacob Price drew a walk and Perdue scored when Landon Mullaney grounded a single into centerfield to tie the score.



The Centurions took the lead for good with a three run second. Britton tripled to left field with one out and Noah McCarty walked. Both scored when Pohlman lined a double to right field. Pohlman advanced to third base on a wild pitch and scored on Marshall Mowder's sacrifice fly to give CAL a 6-3 lead.

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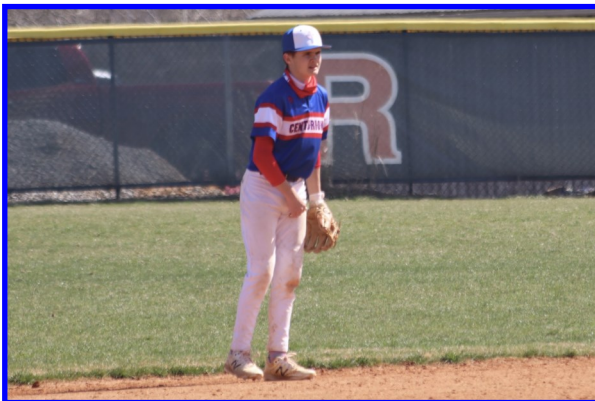
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CAL scored twice more in the third. Mullaney walked to lead off the inning with Avery Hare courtesy running for the pitcher Mullaney. Hare advanced to second base on Jack Mauzy's sacrifice bunt and scored when Jett Peterson tripled to centerfield, CAL's third triple of the game. Britton walked and promptly stole second base. Peterson scored on a wild pitch, stretching CAL's lead to 8-3.



Spencer County tallied a run in the top of the fourth inning, but CAL answered with a run of their own in the bottom half of the frame. Perdue, Logan McNair, and Ben Kirk all walked with one out to load the bases. Perdue scored on a Mauzy sacrifice fly, giving CAL a 9-4 lead.

Spencer narrowed the lead to 9-7 in the fifth inning by scoring three runs, but CAL answered with two insurance runs in the bottom half of the inning. Britton again walked to lead off the inning and scored when the Spencer County pitcher threw Avery Hare's sacrifice bunt down the right field line with Hare running all the way to third base. Hare later scored on a wild pitch giving CAL an 11-7 lead. Spencer County scored once more in the seventh to account for the final 11-8 score.



CAL had seven hits in the game, four for extra bases while drawing nine walks. Nick Britton reached base four times on a triple and three walks. Jeff Peterson and Jack Perdue both had a triple and a single, and John Pohlman doubled. Landon Mullaney added a single. Will Thompson was the winning pitcher allowing one hit in 2 1/3 innings of relief. Landon Mullaney started the game on the mound and Ben Kirk also relieved.

Christian Academy plays the last week of their regular season at home. The Centurions host South Oldham Monday night at 6 p.m. before hosting Fairdale on Tuesday at 5. Butler visits CAL on Thursday at 6:00 for CAL's final game of the regular season. The Centurions currently carry a 15-17 record.

The 28th District tournament begins on Saturday with CAL playing Eastern High School at Eastern High School, Saturday, May 29, at 2:30. The district tournament final will be played Monday, May 31, at 2:00 at Eastern High School against the winner of the Ballard-Kentucky Country Day game. Both district tournament finalists advance to the regional tournament which will be played at Spalding University's Derby City Field on June 5, 7, and 8th. The KHSAA state tournament will be played at Whitaker Bank Field in Lexington.

Thanks to all the coaches for the work they have done this past year and for coaching and leading the boys: Head coach Mike Clark with assistants Matt Walker, Steve Brown, and Dennis Thompson. Thanks to Rachel McCarty for heading up the concessions, Mike McCarty as public address announcer, Diana Britton for the photographs, and everyone else who volunteered their time and treasure in helping this year's Centurion baseball team.



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VARSITY BOYS TENNIS (continued from front page)

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Both boys held their own by extending points, but neither could steal a game from their quick and powerful opponents, who ended up playing against each other in the finals later in the week.

The doubles matches began on Tuesday. Noah Keene and John Hayden Paxton advanced to the second round by default, then drew the top seeded team from St. Xavier in the second round. The boys were ousted 6-1, 6-1 in that match. The second doubles team from CAL was senior Brennan Carson and junior Kaden MacDonald. The boys drew a first round bye, then took on a team from Collegiate in the second round. The CAL team prevailed 6-1, 6-0 in that match and advanced to Wednesday's round of play. The third round match had Carson/MacDonald taking on the third seeded team from St. Xavier, which they ended up losing after a tough battle.



The men's tennis season concluded with the regional tournament. All the boys on the team improved during the year under the leadership of coaches John O'Bryan and Byron Miller. We are so blessed to have our coaches and the collective experience they bring to the team. The boys have grown not only as tennis players but also as examples in Christ under the leadership of the coaches. We truly appreciate their dedication to the team. The team will celebrate the season at the end-of-year banquet on June 1st.



VARSITY GIRLS LACROSSE

Congratulations to the following girls lacrosse players for being named the following:
All-State 1st Team - Elise Bearance
All-State 2nd Team - Cassidy Norman

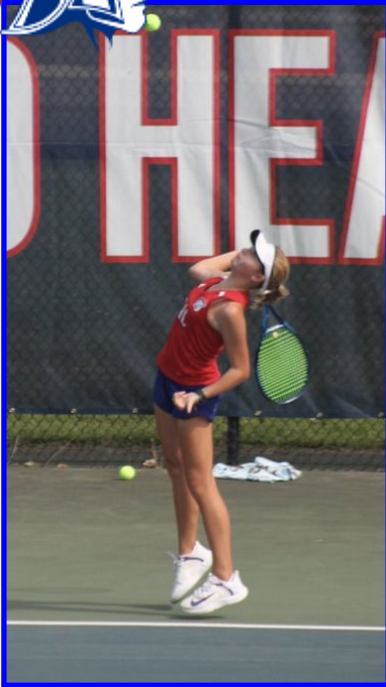
The following players were selected to participate in Kentucky Girls Lacrosse All-Star Game June 5 at Sacred Heart: Grace Pullen, Suzy Adams, Bree Emerson and Makayla Mason

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VARSITY GIRLS TENNIS

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Congratulations 8th Grader Hadley Appling finished as a Semifinalist at the 7th region tennis tournament and automatically qualifying for KHSAA State Championships.

Congratulations to Seniors Anabel Puri and Kamryn Bradshaw. Semi finalists at 7th region tournament and qualified for KHSAA State Championships.



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CAL vs North Bullitt Monday May 17th

Riding a 6 game winning streak, the Lady Centurions hosted the visiting Lady Eagles from North Bullitt on Monday evening. CAL jumped out to a 5-0 lead in the first inning after 3 singles and a double out of the gate. Sophomore pitcher Ava Manning kept the solid-hitting North Bullitt squad in check all night. CAL added 7 more runs in the bottom of the 4th to put the game away with an early 5 inning run rule 12-2.

In the big 4th inning, Senior Regan Gray got things rolling with an inside the park home run over the right fielder that was followed up by Junior Catcher Macie Howes, adding one of her own to the center field wall. Sophomore Right Fielder Madison Raley added a bunt single, and she scored on a single by Junior 3rd baseman Marlee Pettit. To top off the inning, Junior Left Fielder Karly Fetter added yet another inside the park home run to center. Check the record books, 3 inside parkers in the same inning.

Manning got the victory in the circle with 8 strikeouts.



CAL vs Dupont Manual Tuesday May 18th

The Lady Centurions traveled to Manual for a match up of the 4th and 5th place teams in the 7th region. CAL could never get things going at the plate. Manual took advantage of some costly errors in the first few innings on a windy afternoon.

Manual was on fire at the plate and the game ended with an early 4 inning run rule 15-0.

CAL vs Marshall County Saturday May 22nd



The Lady Centurions played in the Meade County tournament this past weekend with some of the elite programs from around the state. The tournament included Assumption, Collins, Mercy, South Oldham, Lyon County, Christian County, Davies County, Warren East, North Bullitt, Jeffersonville, Franklin Simpson, Allen County Scottsville, Holy Cross, Marshall County and host Meade County.

CAL drew one of the top 15 teams in the state out of the gate. Marshall County has several impressive wins this year including wins over Male and 2A Champs Calloway County. The Lady Marshall's came out on fire slapping, bunting, stealing and driving in runs. A few mis-played balls here and there and the score was 3-0 pretty quickly. CAL hung around for several innings before Marshall County added 3 more runs in the 3rd inning. After more scoreless CAL innings, Marshall County added 4 in the 5th to end the game in a 10-0 run rule.

For CAL, Senior Center Fielder Katelyn Christensen and Sophomore Right Fielder Madison Raley had the only hits in the game.

CAL vs Holy Cross Saturday May 22nd

After a couple hours rest, CAL took to the field again to take on Holy Cross, one of the top 6th region programs. The Lady Centurions battled with Holy Cross over 5 innings in a scrappy dog fight. Both teams played solid but ultimately Holy Cross came out on top with a 4-3 victory.

The Lady Cougars were coming off victories against power programs Assumption, Central Hardin and Collins. Sophomore Pitcher Ava Manning kept the Holy Cross bats in check most of the game and gave the Lady Centurions a chance to win it in the last inning.

The firepower for CAL came from Junior Catcher Macie Howes who was 2-3 and scored 2 of CAL's 3 runs. Sophomore Madison was 1-1 and reached base safely all 3 at bats. Senior Katelyn Christensen was 2-3 driving in 2 runs. CAL ultimately didn't get the ball in play enough with 9 strikeouts on the day, with credit to some great opposing pitching.



Track & Field

SENIORS

Hannah Johnson

Parent's Names: Craig and Aimee Johnson
 Sports Played in HS While at CAL: Soccer and Track & Field
 Favorite Bible Verse: Matthew 10:20
 College: Grand Canyon University
 Major: Undecided
 How long attended CAL: 4 years



Molly Mast

Parent's Names: Ben and Kristin Mast
 Sports Played in HS While at CAL: Track & Field and Field Hockey
 Favorite Bible Verse: Jeremiah 29:11
 College: Committed to play field hockey at Centre College
 Major: Biology
 How long attended CAL: 4 years

Mirabel Noltemeyer

Parent's Names: Kyle and Hilary Noltemeyer
 Sports Played in HS While at CAL: Track & Field and Field Hockey
 Favorite Bible Verse: Philippians 4:13
 College: Committed to play field hockey at Transylvania University
 Major: Health and Exercise Science
 How long attended CAL: 4 years





Track & Field

SENIORS

Maddie Wieringa

Parent's Names: Todd and Jessica
 Sports Played in HS While at CAL: Soccer
 and Track & Field
 Favorite Bible Verse: 2 Corinthians 12:9
 College: University of Alabama
 Major: Biology, Pre-med
 How long attended CAL: Lifer



Kaylee Wilson

Parent's Names: Jay and Stephanie Wilson
 Sports Played in HS While at CAL: Cross
 Country, Track & Field and Swimming
 Favorite Bible Verse: Colossians 3:23
 College: Committed to run cross country
 and track at Lipscomb University
 Major: Nursing
 How long attended CAL: Lifer



Track & Field

SENIORS

Jake Heuke

Parents Names: Shawn and Robert Heuke
Sports Played in HS While at CAL: Track & Field
College: Eastern Kentucky University
Major: Aviation
How long attended CAL: 7 years



Jacob Hyman

Parents Names: Nina and Rod Hyman
Sports Played While at CAL: Lacrosse and Football
Favorite Bible Verse: Philippians 4:13
College: University of Kentucky
Major: Business
How long attended CAL: Lifer

Jonah Mattingly

Parents Names: Jeni Shawn
Sports Played While at CAL: Football
Favorite Bible Verse: Joshua 1:9
College: Western Kentucky University
Major: Business Management
How long attended CAL: Lifer





Track & Field

SENIORS

Evan Surran

Parent's Names: Jeffrey and Janie Surran
 Sports Played in HS While at CAL: Baseball,
 Track & Field and Cross Country
 Favorite Bible Verse: Philippians 4:13
 College: Campbellsville University
 Major: Chemistry
 How long attended CAL: 9 years



Cameron Tapp

Parents Names: Kenny and Jennifer Tapp
 Sports Played in HS While at CAL: Track &
 Field and Cross Country
 Favorite Bible Verse: Psalm 23
 College: Asbury
 Major: Media Communications
 How long attended CAL: Lifer

Will Paar

Parents Names: Carrie and stepdad Chris
 Bruce
 Sports Played While at CAL: Football
 Favorite Bible Verse: John 14:27
 College: Undecided
 Major: Undecided
 How long attended CAL: Lifer



Wyatt Page

Parents Names: Andrew Page & Tamara Page
 Sports Played in HS While at CAL: Cross
 Country and Track &
 Favorite Bible Verse: Galatians 3:29
 College: Cedarville University
 Major: Biblical Studies & Psychology
 How long attended CAL: 7 years



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Congratulations to the following Centurion football players who have committed as preferred walk-ons to the following schools:

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Samford University



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FRESHMEN BASEBALL

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Nolan Wahl Pitches a Shutout Against Oldham County

The Freshmen baseball team earned its first shutout of the season against Oldham County on Monday. Nolan Wahl had a fantastic night on the mound with 10 strikeouts. CAL took an early lead as Alex Yarberry and Wahl scored in the first inning. Patrick Snider scored on a hit by Jackson Watkins in the second. In the fourth, Cameron Combs hit a line drive single to left field and later scored on a passed ball. Snider singled on a ground ball to third base, then scored on a bases loaded walk. Wahl hit a line drive to knock in Alex Ullom. In the fifth and final inning, Drew Harned hit a line drive to left field and eventually crossed the plate on a wild pitch, leaving the Centurions on top 7-0. Eli Deming, Yarberry and Wahl earned the team's 3 RBI's. Watkins, Combs, Snider, Ullom, Wahl and Yarberry all stole bases in the win.



Christian Academy traveled to St. X on Tuesday. Drew Harned pitched against the Tigers and once again met his season strike percentage of nearly 75%. Eli Deming started the offense for the Centurions with a line drive double in the second inning. Harned and Alex Ullom both got singles to advance the runners and give CAL an early 3-2 lead. Nolan Wahl would go on to score off another Harned single the next inning. Unfortunately, St. X found their offense and took a 9-4 lead in the fifth. Christian Academy did not give up, however, and put up 2 more runs in the sixth inning. Jackson Watkins and Ullom both scored on a single by Wahl. Will Redick went on to score the final run for CAL in the last inning as a courtesy runner for Harned. The Centurions fell just short of the Tigers with the 9-7 loss. They did earn an impressive 12 hits by Watkins, Wahl, Deming, Ullom, Harned, Cameron Combs and Nathan King. Combs, Redick and Watkins each stole 2 bases. Defensively, Combs, Watkins and King combined for a double play early in the game. The Freshmen team will finish their season with an away game against Butler on Thursday night.



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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—TBD
Cheerleading— Courtney Jackson
Field Hockey—Chris Ward
Football—Kris Griffie
Volleyball—Chad Foster
Tennis Girls/Boys—TBD

WINTER SPORTS: HIGH SCHOOL

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

WINTER SPORTS: MIDDLE SCHOOL

Archery—Jacob Killion
Boys Basketball—Jonathan Keith
Girls Basketball—Doug Wilkins
Cheerleading— Courtney Jackson
Swimming—TBD

SPRING SPORTS: HIGH SCHOOL

Baseball—Michael Clark
Softball—Kyle Mullin
Boys Lacrosse—Matt Hoetker
Girls Lacrosse—Jason Curran
Boys Tennis—John O'Bryan
Girls Tennis—Madison Rumbuc
Boys/Girls Track and Field—TBD

SPRING SPORTS: MIDDLE SCHOOL

Baseball—Andrew Viola
Softball—Jeff Ashley
Boys Lacrosse—Jeff DeBellis
Girls Lacrosse—Eric Kovatch
Boys/Girls Golf—Justin Davis
Girls Soccer—John Zutt
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