CHRISTIAN ACADEMY OF LOUISVILLE



# CENTURION ENEWS

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## CENTURION SOFTBALL DEFEATS DISTRICT RIVAL EASTERN 11-7

The Lady Centurions visited their district rival, the Eastern Eagles on Monday. The Lady Centurions won an action-packed game 11-7. Sophomore Ava Manning did the pitching for CAL and the offensive contributions were made up and down the lineup.



CAL jumped out early in the 1st on a double by Junior Macie Howes and a bunt single by Sophomore Madison Raley. They scored on an RBI ground ball by Manning and a sacrifice bunt by Senior Katelyn Christensen.

In the 3rd, the same duo of Howes and Raley went double and bunt single again, both scoring on RBI ground balls. CAL led 4-1 after 3. (continued on next page)

# CAL BASEBALL WINS TWO!

The Christian Academy Louisville baseball team won two of three games this week, improving their record to 12-9 for the season.



### CAL split two games with

district rival Eastern High School to begin the week, losing at Eastern on Monday, 13-5, before winning on an extra inning walk-off walk at home on Tuesday, 9-8.

On Monday, Eastern tallied single runs in the first and second innings to take a 2-0 lead before CAL erupted to score all five of their runs in the top of the fourth inning.

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# CAL Athletics Golf



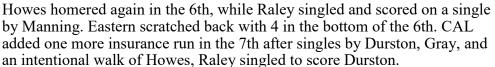
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In the 4th, Freshman 2nd Baseman Sam Durston, who was 3 -4 on the night, doubled to the right center field fence to get things rolling. After Senior Regan Gray reached base, Junior

Macie Howes hit her first of 2 home runs in the game making it 7-1 CAL after 4.







CAL played solid defensively across the board. At the plate Howes and Raley added 4 hits, Durston 3 and Manning 2. Juniors Karly Fetter and Hailey Fante-Hall both added singles along with Regan Gray.

CAL vs Bullitt East Tuesday April 27<sup>th</sup>

The Lady Centurions visited Bullitt East on Tuesday evening in what looked to be a tough game between two very evenly matched teams. It turned out to be just that.

The game was a pitching duel going the distance plus some. CAL jumped out 1-0 in the first inning when Sophomore Madison Raley reached on an error, and scored after singles by Sophomore Ava Manning and Senior Katelyn Christensen. CAL added another run in the 4th when Junior Shortstop Hailey Fante-Hall singled to start things off. Her single was followed by two more singles from Junior

3rd baseman Karly Fetter, and Freshman 2nd Baseman Sam Durston. The Lady Centurions led 2-0 heading into the 6th inning. The Chargers managed to get runs back in the 6th and 7th to tie things up, and went on to win a heartbreaker in 9 innings 3-2.

Ava Manning pitched the full game recording 9 strikeouts and only giving up 1 walk and 1 earned run.

CAL had several chances stranding 9 runners on base.

This week the Lady Centurions have Collins at home. North Oldham on the road and Presentation at home for Seniors night.









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The CAL men's lacrosse team celebrated their two seniors, Jeremy Raines and Gabe Crain. Good luck to both young men in the future!



## VARSITY BASEBALL (continued from front page)

Jacob Price opened the Centurions' fourth inning with a line drive single to left and advanced to third base when

Marshall Mowder lined a single to right. Mowder moved to second base on a ground ball out and Ben Kirk walked one out later to load the bases with two outs. Adam Ballard ran for the pitcher Kirk before Jett Peterson cleared the bases with a three-run double to centerfield, giving CAL a 3-2 lead. Peterson advanced to third on the throw to the plate. John Pohlman drew a walk and stole second. Logan McNair drove home both baserunners on a line drive single to left to give CAL a 5-2 lead.



Eastern struck back with five runs in the bottom half of the inning to take a 7-5 lead before scoring four more runs in the fifth and two runs in the sixth to win the game, 13-5. Eastern had ten hits in the game while drawing nine walks and two hit batsmen.

Marshall Mowder had two singles in the game for CAL while Jett Peterson and Nick Britton both doubled. Logan McNair and Jacob Price both singled. Ben Kirk, Phillip Fetter, and Adam Ballard all pitched in the game for the Centurions.

Tuesday's rematch with Eastern looked to be a continuation of Monday's game with Eastern taking an early third inning 6-2 lead, taking advantage of early walks and CAL errors. However, playing at home, CAL scored late, totaling 14 hits and taking advantage of eight Eastern walks and seven Eastern errors to win on a walk-off walk, 9-8.



CAL entered the bottom of the seventh and final scheduled inning, trailing, 8-5. Nick Britton walked to lead off the inning and Jack Mauzy lined a single to right with Britton stopping at second base. One out later, CAL loaded the bases when Jack Perdue lined a sharp single to right field. After a pop fly out for the innings second out, Jett Peterson lined a single to right, scoring both Britto and Mauzy with Perdue advancing to second base. Noah McCarty tied the game at 8-8 when he singled to left scoring Perdue.

CAL won the game in the bottom of the eighth inning without putting a batted ball in play. Avery Hare, Nick Britton, Adam Ballard, and Jack Per-

due all drew walks (with one strikeout in between) to score the walk-off winning run, 9-8.

Eastern took a quick 5-0 lead, scoring one run in the first inning and four more in the second before CAL scored their first two runs in the bottom of the second inning. CAL loaded the bases with no outs when Nick Britton reached by error, Jack Mauzy singled, and Adam Ballard walked. Jack Perdue and John Pohlman both singled home runs to cut the lead to 5-2.

Eastern scored once in the third to stretch their lead to 6-2 before CAL scratched across another run in their half of the third inning. In his first varsity at bat, Sam Zeller doubled to centerfield with one out. Zeller advanced to third base on Jack Mauzy's infield single and scored on an errant throw by the shortstop.

CAL narrowed the gap to 6-5 with two runs in the bottom of the sixth inning. Pohlman singled to centerfield with one out and advanced to second base when Peterson reached on an error. Pohlman scored when Noah McCarty singled to right field with Peterson advancing to third base and McCarty to second on a throwing error. Peterson scored when Marshall Mowder reached on an infield error. Eastern scored two runs in the top of the seventh inning to lead 8-5, setting the stage for the CAL comeback. (continued on next page)

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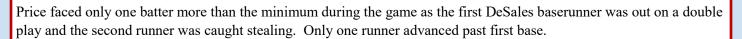
CAL rapped 14 hits, in the game, 13 of them singles. Jack Mauzy led the way with a three-hit game, Jett Peterson, Noah McCarty, Marshall

Mowder, Jack Perdue, and John Powder all singled twice. Sam Zeller doubled.

Jack Perdue was the winning pitcher in relief, allowing only three hits and two unearned runs while striking out five batters in five innings. Avery Hare started the game on the mound and Sam Zeller also pitched.

CAL concluded the week with a road win at DeSales, 3-0, the first of six consecutive road games for the Centurions.

Jacob Price went the distance on the mound, allowing only two hits and walking one, hurling his second shut out of the season and his fourth complete game. Price only used 74 pitches in a game that was completed in one hour and 15 minutes. The DeSales pitcher also went the distance, allowing four hits and walking one while throwing 79 pitches.



CAL scored their first run in the top of the third inning. Jett Peterson singled to center with two outs and advanced to second base on a wild pitch. Peterson scored when Jack Mauzy reached on an infield hit and the shortstop's throw sailed past the first baseman.

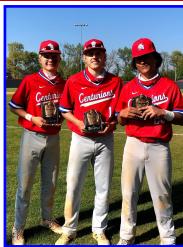
CAL scored twice more in the fourth inning. Jacob Price led off the inning with a line drive single to right field. Braeden Davis ran for the pitcher Price and advanced to second base when Nick Britton reached on an error. The runners advanced on a passed ball with Davis scoring on Noah McCarty ground ball out. Britton scored on a Jack Perdue infield single, giving CAL a 3-0 lead and accounting for the last runs of the game.

CAL had four hits in the game, all singles by Jett Peterson, Jack Mauzy, Jacob Price, and Jack Perdue. Price. Jacob Price went the distance as the winning pitcher.

CAL plays their next five games on the road. The Centurions will play a rematch with Christian Education Consortium (CEC) on Monday at 5:00 at Jeffersontown's Skyview Park. CAL won the earlier game, 11-5. CAL then plays at Male High School at 7:30 on Tuesday before contesting South Oldham Thursday at 6:00. CAL concludes the week at Fairdale on Saturday for a 12:00 noon game. CAL will continue their road tour with a 6:00 Monday game at Bullitt East. CAL won that earlier match, 1-0.





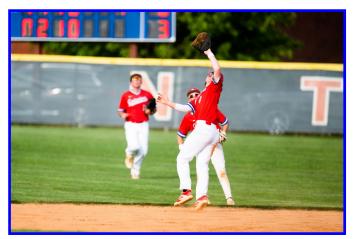


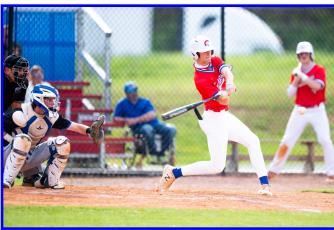














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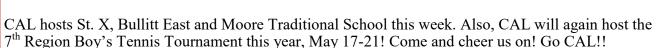


### **CAL Men's Tennis Shows Steady Progress**

Men's Tennis started the week with a tough match versus the Trinity Shamrocks. Of the five matches played, there were some very close matches, especially in the doubles events. In one doubles match, CAL pushed Trinity to a tiebreaker, after winning a close second set with a fierce rally. The CAL men fell in the tiebreaker after some fast-paced points. In the last doubles match of the day, CAL came up victorious over the Rocks. Overall, Trinity won 4-1, but CAL's progress against this perennial tennis powerhouse was evident across the board.

Next, the Centurions traveled to Spencer County last week to win decisively 5-0 against the Bears. Teamwork and powerful strokes enabled the Centurions to rule the day. Ian Royse played aggressive and kept his focus throughout the match to

end it quickly, 6-0, 6-0. Luke Appling and Clay Stahl continued their successful exhibition play by winning their match 6-4, 6-4. The Spencer County opponents offered a ton of spirit and intensity, but Luke and Clay stepped up with some big smashes and hard shots to win the day.















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## FRESHMEN BASEBALL SWEEPS EASTERN WITH TWO WINS

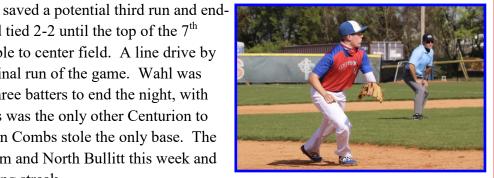
The Centurions faced Eastern High School on back-to-back nights last week with similar results. On Monday, Drew Harned pitched the entire game, only giving up 2 runs. Alex Ullom and Jackson Watkins started the offense with hits that led to both of them scoring. Christian Academy took the lead for good in the second inning, when Will Redick scored as a courtesy runner for Harned. Doubles by Bradey Moad and Eli Deming led to another run in the 3<sup>rd</sup> inning. Redick would score again, as well as Nolan Wahl to bring the final score over the Eagles to 6-2. The Centurions had 9 hits from Ullom, Watkins, Moad, Deming and Harned. Cameron Combs, Deming, Moad, Redick, Ullom and Wahl all stole bases in the contest.

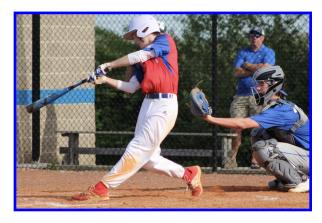




On Tuesday, at Eastern, Nolan Wahl also pitched the complete game for the win. He was able to limit the Eagles offense by throwing an impressive 8 strikeouts. The game remained scoreless until the top of the 3<sup>rd</sup> inning when a line drive double by Eli Deming knocked in runs by Will Redick and Nathan King. The Eagles started hitting in the next inning and were able to score 2 runs of their own. A key play at the plate by Bradey Moad

ed the inning. The score remained tied 2-2 until the top of the 7<sup>th</sup> when Moad hit a much needed triple to center field. A line drive by King sent him home to score the final run of the game. Wahl was able to strikeout two of the final three batters to end the night, with CAL on top 3-2. Jackson Watkins was the only other Centurion to earn a hit in the game and Cameron Combs stole the only base. The Freshmen face Male, South Oldham and North Bullitt this week and hope to extend their 3-game winning streak.









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Going into a shortened school week, the Lady Centurion Middle School Softball Team took on two opponents they had played and fallen short to earlier in the season. This time, it was a different story.



<u>Whitefield Academy</u> – With co-captain Makenzie King taking the mound, CAL was looking to avenge an earlier season loss against a team that



has about half of their 8<sup>th</sup> graders who start for their high school team. The Wildcats jumped out to a quick 3-0 lead during the top of the 1<sup>st</sup> inning with four straight singles. CAL zoned in, coming up with two defensive infield gems and King picking up a strikeout to end the threat.

From there on out, it was all CAL. Over the next four innings the entire Lady Centurion batting order used the entire field, relying on aggressive base running and overall playing solid softball pounding out 12 runs.

Catcher Maggie Holt led the way with a triple and a homerun, and driving in four runs. Annabelle Miller was also solid, with a single, homerun two RBI. With no errors committed in the field, the Coaches commented that this was the "best all around game by the team this season and it was an entire team effort" for CAL, and the team committed to build on the progress with the rest of the season.

### Final score CAL 12 / Whitefield 2

<u>Kentucky Country Day</u> – After a close earlier season game that ended in a loss for CAL given time limits, the Lady Centurions came out early and focused against the Bearcats. The bottom of the first inning saw CAL dominate at the plate, with Makenzie King drawing a lead-off walk, singles by Maggie Holt and Kayla Harned, and a bases-clearing triple by Annabelle Miller. Jayonna Collins smacked a double to drive in Sadie Heuke who had drawn a walk, and strong hitting by Candice Smith, Taylor Mattingly, Gabby Deming and Maggie Williams saw CAL bat around the first inning finishing with 6 runs.





King was dominating on the mound, and middle inning pitching appearances by Miller and Smith kept the KCD hitters off balance all game long.

A team high 14 hits was led by Harned and Smith who both went 3-for-3 at the plate. Collins had a solid 2-for-3 batting performance as well. Another solid team effort, led to another solid win for CAL Middle School Softball.

Final score CAL 15 / KCD 11



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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—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—Jon Derry

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

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