CHRISTIAN ACADEMY OF LOUISVILLE



CENTURION ENEWS

November 15, 2021

CENTURION FOOTBALL WINS DISTRICT CHAMPIONSHIP!

Move to 3rd round of State Playoffs



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FOUR CAL ATHLETES SIGN TO PLAY AT COLLEGE LEVEL



Watch CAL Football on LIVEsportscaster.com!

CROSS COUNTRY POST-SEASON AWARDS

Congrats to cross country team members Brooke Greenwell, Emma Wilkins and Tommy Ott for being selected KTCCCA All State! Freshmen Sam Herbig and Brooke Greenwell were also selected KTCCA All Area Freshman Team!



7th & 8th Grade Football Finishes Season as Middle School State Runner-up

The 7th and 8th grade football Centurions put in the work, starting their season last summer with 3 to 4 practices a week, weight lifting and conditioning. Their efforts culminated this Saturday, November 13th with a shot at a State



Title. It was CAL versus the Belfry Pirates for the Kentucky Middle School State Championship.

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CAL Wins 2nd Round Playoff Game Against Mercer County 43-7

The Centurion Varsity Football Team welcomed the Mercer County Titans for the 2nd round of the playoffs. The game started slowly with the score tied at 0-0 at the end of the first quarter.

The second quarter ended with CAL trailing the Titans 6 to 7. The high-powered Centurion came to life in the 3rd quarter scoring 29 unanswered points. The final score was CAL 43 and Mercer County 7.

CAL will face Paducah Tillman at home this Friday. The winner of this game will be the Region 3 Champions for Class 3A. In an interesting twist, Coach Cantwell played football at Paducah Tillman in high school.



Cole Hodge was 13-16 in passing, which resulted in 203 yards and 3 touchdowns.

Gavin Copenhaver was the leading rusher with 12 carries for 92 yards and 3 touchdowns.

Easton Messer was the leading receiver with 7 catches for 149 yards for 3 touchdowns. Adam Ballard had 1 catch for a touchdown.

Dylan Cornett was 3 for 3 on PATs.

The Defense had a total of 65 tackles. Gavin Copenhaver lead the team with 11, followed by Andrew Dupps with 11, and Chase Geren with 9.

Nate Heidenreich had an interception.

Andrew Dupps forced a fumble and Gavin Copenhaver recovered a fumble. Go CAL!

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Congratulations to the following CAL athletes who all 4 officially signed letters of intent to the following schools:



Lucas Bischoff (golf) - Bellarmine University



Robert Ehrenborg (swimming) - University of Louisville



Jaya McClure (basketball) - Ohio University



Matthew Troutman (golf) - University of Oklahoma



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<u>Ist Quarter</u> - CAL receives the opening kick off (starts on their own 45-yard line) and marches down the field with three consecutive first downs. The drive featured strong running by Jeffery Vazzana (#2) but stalled due to an interception. The Pirates take over on their own 15-yard line and pick up a couple first downs before the quarter ends with neither team scoring. 0 - 0.

2nd Quarter - Belfry features a huge offensive line and talented running backs. They started the quarter by running for 5 consecutive first downs despite tough tackling by Jeffery Vazzana, Trey Smith (#79), and Eli Bednark (#58). The Pirates moved the ball down to the 8-yard line setting up a 1st and goal. The Pirates try another run but Micah Akin (#11) makes a huge tackle for a loss of 6 yards. The next run attempt was stuffed by Vazzana for another loss of two yards. The Pirates faced a 4th and goal from their 16-yard line and somehow passed for a touchdown. The conversion was good and the quarter ends with a halftime score of Belfry 8 - CAL 0.

<u>3rd Quarter</u> - CAL kicks off to start the second half and Cooper May (#30) makes a nice open field tackle. The Pirates continue to pound the ball on the ground and despite hard tackling by Vazzana and Chapman Russell (#4), they run for consecutive first downs. On their next series they pass for a huge gain and first down. This is followed by another first down on the ground setting up a 1st and goal to end the quarter. Belfry 8 - CAL 0.

<u>4th Quarter</u> - Belfry runs the ball in for a touchdown to start the 4th quarter making the score 14 - 0 Pirates. CAL's Cooper May fields the following kickoff and returns the ball to almost mid-field. The CAL drive starts with a nice run by Vazzana followed by a Colin Daniels (#8) pass completion to JB Hilliard Jr (#10) for first down. Vazzana breaks several tackles on the next series and rambles 40 yards for an apparent touchdown but it was called back on a holding call. CAL was unable to make another first down and after a turnover on downs, Belfry runs the clock out to end the game. Pirates win 14 - 0.

<u>Observations</u>- a) The team finishes the season with a record of 10 -2, they were a Regional Champion and a State Runner-Up - if they were a college team they'd be headed to the Rose Bowl, b) if you have followed the team you know they have some big time playmakers but more importantly, the team played for each other (a brotherhood) and their school, c) Coach Griffee - Coach of the YEAR and his wonderful Assistant Coaches gave 100% to the team and led prayer with the opponent after nearly every game - that's setting a Christian example, d) Stephanie Byrd worked tirelessly as Team Mom (along with Karie Gibson), she not only did a fantastic job, she considered every player as her son - way to go, and e) the support from parents never wavered.

Minimal injuries, championship moments, a team of brothers and Coaches that made sure Jesus was glorified - thank you Lord for school like Christian Academy of Louisville! GO CAL!





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FALL SPORTS: HIGH SCHOOL

Cross Country— Lowery Stallings
Cheerleading—Morgan Robinson
Field Hockey—Stephanie Seeley
Football—Hunter Cantwell
Golf—Greg Zimmerer
Boys Soccer—Grant Hendrix
Girls Soccer—John Zutt
Volleyball—TBD

FALL SPORTS: MIDDLE SCHOOL

Cross Country–Allison Taylor Cheerleading– Courtney Jackson Field Hockey—Brad Lacy Football—Kris Griffee Volleyball–Juliann Parrish Tennis Girls/Boys—Madison Rumbuc

WINTER SPORTS: HIGH SCHOOL

Archery—Jacob Killion
Boys Basketball—Aaron Hill
Girls Basketball—Cameron Pridemore
Bowling—Jeff Imlay
Esports—Phillip Salmen
Cheerleading—Morgan Robinson
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—TBD Girls Lacrosse—Eric Kovatch Boys/Girls Golf—Justin Davis Girls Soccer—John Zutt Boys Soccer—TBD Boys/Girls Track—Allison Taylor

Intramural Offerings: Grades K-5

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