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### CAL BASEBALL WINS DISTRICT CHAMPIONSHIP!!

The Christian Academy Louisville baseball team won both of their games to win the 28<sup>th</sup> District Championship



last week! The tournament was hosted by Kentucky Country Day. It was the first time in CAL history that the Centurion baseball team won both the 28<sup>th</sup> District regular season and tournament championships. CAL will next host 3<sup>rd</sup> ranked St. Xavier in the quarter finals of the 7<sup>th</sup> Region tournament Wednesday at 6 p.m.

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# CAL Men's Tennis Makes Strong Showing in Regional Tournament

Last week the men's tennis team from Christian Academy competed in the KHSAA Region 7 singles and doubles state tournament. The tournament began on Monday with both singles and doubles matches.



In singles play both Charlie Rothpletz and Alex He won their first-round

matches in convincing fashion. Charlie secured a 6-1, 6-3 victory over his opponent from St. Frances and Alex coasted with a 6-1, 6-0 win over his opponent from Brown High School. Charlie and Alex advanced to play a second round match on Tuesday and both were paired against the two top seeds in the tournament. (continued on pg. 4)

# JV TRACK & FIELD CHAMPIONSHIPS (page 5)

### **CAL SOFTBALL SHUTS OUT SOUTHERN 17-0**

CAL put up 13 runs in the first inning and ended this one after 3 innings.. Notable hits in the first were an inside the park grand slam from Junior Grace Mullins, an inside the park



home run from Senior Macie Howes, and doubles from Juniors Madison Raley and Ava Manning. Seniors Karly Fetter and Hailey Fante-Hall both had 2 singles in the inning as well.

Senior Hailey Fante-Hall got her 2nd victory of the season in the circle. Final Score: CAL 17 - Southern 0

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We will resume publication in August of 2022.

Have a Wonderful Summer!

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VARSITY BASEBALL (continued from front page)

CAL defeated Ballard, 2-1, in the championship game behind the complete game pitching of Jack Perdue who allowed only five hits, one walk, and one unearned run while striking

out 11. Ballard scored their only run on an error on a bunt play in the third inning before Perdue retired 13 of the next 14 Ballard batters to end the game.



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CAL drew first blood with a run in the bottom of the second inning. Nick Britton drew a walk to open the frame and advanced to second base on a wild pitch before scoring on Avery Hare's double to right field.



After Ballard tied it in the third, CAL plated what proved to be the winning run in the fifth inning. Avery Hare reached first base on a fielder's choice and then stole second base. Jacob Price walked with Jackson Watkins entering the game to pinch run. Ryan Lynch then walked to load the bases. Hare then scored when on a Michael Lynch ground out, giving CAL the 2-1 lead.

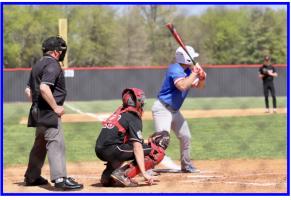
CAL had only three hits in the game, a double by Avery Hare and singles by Noah McCarty and Jack Perdue.

In the district semifinals on Monday, CAL spotted Kentucky Country Day two runs in the top of the first inning before scoring six runs in the bottom of the first en route to an 11-2 victory.

Trailing 2-0, Michael Lynch and Casey Sallade both walked to open the inning. Courtesy runners Logan McNair and Andrew Gilliam entered the game to run for the pitcher Lynch and catcher Sallade. Jack Perdue bunted for a single with McNair scoring when the pitcher's throw went down the leftfield line with Gilliam advancing to third and Perdue to second base. Nick Britton then grounded an infield single to deep shortstop, scoring Gilliam, and Perdue scoring when the shortstop's throw sailed into the CAL dugout, giving CAL a 3-2



lead and with Britton advancing to second base on the play. Later that inning with one out, Avery Hare hit into a fielder's choice but then stole second base. Noah McCarty singled to center to score Hare before Jacob Price was hit by a pitch and Ryan Lynch walked to load the bases. McCarty and Price then both scored when Michael Lynch grounded a single into right field, giving CAL a 6-2 lead.



CAL scored twice in the second to extend their lead to 8-2. Nick Britton walked to lead off the second and advanced to second base when Jett Peterson bunted and reach base on an error. Avery Hare sacrifice bunted to advance both runners who then scored on Noah McCarty's single to right field.

The lead became 9-2 in the third inning. Michael Lynch doubled to right to lead off the inning. Logan McNair courtesy ran for pitcher Lynch and advanced to third base on Casey Sallade's sacrifice bunt. McNair scored on Jack Perdue's infield out. (continued on next page)

# VARSITY BASEBALL (continued from previous page)

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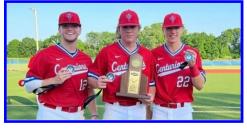
CAL's final two runs score in the fourth. Jett Peterson walked before Avery Hare and Noah McCarty both singled to load the bases. Peterson scored on a wild pitch and Avery Hare scored when McKade Battcher grounded out to first base giving CAL their final 11-2 margin.

After giving up two first inning runs to the first two KCD batters of the game, pitcher Michael Lynch found his groove and then

retired 12 of the next 13 KCD batters before giving way to Bradey Moad who pitched final three innings of the game.

Noah McCarty led CAL with three singles and three RBI. Michael Lynch had a double and a single. Casey Sallade, Jack Perdue, Nick Britton, and Avery Hare all singled once.





The Centurions played five games against their district opponents this year, winning them all, and outscoring their opponents, 36-3, in those five games. The CAL pitchers and defense have not allowed more than three runs in a game since April 30. Jack Perdue, Michael Lynch, and Noah McCarty were all named to the 28<sup>th</sup> District All-Tournament Team. CAL's record for the season is now 17-15.

The 7<sup>th</sup> Region tournament begins Wednesday night with CAL hosting 3<sup>rd</sup> ranked St. Xavier in a quarter final round game at 6 p.m. The semifinals are set to be played Saturday evening (could be either 5:30 or 8 p.m.) with the regional finals scheduled for Sunday afternoon at 4 p.m. The semi-finals and finals are all played at the University of Louisville's Jim Patterson Stadium. CAL won the regional tournament once before in 2008. The Centurions' last victory in a regional game was in 2015. The Kentucky State tournament will be played June 2-11 at the University of Kentucky's Kentucky Proud Park.



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## VARSITY TENNIS (continued from front page)



Charlie played well with some great put away shots, but was defeated by the #2 seed from Ballard. Alex had excellent points throughout his match which gained the applause of the crowd, but he fell to the #1 seed from St. X.

In doubles play, Kaden MacDonald and Ian Royse advanced with a first round victory over their opponents from St. Francis 6-0, 6-0. On day two of the tournament they fought hard and



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had excellent rallies, but lost a close match to their opponents from Manual 6-2, 7-5.



The second doubles team from CAL, Noah Keene and John Hayden Paxton, faced a tough Collegiate team in round one of the tournament. In relentless play, they defeated the Collegiate team 6-0, 6-7 (8), 1-0 (6) to advanced to the second round. On day two they drew opponents from Male. With winning serves and strong plays at the net, they won the match convincingly 6-1, 6-1 to advance to



the quarter finals. In this round their opponents were a top seeded team from St. X. Although Keene and Paxton rallied and had excellent points throughout the match, they were defeated 6-1, 6-2.

The regional tournament concludes the men's tennis season for 2022. The team greatly improved during the year under the positive leadership of coaches John O'Bryan and Byron Miller. CAL is blessed to have such wonderful coaches and the collective experience they bring to the team. The team is appreciative of the their dedication and Christ like example they set each day in practice and matches. The team will celebrate another great season at the end-of-year banquet on May 31st.



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### CAL vs Mercy Tuesday May 17th, 2022

CAL hosted Mercy on Tuesday for the regular season finale. This one was a pitching duel for the first 3 innings. Neither team crossed the plate until Mercy scored 2 in the 4th.

CAL scored a run in the 5th and a run in the 7th in similar fashion to tie this one up and send it to extra innings. Freshman Addison White walked, Freshman Makenzie King pinch ran and both times Senior Catcher Macie Howes came through with a big hit. In the 5th she tripled to left and in the 7th she doubled to left scoring King both times.

In the bottom of the 8th, CAL loaded the bases and scored on a passed ball to take the victory.

Ava Manning got the victory in the circle. Her 18th of the season.

#### Final Score: CAL 3 - Mercy 2

#### CAL vs Eastern Friday May 20th, 2022 District Semifinal

In a win or go home game against district rival Eastern Eagles, CAL came up short.

The Lady Centurions only managed 1 hit in this one and made a couple early mistakes with the gloves - allowing Eastern to jump out on top. **Final Score: Eastern 4 - CAL 0** 

# JV TRACK & FIELD

On Saturday, May 21 the Centurions sent a portion of their boys and girls squads to the JV Championship at Saint Xavier High School in Louisville. The boys team sent two throwers, **Samuel Wood** and **Ryan Morgeson**, who represented CAL in the discus and shot put. Three boys ran the 800m run: **Joshua Jorden**, **Luke Stephens**, and **Nathanael Bryan**. On the girls side, **Skylar Greenwell** placed 7<sup>th</sup> in the 400m. **Ava Ward** placed 6<sup>th</sup> in the 800m and 9<sup>th</sup> in the 1600m. **Katherine Kelly** was 7<sup>th</sup> in the 800m and also ran the 1600m. **Taylor Greenwell** competed in the 800m and 1600m. Senior **Leah Moylan** notched a PR in the 1600m. Freshman **Naveah Desgraviers** earned a PR in the 200m. **Isabelle Rubsch** and **Lena Hall** represented CAL in the throws, with Isabelle earning 6<sup>th</sup> in the discus and Lena scoring 6<sup>th</sup> in the shot put. **Maggie Hydes** was 5<sup>th</sup> in the girls high jump.

CAL will host the Class 2A Region 3 championship meet this Tuesday (May 24) at 6pm. The regional meet is the qualifying meet for the Kentucky State Championship meet, which will be held on Friday, June 3 at the University of Kentucky. Come cheer on your Centurions as they seek to capture regional titles and qualify for state!

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# **MIDDLE SCHOOL GOLF**

CAL Middle school golf finished the season with a 6-1 record tied for first place in the conference. The team competed in

the Mid-Bluegrass conference with teams from Oldham and Jefferson County. CAL's low average leader was 8th grader Jacob Thompson with a 37.5 for the season. Landon Peterson and Jacob Elliott averaged 39 for the season.

In tournament action, CAL played well scoring a 148 round and the first place trophy. The team was led by 7th grader Grant Pellowe with an even-par 36 at the Eagle Creek Golf Course. CAL also had tremen-

dous efforts from 8th grader Jacob Thompson (37), 5th grader Brad Faulkner (37), 8th grader Landon Peterson (38). 8th graders Jacob Elliott and McCabe Squires shot



42 and 45 respectfully. The team also included 7th graders Sam Bates and Nolin Siefert and 6th grader Brandon Parker.

Congratulations on a tremendous season.



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Cross Country— Andrew Danner Cheerleading—Morgan Robinson Field Hockey—Stephanie Seeley Football—Hunter Cantwell Golf—TBD Boys Soccer—Andrew Bochino Girls Soccer—John Zutt Volleyball—Sherry Ashley

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

#### WINTER SPORTS: HIGH SCHOOL

Boys Basketball—Aaron Hill Girls Basketball—Byron Wilkins Bowling—Jeff Imlay Esports—Phillip Salmen Cheerleading—Morgan Robinson Swimming—David Robinson

#### WINTER SPORTS: MIDDLE SCHOOL

Boys Basketball—Jonathan Keith Girls Basketball—Doug Wilkins Cheerleading– Courtney Jackson Swimming—Dan Borraga

#### SPRING SPORTS: HIGH SCHOOL

Archery—Jacob Killion Baseball—Michael Clark Bass Fishing—Thomas Peck Softball—Kyle Mullin Boys Lacrosse—Matt Hoetker Girls Lacrosse—Jason Curran Boys Tennis—John O'Bryan Girls Tennis—John O'Bryan Girls Tennis—Madison Rumbuc Boys/Girls Track and Field—Andrew Danner

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