



## Varsity field hockey begins state title defense

The varsity field hockey team began its state title defense with a 10-0 win over Eastern in the Second Region semifinals on Oct. 21.

Lauren Sloan led the Centurions with four goals. Ella Hodge scored twice as well. Lindsay Sloan, Savannah Faulkner, Jillian Ehret and Amelia Ohr chipped in one goal each.

With the win, CAL advances to host Sacred Heart in the region finals on Oct. 22 at 7 p.m.

Both teams will advance to the state tournament, which begins on Oct. 24, regardless of the result.

Prior to this week's tournaments, Centurions closed out the regular season on a positive note with a win and a draw last week.

On Tuesday, CAL traveled to Assumption to face the Rockets in a rematch of last year's state championship. Neither team scored in a defensive battle that ended in a 0-0 tie.

Goalkeeper Morgan Lala played a critical role in keeping Assumption off the scoreboard, recording 15 saves.

The Centurions returned home to face Manual in the regular season finale on

Thursday. The CAL defense pitched another shutout, and Lauren Sloan and Madelyn Frazee found the back of the cage to give the home team a 2-0 win.

The game marked the ninth consecutive shutout for CAL against in-state opponents dating back to Sept. 14.



## Varsity volleyball rounds out regular season

Varsity volleyball closed out an impressive regular season with a 2-1 week.

On Monday, the Centurions traveled to Walden and won in straight sets. Kayleigh Rogers, Caroline Bates and Ella Foster all recorded at least four kills in a balanced effort. Ella Baker dished out 11 assists and six aces.

On Tuesday, CAL traveled to North Oldham and suffered a 3-1 loss – the Centurions first defeat in 18 games.

Caroline Bates stepped up with 14 kills for CAL after leading hitter Kayleigh Rogers suffered an injury early in the match.

The Centurions got back in the win column with a 3-0 triumph

over Central on Thursday night to conclude the regular season. Kyla Roy led CAL with 11 kills, followed by Bates and Kate Chase with 10 each. CAL will travel to Ballard this week for the 28th District tournament, beginning with a matchup against KCD in the tournament semifinals on Oct. 22.

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## Tickets on sale for HS softball pancake breakfast

Tickets are on sale for the annual CAL softball pancake breakfast fundraiser. The event will take place on Nov. 9 from 8:30-11 a.m. in the CAL cafeteria.

Tickets are \$7 and will be on sale at this Friday's home football game. Contact CAL softball coach Kyle Mullin for more information.

	<b>Christian Academy Softball</b>		Pancake Fundraiser	Christian Academy Softball	11/9/24 \$7.00
	<b>PANCAKE FUNDRAISER</b>				
	LOCATION - CAL Cafeteria				
1	8:30am - 11:00am	\$7			

## Varsity girls soccer falls in region semifinals

The varsity girls soccer team's season came to a close with a 5-1 defeat against Assumption in the Seventh Region semifinals on Oct. 14.

Both teams stepped onto the field with intensity for a big matchup. The Rockets immediately applied pressure, launching multiple corner kicks early, but CAL's defense, anchored by goalie Grace Hureau, held firm and prevented any early goals.

The game's fast pace

was marked by the Rockets' quick movement and aggressive play, particularly up top. CAL's backline stood resilient, fending off several dangerous attacks.

After several scoring attempts, the Rockets finally broke through with a corner kick that led to a series of headers, resulting in the first goal. Just minutes later, they struck again, this time with a cross into the middle, bringing the score to 2-0. CAL fought hard, but the Rockets added another goal

before halftime, sending the teams into the break with CAL trailing 3-0.

Early in the second half, Blakely Touche' showed her determination, delivering a strong pass to Taylor Touche' who carried the ball into the Rockets' goalie box. A foul by the Rockets led to a penalty kick, which T. Touche' confidently converted, putting CAL on the scoreboard with their only goal of the night.

Despite CAL's valiant efforts and hustle, the Rock-

ets proved too strong, and the game ended with a final score of 1-5.

CAL's season concludes with an impressive record of 16-6-1. The girls left everything on the field, and their hard work and dedication throughout the season were evident in the team's final match.

Congratulations to Addison Chandler and Taylor Touche' for making the 7th Regional all Tournament team.

## MS swimming prepping for second meet

Middle school swim is looking forward to their 2nd meet of the season this Friday 10/25 at the Mary T. Meagher Aquatic Center. The team is practicing strong and

excited to compete this week.

Please come out and support the team: Adelynn Craft, Jack Cunningham, Kimber Davis, Sarah Del Pino, Addi Eschenbach,

Emma Janes, Jackson Kelly, Kaylee Montgomery, Lucy Norton, Sky Pruett, Quil Ritz, Eliana Saing, Leelah Sturgeon, Max Tatchell, and Susie Williams.



## Slow start plagues varsity football in loss at Central

Christian Academy of Louisville faced a tough defeat on Friday night, falling to Central 48-28 in a game that was competitive in the second half but ultimately saw CAL unable to overcome a dominant performance from Central's offense in the first half.

### Offensive Highlights

Senior quarterback Connor Hodge led the offense, completing 8-of-15 passes for 143 yards and a touchdown. Hodge also led the team in rushing with

57 yards and two rushing touchdowns, including an 8-yard run late in the game, showcasing his versatility.

Junior running back Jeffery Vazzana was steady on the ground, rushing for 21 yards on four carries.

Senior wide receiver Trey Cotton was a key target for Hodge, hauling in three receptions for 73 yards, including an 18-yard touchdown in the second quarter that helped CAL close the gap. Sophomore Gaines Howard also con-

tributed with two catches for 48 yards, including a 33-yard catch that set up a scoring opportunity.

### Defensive Standouts

The Centurion defense had their hands full with Central's potent offense but saw key contributions from multiple players.

Junior linebackers Jackson Settle and Chapman Russell, along with freshmen defensive linemen Kellan Hall and Brody Cherry, led the defense with seven tackles each. Russell

was also credited with a blocked extra point in the first quarter.

### Next Up

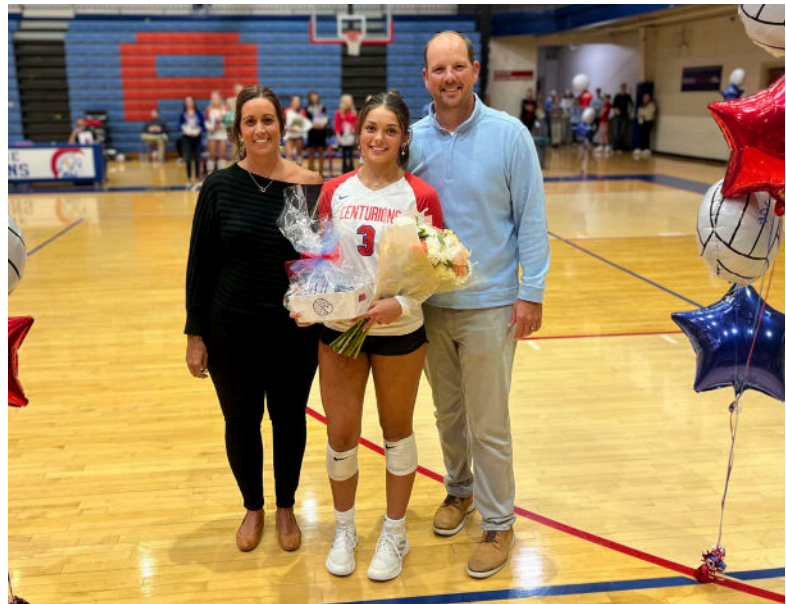
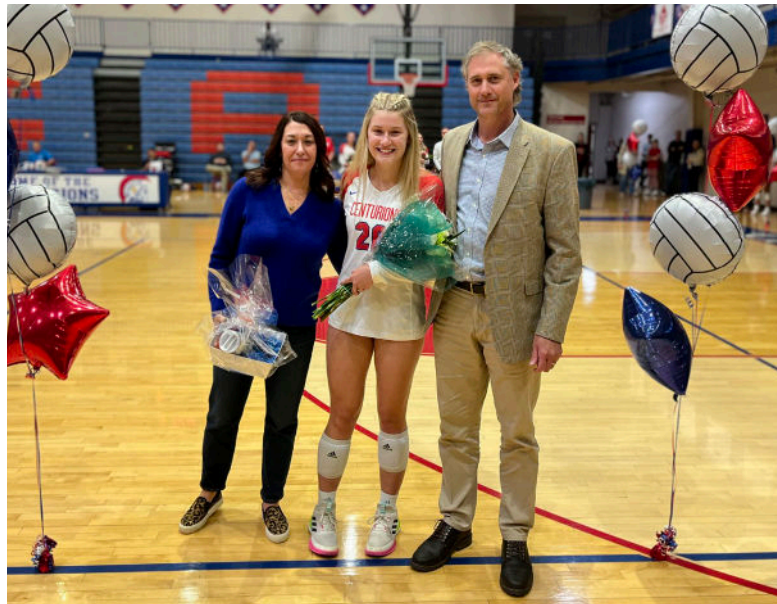
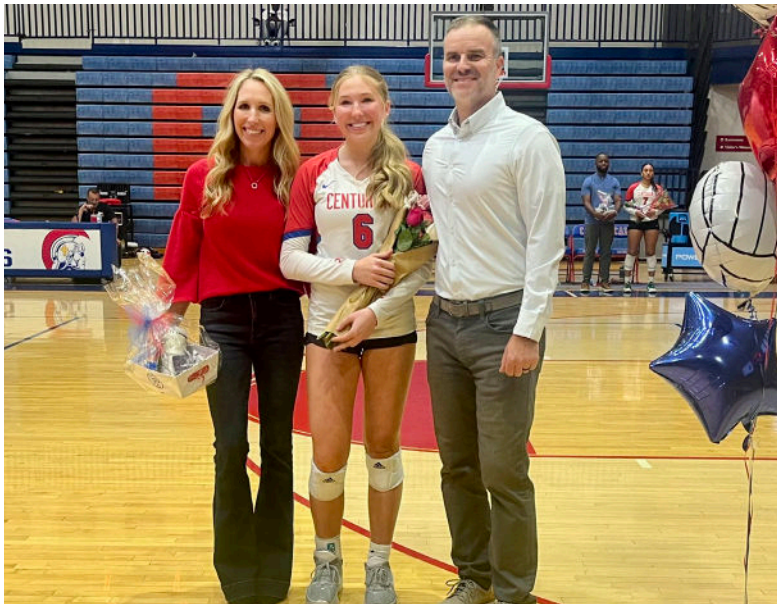
CAL will look to regroup next week as they travel an hour south down I-65 to face the Elizabethtown High School Panthers on Friday, October 25th. Kickoff is at 7:30 p.m. at Elizabethtown High School.

Be sure to come out and support the Centurions as they look to get back on track!

## Photos: 5th/6th football playoff win vs. Renegades



## Photos: Varsity volleyball senior night



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Seniors

# This week in Centurion Nation - Oct. 21-26

## HOME

Date	Start Time	Sport	Place	Opponent	Facility
10/21/2024 Monday	6:00 PM	Girls Varsity Field Hockey	Home	FH Region Tournament 1 vs 4/5 winner	Centurion Field
	7:30 PM	Girls Varsity Field Hockey	Home	FH Region Tournament 2 vs 3 seed	Centurion Field
10/22/2024 Tuesday	7:00 PM	Girls Varsity Field Hockey	Home	FH Region Tournament Championship	Centurion Field
10/24/2024 Thursday	TBA	Girls Varsity Field Hockey	Home	FH State Quarterfinals (If CAL wins Region Tournament)	Centurion Field
10/26/2024 Saturday	6:30 AM	Band Event	Home	Band Semi Finals 6:30 - 3:30(School)	Centurion Field
	TBA	Girls Varsity Field Hockey	Home	FH State Semi Finals	Centurion Field

## AWAY

Date	Start Time	Sport	Place	Opponent	Facility
10/21/2024 Monday	6:00 PM	Boys Junior Varsity Football	Away	North Bullitt High School	North Bullitt High School
10/22/2024 Tuesday	5:30 PM	Girls 6th Basketball	Away	Marnell C Moorman Middle School	Marnell C Moorman Middle School
	6:30 PM	Girls 7th Basketball	Away	Marnell C Moorman Middle School	Marnell C Moorman Middle School
	7:30 PM	Girls 8th Basketball	Away	Marnell C Moorman Middle School	Marnell C Moorman Middle School
	7:30 PM	Girls Varsity Volleyball	Away	Kentucky Country Day School-District Tournament	Ballard High School
10/24/2024 Thursday	5:30 PM	Girls 6th Basketball	Away	Shelby County East Middle School	Shelby County East Middle School
	6:30 PM	Girls 7th Basketball	Away	Shelby County East Middle School	Shelby County East Middle School
	7:30 PM	Girls 8th Basketball	Away	Shelby County East Middle School	Shelby County East Middle School
	7:00 PM	Girls Varsity Volleyball	Away	District Tournament Finals	Ballard High School
10/25/2024 Friday	7:30 PM	Boys Varsity Football	Away	Elizabethtown High School	Elizabethtown High School
10/26/2024 Saturday	TBA	Boys-Girls Varsity Cross Country	Away	Regionals	TBD

Up-to-date schedules are posted daily on Twitter @CenturionAD and Instagram @CALCenturions.

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6th/7th Field Hockey.....Heather Taber

5th Field Hockey.....Ryan Bachman

HS Football.....Hunter Cantwell

7th/8th Football.....Draper Hall

5th/6th Football.....Eric Lowe

3rd/4th Football.....Adam Robinson

1st/2nd Football.....Keith McKinney

HS Boys Golf.....Lucas Holland

HS Girls Golf.....Matthew Feltner

HS Boys Soccer.....Trent Popp

HS Girls Soccer.....John Zutt

MS Tennis.....Bob Willis

HS Volleyball.....Sherry Ashley

8th Volleyball.....Juliann Parrish

7th Volleyball.....Kaitlyn Meyers & Angela Alvarado

6th Volleyball.....Lauren Fields