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# David City Super Senior // Barrett Andel

David City senior linebacker Barrett Andel has been playing football since second or third grade when his parents signed him up for flag football. Fast forward to 2022, Andel, a three-year varsity letterman, entered the season as the team's leading returning tackler and a key leader.

"This season, we have a lot better team, so I'm expecting to have a winning record to make the playoffs," Andel said. The senior said he's most excited about the returning experience they have back this year. Andel also said that his teammates have gotten stronger and faster, which should help in the trenches as a member of the offensive line as a right tackle.

Linebackers are the center of a defense. Andel said he's had to grow into being a leader on the team.

"Just past couple years I've been finding my voice on the team as I step into different roles," he said. "I just got more confident."

Andel explained what he enjoyed most about playing defense. "I love being able to hit and tackle and just being able to work as a team together is great," he said. It hasn't always been a smooth journey through high school football, enduring injuries and having to overcome the mental and physical side of the recovery.



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Barrett Andel

"I tore my meniscus and then I had some back problems in my first couple years, so those were kind of tough," Andel said. "I overcame it by taking a little time off and let my body heal. Just had to keep working."

While the physical recovery can be grueling, that wasn't the toughest part of him coming back

from the injuries.

"It wasn't the physical side, but more the mental side of having the fear of it happening again and getting held out of games not being able to participate," Andel said.

Andel is a three-sport athlete at David City. After playing football in the fall, the senior wrestles in

the winter and competes in track and field in the spring.

"I never wrestled until my seventh grade year," he said. "My football got me to go out for wrestling and track, my mom always said I had to go out for track."

This winter, Andel will look to qualify for the state wrestling meet for the second straight year.

In his first full varsity season, Andel posted a 30-18 record and competed for the NSAA Class C 160-pound wrestling championship in February after earning the bronze medal in the district meet. Andel also went 2-1 at the NSAA State Duals Wrestling Championship in Kearney as the Scouts placed sixth in Class C.

During the track season, Andel competed in the pole vault, where he placed fourth at districts. He also ran in the 200-meter dash, placing ninth.

To stay fit and healthy for all three sports, Andel said summer lifting is a big part.

"You got to be able to commit in the summer because lifting is a lot of injury prevention and that's going to help you in the upcoming seasons," Andel said.

Andel laid out his goals for the football season. He said he wants to make All-District and All-State and lead the Scouts to the playoffs for the first time since 2011.

He described football has had on him in all aspects of his life.

"Probably one of the biggest lessons is becoming a better person and knowing that life isn't always going to be easy," Andel said. "When you get knocked down on the field, you got to get right back up. You can't just lay there. It's probably taught me a lot about toughness and keeping a tough mental side."

— Sam Ficarro

# Aquinas Catholic Super Senior // Jocelyn Stara

Aquinas Catholic senior cross country runner Jocelyn Stara had to decide whether she wanted to play volleyball or run cross country in the fall.

She selected cross country and it's paid off for the senior. Stara enters this fall looking to build on her first appearance running at the NSAA State Cross Country meet in Kearney.

"I'm very excited about going to state this year," Stara said. "We have two state medalists returning and I'm a state qualifier, so I'm very excited for how this season is going to go."

Stara helped Aquinas qualify as a team for the Class D state meet as it tied Palmyra for the best district score last year at Camp Kateri in McCool Junction.

In Kearney, Stara earned a time of 24 minutes, 23.92 seconds.

"The race is very, very hard, but the best part is right before you hit the finish line, there's the home stretch. It gets dead silent so it's really like a surreal moment," Stara said. "You're almost there. It's dead quiet and you take a turn and then everyone is just screaming and there's fans everywhere because you're on the home stretch. It's the most surreal moment ever."

Seventh grade was when Stara began running cross country. She said didn't know what she was doing her freshman year and was just having fun. During the season, Stara said she had a discussion with her coach about



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Jocelyn Stara

the potential she possessed.

"You have a lot of potential, but you're going to actually have to kick it in gear. It was basically that support from my coach and my teammates like you can be great, but you really got to learn," she said. "You got to get hard into this, so the mental capacity kind of came with that. All those

support really helped me learn. You've got to give it your all 24/7 if you want to get to that end goal in Kearney."

Stara said keeping your mind in the race when there's no around you in the race is the toughest part.

"There's that little part in your head like just walk," she said.

"No one's going to notice if you take it off, so it's really hard to be stern with yourself and be like, 'No, I'm going to finish this race all the way through, even when I'm exhausted.'"

Last year, Stara broke her foot at the end of the track and field season. She was sidelined for 10 weeks and went through a lot

of physical therapy. Because of her rehab, she missed the entire summer training ahead of the cross country season.

Stara described cross country as 75% mental and 25% conditioning. She said it took a long time for her to get over that mental hill.

"Summer was very hard. I was very behind everyone, but I asked my teammates to push me as hard as you can," Stara said. "I put in the extra work and I was able to by district time, I was up and going. That's all that mattered."

For the first time, Aquinas will be able to field a full cross country team in every meet with five girls on the team. Stara said it'll be fun to have more than just two Monarchs by her side.

As for goals, Stara wants to win Aquinas to win the district title, break her personal record time and run under 21 minutes and medal in every meet.

Cross country is a challenging sport, both physically and mentally. Despite the obstacles, Stara has savored every minute.

"It's been a crazy journey, but it's been so much fun. This sports season is the most unique sports season," Stara said. "It's just a whole different vibe as all the other sports I've ever done and that makes it incredibly fun for me. It's very hard, very challenging, but by the end of the season, I'm sad it's over."

— Sam Ficarro

# Schuyler Super Senior // Gavin Bywater

Schuyler senior cross country runner Gavin Bywater is excited to step up as the leader of the Warriors boys team and returning to Kearney for the state cross country meet.

Bywater qualified for Kearney with a 14th-place district finish. He completed the meet in Seward with a time of 17 minutes, 49.16 seconds. In Kearney, the senior completed the race in 19:01.00.

"I loved it (running at state). It was the most competitive thing I think I've ever been to," Bywater said. "The fact that I worked for it so hard made it all that much better."

The road to Kearney begins in the summer, running 7 to 10 miles at a time. Bywater said that really helps push you make it to state.

"I think if every workout you come out and think, this is getting me better, that helps. If I run 7 miles, then in the race I'm going to be faster and I'm going to PR," he said. "That helps break roadblocks."

Bywater was inspired to run cross country by his Dad, who ran in the Lincoln half marathon a couple times. He began running competitively in seventh grade, but he said wasn't good until eighth grade.

"I kind of just improved



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Gavin Bywater

steadily and then I went to the state meet for middle school and that kind of gave me a focus on this is pretty cool," Bywater said. "Freshman year, I realized there's a lot of fast guys at Schuyler that I can work off of. I just started competing from there."

However, in his sophomore year, Bywater said he suffered a bad foot injury and he didn't improve at all from his freshman year. It left him in a dark place.

"I wasn't happy. I didn't even run track because I was so distraught with running and wasn't

in that mindset," Bywater said. "That summer I was ready for cross country and I showed up a little bit, so that really took a toll in my head, but it helped in the end game."

In order to get out of that mental space, Bywater said he had to

recover from the injury and then he began running with friends and teammates. He said he began just having fun in workouts instead of being competitive.

"I love competing. I'm a competitor," Bywater said. "I think cross country brought that out of me that I didn't have before, so I really attribute that to cross country."

Cole Beebe and Joel Carrillo helped start a legacy for Schuyler cross country, qualifying for state in 2012 and 2013. Since then, the Warriors have had runners compete in Kearney in eight of the last 10 meets.

"They really set the pathway for me, seeing that the stage they got to placing at districts with the team they've had put me in the mindset that this is a legacy I need to continue and build on for the next people," Bywater said.

Bywater hopes to leave his mark on the program and raise its profile in his final high school cross country season.

"I would love to medal at state. I want to break at least the 17 (minute) barrier. That would be pretty big for me," he said. "If we have the chance, I would love to lead the team to state and just inspire the future Schuyler kids that it's more than just running."

— Sam Ficarro

# Lakeview Super Senior // Josie Bentz

Supporting her teammates and working on her future is what makes Josie Bentz stand out on and off the court.

A Columbus native, Bentz — the daughter of Don and Michelle Bentz and the sibling of Cali and Gunner — attends Lakeview and has played a variety of sports. She competes in volleyball, basketball, softball and track — but volleyball, which she has played since third grade, is her favorite.

“I just think it’s super exciting and I’m always able to be in the play,” Bentz said.

She is one of three players returning from last year’s squad. Bentz recorded 194 kills, 105 digs, 22 service aces and 21 assists.

Because she has been playing for so long, she is one of the leaders of the team. When the team comes up against something they have not experienced before, Bentz says she helps keep everyone calm and move through challenges.

This year, Bentz is looking to build relationships with her teammates, and let them know she is there for support.

“I’m here to make the team



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Josie Bentz

better and everybody better just so they can all have a good time,” she said.

This summer, the team’s seniors paired up with underclassman to hold open gym.

This helped to start learning to be leaders, she added.

During the summer, the team

has worked on attack efficiency and receive a percentage to help keep them consistent.

“We knew from summer leagues that staying consistent and low errors will keep us in the games,” she said.

Last season was a good season, Bentz explained. The team made it to state but lost to Kearney Catholic in five sets. In the end, the team placed third for the second straight year.

This season, Bentz is hoping to make it back to state but recognizes that her team is a new group of girls. The goal is to go as far as they can.

“I want to end our season knowing that we did our best,” Bentz said.

Off the court, Bentz also participates in Revolution, National Honor, Society, Sports Medicine and works in the youth department at the YMCA.

After high school, Bentz plans on attending Columbus Community College where she wants to play volleyball and study business administration. After CCC, she would like to go into the cosmetology field.

— Monica Garcia

# Columbus High Super Senior // Liam Blaser

Hard work and dedication is how Liam Blaser approaches most things in his life, and football is no exception.

The senior fullback and line-backer from Columbus High, grew up in Duncan on his family’s farm. Hard work was instilled in him by his parents.

Blaser said he sees his dad go out every day and work hard for the family. In return, Blaser wants to make his dad proud and work hard as well. Blaser was sure to include his mom, who also works hard and does all she can for their children. Blaser said this has had an impact on him. Blaser said working on the farm and knowing hard work gives him an advantage over his competitors.

“Football is a way where I can go and work hard at something and give it my all, like he (his dad) does for me,” Blaser said.

His parents attended and graduated from Columbus High. His dad and his uncle also played football for Columbus High, and, Blaser added, growing up, he knew he wanted to do the same.

When Blaser takes the field, he does so for his family.

“(My dad and my uncle) are a big reason why I played football and why I love it so much,” he said.

He grew up watching football, and supporting the Discoverers. Blaser started playing football when he was in third grade. There is a line of great athletes before him and Blaser looks forward to carrying on the tradition, he added.

But football isn’t the only sport Blaser plays, he also wrestles and participates in track and field.

“I grew up watching football and being around football a lot. Wrestling is huge in my family too, but I just feel like I get the thrill of the game when I play football and it’s where I’m naturally gifted at,”



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Liam Blaser

Blaser said.

Last year, the team went 7-2 and made it to the first round of play-

offs. Blaser rushed for 727 yards and 10 touchdowns as the team’s leading tailback. Defensively, the

linebacker recorded 94 tackles and four interceptions.

This season, Blaser said they are

looking to build off of what the seniors have done the last two years.

“We’ve created a culture at Columbus where we expect to be there (at playoffs),” Blaser said.

“Because being a smaller Class A school, not a lot of people give us credit for being very good. So being able to continue that culture here is really what I’m looking forward to.”

Three years ago, Blaser said, the team was fed up with being overlooked. They were able to make the playoffs then and made a name for themselves. Last year, the team made it to playoffs for the second year in a row. They have now earned the respect from other teams in Nebraska, he added.

There are a lot of new faces on the team, Blaser said, and he is trying to teach others through his example. He lays out what the expectation was for him and how it will be for them as well.

“A lot of teaching, a lot of being a role model for those guys,” he said.

This season, Blaser said team moral is up and the chemistry is there, adding he thinks it’s the best it’s been.

“The group of kids we have now, we just know how to have fun and we have fun doing it but we also get the job done,” he said.

During the week, the team will focus on a task, learn that task and then implement the fun, he explained.

“That’s the most important part of it. You can win all these games but the most important part of is having fun and having that team,” Blaser said. “You’ll remember that team forever.”

After high school, Blaser said he hopes to continue playing in college. He has a few top schools, but has made no decision on where he will attend college.

— Monica Garcia

# Scotus Super Senior // Trenton Cielocha

As Trenton Cielocha puts it, he’s been playing football all his life.

The senior quarterback for Scotus grew up in Columbus, and has been playing football since third grade.

His first year of pee wee league, his dad was his coach and all his friends were on the team. Cielocha recalls it being fun, and this is where is found his spot on the field — quarterback.

“I’ve always liked it,” he said.

In his first season starting at quarterback, Cielocha threw for 1,346 yards and 13 touchdowns. He also rushed for 223 yards and three touchdowns. Defensively, he tackled the opponent 33 times and intercepted three passes. He also kicked a perfect 32 for 32 on PATs.

In the position of quarterback, Cielocha said he likes being in charge and leading the team. Although he’s quiet, he leads by example. He explains that he does his own thing, plays hard and hopes that others watch what he does and follow suit.

This season there are a lot of young players, Cielocha said. They are hoping that those athletes step up. Cielocha added it is fun to see what they will be bringing to the team.



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Trenton Cielocha

“We still have a good shot at what we want to achieve this season,” he said.

During the summer, the team met up once or twice a week. The team spends a lot of time together,

he added, creating a bond between players.

“We have really good team and

a strong connection so I think we will be good. Everyone trusts each other,” he said.

Being able to trust your teammates is key, he added, especially when things are not going your way. You depend on the guy next to you to do his job, and you can get things done, he added.

The goal this season, like others before, is to improve on the season before. Take it one week at a time, Cielocha said.

For his last season, Cielocha would like to break a record at the Scotus and have his name added to the records wall. His relative currently holds the record for passing yards. He came close last year, and is hoping to capture it his last year with Scotus.

This season, Cielocha is hoping to be injury free — for himself and his teammates. Last year, he hurt his ankle, missing three weeks, but now he is doing well.

Along with football, Cielocha plays soccer.

After high school, Cielocha plans to attend University of Nebraska-Lincoln to study business. Although he enjoys playing sports, he is uncertain about playing in college because of the time commitment.

— Monica Garcia

COLUMBUS HIGH FOOTBALL

**Team Mascot:** Discoverers

**Team Colors:** Maroon/White

**Head Coach:** Craig Williams

**Assistant Coaches:** Mark Brown, Jose Leon, Juan Leon, Justin Bailey, Josh Loontjer, Mick Bubak, John Reidmiller, Jay Zwingman, Brandon Jansen, Dave Slusarski, Bret Novak and Nate Erb.

**Last Year’s Record:** 7-2

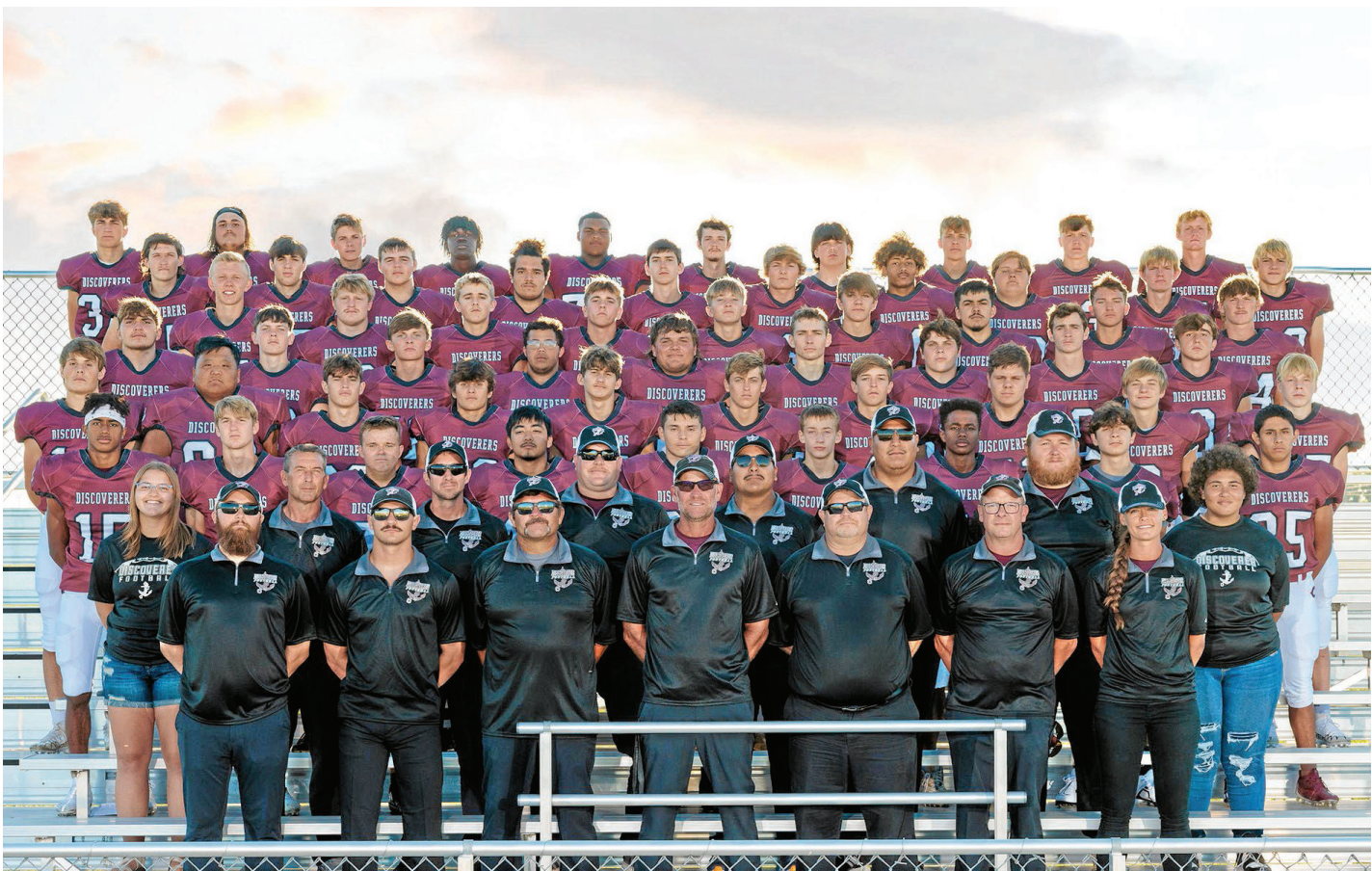
**Last Season’s Postseason Result:** Lost to North Platte in first round of state playoffs.

**Coach Expectations for This Season:** This team is going to be growing as the year progresses. The offensive line is going to be ahead of the rest of the team as we head into camp. We expect to get better each week and be in a position to play meaningful games in early November.

**Key Matchups This Season:** Fremont and Norfolk. Two rivalry games to kick off the year. Each week is going to be intense, and we must be ready to play high level football right away.

**Team Strengths:** Offensive line and running back. We return four of five starters and an all-state-caliber running back. We also should be solid at the corner position with both returning starters and depth at that position. Speed at skill positions is also going to be a positive.

**Team Weaknesses:** Experience at skill positions is a concern as we replace all four wide receivers from last year’s team. We are also going to be smaller at those skill positions than we were a year ago. Kids will have to play bigger than their physical frame.



GOC’S CREATIVE IMAGES

Pictured left to right. **Front row:** Brandon Jansen, Bret Novak, Mick Bubak, Craig Williams, Jay Zwingman, Rob Marshall, Brooke Hughes. **Second row:** Sydnee Medinger, Dave Slusarski, Justin Bailey, Josh Loontjer, Juan Leon, John Riedmiller, Selby Connelly. **Third row:** Adoriyan Daniels, Eric Slusarski, Zach Muhsman, Juan Beltran, Nehemiah Linden, Luke Messersmith, Izzie Daniels, Ethan Rodriguez, Anthony Montero. **Fourth row:** Bentley Willison, Adam Cruise, Caydn Kucera, Keiton Watchorn, Aidyn Blaser, Eli Kruse, Kaden Brownlow, Collin Henderson, Kendon Zakrzewski, Devon Moore. **Fifth row:** Carter Fedde, Jaxon Anderson, Quenton Gustafson, Jaden Williams, Bryson Huey, Nic Kriech, John Bloomquist, Tyler Hyde, Dylan Crumley. **Sixth row:** Caden Kapels, Liam Blaser, Will Wickham, Keaton Barnes, Connor Kallweit, Logan Salak, Gavin Rocha, Darren Pelowski, Trey Stempek. **Seventh row:** Austin Reeder, Keaton Rahtz, Cooper Buxton, Erick Marxsen, Tanner Esch, Kael Forney, Zaiden Gulley, A.J. Sindelar, Grant Ramaekers, Brightyn Micek. **Back row:** Cody Cuba, Joel Thomas, Tyler Zwingman, Isaiah Kibalya, Santos Gonzalez, Wyatt Spragg, Conner Criswell, Brody Raman, Isaiah Westfall, Braylon VanCura.

**Returning Letter Winners:** 26

**District:** A-1

**State Favorite:** Bellevue West

**Top Newcomers:** Cooper Buxton, Luke Messersmith and Nehemiah Linden.

**District Favorite:** Millard South

COLUMBUS HIGH VOLLEYBALL



GOC’S CREATIVE IMAGES

Pictured left to right. **Front row:** Jess Larson, Kamryn Jaeger, Taylor Loontjer, Lauryn Nitz, Anisten Barnett. **Middle row:** Allery Selwyn, Olivia Thege, Addi Johnson, Carly Gaedeke. **Back row:** Jeri Otten, Taytum Miller, Grayson Gentile, Ayla Janssen, Ellie Thompson.

**Team Mascot:** Discoverers

**Team Colors:** Maroon/White

**Head Coach:** Jeri Otten

**Assistant Coaches:** Joe Held, Sam Wolff and Deb Augustine.

**Last Year’s Record:** 14-18

**Last Season’s Postseason Result:** Lost to Lincoln Pius X in district tournament.

**Coach’s Expectations for This Season:** The personality of this year’s squad will be led by a group of focused seniors who want to compete and have a great season. I wouldn’t say we have certain expectations in terms of wins/losses at this point without having formal practice yet. However, our seniors will definitely set that tone once we get in the gym together.

**Key Matchups This Season:** Every match is a key matchup for us. We can’t take any match for granted and nothing will be handed to us. We will have a lot of youth, and cannot afford to take any plays off.

**Team Strengths:** Lots of energy and seniors who will walk the walk and lead by example for our younger players.

**Team Weaknesses:** We will be young in terms of varsity experience with only two returning starters.

**Returning Letterwinners:** Ellie Thompson, Addison Johnson, Jessica Larson, Lauryn Nitz, Carly Gaedeke and Ayla Janssen.

**Top Newcomers:** We have a few kids vying for positions on the court with only two hitters that were starters for us last year. It is too soon to tell who those contributors will be, but we will have some awesome competition as we begin fall practices.

COLUMBUS HIGH SOFTBALL



GOC’S CREATIVE IMAGES

Pictured left to right. **Front row:** Jenna Taylor, Lindsay Ohnoutka, Kelyn Garrelts, Jada Grape, Hannah Dahlke. **Middle row:** Jordyn Trotta, Jaylynn Sylvester, Callen Heule, Emma Riedmiller. **Back row:** Kyra Bowen, Jaylyn Spencer, Lexus Hill, Ashton Thoms, Danica Taylor.

**Team Mascot:** Discoverers

**Team Colors:** Maroon/White

**Head Coach:** Kelsey Plance

**Assistant Coaches:** Kortney Riedmiller, Connor Blumanthal, Tiffany Hunt, Robin Curry

**Last Year’s Record:** 19-22

**Last Season’s Postseason Result:** Went 2-2 in district tournament.

**Coach’s Expectations This Season:** This will be a rebuilding year as we lost a majority of our starters last year. We have a few returning players that contributed last year that we will be looking for leadership from this year. We are moving girls around to find the right niche. The girls have bought in thus far and have a great team chemistry. They are committed and willing to learn. I know that we will compete each game.

**Key Matchups This Season:** Kearney, Norfolk, Fremont.

**Team Strengths:** We are gritty. We continue to grow as a team each day we come together. We are focusing on things that we can control and the simple game.

**Team Weaknesses:** We only have six returning varsity players from last year. I don’t see it as a weakness though. I see it as an opportunity for us to build players in different positions. It will take a few games to find the right combo, but the girls are willing play in different roles than they previously had. Besides returning senior pitcher Emma Riedmiller, we have four other pitchers who have no varsity experience. We are a young pitching staff.

**Returning Letterwinners:** Kelyn Garrelts, Emma Riedmiller, Jenna Taylor, Danica Taylor, Jordyn Trotta, Hannah Dahlke.

**Top Newcomers:** Lindsay Ohnoutka, Kyra Bowen, Callen Heule, Lexus Hill, Jaylynn Sylvester.

**State Favorite:** Papillion-La Vista South



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COLUMBUS HIGH BOYS TENNIS



GOC'S CREATIVE IMAGES

Pictured left to right. **Front row:** Callen Jedlicka, Brody Splittgerber, Moises Baro, Jake Demuth. **Middle row:** Jacob Rother, Carter Trebac, Sam Meyer, Carter Goc, Alan Estrada-Morales. **Back row:** Blake Wemhoff, Bohden Jedlicka, Scott Bethune, Darren Betz, Alex Zoucha, Hudson Kloke.

**Team Mascot:** Discoverers

**Team Colors:** Maroon/White

**Head Coach:** Scott Bethune

**Assistant Coaches:** Darren Betz

**Last Season's Postseason Result:** Ted Fehringer lost in first round in Class A #1 singles;

Frank Fehringer lost in first round in Class A #2 singles; Bohden Jedlicka/Blake Wemhoff lost in first round in Class A #1 doubles; and Carter Goc/Alex Zoucha lost in first round in Class A #2 doubles.

**Coach's Expectations for This Season:** Last season, we saw a lot of new players on the varsity team — so experience was very limited. This season, the expectation is to im-

prove on every one of last season's performances, now having that year of experience. Also, we expect to continue Columbus' state appearance streak alive. Columbus has been to the state tennis tournament 59 years in a row so we expect to make that 60 this season.

**Team Strengths:** Returning experience.

**Team Weaknesses:** Depth.

**Returning Letterwinners:** Bohden Jedlicka, Carter Goc and Blake Wemhoff.

**Top Newcomers:** Alan Estrada and Carter Trebac are returning from last season as junior varsity players and will make a push for varsity positions.

**State Favorite:** Lincoln East

COLUMBUS HIGH CROSS COUNTRY



GOC'S CREATIVE IMAGES

Pictured left to right. **Front row:** Hannah Kropatsch, Emma Dunn, Valeria Chacon-Arellano, Aurora Bolton, Melissa Gomez, Citalaly Rameriz-Portillo. **Second row:** Liberty Larsen, Samantha Hoskovec, Gracie Wilcox, Erick Alarcon, Kevin Gomez, Josie Larsen, Greg Davidchik. **Third row:** Stacy Smith, Alex Ienn, Hailey Kropatsch, Elena Moseman, Daniel Rodriguez, Jed Johnson, Heath Dahlke, Chris Sander. **Fourth row:** Jalen Burgeson, Abby Pelc, Noah Lawrence, Hannah Moser, Jarett Peabody, Elijah Moser, Klarissa Channer. **Back row:** Evan Curtis-Marzano, Cooper Duranski, Noah Edwards, Jacob Young, Matt Kinnison, Miguel Padilla, Conner Braun, Jac Dreifurst.

**Team Mascot:** Discoverers

**Team Colors:** Maroon/White

**Head Coach:** Stacy Smith

**Assistant Coaches:** Chris Sander, Abby Pelc, Klarissa Channer and Jalen Burgeson.

**Last Season's Postseason Result:** Noah Lawrence — 18th at state meet.

**Coach's Expectations This Season:** I feel like we have had a great summer. We will have some very competitive individuals on both the boys and girls sides, but will struggle a little with depth at the Class A level.

**Team Strengths:** Leadership and work ethic.

**Team Weaknesses:** Depth.

**Returning Letterwinners:** Boys: Noah Lawrence, Alex Ienn, Heath Dahlke, Cooper Duranski and Erick Alacon. Girls: Liberty Larsen, Hannah Kropatsch and Hailey Kropatsch.

**Top Newcomers:** Boys: Noah Edwards, Kevin Gomez and Jacob Young. Girls: Citlaly Ramirez, Josie Larsen and Emma Dunn.

**State Favorite:** Boys: Millard West and Lincoln Southwest. Girls: Lincoln East.

COLUMBUS HIGH GIRLS GOLF



GOC'S CREATIVE IMAGES

Pictured left to right. **Front row:** Cambell Tessendorf, Jersey Odgaard, Reagan Frerichs, Anna Massman, Elly Roelle-Scheel. **Second row:** Elizabeth Mowrey, Molly Goc, Dez Dugan-Johnson, Sarah Lasso. **Third row:** Ella Mae Shevlin, Ava Kush, Emma O'Kane. **Back row:** Anne Robertson and Jackie Eickhoff.

**Team Mascot:** Discoverers

**Team Colors:** Maroon/White

**Head Coach:** Anne Robertson

**Assistant Coaches:** Jackie Eickhoff

**Last Season's Postseason Result:** Team placed 12th at state. Sarah Lasso tied for sixth, Jacey Hughes placed 48th, Maggie Hansen placed 57th and Kaidence Spiegel placed 72nd.

**Coach Expectations This Season:** Excited to watch senior Sarah Lasso's season unfold. She has been committed to practice and playing since the spring and had a very busy summer competing in junior and women's golf events. She was the NJG Summit Series winner. Sarah finished last year with a sixth-place finish at state and is working to have the opportunity to finish higher.

Begin the season with the majority of players with limited competitive varsity experiences. Only two returning varsity letterwinners, sophomore Jersey Odgaard and Sarah Lasso. Will be looking at all returning players and incoming freshmen to fill three varsity positions to begin the season.

**Team Strengths:** Sarah Lasso. Fantastic teammate and player will provide guidance and leadership to this year's team. Jersey Odgaard had a productive summer practicing and competing in preparation for the high school season. Other returning players are excited about the season and committed to improving their competitive games.

**Team Weaknesses:** Varsity and competitive experiences are lacking. Players who earn a varsity position will need to be ready to compete at the Class A level.

**Returning Letterwinners:** Sarah Lasso and Jersey Odgaard.

**Top Newcomers:** Anna Massman, Elly Scheel, Reagan Frerichs, Elizabeth Mowrey, Ella Mae Shevlin, Cambell Tessendorf and Molly Goc.

**District:** Columbus will host the district tournament at Elks Country Club on Oct. 3.



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LAKEVIEW FOOTBALL

**Team Mascot:** Vikings

**Team Colors:** Blue/White/Silver

**Head Coach:** Kurt Frenzen

**Assistant Coaches:** Jeff Bargen, Patrick Clark, T.J. Nielsen, Jimmy Biggs, Aaron Rudloff, Matt Cross, Zach Lesiak and Anthony De-Anda.

**Last Year’s Record:** 7-2

**Last Season’s Postseason Result:** Defeated Pierce in Class C-1 state championship game.

**Coach’s Expectations for This Season:** Lakeview graduated over 80% its offense. Landon Ternus returns at fullback. Owen Bargen will lead a long list of candidates at running back. Brenden Sloup replaces Kolby Blaser at quarterback. Braxton Borer, Turner Halvorsen and Max Fremarek are the leading returning pass catchers. The O-line was hit hard by graduation, but Ashton Stubbett returns.

On defense, Lakeview graduated arguably the best defensive line in the history of the program. Lakeview will look to Humberto Adame, Isaac Stromberg, Niels Schmidt and Blake Anderson on the D-line. Ternus returns at outside linebacker with Brenden Sloup, Kurt Schneider and Yordi Dominguez playing a great deal as backups last season. Braxton Borer returns in the secondary.

**Returning Letterwinners:** Turner Halvorsen, Brenden Sloup, Max Fremarek, Braxton Borer, Owen Bargen, Landon



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Pictured left to right. **Front row:** Turner Halvorsen, Brenden Sloup, Max Fremarek, Braxton Borer, Owen Bargen, Landon Ternus, Niels Schmidt, Ashton Stubbett, Brayden Landkammer and Evan Line. **Second row:** Andrew Bargen, Yordi Dominguez, Will Hrouda, Nyckili Reynoldson, Derek Line, Miguel Cullum, Kurt Schneider, Juan Rodriguez, Henry Renner, Blake Anderson, Isaac Stromberg and Khyler Osten. **Third row:** Kade Goedeken, Taylon Traub, Humberto Adame, Jordan Simons, Keygan Novak, Alec Langan, Jacob Dawson, Clayton Thomson, Jakob Tenski, Caleb Stubbett, William Viergutz and Tiger Jarecki. **Fourth row:** Gage Anderson, Sebastian De La Cruz, Dakota Redmond, Bo Mahoney, Caleb Sloup, Jett Borer, Trevor Sloup, Preston Wacker, Will Stuthman, Brock Grube, Evan Ceder and Kase Wemhoff. **Fifth row:** Parker Osten, Kayden Epley, Carter Schmidt, Peyton Halvorsen, Grayson Vogt, Hayden Mousel, Levi Hrouda, Blake Rathbone and Ashton Happ. **Back row:** Mike Sloup, Zach Lesiak, Patrick Clark, Jeff Bargen, Kurt Frenzen, T.J. Nielsen, Jimmy Biggs, Aaron Rudloff, Matt Cross and Anthony DeAnda. **Not Pictured:** Jack Glendy.

Ternus, Niels Schmidt, Ashton Stubbett, Yordi Dominguez, Kurt Schneider, Blake

Anderson, Isaac Stromberg, Humberto Adame and Sebastian De La Cruz.

**District:** C1-3

LAKEVIEW VOLLEYBALL



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Pictured left to right. **Front row:** Tyghanna Ellis, Jenna Schafer, Elly Luchsinger, Ava Tessendorf, Autumn Gibbs, Chevelle Thomson, Tori Osten and Josie Bentz. **Second row:** Camryn Koch, Blake Barcel, Taylor Greisen, Taylor Helms and Kiara Kula. **Third row:** Samia Muhle, Brooklynn Jarecki, Kaylie Blahak, Olivia Behnk, Sadie Robinson, Kenna Reese, Lexi Blaser, Alena Hruska, Piper Liebig, Isabelle Arguello, Payton Stephan and Emily Brandt. **Back row:** Lexie Sander, Laura Bargen, Grace Dawson, Katie rowe, Reagan Hinds, Rallie Boyer, Erinn Briggs, Karlie Pelc, CoryLynn Familo-Trainer, Taryn Molt, Morgan Hiesterman, Bailey Jasper and Taya Hill. **Not Pictured:** Makenna Jaeger.

**Team Mascot:** Lady Vikes

**Team Colors:** Blue/White/Silver

**Head Coach:** K.C. Belitz

**Assistant Coaches:** Billie Wemhoff, Jacob Brand, Mikaela Classen and Kendall Knapp.

**Last Year’s Record:** 30-4

**Last Season’s Postseason Result:** De-feated GICC in Class C-1 state third-place match.

**Coach’s Expectations for This Season:** We are rebuilding in many positions, so we expect to have some early-season growth opportunities. We definitely expect to be competitive in every match, to play hard and to play with passion and to improve as we get to the second half of the season. We want to compete to defend our conference title and be playing our best as we get to the postseason.

**Key Matchups This Season:** Scotus, St. Paul, Norfolk Catholic, North Bend and Kearney Catholic.

**Team Strengths:** Defense and serve. Will be smart on offense. Three returning starters who have worked hard in the offseason and new players with talent who’ve been waiting for their turn.

**Team Weaknesses:** Overall size, learning to limit errors and replacing primary passers.

**Returning Letterwinners:** Josie Bentz, Autumn Gibbs, Elly Luchsinger, Tori Osten, Ava Tessendorf, Chevelle Thomson, Taylor Helms and Kiara Kula.

**Top Newcomers:** Rallie Boyer

**District:** C1-7

**State Favorite:** Kearney Catholic or North Bend

LAKEVIEW GIRLS GOLF



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Pictured left to right: Tatiana Henke, Evie Hatcher, Hannah Kitt, Grace Berkeland, Ali Mueller and Eli Berkeland. **Not Pictured:** Lizzie Hernandez.

**Team Mascot:** Lady Vikes

**Team Colors:** Blue/White/Silver

**Head Coach:** Sandy Harrison

**Coach’s Expectations for This Season:** Hard work from returning letterwinners, dedication and preset goals from the Lady Vikings.

**Team Strengths:** Three senior letterman and great leadership skills. Two sophomores ready to step up and welcoming new freshmen.

**Returning Letterwinners:** Hannah Kitt, Grace Berkeland, Evie Hatcher, Ella Divis and Alli Mueller.

**Top Newcomers:** Elizabeth Hernandez and any incoming freshmen.

**District:** B-3

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LAKEVIEW SOFTBALL



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Pictured left to right. **Front row:** Kiki Maxwell, Haley Frenzen, Molly Frenzen and Caitlyn Steffen. **Middle row:** Jessica Coughtry, Khayl Salinas-Cone, Ayshia DeLancey, Morgan Finecy, Jasmine Waymire, Cora Bartos, Lacy Lemburg and Jane Johnson. **Back row:** Kassidy Soulliere, Rielely Holyoak, Taitum Klug, Hannah Allen, Adyson Groteluschen, Cali Bentz, Moe Colegrove, Quinn Loseke, Adriana Sanchez, Shelby Jarosz and Jasey Reinhart.

**Team Mascot:** Lady Vikes

**Team Colors:** Blue/White/Silver

**Head Coach:** Jasey Reinhart

**Assistant Coaches:** Shelby Jarosz and Kassidy Soulliere.

**Last Year's Record:** 16-10

**Last Season's Postseason Result:** Lost to York in subdistricts.

**Coach's Expectations for This Season:** I am very excited for this season. We are returning six starters including our starting pitcher from last year. We are also gaining some talented players to add to our roster.

**Key Matchups This Season:** Our team goals are to compete against solid conference

opponents. Every game is a chance for us to get better and work towards our team goals.

**Team Strengths:** We have experience on our side plus some strong newcomers that will add power, speed and dependability to our lineup.

**Returning Letterwinners:** Molly Frenzen, Haley Frenzen, Ayshia DeLancey, Hannah Allen, Kiona Maxwell and Morgan Finecy.

**Top Newcomers:** Cali Bentz will add depth on the mound. Moe Colegrove, a transfer from Columbus looks to be solid on both sides of the ball. Lacy Lemburg, a transfer from Twin River, will be a solid player wherever we put her. All new comers will add depth and options to our lineup.

**District:** B-7

LAKEVIEW CROSS COUNTRY



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Pictured left to right. **Front row:** Bella Stromberg, Hannah Ogan, Romy Schatz, Cherish Moore, Elle Badstieber, Elizabeth Miller and Jordyn Loseke. **Back row:** Levi Moore, Kenden Henk, Eli Escen, Jack Burns, Trey Hill and Noah Wyatt. **Not Pictured:** Levi Lutjelusche and Gerber Recinos.

**Team Mascot:** Vikings

**Team Colors:** Blue/White/Silver

**Head Coach:** Dave Licari

**Assistant Coaches:** McKenna Dodd and Amy Eisenmenger.

**Last Season's Postseason Result:** Girls placed 10th and boys placed 12th at districts.

**Coach's Expectations for This Season:** That we will improve throughout the course of the season.

**Team Strengths:** Great attitude and work ethic from all of the runners. Will be able to field a full varsity

team for both boys and girls.

**Team Weaknesses:** Experience at the varsity level.

**Returning Letterwinners:** Cherish Moore, Elizabeth Miler, Jack Burns, Eli Escen and Kenden Henk.

**Top Newcomers:** Noah Wyatt, Hannah Ogan, Romy Schatz, Trey Hill, Levi Lutjelusche, Elle Badstieber, Jordyn Loseke, Bella Stromberg and Levi Moore.

**District:** C-3

**State Favorite:** Girls: Douglas County West, Wayne. Boys: Fort Calhoun, Gothenburg.



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Pictured left to right: **Front row:** Jamison Kush, Mason Roberts, Jack Faust, Cameron Houfek, Izic Pillen, Alex Ferguson, Trenton Cielocha, Eli Jarecke, Tom Melliger and Brennen Jelinek. **Second row:** Brayden Fleming, Jackson Romberg, Evan Casperson, Hunter Brunkhorst and Kobe Micek. **Third row:** Brett Belzer, Mason Gonka, Maclain Bailey, Aiden Meers, Eli Maguire, Jackson Baumert, Kaden Wulf and Ryan Allen. **Fourth row:** Mike Krienke, Myles McGannon, Kaden Backman, Chase Wangler, Rudy Brunkhorst, Thomas Settje, Peter Faltys, Carter Nickeson and Joe Cornwell. **Fifth row:** Grant Zoucha, Spencer Wittwer, Jose Cruz, Madden Saenz, Eduardo Herrera, Cohen Pelan, Spencer Shotkoski and Henry Chard. **Sixth row:** David DeLeon, Connor Wurtz, Jordan Kouma, Frank Fehringer, Evan Kiene, Jackson Heng, Owen Lindhorst and Ben Sueper. **Seventh row:** Austin Long, Landen Neville, Eli Kreikemeier, Jackson Sueper, Owen Kluever, Luke Wemhoff and Henry Ramaekers. **Eighth row:** Evan Steffensmeier, Noah Chohon, Noah Kamrath, Will Sueper, Caleb Cameron, Josh Bixenmann, Alex Evans and Max Wemhoff. **Back row:** Nate Tenopir, Sam Rose, Tyler Linder, Jay Pelan, Tanner Johnson, Roger Krienke, Randy Jakubowski, Ryan Baker and Andrew Sheridan. **Not pictured:** Sam Olmer.

<b>Team Mascot:</b> Shamrocks	Krienke, Chad Gonka, Tanner Johnson, Jim Rawhouser, Randy Jakubowski, Ryan Baker, Sam Rose and Nate Tenopir.	Battle Creek in state quarterfinals.	<b>Key Matchups for This Season:</b> All of our games are key matchups because they all matter en route to the playoffs.
<b>Team Colors:</b> Kelly Green/White		<b>Coach's Expectations for This Season:</b> I expect us to compete at a high level each and every year. We are a talented team, but talented teams get beat if they don't work hard. We expect to outwork our opponents.	<b>Team Strengths:</b> We have great numbers out and have some good depth at the skill positions.
<b>Head Coach:</b> Tyler Linder	<b>Last Year's Record:</b> 8-1		
<b>Assistant Coaches:</b> Jay Pelan, Roger	<b>Last Season's Postseason Result:</b> Lost to		

SCOTUS CENTRAL CATHOLIC CROSS COUNTRY



GOC'S CREATIVE IMAGES

**Above:** Pictured left to right: **Front row:** Emma Brezenski, Lily Dohmen and Jacqueline Stoner. **Back row:** Josie Sliva, Lily Lancaster, Whitney Klug and Addir Schumacher.

**Left:** Pictured left to right: **Front row:** Dylan Riedmiller, Alex Medina, Evan Jelinek and Alex Casperson. **Back row:** Logan Erickson, Jude Maguire, Kamren Kudron, Ian Karges, Noah Kuhl and Gabe Gassen. **Not pictured:** Caleb Schumacher.

<b>Team Mascot:</b> Shamrocks	Sliva placed 64th, Emma Klug placed 65th, Serena Swiatek placed 80th and Ruby Martinez placed 86th at state.	fied for state last year and there are quality newcomers joining the team this year.	atek, Josie Sliva and Emma Klug.
<b>Team Colors:</b> Kelly Green/White		<b>Team Weaknesses:</b> The boys team has limited state meet experience and our girls team lacks depth.	<b>Top Newcomers:</b> Emma Brezenski and Addi Schumacher.
<b>Head Coaches:</b> Betsy Rall and Amy Sokol	<b>Coach's Expectations for This Season:</b> For both the boys and girls teams to qualify for the state cross country meet.	<b>Returning Letterwinners:</b> Boys: Jude Maguire, Kamren Kudron, Logan Erickson, Caleb Schumacher, Alex Medina and Ian Karges. Girls: Whitney Klug, Serena Swi-	<b>District:</b> C-2
<b>Assistant Coaches:</b> Cody Mrozcek			<b>State Favorite:</b> Boys: Fort Calhoun, Lincoln Christian and Gothenburg. Girls: Douglas County West and Arlington.
<b>Last Season's Postseason Result:</b> Girls team placed 14th at state. Whitney Klug placed 28th, Liz Adamy placed 52nd, Josie	<b>Team Strengths:</b> Youth, depth and strong leadership on the boys team. The girls team returns several runners that quali-		

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SCOTUS CENTRAL CATHOLIC VOLLEYBALL



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Pictured left to right. **Front row:** Ashley Hoffman, Libbie Brezenski, Hailey Steffensmeier, Faith Weber, Maysa Kuhl and Francesca Gallino. **Second row:** Kate Hoffman, Ella Hash, Mia Fehringer, Addi Beiermann, Kate Hendricks, Kensey Micek, Isabel Zaruba, Meah Sackett, Alyssa Nelsen, Lexi Riedmiller and Larkyn Mahoney. **Third row:** Makenzy Beiermann, Addison Schoenfelder, Claire Oakley, Brynn Holmolka, Josie Rother, Raya Kluever, Sophia Langan, Annie Weber, Kayla Hoffman, Sofia Karges, Sydney Stuart and Sidney Gonka. **Back row:** Olivia Ehlers, Rylie Jarecki, Ashlee Leffers, Adrianna Kush, Jillian Rusher, Aubree Beiermann, Joanna Rusher, Rylie Tonniges, Lola Doerneman, Mallory Dreesen, Ava Rickert, Haylee Faltys and Neve Pavlik.

**Team Mascot:** Shamrocks

**Team Colors:** Kelly Green/White

**Head Coach:** Janet Tooley

**Assistant Coaches:** Alex Meyer, Jordan Chohon, Zach Svehla and Cassie Anderson.

**Last Year’s Record:** 21-11

**Last Season’s Postseason Result:** Lost to Lakeview in subdistricts.

**Coach’s Expectations for This Season:** Due

to the graduation of six seniors from last year’s team who all either had starting roles or significant specialist roles, this team will need some time to develop. We do return four gals that do have some starting experience and varsity time including seniors Hailey Steffensmeier and Maysa Kuhl, and sophomores Larkyn Mahoney and Mallory Dreesen.

They have been working hard this summer and to be successful, we will have to utilize a lot of players in front or back row only specialty positions. We show a lot of promise, but will need better overall consistency in our play to improve over last

season’s outcome.

**Key Matchups This Season:** Kearney Catholic, Lakeview, Wahoo Neumann, GICC, Wayne, Hartington Cedar Catholic, Norfolk Catholic, Fremont Bergan, Elmwood-Murdock and Malcolm.

**Team Strengths:** Great work ethic, strong serving, excitement to develop a “new” team, team chemistry and love of the game.

**Team Weaknesses:** Getting players in their strongest positions, defensive play, and

consistent play through an entire match with players new to the varsity pace.

**Returning Letterwinners:** Larkyn Mahoney, Ashley Hoffman, Libbie Brezenski, Maysa Kuhl, Mallory Dreesen, Joanna Rusher and Hailey Steffensmeier.

**Top Newcomers:** Meah Sackett, Isabel Zaruba, Faith Weber and Ashlee Leffers.

**District:** C1-7

**State Favorite:** None. I think C-1 is wide open again this season.

SCOTUS CENTRAL CATHOLIC GIRLS GOLF



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Pictured left to right. **Front row:** Kenna Barels, Kaelyn Dierman, Ella Nahorny, Clare Rickert, Cecilia Arndt and Kaitlyn Fleming. **Back row:** Emilia Gassen, Audrey Stoner, Olivia Nelsen, Rebecca Kosch, Kiya Taylor, Quinn VunCannon and Abbi Schumacher.

**Team Mascot:** Shamrocks

**Team Colors:** Kelly Green/White

**Head Coach:** Tanya Niedbalski

**Assistant Coach:** Amy Evans

**Last Season’s Postseason Result:** Team was state runner-up. Cecilia Arndt was the Class C state individual champion. Kaelyn Dierman tied for 20th, Avery Dierman tied for 28th, Alaina Dierman placed 36th and Halle Langan placed 76th.

**Coach’s Expectations for This Season:** We return two varsity starters from last year’s Class C state runner-up championship team, so we do have state experience which is so important. There are 14 girls out for golf with a wide degree of golfing experience, which should benefit the team from the start. I believe we have the ability to have a successful season and hopefully qualify for the state tournament.

**Key Matchups This Season:** We will see the Class B state champs from last season, Elkhorn North, at the Blair Invite, and the

Class C state champs from last season, Broken Bow, at the GICC Invite. These meets will be good tests for us.

**Team Strengths:** Return of our top players, Cecilia Arndt and Kaelyn Dierman. Junior Cecilia Arndt was our No. 1 player last season and has had a busy summer competing both statewide as well as nationally. Five of our players have had some varsity experience.

**Team Weaknesses:** Need to find solid No. 3, 4 and 5 players because that’s where a meet

is won. It’s anyone’s opportunity to step up into the varsity positions. We will have to see what happens in practice.

**Returning Letterwinners:** Kaelyn Dierman, Ella Nahorny, Claire Rickert, Cecilia Arndt, Kenna Barels and Kaitlyn Fleming.

**Top Newcomers:** Quinn VunCannon, Rebecca Kosch, Abby Schumacher, Kiya Taylor, Sophie Parker, Emilia Gassen, Audrey Stone and Olivia Nelson.

**District:** C-2

CLARKSON/LEIGH FOOTBALL

**Team Mascot:** Patriots

**Team Colors:** Red/White/Blue

**Head Coach:** Jim Clarkson

**Assistant Coaches:** Bob McEvoy, Matt Murren, Jeff Bachman, Eric Hays and Jorge Gomez.

**Last Year’s Record:** 5-3

**Last Season’s Postseason Result:** Lost to Cross County in first round of state playoffs.

**Coach’s Expectations for This Season:** We have a lot of new faces, so we are excited to see what we can do. They have been waiting their turn. We feel like we have a solid program and we expect these guys to come out and compete and play with great effort.

**Key Matchups This Season:** We have some new teams that we have not seen much of and a couple we have seen a lot. This year we will play our fourth game in a row against Cross County. They are a really good team and have some nice players. It will be fun playing some new teams like Twin River and Shelby-Rising City.

**Team Strengths:** We should have good depth. We have a large junior class and a solid senior class. This should give us lots of guys to work with.

**Team Weaknesses:** There is some inexperience, especially on the front lines.

**Returning Letterwinners:** Drew Beeson, Kyle Kasik, Jase Indra, Dalton Zulkoski, Jackson Koehn, Mason Whitmore, Dylan Higby and Trey Steffensmier.



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Pictured left to right. **Front row:** Kyle Holmberg, Jackson Koehn, Dalton Zulkoski, Drew Beeson, Kyle Kasik, Mason Whitmore and Jase Indra. **Second row:** Grant Hanel, Kyle McMullin, Conner Jurgensen, Jordan Noonan, Ryan Brichacek, Jacob Koehn, Nathan Bahns and Dylan Higby. **Third row:** Luke Eisenmann, Coal Fernau, Garrett Stodola, Korbin Lemburg, Troy Graybill, Sam Pocasangre and James Grotelueschen. **Fourth row:** Jaden Stoklasa, Joey Steffensmeier, Trey Steffensmeier, Christian Hamernik, Isaac Baumert, Mic Sayers and Levi Gall. **Back row:** Jack Brabec, Wyatt Crosely, Tucker Matthis, Brett Wemhoff, Corey Steffensmeier and Jacob Kroeger. **Not pictured:** Andrew Rivera, Brody Vodehnal and George Waterman.

**Top Newcomers:** Ryan Brichacek, Andrew Rivera, Korbin Lemburg, Joey Steffensmeier, Jordan Noonan, Sam Pocasangre,

Christian Hamernik and Garrett Stodola. **District Favorite:** Cross County

**District:** D1-3 **State Favorite:** North Platte St. Pat’s.

CLARKSON/LEIGH GIRLS GOLF



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**Front row:** Sophia Morfeld, Alisyn Lich, Ashly Guillen and Hazel Mundt. **Middle row:** Hadley Dlouhy, Emilie Hajet, Paige Kurpgeweit and Rowan Stodola. **Back row:** Delaine Erwin, Ella Urban, Shaleigh McAllister, Rosie Guillen, Summer Harney, Lynn Morfeld and Michelle Held.

**Team Mascot:** Patriots

**Team Colors:** Red/White/Blue

**Head Coaches:** Lynn Morfeld and Michelle Held.

**Coach’s Expectations for This Season:** This is the largest girls golf team Clarkson/Leigh has ever had (13). With the majority of the members being new to golf, our goal is to create a fun environment of daily improve-

ment. We will be turning to our veteran golfers to help create an excitement for this lifelong spot.

**Team Strengths:** A willingness to learn.

**Team Weaknesses:** Inexperience.

**Returning Letterwinners:** Ashly Guillen and Hazel Mundt.

**District:** C-2

HIGHWAY 91 SOFTBALL



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Reese Bruhn, Madi Compton, Becca Hastreiter, Reann Bruhn, Nessa Krupka, Cassi Rayback, Sydney Reeves, Matelyn Rayback, Autumn Slaughter and Allie Dirkschneider. Sydney Messerile, Kylee Compton, Sophie Dvorak, Hannah Cech and Amaiya Ross. Eve Martin, Annemarie Slaughter, Locelyn Donnelly, Amy Praest, Ady Krupka and Jordyn Ratzlaff.

**Team Mascot:** Cyclones

**Team Colors:** Purple/Black

**Head Coach:** Jenica Dietrich

**Assistant Coaches:** Tiffany Rayback and Cassandra Greenlee.

**Last Year’s Record:** 21-11

**Last Season’s Postseason Result:** Lost to Kearney Catholic in district final.

**Coach’s Expectations for This Season:** We will need to make the outs give to us and we will be a contender.

**Key Matchups This Season:** Pierce, O’Neill and North Bend.

**Team Strengths:** Flexibility on defense and speed.

**Team Weaknesses:** We are very young with only five upperclassmen this year.

**Returning Letterwinners:** Nessa Krupka, Sophie Dvorak and Cassi Rayback.

**Top Newcomers:** We have five incoming freshmen that have the potential to play some big roles for us: Eva Martin, Annemarie Slaughter, Jocelyn Donnelly, Hannah Cech and Sydney Messerile.

**District:** C-6 **State Favorite:** North Bend

CLARKSON/LEIGH VOLLEYBALL



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Pictured left to right. **Front row:** Liz Hoffman, Kendall Schneider, Nevaeh Zulkoski, Ava Kasik, Karley Wendt and Willow Fernau. **Second row:** Keeley Campbell, Tanyn Larson, Gracie Eisenmann and Kammy Held. **Third row:** Brianne Kuhr, Alyssa Gurnsey and Korbee Wendt. **Back row:** Cadence Indra, Makenna Hake, Baylee Settje, Chloe Hanel, Izzy Hollatz, Brynn Settje and Rylee Balzer.

**Team Mascot:** Patriots

**Team Colors:** Red/White/Blue

**Head Coach:** Becky Schneider

**Assistant Coaches:** Jen Remmereid, Becca Hiatt and Allison Schroeder.

**Last Year’s Record:** 23-7

**Last Season’s Postseason Result:** Lost to Sutton in state quarterfinals.

**Coach’s Expectations for This Season:** We are a young team, but we bring back a lot of experience. We have some underclassmen who are stepping up and want to fill a few positions. We’ve tried a few different options over the course of the summer, trying to see what works and what doesn’t. We love that our girls are all competitors. They love to battle and they all want to win, which is awesome because they’ve

been pushing each other in practice and making each other better. We’re really excited to get the season going and see what these girls are made of.

**Key Matchups This Season:** Oakland-Craig, Wisner-Pilger and Howells-Dodge.

**Team Strengths:** Experience, depth.

**Team Weaknesses:** Defense.

**Returning Letterwinners:** Korbee Wendt, Chloe Hanel, Gracie Eisenmann, Tanyn Larson, Brynn Settje and Izzy Hollatz.

**Top Newcomers:** Alyssa Gurnsey, Cadence Indra, Kammy Held, Baylee Settje, Kendall Schneider and Ava Kasik.

**District:** C2-6 **State Favorite:** Oakland-Craig

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DAVID CITY FOOTBALL



GOC'S CREATIVE IMAGES

**Front row:** Chase Campbell, Daren Vodicka, Mason Lowe, Cameron Hlavac, Jason White, Mason Prothman, Xavier Boss and Jesse Divis. **Second row:** Chris Mead, Brittin Valentine, Cohen Denker, Sam Smith, Jason Escamilla, Jonathan Sosa Palencia and Kolby Price. **Third row:** Dominic Prothman, Ethan Buresh-Marick, Gage Horak, Brayden Osantowski, Barrett Andel, Reese Svoboda, Brayden Johnson and Lukas Sabata. **Fourth row:** Jayden Lueders, Chase Krafka, Caden Denker, Brock Dubbs, Anthony Schrader, Braxten Osantowski and Garrett Small. **Back Row:** Todd Carmichael, Josh Taylor, Robert Evans, Dillon Nerud, Todd Schulze, and Drew Lanman

**Team Mascot:** Scouts

**Team Colors:** Red/Black

**Head Coach:** Robert Evans

**Assistant Coaches:** Dillon Nerud, Todd Carmichael, Drew Lanman

**Last Year's Record:** 1-8

**Coach's Expectations for This Season:**

Leadership will be a must from returning starters Barrett Andel, Caden Denker and Dominic Prothman to transition the program to the next level. With many players seeing varsity time last year will add depth to the team, especially our secondary. We return 11 defensive starters and 10 offensive starters, which many of them are two-way players. The number of players competing this year will build on giving our two-way players a break on special teams.

**Team Strengths:** The biggest strength is going to be our quarterback position with Brock Dubbs and Reese Svoboda competing for the starting position. It will be fun watching these two young men compete for the position.

**Returning Letterwinners:** Barrett Andel, Caden Denker, Dominic Prothman, Chase Campbell, Jason Escamilla, Brayden Johnson, Jayden Lueders, Braxten Osantowski, Jonathan Palencia, Brock Dubbs,

Cameron Hlavac, Lukas Sabata, Reese Svoboda.

**Top Newcomers:** Chris Mead.

**District:** C2-2

**State Favorite:** Norfolk Catholic

DAVID CITY CROSS COUNTRY



GOC'S CREATIVE IMAGES

Pictured from left to right. **Front row:** Gaby Lopez, Ava Neujahr, Keaton Kloke, Trevin Jahde and Brylee Wiedel. **Second row:** Hayden Schmit, Neil Zrust, Standley Allen, Ashley Villalba, Micah Nicolas and Jazmine Palencia. **Third row:** Hannah Gangwish, Caelan Olson, Braxton Small, Tristan Schmit and Angel Carias. **Fourth row:** Jace Rerucha, Joey Scribner, Coach Taylor, Coach Scoville, Neil Olson and Alex Thoendel.

**Team Mascot:** Scouts

**Team Colors:** Red/Black

**Head Coach:** Mika Taylor

**Assistant Coaches:** Trevor Scoville

**Last Season's Postseason Result:** Boys placed 11th at districts.

**Coach's Expectations for This Season:** As a new coach, I am looking forward to getting to know each athlete and watching them work towards their best throughout the season.

I would like to see the athletes improve on their personal bests, either from last year or from meet to meet.

**Team Strengths:** Overall willingness to improve and a desire to be the best runners we can be.

**Returning Letterwinners:** Boys: Stanley Allen, Angel Carias, Neil Olson, Tristan Schmit, Joey Schribner, Braxton Small and Alex Thoendel. Girls: Hannah Gangwish, Ava Neujahr and Ashley Pena.

**District:** C-2

DAVID CITY VOLLEYBALL



GOC'S CREATIVE IMAGES

**Front row:** Kathryn Johnson, Horizyn Horak, Kaydense Hansen, Natalia Thoendel and Sarah Wieseler. **Second row:** Kailey Blum, Chloe Zegers, Brooklyn Palensky, Addison Kuhlman, Kaydance Smith, Laylani Kasik and Yannete Adame. **Third row:** Addison Rands, Keetyn Valentine, Maddie Moravec, Grace Eickmeier, Kambri Andel, Valori Olson, Justine Fountain and Kaitlyn Ewert. **Back row:** Emily Poulas, Ava Daro, Izzy Wagner, Avery Couch, Kamryn Behrns, Cadence Smaus and Hailey Glodowski.

**Team Mascot:** Scouts

**Team Colors:** Red/Black

**Head Coach:** Tali Reeves

**Assistant Coaches:** Tyler Brester and Madie Ronnfeldt

**Last Year's Record:** 15-14

**Last Season's Postseason Result:** Lost to Scotus in subdistricts.

**Coach's Expectations for This Season:** Expectations are always to compete, be a good teammate and trust their training.

**Key Matchups This Season:** Every single

one. We start the season off with some tough games, so I'm anxious to see how we come out.

**Team Strengths:** We have a balanced attack with several options. Defensively, we are scrappy.

**Team Weaknesses:** Many new players and new roles, but they are adjusting really well.

**Returning Letterwinners:** Avery Couch, Keetyn Valentine, Grace Eickmeier, Addison Kuhlman, Hailey Glodowski, Jaiden Ray.

**Top Newcomers:** Kamryn Behrns, Kambri Andel, Addison Rands, Kaydance Smith.

**District:** C1-7

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AQUINAS CATHOLIC FOOTBALL



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**Front row:** Colin Hough, Zander Kavan, Jacob Vandenberg, Krae Lavicky, Luke Sellers, and AJ Oltmer. **Second row:** Dylan Anandel, Josiah Brezina, Luke Reiter, Lydon DeWispelare, Jakob Kavan, Wesley Miller and Tyler Kastl. **Third row:** Garrett White, Brady Junck, Garett Novacek, Jackson Smaus, Kalier Pohl, Kelby Coufal, Marcus Krivanek and Kasen Lavicky. **Fourth row:** Jarin Thege, Kaleb Anandel, Dillon Bohuslavsky, Gus Yindrick, Seth Hlavac, Luke Storm and Kaleb Palik. **Fifth row:** Kurtis Baer, Bryant Stouffer, Calib Svoboda, Noah Polacek, Oliver Antholz, Symon Kastl and Colby Miller. **Not pictured:** Jacksen Jelinek.

<b>Team Mascot:</b> Monarchs	<b>Last Season’s Postseason Result:</b> Lost to Fremont Bergan in state quarterfinals.	challenging. Our small senior class needs to stay healthy while the sophomores and juniors develop in order to play 20-plus kids.	<b>Returning Letterwinners:</b> A.J. Oltmer, Luke Sellers, Krae Lavicky, Calib Svoboda, Jacob Vandenberg, Colin Hough, Zander Kavan, Jakob Kavan, Wesley Miller, Josiah Brezina and Bryant Stouffer.	Pohl, Brady Junck and Garrett White.
<b>Team Colors:</b> Black/White/Gold	<b>Coach’s Expectations for This Season:</b> We can be a decent team if we avoid injuries and develop the line. If we can develop a great attitude and work habits, we could slip into the playoffs. Our schedule is very	<b>Team Strengths:</b> Our initial strength is unknown. We hope to have a good running attack with a solid backfield and a quarterback running with an ability to throw.		<b>District:</b> C2-2
<b>Head Coach:</b> Ron Mimick				<b>District Favorite:</b> Wahoo Neumann
<b>Assistant Coaches:</b> Tony Smith, Ken Pelan, Roy Emory, Eric DeWispelare, Jessie Truksa			<b>Top Newcomers:</b> Kaleb Palik, Luke Reiter, Tyler Kastl, Dylan Anandel, Kurtis Baer, Kelby Coufal, Kailer	<b>State Favorite:</b> Norfolk Catholic
<b>Last Year’s Record:</b> 7-2				

AQUINAS CATHOLIC VOLLEYBALL



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Pictured from left to right. **Front row:** Natalie Kovar, Ava Hilger, Toni Wachal, Delayne Adamy, Mara Yindrick and Alli Jelinek. **Second row:** Natalie DeWispelare, Emma Prochaska, Molly Ruiz, Allie Prochaska, Sarah Schmid, Bella Fontenot, Miranda Novacek and manager Brookelynn Banholzer. **Third row:** Jozylinn Welden, Sydni Svoboda, Marissa Miratsky, Avery Oltmer, Tylee Truksa, Rebecca Anandel and Skye Vandenberg. **Fourth row:** Keltie Hein, Flora Dalton, Clarice Anandel and Becca Podolak.

<b>Team Mascot:</b> Monarchs	<b>Last Year’s Record:</b> 11-21	provements each game as we learn to play together. Replacing four senior starters from last season.	seniors who provide great leadership.	Toni Wachal and Allisen Jelinek.
<b>Team Colors:</b> Black/White/Gold	<b>Last Season’s Postseason Result:</b> Lost to Nebraska Christian in sub-districts.	<b>Key Matchups This Season:</b> GACC, HLHF and Centennial.	<b>Team Weaknesses:</b> Inexperience in key positions.	<b>Top Newcomers:</b> Rebecca Anandel and Avery Oltmer.
<b>Head Coach:</b> Jim Kozisek	<b>Coach’s Expectations for This Season:</b> To make consistent im-	<b>Team Strengths:</b> A core group of	<b>Returning Letterwinners:</b> Natalie Kovar, Ava Hilger, Mara Yindrick,	<b>District:</b> C2-7
<b>Assistant Coaches:</b> Will Reiter and Kate Nienhueser.				<b>State Favorite:</b> Lincoln Lutheran

AQUINAS CATHOLIC CROSS COUNTRY



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**Front row:** Lydia Meysenburg, Miriam Frasher, Jocelyn Stara, Gianna Frasher and Alexa Matulka. **Back row:** Finley Zook, Matthew Storm, Isaiah Coufal, Timothy Duke and Lauren Meister.

**Team Mascot:** Monarchs

**Team Colors:** Black/White/Gold

**Head Coach:** John Svec

**Last Season's Postseason Result:** Girls team placed sixth at state. Gianna Frasher placed seventh, Miriam Frasher placed eighth and Jocelyn Stara placed 52nd. Xavier Fiala placed 72nd at state.

**Coach's Expectations for This Season:** Boys: The boys are showing some maturity and positive attitudes toward improvement. Girls: Two state medalists in the Frasher sisters.

**Team Weaknesses:** Boys: Still no seniors on a young squad. Girls: The illusive fourth runner for the season and the third runner for districts and state are going to be key.

**Returning Letterwinners:** Boys: Timothy Duke and Isaiah Coufal. Girls: Jocelyn Stara, Gianna Frasher and Miriam Frasher.

**Top Newcomers:** Alexa Matulka and Lydia Meysenburg.

**State Favorite:** Boys: North Platte St. Pat's. Girls: Crofton.

AQUINAS CATHOLIC SOFTBALL



Pictured from left to right. **Front row:** Claire Wisnieski, Veronica Reimers, Lacie Hartman and Mackenzie Kobza. **Middle row:** Brooklyn Stutzman, Karmen Karpisek, Bianca Romshek, Jordyn Bohuslavsky, Lizzie Roh and Sydney Hartman. **Back row:** Lilly Collins, Grace Masek, Ainsley Wollmer, Kenadi Hotovy, Madison Vandenberg, Kaitlyn Schneider and Danica Bohuslavsky.

**Team Mascot:** Monarchs

**Team Colors:** Black/White/Gold

**Head Coach:** Paul Gahan

**Assistant Coaches:** Maggie Gahan and Angie Vandenberg.

**Last Year's Record:** 15-15

**Last Season's Postseason Result:** Lost to Yutan/Mead in district final.

**Coach's Expectations for This Season:** We have a talented group of experienced players as well as a good group of incoming freshmen. I expect our players to compete hard and work together as a cohesive team. I am cautiously optimistic and excited for the upcoming softball season.

**Key Matchups This Season:** Wahoo Neumann, West Point GACC, Twin River and many others.

**Team Strengths:** Experience, leadership and depth.

**Team Weaknesses:** Almost half of the players are new to the team.

**Returning Letterwinners:** Claire Wisnieski, Veronica Reimers, Mackenzie Kobza, Lacie Hartman, Jordyn Bohuslavsky, Bianca Romshek, Karmen Karpisek, Brooklyn Stutzman, Lizzie Roh and Sydney Hartman.

**Top Newcomers:** Danica Bohuslavsky, Madison Vandenberg and Ainsley Wollmer.

**District:** C-5

**State Favorite:** Wahoo Neumann

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EAST BUTLER FOOTBALL



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Pictured from left to right. **Front row:** Kale Glasshoff, Michael Marsh, Reid Glasshoff, Blaine Orta, Ryan Sullivan, Tye Clark and Vincent Hageman. **Middle row:** Trenton VanVeldhuizen, Clayton Becker, Allen Wachal, Kendol Benes, Jacob Pekarek, Austin Biltoft, Jace Klabenes and Elliot Bouc. **Back row:** Zane Miller, Logan Buresh, Cooper Englebrecht, Drew Wachal, Dylan Klement, Rocco Hageman and Michael Kunasek.

<b>Team Mascot:</b> Tigers	<b>Coach’s Expectations for This Season:</b> On the field, I want to see us end our 17-game losing streak and take better care of the football. Off the field, I want our players to buy into the high standards that will be expected of them every day. This includes how they conduct themselves off the field.	<b>Key Matchups This Season:</b> We are taking it one game at a time. Our key matchup will be whoever we’re playing next. Right now, that’s Nebraska Lutheran on Aug. 26.	promise during summer camps.	Tye Clark and Josh Christian.
<b>Team Colors:</b> Maroon/Gold/White			<b>Team Weaknesses:</b> Inexperienced, small roster. Trying to get over the mental hurdle of a losing streak.	<b>Top Newcomers:</b> Dylan Klement and Rocco Hageman.
<b>Head Coach:</b> Gabe Gauthier				<b>District:</b> D2-2
<b>Assistant Coaches:</b> Doug Glasshoff and Matt Smaus.		<b>Team Strengths:</b> Strong leadership and a fairly experienced line. Our defense showed a lot of	<b>Returning Letterwinners:</b> Reid Glasshoff, Vinny Hageman, Blaine Orta, Ryan Sullivan, Logan Buresh,	<b>District Favorite:</b> Howells-Dodge
<b>Last Year’s Record:</b> 0-8				<b>State Favorite:</b> Howells-Dodge

EAST BUTLER VOLLEYBALL

**Team Mascot:** Tigers

**Team Colors:** Maroon/Gold/White

**Head Coach:** Brian Hermelbracht

**Assistant Coaches:** Kathy Strizek

**Last Year’s Record:** 10-21

**Last Season’s Postseason Result:** Lost to Nebraska Christian in subdistricts.

**Coach’s Expectations for This Season:** We are bringing back five starters with a lot of experience. I believe we have a team that is going to work hard and continue to get better as the season progresses. I truly believe that we can finish toward the top of our conference and turn some heads in the process. We will be much improved from last year. We have a team with great leadership and understands what it takes to win big games.

**Key Matchups This Season:** David City, Osceola, BDS and Exeter-Milligan.

**Team Strengths:** Eight seniors and five returning starters.

**Team Weaknesses:** We don’t have that one dominant player, so we are definitely going to have to play as a team and spread the ball around.

**Returning Letterwinners:** Sydney



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Pictured left to right. **Front row:** Katie Pflum, Haley Klement, Carynn Bongers, Kate Rathjen, Katie Haney, Lindsey Prochaska, Kaleen Zak and Ariell Niemann. **Second row:** Hannah Strizek, Sydney Pernicek, Katie Heise, Madison DeWitt and Madalynn Marsh. **Third row:** Nevaeh Schulte, Leah Bongers, Morgan Havlovic and Lexi Forney. **Back row:** Lillian Kriz, Zoey Patocka and Brittney Buresh.

Pernicek, Madison DeWitt, Lindsey Prochaska, Haley Klement, Katie Haney, Carynn Bongers and	Kate Rathjen.	Morgan Havlovic and Hannah Strizek.	<b>District:</b> D1-2
	<b>Top Newcomers:</b> Leah Bongers,		

EAST BUTLER CROSS COUNTRY

**Team Mascot:** Tigers

**Team Colors:** Maroon/Gold/White

**Head Coach:** Dale Nielsen

**Assistant Coach:** Megan Kozisek

**Last Season’s Postseason Result:** Reese Kozisek placed 64th at state.

**Coach’s Expectations for This Season:** There are some new faces that should contribute this year and some depth on the girls team will be a strength. Alex Pierce will be the leader of a young group of boys. Carson (Borgman) and Reese (Kocian) look to be strong runners and Dakota (Schneider) and Justin (Bongers) should contribute to the boys varsity. I look for them to be improved.

Our girls team should be competitive in most of the meets and hopefully contend for a spot at state. Reese (Kozisek) reported in good shape and Haley (Sebranek), Malorie (Spatz), Mackennah (Spatz) and Nevayla (Hilton) all ran well last fall and in



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Pictured left to right. **Front row:** Reece Kocian, Alex Pierce, Saige Patocka, Hilary Kabourek, Haley Sebranek, Carson Borgman and Lane Bohac. **Second row:** Dustin Jelinek, Rylie Biltoft, Meagan Janak, Lauren Sousek and Reese Kozisek. **Third row:** Kourtney Tejral, Nevayla Hilton, Malorie Spatz, Mackennah Spatz, Justin Bongers and Dakota Schneider. **Fourth row:** Henry Weverka, Keigan Kocian, Anthony Sesemann, Jason Bongers and Vincent Vandenberg. **Back row:** Chance Rohda, Marnita Spatz and Kate Janak. **Not pictured:** Nathaniel Eldridge.

track this spring. They all have some varsity experience from the past season and some high	hopes this fall.	Alex Pierce, Carson Borgman, Dakota Schneider and Justin Bongers. Girls: Haley Sebranek,	Reese Kozisek, Malorie Spatz, Mackennah Spatz and Nevayla Hilton.
<b>Returning Letterwinners:</b> Boys:			

HUMPHREY/LINDSAY HOLY FAMILY FOOTBALL



PATRICK MURPHY, HUMPHREY DEMOCRAT

Pictured left to right. **Front row:** Elijah Baer, Caleb Dohmen, Seth Wiese, Jacob Preister, Sage Frauendorfer, Randal Gronenthal and Tyson Herchenbach. **Second row:** Lawson Gronenthal, Noah Stone, Zach Petersen, Gavin Sims, Garrett Durkop and Aiden Backes. **Third row:** Nick Stock, Cole Preister, Camron Reichmuth, Caden Brandl, Seth Preister and Miciah Mohrman. **Back row:** Cooper Herchenbach, Gavin Groteluschen, Tyler Reichmuth, Chance Lindhorst and Blake Ransom.

**Team Mascot:** Bulldogs

**Team Colors:** Red/White

**Head Coach:** Bill Mimick

**Assistant Coaches:** James Droescher

**Last Year’s Record:** 5-3

**Last Season’s Postseason Result:** Lost to Burwell in second round of state playoffs.

**Coach’s Expectations for This Season:** We lost eight seniors who played a lot of last year. We do return some good players to build around. Athletes are excited for this year. They will be in new roles. Leadership from juniors and seniors will be important to the team. Schedule will

be competitive with four teams in the state playoffs last year. We will need to develop depth

**Key Matchups This Season:** With six of the final eight D-1 playoff teams dropping to D-2. D-2 will be a strong class. Each year brings new challenges and we will work to see what kind of personality and character our team will develop into.

**Returning Letterwinners:** Tyson Herchenbach, Seth Wiese, Randal Gronenthal, Sage Frauendorfer, Caleb Dohmen, Easton Baumgart and Cole Preister.

**Top Newcomers:** Jacob Preister, Gavin Sims, Zach Peterson, Garrett Durkop, Owen Kurtenbach, Nick Stock and Camron Reichmuth.

**District:** D2-2

HUMPHREY/LINDSAY HOLY FAMILY CROSS COUNTRY

**Team Mascot:** Bulldogs

**Team Colors:** Red/White

**Head Coach:** Brett Adkins

**Last Season’s Postseason Result:** Christian Brandl placed 103rd at state.

**Coach’s Expectations for This Season:** Our team is really young with five out of the seven being freshmen, but Christina Brandl and Xavier Kuehler provide us with some great leadership and a lot of experience. Christina has qualified for the state cross country meet the last two seasons and Xavier has been on the team since seventh grade and has improved a lot from his freshman year. I’m also really excited about the group of five freshmen. They have jumped right in and worked really hard this summer and I’m excited for their seasons to get going and to see the improvement they make by the team we get to the end of the season. Overall, the team is a really great group and had a very good summer of training and I’m excited for the season to start.

**Team Strengths:** Leadership from two upperclassmen.

**Team Weaknesses:** Young team. Five out of seven are freshmen.



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Pictured left to right. **Front row:** Garrett Behle, Reagan Graham, Christina Brandl and Clayton Brandl. **Back row:** Colter Schneider, Xavier Kuehler, Braden Johnson, Cejay Dahlberg and Landon Taylor-Parker.

**Returning Letterwinners:** Christina Brandl and Xavier Kuehler.

**Top Newcomers:** Reagan Graham, Landon Taylor-Parker, Cejay Dahlberg, Braden Johnson and Colter Schneider.

**State Favorite:** Boys: Norfolk Catholic. Girls: Crofton.

HUMPHREY/LINDSAY HOLY FAMILY VOLLEYBALL

**Team Mascot:** Bulldogs

**Team Colors:** Red/White

**Head Coach:** Cami Oelsligle

**Assistant Coaches:** Alyssa Rood and Jenny Korth.

**Last Year’s Record:** 20-10

**Last Season’s Postseason Result:** Lost to Howells-Dodge in sub-districts.

**Coach’s Expectations for This Season:** We replace a large and strong senior class from last year and add to it an injury from a six-rotation player. We will have a lot of contributors, but my expectations are still high. We have the talent to be a solid team and compete well in one of the toughest conferences in the state. I’m excited to see the growth throughout the year and anticipate a much different team at the end than at the beginning.

**Key Matchups This Season:** Clarkson/Leigh, Oakland-Craig, Wisner-Pilger, truthfully any EHC school.

**Team Strengths:** Returning setter and defensive players, work ethic and athleticism.

**Team Weaknesses:** Experience, confidence.



PATRICK MURPHY, HUMPHREY DEMOCRAT

Pictured left to right. **Front row:** Kalli Brooks, Jenaya Wemhoff, Alisha Dahlberg, Mackenzie Petersen, Anna Bialas and Mollie Groteluschen. **Second row:** Morgan Hake, Alivia Schemek, Ellee Hanzel, Addison Greene, Ali Brandl, Schuyler Heesacker, Savanna Bernt, Ashley Pfeifer, Madi Hake and Abilyn Schneider. **Third row:** Cassie Pfeifer, Kortney Dougherty, Isabella Behle, Chloe Korth, Rachel Martensen, Alexis Groteluschen, Faith Korth and Averi Gronenthal. **Back row:** Katie Hogancamp, Lola Eisenmann, Braelyn Hemmer, Savanna Koss, Kiley Heinen, Camille Keller and Lillie Bell. **Not pictured:** Barbie Korth and Claire Korth.

**Returning Letterwinners:** Abi Schneider, Mollie Groteluschen, Addison Greene, Ashley Pfeifer and Alisha Dahlberg.

**Top Newcomers:** Alexis Groteluschen, Barbie Korth, Faith Korth and Morgan Hake.

**District:** C2-6

**State Favorite:** Lincoln Lutheran

HUMPHREY SAINT FRANCIS FOOTBALL



PATRICK MURPHY, HUMPHREY DEMOCRAT

Pictured left to right. **Front row:** Andrew Stricklin, Tate Wietfeld, Carson Wegener, Tanner Classen, Tyson Wietfeld, Matthew Brockhaus, Cade Wietfeld, Trevor Czarnick. **Middle row:** Tucker Czarnick, Gage Braun, Carson Wessel, Eli Weidner, Mason Geilenkirchen, Devon Baumgart, Chase Freudenburg, Ethan Wieseler. **Back row:** Eric Kessler, Noah Wieseler, Caleb Killham, Isaac Classen, Cael Classen, Kegan Hackerott, Jaden Kosch, Tyrel Wegener, Emerson Krings, Andrew Kosch, Dave Stricklin. **Not Pictured:** Nathan Preister.

**Team Mascot:** Flyers

**Team Colors:** Royal Blue/White

**Head Coach:** Eric Kessler

**Assistant Coaches:** Dave Stricklin

**Last Year’s Record:** 8 - 0

**Last Season’s Postseason Result:** Lost to Kenesaw in state quarter-finals.

**Coach’s Expectations for This Season:** If we continue to work hard and stay injury-free, we look to be very competitive this year.

**Returning Letterwinners:** Jaden

Kosch, Isaac Classen, Cael Classen, Kegan Hackerott, Tyrel Wegener, Emerson Krings, Caleb Killham, Mason Geilenkirchen, Devon Baumgart.

**Top Newcomers:** Noah Wieseler and Andrew Kosch.

**District:** D2-2

HUMPHREY SAINT FRANCIS CROSS COUNTRY

**Team Mascot:** Flyers

**Team Colors:** Royal Blue/White

**Head Coaches:** Denise Brockhaus and Jennifer Tuma.

**Last Season’s Postseason Result:** Boys team placed fifth at districts.

**Coach’s Expectations for This Season:** I’d like to see the team work hard and run for the Lord who gives them strength to fulfill qualifying them for state.

**Team Strengths:** Each team member has a great support system with their families who encourage them.

**Team Weaknesses:** We don’t have girls out this year and no extra boys if we run into injuries.



PATRICK MURPHY, HUMPHREY DEMOCRAT

Pictured left to right. **Front row:** Brock Pfeifer and Ty Classen. **Back row:** Denise Brockhaus, Keith Ternus, Garrett Zach, Kellan Mundil and Jennifer Tuma.

**Returning Letterwinners:** Garret Zach, Brock Pfeifer, Keith Ternus and Ty Classen.

**Top Newcomers:** Kellan Mundil

SCHUYLER FOOTBALL



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Pictured from left to right. **Front row:** Bryan Romero, Cezar Lininger, Jonathan Medina, Javier Marquez, Leo Guzman, Qu’Ran Cook, Diego Maganda, Alvaro Mendez, Julian Morales, Kaleb Martinez, Alejandro Rodriguez and Saul Villalpando. **Second row:** Edrick Moreno-Bonilla, Abraham Rivera, Diego Castro, Christopher Shannon, Grant Arps, Luis Carrera, Jason Ramon, Luis Genchi, Kelbin Escobar, Daniel Cruz and Allan Zacarias. **Third row:** Aaron Reynoso, Hayden Bailey, Raymond Zastera, Cayden Weverka, Talon Anel, Max Arps, Jacob Hahn, Marcos Gomez, Daniel Maiz, Chayden Albers and Matthew Gibbons. **Fourth row:** Jason Jacinto, Jonathan Martinez, Angel Gonzalez, Martin Gonzalez, Aiden Kronberg, Elmer Marroquin, Daniel Guerrero, Edison Rodriguez, Christopher Hernandez and Giovanni Martinez. **Fifth row:** Jesus Morales, Elvis Romero, Jaime Marquez, Brandon Morales, Christopher Shrader and Nathan Colvin.

**Team Mascot:** Warriors

**Team Colors:** Green/White

**Head Coach:** Troy Schlueter

**Assistant Coaches:** Dan Proski, Austin Hauptman, Zack Hoffman, Jon Bos, Jaden Cover

**Last Year’s Record:** 0 - 9

**Coach’s Expectations for This Season:** To form a culture that is excited to chase perfection.

**Key Matchups This Season:** I believe around here that the Columbus schools are pretty big games.

**Team Strengths:** Quickness, some speed as well.

**Team Weaknesses:** Size.

**Returning Letterwinners:** Twenty-one.

**Top Newcomers:** Qu’Ran Cook, Marcos Gomez, Jason Jacinto.

**District:** C1-3

**District Favorite:** Wahoo

**State Favorite:** Aurora

HUMPHREY SAINT FRANCIS VOLLEYBALL



PATRICK MURPHY, HUMPHREY DEMOCRAT

Pictured left to right. **Front row:** Tessa Deets, Emma Baumgart, Hannah Baumgart, Makenna Wietfeld, Leah Kosch and Kylee Wessel. **Middle row:** Jayda Krings, Bella Foster, Brooklyn McKay, Kylee Kuchar, Alexis Kuchar, Nyla Kessler and Karly Kessler. **Back row:** Haley Schrage, Kali Jarosz, Ella Foltz, Ava Hastreiter, Whitney Wegener, Tori Jarosz, Anna Stricklin and Dean Korus. **Not Pictured:** Susan Lindsley and Tammy Classen.

**Team Mascot:** Flyers

**Team Colors:** Royal Blue/White

**Head Coach:** Dean Korus

**Assistant Coaches:** Haley Schrage, Susan Lindsley and Tammy Classen.

**Last Year’s Record:** 23 - 5

**Last Season’s Postseason Result:** Lost to Falls City Sacred Heart in Class D-2 state championship match.

**Coach’s Expectations for This Season:** We had a very successful summer team camps, so I feel better about our chances this season. This is one of the smartest teams I’ve coached, very aware of court time decisions. We are aggressive and play some good defense.

**Key Matchups This Season:** O’Neill

St. Mary’s, Fremont Bergan, Fullerton and Nebraska Christian.

**Team Strengths:** Our seniors is our biggest strengths. Our court smarts, very intelligent group of knowing what will work and what won’t work. Got some nice hitters who really came on since last year and our aggressive defense.

**Team Weaknesses:** Overall height, blocking at the net and depth at certain positions.

**Returning Letterwinners:** Kylee Wessel, Tessa Deets, Hannah Baumgart, Emma Baumgart, Makenna Wietfeld, Leah Kosch and Tori Jarosz.

**District:** D2-3

**State Favorite:** Howells-Dodge, O’Neill St. Mary’s, Falls City Sacred Heart and Humphrey St. Francis.

SCHUYLER CROSS COUNTRY



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Pictured from left to right. **Front row:** Ben Lefdal, Dillon Johnson, Gavin Bywater, Angela Vasquez, Niurka Castro and Natalie Carreto. **Second row:** Audrey Ruskamp, Mynor Basilio, David Ardon, Alexis Manzano, William Mateo, Danny Pedro and Naomi Mejia. **Third row:** Sinai Sanchez, Gabby Rodriguez, Nora Ruskamp, Issac Lucar, Kevyn Martinez, Yojan Cruz, Destheny Ortega and Erika Diego. **Fourth row:** Landon Johnson, Joarcy Sanchez, Miriam Deanda, Diana Ramon and Ashly Vasquez.

**Team Mascot:** Warriors

**Team Colors:** Green/White

**Head Coaches:** Rick Carter and Lyn Beebe.

**Last Season’s Postseason Result:** Boys: Eduardo Carrasco placed 36th and Gavin Bywater placed 67th at state. Girls: Marisol Deanda placed 24th at state.

**Coach’s Expectations for This Season:** Boys: The level of the boys team will depend a lot on who I can get as a fourth runner. We have been trying to get some good boy runners out, but that is still questionable at this time. Girls: Losing Marisol Deanda is tough, but her sister Miriam is going to be a great replacement.

What I have seen from Miriam this summer is very promising. I am anxious to see her run for us.

**Team Strengths:** Our returning varsity runners. On the boys side, I have Gavin Bywater, a state qualifier from last season. As well as, Alexis Manzano, Gabe Lucar and Ivan Huerta. On the girls side, we should have varsity runners Gabby Rodriguez, Sinai Sanchez, Niurka Castro and Destheny Ortega returning along with stand-out freshman Miriam Deanda.

**Team Weaknesses:** Lack of runners.

**District:** B-3

**State Favorite:** Boys: Lexington. Girls: Norris.

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SCHUYLER GIRLS GOLF



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Pictured from left to right. **Front row:** Emily Daviu, Sami Krupka and Marianna Castillo. **Second row:** Mayline Salinas and Maribel Gonzalez.

**Team Mascot:** Warriors  
**Team Colors:** Green/White  
**Head Coach:** Shanda Hall  
**Coach's Expectations for This Season:** We graduated four seniors in May and with them, four years of varsity experience and leadership. We have one returning golfer, so this will definitely be a rebuilding season with a lot of fresh faces.  
**Returning Letterwinners:** Marianna Castillo.  
**Top Newcomers:** Maribel Gonzalez will be making an impact right away this year. I am excited for her and to see just how much she will improve.  
**Team Strengths:** Senior Marianna Castillo will be back to lead the team and assist in guiding the new team members with learning the game.  
**Team Weaknesses:** Inexperience.  
**District:** B-3

SCHUYLER SOFTBALL



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Pictured from left to right. **Front row:** Elizabeth Harding and Lucy Mendez. **Second row:** Rosie Soto, Carly Wemhoff and Gina Alba. **Third row:** Andrea Adame, Mia Andrade, Elvia Batz and Jani Yepez. **Fourth row:** Brilee Benson, Reese Inselman and Lauren Wemhoff.

**Team Mascot:** Warriors  
**Team Colors:** Green/White  
**Head Coach:** Shala Ostberg  
**Assistant Coaches:** Sarah Garcia, Clarissa Eloge and Wade Brashear.  
**Last Year's Record:** 1-26  
**Last Season's Postseason Result:** Lost to Wayne in subdistricts.  
**Coach's Expectations for This Season:** Begin to rebuild the high school softball program by building stronger relationships with players, their families and the community. Offensively, we are looking for base hits and with quick strategic baserunning, we will score more runs. Defensively, we want strong fundamentals for clean put outs and the least amount of errors. We are hoping to win 50% of our games.  
**Key Matchups This Season:** Aquinas, Lakeview and Wilber-Clatonia.  
**Team Strengths:** Returning upperclassmen have strong leadership and the players are open and willing to a new coaching style and new drills.  
**Team Weaknesses:** With such a short amount of time before our first game, developing a strong team dynamic including new coaches and new players will be most important.  
**Returning Letterwinners:** Isabella Adame, Mia Andrade, Rosie Soto, Angela Yepez, Desteny Parra, Chloe Aragon, Elizabeth Harding, Lucy Mendez and Jamie Romero.  
**Top Newcomers:** Reese Inselman, Lauren Wemhoff, Briley Benson and Areli Arellano.  
**District:** B-6  
**State Favorite:** Hastings

SCHUYLER VOLLEYBALL



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Pictured from left to right. **Front row:** Emily Garcia, Allison Vavricek, Alyza Arroyo, Eliza Bailey, Natalie Yrkoski, Aylin Portillo, Jenny Valora, Litzzy Avila and Piper Lefdal. **Second row:** Jaslyn Eggleston, Abby Reyna, Erika Quezada, Shirley Trejo, Andrea Azcunaga, Maria Genchi, Bela Jedlicka and Marisol Palma. **Third row:** Daisy Herrera, Maliya Keeshan, Amayrani Arevalo, Aliyah Monzano, Ailyn Angel, Daniela Monzon, Diana Hernandez and Natalie Villanueva. **Fourth row:** Natally Medina, Alexa Contreras, Nadia Pond and Ximena Vazquez.

**Team Mascot:** Warriors  
**Team Colors:** Green/White  
**Head Coach:** Drey Keairnes  
**Last Year's Record:** 7-22  
**Last Season's Postseason Result:** Lost to Blair in subdistricts.  
**District:** B-4

SHELBY-RISING CITY FOOTBALL

**Team Mascot:** Huskies  
**Team Colors:** Black/Gold  
**Head Coach:** Zach Kubik

**Assistant Coaches:** Jon Riggs, Eric Lindsley, Corey Waite, Tanner Kuhn, Josh Hopwood and Nathan Dahl.

**Last Year's Record:** 2-6

**Coach's Expectations for This Season:** The expectations for this season is to continue to improve on both sides of the ball and make the playoffs.

**Key Matchups This Season:** Heartland, Arcadia-Loup City, Clarkson/Leigh and Cross County. The first game of the season is a matchup against a team we are unfamiliar with and will be a key point to start the season on a high note.

**Team Strengths:** Our strengths are that we brought all but three back on the defensive side of the ball that have played varsity



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Pictured from left to right. **Front row:** Hayden Reznicek, Eli Fjell, Gavin Ohnemus, Sam Vallejo, Riley Osantowski, Gabe Dutton-Mofford, Ethan Fjell, Owen Krafka and Traven Reznicek. **Middle row:** Ashton Schultz, Dalton Pokorney, Landon Sliva, Isaac Whitmore, Nolan Arps, Kreyton Zimmerman, Collin Vrbka, Coy Vrbka, Aiden Zimmerman and Jeremiah Zelasney. **Back row:** Corey Waite, Eric Lindsley, Jon Riggs, Payton Sliva, Cohen Calahan, Logan Lindsley, Kole Eickmeier, Justin Knoll, Zach Kubik, Tanner Kuhn, and Josh Hopwood.

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**Team Weaknesses:** We will have a young team and some will have to be thrown in maybe quicker than even they are expecting. However, we as coaches will have them ready to go for the season.

**Returning Letterwinners:** Justin Knoll, Aiden Zimmerman, Ethan Fjell, Collin Vrbka, Gavin Ohnemus, Payton Sliva, Dalton Pokor-

ney, Ashton Schultz, Cohen Calahan and Riley Osantowski.

**Top Newcomers:** Jorge Chavez, Coy Vrbka, Eli Fjell and Logan Lindsley.

**District:** D1-3

**District Favorite:** Clarkson/Leigh

**State Favorite:** Clarkson/Leigh

SHELBY-RISING CITY GIRLS GOLF

**Team Mascot:** Huskies  
**Team Colors:** Black/Gold  
**Head Coach:** Sara Jensen

**Coach's Expectations for This Season:** This year we will have a large, yet inexperienced team. We do have one senior, however, all eight remaining team members have zero to one season of experience with golf.

My primary goals for the team will be to become more confident and fundamentally sound while increasing our knowledge/understanding of the game. This year I would like to see each of the girls develop more consistency, improve their averages as the season progresses and embrace the various challenges the game of golf often presents. By the end of the season, I expect our golfers to have



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Pictures from left to right. **Back row:** Alexis Wetjen, Elva Velasco, Clare Willis and Lillian Wetjen. **Middle row:** Melanie Sanchez-Diaz, Lila Weddle and Loralie Logan. **Front row:** Aurora Slusarski and Jenna Logan. Not pictured: Lillian Weddle

made significant strides in every aspect of their game, including things like course awareness, shot selection and resiliency.

**Team Strengths:** Coachability and positivity.

**Team Weaknesses:** Experience.

**Returning Letterwinners:** Aurora Slusarski, Jenna Logan, Lillian Weddle, Lillian Wetjen and Clare Willis.

**District:** C-2

SHELBY-RISING CITY VOLLEYBALL

**Team Mascot:** Huskies  
**Team Colors:** Black/Gold  
**Head Coach:** Abby Kuhn

**Last Year's Record:** 11-19

**Last Season's Postseason Result:** Lost to Fullerton in subdistricts.

**Coach's Expectations for This Season:** I have high expectations for the girls. They possess a lot of talent. However, our goal right now is to clean up our fundamentals and be ready to compete at the end of August.

**Key Matchups This Season:** Cross county will be good competition early in the season as well as any Crossroads Conference matchup.

**Team Strengths:** We have a lot of returners from last year with a lot of big game experience.



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Pictured from left to right. **Front row:** Kendall Nickolite, Bailey Turpitt, Katelyn Nekl, Taya Pinneo, Brooklynn Baker, Kaylei Perry, Jenna Potter and Zoey Walker. Middle row: Kadence Calahan, Emma Svoboda, Angel Barnes, MacKenzie Kuns, Liberty Baker, Ava Larmon and Nevaeh Martinez.

**Back row:** Taylor Kemper, Alex Larmon, MaKenna Stewart, Leah Whitmore, Haydon Hopwood, Carissa Jasper, Caydee Bauers and Abby Kuhn.

**Team Weaknesses:** Our size can be a struggle at the net.

**Returning Letterwinners:** Liberty Baker, Alex Larmon, Ava Larmon, Taya Pinneo, Zoey Walker, Angel

Barnes and Kaylei Perry.

**Top Newcomers:** We will be leaning on our upperclassmen to step into more prominent roles.

**District:** C2-7

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TWIN RIVER FOOTBALL



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Pictured from left to right. **Front row:** Ashton Johnson and Korbe Urkoski. **Second row:** Evan Strain, Spencer Ramaekers, Spencer Kula and Trey Quick. **Third row:** Adam Schroder, Carter Green, Kadin Buhl, Colsten Rodriguez, Ben Ziemba, Dominick Dohmen and Corbin Rodriguez. **Fourth row:** Xander McComb, John Ladd, Mason Fink, Lane Lund and Brayden Rinkol. **Back row:** Landyn Roebuck, Mason Rinkol, Ryder Kleckner, Garrett Alexander, Paydon Rinkol, Kirk Hebda and Chayse Brandenburger.

**Team Mascot:** Titans

**Team Colors:** Royal/Black/Silver

**Head Coach:** Kalin Koch

**Assistant Coaches:** Matthew Quick, Mark Koch, Shawn Strain, Todd Quick

**Last Year's Record:** 0-9

**Coach's Expectations for This Season:** Looking forward to a bright future with some young and talented players. Hoping to become more competitive and get our numbers back up. If we can work together as a team and be coachable,

We will see some success this season. I expect us to go 4-4 at the worst and fully believe we can pull that off. We just have to keep our head down and keep grinding.

**Key Matchups This Season:** Fullerton, Shelby-Rising City and Cross County

**Team Strengths:** Very talented group. Overall hard work and coachable group. Ability to run the ball or pass whenever needed. Most of our varsity has enough experience and are very hard working.

**Team Weaknesses:** We will still be young as a majority

of our team are sophomores and juniors. Lack experience in eight-man and lack culture of winning.

**Returning Letterwinners:** Korbe Urkoski, Garrett Alexander, Evan Strain, Mason Rinkol, Ryder Kleckner, Paydon Rinkol, Landyn Roebuck, Ben Ziemba, Brayden Rinkol.

**Top Newcomers:** Trey Quick, Kadin Buhl, Kirk Hebda.

**District:** D1-3

**District Favorite:** Clarkson/Leigh

**State Favorite:** Stanton or North Platte St. Pat's

TWIN RIVER VOLLEYBALL



COURTESY PHOTO

Pictured left to right. **Front row:** Hannah Yrkoski and Tori Cornwell. **Middle row:** Mckenzie King, Parker Zabka, Callie Held, Alyvia Strain, Elle Cromwell, Jaclyn Everett, Libby Held and Taylor Pearson. **Back row:** Tayla Zarek, Maddie Moeller, Chloe Pilakowski, Emma Yrkoski, Briley Cuba, Ari Zimmer, Tricia Kunkee and Jocelyn Robertson.

**Team Mascot:** Titans

**Team Colors:** Royal/Black/Silver

**Head Coach:** Julie Strain

**Assistant Coaches:** Kris Rogers

**Last Year's Record:** 2-24

**Last Season's Postseason Result:** Lost to East Butler in subdistricts.

**Coach's Expectations for This Season:** We are working on developing our ball control skills and developing younger players to be more competitive in our schedule this year.

**Key Matchups This Season:** East Husker Conference games.

**Team Strengths:** We bring back a good core of players that played at the varsity level last year.

**Team Weaknesses:** Ball control skills are still lacking.

**Returning Letterwinners:** Tori Cornwell, Chloe Pilakowski, Libby Held, Briley Cuba, Emma Yrkoski.

**Top Newcomers:** Parker Zabka, Taylor Pearson, Hannah Yrkoski, Callie Held, Tricia Kunkee.

**District:** D1-6

TWIN RIVER CROSS COUNTRY

**Team Mascot:** Titans

**Team Colors:** Royal/Black/Silver

**Head Coach:** Mitch Tracy

**Last Season's Postseason Result:** Jackson Strain placed 13th at state.

**Editor's note**

A photo and additional information was not received by press deadline.

BLUE RIVER SOFTBALL

**Team Mascot:** Panthers

**Team Colors:** Blue/White

**Head Coach:** Greg Jahde

**Assistant Coaches:** Emily Blackburn, Grace Lenz, Lauren Johnson

**Last Year's Record:** 6-24

**Last Season's Postseason Result:** Lost to Aurora in subdistricts.



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**Coach's Expectations for This Season:** I fully expect us to be better than we were last year. We have a good mixture of seniors and younger girls that got a lot of experience from last year back this season.

**Key Matchups This Season:** North Bend, Lakeview, Central City, Aurora

**Team Strengths:** Infield and depth at pitching.

Pictured left to right: **Front row:** Autumn Lindsley, Emily Ewert, Hayleigh Larsen. **Middle row:** Alexa Carter, Addison Bohaty, Danica Watts, Cloe Keagy, Sierra Rhynalds. **Back row:** Addison Kriz, Meagan Jahde, Nicole Martensen, Rylie Carter, Jessica Bauers, Aubree Siffring, Natalie Robak.

**Team Weaknesses:** Lots of unknowns in the outfield. I have some girls that I think can fill the roles, but time will tell how they respond.

**Returning Letterwinners:** Sierra Rhynalds, Autumn Lindsley, Rylie Carter, Meagan Jahde, Nicole Martensen, Alexa Carter, Emily Ewert, Aubree Siffring.

**Top Newcomers:** Camryn Kocian and Danica Watts.

**District:** B-7

TWIN RIVER SOFTBALL



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Pictured left to right. **Front row:** Delaney Reeg, Kristen Fitzgerald and Tessa Cherry. **Middle row:** Grace Weaver, Kylie Elm, Aubree Brandenburger, Lia Whited, Emily Dohmen, Karley Vering, Clara Preister, Lauryn Melcher, Marcie Spitz and Ivy Korus. **Back row:** Laynie Allen, Sophia Gasper, Kielyn Dohmen and Bella Gasper.

**Team Mascot:** Titans

**Team Colors:** Royal/Black/Silver

**Head Coach:** Renae Van Driel

**Assistant Coaches:** Jeff Van Winkle and Tori Kuntz

**Last Year's Record:** 14-18

**Last Season's Postseason**

**Result:** Lost to FCEMF in subdistricts.

**Coach's Expectations for This Season:** High energy, staying positive and working as a team.

**Key Matchups This Season:** Central City.

**Team Strengths:** Hard workers and coachable.

**Team Weaknesses:** Attacking at the plate.

**Returning Letterwinners:** Kristen Fitzgerald, Delaney Reeg, Lauryn Melcher, Emily Dohmen, Marcie Spitz and Clara Preister.

**Top Newcomers:** Aubrey Brandenburger, Laynie Allen and Bella Gasper.

**District:** C-7

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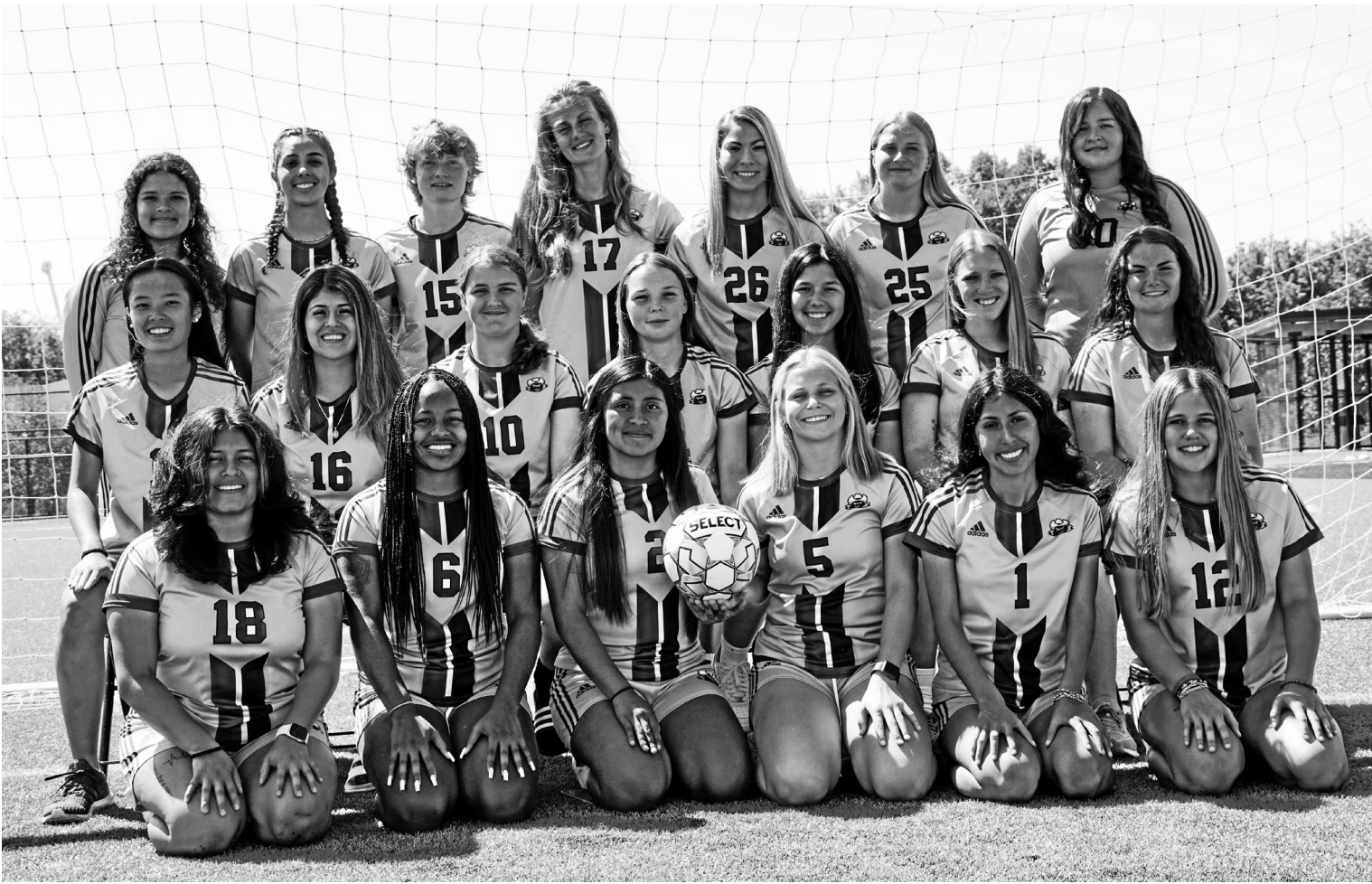
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CENTRAL COMMUNITY COLLEGE WOMEN'S SOCCER



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Pictured from left to right. **Front row:** Kimberly Corzo, Sam Henry, Katty Tercero, Kaylee Gerber, Janette Ortiz and Grace Witte. **Middle row:** Lara Eckwert, Karla Garcia, Lilli Reisser, Steph Adby, Elly Speicher, Hali Eddy and Hannah Beach. **Back row:** Thalia Tenney, Clara Reis, Julia Charles Casanovas, Lucia Kreysing, Rylee Eschliman, Katana Gould and Natalie Crouse.

**Team Mascot:** Raiders

**Team Colors:** Black/Green

**Head Coach:** Jamie Bennett

**Assistant Coaches:** Gemini Wesley

**Last Year's Record:** 2-14

**Coach's Expectations for This Season:** Make regional tournament and improve on last year's record.

**Key Matchups This Season:** South-east and Northeast.

**Team Strengths:** The girls are hungry. Returners don't like the way the season went last year and the incoming freshmen want to be a part of the group that gets us to the top.

**Team Weaknesses:** Depth at a couple positions.

**Returning Players:** Hali Eddy, Hannah Beach, Rylee Eschliman, Karla Garcia, Clara Reis, Janette Ortiz, Katty Tercero and Natalie Crouse.

**Top Newcomers:** Lucia Kreysing, Lara Eckwert, Lilli Reiser, Katana Gould, Steph Adby, Grace Witte and Kaylee Gerber.

**Region Favorite:** Allen County

CENTRAL COMMUNITY COLLEGE MEN'S SOCCER

**Team Mascot:** Raiders

**Team Colors:** Black/Green

**Head Coach:** Luis Pulido

**Assistant Coaches:** Cristian Guerrero and Gemini Wesley

**Last Year's Record:** 9-7-2

**Last Season's Postseason Result:** Lost to Allen County in region semifinals.



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Pictured from left to right. **Top row:** Rodolfo Ramirez, Archie Alvarez, Paul Kelling, Charlie Orsler, Max Devine, Derek Beltran, Amin Rahmoune, Gerardo Laffita-Mena, Kadin Reese, Yao Bleoussi and Rasmus Berg. **Middle row:** Ben Soave, Camilo Herrera, Niklas Thiel, Israel Robledo, Miguel Raymundo, Juan Rodriguez, Yeyen Marino-Chavez and Lorenzo Cardoso. **Bottom row:** Ismail Hassan, Alex Lopez, Tobias Sereinig, Lucas Hibos, Billy Allison, Abdul Juma and Ivan Lopez.

**Coach's Expectations for This Season:** The expectation is a national championship. Whether we have a shot or not, any other mindset is a waste of a time. We train for it and see how far we get.

**Key Matchups This Season:** All of our games will be key, but we play some nationally ranked opponents right before we start Region 6 play in the first part of September.

**Team Strengths:** Got some solid returners that are brought into the culture set in the first year.

**Team Weaknesses:** A lot of new players, so we will see how the guys adapt. It is more of an unknown than a weakness but will be interesting to see how that works out.

**Returning Players:** Ivan Lopez, Charlie Orsler, Dayethan Nelson and Rodolfo Ramirez.

**Top Newcomers:** Eighteen new players. Very excited about Juan Rodriguez from Columbus High School.

**Region Favorite:** In Region 9, we won it. For Region 6, it will be interesting to see how the other teams recruited. Last year, we were one point behind first place and beat them in both games that we played them in.

CENTRAL COMMUNITY COLLEGE VOLLEYBALL



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Pictured from left to right. **Top row:** Allison Sander, Jill Kelly and Halie Kaslon. **Middle row:** Mallori Kucera, Katee Korte, Abby Elstermeier, Chelsea Fisher and Kennedy Branigan. **Bottom row:** Josie Richards, Kamryn Chohon, Morgan Juranek, Katrina Beel and Ashley Brown.

**Team Mascot:** Raiders

**Team Colors:** Black/Green

**Head Coach:** Mary Young

**Assistant Coaches:** Jared Johnson, Jordee Korte, Meaghan Pieper

**Last Year's Record:** 20-19

**Last Season's Postseason Result:** Lost to North Dakota State College of Science in Northwest Plains district championship

**Coach's Expectations for This Season:** Expect to compete for a region and district championship. This team will grow and improve each day.

**Key Matchups This Season:** Strong schedule the entire season. Each game will be key.

**Team Strengths:** Decent depth in each position.

**Returning Players:** Ashley Brown, Morgan Juranek, Abby Elstermeier, Josie Richards, Katrina Beel, Kamryn Chohon.

**Top Newcomers:** Kennedy Branigan, Katee Korte, Chelsea Fisher, Jill Kelly, Halie Kaslon, Allison Sander, Mallori Kucera.

**Region Favorite:** Central, North Platte

2022 FALL SCHEDULES

Aquinas Cross Country	
Aug. 25	at East Butler Invite 4:30 p.m.
Sept. 1	at Seward Invite (Concordia) 4:45 p.m.
Sept. 8	at Fremont Bergan Invite 4 p.m.
Sept. 15	at Scotus Invite 4:30 p.m.
Sept. 22	at North Bend Invite 4:30 p.m.
Sept. 29	Home Invite 4:30 p.m.
Oct. 4	at Centennial Conference Meet (Lincoln Christian) 4 p.m.
Oct. 13	Districts TBD
Oct. 21	State (Kearney) TBD

Aquinas Football	
All games at 7 p.m. unless otherwise noted	
Aug. 26	vs. Scotus
Sept. 2	at Cedar Catholic
Sept. 10	vs. Lincoln Lutheran Noon
Sept. 16	at GICC
Sept. 23	at Louisville
Sept. 30	vs. David City
Oct. 7	at Fremont Bergan
Oct. 14	vs. Yutan
Oct. 21	at Wahoo Neumann
Oct. 28-Nov. 11	Playoffs TBD
Nov. 22	State Championship (Lincoln) TBD

Aquinas Softball	
Aug. 18	vs. Wilber-Clatonia 5 p.m.
Aug. 20	at Southern Tournament Noon
Aug. 23	vs. Wahoo Neumann 5 p.m.
Aug. 27	at West Point GACC Tournament 10 a.m.
Sept. 1	at Schuyler 5 p.m.
Sept. 3	at Twin River Triangular 5:45 p.m.
Sept. 8	at Wahoo Neumann Tournament 9 a.m.
Sept. 8	vs. West Point GACC 5 p.m.
Sept. 10	at Louisville Triangular 9 a.m.
Sept. 13	at Lakeview 5 p.m.
Sept. 15	at Pierce 5 p.m.
Sept. 17	Home Invite 9 a.m.
Sept. 20	vs. Highway 91 5 p.m.
Sept. 22	vs. North Bend 5 p.m.
Sept. 24	at Central City Invite 9 a.m.
Sept. 27	at Polk County 4:30 p.m.
Sept. 29	vs. West Point-Beemer 5 p.m.
Oct. 3	Subdistricts TBD
Oct. 8	Districts TBD
Oct. 13	State (Hastings) TBD

Aquinas Volleyball	
Aug. 25	vs. West Point GACC 7 p.m.
Aug. 27	at Kearney Catholic Triangular 1 p.m.
Aug. 30	at Friend 7 p.m.
Sept. 1	at HLHF 6 p.m.
Sept. 10	at Friend Invite 10 a.m.
Sept. 15	vs. Scotus 7 p.m.
Sept. 20	at GICC 7 p.m.
Sept. 22	Home Triangular 5 p.m.
Sept. 24	at David City Invite 9 a.m.
Sept. 29	at Wahoo Neumann 7 p.m.
Oct. 1	at Clarkson/Leigh Invite 9 a.m.
Oct. 4	vs. Norfolk Catholic 7 p.m.
Oct. 6-8	Centennial Conference Invite TBD
Oct. 13	at Centennial Triangular 5:30 p.m.
Oct. 15	at Lincoln Christian Invite 10 a.m.
Oct. 18	vs. Raymond Central 7 p.m.
Oct. 24	Subdistricts TBD
Oct. 29	Districts TBD
Nov. 3	State (Lincoln) TBD

Blue River Softball	
Aug. 18	Home Triangular 4:30 p.m.
Aug. 20	at North Bend Invite 9 a.m.
Aug. 22	at North Bend 6:30 p.m.
Aug. 27	at Wisner-Pilger Invite 10 a.m.
Aug. 29	vs. Southern 6 p.m.
Aug. 30	at Boone Central 6:30 p.m.
Sept. 1	vs. Lakeview Invite 10 a.m.
Sept. 6	at Logan View/Scribner-Snyder 4:30 p.m.
Sept. 8	at Central City 6:30 p.m.
Sept. 12	Home Triangular 4 p.m.
Sept. 13	at Wilber-Clatonia 6:30 p.m.
Sept. 15	vs. Centennial 6:30 p.m.
Sept. 17	Home Invite 9 a.m.
Sept. 20	vs. Aurora 6:30 p.m.
Sept. 22	Home Triangular 4:30 p.m.
Sept. 24	SNC Tournament (Wilber-Clatonia) TBD
Sept. 29	at Milford 6:30 p.m.
Oct. 3	Subdistricts TBD
Oct. 7	Districts TBD

Clarkson/Leigh Football	
All times at 7 p.m. unless otherwise noted	
Aug. 26	vs. Exeter-Milligan/Friend
Sept. 2	at Pender 3 p.m.
Sept. 9	at Bancroft-Rosalie
Sept. 16	vs. Shelby-Rising City
Sept. 23	vs. Twin River
Sept. 30	at Cedar Bluffs
Oct. 7	at Cross County
Oct. 14	vs. Madison

Clarkson/Leigh Girls Golf	
Aug. 30	at Norfolk Catholic Triangular 1:30 p.m.
Sept. 1	at Stanton Invite 9 a.m.
Sept. 8	Home Triangular 1:30 p.m.
Sept. 12	at Battle Creek Invite 9 a.m.
Sept. 17	at Boone Central Invite 10 a.m.
Sept. 19	at Pender Quad 4 p.m.
Sept. 20	vs. Stanton 1:30 p.m.
Sept. 24	EHC Conference Invite (Pender) 9 a.m.
Sept. 27	vs. Schuyler 1:30 p.m.
Oct. 1	at Oakland-Craig Invite 9 a.m.
Oct. 5	Districts TBD

Clarkson/Leigh Volleyball	
Aug. 27	at Grand Island Invite TBD
Aug. 30	vs. Howells-Dodge 7:30 p.m.
Sept. 1	Home Triangular 5:30 p.m.
Sept. 6	at West Point-Beemer Triangular 5 p.m.
Sept. 8	at Pender 7:30 p.m.
Sept. 15	at HLHF 5 p.m.
Sept. 17	at Twin River 9 a.m.
Sept. 20	at Twin River 7 p.m.
Sept. 24	at Hampton Invite 10 a.m.
Sept. 27	vs. Fremont Bergan 7 p.m.
Sept. 29	vs. Schuyler 7 p.m.
Oct. 1	Home Invite 9 a.m.
Oct. 4	at Plainview Triangular 5 p.m.
Oct. 6	vs. Humphrey St. Francis 5 p.m.
Oct. 18	at Oakland-Craig 5 p.m.

Columbus High Cross Country	
Aug. 25	vs. Scotus 4:30 p.m.
Sept. 2	at Boone Central Invite 4:30 p.m.
Sept. 8	at Fremont Invite 5 p.m.
Sept. 16	at Norfolk Invite 5 p.m.
Sept. 22	at Lincoln North Star Invite 3:30 p.m.
Sept. 30	Home Invite 4 p.m.
Oct. 6	HAC Invite (Kearney) 4:50 p.m.
Oct. 13	Districts TBD
Oct. 21	State (Kearney) 2:30 p.m.

Columbus High Football	
All games at 7 p.m. unless otherwise noted	
Aug. 19	at Fremont
Aug. 26	vs. Norfolk
Sept. 1	vs. Lincoln Southwest
Sept. 9	at Scotus Invite 4:30 p.m.
Sept. 16	at North Platte 6 p.m.
Sept. 23	vs. Lincoln East
Oct. 6	at Millard South
Oct. 14	vs. Lincoln High
Oct. 20	at Lincoln North Star

Columbus High Girls Golf	
Aug. 18	at Grand Island Triangular 4 p.m.
Aug. 22	at Fremont Triangular Noon
Aug. 26	at TBD Invite 9:30 a.m.
Aug. 30	at Woodland Hills Golf Course Invite 9 a.m.
Sept. 2	at Jackrabbit Golf Course Invite 9 a.m.
Sept. 8	at Lincoln Southeast Invite 9 a.m.
Sept. 15	at Norfolk Invite 9:30 a.m.
Sept. 22	at Lincoln East Invite 9:30 a.m.
Sept. 29	HAC Invite (Norfolk) 10 a.m.
Oct. 3	Districts
Oct. 10-11	State (Norfolk) TBD

Columbus High Softball	
Aug. 18	vs. Lincoln North Star (DH) 5 p.m.
Aug. 20	at Omaha Westview Triangular 10 a.m.
Aug. 23	vs. Lincoln Southwest (DH) 5 p.m.
Aug. 25	vs. Omaha Westside 6:30 p.m.
Aug. 27	LPS Softball Invite (Lincoln) 9 a.m.
Aug. 30	vs. Lincoln High 6:30 p.m.
Sept. 3	at Norfolk Invite 9 a.m.
Sept. 6	at Lincoln Northeast Triangular 4 p.m.
Sept. 8	vs. Lincoln East (DH) 5 p.m.
Sept. 13	vs. Omaha Central 6:30 p.m.
Sept. 15	at Kearney (DH) 5 p.m.
Sept. 17	Home Invite 9 a.m.
Sept. 19	at Fremont (DH) 5 p.m.
Sept. 22	vs. Lincoln Southeast (DH) 5 p.m.
Sept. 24	at Lincoln Southeast Invite 8 a.m.
Sept. 27	at Norfolk (DH) 5 p.m.
Oct. 1	HAC Tournament (Columbus) 9 a.m.
Oct. 3	vs. Grand Island (DH) 5 p.m.
Oct. 5	Districts TBD
Oct. 14	State

Columbus High Boys Tennis	
Aug. 25	at Grand Island 4 p.m.
Aug. 27	at Elkhorn Invite 9 a.m.
Sept. 1	vs. Lincoln Northwest 4 p.m.
Sept. 3	Home Invite 9 a.m.
Sept. 6	vs. South Sioux City 4 p.m.
Sept. 10	at Fremont Invite 8:30 a.m.
Sept. 12	at Lincoln East Invite 8:30 a.m.
Sept. 15	at Millard North Invite 8:30 a.m.
Sept. 19	at Papillion-La Vista South Invite 8 a.m.
Sept. 22	vs. Norfolk 4 p.m.
Sept. 23	at Hastings Invite 9 a.m.
Sept. 27	at York Triangular 1 p.m.
Sept. 30-Oct. 1	HAC Championships (Lincoln) TBD
Oct. 3	vs. Fremont 4 p.m.
Oct. 7	HAC Championships (Lincoln) TBD
Oct. 13-14	State (Omaha) TBD

Columbus High Volleyball	
Aug. 25	vs. Fremont 6:30 p.m.
Aug. 27	at Norfolk Invite 9 a.m.
Sept. 1	at Lincoln Plus X Triangular 5 p.m.
Sept. 8	vs. Lincoln North Star 6:30 p.m.
Sept. 9	at Bellevue East Invite 8 a.m.
Sept. 10	at Bellevue East Invite 8 a.m.
Sept. 13	at Kearney 6:30 p.m.
Sept. 15	vs. Lincoln Northwest 7 p.m.
Sept. 22	at Seward 7 p.m.
Sept. 24	at Hastings Invite 10 a.m.
Sept. 27	vs. Hastings 6:30 p.m.
Oct. 1	Home Invite 9 a.m.
Oct. 4	at Lincoln Southwest Triangular 5 p.m.
Oct. 6	at Lincoln Southeast 6:30 p.m.
Oct. 11	vs. Lincoln High 6:30 p.m.
Oct. 13	at Norfolk 6:30 p.m.
Oct. 17-20	HAC Invite (Norfolk) TBD
Oct. 25	Districts TBD
Nov. 2	State (Lincoln) TBD

David City Cross Country	
Aug. 25	at East Butler Invite 4:30 p.m.
Sept. 1	at Schuyler Invite 4:30 p.m.
Sept. 8	at Arlington Invite 5 p.m.
Sept. 15	at Scotus Invite 4:30 p.m.
Sept. 20	at Malcolm Invite 4 p.m.
Sept. 29	at Aquinas Invite 4 p.m.
Oct. 6	SNC Meet (Fairbury) TBD
Oct. 13	Districts TBD

David City Football	
All games at 7 p.m.	
Aug. 26	at Fillmore Central
Sept. 2	vs. Battle Creek
Sept. 9	vs. Syracuse
Sept. 16	at Tri County
Sept. 23	vs. Centura
Sept. 30	at Aquinas
Oct. 7	vs. Yutan
Oct. 14	at Wahoo Neumann
Oct. 21	vs. Louisville

David City Volleyball	
Aug. 25	at St. Paul 7 p.m.
Aug. 27	at Plattsmouth Invite 8 a.m.
Sept. 1	vs. Fillmore Central 7 p.m.
Sept. 6	vs. East Butler 7 p.m.
Sept. 8	at Raymond Central 7 p.m.
Sept. 13	Home Triangular 5 p.m.
Sept. 20	vs. Cross County 7 p.m.
Sept. 22	at Schuyler 7 p.m.
Sept. 24	Home Invite 9 a.m.
Sept. 27	at Thayer Central Triangular 5 p.m.
Oct. 6	at Sutton Triangular 5 p.m.
Oct. 11	vs. Heartland 7 p.m.
Oct. 13	at Centennial Triangular
Oct. 15	at Centennial Invite 9 a.m.
Oct. 20	at Wahoo Neumann 7 p.m.

East Butler Cross Country	
Aug. 25	Home Invite 4:30 p.m.
Sept. 1	at West Point-Beemer Invite 5 p.m.
Sept. 8	at Fremont Bergan Invite 4 p.m.
Sept. 12	at Yutan Invite 4:30 p.m.
Sept. 20	at Malcolm Invite 4 p.m.
Sept. 22	at North Bend Invite 4:30 p.m.
Sept. 29	at Lincoln Lutheran Invite 4:25 p.m.
Oct. 6	at McCol Junction Invite 4:30 p.m.

East Butler Football	
All games at 7 p.m. unless otherwise noted	
Aug. 26	at Nebraska Lutheran
Sept. 2	vs. Omaha Christian
Sept. 9	at High Plains
Sept. 16	at Humphrey St. Francis
Sept. 23	vs. Howells-Dodge
Sept. 30	at Walthill 3 p.m.
Oct. 7	vs. HLHF
Oct. 13	vs. Winside 6 p.m.

East Butler Volleyball	
Aug. 25	at Dorchester 7 p.m.
Aug. 30	Home Triangular 5 p.m.
Sept. 1	at High Plains Triangular 5:30 p.m.
Sept. 3	at Weeping Water Invite 9 a.m.
Sept. 6	at David City 7 p.m.
Sept. 8	vs. Palmer 6 p.m.
Sept. 13	at Yutan Triangular 5 p.m.
Sept. 15	at Mead 7 p.m.
Sept. 17	at Cross County Invite 9 a.m.
Sept. 20	vs. Meridian 7 p.m.
Sept. 22	at Aquinas Triangular 6 p.m.
Sept. 27	at Shelby-Rising City 7 p.m.
Oct. 4	at Osceola Triangular 6 p.m.
Oct. 10	Home Triangular 5 p.m.
Oct. 13	at Exeter-Milligan 6 p.m.
Oct. 15	CRC Invite TBD

Highway 91 Softball	
Aug. 18	vs. Polk County 4:30 p.m.
Aug. 22	at Boone Central 5 p.m.
Aug. 23	vs. Pierce 5 p.m.
Aug. 25	at Tekamah-Herman Triangular 4:30 p.m.
Aug. 27	NEN Invite (Wisner) 10 a.m.
Sept. 1	at Logan View/Scribner-Snyder 4:30 p.m.
Sept. 6	at South Sioux City 5 p.m.
Sept. 8	Home Triangular 4:30 p.m.
Sept. 10	at Lakeview Invite 9 a.m.
Sept. 15	at Crete 5 p.m.
Sept. 17	at Pierce Invite 9 a.m.
Sept. 19	at North Bend 5 p.m.
Sept. 20	Subdistricts TBD
Sept. 24	EHC Invite (Wisner) TBD
Sept. 27	at Central City 5 p.m.
Oct. 1	Double Dual 10 a.m.

HLHF Cross Country	
Sept. 1	at West Point-Beemer Invite 5:30 p.m.
Sept. 2	at Madison Invite 2 p.m.
Sept. 9	at Norfolk Catholic Invite 3 p.m.
Sept. 15	at Pender Invite 4:30 p.m.
Sept. 23	at Boone Central Invite 4:30 p.m.
Sept. 26	at UNK Invite 1 p.m.
Sept. 29	at Stanton Invite 4 p.m.
Oct. 6	EHC Meet (Oakland-Craig) TBD
Oct. 13	Districts TBD
Oct. 21	State (Kearney) 9 a.m.

HLHF Football	
All times at 7 p.m. unless otherwise noted	
Aug. 26	vs. Niobara-Verdigre 4 p.m.
Sept. 2	vs. Osceola
Sept. 9	at Randolph
Sept. 16	at Howells-Dodge
Sept. 23	vs. Walthill 3 or 7 p.m.
Sept. 30	at Winside 2 p.m.
Oct. 7	at East Butler
Oct. 14	vs. Humphrey St. Francis
Oct. 20-Nov. 11	Playoffs TBD
Nov. 21	State Championship (Lincoln) TBD

HLHF Volleyball	
Aug. 25	at Bancroft-Rosalie 5 p.m.
Aug. 30	vs. Lyons-Decatur Northeast
Sept. 1	vs. Aquinas 5 p.m.
Sept. 6	at West Point GACC 5:30 p.m.
Sept. 8	vs. North Bend 5:30 p.m.
Sept. 10	at Friend Invite TBD
Sept. 13	vs. Oakland-Craig 5:30 p.m.
Sept. 15	at Clarkson/Leigh 5:30 p.m.
Sept. 17	at Cross County Invite TBD
Sept. 20	at West Point-Beemer Triangular 5 p.m.
Sept. 22	vs. Summerland 5 p.m.
Sept. 27	vs. Pender 5:30 p.m.
Sept. 29	at Omaha Concordia 5 p.m.
Oct. 1	at Clarkson/Leigh Invite TBD
Oct. 6	at Twin River Triangular 5 p.m.
Oct. 13-15	EHC Tournament (Wisner-Pilger) TBD
Oct. 18	at Central City Triangular 5 p.m.
Oct. 24-25	Subdistricts TBD
Oct. 29	Districts TBD
Nov. 2-5	State (Lincoln) TBD

Humphrey Saint Francis Cross Country	
Sept. 1	at Wisner-Pilger Invite 5 p.m.
Sept. 9	at Norfolk Catholic Invite 3 p.m.
Sept. 15	at Pender Invite 4:30 p.m.
Sept. 23	at Boone Central Invite 4:30 p.m.
Sept. 26	at UNK Invite TBD
Sept. 29	at Battle Creek Invite 4 p.m.
Oct. 7	Goldenrod Conference Meet (Fullerton) 4 p.m.

Humphrey Saint Francis Football	
All games at 7 p.m. unless otherwise noted	
Aug. 26	vs. Elgin Public/Pope John 7:30 p.m.
Sept. 2	at Wynot 3 p.m.
Sept. 9	at Osceola
Sept. 16	vs. East Butler
Sept. 23	at Winside
Aug. 25	vs. Howells-Dodge
Oct. 7	vs. Walthill
Oct. 14	at HLHF

Humphrey Saint Francis Volleyball	
Sept. 3	vs. Cedar Bluffs 10 a.m.
Sept. 6	at St. Edward Triangular 5 p.m.
Sept. 8	at Plainview 5:30 p.m.
Sept. 10	at Fremont Bergan Invite 9 a.m.
Sept. 13	vs. Fullerton 5 p.m.
Sept. 15	at Riverside 5:30 p.m.
Sept. 17	at CWC Triangular 10 a.m.
Sept. 24	at Madison Invite 10 a.m.
Sept. 29	Home Triangular 5 p.m.
Oct. 4	at O'Neill St. Mary's Triangular 5 p.m.
Oct. 6	at Clarkson/Leigh 5 p.m.
Oct. 11	at Elba Triangular 5:30 p.m.
Oct. 13-15	Goldenrod Conference Tournament TBD
Oct. 18	at Central Valley 6 p.m.

Lakeview Cross Country	
Aug. 26	at Grand Island Northwest Invite 4 p.m.
Sept. 1	at Schuyler Invite 5 p.m.
Sept. 8	at Wahoo Invite 4 p.m.
Sept. 15	at Scotus Invite 4:30 p.m.
Sept. 23	at Boone Central Invite 4:30 p.m.
Sept. 29	at Aquinas Invite 4 p.m.
Oct. 6	Central Conference Meet (Adams Central) 4 p.m.
Oct. 13	Districts TBD
Oct. 21	State (Kearney) TBD

Lakeview Football	
All games at 7 p.m.	

Aug. 26	at Ashland-Greenwood
Sept. 2	vs. Boys Town
Sept. 9	at Boone Central
Sept. 16	at St. Paul
Sept. 23	vs. Wahoo
Sept. 30	at Schuyler
Oct. 7	vs. Douglas County West
Oct. 14	vs. Arlington
Oct. 21	at Scotus
Oct. 28-Nov. 11	Playoffs TBD
Nov. 22	State Championship (Lincoln) TBD

Lakeview Girls Golf	
Aug. 18	at Central City Scramble 10 a.m.
Aug. 25	at Columbus High Triangular 3 p.m.
Aug. 26	at Seward Invite 4:30 p.m.
Aug. 30	at Scotus Triangular 4:30 p.m.
Sept. 1	at York Invite 9 a.m.
Sept. 8	Home Invite 9 a.m.
Sept. 12	at Shelby-Rising City Triangular (Osceola) 4:30 p.m.
Sept. 15	at Scotus Triangular