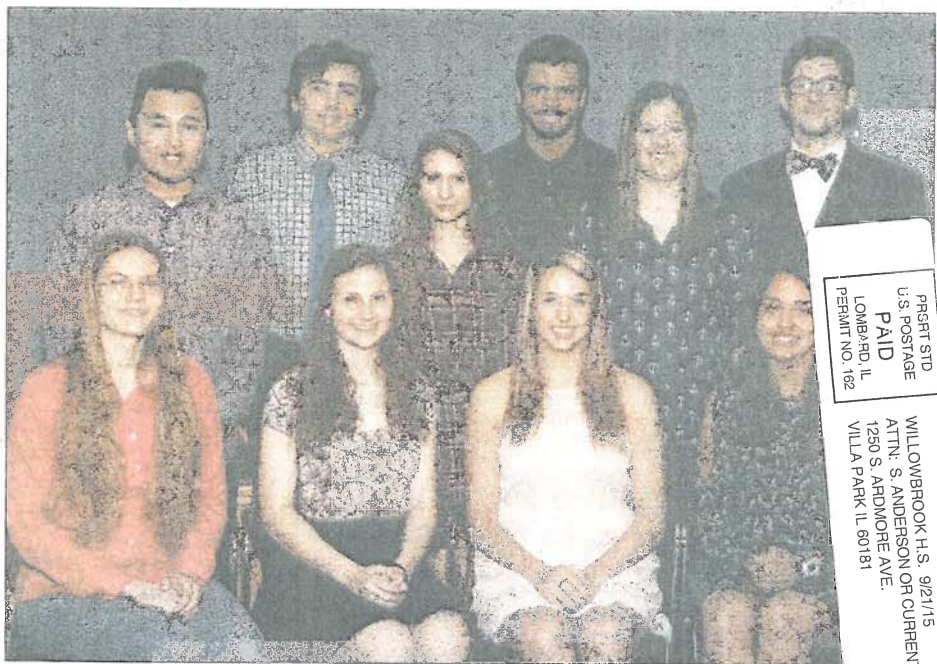


Outstanding...

TEN WILLOWBROOK HIGH SCHOOL students were recognized as Outstanding Students during a recent breakfast held in their honor. In order to be chosen for the school's Outstanding Students award, students must demonstrate extraordinary achievement, outstanding effort and commendable attitude and motivation. Additionally, those students must maintain a continuous exemplary performance and show the ability to overcome obstacles. Willowbrook Principal Dan Krause and Assistant Principal Doug Wildes welcomed the students and their family members to the April 14 breakfast in the school cafeteria. The students were nominated for the award by a staff member from one of the school's various departments. Each of the recognized students received a certificate of honor. The honored students (pictured left to right) included: (front row) senior Laima Licitis (art), senior Tera Wilson (social studies), senior Maria Congenie (English) and freshman Victoria Palma (science); (back row) senior Mark Jenkins (career and technical education), sophomore Noah Kamm (mathematics), junior Valbona Shamel (world languages), sophomore Brandon Smith (physical education), senior Alexa Henderson (learning services) and senior Eugene Ciesla (music).



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Team of Jefferson students qualifies for global event

A team of Jefferson Middle School students advanced to the 2016 Destination ImagiNation (DI) Global Finals with its first-place showing in this month's DI State Tournament at Northern Illinois University in DeKalb.

Destination ImagiNation is a non-profit organization that gives students the chance to work together to solve specific challenges. Teams competing in DI events explain their ideas and solutions during brief presentations to a panel of judges.

The Jefferson team, known as the Manly Lobsters, placed first in the middle school level's service learning challenge. The students had to identify a community need, hold an event to address that need and present their experiences during a DI event. The Manly Lobsters decided to promote awareness of mental health and depression in their school community. Working

with an area affiliate from the National Alliance on Mental Illness (NAMI), as well as Jefferson Middle School's social worker, the team created a plan to educate their fellow Jefferson students about mental health and depression awareness.

The Manly Lobsters' outreach project included homeroom activities during a school spirit week. Team members also designed bracelets and T-shirts to sell at school. The \$600 they raised was donated to NAMI.

The team received the Torch Bearer Award at the state tournament. The award was presented for the extraordinary impact the Manly Lobsters' project made on their school community.

The same team of Jefferson students also qualified for last year's international event. This year's DI Global Finals take place May 25-28 at the University of Tennessee, Knoxville.



Manly Lobsters...

Photo by Jon Morgan

A JEFFERSON MIDDLE SCHOOL team of students, known as the Manly Lobsters, qualified for the Destination ImagiNation (DI) Global Finals by earning a first-place finish at the recent DI State Tournament at Northern Illinois University. The team placed first in the middle school level service learning challenge at the state tournament, which took place on April 16. Members of the team (pictured left to right) are: (front row) team manager Teresa McBride, Elle Gillono, Mia McBride and Dyani Malec; (back row) team manager Heather Gillono, Sara Fitzgibbon, Stephanie Desbach, Lizzie McBride and Sandy Orizaba.



Preservation award...

Photo by Chris Fox

THE VILLA PARK HISTORICAL PRESERVATION COMMISSION presented four historical preservation plaques at Monday's Villa Park Village Board meeting. The Villa Park homeowners who received a plaque included Kevin and Jennifer Ng (above, center), who were recognized for their two-story English Tudor house on South Princeton Avenue. They are pictured with Carol Marcus (far right), the chair of the village's historical preservation commission, and commission member Roxanne Beausoleil (far left). According to Marcus, the Ngs' home, which was built in 1928, was the first house built by J.W. Reedy Realty.

Drop off unused prescription drugs at the VPPD on Saturday

The Villa Park Police Department and the Drug Enforcement Administration (DEA) will give the public an opportunity to rid their homes of expired, unused and unwanted prescription drugs with an upcoming collection event. The collection will take place from 10 a.m. to 2 p.m. on Saturday, April 30, at the police department, which is located at 40 S. Armore Ave.

The service is free and anonymous, no questions asked.

The DEA will not accept liquids, needles or sharps. Only pills and patches will be accepted.

According to information provided by the Village of Villa Park, medicines that languish in home cabinets are highly susceptible to diversion, misuse and abuse. Studies show that a majority of abused prescription drugs are obtained from family and friends, including from the home medicine cabinet.

Residents are advised to refrain from flushing unused medicines down the toilet or from throwing them in the trash. Flushing the medicines or discarding them in the trash reportedly poses potential safety and health hazards.

Board votes to add a 50-cent surcharge to garbage bills

Villa Park Village Board members voted unanimously during Monday's meeting to pass an ordinance that adds a 50-cent surcharge to residents' monthly garbage and recycling fee. The fee will take effect for the bills mailed at the end of May, which are due on June 20, 2016.

Roy Strom Refuse Removal Service, Inc., of Maywood, is the village's refuse and recycling provider. The company used to sell the recycling materials it collected from the village. In the last 18 months, however, the market to sell recyclable materials has fallen dramatically. Instead of making money by selling recyclable materials, Roy Strom is now paying \$33 per ton to transport and

recycle the items. A representative from the company spoke at the April 11 village board meeting and advised the board of the issue.

The village's contract with Roy Strom, which runs until June 30, 2018, contains a clause that allows the company to ask the village for assistance if the recycling market fails to generate revenue. Another clause in the contract allows the village to direct Roy Strom to forgo recycling and send recyclable materials into the garbage stream if the market isn't generating revenue. Village board members advised against that option at the April 11 meeting and advised the option of issuing a surcharge, which would be eliminated if the recycling market rebounds.

Garden Club of Villa Park holds its annual plant sale May 6-7

The Garden Club of Villa Park will hold its 21st annual plant sale on Friday, May 6, and Saturday, May 7. The plant sale will take place from 9 a.m. to 3 p.m. each day at the Villa Park Community Recreation Building, located at 320 E. Wildwood Ave.

The theme of this year's sale is heirlooms and herbs. The event will feature a variety of heirloom vegetables and herbs, as well as a selection of prairie and natural plants.

According to information provided by the garden club, the items available at the sale will include over 600 prairie plants and 19 different varieties of herbs. Hanging baskets and numerous vegetables will also be for sale.

The garden club will have experts on hand to provide advice to gardeners. Recipes and details about growing information will be provided.

The Garden Club of Villa Park was founded in 1936 with a mission to foster gardening and fellowship. All male and female gardeners, 15 years of age and older and actively interested in home gardening, are invited to join the club. The club's meetings take place at 7:30 p.m. at the Villa Park Community Recreation Building on the fourth Tuesday of each month.

For more information about the Garden Club of Villa Park, visit its Web site at www.homegardening.org.



Homeowners recognized...

Photo by Chris Fox

FOUR VILLA PARK FAMILIES received historical preservation plaques at Monday's Villa Park Village Board meeting. The Villa Park Historical Preservation Commission issued the plaques. "These present owners and caretakers are commended for their preservation and maintenance of these important structures that links the past with the future of Villa Park," stated Carol Marcus, the chair of the commission. "These buildings are significant to the history and development of the village and contribute to its character and heritage." The Friis family (above) was one of the families to receive a historical preservation plaque at Monday's meeting. The above photo shows Ryan and Amy Friis with their 4-year-old daughter Olivia. They received the plaque for their custom-built English Tudor style home on South Cornell Avenue. The two-story stucco house was built in 1928. The other Villa Park homeowners who received plaques at Monday's board meeting included Kevin and Jennifer Ng, who received a plaque for their home on South Princeton Avenue; Mitchell and Roseann Koyr, who were recognized for their home on South Michigan Avenue, and Jim and Pat Karczewski, who were honored for their house on South Summit Avenue. May is National Historic Preservation Month in Villa Park and across the country.

Orchesis Show...

WILLOWBROOK HIGH SCHOOL'S annual Orchesis Show will take place Friday, April 29, and Saturday, April 30. Each performance will begin at 7 p.m. in the school auditorium. Each night's show will feature about 25 dance numbers that will showcase a variety of music and dance styles. Every aspect of the Orchesis Show, including the choreography, costumes and lighting, will be run by students. The theme of this year's show is "A Night at the Movies." Audience members can expect to see dances performed to familiar songs from classic and popular films. Senior Ethan Wallace will host the show. Tickets will be available at the door and will cost \$7 for adults and \$5 for students and children ages three to 12. For more information, contact Maggie Lamb at mlamb@dupage88.net or Amy Peppi at apeppi@dupage88.net.



Volunteer for Saturday morning's Prairie Path cleanup in Villa Park

The Villa Park Community Pride Commission invites residents to take part in the 2016 Prairie Path Cleanup event, which will take place from 9 a.m. to noon on Saturday, April 30. Volunteers can report to the Villa Park Historical Museum, located at 220 S. Villa Ave. Members of the pride commission will be outside of the museum to provide garbage bags and water. Volunteers for the rain-or-shine event should bring their own work gloves.

For more information, contact the Villa Park Community Pride Commission at pride@invillepark.com.

Villa Park Public Library presents latest 'Star Wars' film on May 4

The Villa Park Public Library invites Star Wars fans to its "May the Fourth" screening of the 2015 film "Star Wars: The Force Awakens," on Wednesday, May 4. The film will be presented from 6:30-9 p.m. at the library, which is located at 305 S. Ardmore Ave. Registration is not required for the screening. For more information, call the library at 630-834-1164, or visit its Web site at www.vppil.info.

VPPD announces quarterly SALT meeting on May 11

The Villa Park Police Department will hold its next quarterly meeting for Seniors and Law Enforcement Together (SALT) on Wednesday, May 11. The meeting will begin at 11 a.m. at the Wildwood Community Center, located at 320 E. Wildwood Ave. Residents are invited to arrive at 10:30 a.m. to enjoy coffee, pastries and fellowship.

The meeting will include a presentation from Sandra Hill, the director of the Villa Park Library.

The Villa Park Senior Concerns Commission will sponsor a lunch for all guests immediately after the meeting.

For more information, call the Villa Park Police Department at 630-834-7447.

The 10th annual Kiefer run takes place June 18 at Willowbrook

"Lauren's Lager" tapping reception on April 28 at Rock Bottom Brewery in Lombard; download event forms at rememberlaur.com

The 10th annual Lauren M. Kiefer 5K Family Run/Walk will take place Saturday, June 18. The event, which begins at 9 a.m., will start and finish outside of Willowbrook High School. The race is named after 2000 Willowbrook graduate Lauren Kiefer. All proceeds from the event benefit the Lauren M. Kiefer Memorial Foundation, which supports several charitable causes, including scholarships to Willowbrook seniors. The foundation has provided about \$75,000 to students from the school since 2007.

Pre-registration is available online or through the mail. Additionally, race-day registration will begin at 7 a.m. on June 18.

The fee is \$25 per person. There is no charge for children 12 and under who are accompanied by an adult. A waiver form must be completed for each child to participate.

Participants must register by June 3 to

receive this year's 10th anniversary T-shirt.

Pre-registrants can pick up their race packets from 5-7:30 p.m. on June 17 at Fleet Feet Sports, located at 124 E. Schiller St. in Elmhurst.

The run/walk includes a raffle with a grand prize of a five-day condominium stay in Myrtle Beach, S.C.

For more information, or to register online, visit www.rememberlaur.com.

The 10th annual "Lauren's Lager" tapping reception will take place Thursday, April 28, at Rock Bottom Brewery, 94 Yorktown Shopping Center, Lombard. The event will run from 6 p.m. to midnight. Each "Lauren's Lager" sold during the event will generate 25 cents for the Kiefer Memorial Foundation. Additionally, 10 percent of all food bills will be donated if patrons present the event flyer available at www.rememberlaur.com.

VP Senior Concerns Commission holds senior fair on May 5

The Villa Park Senior Concerns Commission will hold a senior fair from 9 a.m. to 1 p.m. on Thursday, May 5. The event will take place at the community recreation building at 320 E. Wildwood Ave. Jewel/Osco Pharmacy will offer pertussis and shingles shots (with Medicare Part D; costs vary depending on insurance coverage). A pharmacist from Jewel/Osco will also review all of a senior's medications—attendees are advised to bring all of their medications. Jewel/Osco will also provide a dietitian who will speak about healthy eating. The Villa Park Fire Department will provide free blood pressure screenings, while the Villa Park Police Department will offer crime-prevention material. The fair will also feature the announcement of the commission's 2016 senior of the year. For more information about the senior fair, call Villa Park Village Clerk Hosanna Korynecky at 630-592-6077, or call the Villa Park Village Manager's office at 630-592-6052.

Sports

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Rams move to 12-3 with 2-0 victory over Bartlett

The Glenbard East girls soccer team rebounded from two straight losses to post three straight wins, including Saturday's impressive 2-0 victory over Bartlett in an Upstate Eight Conference Valley Division battle in Lombard.

Sophomore Ali Liljestrand's first-half goal gave the Rams a 1-0 lead over the visiting Hawks. Junior Dana Plotke supplied a second-half goal.

Senior goalkeeper Sierra Dana recorded her 10th shutout of the season for the Rams, who improved to 12-3 overall and 2-0 in Valley Division action. Bartlett's division record dropped to 2-1.

"We knew this would be a tough game," said Glenbard East coach Kent Overbey. "They [the Hawks] are very physical and dangerous up top. We did a great job of disrupting their

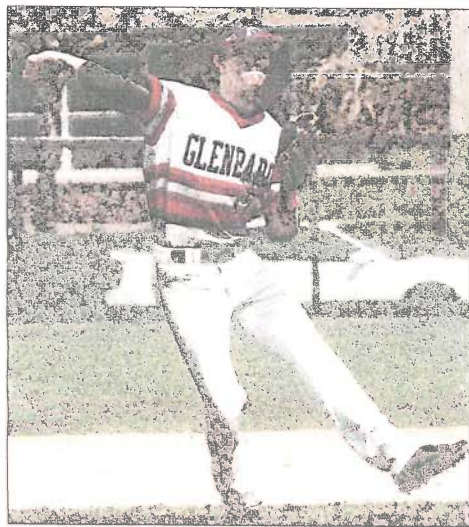
offense and holding possession.

Overbey noted the effort of sophomore defender Katie Hansen. He said Hansen joined the rest of the team's defensive unit to do an exceptional job in covering Bartlett's two forwards.

Glenbard East turned in nine straight shutout victories after opening the year with a 1-0 loss to Lincoln-Way East. The Rams' overall record dropped to 9-3 after losses against Wheaton Warrenville South (on April 14) and Downers Grove North (on April 16) at the PepsiCo Showdown.

The Rams began a new winning streak with a 3-1 win at Plainfield Central on April 19. Trailing 1-0 at halftime, Glenbard East responded with three second-half goals. Junior

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Rams win; Warriors lose...

GLENBARD EAST SENIOR shortstop Ryan Schefske (above) fires to first base for an out after fielding a ground ball during Saturday's 7-1 victory over Batavia. The win in Lombard gave the Rams an overall record of 12-6 and an Upstate Eight Conference record of 5-1. The Rams scored six runs in the bottom of the first inning. Junior Brett Tomlinson pitched a complete game, allowing no earned runs over seven innings. Tomlinson improved to 2-2. The Rams won two of three games in last week's series against Upstate Eight Conference Valley Division rival West Aurora.

WILLOWBROOK SENIOR Matt Pizur (below) throws a pitch during the second game of Saturday's West Suburban Gold Conference doubleheader against Hinsdale South in Villa Park. The visiting Hornets edged the Warriors 3-2 in 10 innings. Hinsdale South earned a one-run win in the opener game, beating Willowbrook 5-4. The Hornets completed a sweep of the three-game series with Monday's 4-3 win in Darien. Monday's loss gave the Warriors an overall record of 7-11 and a conference mark of 4-5.



Another shutout victory...

Photos by Chris Fox

SENIOR GOALKEEPER SIERRA DANA (above, right) of the Glenbard East girls soccer team punts the ball as sophomore Faith Davies (left) looks on during the second half of Saturday's Upstate Eight Conference Valley Division match against Bartlett. The Rams defeated the Hawks 2-0 in Lombard to improve to 12-3 overall and 2-0 in division play. Bartlett's division record dropped to 2-1. Glenbard East has shut out its opponents in 10 of its 12 victories. The Rams' schedule this week includes home matches against two nearby rivals. Glenbard East will play Willowbrook on Thursday and face Glenbard West on Saturday.



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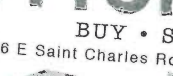
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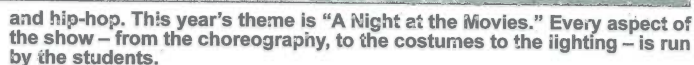
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Fenton girls track team wins own invitational

Bison take first in five events, edge Trinity for team titleBy Mike Miazga
Correspondent

The Fenton girls track team, on the strength of nine first- or second-place finishes, won its own Fenton Bison Invitational.

Fenton won the meet with 143 points. Trinity was a close second with 137 points.

Emmy Burris won the long jump for Fenton with a mark of 17-7 1/2. Fenton also won the 400 relay with a time of 50.2.

Maria Trentadue won the shot put with a throw of 35-10. Burris also won the 100 with a time of 12.6. Ashley Lira was victorious in the 200 with a time of 28.48.

Trentadue placed second in the discus with a throw of 97-4. Sarah Mason placed second in the triple jump with a mark of 32-3. Kaitlyn Jordan was second in the pole vault at 6-6.

Crystal Valadez was runner-up in the 300 low hurdles with a time of 52.2.

Hannah Matuszewski placed third in the long jump with a mark of 15-1. Fenton was third in the 3,200 relay with a time of 10:39.6. Valadez was third in the 100 hurdles with a time of 17.69. Jessica McCauley placed third in the 1,600 with a time of 5:50.25. Stephany Padilla was third in the 200 at 28.87. Fenton was third in the 1,600 relay with a time of 4:35.42. Skylar Dolecki tied

for third in the high jump at 4-4.

Marisol Garcia was fourth in the pole vault at 6-0.

Earlier, Fenton placed second at the Leyden Eagle Invitational. Fenton finished with 105 points, two points shy of first-place Morton.

Fenton won the 400 relay with a time of 50.77. The Bison also won the 800 relay with a time of 1:51.

Trentadue won the shot put with a throw of 33-2. Burris was second in the long jump

with a leap of 17-8. She also took second in the 100 with a time of 12.45. Katrina Krebsch was second in the triple jump with a leap of 34-6.

Cassidy Kelly was third in the 400 with a time of 1:06. Matuszewski took third in the 200 at 26.87.

Trentadue was fourth in the discus at 85-8. Lira was fourth in the high jump at 4-4 and was fourth in the triple jump at 31-9 1/2. Fenton also placed fourth in the 1,600 relay with a time of 4:31.

Addison Trail girls badminton team fares well at Elk Grove
Willowbrook boys track team working hard in early stages of outdoor seasonBy Mike Miazga
Correspondent

The Addison Trail girls badminton team had success on numerous fronts at the recent Elk Grove Invitational.

Mary Grace Mutia took first at No. 2 singles. Kasia Czepiel was first at No. 3 singles, while the No. 3 doubles team of Atsumit Flores and Jackie Deniz also placed first.

The No. 1 doubles team of Athena Kalkilories and Sabreena Majeed took third at No. 1 doubles, while the No. 2 doubles team of Yuritzy Varela and Sandra Cosio placed third as well. The No. 4 doubles team of Catherine Marshall and Nicolet

Bachmeier placed fourth.

"We had some good results at Elk Grove," said Addison Trail coach Eric Norberg.

Through late last week, Mutia was leading the team with a 15-4 record.

Addison Trail also recently scored dual-meet wins against Fenton and West Suburban Conference Gold Division entrant Leyden.

"The girls work extremely hard at making themselves better badminton players," said Norberg. "As a coach, that's all I can ask for."

Willowbrook boys track

Through late last week, the Willowbrook boys track team's

"The girls work extremely hard at making themselves better badminton players. As a coach, that's all I can ask for."

— Addison Trail coach Eric Norberg

lone outdoor action was at a meet at West Aurora. A prior event at Wheaton North was cancelled due to cold weather.

The Warriors have been paced thus far by senior distance runner Marco Martinez, junior sprinter Eddie Tribue, senior jumper Kevin Miller and junior distance runner Casey King.

This is Miller's first year out for the team. "We wish he had been here for all four," said Willowbrook coach TJ Artman.

King competed well at the West Aurora event. "Casey had a tremendous day at West Aurora," said Artman. "He also jumps and is improving significantly."

Artman said the team is

showing improvements, particularly in the throwing events. "We are looking for strong middle- and end-of-the-season performances from the entire squad."

Willowbrook's schedule is picking up considerably now. "We are about to get into the part of the season where guys are really starting to compete a lot and we get to work on lineups in different ways," said Artman. "We can experiment with relay teams and events guys are running now and try to figure out the best spots for them, and the best for the team performance as well."

Willowbrook hosts a meet Friday.

Willowbrook baseball team drops pair of one-run conference games

Zunkel pounds out four hits against Hinsdale SouthBy Mike Miazga
Correspondent

The Willowbrook baseball team may have 10 losses to its name through late last week, but a closer look tells a different story.

The Warriors lost eight of those games by three runs or less and four by one run. Willowbrook lost two one-run games in a doubleheader against West Suburban Confer-

ence Gold Division foe Hinsdale South.

The two losses left Willowbrook at 7-10 overall and 4-4 in WSC Gold play.

In a 5-4 Game 1 loss, Hinsdale South broke open a tie game to take a 5-2 lead into the seventh inning. Willowbrook scored two in the seventh, but could not get any closer. The Warriors had 10 hits.

Cam Zunkel had four hits. Matt Garbacz had two RBI, while Kyle Ferguson had an RBI. Zunkel took the loss. He went six innings and struck out five.

In a 3-2 loss in 10 innings,

Kyle Martyniuk had two hits. Jon Kelso had two RBI. Matt Pizur went 7 2/3 innings and struck out three. Garbacz went 2 1/3 innings and struck out four.

Willowbrook's 7-6 WSC crossover loss to Lyons Township saw the Warriors rally from a 7-2 deficit by scoring four runs in the sixth inning. Mark Molitor had two hits and an RBI. Martyniuk also had two hits. TJ Geritano had two RBI. Ronnie Reitz struck out two in four innings. He took the loss.

In an 11-1 WSC Gold win over Leyden in five innings,

Willowbrook scored two in the first, four in the second, two in the third and three in the fourth. Martyniuk had three hits. Zunkel and Kyle Ferguson each had two hits.

Geritano and Ferguson each had three RBI. Ben Espinoza had two RBI. Alec Michaelson was the winning pitcher. He went five innings and struck out three in a complete-game effort.

In a 3-1 loss in eight innings to Leyden, the two teams played to a 0-0 stalemate through seven innings. Leyden scored three in the eighth and Willowbrook scored its only

run in the bottom of the eighth.

Molitor had a hit, while Ferguson had an RBI. Garbacz pitched an eight-inning complete game. He struck out four.

Willowbrook scored seven runs in the first inning of an 11-1 WSC Gold Division win against Morton in five innings.

The Warriors had seven hits. Pizur had two hits, while Danny Olson had one hit. Ferguson finished with four RBI. Pizur had three RBI and Kelso had two RBI.

Zunkel pitched three innings and struck out four to pick up the win. Reitz pitched the last two innings and struck out two.

Rowell wins four events at meet for IC Catholic Prep boys track team

Smith sets girls school triple jump mark; Boys win St. Francis invite

By Mike Miazga
Correspondent

There has been plenty to celebrate of late for the IC Catholic Prep track teams.

IC Catholic Prep's boys team won the St. Francis

Invitational that also included host St. Francis, Westmont, Walther Christian, St. Edward and Aurora Central Catholic.

Knights' standout Jordan Rowell had another highly successful meet, winning four events.

"Jordan continues to show why he is one of the top performers in Illinois," said IC Catholic Prep coach Bob Cronin. "He dominated at St. Francis."

Rowell won the long jump with a mark of 21-2. He won

the 100 with a time of 10.76, won the 400 in 52.54 and won the 200 in 22.57.

IC Catholic Prep's 400 relay team of Luke Ricobene, Lazerick Eatman, Luke Calles and Aaron Taylor won with a time of 44.98.

Jack Ricobene was third in the 110 high hurdles with a time of 17.43 and has gone as low as 16.9 this year.

Chuck Hipskind won the 800 in 2:09.86, while Taylor was third in the 200 at 23.62.

Cronin noted the Knights' 800 relay team of Luke Ricobene, Eatman, Calles and Taylor would have won but were disqualified for an illegal exchange outside the zone.

The Knights' 1,600 relay

"Our sprint relay group continues to excel."

— IC Catholic Prep coach Bob Cronin

team of Luke Ricobene, Calles, Francisco Monteon and Josh Simmons won in 3:41.82.

Luke Ricobene also won the 300 hurdles with a time of 41.85, while his brother, Jack, took fourth.

Senior Will Lyles won the high jump at 5-8. Kris Askew won the triple jump with a mark of 37-5 3/4. Josh Simmons was third in the event at 36-10.

On the girls' front, freshman Jaida Smith set the school record in the triple jump at the Aurora Central Catholic quad with a leap of 33-4 3/4.

The IC Catholic Prep 800 relay team took first in a season-best 1:53.3 at the ACC meet and also won at the St. Francis Invitational. That group includes Kerry Mulligan, Smith, Katie Harvey and Kiersten King.

The Knights' 400 relay team won at ACC and placed second at St. Francis with a season-best time of 52.29.

"Our sprint relay group continues to excel," said Cronin.

King, a junior, won the 200 at ACC in a time of 26.50, which is below the Class 1A state-qualifying standard of 26.94.

Mikko Eguia took first at ACC in the 800 with a time of 2:32.1.

Willowbrook softball team sweeps doubleheader from Reavis

Dannenberg, Conforti pitching helps Warriors to pair of wins

By Mike Miazga
Correspondent

The Willowbrook softball team swept a pair of recent non-conference games from Burbank Reavis.

In a 5-1 win in the first game, Meghan Koterba had two hits. Megan Talan had a hit, while Sam Mishlove had a hit and an RBI. Talan had two RBI, while Zoe Dannenberg had an RBI.

Dannenberg was the winning pitcher. She pitched a complete game and struck out two.

In an 8-7 win in the finale, Sabrina Conforti was the winning pitcher. She struck out nine in seven innings.

Mishlove had two hits, while Talan and Dannenberg each had a hit. Katie Smith walked twice. Alexa Henderson walked twice and had an RBI. Koterba

had three RBI, while Brianna Richardson had an RBI.

In other recent action, the Warriors scored a 4-1 non-conference win against Wheeling.

Jordan Marczewski had two hits and two RBI. Dannenberg also had two hits. Talan had one hit, while Emily King had an RBI. Dannenberg was the winning pitcher. She struck out eight in seven innings.

In a 5-3 West Suburban Conference Gold Division win over Morton, Koterba had two hits. Talan had a hit and a walk. Mishlove also added a hit. Marczewski drew three walks. Richardson walked twice. Dannenberg had an RBI.

Dannenberg was the winning pitcher. She struck out nine.

In a 4-3 WSC crossover loss to Glenbard West, Willowbrook had seven hits. Smith led the way with two hits. Kaylin Schuda and Mishlove each had a hit. Dannenberg had two RBI, while Smith had an RBI.

Dannenberg struck out three in seven innings.

Bridging The Divide, In Politics And Beyond

'Ethics Guy' Weinstein shares how to be stronger leaders, citizens and friends

ELMHURST — Known as The Ethics Guy, Bruce Weinstein is a columnist and author who writes about character, leadership and "ethical intelligence," especially in the business world. He also helps organizations around the world hire high-character people, and shows business professionals how to make decisions that are consistent with their values.

Weinstein will present Bridging the Divide: How We Can Become Stronger Leaders, Citizens and Friends on May 12 beginning at 7 p.m. in the Founders Lounge of the Frick Center on the campus of Elmhurst College, as part of the Rudolf G. Schade Lecture Series on History, Ethics and the Law. Weinstein will be available to sign books after the lecture and copies of his books will be available for purchase.

Bruce Weinstein believes the key to professional and personal success is having not just emotional intelligence, but also ethical intelligence. Emotionally intelligent people are aware of how they and others feel; ethically intelligent people know how to use this awareness in the right way, and have the courage to do what is right.

Weinstein writes an ethics and leadership column for Fortune magazine online, and also has written for Bloomberg BusinessWeek and the Huffington Post. He has written three books, including The Good Ones: Ten Crucial Qualities of High-Character Employees; Ethical Intelligence: Five Principles for Untangling Your Toughest Problems at Work and Beyond; and, for teens and tweens, Is It Still Cheating If I Don't Get Caught? He has discussed ethical issues on CNN, CNBC, MSNBC, Fox News, The Today Show and Good Morning America.

Weinstein received a bachelor's degree in philosophy from Swarthmore College, and a master's degree and a Ph.D. in philosophy, with a concentration in bioethics, from Georgetown University and the Kennedy Institute of Ethics.

Admission is \$10 for the general public and free for Elmhurst College students, faculty, staff and alumni. Tickets are available by visiting elmhurst.edu/tix or call (630) 617-5186. This event is sponsored in part by BMO Harris Bank.

Art Guild plans next meeting

ADDISON — The Addison Art Guild has announced the program for its upcoming meeting on Thursday, May 12 from 7-9 p.m. at Addison Village Hall, One Friendship Plaza, Rooms 1301 A&B. Abstract Artist Stephanie Bieniek will present "Creating Abstract works with Fluid Acrylic using the 'Pour' Method."

Stephanie has been creating abstract works since 2001 starting with colored pencil and then oil paint. Now her main medium is fluid acrylic and using the "pour" method in which each painting is a unique statement of her style. This program is open free to the public.

The Art Guild also announced that May is membership month. Membership is \$25 per person, \$35 family of two, and \$100 corporate. The Addison Art Guild holds meetings with prominent artists demonstrating their various mediums from September through May, two yearly members' exhibits and four annual workshops (at discount fees for members). For more information or an application, write to AAG, One Friendship Plaza, Addison.

The Don of A New Day in Sports

I felt sorry for Jordan Speith and Ernie Els, both professional golfers who made mistakes at this year's Masters Tournament. Ernie six-putted on his first hole in round 1 and Jordan put two shots in the water on the back nine on the final day.

What these two golfers did was to help the game of golf, because now, a non-golfer or a fair golfer can say, "If a pro can make a mistake, so can I."

I encourage everyone to take up the game, but start with an inexpensive set of clubs and play at the Par-3 courses.

Some golf trivia to win a shirt:

Who was the "Golden Bear"?

Arnold Palmer's fans were called what?

How many majors did Tiger Woods win?

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Know Your Board: DuPage High School District 88 Board of Education

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There aren't enough reporters in Illinois to cover all of the 7,000 units of government that exist in this state. In 2016, Suburban Life is going to shine a light on some of the lesser known boards and councils of the western suburbs through the series Know Your Board.

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- Board's name: DuPage High School District 88
- Frequency of Meetings: The second Monday of every month
- Date of Meeting Attended: April 11
- Location: District Office at 2 Friendship Plaza, Addison
- Members of the Board: President Donna Craft Cain; Vice President Jay Irvin; Secretary Sharon Kucik; members Thomas Edmier, Timothy Gillen, Blanca Jessen and Lisa Lullo

- Length of Terms: Four years
- Next Election: April 4, 2017
- Territory: District 88 covers the communities of Addison, Villa Park, Lombard and Oakbrook Terrace; as well as portions of Elmhurst, Oak Brook, Bensenville, Itasca and Wood Dale.
- Annual Levy or Discretionary Funds: \$64,065,325 fiscal 2015 budget
- What they Talked About: Addison Trail senior Gabriela Jurkiewicz was recognized for her success in high school. Custodial supplies and a utility vehicle purchase were discussed, as well as the renewal of an athletic trainer contract. A list of bills exceeding \$5,000 for March was presented as well as the medical and dental insurance premium renewal dates for 2016-17.
- Interesting Tidbits: DuPage High School District 88 is made up of Addison Trail High School and Willowbrook High School. Nearly 70 percent of Addison Trail students are involved in sports or activities, and in 2014-15 Willowbrook graduates earned nearly \$6 million in scholarships.

Quotes:

- “I just want to thank everyone for the award, it’s really fantastic that you have this award in place, it makes me feel accomplished in my high school career. It is great ending the school year being honored with this award. I’m very fortunate to have gone to school at AT, it has really helped me become a better student and person. I live in a great community and I’m really glad that the community has noticed me,” Addison Trail senior Gabriela Jurkiewicz said.
- “Overall, our renewal for our two primary medical programs, one being the PPO and the other an HMO product, the PPO is going to be reflecting an increase next year of 5.5 percent ... and that will be offset by the HMO, which is actually going down by 0.3 percent. On average for next year we are looking at about a 2.6 percent increase overall,” District 88 Chief Financial Officer Ed Hoster said.

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