

Rams battle to a third-place finish at their own Springfest Invite

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The Glenbard East boys volleyball team won four of five matches on its way to claiming the third-place plaque at its own Springfest Invitational. The Rams' only loss in the 16-team event came to Lake Park in the semifinal round. Lake Park went on to beat two-time defending state champion Glenbard West in the first-place match. The Rams earned a three-game victory over West Aurora in the third-place match.

"At times I was happy with how we played," said Glenbard East coach Marci Maier at the end of the invite. "I think everybody played well at different points. Fundamentally, we've got some things we need to work on in practice. We're looking forward to continue to sharpen things up as the season goes on."

Glenbard East's overall season record stood at 10-3 through Saturday's five matches. The Rams began the week with a 29-27, 25-20 win over Naperville North on April 4. One night later, Glenbard East opened its Upstate Eight Conference schedule with a two-game victory over Elgin-Larkin.

The Rams advanced to the semifinals of Saturday's Springfest Invitational by winning three straight matches to claim first place in their four-team pool. Glenbard East opened the event with a 25-15, 25-12 win over Romeoville, followed by 25-7, 25-18 victory over Schaumburg. The Rams completed pool play with a 25-23, 25-23 win over Neuqua Valley.

Junior Filip Kwizdzinski provided eight kills in the win over Romeoville, while senior Adrian Cebula bashed seven kills. Senior Jake Eagan handed out 25 assists. Kwizdzinski and senior Justin Murphy both supplied six kills against Schaumburg. Senior Mason Arnold doled out 10 assists.

Eagan and Arnold contributed 13 and 11 assists, respectively, in the tight win over Neuqua Valley. Arnold also contributed eight kills. Cebula had six blocks and five kills, while sophomore Nick O'Brien made 12



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The Glenbard East boys volleyball team is pictured with the third-place plaque at the end of Saturday's Springfest Invitational. The Rams won four of five matches on their way to claiming third-place honors in their own 16-team event. Glenbard East won a three-game battle against West Aurora to win the third-place match. "At least we got some hardware," said Glenbard East coach Marci Maier in referring to the third-place plaque. She noted that the event's fourth-place finisher does not receive a plaque.

digs.

Shortly after beating Neuqua Valley 25-23, 25-23, the Rams found themselves on the losing end of that same score in their semifinal battle against Lake Park. The Lancers outlasted the Rams, prevailing 25-23, 25-23 to secure a spot in the invite's championship match.

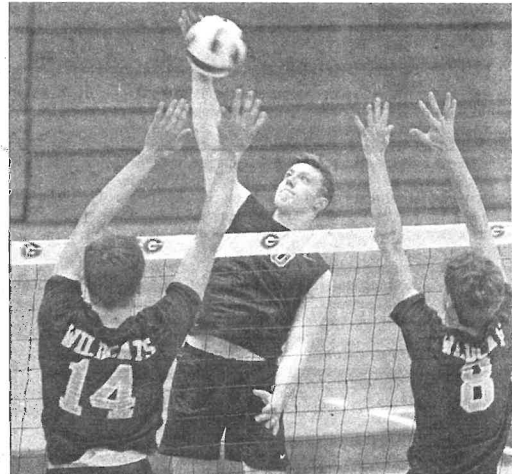
Murphy hit seven kills in the semifinal match against the Lancers. Arnold had 13 assists and six kills, while O'Brien made seven digs. Eagan had 11 assists.

The Rams won the first game of the third-place match against West Aurora. The Blackhawks won the second game to send the contest to

a decisive third game. Glenbard East prevailed in the hard-fought third game to earn a 25-17, 24-26, 25-23 win.

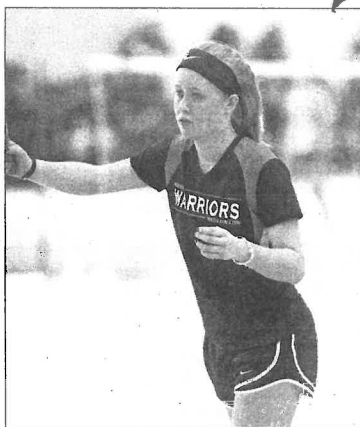
Cebula connected for eight kills in the third-place match. Murphy and Arnold had five and four kills, respectively. Arnold also provided 17 assists and six digs, while Murphy made 12 digs. Eagan gave out six assists, while O'Brien amassed 15 digs. "Our last three matches were all good matches," said Maier. "We were right there against Lake Park. We had opportunities in both games."

Lake Park beat Glenbard West 25-23, 17-25, 25-22 in the championship match.



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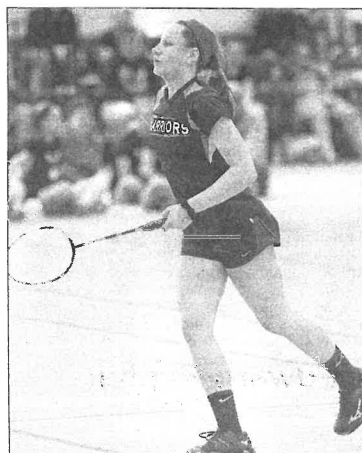
Senior Justin Murphy of the Glenbard East boys volleyball team is pictured during Saturday's Springfest Invitational in Lombard. The Rams won four of five matches on their way to winning the third-place plaque at their own event. Murphy is pictured during Glenbard East's victory over Neuqua Valley. That victory gave the Rams a perfect 3-0 record in pool play and propelled them into the event's semifinals. Lake Park beat Glenbard East in the semifinal round. The Rams beat West Aurora in the third-place match.



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A solid tournament for the Warriors

The Willowbrook badminton team finished second in its own 10-team invitational on Saturday. The event in Villa Park featured four flights in both singles and doubles. Pictured are sophomore Grace Wachholz, (above right) who produced a first-place finish for the Warriors in the No. 4 singles flight; senior Grace Chantos, (above left) who placed second at No. 1 singles; and sophomore Hanna Konrath, (left) who earned second-place honors at No. 2 singles. Willowbrook's No. 1 doubles team of seniors Sam Asher and Hannah Hewitt finished third, while the Warriors' No. 2 doubles duo of juniors Hailey Vogt and Millie Zachariah played to a second-place finish. Stevenson won the event's team title.

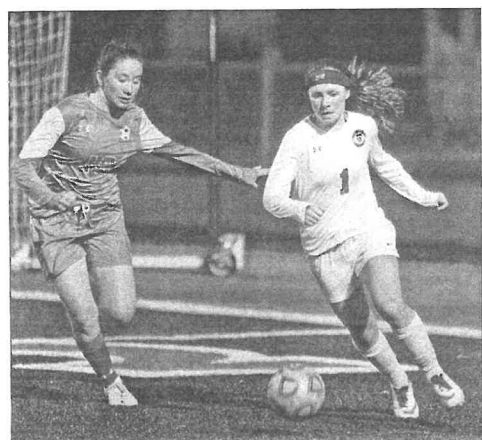


Former Ram stands out at Millikin

Lombard resident and 2016 Glenbard East graduate Kailey Lyons is off to a strong start in her freshman season with the Millikin University softball team. Earlier this month, Lyons was named the College Conference of Illinois and Wisconsin (CCIW) Player of the Week. An outfielder with the Big Blue, Lyons batted .609 (14-for-23) during her award-winning week. She helped Millikin to win five of six games, including a doubleheader sweep of conference rival Wheaton College on April 1. Lyons went 6-for-7 in the doubleheader. One day later, Lyons turned in a 3-for-8 performance at the plate to help Millikin sweep a conference doubleheader from Elmhurst College. Lyons, who spent four seasons on the Glenbard East varsity squad, is a psychology major at Millikin. Through April 9, the Big Blue had an overall 2017 record of 21-9. Lyons had a batting average of .441 (45 hits in 102 at-bats).



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Rams in action

The Glenbard East girls soccer team, which opened its season by winning five straight matches and claiming the title in the Windy City Classic, began its Upstate Eight Conference schedule with last week's match at Bartlett. The Rams trailed the Hawks 2-0 at halftime of the April 4 contest but battled back to earn a 2-2 tie. Juniors Elizabeth Toledo and Katie Hansen scored the Rams' goals in the second half. Junior Ali Liljestrand assisted one of Glenbard East's goals. The Rams suffered their first loss of the season two nights later, dropping a 2-1 decision to Batavia in Lombard. Glenbard East junior Mimi Camacho (No. 1, right) is pictured during the match. The Bulldogs took the lead with an early goal, but Hansen's goal tied the match at 1-1 with about 12 minutes left in the first half. Batavia scored what turned out to be the game-winning goal on a breakaway shot with 9.4 seconds left in the first half. The Rams' overall season record fell to 5-2-1 with Saturday's 3-0 loss to Lake Forest at the PepsiCo Showdown in Schaumburg. Lake Forest scored one goal in the first half and added two more goals in the second half.

Willowbrook seniors invited to apply for Athletic Booster Club scholarship

The Willowbrook High School Athletic Booster Club invites the school's seniors to apply for the 2016-17 Senior Athlete Scholarship.

To be a candidate for this scholarship, a student must be: a senior at Willowbrook, qualified to enter the school (college) of his/her choice on a full-time basis upon graduating from high school, and be affiliated with a varsity sport, poms and/or cheerleading during his/her senior year.

Candidates must file a completed

application form with the Scholarship Committee by 5 p.m. on Friday, April 21. When the form is complete, it should be saved as a Word document attached to an e-mail to warriorboostersscholarship@gmail.com. Include in the subject line of the e-mail the candidate's name and "scholarship application." For example: "John Smith scholarship application."

For the full scholarship rules, and to access the application form, go to <https://dupage88.net/site/page/983>.



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Rams win tournament title

The Glenbard East badminton team won the title at its own "Ram 7" Invitational on April 1. The Rams won the seven-team competition with a team total of 34 points to edge second-place Hersey, which accumulated 33 points. The Glenbard East team is pictured with the championship plaque. The Rams' duo of (pictured below left-left to right) senior Sam Katsikas and junior Bailey Ekstrand won the championship in the No. 1 doubles flight. Also pictured is the tandem of (below right-left to right) juniors Abby Ekstrand and Jessamy Villaroza, which won the No. 2 doubles title. Senior Aileen Morales and junior Ally Zimmerman added another victory for the Rams by teaming up to win the No. 3 doubles title. Katsikas and Bailey Ekstrand placed second in the No. 1 doubles flight of Saturday's 10-team invite at Willowbrook. Glenbard East tied for fourth in the overall team standings of Saturday's event.



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by Linda Thistle

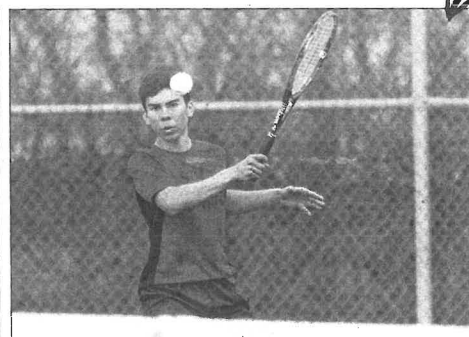
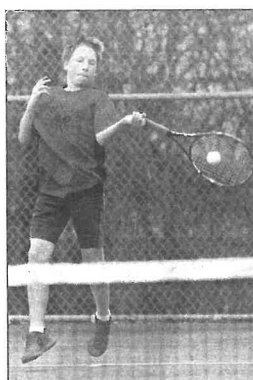
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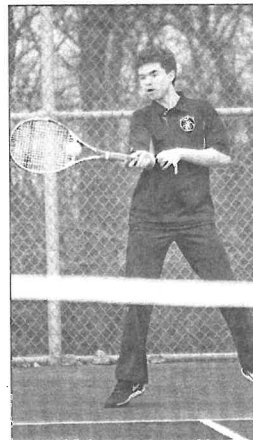
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Rams vs. Warriors

The Glenbard East and Willowbrook boys tennis teams squared off in last week's dual meet in Villa Park. The visiting Rams defeated the Warriors 5-2 in the April 4 contest. Glenbard East freshman Kevin Kruzel (pictured above left) earned a 6-0, 6-0 win in the No. 1 singles match. Also pictured is junior Brandon Pineda, (above right) who teamed with junior Georgi Solar in the Rams' 6-1, 6-1 victory in the No. 1 doubles contest against Willowbrook's team of senior Kevin Lobdell (pictured at left) and senior Habib Hassan. Sophomore Samir Mehta earned a 6-1, 6-1 win for the Rams in the No. 2 singles match, while sophomore Sahil Mehta produced a 6-3, 6-4 win for Glenbard East in the No. 3 singles contest. The Rams' No. 2 doubles team of senior Hasnain Khundmiri and junior Jon Isaj scored a 6-4, 6-2 win in the No. 2 doubles match. Willowbrook's No. 3 doubles duo of senior Arham Mohammed and sophomore Mark Lobdell captured a 6-2, 1-6, 6-3 victory. The Warriors also won the No. 4 doubles match, with juniors Taha Akhtar and Kiran Pentela teaming up for a 7-6, 7-5 victory. Glenbard East and Willowbrook joined Fenton and Addison Trail to compete in Addison Trail's weekend quad event. Glenbard East won the team competition, while Willowbrook claimed second. Kruzel went 3-0 to win the title at No. 1 singles, while Samir Mehta posted a 3-0 record to win the No. 2 singles title. The Rams' duo of Khundmiri and Isaj turned in a perfect 3-0 record to win first-place honors at No. 2 doubles.



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District 4 welcomes new School Board member *Frangidakis to fill vacancy left by Triantafillos*

Zack Frangidakis was elected as the newest member of the Addison School District 4 Board of Education in the Consolidated Election on April 4, 2017.

Frangidakis has lived in Addison since 2005. He and his wife have two young daughters, one of whom

is currently an ASD4 student. Frangidakis earned a Bachelors degree in Information and Decision Sciences from the University of Illinois at Chicago and he is employed as a Technology Systems Administrator in a K-8 school district. He has 15 years of experience working in

school and supporting the technology needs of students and staff and he also volunteers at his church supporting student technology needs.

Frangidakis will be taking the seat of Taso Triantafillos, who has served on the District 4 Board since 2013. Both Triantafillos and Fran-

gidakis work in the technology field and have emphasized their desire to keep schools up to date with technology initiatives that will benefit student education.

"We are grateful to Taso for his dedication to the students and taxpayers through his service on the

Board of Education over the past 4 years," said Dave Williams, Board of Education President, "and we will look forward to having the opportunity to work with Zack to continue to provide the best educational experience we can for Addison's children."

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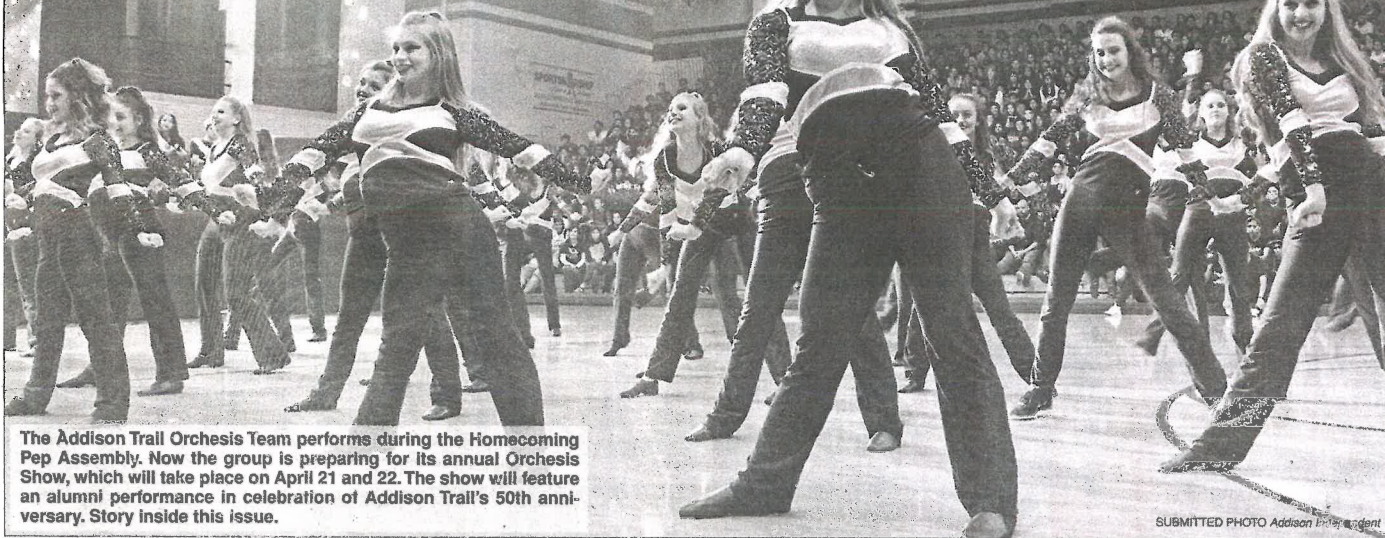
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AT to present 50th Anniversary Orchesis Show



The Addison Trail Orchesis Team performs during the Homecoming Pep Assembly. Now the group is preparing for its annual Orchesis Show, which will take place on April 21 and 22. The show will feature an alumni performance in celebration of Addison Trail's 50th anniversary. Story inside this issue.

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Addison Trail holds Career Week

From March 21 to 24, the Addison Trail Guidance Department hosted its annual Career Week, in conjunction with Junior Achievement of Chicago.

Throughout the week, guest presenters spoke with students about a variety of careers and answered students' questions about those fields. Addison Trail partnered with Junior

Achievement of Chicago to provide representation from various businesses and organizations throughout the Chicago area.

Nearly 30 speakers presented during Career Week, and 61 classes and 1,188 students participated. Career fields that were showcased included insurance, auto/tech, military, music, chemistry and accounting.



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Visitor offers collage workshop

Left: Tania Blanco gave a Mixed Media Collage workshop to artists sponsored by the Addison Art Guild on Saturday, March 25. Above: From left to right...Andrea Fox, Dee Dee Schneider and Margaret Swedzikowski



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(From left to right, top row to bottom row) Representatives from Tribeca Flashpoint College, Symbol Training Institute and the Village of Addison speak with students during Addison Trail's Career Week. The event took place from March 21 to 24 and involved guest presenters speaking with students about a variety of careers.



Community calendar

Thursday, April 13 Pastel demo for Art Guild

Rick Sajewick will be conducting a pastel painting demonstration starting at 7:30 p.m. at Addison Trail High School, Forum Room B. Info: call the Addison Art Guild at 630-924-1746.

painting starting at 7:30 p.m. at Addison Village Hall, One Friendship Plaza, Room 1301.

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Thursday, May 4 AAG welcomes oil painter

Marge Hall will be giving an oil

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Orchesis to perform 'Beyond the Lights'

On April 21 and 22, Addison Trail will present its annual Orchesis Show. Curtain time will be 7 p.m. both evenings and will be held in the AHS auditorium. Tickets will be sold at the door. They are \$7 for adults, \$5 for students and children ages 3-12, \$3 with an Activity Pass and are free with a District 88 Senior Gold Card.

This year's theme is "Beyond the Lights," and the show will feature about 25 dance numbers that showcase an array of styles such as hip-hop, jazz, lyrical, tap and modern/contemporary. There also will be a special performance by Orchesis alumni as part of Addison Trail's 50th anniversary celebration this school year.

One of those performers will be Addison Trail social studies teacher LeVonne Cescolini-Boyer, who graduated from Addison Trail in 1987 and has been directing the Orchesis Team for 25 years. Cescolini-Boyer said the alumni number is themed "Dance Again," and it will feature several songs (mixed together by Addison Trail Theatre Tech Assistant and class of 2009 alumnus Alex Holod) and genres such as tap, jazz and hip-

hop (choreographed by graduates Alexandra Longo, class of 2010, and Angela Pitello, class of 2015).

Cescolini-Boyer said about 20 former Orchesis Team members will take the stage again, spanning from the class of 1985 to the class of 2015. There also will be a PowerPoint with Orchesis photos from throughout the years, a display of posters from previous shows and appearances by former hosts.

Seniors Riley O'Donnell and Chiara Levato are Co-Presidents of Orchesis and said this year will be a show to remember.

"This year, we have a lot of elaborate sets and a large, diverse team," O'Donnell and Levato said. "It also will be special because of the added element of the school's 50th anniversary."

Every aspect of the show - from the choreography to the costumes to the lighting - is run by the students, and the production involves about 100 dancers, crew members and staff members.

For more information, contact Orchesis Co-Sponsor Amy Ferraro at 630-458-4170 or aferraro@dupage88.net



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Luis Marroquin of Addison (left) networks with Anna Cobb and Fausto Perez from JD Norman industries during a previous Job Expo. Addison Trail and the Village of Addison will host another Job Expo on April 22.

Addison Job Expo to take place at AHS

On April 22, the Village of Addison and Addison Trail will host the third Addison Job Expo - and all residents are invited to attend.

The expo will take place from 9 a.m. to 12:30 p.m. at Addison Trail, 213 N. Lombard Road in Addison. During the event, participants will have the opportunity to meet face to face with local employers and submit their résumé.

The Village of Addison is home to a wealth of successful companies and businesses, as well as a skilled and motivated workforce. The Addison Job Expo will bring employers and employees together to continue to improve the community and further develop the Addison Advantage.

The expo is an initiative of the Addison Workforce Development Committee, which is comprised of the

Village of Addison and local businesses and organizations. The focus of that group is two-fold:

Collaborate to provide opportunities to train students and adults for jobs available in the area (as well as offer programs such as internships and job shadowing)

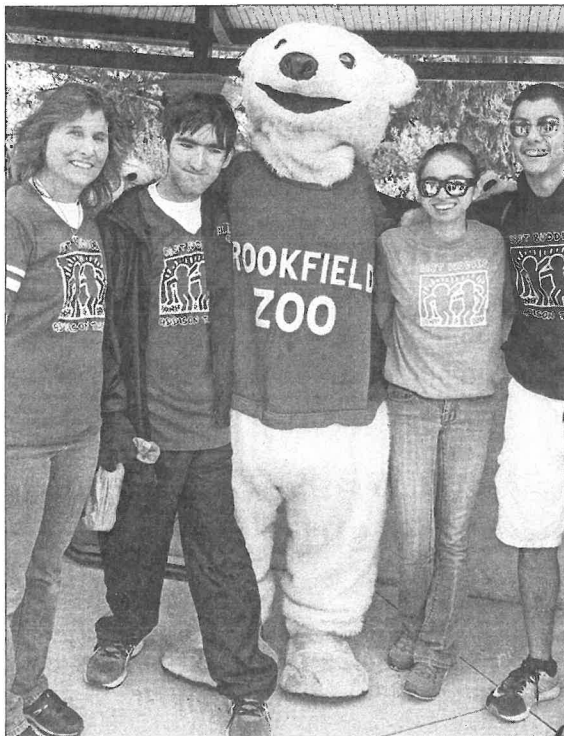
Develop a directory of local businesses (including contact information, open positions and skills employees need to have)

The committee's goal is to discover the needs of employers and train local students and adults to meet those needs.

The Job Expo is one way to meet that goal. For more information, contact Mary Heneghan at the Village of Addison at 630-693-7510 or mheneghan@addison-il.org.



Above: Members of the Addison Trail Best Buddies Club participate in a previous Best Buddies Friendship Walk. This year's event will take place on May 6 at Brookfield Zoo. Below: (From left) Addison Trail Special Education Aide Patty Hochheimer, student George Pappas-Papaloannou, alumna Alexandria Toay and alumnus Michael Bellino enjoy a previous Best Buddies Friendship Walk.



ATHS preps for Best Buddies Friendship Walk

Members of the Addison Trail Best Buddies Club will participate in the Best Buddies Friendship Walk on May 6 at Brookfield Zoo.

According to its web site, the Best Buddies Friendship Walk is the No. 1 walk in the country raising awareness and funds to support individuals with intellectual and developmental disabilities (IDD). The walk plays a key role in funding Best Buddies programs dedicated to one-to-one

friendships, leadership development and integrated job opportunities for individuals with IDD. Since the walk's inception in 2009, more than 70,000 participants in 46 cities have walked to raise awareness for inclusion, friendship, leadership and opportunity for people with IDD.

To make a donation to help Team Addison Trail reach its fundraising goal, go to <http://tinyurl.com/lfjogd3>.

Addison Trail Softball Team hosts clinic, travels to St. Louis

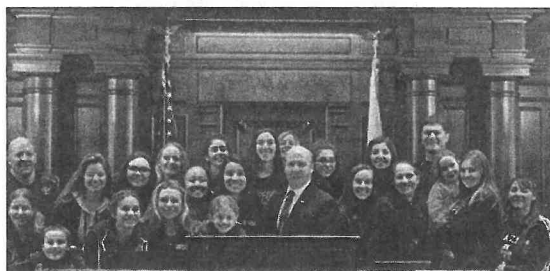
On March 22, members of the Addison Trail Softball Team hosted a clinic for younger players. More than 50 girls ranging in age from 8 to 13 years old participated in the event, where they learned/improved their skills in pitching, hitting, field throwing and base running.

And from March 24 to 28, members of the team traveled to the St. Louis area. During their visit, they played against Lanphier High School and won 15-4. They also were able to practice at Southern Illinois University Edwardsville, where they reconnected with Addison Trail alumna Nicolette Napoli (class of 2016). The team visited St. Louis Science Center, St. Louis Zoo and City Museum in St. Louis as well. On the way back to Addison, the girls toured the Lincoln Home National Historic Site and the Illinois State Capitol, where they met State Sen. Tom Cullerton.

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These two players take a short break during the Addison Trail Softball Team's clinic on March 22.



From March 24 to 28, members of the Addison Trail Softball Team traveled to the St. Louis area. (top left): The student-athletes pose by the Gateway Arch in St. Louis. (top right): The team tours the Lincoln Home National Historic Site in Springfield. (left): State Sen. Tom Cullerton (center) poses with the team at the Illinois State Capitol in Springfield.

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SPORTS

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Pitching powering

Addison Trail baseball team's Villasenor posts
36 strikeouts in first 19 innings of work

By Mike Miazga
CORRESPONDENT

Addison Trail baseball coach Mike Kennedy thought his team would be pitching-rich this season. And in the early going of the 2017 season, that certainly has been the case. While the Blazers sat at 2-2 through mid-last week, stellar pitching had helped the squad stay ultra-competitive in all four games. Not included in that total was a 2-2 stalemate after 11 innings against defending West Suburban Conference Gold Division champion Hinsdale South. "We were one out away from beating them at their place—the defending conference champions," Kennedy noted.

"They hit a home run in the bottom of the seventh to tie it up. Our guys are confident and our pitching has been outstanding." In particular, staff ace Nick Villasenor has been nearly unhittable. Through mid-last week, Villasenor had pitched in 19 innings (3 games) and had surrendered only two earned runs while striking out a staggering 36 batters in those 19 innings.

"The most impressive thing is Nick hasn't walked anybody," said Kennedy. "He's been outstanding." Kennedy also praised the mound work of Bobby Daniels. "Bobby is another guy who has been outstanding for us. He's given up three earned runs in 15 innings—that's just outstanding," he said. "Our pitching is on fire and our bats are starting to come around. It's been a learning curve for our young-er guys. We are starting to come

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—Mike Kennedy, Addison Trail baseball coach

around' and guys are getting more confident."

At the plate, sophomore shortstop Michael Scali has been effective. "Michael is hitting real well," said Kennedy. "He's made the adjustment to varsity ball really well." Ricky Perez, Simon Marinelli and Jack Kalbas also have been aiding the offensive attack for the Blazers. "Ricky has been outstanding with his bat out of the No. 3 spot," said Kennedy. "Simon is leading off for us and getting on base. In the first three games, Jack Kalbas was on base six times. He's very disciplined as a hitter. He's a big nuisance on the base path. He'll take second and third on you on two pitches."

While Addison Trail's pitching has been strong, Kennedy pointed out the staff has received an extra jolt from the play of Marinelli behind the

plate.

"Simon behind the plate stops the other team's running game," he said. "We talk about Simon's offense, but he's an outstanding defensive catcher. He works for the pitchers. He works for strikes. If a team gets on first base he throws them out stealing."

Kennedy noted the two games the squad has lost have been instances where some defensive miscues have been costly in close situations.

"We've been in every game," he said. "We lost 2-1 to Glenbard North and gave up two unearned runs in the top of the sixth. We kicked a couple balls around. We lost 4-2 to Larkin and we kicked a couple of balls. In every game we're keeping teams in check—they aren't scoring a lot of runs on us. The most runs we've given up is four. If we can continue to do that and our hitting keeps coming around, hopefully we can start stringing together some wins. We know the next two weeks we're playing games every day and we're getting into the heart of conference play. We're out there throwing strikes and our guys want to play defense. It keeps the game moving. The game against Hinsdale South, we played 11 innings in two hours and 15 minutes. Our guys can play. They put in the work in the off-season and we're starting to see that pay off now. Our record says 2-2, but we're a much better team than that and we're starting to see that."

Willowbrook baseball team splits pair of games

Warriors go 7-1
through first eight
contests

By Mike Miazga
CORRESPONDENT

The Willowbrook baseball team split a pair of recent non-conference games against Andrew and Oak Park-River Forest.

In a 10-9 win over Andrew out of Tinley Park, Alec Michaelson had three hits and an RBI. MJ Ranieri had two hits, two runs scored and two RBI. Ben Espinoza, Jon Kelso, Mason Kamp and Dan Gusel each had a hit. Gusel, Trevor Jalszynski and Mike Dembowski each had an RBI. Gusel's double capped a seven-run seventh inning that won the game for Willowbrook.

The Warriors scored nine of their

10 runs over the final two innings of the game. Willowbrook had nine hits.

In addition to Gusel, Ranieri and Kamp each had a double. Kyle Ferguson drove in two runs.

Scott Kohrt was the winner in relief. He threw the final two innings and allowed no hits and no earned runs. Jack Hines started and went 3 innings. Will Hines pitched two innings.

Willowbrook then dropped a 3-2 West Suburban Conference cross-over contest to Oak Park-River Forest.

Oak Park led 2-1 after the first inning and 3-1 after five.

The Warriors had six hits in the game and made two errors. Kelso went 2-for-4 with two runs scored. Ferguson had a hit and an RBI. Ranieri had an RBI. Dembowski had a hit, as did Gusel. Kamp went 1-for-1.

Dembowski had a double and Kelso had a triple.

Ferguson, Gusel and Kelso each stole a base.

Jack Nilles took the loss. He went four innings and allowed only five hits while striking out five. Vince Ruchala pitched the final two innings and struck out two.

In the JV game against Oak Park, Willowbrook led 9-1 after two innings on its way to a 10-3 win in three innings.

Espinoza had two hits, a run scored and an RBI. Nilles had a hit, a run scored and two RBI. Marshall McDonell, Nick Sabatino, Kamp, Jonn Taylor and JT Ceh also each had an RBI. Nilles doubled in the game.

Eric Gunst was the winning pitcher. He went two innings and struck out one. Ryan Carperos and Mike Cameron followed on the mound in the three-inning game.

What we did on spring break

Addison Trail softball
team embarks on fun
southern Illinois road trip

By Mike Miazga
CORRESPONDENT

The Addison Trail softball team brought back a fun spring break story to tell.

The Blazers embarked on an eventful spring-break trip to southern Illinois that ended up being loaded with activity on and off the field.

The Blazers started out the trip with a win against Springfield Lanphier High School.

The Blazers were then rained out in a Saturday doubleheader at Mascoutah. Sunday was spent sightseeing in St. Louis.

The Monday of spring break saw Addison Trail practice at Southern Illinois University-Edwardsville.

"They have an unbelievable softball facility there," said Olson. "They have an indoor only softball facility that is connected to their stadium. It's fantastic and the school was super-accommodating."

Addison Trail also was rained out in a doubleheader against Roxana. The team ended up back in the Springfield area where it took a tour of the state capitol in Springfield and met with Illinois Senator Tom Cullerton, who is based out of Villa Park (23rd district).

The team then dropped a game to downstate Morton (not to be confused with the Morton that plays in Addison Trail's division of the West Suburban Conference).

"We took it on the chin against Morton," said Olson. "I think we ran out of steam."

Olson said the entire trip, despite a lack of games, was a major success.

"It turned into a Springfield trip," he said. "Nonetheless, it paid off. It was great for team chemistry and team bonding. The girls had a great time. We always have plans B and C in place in case of the weather. We wish the weather was better, but there still was a lot of moving around. We made sure there was not a lot of dead time. St. Louis is a great city. We had some warmer weather but we couldn't catch a break with the rain. The other schools were great. We went out to dinner with the girls from Lanphier and Morton had a beautiful facility."

Olson has been pleased with a variety of things in the early part of the season. "I love the attitude and the effort," he said. "We have no shortage of effort and good approach. We only lost three girls from last year, so we have quite a few back. We started two freshmen last year, so we're still pretty young. We have a lot of juniors and sophomores and we have a nice senior class."

Addison Trail has been playing without the likes of multi-sport athlete Nicci Souza and outfielder Katie Laert.

Olson lauded the recent play of Vincenza Zaccaro, Alyssa Pham, Jessica Bach, Marie Baumgartner, Sophia Hawkins, Ally Pohlad, Valentina Pentrelli, Gianna Fugarino and Gianna Trippiedi.

"Vincenza has been ripping the heck out of the ball," he said.

"Alyssa was hurt most of last year and has come back and is really striking the ball. Jessica is a senior captain and has quietly been there three years at third base. There's been a couple games over the years where she hasn't been there because of something like an AP test and we missed her. You realize how valuable her leadership is."

"Marie is a four-year player. Sophia and Ally were with us as freshmen, so that was kind of a baptism by fire. Valentina is a freshman who is splitting time at first with Gianna Fugarino. And Gianna Trippiedi is helping us at catcher. There are a lot of familiar faces who are growing on the field from last year to this year. The good thing is we were able to hit the ground running at the start of practice."

Just after returning from the trip, the Blazers dropped a 9-8 non-conference game to Rolling Meadows.

"The weather has not been a champion of softball so far this season," said Olson, echoing what all area outdoor sports coaches have been saying in regards to lack of outdoor practice time and game availability of late due to the rough weather.

The Blazers were scheduled to play Larkin, Niles West and Proviso West this week in non-conference games.

Addison Trail boys volleyball team downs Hinsdale South

Blazers boys track team ready for outdoor season

By Mike Miazga
CORRESPONDENT

The Addison Trail boys volleyball team recorded a recent 25-21, 25-15 win over Hinsdale South in West Suburban Conference Gold Division play.

The win upped Addison Trail to 3-2 overall and 1-0 in conference.

One area of recent improvement for the Blazers of late has been on the defensive end. "Our defense has really picked up in the last week," said Addison Trail coach Chad Grant late last week. "We have some strong returning passers and some new players who are getting acclimated to serve-receive at the varsity

level. I expect us to become stronger with this as the season goes on. We have the size to be a strong blocking team."

Grant has pinpointed serving as a must work-on situation for this team. "We have a lot of work to do from the service line," he said. "We need to serve a lot tougher and be more consistent."

Jacob Grygo was cited for strong play at the setter's position in the early going of the season.

"Jacob is doing a great job running our offense," said Grant. "I am very confident in the setter position."

Grant also has been thrilled with the way his team has rallied after injuries to key players. "I am impressed with the ability of our players to make adjustments," he said. "We have played all our matches missing two or three starters due to

injuries. The boys haven't made excuses. The next man steps up."

Justin Werderitch has stepped into a middle row position of late. "Justin is a sophomore and has no experience playing the position," Grant pointed out. "He has learned a lot in a very short period of time."

Addison Trail is without outside hitter Michael Chiarmonte who is out for the season with a knee injury. Alex Murillo, a 6-7 middle blocker, is out until May with a hand injury. "We are a work in progress right now," said Grant. "We expect to be a very competitive team come play-off time. We are preparing as if Alex will be out for the season, but he will be a huge addition if he returns on time."

Addison Trail boys track

Addison Trail scored only 15 points at the West Suburban Con-

ference Gold Division indoor meet. The Blazers were shorthanded at the meet due to injuries and other circumstances that affected 10 events.

Blazers coach Bruce Kelsay said the team is strong in the sprints and hurdles, while the throwing events are showing promise as well. "Sprints and hurdles are our strength. We are very deep," he said. "Our throwers have shown the greatest improvement so far this year."

Senior Darrion Conrad is a returning state qualifier. "Darrion is highly motivated to return to state in the 200. He's been working extremely hard," said Kelsay.

Alex Gunnerson is jumping close to 40 feet in the triple jump, while Mike Rene is throwing almost 43 feet in the shot put.

Kelsay also is high on the team's 800 and 1,600 relay teams. "When healthy, we have a chance to qualify

downstate in the 4-by-200 and 4-by-400," he said.

Senior Luis Vargas is showing good improvements in the 1,600. "Luis has been steadily improving and will be a factor in every meet," said Kelsay.

Addison Trail has around 75 athletes in the program. "That is the most ever," said Kelsay. "The underclassmen have shown strong development during indoor season and should score very well at the frosh-soph level."

Kelsay is looking forward to the outdoor season. "The indoor conference meet was a disappointment, but the team has rebounded very well," he said. "Our goal is to make strides each week and peak at the conference and state-qualifying meets. Hopefully we will have several individuals and a couple relays make it downstate."

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Willowbrook's King wins indoor track 800 title

By Mike Miazga
CORRESPONDENT

The Willowbrook boys track team has some strong momentum on its side heading into the outdoor season.

The Warriors closed out the indoor season at the West Suburban Conference Gold Division meet where Casey King, a senior captain, won the 800-meter title.

Willowbrook took fifth as a team.

Coach TJ Artman also is excited about the size of his roster, which numbers near 70 this season.

Artman noted the team's 800 runners will be competitive this season, while field events also are a strong

suit.

"We have seniors leading the way in the field events with some lower-level guys working to break into the lineup," he said.

The coach also is pleased with the prospects for his relay teams. "We have a group of guys that has been relaying with each other for several seasons now, even on the lower levels," said Artman.

In addition to King, Willowbrook also is led by captains Will Schuller (hurdles), Lucas Olson (throws) and Zach Walenga (throws).

"We are working toward improving our WSC finish. We are not hap-

py about a fifth-place score," said Artman. "We're super positive. We have a team filled with guys who really enjoy the sport of track and field."

Willowbrook softball

The Willowbrook softball team started the season with non-conference losses to Plainfield Central, Riverside-Brookfield, Morris and Herscher.

"We are hitting well, but leaving a lot of runners stranded," said Willowbrook coach Rachel Karos. "Defensively we are getting hit hard. We need to find a way to get outs."

Fenton softball's Geraci collects 100th career hit

Bison baseball team edges IC Catholic Prep

By Mike Miazga
CORRESPONDENT

Fenton softball player Jenna Geraci achieved a memorable milestone recently.

Geraci collected her 100th career hit in Fenton's recent Metro Suburban Conference Blue Division loss to Wheaton Academy.

In other recent action the Bison lost 7-6 to Bloom Township in non-conference action.

Through five games, Geraci was leading the team in hitting at .500, while Isa Lozada and Keila Lozada both were hitting .333.

"Isa is a sophomore who has really been looking good through all our practices and in the early games," said Fenton coach Dave Mello. "She has a great chance to be one of the best players we've had in recent memory."

Overall, Mello has seen positives at the plate. "We have had a lot of really good at-bats early in the season.

For the most part, we've looked pretty good at the plate."

Mello noted Fenton must continue to work on the defensive side of things. "Too many errors have put a lot of stress on our pitchers," he said.

Speaking of pitching, Mello lauded the efforts of senior Taylor Spizirri and freshman Gianna Mendoza in the circle.

"They combined to walk only six batters through the first five games," he said. "They are throwing lots of strikes, which is why we need our defense to improve."

Fenton was scheduled to play Timothy Christian, IC Catholic Prep and Fenwick earlier this week.

"The rain has really made it difficult to settle into a routine," said Mello. "With so much rain, it has also affected practices because it's difficult to find much indoor time to practice."

Fenton baseball

The Fenton baseball team used a big fifth inning to record a recent 6-5 Metro Suburban Conference Blue Division victory over IC Catholic Prep at Redmond Park in Bensenville.

Fenton trailed 3-0 after three in-

nings and 4-2 after four innings, but used a five-run fifth inning to pull ahead for good.

The Bison had 10 hits in the game.

Fenton badminton

The Fenton girls badminton team has a win this season against Plainfield Central.

Leading the way for Fenton is a group of seniors in Amanda Perry, Sheeza Anwar, Rimsha Naseer, Kelly Kuman, Kelly Keane and Iram Hameeduddin.

At No. 1 doubles, Naseer and Anwar had five wins through late last week. Perry and Keane had three wins at No. 2 doubles, while Kuman and Hameeduddin had three wins at No. 3 doubles.

In singles, Perry had three wins at the No. 1 position. Kuman had three wins, as did Anwar.

"This group has shown tremendous leadership and is the core of the team," said Fenton coach Brian Hastings.

Hastings also lauded the play of juniors Jennifer Reyes and Galilea Rivera at No. 4 doubles.

Sophomores Sammen Naseer and Monse Valois had three victories as a doubles team.

tin Reed went 2-for-4 with a run scored and two RBI. John Hoffman was 1-for-3 with a run scored and an RBI. Matt Sutton had a hit and an RBI, as did Brendan Russ and Joey Salvi. Ryan Malek walked twice and scored a run. CJ West walked, scored a run and had an RBI, while Griffen Eichhorn had a hit and an RBI. Sutton doubled in the game and Morris had a triple and a sacrifice fly. Reed stole two bases, while Hoffman and Morris each stole one.

Russ was the winning pitcher. He went six innings and allowed only five hits and one earned run while striking out seven and walking one. Hoffman pitched the seventh inning

and struck out two.

IC Catholic Prep followed that up with an 11-1 MSC crossover win against St. Edward. The Knights used a six-run fifth inning that helped to enact the 10-run rule in the sixth. IC Catholic Prep had 11 hits.

Sutton went 2-for-4 with a run scored and two RBI. Morris had a hit and two RBI. Reed went 2-for-3 with two runs scored and an RBI. Russ had a hit and an RBI. Hoffman went 3-for-3 with two runs scored and two RBI. West had a hit and an RBI. Michael Hoffman scored a run and had an RBI. Amani Reed had a hit and scored two runs. Seven Knights players had at least one hit.

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PRIP ROUNDUP

Offense powers York baseball during hot streak

Glenbard East's Tomlinson tosses no-hitter; Timothy Christian tops Westmont

SUBURBAN LIFE MEDIA

ELMHURST – The offense has been in high gear for York's baseball team lately. The Dukes have scored six or more runs in their last five games and are 4-1 in that span.

The lone loss was an 8-6 setback against Lockport on April 12. Mike Pasutovic singled to score Ryan Ross in the top of the seventh, but that was the end of the Dukes' rally as they slipped to 9-2 on the season. Pasutovic went 3 for 4, Ryan Ross was 2 for 4 with an RBI, Kevin Lipkin scored twice, and Ian Steinroth drove in two runs.

The previous day, York scored four times in the top of the seventh for an 8-6 win against Glenbard West. Charlie Pakenas pitched an inning of scoreless relief in the bottom of the seventh to earn the save, and the big rally made a winner of Burke Corcoran. At the plate, Andrew Deardurff was 2 for 4 with a triple, three RBIs and two runs scored and Pasutovic drove in two runs.

In a 6-5 win against Addison Trail on April 8, Joey Chiappetta had a two-run triple and Deardurff was 2 for 4 with a run and RBI.

BASEBALL

Glenbard East

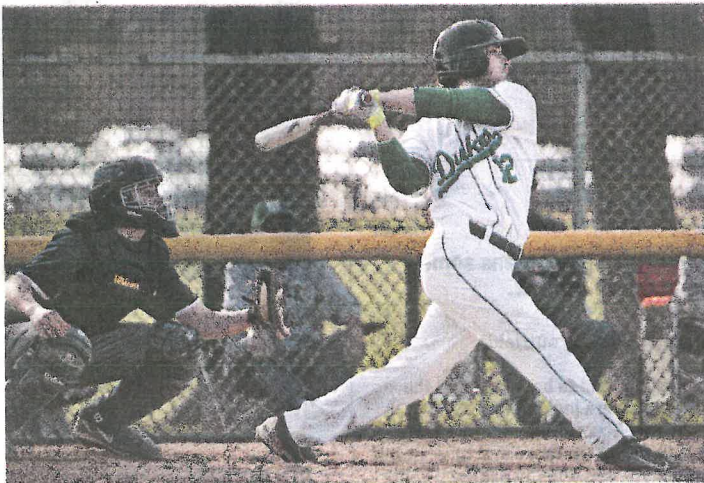
Brett Tomlinson had a game to remember against Morton on April 12. He allowed no hits and needed just 80 pitches to get through six innings. A leadoff walk in the bottom of the fourth was all that stood between Tomlinson and a perfect game in the Rams' 10-0 win. Tomlinson finished with 11 strikeouts.

Nathan Bertuca and Brandon Quigley both drove in two runs and scored twice. William Brown had two RBIs.

IC Catholic

A groundout by Christopher West that scored Paul Morris and a single by John Hoffman that scored Austin Reed were enough to lift the Knights to a 2-1 win against Wheaton Academy on April 11.

The two runs in the bottom of the first came after the Warriors scored on



Jon Cunningham - For Shaw Media

York's Nick Lee hits an RBI double April 8 in a home game against Addison Trail. The Dukes won 6-5 in the third game of a four-game winning streak that ended with an 8-6 loss against Lockport on April 12.

an inside-the-park home run in the top of the frame.

Reed struck out seven over seven innings to earn the win as the Knights improved to 6-8 on the year.

Montini

A run in the sixth and two more in the top of the seventh helped Brother Rice get past the host Broncos 6-2 April 12 in Lombard.

Matt Pestel hit a solo home run for Montini, and Jake Karczewski also scored a run.

Timothy Christian

In a back-and-forth game, the Trojans found a way to go forth at the right time. Timothy broke an 8-8 tie in the top of the fifth inning and held on for a 10-8 win against Westmont on April 12.

Jonny Strube singled to start the inning, moved to third on Jimmy Allen's double, and came home on a wild pitch. Josh Anderson's double scored Allen.

The two decisive runs made a winner of Strube, who pitched 3 1/3 innings in relief of Brian Schiff. Anderson worked two innings for the save.

Allen went 3 for 3 and got on base all five times he went to the plate. Anderson was 2 for 4 with two runs and two RBIs, and Schiff had the big blow with a three-run double.

Timothy Christian

The Trojans brought out the bats in a 24-14 win against Walther Christian on April 11.

Timothy scored 11 times in the top of the seventh to secure the win.

Emily Gifford was 3 for 5 with five RBIs and five runs scored. Hope Zastrow scored three times and drove in three runs. Liv Schuringa drove in two runs and scored twice, and Allison Heersink, Emily Penning and Kelly Tاملing each scored three times.

York

The Dukes suffered a 12-2 loss against Conant on April 7. Julia Derkowski drove in a run, Mia Tran went 2 for 2 with a double and a run scored, and Izzy Smith also scored.

BOYS TRACK AND FIELD

Montini

Mitch West was a dual winner in the 100-meter dash (11.70 seconds) and 200 dash (23.08) and Max May won long jump with a mark of 19 feet, 8 inches at the St. Charles East invite April 8.

Scott West was second in high jump (5-6), and the 4x100 relay team of Zack Olson, Nick Fedanzo, John Palumbo and Mitch West placed second (44.78).

York

Jonathan Tanner (22.10 seconds in the 200-meter dash), Mateo Sanchez (53.0 in the 400 dash), Jackson Bode (2:02.40 in the 800), Cal Widener (145 feet, 2 inches in discus and 47-5 in shot put) and Obi Nnam (6-0 in high jump) were winners for the Dukes in the triangular meet they hosted April 8 against Jones and Palatine.

York also saw the 4x200 relay (1:32.60), the 4x400 relay (3:30.30) and the 4x800 relay (8:34.70) earn wins.

GIRLS TRACK AND FIELD

Glenbard East

Brianna Raysby cleared 5 feet, 2 inches to win the high jump, and the 4x200-meter relay won in 1:51.45 at the St. Charles East invite April 7.

Kionnah Weaver was second in the 400 dash (48.25 seconds), and Brenna Peters was third in the 200 dash (28.45). The Rams placed fifth as a team.

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Baseball Top 20



Team	Comment
1. Mundelein (14-0)	Impressive sweep of Stevenson
2. St. Charles N. (8-2)	Scoring in bunches
3. CL South (13-0)	Outslugged D-C on Saturday
4. Neuqua Valley (13-0-1)	47-2 margin in 5 wins last week
5. Huntley (10-3)	Completed sweep of D-C
6. Barrington (13-4)	Eight-game streak snapped by BC
7. Hinsdale South (8-1)	Bounced back from first loss
8. Cary-Grove (11-3)	Ignoffo powered latest win
9. Willowbrook (9-1)	Kelso's tearing it up
10. York (11-2)	Winning Key Silver series
11. Buffalo Grove (8-1-1)	Bounced back from first loss
12. Libertyville (11-3)	Plenty of pop in Wildcats' lineup
13. Hinsdale Central (7-2)	Impressive win over Oak Park
14. Benet (10-3)	Swept St. Viator to start ESCC
15. Jacobs (11-2)	Addante drove in 8 vs. Hampshire
16. Naperville Central (8-5)	Up and down week
17. South Elgin (4-2)	No problem vs. Larkin
18. Burlington Central (11-2)	Nice win at Barrington
19. Grayslake Central (8-2)	Allowed 1 run over last 4 games
20. Carmel (7-2)	Nice Saturday sweep vs. Marist

Softball Top 20

Team	Comment
1. Barrington (11-1)	Bats have been blazing
2. Montini (12-1)	Swept a doubleheader vs. Fenwick
3. Palatine (9-1)	Grossman is 7-0 in the circle
4. Libertyville (11-2)	Franny Quenan's slam caps weekend sweep
5. West Aurora (13-3)	Rundle's HR beats St. Charles East
6. Downers North (8-3)	Trojans went 2-1 last week
7. Elk Grove (7-4)	Itzenhaler tough out
8. St. Charles North (5-1)	12-inning loss to Marist
9. Fremd (5-3)	G. Stevens big HR vs. Rolling Meadows
10. St. Charles East (11-3)	Big game Wednesday at St. Charles N.
11. Lake Park (8-4)	Lancers still working things out
12. Conant (4-2)	Carlucci 1-hits Wheeling
13. Geneva (9-2)	Eight straight wins for Vikings
14. Hersey (6-3)	Wingerter has 8 HRs
15. St. Francis (14-3)	Another great start for Spartans
16. Kaneland (11-4-1)	Beat West Aurora to win Fox Valley title
17. Antioch (7-1)	Sequoits rally past Grayslake C.
18. Grant (10-2)	Calista Warmowski sparks top of order
19. Bartlett (8-5-1)	Tough loss to St. Charles N.
20. Huntley (6-4)	Still team to beat in Fox Valley Conference

Boys volleyball

Monday's results

WHEATON NORTH D. SOUTH ELGIN 25-23, 25-23

LAKE PARK D. LYONS TOWNSHIP 25-18, 25-9

Lake Park — Aguilar (4 digs), Heigh (6 kills, 2 blocks, 3 digs), Samaras (4 digs), Carzoli (4 kills, 1 dig), Bayner (1 kill, 1 set), (1 kill, 1 block, 21 assists, 4 digs, 1 ace), Martinski (9 kills, 3 blocks, 1 dig, 2 aces), Lange (1 kill), Wrobel (2 aces)

ST. FRANCIS D. ST. CHARLES NORTH 16-25, 25-16, 25-21

St. Charles North — Beach (10 kills), Koppang (6 kills, 3 blocks), DalBegan (5 kills), Donlevy (2 kills, 3 blocks), St. Francis — Kwon (10 kills), Clare (9 kills), McGuire (8 kills, 35 assists), Riggs (6 kills)

WHEATON NORTH D. SOUTH ELGIN 25-23, 25-23

Wheaton North — Schreiner (9 kills, 4 digs, 2 blocks, 1 ace), Duggan (7 kills, 2 blocks), C. Nickels (6 kills, 2 digs, 1 ace, 1 assist), A. Nickels (23 assists, 4 digs, 2 kills, 1 ace), Sinn (6 digs, 1 ace), Kocher (2 kills, 2 blocks), Rantl (4 digs, 2 assists, 1 ace), Ogilvie (2 kills, 1 block, 1 dig)

Softball

Monday's results

MONTINI 6, TRIMITY 2

2B: M. Alonzo, Filkowski. WP: Clifton

COAL CITY 2, LISLE 1

Lisle 010 000 0 —1-5-0

Coal City 001 010 X —2-2-1

2B: CC: Phelps. HR: L. Smith. WP: Youkevitch LP: Palicka

DOWNERS GROVE NORTH 20, HINSDALE CENTRAL 2

Downers North 480 44 —20-21-1

Hinsdale Centr. 010 01 —2-4-2

2B: DGN: Potaski, Christ, Bielawa 2. Bernhardt, Greenberg. HR: DGN: Christ 2, Czech, HC: Burr. WP: Rodriguez LP: Castaneda.

DOWNERS GROVE SOUTH 10, HINSDALE SOUTH 0

Hinsdale South 000 000 —0-2-7

Downers South 002 611 —10-13-0

2B: HS: Kern. DGS: Greco. HR: DGS: Herrmann. WP: McKay LP: Marrera.

GLENBARD SOUTH 6, ST. EDWARD 3

Glenbard South 005 100 0 —6-9-2

St. Edward 000 300 0 —3-4-2

2B: GS: Little. SE: Kramp; HR: SE: Stappay. WP: Little LP: Kramp.

IC CATHOLIC PREP 11, RIDGEWOOD 7

IC Catholic Prep 380 100 1 —11-14-2

Ridgewood 002 310 1 —7-13-4

2B: IC: Escardt, Lyton, Murlie 2, R. Peto, Lanetta 2, Anunzio 3B: IC: Murlie, R. Tarasiewicz. HR: IC: Lyton 2. WP: Faber-Couranne LP: Lazzara.

LAKE PARK 17, NAPERVILLE NORTH 11

Naperville North 010 010 1 —11-10-1

Lake Park 301 246 X —17-18-2

2B: NN: Johannes. LP: Bogus. HR: NN: Hilgert, Vansickle. LP: Worcester. WP: Grubczak LP: Tucker.

METEVA VALLEY 13, WHEATON NORTH 6

Wheaton North 101 200 2 —6-9-2

Meteva Valley 306 121 X —13-18-2

2B: WN: Gorza, Moravek, Gerry. MV: Harrington. HR: MV: Bajusz. WP: Bajusz LP: Gorzak.

NAPERVILLE CENTRAL 12, WAUBONSIE VALLEY 7

Waubonsie Vall. 014 002 0 —7-12-3

Hinsdale Central at York, 4:30 p.m.

Joliet Catholic Academy at Benet, 4:30 p.m.

Meteva Valley at Wheaton North, 4 p.m.

Naperville North at Lake Park, 4:30 p.m.

Waubonsie Valley at Naperville Central, 4:30 p.m.

Wheaton North at Meteva Valley, 4:30 p.m.

Wheaton Warrenville South at Neuqua Valley, 4:30 p.m.

Willowbrook at Addison Trail, 4:30 p.m.

Boys track & field

Downers Grove South, Oak Park-River Forest, Proviso West at

Downers Grove North, 4:30 p.m.

Glenbard South, Timothy Christian at Fenton, 4:30 p.m.

Glenbard East vs. Marmion, Oswego, 4:30 p.m.

Glenbard North at Meteva Valley, 4:30 p.m.

IC Catholic Prep at Chicago Christian, 4:30 p.m.

Lake Park, Naperville North at Wheaton Warrenville South, 4:30 p.m.

Lisle at Seneca, 4:30 p.m.

Naperville Central, Wheaton North at Neuqua Valley, 4:30 p.m.

St. Francis Triangular, 3:15 p.m.

Wheaton Academy at Chicago Christian, 4:30 p.m.

Boys volleyball

Benet at Notre Dame, 6:15 p.m.

Downers Grove North at York, 5:30 p.m.

Downers Grove South at Hinsdale South, 5:30 p.m.

Glenbard East at West Aurora, 5:30 p.m.

Lake Park at Wheaton Warrenville South, 6 p.m.

Morton at Addison Trail, 5:30 p.m.

Naperville Central at Neuqua Valley, 6 p.m.

Naperville North at Meteva Valley, 6 p.m.

Oak Park-River Forest at Hinsdale Central, 5:30 p.m.

St. Joseph at Fenton, 5:30 p.m.

Waubonsie Valley at Glenbard North, 6 p.m.

West Chicago at St. Charles East, 5:30 p.m.

Willowbrook at Leyden, 5:30 p.m.

Boys water polo

Hinsdale South at Morton, 6 p.m.

Naperville Central at Chicago Christian, 4:30 p.m.

Neuqua Valley at Naperville North, 6 p.m.

Boys lacrosse

Hinsdale Central at St. Charles East, TBA

Schaumburg at Glenbard West, 5:30 p.m.

St. Francis at IC Catholic Prep, 7 p.m.

York at Lyons Township, 7 p.m.

Softball

Addison Trail at Naperville North, 4:30 p.m.

Coal City at Lisle, 4:30 p.m.

Fenton at Aurora Central Catholic, 4:30 p.m.

Glenbard South at West Aurora, 4:30 p.m.

Illiana Christian at Wheaton Academy, 4:30 p.m.

Meteva Valley at Hinsdale Central, 4:30 p.m.

Neuqua Valley at Plainfield North, 4:30 p.m.

Queens of Peace at St. Francis, 4:30 p.m.

Plainfield Central at Naperville Central, 4:30 p.m.

Riverside-Brookfield at IC Catholic Prep, 4:30 p.m.

Schaumburg at Glenbard North, 4:30 p.m.

St. Edward at Timothy Christian, 4:30 p.m.

Waubonsie Valley at Oswego, 4:30 p.m.

Westmont at Sandwich, 4:30 p.m.

Girls soccer

Addison Trail at Hinsdale South, 6:30 p.m.

Downers Grove North at Hinsdale Central, 4:45 p.m.

Downers Grove South at Morton, 4:45 p.m.

Elmwood Park at Timothy Christian, 6:30 p.m.

Glenbard North at Naperville North, 6:30 p.m.

Glenbard South at Illiana Christian, 4:30 p.m.

Glenbard West at Oak Park-River Forest, 5:30 p.m.

IC Catholic Prep at Fenton, 4:30 p.m.

Lake Park at Wheaton North, 6:30 p.m.

Leyden at Willowbrook, 6:30 p.m.

Lyons Township at York, 6:30 p.m.

Meteva Valley at Waubonsie Valley, 6:30 p.m.

Queen of Peace at Montini, 5 p.m.

St. Francis at Loyola Academy, TBA

Westmont at Manteno, 4:30 p.m.

Wilmington at Lisle, 6:45 p.m.

Girls badminton

Glenbard North at Lake Park, 4:30 p.m.

Meteva Valley at Wheaton Warrenville South, 4:30 p.m.

Naperville Central at Naperville North, 4:30 p.m.

Neuqua Valley at Wheaton North, 4:30 p.m.

Lake Park at Wheaton Warrenville South, 4:30 p.m.

Lisle at Seneca, 4:30 p.m.

Lyons Township, York at Downers Grove South, 4:30 p.m.

in the back about scoring and to keep it out of our end," Reice said. "I don't think there was had pressure, it was just knowing we have to work hard 100 percent of the time."

For a brief moment with just under four minutes remaining, it appeared as if the Tigers netted the equalizer off a corner kick. But one of the officials waved off the goal and the Tigers didn't have any other solid scoring chances.

"I was proud of the fact that in the last 25 minutes we transitioned through three formations and I thought they did a nice job with the organization and understanding of their roles and managing their game," Callipari said. "They tried to create opportunities, but playing against the clock a bit, as well as the opposition, for young kids that's really tough to do."

— Chris Walker

Boys volleyball

St. Francis d.
St. Charles North:

After a strong opening set by visiting St. Charles North, St. Francis coach Mike Lynch told Jack McGuire to be more aggressive offensively.

The senior setter obliged.

Finishing with 8 kills and 2 blocks, to go along with 35 assists, the Dominican University recruit helped the Spartans come back to post a 16-25, 25-16, 25-21 win over the North Stars on Monday in the nonconference matchup in Wheaton.

"He told me to step up and attack more and that was in my head," said McGuire, who had a pair of kills and a block to help close out the third and deciding game. "We weren't really mentally prepared (at the start) and our passing in the first set wasn't how we wanted it to be. We talked about that after the first game and everyone really stepped it up."

St. Charles North (5-9) never trailed in the opening game, with Evan Cordt, David Beach, Zach Yakes and Tom Koppang all contributing a

game 3-0 in Conference t Tigers (7-4, 2-

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Reports

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n North (5-6, 1-3 Valley Conference) ng a difficult time down Lake Park's d defense until Fal- ach Tim McEvilly s big center back to ith five minutes left : half.

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itch paid dividends left in the first half. n sent a long ball up le that sprung Kane away.

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ark (1-9, 0-4) had shot, a 45-yard free Gabi Suazo saved

Roundup

"We're starting to pull it together a little bit," Lake Park coach Sean Crosby said. "We're not as susceptible to the long ball as we used to be. We just can't put the full 80 minutes together."

— Matt Le Cren

Boys volleyball

Glenbard East d. West Aurora:

Time and again, West Aurora lost any hope of gaining momentum from the service line Tuesday evening.

In an Upstate Eight Conference match in Aurora featuring two undefeated league programs, Glenbard East rallied from a first-set loss to seize command of the single-division standings.

Mason Arnold was the Rams' offensive and defensive leader, as Glenbard East prevailed 21-25, 25-19 and 25-21.

The Rams' senior had a team-high 7 kills, an equal number of assists and a match-best 16 digs.

Nineteen of the Rams' 71 points came off West Aurora service errors.

"(The Blackhawks) serve very aggressively," Glenbard East coach Marci Maier said. "I'm happy that our team let them go out of bounds. A lot of times teams will play those balls. I was glad that our team was disciplined enough to let them go."

"That was really our downfall," West Aurora Loyola-bound senior Thomas Kovanic said of the service errors. "That killed us. If you can't get the ball over the net, you can't do anything with it. We kind of relaxed too much (after the first set). Rolling into the third set, we didn't get back our dominance from the first set."

Glenbard East (12-4, 3-0) never trailed in the decisive third game as Kovanic, who was a force throughout with his match-high 15 kills, had an ace to forge what proved to be only the second — and last — tie of the set at 5-5.

The Rams surged ahead as back-to-back West Aurora hitting mistakes turned into a 7-2 spurt for Glenbard East.

Arnold had one of his team-best kills to continue the pressure against the Blackhawks (12-4, 4-1); the Rams' lead was never less than 3 points as the team near the 20-point barrier.

"I think it was higher energy," Arnold said of the difference over the last two games. "We had good energy in the first game, but we really cranked it up in the second set. The energy is what pulled us through to win the second set."

The Blackhawks' Tommy Garcia, Tommy Chaidze and Kovanic had consecutive kills to reduce the Rams' cushion to 19-18.

But West Aurora could never create a third tie of the final set.

Carson Brandt had back-to-back critical points for Glenbard East and not even the last of the Kovanic kills on consecutive attempts could save West Aurora.

Brandon Banks' kill ended the match on the ensuing

point for Glenbard East.

The Blackhawks' unforced errors from the service line were a recurring theme.

— Kevin McGavin

Girls water polo

Naperville Central 17, Metea Valley 2:

When facing Naperville Central, it is best to come to the pool with answers to what the Redhawks do best.

That has only happened twice this season.

On Tuesday at Naperville Central on senior night, the Redhawks (19-2), one of the state's top teams, had their offense counterattacking smoothly and their defense cutting off practically all of the scoring chances it faced. The Redhawks finished with a 17-2 win over Metea Valley.

Naperville Central continues its winning ways at a crucial part of the schedule. Just over two weeks remain until sectional competition.

"We're doing pretty well. We are still working on some things," the Redhawks' Sarah Meyer said.

Meyer was one of six seniors honored before the match and every one of them scored.

Rylee Brower and Emily Westdove each scored 4 goals for the Redhawks. Alli Hansen and Emily Wagner each had 2 scores, with Emily Rodgers, Annie Marie Gunn, Charlotte Albright, Jodie Nelson and Meyer each tallying one.

"We're having a lot of fun. All the girls all get along and that's easier for us to have chemistry," Brower said.

Brower scored 34 seconds into the game and Naperville Central led 6-0 after the first quarter and 9-0 at half-time. Despite the outcome of the contest decided early, the Redhawks were determined to play well from start to finish.

"I think you have to go in with an open mind from start to finish because you don't know how the other team is going to respond," Meyer said.

Metea (13-4) is having a very strong season, and the Mustangs' only losses have come at the hands of the Redhawks and Naperville North.

Coach Wyatt Jansen is extremely pleased with what has transpired for the Mustangs so far but stressed that the squad is a work in progress with the majority of the team set to return next season.

"(The Redhawks) are still a more dominant team. We get closer every year, but we are not on their level," he said. "All season we have been protecting the ball very well. Defense has been our focus for us and we will continue to do what we do well."

Metea got on the scoreboard late in the third quarter thanks to Alex Cerra. Teammate Gabby Duval hit net in the fourth quarter.

The winning goalkeeper was Sara Campbell, who finished with 10 saves.

"We're still right in the middle of our heavy morning training and we might be playing a little tired," said Redhawks coach Jeff Plackett. "They're making up for it by talking to each other very well during counterattacks. We're

working on our 6-on-6 counterattacks. But more will come when we can have a larger roster at the end of the regular season."

— D.J. Wanberg

Baseball

Benet 10, Nazareth 10, suspended:

There are few things in high school baseball more frustrating than a tie.

But that's what the looming darkness did to Tuesday's East Suburban Catholic Conference matchup between Benet and Nazareth in Lisle.

Jack Schneider singled home 2 runs for the Redwings (11-3, 3-0) in the bottom of the seventh to send the game to extra innings with the score tied 10-10, but neither team pushed across a run in the eighth inning and the game was suspended.

The game will be picked up at some point next week in the top of the ninth inning.

"We're a really resilient team," Schneider said. "With the players we've got, we have so much confidence. We never feel out of it."

Benet found itself in catch-up mode for most of the game, trailing 2-0 after a half inning and 7-3 in the middle of the second. Nazareth (12-3, 2-1) built an 8-6 fifth-inning lead before the Redwings tied it in the bottom of the fifth on a Brandon Gorz sacrifice fly and Schneider's RBI double.

The Roadrunners took yet another lead in the seventh on Michael Prosecky's run-scoring single and Derek Salata's sacrifice fly. With two outs and runners on second and third, Schneider's second hit of the game tied it up.

"Our guys fought the entire game, and I'm proud of them for that," said Benet coach Scott Lawler. "If we see that fight all the time, we're going to have a nice season."

Benet held its only lead of 3-2 at the end of the first inning. Marty Dosen singled home a run in the inning.

Nazareth's Dom Milano doubled home 2 runs and Joe Trelenberg launched a 2-run home run as part of a 5-run second inning.

After beating Nazareth 12-1 on Monday, Benet will have to wait a little while to see if they can get another sweep in the ESCC.

"This conference is tough with so many tough teams and good players," Schneider said. "It would have been nice to get a walk-off today."

— Kevin Schmit

Bartlett 9, West Chicago 6:

Like so many area baseball teams, Bartlett is in the throes of a five-game week due to the backlog of makeup games from recent rains.

That's why the Hawks needed innings out of starting pitcher Brandon Kendall in Tuesday's 9-6 Upstate Eight Valley victory over one-win West Chicago even though the third-year varsity performer was the first to admit he didn't have his best stuff.

Pitching on a warm day with a steady wind blowing straight out to center, the Bartlett right-hander allowed 3



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Benet's Dolan Glasgow celebrates scoring the tying run in the seventh inning against Nazareth on Tuesday in Lisle.

first-inning earned runs but minimized the damage from a fourth-inning, bases-loaded situation with an inning-ending strikeout.

Kendall's final pitching line demonstrated how wildly effective he was. In 4 innings he allowed 4 runs (3 earned) on 5 hits, issued 4 walks and hit two batsman in the fourth inning, the second of which forced in West Chicago's fourth run. He also struck out 9 Wildcats.

Kendall (2-2) left trailing 4-2 but was rewarded with the victory when Bartlett (5-6, 1-2) scored 7 runs in the bottom of the fourth and went on to win. His best pitch was a sharp curve that kept West Chicago (1-9, 0-3) off balance throughout Game 1 of the three-game series.

"It was hard finding the strike zone, but I felt like my curveball was working so I just stuck with it," Kendall said.

"Their guy battled through," said West Chicago coach T.J. Nall, whose team stranded 12 baserunners. "We had our opportunities. We just couldn't get that big hit to break through."

While the Wildcats struggled to deliver the big hit, Bartlett senior Martin Moreno supplied two of them in the same inning. With his team trailing 4-2, he led off the bottom of the fourth against West Chicago left-hander Matt Natzke (0-3) with a solo home run to straightaway center that cleared the fence by 10 feet.

West Chicago managed 11 hits and drew 5 walks in the loss. Michael Sawicki hit a 2-run home run in the fifth inning off reliever Michael Sharko to make it a 9-6 game.

Sawicki finished 1-for-2 with 3 RBI, Billy Lietzow went 3-for-5 and Chris Bangert went 1-for-2 with a double.

The series resumes Wednesday at West Chicago.

— Jerry Fitzpatrick

Willowbrook 9, Morton 2:

M.J. Ranieri had 3 hits and doubled twice as the Warriors (11-1, 3-0) stayed unbeaten in the West Suburban Gold. Alec Michaelson and Mike Dembowski had 2 hits while Ben Espinoza and Jack Hines drove in 2 runs. Winning pitcher Ryan Mintz struck out seven.

Wheaton Academy 4, Fenton 3:

The Warriors (3-8, 2-4) broke out to a 4-0 second-inning lead and held on in the Metro Suburban Conference. Kellen Mitchell, who drove in 2 runs, Mike Cortez and Peter Crowe had 2 hits. Jake Koslosky pitched into the seventh inning to get the win, and Crowe recorded the final out for the save.

Addison Trail 18, Proviso East 3:

The Blazers (6-5, 3-1) won their fourth straight with the five-inning West Suburban Gold victory. Matt Crandall and Anthony Biondo each drove in 4 runs. Winning pitcher Nick Daudelin struck out nine.

Downers North 7, Glenbard West 2:

Nick Bacarella went 3-for-4 with 3 RBI for the Trojans (8-7, 2-3), who broke out to a 6-0 second-inning lead in the West Suburban Silver. Tyler Rosen struck out 14 in 6½ innings. Ryan Petersen went 2-for-3 with a home run and 2 RBI for Glenbard West (5-9, 2-5).

Downers South 5, Hinsdale South 2:

The Mustangs (10-5, 4-1) scored 3 runs in the top of the 10th inning to even the West Suburban Gold series. A Michael Hoes sacrifice fly and two walks with the bases loaded accounted for the go-ahead runs. Mike Palenik was the winning pitcher in relief of Nick Stacey.