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CHARLOTTE WINTER SPORTS HIGHLIGHTS



Congratulations to all of our winter athletic teams on a successful season! Oriole pride continues to swell as black and orange overtakes the crowds both home and away. Here is a review of the winter highlights as spring sports begin.

Competitive Cheer

Competitive Cheer captured their first conference championship in the Interstate 8 Conference and their 5th in a row. The girls had a great year and competed well at Districts, but did not move on to Regionals. We look for more great things from the girls next year.

Boys Basketball

The boys' basketball team had one of the most successful seasons in recent memory. The team ended with a 12-8 regular season record and had a 9-5 conference record ending 3rd in the conference. The

boys also had a district title and ended up beating Haslett in their first game of Regionals. Sy Barnett earned all-conference and Matt Donley was honorable mention.

Girls Basketball

The girls' basketball team ended on a hot streak this season. The ladies got off to a slow start, but quickly picked up pace to finish the year with a 5-15 record. All 5 wins came in conference play. The girls played a really spirited game against Portland in the first round of districts and finished the 3rd quarter tied. The girls ended up losing that game, but put a great effort forward in their last game. Ally Goeman and Kirstin Anderson were all conference and Kensey VanPatten ended the year with first team all-conference.

Swimming

This is the first season for the Varsity boys' swim team. The team actually got their first win ever against Lansing Everett. No boys qualified for the State meet, but we did have a couple of boys that were very close to qualifying and we hope for even more success next year. Graham Cornish was very close to a qualifying time in the 500 freestyle event. Good luck in the future boys!

Wrestling

Wrestling had a very successful season finishing 2nd in their conference with a 5-2 conference record. In the individual districts we had eight wrestlers advance to the regional level of play. From those eight, Austin Swenson made it to the state meet where an injury kept him from finishing his bid for a state title. Eric Wales earned all-league and Austin Schwensen and Ethan LaMacchia earn honorable mention. Regional qualifiers included: Clayton Jones, James Thurman, Dan Doty, Austin Schwensen, Eric Wales, Collen Eaton, Ethan LaMacchia, and Chris Fausen.

Girls Bowling

The girls' bowling team had another stellar year winning their conference and regional tournaments. The girls ended the year at the state meet finishing 3rd overall. The girls ended their conference play with a perfect 12-0 record. Taylor Wendorf and Allie Young both earned first team all-league. The regional winning team consisted of Maddy Burdick, Sidney Adams, Taylor Wendorf, Ally Young, Malorie Kiplinger, Brooke Noeker, and Whitney Adams.

Boys Bowling

The boys' bowling team had a great success this year finishing 2nd in the conference with a 9-3 record. The boys worked hard all year and continued to improve. Collin Fox finished second at the state individual meet and also earned all-conference first team along with Kaileb Bowen earning honorable mention.

Keep up the great work Orioles! Go Orioles! Oriole Pride!