



NEWS FROM NDP/MA Athletics

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UPCOMING EVENTS:

- WED JV Hockey vs. L'Anse Creuse 6:45pm (Troy Sports Center)
- SAT JV Hockey vs. Walled Lake Western 5:15pm (Troy Sports Center)
- TUE NDPMA Winter Athletic Parent Meeting (all sports except hockey) 7pm



Senior boys golfer Matt Sheperd received an award for being named First Team All State-Division 2 at a banquet sponsored by the Michigan Interscholastic Golf Coaches Association on November 23rd.



FALL SEASON CONCLUDES AS WINTER SEASON GETS UNDERWAY

Varsity volleyball (47-13-3) was stopped short in their quest for a second straight trip to Battle Creek for the state semifinals. They were defeated by 8th ranked Ida (25-15, 25-16, 25-17) in the quarterfinals at Livonia Ladywood.

Girls swimming and diving participated in the state finals last weekend. Senior Lauren Rao qualified to dive at the finals for the first time in her career by placing 7th at the regional meet. The 200 Medley Relay team of Mackenzie Chesley, Jaclyn Wilson, Liz Barron and Jackelyn Adams placed 10th and the 200 Free-style Relay team of Wilson, Sarah Novotney, Adams and Chesley placed 15th. Individually, Wilson placed 15th in the 100 Breaststroke.

Varsity hockey (0-0-2) opened the season with a 3-3 tie against Stoney Creek. Scoring one goal each were Chris Elston, Matt White and JT Nida. It was Nida's first ever goal for the Irish. They tied Flint Powers 1-1 in their second game of the season.

JV hockey defeated Walled Lake Western 7-2.

Marist varsity girls basketball opened their season at the St. Thecla Thanksgiving Tournament by defeating Guardian Angles 18-16 in overtime.

Marist JV girls basketball fell to St. Margaret 16-12 and St. Thecla 22-17 at the St. Thecla Thanksgiving Tournament. Seven different girls have scored for the team in the tournament.

Marist 5/6 girls basketball was defeated by St. Margaret 20-0 in their first game of the season at the St. Thecla Thanksgiving Tournament. They bounced back and got a win in their second game, topping Guardian Angels 14-4. Christina Saucedo scored 10 points. Emily Stegmeyer and Liliana Padilla each had a basket.

All State Volleyball

Destiny Tolliver
(2nd Team)

Catherine Wiezcerek
(Honorable Mention)

All County Boys Soccer

Neil Al-attar & Sean Grogan
(Honorable Mention)

INFORMATION AND REMINDERS

- ◆ The NDP/Marist Ski & Snowboarding Club meets Wednesdays at Pine Knob. Ski and snowboard with your friends at reduced rates! Join now to receive the best savings on lift tickets and equipment rental this winter. To purchase a membership card (\$15), go to Pine Knob on Wednesdays between 3:30pm and 7pm or contact Roberta Beaudet at (248) 310-6707. For more information, call Karey Gawronski at (248)

620-1320 or Roberta Beaudet at (248) 310-6707.

- ◆ The NDPMA Winter Athletic Parent Meeting is December 2nd at 7pm (all sports except hockey)
- ◆ The NDP fall varsity athletic Mass and banquet is 12/7 at 9am.
- ◆ The Detroit Red Wings are hosting a "Catholic School Night" on Saturday, December 20th at 7pm. You can get tickets

for a discounted rate of \$28 per ticket. The form can be downloaded from the main athletic web page at www.ndpma.org

- ◆ Alumnus Brett Mollon '06 has been nominated by Philly Soccer News for the Soccer News Net College Player of the Year award. You can vote online to help him win! The link can be found on the main athletic web page or the boys soccer page at www.ndpma.org. Good luck Brett!