

Tigers Athletic News



TIGERS BOYS BASKETBALL NEWS

8th Grade

Tigers Boys Basketball Scoreboard

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The CAA championship game came down to our Tiger's team playing against Highland Catholic. A team we had faced several times during the regular season. But when it comes to the champs being crowned, anything can happen. The game was played in the St. Agnes gym, where the high school teams play. There was a loud crowd in attendance. The boys started out a little slow. Falling behind 14-4 before they got going like we are used to seeing them. Our defense got tighter and our shots began to fall. By half time we led by one point, 25-24.

The second half began with our team putting the screws to Highland Catholic, offensively and defensively. Extending the lead. With about 7 minutes left in the game we led by 10 points. Everyone got time on the court. With two minutes left you could tell that the team knew it was just a matter of running the clock and walking out with the CAA trophy. The final clock hit zero and the final score ended up 58-45.

Congrats to the team.

But the team was not done playing. On Tuesday night the team traveled to Cretin Durham Hall to take on the South Suburban champion, Shakopee Catholic school. With the "BIG" prize already in their pocket, the boys saw this game as more a pick up game. Just for fun.

So 8 minutes into the game the score was tied 6-6. Shakopee only had 6 players and wanted to keep the pace slow. With five minutes left before half time the score was still tied 10-10. Then tempo picked up and over the next three minutes we out scored them 8-2, to take a 18-12 lead with two minutes before half. At half time it was 20-14. Things were looking good. The second half began with the same slow down approach that started the game. With 9 and a half minutes left in the game the score was 24-19. With 7 minutes left it was 28-21. The crowd was getting louder and louder as the seconds ticked off the clock. With 4 and a half minutes to go it was 30-23. These appeared to be similar to other games during the regular season when we had the lead and just control the ball and the clock. The anticipation was high for the fans in the stands. With two minutes left it was 34-30. Beginning to get a little to close. Then Shakopee put on a press that at first gave us some trouble. And at the of regulation it was tied 34 -34. A three minute Over Time period was needed. The boys decided then and there enough was enough. Sam the Hammer and Jack the Beast as well as the other players took control. Out running and out gunning the other team to pull away with the win, 48-41.



Congrats again to the team for a game well played.

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The team walked away with another trophy, one named as the Twin Cities championship but only against the South Suburban area.

Because of the snow storm on Monday that closed schools and made travel difficult the Mpls Catholic schools game was rescheduled. That Twin Cities game was not played on Monday night but is scheduled to be played on Friday night 03/09 at MMSA at 6:15pm. They will be playing against Holy Family of St. Louis Park. The team has enjoyed playing in front of the large groups that have been able to make the games during the playoff run. One more to go, unless there is a National Tournament in Orlando or some place warmer than here.

Tigers Track Team

The coaches are eager to begin training for the season. Need interested students to register as soon as possible. It is possible that the first meet could be right around Easter time. Which is not that far away now. Plus, if there are any parents interested in assisting with the practices and meets let me know. There are times it makes it easier to get more done by splitting up into smaller groups. And there might be work conflicts that would prevent all the coaches making practice. Better to go on with a couple of coach on hand than canceling practices all together.

Athletic Hall of Fame

Watch for the announcement related to this year's event. It will be on April 7, 2018 and be held in the Transfiguration gym. Part of the Black & Gold that evening is devoted to the inductees into the Hall of Fame. Mark your calendars and plan on being there. I hope to see you all that night. Mr. Chris Preiner will be inducted into the Hall of Fame that evening.

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Swim Team

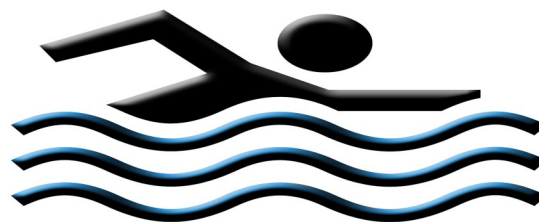
The Swiminators had their fourth and last regular season meet of the season at St. Kate's University on Sunday March 4th. We had 55 of our 78 swimmers available for this meet which was hosted by St. Odilia. This is a great venue for our swimmers who get to swim in a University pool, maybe one of our swimmers will be on the St. Kates swim team one day and be able to say they first swam there when they were in grade school! We competed against seven other teams, St. Odilia, St. Agnes, St. John's of Little Canada, North Heights Christian Academy, St. John the Baptist, and Metro School for the Deaf. Our swimmers had a great day with Personal Bests, competing in longer events, first time Breaststroke and Butterfly events, and great Relay Team results.

In the Grade K-2 opening Meet, Alex M (1) took 2 ½ seconds off his 25 Back time and helped his relay team finish in 2nd Place and Joyce Margot B (K) swam hard in a 4th Place Relay finish.

In the Grade 3-8 Meet that followed, Alicia M (5) swam to 4th and 8th place finishes with her relay teams and shaved time off for Personal Bests (PB's) in all three of her events, 100 Free, 25 Back and 25 Breast. Kayleigh S (4) had PB's in the 50 Free and 50 Back, completed her first 25 Breast and in a great display of sportsmanship, swam the 1st and 4th legs of her 100 Free Relay that was down one swimmer. Mariano M (4) swam on a 3rd place relay team that was only two seconds from a second place upset, and had PB's in two of his events with the 25 and 50 Free. Billy S (7) continued his improvement from just last week with PB's in both of his 50 Free and Back events. Noah V (4) and Jack K (5) joined two other teammates with 1st Place Relay finishes in two events, the 100 Free Relay and the 100 Medley Relay with Jack swimming the Fly and Noah swimming the Free anchor leg. Noah continued with PB's in three events with a 3rd Place 50 Free and 2nd Place 50 Back and 25 Breast events. Jack also had PB's in three Individual events with a 1st Place 50 Free and 25 Fly and a 5th Place 100 Breast competing against 6-8th graders.

Please congratulate all of these Swiminators!!

We now have a month of practices ahead of us getting ready for the CAA Prelims on April 7th and 8th, where we hope all of our swimmers can attend. At this Meet the top 16 Individuals and Relay teams in each event advance to the CAA Finals on April 10 and 11th at the University of Minnesota Aquatics Center.



Athletic Director

Be aware that coaches, assistant coaches and volunteers need to be current with the VIRTUS training.

The registration for Spring sports is beginning. The form is attached to this newsletter.



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SPORTS REGISTRATION-Spring 2017-18

PARENTAL/GUARDIAN CONSENT FORM AND LIABILITY WAIVER

Participant's name: _____

Birthdate: _____ Grade _____ Sex: _____

Parent/Guardian's name: _____

Home address: _____

Home phone: _____ Business phone: _____ Email address: _____

I, _____ grant permission for

my child, _____, to participate in this school activity.

As parent and/or legal guardian, I remain legally responsible for any personal actions taken by the above named minor ("participant"). I agree on behalf of myself, my child named herein, or our heirs, successors, and assigns, to hold harmless and defend Transfiguration Catholic School, its officers, directors and agents, and the Archdiocese of Saint Paul & Minneapolis, coaches, chaperones, or representatives associated with the event, arising from or in connection with my child attending the event or in connection with any illness or injury or cost of medical treatment in connection therewith, and I agree to compensate Transfiguration Catholic School, the parish, its officers, directors and agents, and the Archdiocese of Saint Paul & Minneapolis, coaches, chaperones, or representatives associated with the activity for reasonable attorney's fees and expenses arising in connection therewith.

Signature: _____ Date: _____

MEDICAL MATTERS: I hereby warrant that to the best of my knowledge, my child is in good health, and I assume all responsibility for the health of my child. *(Of the following statements pertaining to medical matters, sign only those that are applicable.)*

Emergency Medical Treatment: In the event of an emergency, I hereby give permission to transport my child to a hospital for emergency medical or surgical treatment. I wish to be advised prior to any further treatment by the hospital or doctor. In the event of an emergency, if you are unable to reach me at the above numbers, contact:

Name & relationship: _____ Phone: _____

Family doctor: _____ Phone _____

Family Health Plan Carrier: _____ Policy# _____

Emergency Contact #1 Name _____ Phone _____

Emergency Contact #2 Name _____ Phone _____

Emergency Contact #3 Name _____ Phone _____

Signature: _____ Date: _____

Other Medical Treatment: In the event it comes to the attention of Transfiguration Catholic School, its officers, directors and agents, and the Archdiocese of Saint Paul & Minneapolis, coaches, chaperons, or representatives associated with the activity that my child becomes ill with symptoms such as headache, vomiting, sore throat, fever, diarrhea, I want to be called.

Signature: _____ Date: _____

Medications: My child is taking medication at present. My child will bring all such medications necessary, and such medications will be well-labeled. Names of medications and concise directions for seeing that the child takes such medications, including dosage and frequency of dosage, are as follows:

Signature: _____ Date: _____

No medication of any type, whether prescription or non-prescription, may be administered to my child unless the situation is life-threatening and emergency treatment is required.

Signature: _____ Date: _____

I hereby grant permission for **non-prescription medication** (such as non-aspirin products, i.e. acetaminophen or ibuprofen, throat lozenges, cough syrup) to be given to my child, if deemed appropriate.

Signature: _____ Date: _____

Specific Medical Information: The school will take reasonable care to see that the following information will be held in confidence.

Allergic reactions (medications, foods, plants, insects, etc.): _____

Immunizations: Date of last tetanus/diphtheria immunization: _____

Does child have a medically prescribed diet? _____

Any physical limitations? _____

Has child recently been exposed to contagious disease or conditions, such as mumps, measles, chickenpox, etc.?

If so, date and disease or condition: _____

You should be aware of these special medical conditions of my child: _____

_____ I am interested in information about a coaching position with the Athletic Director

Please sign up for one activity per permission slip.
Completed forms are to be submitted to the Athletic Director.
Payment for all Transfiguration activities may be made by cash or check (made payable to Transfiguration Catholic School).
Athletes are not eligible to play until the permission slip is completed and the athletic fee is paid.
Teams may be co-ed and/or multiple grade levels to field a full team.

Spring Sports
Boys Baseball (5th-8th) -- \$65
Girls Softball (5th-8th) -- \$65
Track and Field (4th-8th) -- \$25
Lacrosse (6th-8th) -- \$65

** In order to keep athletics fees low and provide sufficient equipment for our teams, families will be required to volunteer 4 hours a season or give \$30 to Transfiguration Athletics to hire someone to work tournaments and games and/or fundraising events. These hours can count towards your school volunteer hours as well as athletics.*