



Cougar News

May 22, 2023

Hello from the Athletic Department!

Leading trap shooters last week were James VanCamp with a perfect 50, Ty Couch with a 47, Oliver Richards and Dominic LaRussa with 45 and Ethan Delaney with 43. Congratulations to James on his perfect score this week. The team placed fourth in their conference of 9 teams. James placed second in the conference with a 24.1 average score. Oliver Richards and Ty Couch also placed in the top ten. For the girls, Hannah Kies placed 3rd in the conference. Congratulations on a great season! Next up for the team is the Hillsdale County tournament on 6/3 and the state tournament on 6/17.

The WCA varsity track team competed in regionals at Hillsdale College last Friday. PR's include Caleb Daniels in the 100m and long jump, James Vancamp 1600m, Thomas Maier 3200m, James Johnson 300m hurdles. Madison Recob got her PR in shot put by 16 inches with a 32 feet 5 inch performance placing 3rd place in Regionals and qualifying for the State Finals. Madison has great potential for future growth and we believe she has the potential to become a top placer in State Finals in the years to come. Tyler Barnes medaled twice with a 4th in the 100m and a first place in the long jump. On his second jump he got a jump of 20 feet 3 inches! All Tyler's years of hard work have paid off as he not only qualified for State Finals in Hudsonville but is also the Regional Long Jump Champion for Region 35 of Michigan for 2023! Congratulations to both Madison and Tyler. We are extremely proud of your accomplishments and look forward to the State Finals in Hudsonville on June 3rd!

The golf team played twice last week. On Monday, Tyler Slade shot a 42, Will Thielen shot 52, Ben Lutz had a 56, Julian Harmon had 57, and Hunter Fitton shot 72. On Thursday, Ben Lutz had the low round with a 48 followed by Tyler Slade with 49, Julian Harmon shot a 50, Will Thielen shot 58 and David Maier and Hunter Fitton had a pair of 63's.

The trapshooting team is selling *Gun-a-Day* raffle tickets to help fund the program. Please contact the office, Coach VanCamp, or myself to purchase tickets. Tickets are due back to Coach VanCamp by Friday 5/26.

Fall sports sign up sheets are posted on the gym office door. Please sign up as soon as possible. We are still in need of some middle school coaches for volleyball and basketball and also a soccer coach.

Thank you,
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This week in Cougar sports:

Monday 5/22

Varsity golf at SCAA Championship at 9:00 a.m.

Tuesday 5/23

Varsity track SCAA Championship at Hillsdale College at 4:00 pm.