

YEAR END REPORT

Fruitport High School Athletic Department June, 2016

Ken Erny, CAA Athletic Director

"Teaching leadership and character in the quest for athletic excellence"







15-16 Fruitport HS Athletics

<u>Conference Champions</u> Boys Soccer* Volleyball (repeat)

Girls Bowling (repeat) Girls Basketball* Boys Track (repeat) *co-champions

GMAA Champions Boys Cross Country Boys Track (repeat)

State Finalists-team Girls tennis

<u>State Champions</u> Boys 3200 M Relay Team (Kody Brooks, Cameron Oleen, Seth Glover, Noah Hendricks)

ACCOLADES

Boys Soccer Volleyball Girls Soccer Girls Tennis

Academic All State Teams

Academic All State Athletes

Boys Soccer: Eli Flores, Noah Hendricks, Jared Cloutier Volleyball: Alyssa Veihl, Delaney Bennett, Eliza Johnson Girls Soccer: Marissa Carmean, Isabel Virtue, Kelsie Schultz

All State Athletes

Volleyball: Allyson German Girls Basketball: Iyana Brown Track: Kody Brooks, Cameron Oleen, Seth Glover, Noah Hendricks, Nick Kramer, Cameron Brandow Baseball: Jarod Wierengo

Hon Mention All State

Boys Soccer: Cameron Brandow Football: Levi Six Girls Soccer: Emily Winicki Girls Tennis: Alicia Winter

Boys soccer: Noah Hendricks

SIGNIFICANT ACCOMPLISHMENTS

AN EXTRA ORDINARY YEAR IN SPORTS/THE END OF AN ERA FOR LAKES 8 LEAGUE COMPETITION

It may have been the extra practice last fall. Maybe the stolen base that led to the winning run in the come from behind win on the diamond...maybe the January win at Ludington that resulted in the first ever GBB league cochampionship; or perhaps the training and words of encouragement received from a middle school coach four years earlier that made the difference...

..maybe it was the constant preparation for our most memorable track season, or the boys basketball team's big wins over MCC. Perhaps it was the preseason camp, the spring trip or overnight team building, the extra hours in the weight room over the last 12 months, the camaraderie of a team of coaches, the multiple <u>1% gains</u> made in training, preparation, or conditioning, and in engaging each player on the team-whether a starter or a nonstarter...

Certainly contributing was the bowling teams' high finishes and the record breaking performances of individuals in soccer, track, baseball, softball. It was boys XC, softball, and boys and girls basketball gaining <u>20</u> points each from last year's overall third place finish in the standings. It was very likely linked to the fact that this year's senior class had <u>18 athletes (seven were three sport athletes)</u> that earned six or more varsity letters in their career (the second highest since 2002)-providing the DEPTH needed in all our programs.

It was an overall improvement from last season of <u>120 points</u>. Translation: our teams finished a full 12 positions higher than we did last year in the 17 varsity sports in the Lakes 8 All Sports Standings. Seven teams improved their place, and five teams won league championships. A record six Trojan coaches were chosen by their peers as coach of the year.

With that being said, congratulations to every student athlete, every head coach, assistant, subvarsity and middle school coach, every support person behind the scenes! For the first time in the history of any league participation, the Trojans take home the League's All Sports Trophy! (The one that has been in SL trophy case for the last 10 years).

Six Fruitport coaches were honored by conference peers as coaches of the year.

The Lakes 8 Conference selected girls basketball coach Bob German as winter sports Coach of the Year. Other coaches earning Coach of the year honors by sport were:

- Nicole Bayle (Volleyball)
- Joe Kolanowski (Girls Bowling)
- Nick Reed (Baseball)
- Chad Brandow (Boys Track)
- Jeannie McClain (Girls Soccer)

Fall Highlights

The **boys soccer** team won 11 consecutive games en route to an 18-3-1 overall record, and a school record 96 goals. **Noah Hendricks** broke school soccer records for goals in a season (38) and assists in a season (21).

The **football** team kept the Bayou Battle oar in the Rivalry game vs Spring Lake. The **boys cross country** team won their first GMAA championship in 22 years!

Winter Highlights

The **girls basketball** team won a share of the Lakes 8 crown and marks the <u>first ever</u> league championship and best record (17-4).Junior **Iyana Brown** (Girls basketball) became Fruitport's first ever All State Girls Basketball player. She now holds the season average scoring record (**20.3** ppg). Senior **Alyssa Veihl** broke the season rebounding record (**219**).

Mackenzie Plichta was the GMAA girls bowling champion.

Rachel Pierce was the girls bowling champion for both the Lakes 8 and Div. 2 Regional.

The **boys basketball** team finished third with a 6-4 season conference record, one of their best in recent history.

Spring Highlights

The **boys track** team won their *third* consecutive **GMAA track championship**, fourth straight Conference Championship, and earned the highest finish at the state level (9th).

Seven boys track records were broken this year. Noah Hendricks set the new school record of 1:55.94 in the 800 m run and 49.83 in the 400 m run. Nick Kramer broke his own record for the discus with a throw of 172'. Relay team records that fell included

4 x 100 (Chris Kramer, Cameron Brandow, Nick Kramer, Wyatt Kendra) 44.21;

4 x 200 (Wyatt Kendra, Cameron Brandow, Noah Hendricks, Nick Kramer) 130.05;

4 x 400 (Noah Hendricks, Nick Kramer, Cameron Brandow, Cameron Oleen) 3:22.70;

4 x 800 (Kody Brooks, Cameron Oleen, Seth Glover, Noah Hendricks) 7:54.39.

The **girls tennis team** accomplishments as a team as well as in individual achievements were extraordinary. #1 singles player **Alicia Winter** (best season record for #1 singles in school history) took championships in GMAA competition and was regional champion. #4 Singles **Trinity Busscher** was 30-1. The team qualified for state for the third time in 20 years, missing the regional championship by one point, and finishing 13th in division 3; the best finish in school history.

Zac Miller (baseball) owns the new school record with a 1.18 ERA.

Alicia Winter was named the area's best girls tennis player.

<u>Other</u>

Eighteen athletes received the Athletic Foundation's **Outstanding Achievement Award** for receiving 6 or more Varsity letters in a four year career. This was the second highest number of achievement awards given to a senior class.

The Fruitport Hall of Fame inducted its fourth class in March. The banquet had nearly 250 attendees.

The Fruitport Athletic Foundation issued over \$15,000 in coach and athletic department grants for 16-17.

Football
MCC
Fruitport
Ludington (tie third)
OV (tie third)
Spring Lake (tie third)
Fremont
Steve Czerwon, MCC*

Soccer
Fruitport (tie)
Spring Lake (tie)
Ludington (tie third)
MCC (tied third)
OV
Fremont
COY Bill Moulatsiotis, MCC

Boys XC		
Fremont		
Spring Lake		
Fruitport		
Ludington		
Orchard View		

Girls XC
Fremont
Ludington (tie)
Spring Lake (tie)
Fruitport

Girls Golf	
Spring Lake	
Ludington	
Fremont	
Fruitport	
COY George Bitner, SI	

Volleyball	
Fruitport	
Spring Lake	
Fremont	
Ludington	
MCC	
OV	
COY Nicole Bayle, FPT	

Boys Ba	sketball
Spring Lake	
Ludington	
Fruitport	
MCC	
Fremont	
OV	
COY Bill Core, SL	

Girls Basketball
Fruitport (tie 1st)
Ludington (tie 1st)
Spring Lake (tie 1st)
Fremont
MCC
OV
COV Bob Cormon EDT *

COY Bob German, FP1

Wrestling	
Fremont	
OV	
Fruitport	
Ludington (tie)	
Spring Lake (tie)	
MCC	
Scott Zerip, FMT	

Boys Bowling
Orchard View
Fruitport
Fremont
Ludington
Girls Bowling
Fruitport
Ludington
Fremont
OV
COY Joe Kolanowski, FPT

2015-16 ALL SPORT **STANDINGS**

Overall FALL FPT 265 240		770
SL 290 135	320=	745
LUD 220 205	230=	655
FMT 220 190	175=	585
MCC 115 60	170=	345
OV 115 60	90=	330
*Boys/Girls	Tennis a	nd Competitive
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Baseball
MCC
Fruitport
Spring Lake
Fremont
Ludington
OV
COY Nick Reed FPT

Softball		
Spring Lake		
Fruitport		
Fremont		
OV		
Ludington		
COY Bill Core, SL		

Boys Track	
Fruitport	
Spring Lake	
Ludington	
MCC	
Fremont	
OV	
COY Chad Brandow, FPT	

Girls Track		
Spring Lake		
Ludington		
Fremont (tie 3 rd)		
Fruitport (tie 3 rd)		
OV		
MCC		
COY Gera Peel, SL		

Boys Golf		
Ludington		
Spring Lake		
MCC		
Fremont		
Fruitport		
OV		
COY Dennis Cook, LUD *		

Girls Soccer	
Spring Lake	
Fruitport	
Ludington	
MCC	
Fremont	
OV	
COY Jeannie McClain, FPT	

Football	
Derek Monje	
Nick Kramer	
Levi Six	
Jarod Wierengo	
Mitch McNitt (2 nd)	
Cody Rabach (2 nd)	
Darwin Tice (2 nd)	
Zac Miller (2 nd)	
Derek Monje (2 nd)	

Soccer	
Noah Hendricks	
Jared Cloutier	
Cameron Brandow	
Conner Wershem	
Eli Flores (2 nd)	
Lucas Leslie (2 nd)	

Boys XC Aaron Simot

Girls XC
Bailey Umstead (2 nd)

Girls Golf		

Volleyball		
Alyssa Veihl		
Ally German		
Sam Hockstra		
Delaney Bennett (2 nd)		
Katie Veihl (2 nd)		



Boys Basketball	
Antonio Flores	
Zac Miller (2 nd)	

Girls Basketball

Iyanna Brown	
Alyssa Veihl	

Wrestling
Dominic Dault
Bailey Lynn
Terel Johnson
Zachary Sykes
Christain Straley (2 nd)
Lucas Leslie (2 nd)

Boys Bowling
Graham Sullivan
Eli Flores (2 nd)
Girls Bowling
Rachel Pierce
Mackenzie Plichta
Autum Perez (2 nd)

FRUITPORT ALL CONFERENCE HONORS 2015-16

*Boys/Girls Tennis and Competitive Cheer no longer are Lakes 8 conference sports

COASTAL CONFERENCE HONORS Boys Tennis: River Baird (2nd) Girls Tennis: Alicia Winter (1st), Rebecca Busscher (1st); Kaitlyn Labash(2nd), Trinity Busscher (2nd)

Competitive Cheer: Lindzy Brown, Madison Fehler

Baseball
Matt Sander
Jarod Wierengo
Zac Miller
Conner Schuitema (2 nd)
Casey Gagnon (2 nd)

Boys Track
Noah Hendricks (1 st , 2 nd)
Kody Brooks (1 st , 1 st)
Chris Kramer (1 st , 2 nd),
Cameron Brandow (1 st , 2 nd , 2 nd)
Nick Kramer (1 st , 1 st)
Wyatt Kendra (1 st , 2 nd , 2 nd)
Camerin Oleen (1 st)
Mitch Johnson (1 st)
Baily Lynn (1 st)
Seth Glover (1 st , 2 nd)

Girls Track
Iyanna Brown (2 ^{nd ,} 2 nd)
Kallie Fehler (1 st , 2 nd)
Madison Fehler (2 nd)
Maddie Kelly (2 ^{nd,} 2 nd)
Olivia Netzler (2 nd , 2 nd , 2 nd)
Analiza Sanchez (2 nd , 2 nd)
Taylor Burke (2 nd 2 nd)
Katana Daniely (2 nd)

Boys Golf

Girls Soccer
Jaydie Hanks
Emily Winicki
Jensyn Stanberry
Cameryn Zeller (2 nd)
Kelsie Schultz (2 nd)

2016 Senior Athlete Honors

ATHLETIC FOUNDATION Outstanding Achievement Award 2016

The award recognizes athletes who have contributed to multiple sports and have earned 6 or more Varsity letters in their HS career. These represent the best of the best: contributing as leaders on our teams, student government, and the classrooms and hallways throughout the school year. Not so surprising, among these 18 athletes, 7 are three sport athletes and 11 played two sports. Their average GPA is 3.3. <u>This class</u> represents the second largest group of award winners since 2003, and is a primary reason for out school's first ever conference all-sport championship award.

River Baird Delany Bennett Cameron Brandow Kody Brooks Lindzey Brown Antonio Flores

Eli Flores Noah Hendricks (Aaron King) Mitch McNitt Chris Kramer Nick Kramer Zac Miller Graham Sullivan Austin Randolph Bailey Umstead Alysssa Veihl Jarod Wierengo

Other Scholar Athlete Honors

[Showcase Award Winners: (Announced earlier) Liza Johnson, Eli Flores]

US Army Reserve Athletes of the Year: Delaney Bennett, Nick Kramer US Marines Distinguished Athlete Awards: Bailey Umstead, Antonio Flores

School Winners, Muskegon Chronicle /Hall of Fame Student Athletes of the Year: Alyssa Veihl Noah Hendricks

Trojan Perseverance Award

For persisting through difficult circumstances, remaining faithful to teammates through adversity- while exemplifying self-efficacy and a never give up attitude. It is a strong belief that effort and hard work matter. Ellie Szymoniak

FHS Senior Student Athletes of the Year 2015-16

Selected by HS coaching and teaching staff, a multiple sport athlete with 3.4+ GPA and has exemplified leadership, sportsmanship, athletic and academic talent.

Male Student-Athlete of the Year: Zachary Miller

Female Student-Athlete of the Year: Eliza Johnson

15-16 BY THE NUMBERS

650	Sporting events grades 7-12
581	Officials Hired
350	Participants
90	Home game workers
67	Percent of coaches that are not FCS teaching staff
54	Coaching staff positions
48	Three -sport athletes
45	Teams grades 7-12
30	Years to break the boys 3200 relay record
23	Years as FHS athletic secretary for Mrs. Sytsma
18	Senior Athletes that earned 6+ varsity letters
10	Trojan Athletes earned All-State honors
7	Boys Track school records fell this year
6	Coaches receiving Conference Coach of the Year honors
5	Conference championships
4	All -State Honors for Noah Hendricks as a senior
2	"Top Ten" team rankings
2	GMAA "City" Championship s
1	State Champion relay team

21 YR. FRUITPORT HIGH SCHOOL ATHLETIC PARTICIPATION RATES

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SEASON	SPORT	B/G #	95/96	96/97	97/98	98/99	99/00	00/01	01/02	02/03		04/05	05/06		SPORT	07/08	08/09	09/10
FALL	FOOTBALL	B (3)	88	90	84	96	102	98	100	116		103	95	95	FB	100	110	96
FALL	SOCCER	B (2)	33	35	35	34	34	29	38	35		37	35	35	SOC	34	34	33
FALL	TENNIS	G (2)	17	23	20	21	26	24	25	26	27	16	13	21	B TEN	17	13	14
FALL	X-CTRY	B (1)	9	8	10	9	8	14	7	7	7	11	14	14	XB B	13	10	14
19	X-CTRY	G (1)	9	13	10	7	10	8	11	13	7	10	13	15	XC G	12	18	19
FALL	BSKBALL	G (3)	38	34	37	35	34	36	36	32	28	33	35	35	VB	34	35	33
FALL	GOLF	B (1)			26	11	12	14	12	16	15	12	12	8	G GOLF	6	8	11
FALL	CHEER	G (2)	20	29	25	25	22	24	24	22	24	22	25	31	SL CH	23	24	31
FALL	TOTAL	B (7)	130	133	155	150	156	155	157	173	173	163	156	152		164	167	157
FALL	TOTAL	G (8)	84	99	92	88	92	92	96	94	86	81	86	102		75	85	94
FALL	SCHOOL																	
	TOTAL	15	214	232	247	238	248	247	253	267	259	244	242	254		239	252	251
WINTER	BSKBL	B (3)	39	41	36	36	35	37	32	35	39	37	39	35	BBB	35	33	34
WINTER	WRSTL	B (2)	34	34	22	19	24	27	23	26		31	22	11	WR	17	18	21
WINTER	V-BALL	G (3)	36	34	32	32	38	32	38	33		35	34	36	GBB	29	29	32
WINTER	BOWL	G (1)										9	10	12	BOWL(G)		8	8
WINTER	BOWL	B (1)										11	20	21	BOWL(B)		22	10
WINTER	S.L. Cheer	G (1)	20	16	13	23	24	20	20	21		24	25	8	SL CH	16	7	N/A
WINTER	CMP. CHEER	G (1)												17	C CH	5	13	14
WINTER	TOTAL	B (6)	73	75	58	55	59	64	55	61	70	79	81	67	Boys	68	73	65
WINTER	TOTAL	G (6)	56	50	45	55	62	52	58	54		68	69	73	Girls	61	57	54
WINTER.	SCHOOL	• (•)								•							•	
	TOTAL	12	129	125	103	110	121	116	113	115	136	147	150	140	Total	129	130	119
SPRING	BSBAL	B (3)	33	44	42	48	46	49	34	37	34	36	36	34	BBAB	37	36	28(V/JV)
SPRING	SFTBAL	G (2)	28	28	28	28	26	31	24	29		23	28	29	SFTBL	25	26	23
SPRING	SOCCER	G (2)	35	39	42	43	34	33	37	38		37	36	33	SOCCER		32	33
SPRING	TRACK	B (1)	30	21	27	22	21	35	35	36		30	43	40	B TRACK		45	49
SPRING	TRACK	G (1)	26	30	12	15	25	28	33	24		33	28	37	GTRACK		39	31
SPRING	GOLF	G(1)										6	8	7	B GOLF	10	8	12
SPRING	TENNIS	B (2)	15	17	17	15	15	18	25	25		25	26	22	G TEN	32	27	29
SPRING	TOTAL	B (2) B (6)	78	82	86	85	82	102	94	98	100		105	96	S I LIN	85	89	89
SPRING	TOTAL	G (6)	89	97	82	86	85	92	94	91	100		100	106		123	124	116
SPRING	SCHOOL				~~				••									
	TOTAL	12	167	179	168	171	167	194	188	189	200	190	205	202		208	213	205
		12	107	113	100	.,,	107	134	100	103	200	130	203	202		200	213	205
ANNUAL	TOTALS	B. 19	281	290	301	290	297	321	306	332	343	333	342	315		317	329	311
ANNUAL	IUTALO	G. 20	201	290	219	290	2397	236	187	239	252	248	255	281		259	266	264
		BTH 39	510	536	520	519	239 536	230 557	554	239 572	595	240 581	255 597	596		239 576	200 595	204 575
	ove numbers													330		510	333	515

Above numbers include Sideline Cheerleading, which is not included in MHSAA Survey or OCR Data

FRUITPORT HIGH SCHOOL ATHLETIC PARTICIPATION RATES

SEASON	SPORT	B/G #	10/11	11/12	12/13	13/14	14/15	15/16
FALL	FOOTBALL	B (3)	84	78	98	98	87	86
FALL	SOCCER	B (2)	31	34	36	34	36	31
FALL	TENNIS	B (2)	14	12	13	13	12	14
FALL	X-CTRY	B (1)	15	11	9	9	8	17
FALL	X-CTRY	G (1)	16	7	8	7	7	10
FALL	VOLLYBALL	G (3)	37	35	32	32	35	32
FALL	GOLF	G(1)	10	13	7	10	10	12
FALL	S.L. CHEER	G (2)	33	39	30	34	40	38
FALL	TOTAL	B (8)	144	135	156	154	143	148
FALL	TOTAL	G (7)	96	94	77	83	92	92
FALL								
	TOTAL	15	240	229	233	237	235	240
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WINTER	BSKBL	B (3)	34	36	34	34	31	32
WINTER	BSKBL	G (3)	30	34	32	32	30	26
WINTER	WRSTL	B (2)	19	27	13	31	16	16
WINTER	BOWL	G (1)	9	8	7	5	6	6
WINTER	BOWL	B (1)	8	6	8	7	7	10
WINTER	S.L. Cheer	G (1)	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A
WINTER	CMP. CHEER	G (1)	15	20	22	15	21	30
WINTER	TOTAL	B (6)	61	69	55	72	54	58
WINTER	TOTAL	G (6)	54	62	61	52	57	62
	TOTAL	12	115	131	116	124	111	120
		5 (0)						
SPRING	BSBAL	B (2)	34	33	32	30	28	30
SPRING	SFTBAL	G (2)	29	33	29	27	26	29
SPRING	SOCCER	G (2)	33	34	29	36	35	35
SPRING	TRACK	B (1)	38	53	54	58	44	48
SPRING	TRACK	G (1)	28	28	29	36	28	24
SPRING	GOLF	B (1)	12	10	10	14	14	19
SPRING	TENNIS	G (2)	25	22	23	16	20	20
SPRING	TOTAL	B (5)	84	96	96	102	86	97
SPRING	TOTAL	G (7)	115	117	110	115	109	108
SPRING								
	TOTAL	11	199	213	206	217	195	205
ANNUAL	TOTALS	B. 18	289	300	307	328	283	303
		G. 20	265	273	248	250	258	262
		BTH	554	573	555	578	541	565
		39						