



Several members of Christian Central Academy's girls and boys soccer teams recently earned Independent Athletic Conference all-stars honors. Pictured girls photo, from left, -

Amie Stuitje, Ashley Tom, Faye-Lynn Noel, Katie Smith, Jenni Albrecht, Sarah Wade and Laura Albrecht; boys photo, from left,

Aaron VanSchoonhoven, Khaled Morad and Kurt Froese; missing from photo, Josiah Blueye.

## Christian Central Academy soccer all-stars lauded

Seven girl and four boy soccer players from Christian Central Academy were named Independent Athletic Conference all-stars.

CCA girls recognized as all-stars were senior Jenni Albrecht, junior Ashley Tom, sophomore Laura Albrecht and freshman Faye-Lynn Noel. Juniors Katie Smith, Amie Stuitje, and Sarah Wade were honorable mention.

Tom, a forward, led the IAC champions with nine goals and seven assists. Tom acted as a leader throughout the season, said CCA coach Joe Karnath.

For the last two seasons, Jenni Albrecht played goalie but switched early in the season to midfield and stopper to help beef up the team in the middle, said Karnath.

"Jenni will really be missed next year," said Karnath.

"She has been a real strength on the team the past three years."

Jenni's younger sister, Laura, was the real backbone of enthusiasm and drive of the team, Karnath said.

"Laura was the spark plug that never quit and always gave 110 percent," he said.

Noel, although only a freshman, helped control the midfield for the team and was the second highest scorer with eight goals and four assists. Noel scored the only goal in the championship game against West Seneca Christian.

Smith was the team's third highest scorer with five goals and seven assists, and Stuitje and Wade made the defense strong and kept the goals against average under two per game.

On the boys team, seniors Josiah Blueye and Khaled Morad were named all-stars.

Morad was the team's third highest scorer and Blueye was outstanding on defense. Both Blueye and Morad were strong leaders for the team, on and off the field.

Josiah and Khaled proved to be real assets and the rest of the team always looked to them for leadership and positive example," said CCA boys coach Alan Wandowski.

Senior Aaron Von Schoonhoven and junior Kurt Froese were honorable mention.

Froese was the team's high scorer with eight goals and three assists. Von Schoonhoven was second with six goals and three assists.

## SSPP girls varsity hoops wins third game

The Saints Peter & Paul varsity girls basketball team raised its record to 3-1 with a hard fought 15-14 victory over St. Benedict's on Thursday.

Alyssa Bellus, Julia Collins, and Paige Hanley experienced a physical game against a strong, quick St. Benedict's squad. Hanley led the Knights with five points, including the game-winning free throw with two minutes left. Bellus and Collins each added two points.

Samantha Basile and Marla Cal-

abro also dealt with the fast-paced St. Benedict's team at guard by keeping the opposition from running a successful fast break while adding four and two points, respectively.

Claire Haumesser and Alexis Parry played well at center by pulling down rebounds for the offense and defense. Victoria Mendiola and Jessica Lynett kept up the fast-paced game at guard. Michelle Haumesser, Maury Fields, and Hope Genco made several excellent plays at for-

ward, including several steals. Once again, Kathleen Ruggiero and Jessica Clark rounded out the team at guard for a total team effort against a strong oppo-

**SSPP 17, Swormsville 15**  
SSPP pushed its record to 2-1 with a 17-15 win over St. Mary's Swormsville on Jan. 8.

Julia Collins had strong steady play at forward throughout the game while scoring five points. Samantha Basile helped spark a steady push against a strong St

Mary's offense by stealing the ball twice and breaking down the court, only to be fouled while in the act of shooting. Basile made 1-of-4 free throws and finished the game with five points.

Alyssa Bellus once again played solid at center, pulling down some much needed defensive rebounds and blocking several shots. Forward Paige Hanley blocked several shots and also added four points. Olivia Jakson, not to be outdone at guard, stole the ball several times and added

three points. Marla Calabro, Jessica Lynett, and Victoria Mendiola had solid games at guard keeping St. Mary's from getting any organized offense together.

Alexis Parry, Michelle Haumesser, and Maury Fields filled in at the center and forward positions with solid play in the third and fourth quarters. Hope Genco, Kathleen Ruggiero, and Jessica Clark rounded out the team at guard for a total team effort and win.

# HIGH SCHOOL SPORTS SCOREBOARD

### Amherst Central

- Boys Basketball — def. Hamburg 76-74 (OT), def. Lake Shore 64-49
- Girls Basketball — def. Lake Shore 37-36, lost to East 31-21
- Boys Bowling — def. Springville 5-2
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- Hockey — lost to East 4-0
- Boys Swimming — def. Cheektowaga 110-73, lost to East Aurora 127-52

### Sweet Home

- Boys Basketball — def. Lancaster 68-58
- Girls Basketball — lost to Frontier 55-43, lost to Clarence 64-51
- Boys Bowling — lost to W.S. East 5-2
- Girls Bowling — def. W.S. East 6-1
- Hockey — def. Bishop Timon-St. Jude 7-2, def. Ken. East 5-1, def. St. Francis 4-3
- Boys Swimming — lost to Lake Shore 108-69, lost to W.S. East 140-43
- Wrestling — def. Frontier 35-24

### Williamsville East

- Boys Basketball — lost to East 75-60
- Girls Basketball — def. Depew 49-39, def. Amherst 31-21
- Boys Bowling — lost to Hamburg 6-1
- Girls Bowling — lost to Hamburg 7-0

- Hockey — def. Amherst 4-0
- Boys Swimming — def. Jamestown 112-60
- Wrestling — lost to Iroquois 35-24, sixth at North Tourn., 104½

### Williamsville North

- Boys Basketball — game with Orchard Park suspended
- Girls Basketball — lost to Orchard Park 49-37
- Boys Bowling — lost to Lancaster 7-0
- Girls Bowling — lost to W.S. West 4-3
- WNY Club Large School Hockey — def. Lockport 7-1
- Fed Hockey — Ken. West game postponed
- Boys Swimming — def. Lancaster 112-74
- Wrestling — def. Frontier 54-15, first at North Tourn., 153½

### Williamsville South

- Boys Basketball — lost to Clarence 61-52, def. Iroquois 51-25
- Girls Basketball — lost to Iroquois 54-45
- Boys Bowling — def. Iroquois 5-2
- Girls Bowling — def. Iroquois 7-0
- Hockey — lost to St. Francis 4-1
- Boys Swimming — lost to Cheektowaga 117-73
- Wrestling — lost to Lake Shore 64-3, 13th at North Tourn., 24

### Sacred Heart

- Girls Bowling — lost to Mt. Mercy 3-1, def. Holy Angels 3-1

## Club Hockey

# North varsity club hockey unbeaten in six

Williamsville North's club hockey team has been on a roll. In the past six games, the Spartans have won three and tied three other times against some of the best high school teams in the area.

Goaltender Marcus Palmisano started and won his first two games of the season. In his first game, he made 27 stops in a 4-3 decision over Niagara Catholic. He recorded his first shutout in a 7-0 win on Saturday night against Livingston County.

Goaltender Ryan Malinowski has earned a win and three ties in his last four outings against powerhouse teams Jamestown, Grand Island, Niagara Falls and Lockport.

Coach Neil Ritz has been extremely pleased with the consistency of the team as he continues to roll four lines and six defensemen. He's also pleased with the balance of scoring from the forwards. Overall, the scoring has been balanced.

The defensive pairings of David Stark, Andrew Utech, Tim Ritz, Kyle Bowers, Brian Cavagnaro and Eric Szymczak has been great throughout the season. Very few turnovers in their own end has helped keep the opponents off the scoreboard.

Austin Benshadle has been on a goal-scoring streak. In his last four games, Benshadle has recorded eight goals to help the team record wins over Livingston County and Lockport.

Eric Fischer scored his first goal of the season against Livingston County. Also scoring throughout the six-game win streak are forwards Matt Battista, CJ Waggoner, Collin Schreiner, Alex Hajduczuk, Eric Johnston, CJ Nocera, Daric Will, Jason Fitzpatrick, Eric Arbogast and Chris Carbone.

North is ranked in the top-ten in the large school poll.