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Glenbrook South Titan Booster Club Newsletter

A weekly round-up of Glenbrook South High School Athletics



Girls Swimming & Diving

The Girls Swim & Diving Team finished their season this weekend at the IHSA State Meet. The girls were excited to have such a big group at the state meet.

The six underclassmen were excited to participate this year and already looking forward to returning to state next year.

Here are the results: Catherine Devine-21st 50 free, Alexis Kachkin 31st 50/100 free. Alex DiMarco-31st Diving, Kate Solem 24th 200 free/33rd 500 free, 200 Free relay (Devine,Kachkin,Nomun Saintur,Emsela Orucevic) 25th place and 400 Free relay (Devine,Kachkin,Solem,Orucevic) 29th Place.

Awarded at Team Banquet:

MVP-Kate Solem

CSL All Conference - Catherine Devine/Alexis Kachkin/Kate Solem

Titan Senior Academic Award - Abby Coleman

CSL Academic All Conference - Bianca Crockett/Kate Edelstein

CSL Sportsmanship Award - Bianca Crockett





Girls Basketball

The Glenbrook South Girls' Varsity Basketball team captured the Mundelein Thanksgiving Tournament with a 5-0 record. All 21 girls on the team contributed, as the Titans had to play 5 games in six days. The season began with a 39-27 victory over Carmel. After falling behind 10-2 in the first quarter, the Titans held the Corsairs to 17 points the final 28 minutes. Lizzy Shaw led the Titans with ten points, Makayla Stadler scored nine, Krisin Ralston and Challen Flaws contributed 7 and 6 respectively in their varsity debuts, and Liz LaPierre and Libbie Vanderveen scored four points apiece.

The Lady Titans roared to a 23-0 lead behind tenacious defense in their second game against Grayslake North. Twenty girls received playing time in the 52-30 victory. Libbie Vanderveen led the Titans with 17 points, Makayla Stadler poured in ten, and Lizzy Shaw and Liz LaPierre scored seven. Katherine Chu, Molly Sedin, Halle Smith, Kate Gregory and Grace O'Brien came off the bench to score for the Titans, while all 20 players who took the floor played terrific defense.

The Titans continued their superb play against Highland Park, defeating the Giants 66-38. Libbie Vanderveen scored 16 points in the second quarter, including four three pointers. Kristin Ralston was a force inside, matching Vanderveen's 16 points. Lizzy Shaw's stellar play at the point and 11 points were integral to the Titans' 40-17 halftime lead. Liz LaPierre and Halle Smith scored six apiece, Molly Sedin hit a nice three, and Makayla Stadler, Annie Streb, Katherine Chu, and Grace O'Brien added two points each.

The girls played a fantastic first half against a big, talented Grant squad, racing to a 37-12 lead. Liz LaPierre was everywhere, leading the scoring with 19 points. Lizzy Shaw poured in 13 with 3 three pointers, Makayla Stadler blew by defenders for nine points, Libbie Vanderveen and Kristin Ralston scored six, and Halle Smith, Molly Sedin, and Katherine Chu added a basket apiece.

The team made it a perfect five for five in the Saturday finale against Mundelein, defeating the hosts 56-39. Kristin Ralston dominated the paint, leading the Titans with 15 points. Lizzy Shaw and Libbie Vanderveen added ten, Makayla Stadler sped her way to nine, and Annie Streb and Liz LaPierre contributed six points apiece.

Most impressive was the defensive effort of the Titans throughout the tournament. Lizzy Shaw, Makayla Stadler, Libbie Vanderveen, Challen Flaws, and Katherine Chu hounded the opponents' guards into numerous turnovers, and Liz LaPierre, Kristin Ralston, Annie Streb, Halle Smith, and Molly Sedin cleared the glass.

Lizzy Shaw, Liz LaPierre, Makayla Stadler, and Libbie Vanderveen were named to the All-Tournament team. Kristin Ralston contributed 11 points per game, which was integral to the Titans' championship.

Congratulations on a terrific performance by all of the Lady Titans!



Boys Basketball

Boys Basketball will be competing in the Buffalo Grove Thanksgiving Tournament beginning Nov. 20.

The Titan basketball team is hoping to reach basketball alumni (must be 25 and older) for an **Alumni Reunion game** on Saturday, Dec. 2, before the Titans game against Glenbrook North. Interested alumni can get more information and sign up by contacting head coach Ralston (pralston@glenbrook225.org) or assistant coach Cowhey (rcowhey@glenbrook225.org)

Chicago Bulls Game

The boys varsity basketball team will be playing Hersey H.S. at the **United Center** on Saturday, Dec. 9.

The team is selling discounted Bulls Tickets for \$30. Your ticket will get you into the GBS-Hersey game, and the Bulls game vs the New York Knicks later that night. Great deal!

For not information, or to purchase tickets, please contact Coach Ralston at pralston@glenbrook225.org.







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Girls Volleyball

Congratulations to Junior Middle Blocker, Kate Gregory on being named to the all- conference team for the CSL. Kate is a 3 sport athlete so be sure to continue to support her in basketball and soccer.

Way to go Kate!



Girls Golf

Following a run at the State Tournament, the Girls Golf Team had three All-Conference athletes:

Sophia Lau (Sr)

Hanna Tanaka (Jr and Team MVP)

Maria Perakis (Fr)

Congrats, ladies!



Girls Gymnastics

Girls gymnastics, which placed 3rd in state last season (first time in 38 years!) are selling raffle tickets. This season, Head coach Steve Gale and the girls welcome a new coach to the team, Mr. Kurt Wahler, owner of American Academy Gymnastics in Wheeling and Northbrook.

This additional coach allows for more instruction and safety in the gym, and will make this already outstanding team even more competitive.

The girls are selling raffle tickets to support the addition of a new coach. Purchase a raffle ticket for \$10 and you could win a pair of premier **Chicago Blackhawks** tickets (2nd row directly behind goal) or **Chicago Bulls** tickets (7th row behind bench)

Either prize will make an excellent holiday gift.

To purchase tickets today see Sue Haramaras or Roxanne Nourbash or any of the gymnasts.

Roxanne Nourbash

Nourbash@ameritech.net

Sue Haramaras

skharamaras@gmail.com

Deadline to buy is Dec 7th. Drawing is Dec 11th. Good luck to the gymnastics team this season!



GLENBROOK SOUTH

Boys Hockey

The GBS Titan Hockey Club continued their winning ways by beating Barrington 8-3 Wednesday. Thomas Lundal had 2 goals, while Daniel McKay, Jack Radler, Nicolas Botvinnik, Ben Thomas, Theo Papalas, and Colin Garrett poured in the other 6. Nic Koster stopped 39 shots in net for the Titans.

Saturday night, the Titans jumped out to an early lead against Fenwick and never relinquished the lead winning 5-1. Daniel McKay and Ben Thomas each scored twice while Nicolas Botvinnik scored once and Jamie Dziurdzik stopped 23 shots in net.

Next up is **the annual North vs South game** against GBN this Wednesday @ 6p.m. @ Glenview Ice Center. There is a \$5 donation for all ages (student activity passes will not be accepted), with proceeds benefiting The Northfield Food Pantry. Special guest Daniel (DOC) Oswald, PhD will handle the ceremonial puck drop and GBS's very own NINE will perform The National Anthem.

Please plan to arrive early as this game is always a sellout.

This weekend the GBS Titan Hockey club will once again participate in the annual Loyola Thanksgiving Tournament with games as follows:

11/23 9:50am vs St. Viator @ Centennial Ice Rink in Wilmette

11/24 1:30pm vs Evanston @ Skatium Ice Arena in Skokie

11/25 12:00pm vs Providence @ Skatium Ice Arena in Skokie

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Alumni update: David O'Gara '14

GBS boys cross country Kurt Hasenstein and assistant coach Chris Hilvert had the great pleasure of watching GBS alum David O'Gara earn his 2nd All- American Award for Cross Country at the NCAA Division 3 National Championships Saturday.

David finished 9th overall in the 279 man field and lead his team to a 5th place finish overall. David finished 29th last season. Fantastic year for David and Washington University in St. Louis!

Results http://trxctiming.com/DIII_XC_Nationals/Results/Mens_Results.htm

Wash U article <http://www.washubears.com/sports/xc/2017-18/releases/20171118pznwli>



Titans in the News

Click the links below for stories about Titan Athletics

[Girls Basketball Preview](#)

[2017 Team 22: Girls Volleyball \(\\$\)](#)

Save the Date: Booster Club Spring Benefit

Please mark your calendar for Saturday, March 10, for the annual Club benefit. Join your friends and team coaches for dinner, drinks and an array of silent and live auction items. All money raised will benefit Titan athletes.

Thank You Coaches

Special thanks to GBS coaches for contributing content. To read prior Titan newsletters, to view more information about GBS Titan Athletics, or to see how you can get involved in Booster Club activities, please visit the Titan Booster Club website at [GBS Titan Booster Club](#)



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