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Glenbrook South Titan Booster Club Newsletter

A weekly round-up of Glenbrook South High School Athletics



Cheerleading

The competitive season for cheerleading has been in full swing since the beginning of December. The cheerleaders have done an amazing job and have increased their score at each competition.

"The kids did well today," coach Jasmine Phillips told the Glenview Lantern. "I liked their effort and they put on a great show today. Besides their skills, they've really pulled together as a team this year."

South senior Taylor Berek agreed that team unity hit a new high this season.

"We spend so much time together," Berek told the Lantern. "You can tell how much closer we've all gotten and I honestly feel like I'm good friends with everyone on the team."

Berek was also happy with her team's performance at the conference meet.

"I thought we went in with a positive attitude and during the routine, I could feel the energy was up," she said. "So we're obviously disappointed that we didn't place. I think we all really believed we had a chance to place but that's just not how the numbers turned out."

The girls competed at sectionals at Niles West on Sunday, Jan 13.



Girls Basketball

The girls' basketball team went 2-1 this week, playing without leading scorer Kristin Ralston and defensive stalwart Julia DiSano, who were injured in the championship game of the Wheaton North tournament.

The Titans defeated Maine South 48-41 in Park Ridge Tuesday night, overcoming an 8 point first quarter deficit. The Titans battled to tie the game at halftime and took control in the second half. Makayla Stadler and Annie Streb led the Titans with 13, followed by Libbie Vanderveen with 11, Challen Flaws with 9, and Maddie Kapsimalis with 2. Flaws held D1 signee Nicole Scales to 7 points, and Stadler, Vanderveen, and Streb picked off many passes and controlled the boards. Grace O'Brien played outstanding defense and Emily Castelli came off the bench to provide a second quarter spark.

The team couldn't find the basket at Niles West on Friday night in Skokie, dropping a 47-36 decision. The Titans were 4-28 from 3 and 5-21 from 2. Stadler did her best to lift the Titans out of their shooting woes, scoring 14 points, including 7-7 from the line and picking off some big passes. Streb scored 11, Kapsimalis recorded 2 threes, and Flaws added 5 points.

Five seniors started the game against Schurz on Saturday afternoon and helped the team to a 66-39 victory. Kate Gregory, Lindsey Burrowes, Shelby Green and Castelli received their first varsity starts and O'Brien used her starting experience to solidify the line-up. Everyone saw action in the matinee and played well. Vanderveen led the team with 14, while Stadler and Kapsimalis added 9, Eden Frick scored 7, Streb contributed 6, O'Brien and Flaws chipped in 5, Ana Res scored 4, Castelli dropped in a three, and Claire Hackl and Kate Gregory each recorded a bucket. The Titans shared some Lou Malnati's pizza with the Schurz girls after the game and had a a great time.

The Titans are now 16-4 overall.



Girls Gymnastics

The varsity girls' gymnastics team continues to reap the benefits of their hard work by defeating Central Suburban League (CSL) opponent Maine South, on Tuesday, January 8, 147.35 to 143.30.

In doing so, the Titans not only maintained 1st place in the CSL, but also earned the ranking of #1 team in the state going into the final week of competition. Leading the way in this victory were:

On vault: 1st junior Jenna Hartley with 9.70 and 2nd sophomore Sheena Graham with 9.45

On bars: 1st Sheena Graham with 9.55 and 2nd Jenna Hartley with 9.25

On beam: 1st Sheena Graham with 9.50 and 2nd Jenna Hartley with 9.45

On floor: 2nd Jenna Hartley with 9.35 and 3rd sophomore Elena Pauker with 9.05

In all-around: 1st Sheena Graham with 37.35 and 2nd Jenna Hartley with 37.30

Other team members contributing in this victory were seniors and co-captains Sarah Healy and Chloe Nourbash, sophomore Sydney Willits and freshman Stella Kahn.

The final CSL competition for the girls' gymnastics team is against Evanston on Thursday, January 17th at 5:30 pm at ETHS.



Boys Basketball

The Boys Basketball team won three times this week, beating Streamwood, 84-42, topping Niles West, 60-37, and defeating Taft, 78-38, on Saturday at the Titan Dome.

Next up, the Titans travel to Evanston for a big conference match-up on Friday, Jan 18, at 7 p.m.



Poms Continue Busy Competition Period

Varsity and JV Poms are in the middle of a busy month of competitions.

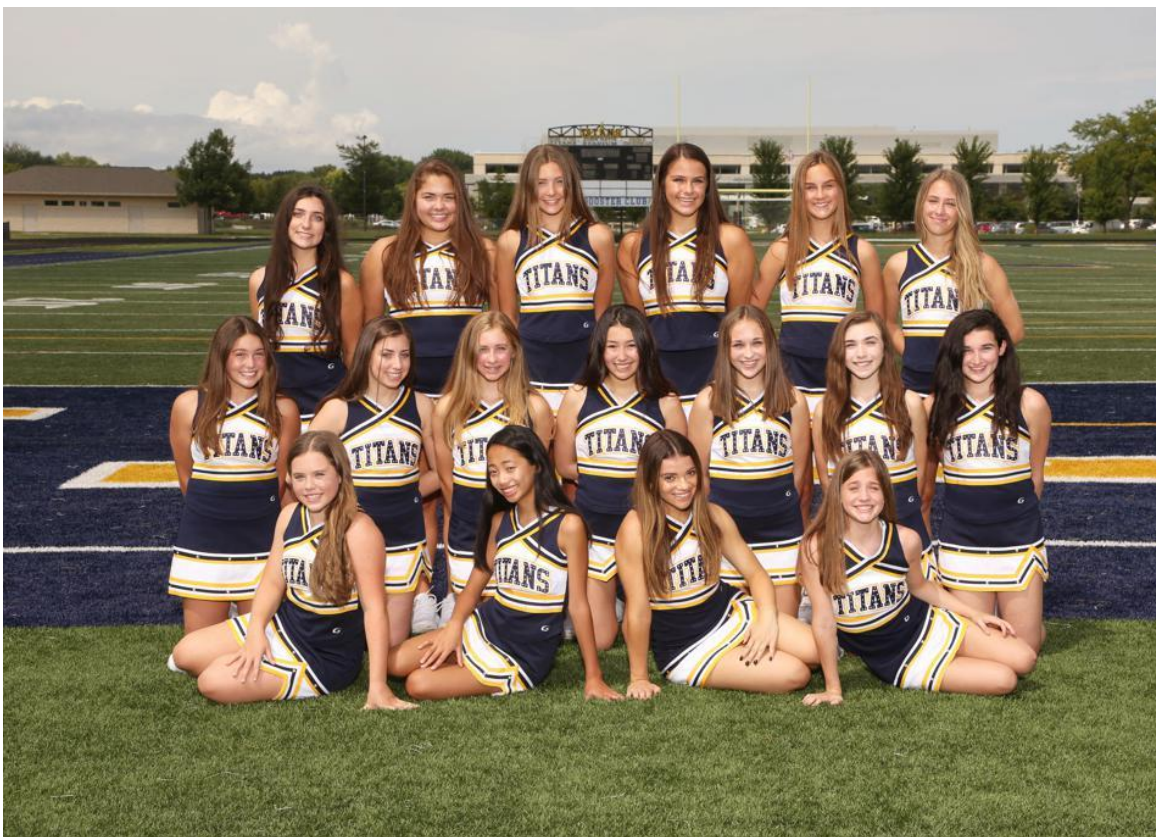
On Jan 5, Varsity Poms took fourth in Poms and second in Jazz at the Universal Dance Association regional at the University of Illinois. JV took in fifth in Poms and seventh in jazz.

Varsity Poms performed their jazz routine at the CSL conference meet on Jan 8, taking fourth place.

On Saturday, JV Poms took the **top two spots** at their final competition in Grayslake. They scored first in Poms and second in Jazz. Amazing!

This Saturday, Varsity Poms travel to Warren High School for their Sectionals meet. They perform their jazz routine at 12:20 p.m. Awards are at 2 p.m.

Good luck, ladies!





Boys Swimming & Diving

The Boys Swim Team had a nice weekend winning the 8 team Titan Relays and breaking 4 meet records in the process.

Relay swimmers on the Meet records were Matt Dale, Mike Hadjiivanov, Elliot Chen, Sami Moussally(2), Max Iida(2), Todd Wagner, Sachin Patel, Jackson Hogue(2), Syphax Raab, Quinn Loughran, Nick Khatkovyy and Hunter Weisensel(2).

The Titans beat ETHS on all three levels on Friday night and also participated in the Hinsdale Central Diving Invitational.

Senior Night is this Friday night vs. New Trier at 5:30 p.m.



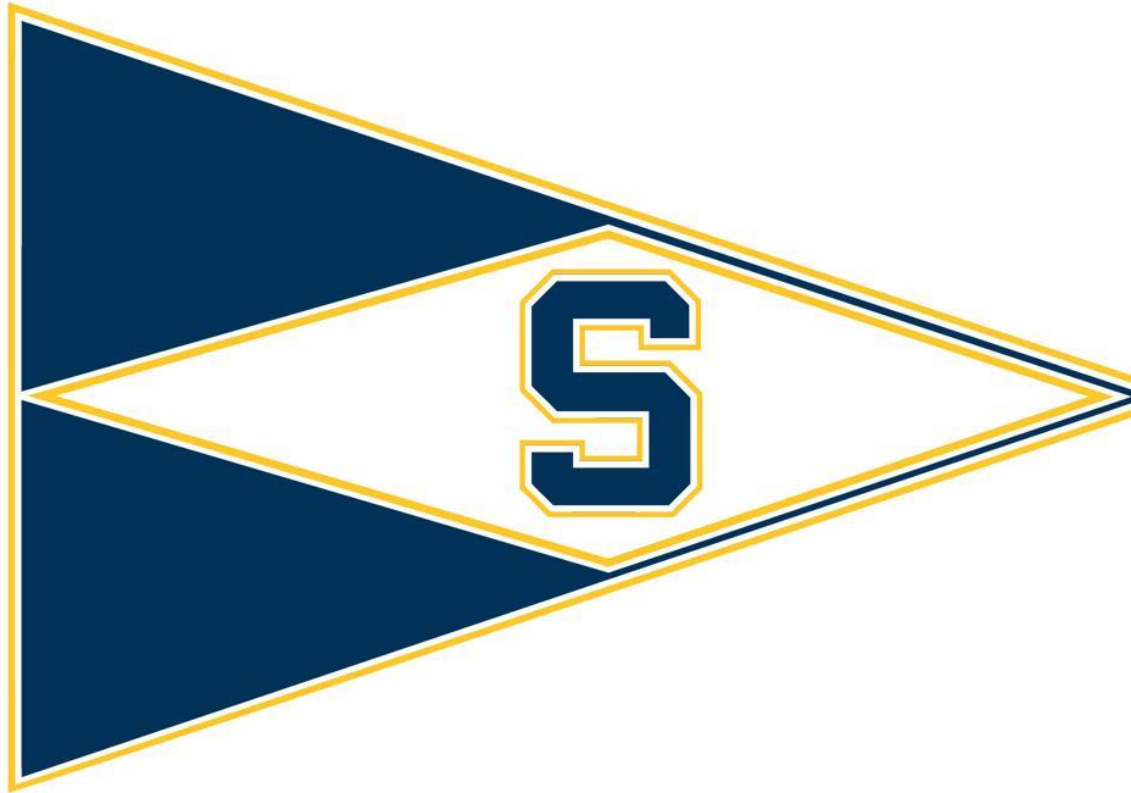
Track

Track and Field season will be starting on Tuesday Jan. 22. Practices are held in the Fieldhouse right after school until Spring Break.

After Spring Break , the team transitions to the stadium. Any interested student should see Coach Hasenstein (Boys Team) or Coach Zapler (Girls Team) and register for their respective team on the GBS Parent Portal.

<https://www.glenbrook225.org/Parents>





Glenbrook South Sailing Team

Sailing

The GBS Sailing Team begins its Spring racing season in April!

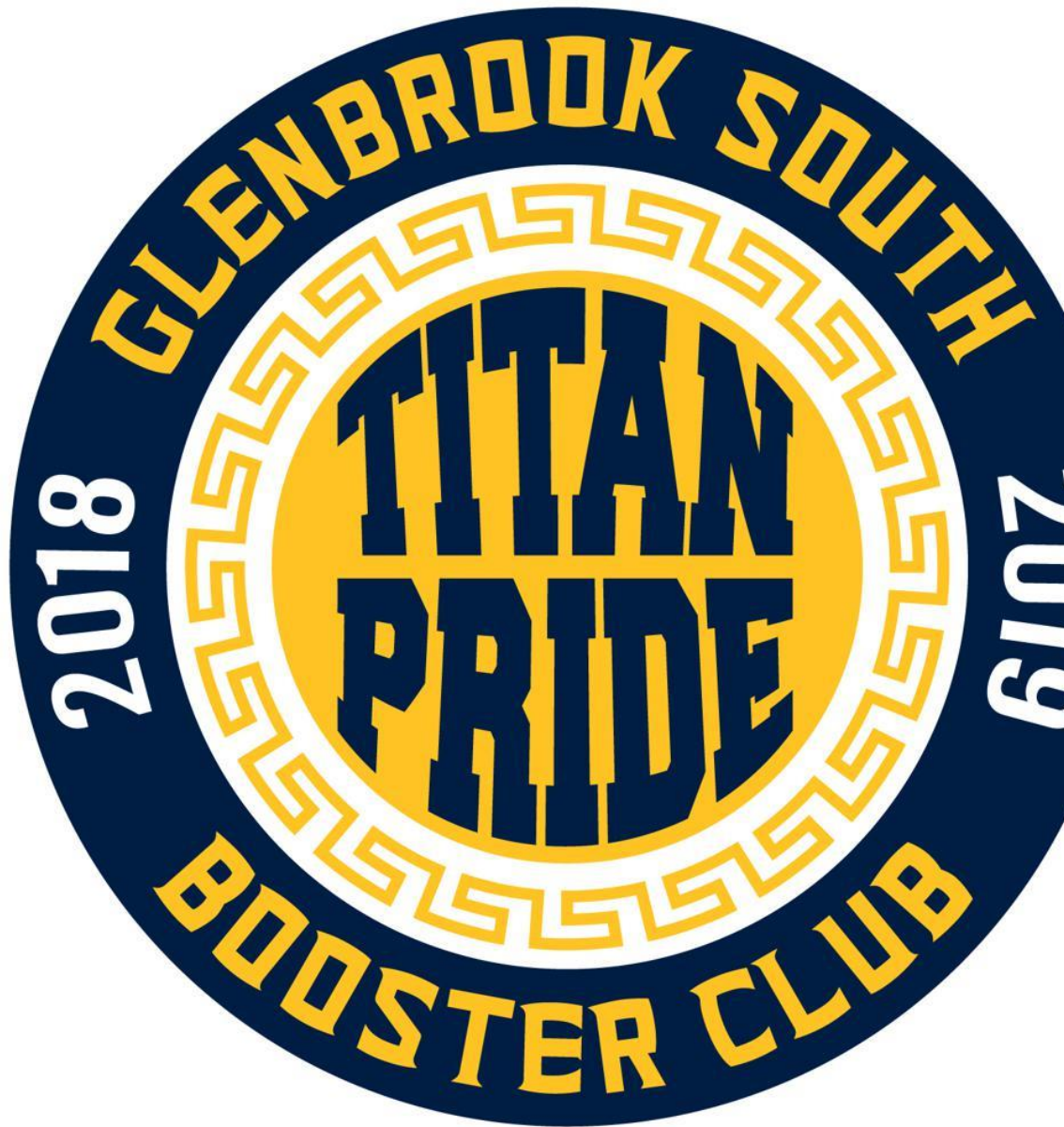
Current GBS students and 8th graders that plan to attend GBS in the Fall with sailing experience can race with the team this Spring.

Practice is M-W-Fs in Lake Forest and the team competes in regattas on the weekends. The team sails on Lake Michigan and many of the regattas are in the Chicago area.

If you would like to learn more, contact student Daniel Fogarty at:

196673@glenbrook225.org.

Students can also meet with members of the Sailing team at the GBS Activities Fair on January 30 to ask questions.



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