WASHINGTON TOWNSHIP HIGH SCHOOL

DEPARTMENT OF ATHLETICS

November 2023

ATHLETIC TEAM NOTES

**Football**

* Final Record 9-3
* Ranked #3 in Group V
* Rank Top 15 in South Jersey by Courier Post
* Team celebrated their most successful season since 2003
* Team qualified for South Jersey Group V playoffs defeating Atlantic City and Rancocas Valley to face Toms River North in the Sectional Championship. First trip back to the Sectional championship since 2004
* 7 Minutemen named 1st Team All Conference:
* Seniors, Jared Dzierzgowski, Giuliano Scavetta, Logan Perez, Tyler Piontowski
* Junior, Da’Shawn Long
* Sophomores, Jaylen Robinson, Andrew Osborne
* The Touchdown Club of SJ awarded the Un-Sung Hero Award to Senior, Joe Franchi
* The Touchdown Club of SJ awarded the Scholar Athlete Award to Senior, Dan Forcinito

**Boys Soccer**

**Tri-County Conference Champions-Royal Division**

**SJ Group IV Sectional Champions**

* Final Record 18-2-2
* Team finished 16th in the state out of over 300 schools. First time since 2018
* Team named Tri-County Conference Team of the Year
* Team had a perfect 12-0 record at home
* Team finished the season with 12 shutouts
* Team defeated Atlantic City in first round of State Tournament
* Team advanced to 2nd round facing Southern Regional
* Team advanced to defeat Rancocas Valley and Toms River North.
* Team faced Princeton High School on November 8 in the State Semi-Final.
* Team qualified for SJ Coaches Cup defeating Glassboro in the 1st Round
* Team defeated Cherry Hill West in 2nd round of Coaches Cup Tournament
* Team defeated Ocean City in the Semi Final round of the Coaches Cup Tournament
* Team faced Clearview in the Coaches Cup Championship game
* Seniors, Drew Heil, John DiNoto and Ajani Dwyer named 1st Team All-Conference and All South Jersey
* Senior, Drew Heil named 2nd team All-State, 1 team All Group IV and Tri-county Player of the Year
* Senior, John DiNoto named 3rd team All Group IV
* Senior, Ajani Dyer names 2nd team All Group IV

**Girls Soccer**

* Final Record 9-9-1
* Team defeated Cherry Hill East in 1st round of State Tournament.
* Team faced Central Regional in the 2nd round of the State Tournament
* Junior, Lexi Dzierzgowski named 1st Team All-Conference

**Field Hockey**

* Final Record 13-8
* Team ranked 5 in South Jersey-Group IV
* Team qualified for the State Tournament, defeating Cherokee in the first round
* Team advanced to 2nd Round of State Tournament, defeating Freehold Township
* Team faced Kingsway in the 3rd Round of the State Tournament
* Senior, Brooke Alessandrini and Junior, Ryli Zee named 1st Team All-Conference
* Junior, Ryli Zee named 2nd Team All-South Jersey
* Juniors, Karley DuCoin and Emma-Rose Phillips both reached 100 point milestones
* Senior, Leah Roe reached 300 saves this season

**Boys Cross Country**

**Tri-County Conference Champions**

**Tri-County Showcase Champions**

**2023 SJ Times Team of the Year**

**Coach Rich Bostwick-2023 SJ Times Coach of the Year**

* Team participated in the Gloucester County Championship
* Team participated in the SJ GroupIV Sectionals
* Seniors, Aaron Kolosowsky and Daniel Torres named 1st Team All-Conference

**Girls Cross Country**

* Team participated in the Gloucester County Championship
* Team participated in the SJ GroupIV Sectionals
* Juniors, Kaylee Russen and Rachael Wilson named 1st Team All-Conference

**Girls Volleyball**

* Final Record 19-9
* Team defeated GCIT in 1st Round of State Tournament
* Team defeated Eastern in the 2nd Round of the State Tournament
* Team advanced to SJ Semi-Finals faced Williamstown on November 2
* Sophomore, Bryn Bautista and Senior, Nina Cleary names 1st Team All- Conference

**Gymnastics**

* Final Record 2-6
* Team participated in the State Championship Meet
* Junior, Makenzie Gramble named 2nd Team All-Conference
* Sophomore, Cali Lacovara named 2nd Team all-Conference
* Freshman, Victoria Garcia named 2nd Team All-Conference

**Girls Tennis**

* Final Record 11-10
* Team participated in State Tournament defeating Toms River North in 1st Round.
* Team faced Cherry Hill East in 2nd Round State Tournament
* Senior, Christina Baldosaro name 1st Team All-Conference, and SJ Group IV All-Star

Washington Township High School Athletic Department

Congratulates the following students on their

Early College Acceptances

Brooke Alessandrini University of North Carolina-Charlotte Lacrosse

Tori Barbara Stockton University Soccer/Lacrosse

Dahlia Beasley Rutgers University Track & Field

Brooke Cavanaugh Stockton University Softball

Kayla D’Ottaviano St. Joseph’s University Soccer

Jack Fitzpatirck Harford Community College Baseball

Dylan Giloley Rider University Track & Field

Mina Lockhart Radford University Lacrosse

Lindsay Price Widener University Soccer

Meghan Sheldrick Neumann University Field Hockey

Christopher Smith Rutgers University-Camden Baseball

Colin Vannais Gwynedd Mercy University Lacrosse

Matteo Viola Del Val University Baseball

The Washington Township Sports Hall of Fame Congratulates the

members of the 11th Induction Class, 2023

2009 Tim Carey Track & Field

2009 Brandon Colavita Football/Track & Field/Baseball

2004 Mandee Cregar Starsiak Swimming

2008 Jackie Dim Track & Field/Basketball

2009 Xavier Fraction Track & Field

2018 Emily Gray Soccer

2011 Chalie Huff Football/Wrestling

2015 Jess Hughes Softball

2012 Dina Iacone Track & Field

1978 Debbie LeClair Bottino Field

Hockey/Basketball/Softball

2015 Derek MacKinnon Soccer

2015 Ed McCusker Soccer

2010 Lisa Patrone Nicolodi Field Hockey

2014 Joe Russo Golf

2008 Mike Schatzman Football/Baseball

2015 Lou Vilotti Soccer