



MARCH 2008
**ATHLETE
NOMINATIONS**

Winners will be announced soon. Congratulations to all the nominees. To view online go to www.faheybank.com



ELGIN – TYLER WORSTELL

Tyler had an outstanding season for his basketball team helping lead the Comets to a 15-8 overall record, a 10-3 MOAC mark, and a trip to the District tournament. The junior was a success in guiding his team throughout the year from his point guard position while posting stats that averaged 13.4 points, 5.5 assists, 3.9 rebounds, 2.3 steals, and 2.9 deflections per game. Tyler's dedication and hard work earned him MOAC 1st Team honors, as well as 1st Team District 11.



ELGIN – CAITLIN HAYCOOK

A 2nd-year starter, sophomore Caitlin had an excellent year for the Lady Comet basketball team. Among the team and league leaders in multiple categories, Caitlin finished 2nd in the MOAC in both scoring (averaging 13.3 points per game) and rebounding (7.8 points per game). She also had 30 steals and 19 blocks on the season, and shot 57.2% from the field and 66.7% from the foul line. Caitlin was awarded 1st Team honors from both the MOAC and District 11.



MRN. CATHOLIC – JOHN FINNEGAN

A team captain, John led Marion Catholic's Fighting Irish basketball team to 9 wins for the season. The junior received his team's Offensive Award by averaging 15 points per game and shooting 59% from the floor. He also posted averages of 7 rebounds and 3 blocks per game. John's efforts garnered 1st Team District 11, 2nd Team Northwest Central Conference, and Honorable Mention Central District (AP) honors.



MARION CATHOLIC – HANNAH REIFF

Hannah's continued commitment to always giving her best resulted in a successful senior season that included recording the 1st triple-double in Lady Irish basketball history. Hannah's season stats included 20 points per game shooting 65% from the charity stripe and 25% from 3-point range. Her other statistics included an average 8 rebounds, 4 steals, and 3 blocks per game. Hannah was awarded 1st Team District 11 and 2nd Team Northwest Central Conference.



MRN. HARDING – KENDALL BROWN

A member of the President's bowling team, Kendall had a remarkable season. He rolled a game high of 278 in 2 separate matches and had a 2-game series of 544 (which was the 2nd best in the state this season). Kendall also set a conference record for high series; set school records for high game, high series, and high average. At the conference tournament, Kendall bowled a 3-game series of 643, and was named to the 1st Team Mid-Ohio Bowling Conference.



MRN. HARDING – MEAGAN LYONS

Meagan was instrumental in the success of the Lady President's bowling team, which earned a co-championship in the Mid-Ohio Bowling Conference. She rolled 9 games over 200; set individual school records with a game high of 232, and a 2-game high series of 441; and school records for team game and team series. At the conference tournament, Meagan bowled a 3-game series of 615 and was named to the 1st Team Mid-Ohio Bowling Conference.



PLEASANT – STEVE WILSON

Wrestling in the 160-pound weight class, Steve went 13-0 on the season and helped the Spartan wrestling team win a tri-meet, the MOAC Championship, a Sectional and a District Team Title. Individually, Steve's Sectional and District titles earned him a State Tournament berth and making him the 1st Spartan to qualify and place in all 4 years of high school. The senior has signed a letter of intent to wrestle at Ohio University next year.



PLEASANT – ANDREA FITZGIBBON

Andrea has had a brilliant career as a Lady Spartan swimmer and this year was no exception. She most often competed in the 200 Individual Medley, the 500 Freestyle, the 200 Medley Relay and the 400 Freestyle Relay, and set individual and team school records in each. Andrea also occasionally swam the 100 breast-stroke and the 100 backstroke. On the year, she amassed 29 top 10 finishes including 9 1st-place and 6 2nd-place ribbons.



RIDGEDALE – KYLE ROSE

Kyle's steady improvement over the course of the year playing basketball for Ridgedale's Rockets earned him Honorable Mention accolades from both the Mid-Ohio Athletic Conference and Central District. Shooting 55% from the floor, Kyle averaged 9.7 points per game. The junior also averaged 3.4 rebounds in each game. Kyle's leadership in the upcoming 2008-2009 season will be very valuable to a team losing other key players to graduation.



RIDGEDALE – CAITLIN FARLEY

A key member of Ridgedale's roundballers, Caitlin's intensity on the court separates her from other players. Averaging 9.4 points per game and pulling down 119 rebounds on the season, she helped lead her team to a District runner-up placement. The junior's willingness to do whatever is asked of her led to 1st Team District 11 and 2nd Team MOAC honors; as well as also being named the Lady Rocket's co-MVP.



RIVER VALLEY – ZACH LATHROP

Sporting an excellent 40-10 match record in the 112 pound weight class, Zach was a team leader for the Viking wrestling team. Key matches for Zach included a 3:41 pin against Toure at Centennial, a 2-0 decision versus Schultz of Indian Lake and a 10-0 mark against Heim of Heath. He also had 1st-place tournament finishes at Brookhaven and the Bender Duals. Only a junior, Zach has a total of 98 career match victories.



RIVER VALLEY – LAUREN MORROW

A leader on and off the court, Lauren was the major contributor to the Lady Viking basketball team. She netted 8.9 points per game shooting 44% from the field, 30% from 3-point range, and 64% from the free throw line. Lauren's stats also included game averages of 6.1 rebounds, 1.2 assists, and 1.2 steals. A senior, her teammates looked to Lauren for guidance and direction; and her success lead to RV's 9 wins.



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