

NOVEMBER 2005

ATHLETE NOMINATIONS



Athlete of the Month

Winners will be announced later this month.

Congratulations to all the nominees.

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ELGIN –
ZACH WINSLOW

A leader from both sides of the football and earning his 3rd varsity letter, Zach was named Elgin's Defensive Player of the Year. At nose guard on the defensive end, Zach had 95 tackles, 20 for loss, 10 sacks, 8 Q.B. pressures, and 1 fumble recovery for a TD. Offensively at guard, the senior had 3 carries for 2 TDs and an 85% blocking grade. Zach was also selected 1st Team MOAC as an offensive guard, and 1st Team Central District and 1st Team All-Ohio as a defensive line.



ELGIN –
JOCELYN UTE

Earning her 3rd varsity letter as a junior, Jocelyn set 5 new school volleyball records this year: 823 attacks in a single season, 74 attacks in 1 match, 413 kills in a single season, 30 kills in 1 match, and 34 digs in 1 match. Helping lead the Comets to their 10th straight MOAC Red Division championship, Jocelyn was selected as a 2nd Team All-Conference player, 1st Team All-District player, and an honorable mention All-Ohioan.



MARION CATHOLIC –
NATE SILL

Nate led the Marion Catholic Fighting Irish football team in receptions, had over 400 yards receiving, and 3 touchdowns . . . all while sitting out 2 games with an injury. The senior also averaged 11 tackles per game from the linebacker position. Nate's efforts and accomplishments earned him Northwest Central Conference 2nd Team honors in both offense and defense.



MARION CATHOLIC –
MARY FRAGALE

A 3rd-year varsity letterman, Mary was involved in every play of every match for the Irish volleyball team this year. The team's main setter at 96.8% efficiency with 124 assists, Mary was the 2nd leading scorer for the season with 140 points and 33 aces. The team's best all-around player, the junior received 2nd Team NWCC and 1st Team Central District honors. A multi-sport athlete who displays a positive attitude and great work ethic, Mary also excels academically.



MARION HARDING –
PHIL SHEPPARD

Playing both offensive wide receiver and defensive back for the President's football team, Phil set 3 new school records in 2005: 10 receptions in 1 game; 177 yards in 1 game; and most receiving yards in a season with 634. Phil was named 1st Team Greater Buckeye Conference, GBC Defensive Player of the Year, Coaches Association All Central District, Northwest District Division I Defensive Player of the Year, and OHSAA Division I 1st Team All-Ohio Defense.



MARION HARDING –
LESLIE CLARK

An outside hitter for Harding's volleyball team, Leslie led her team to a 20-5 record-setting season finishing 2nd in the GBC, Sectional Champions, and District Runner-Ups. The senior was named to 1st Team Greater Buckeye Conference, 1st Team Northwest District Division I, and received Special Mention Division I All-Ohio team. Leslie finished the season with 273 digs, 266 kills with 84 blocks, 302 kills, was 90% in serving with 26 aces, and 90% in serves received.



PLEASANT –
BRAD MARTIN

The 4-year letterman had an outstanding season for the Spartan football team. A captain, Brad rarely left the field as he played offensively at tight end, defensively at free safety, and was both the Spartan's punter and place kicker. For his efforts, Brad received 1st Team MOAC punter, 1st Team All District, 1st Team Region II, and Special Mention All-Ohio. The senior has also verbalized to play football for the Hoosiers at the University of Indiana.



PLEASANT –
KALIE DENTON

Kalie had an outstanding season and was successful as a total player for the Lady Spartan volleyball team. As an outside hitter, she had 558 attempts with an 87% efficiency rating and 228 kills. Kalie served 355 out of 363 with 253 points and 17 aces; had a 97% serve receive efficiency, and passed at 98%. She also had 141 digs and 33 blocks on the year. Kalie earned 2nd Team MOAC and 2nd Team All District honors.



RIDGEDALE –
KENT HAMILTON

Kent achieved a high level of individual success as a member of the Rocket golf team leading his team in almost all categories. He had the lowest scoring average for both 9 and 18 holes, 40.35 and 83.2 respectively. The senior had the 2nd highest number of birdies for the team with 10, the highest number of pars with 109, and the lowest number of bogies, double bogies, and higher scores. Kent was the medalist 6 times in dual matches, and also did well in tournaments.



RIDGEDALE –
SARAH JOHNSTON

Earning her 3rd varsity letter in volleyball for the Lady Rockets, Sarah was in control of the ball during every play. The senior captain's leadership, dedication, and work ethic both on and off the court earned her 1st Team MOAC and 1st Team All District honors. She was also named the Rockets' Most Valuable Player 2005, and garnered the team's Most Assists, Most Points, and Most Saves awards. A scholar athlete, Sarah currently ranks 7th in her class



RIVER VALLEY –
CODY PARSELL

Cody made an impact on the Viking football team this season by being a leader and playing wherever the team needed him. Offensively, he had 10 rushes for 100 yards and 2 TDs, passed 1 of 2 for 32 yards and 1 TD, and received 21 catches for 276 yards and 2 TDs. Defensively, Cody had 110 tackles, 4 for loss, 1 fumble recovery, and 1 interception. The senior's efforts earned him 1st Team MOAC, 1st Team All-District, and Honorable Mention All-Ohio honors.



RIVER VALLEY –
TRACY NEEDHAM

Tracy's 3 years of varsity experience made an impact on the 2005 Lady Viking volleyball team. She served at 96% with 14 aces; hit at 88%, serve reception was 86%, passed at 85%, and was 98% setting with 15 assists. The senior had 233 kills, 15 blocks, and set a new school record with 204 digs. Tracy was awarded RV's Best Offensive Player, RV's Best Serving Percentage, 1st Team MOAC, 1st Team Central District and Honorable Mention All-Ohio honors.



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