

## GRCHS FALL 2006/07 Sports Report

GRCHS had a very successful sports season this past fall. We celebrated one team State Championship and five teams won City League Championships. **We also have several athletes who received All-State honors.** Below is a summary by sport.

### **Basketball—Girls'**

Varsity  
City League Champs – 6 straight years  
Overall 16-5; League 12-0  
**All-City.....**  
Junior Varsity  
Overall 13-7; League 9-3  
Freshmen  
Overall 18-2; League 12-0

### **Cross Country—Boys'**

State Meet – 19<sup>th</sup> Place  
Regional – State Qualifier  
City League – Co-Champs  
City League Meet – 2<sup>nd</sup> Place  
All-City ..... Eric Doornbos, Dan Rietberg  
MVP – Dan Rietberg

### **Cross Country—Girls'**

State Champions Division 2 – 2<sup>nd</sup> straight year  
Regional Champs Division 2  
City League Champs – 16 straight years  
City Meet Champion  
All State.....  
All-City ..... Bailey Benson, Andrea Beukema, Tina Bolt, Jessie Jager, Alyssa Penning, Alison Tuuk, Kelli VanderLaan, Leah Warners  
MVP – Alyssa Penning

### **Equestrian**

### **Football**

Varsity  
Playoff Qualifier  
Overall 6-4; League 3-3  
**All-State...**  
All-City..... Michael Booker, Chris Feys, Jacob VanderStaare  
MVP – Chris Feys  
Junior Varsity  
Overall 6-2; League 4-2  
Freshmen  
Overall 9-0; League 5-0

### **Golf—Boys'**

Varsity  
State Meet – 12<sup>th</sup> Place  
Regional State Qualifier  
City League – 2<sup>nd</sup> Place  
City Meet – 2<sup>nd</sup> Place  
**Overall; League**  
**All-State...**  
All-City ..... Eric Doezeema, Jess Hendriksma, Ben Kuiper  
MVP – Eric Doezeema  
Junior Varsity  
**Overall; League**

### **Soccer—Boys'**

Varsity  
City League Champs 14 straight years  
City Tournament Champions  
Overall 16-3-2; League 6-0  
**All-State...**  
All-City ..... Nick Bakker, Ben Klepser, Karis Mpindi, Leelie Neyamenee, Chris Romero, Zach Talen, Aaron VanAndel  
MVP – Aaron VanAndel  
Junior Varsity  
Overall 15-1-3  
Freshmen  
Overall 10-3-2

### **Swimming—Girls'**

**State Meet –**  
City League Champs – 19 straight years  
City Meet Champions  
All-City ..... Breanne Broucek, Cali Broucek, Emma DeVries, Heather Hines, Carrie Hoogewind, Hanna Lambers, Heather Sanderson, Elizabeth Stone

### **Tennis—Girls'**

Varsity  
State Meet – 7<sup>th</sup> Place – Division 3  
Regional State Qualifier  
City League – 2<sup>nd</sup> Place  
City Meet – 2<sup>nd</sup> Place  
**Overall ; League**  
**All-State...**  
All-City ..... Lisa Brouwer, Alex Dodds, Melissa Oosterhouse, Jessica VanderWilp, Jennifer VanVliet  
MVP – Melissa Oosterhouse  
Junior Varsity  
**Overall ; League**



## GRCH SPRING 2007 Sports Report

GRCHS had a very successful sports season last spring. We celebrated five City League Championships and one MHSAA District Championship. Both teams and individuals qualified for MHSAA Regional and MHSAA Finals tournaments. ♦Forty-three athletes were selected All-City and several athletes received MHSAA All-State honors. Below is a summary by sport.

### **Baseball**

League ..... 3<sup>rd</sup> Place  
League Tournament.....3<sup>rd</sup> Place  
District ..... Champion  
Regionals ..... 2<sup>nd</sup> Place  
All—City..... Tyler Berger, Kyle Schepel  
All—District.... Tyler Berger, Kyle Schepel  
All—Region ... Tyler Berger  
MVP..... Tyler Berger, Kyle Schepel

MVP ..... Claire DeWitt

### **Tennis—Boys'**

League..... Champion  
League Tournament..... Champion  
Regionals..... 2<sup>nd</sup> place—qualified for State Tournament  
State ..... Finished  
All—City..... Eric Doezema, Harrison Doezema, Ben Kuiper, Will Payne, Charlie Rowerdink  
All—State..... Eric Doezema, Ben Kuiper  
MVP ..... Eric Doezema, Ben Kuiper

### **Golf—Girls'**

League ..... 2<sup>nd</sup> Place  
League Tournament..... 2<sup>nd</sup> Place  
Regionals ..... 4<sup>th</sup> Place  
All—City..... Elise Dozema, Lexie Giusti, Kirstln Pike, Megan Scholten  
All—State ..... Megan Scholten  
MVP..... Megan Scholten

### **Track—Boys'**

League..... Champion  
League Meet ..... Champion  
All—City..... Brock Carroll, Kevin Harris, Scott Hofman, Grant Holstege, DeVontae Mitchell, Henry Muller, Nate Smith, Justin Randle, Dan Rietberg  
All—State..... Grant Holstege  
MVP ..... Justin Randle

### **Soccer—Girls'**

League ..... Champion

#### League Tournament ..... Champion

District ..... 2<sup>nd</sup> Place  
All—City..... Dana Bush, Erin DeYoung, Diane Harris, Sarah Jen, Kyleigh Klaasen, Kelsey Kuiper, Liz VanderLinde  
All—State ..... 1<sup>st</sup> Team: Erin DeYoung; Honorable Mention: Kyleigh Klaasen, Liz VanderLinde  
MVP..... Erin DeYoung

### **Track—Girls'**

League..... Champion  
League Meet ..... Champion  
All—City..... Andrea Beukema, Megan DeFouw, Tina Gaye, Jamillya Hardley, Olivia Holwerda, Kailyn Meekhof, Maria Meekhof, Alyssa Penning, Allison Tuuk, Kristen VanAllen, Kelli VanderLaan  
All—State..... Andrea Beukema, Alyssa Penning, Allison Tuuk, Kelli VanderLaan, Kelli Veldkamp  
MVP ..... Kailyn Meekhof

### **Softball**

League ..... Tri-Champion

#### League Tournament ..... Champion

All—City..... Melanie Creager, Raime Cronkhite, Claire DeWitt, Michelle VandenBerg, Kristi Zietse

### 2006-2007 Eagle Athletes of the Year

Eric Doezema  
Alison Tuuk

### 2006-2007 Eagle Scholar Athletes of the Year

Alex Hoogland  
Kailyn Meekhof  
Alison Tuuk

# GRCHS WINTER 2007/08 Sports Report

Our high school athletes enjoyed another outstanding sports season. Some of the highlights include celebrating three City League championships and one MHSAA District championship. In this the final year of City League competition, our boys and girls basketball teams and the boys swim team won their League championships—something special for them in a special winter season for us. Our boys swim team also finished seventh at their MHSAA State Meet. Eight of these swimmers earned All-State honors for their performances. Our Competitive Cheer team qualified second out of their MHSAA Regional for the first time ever, and recorded a top five placement in the State Meet. Three members of this team were rewarded with All-State honors.

## **Basketball—Boys**

### **Varsity**

Overall 21-3; League 11-1  
League Finish ..... 1<sup>st</sup> Place  
District Tournament ... Championship  
All–City Honors..... John Oostema, Spencer Schultze,  
James Thomas; David Rietema  
(HM), Cory Wharton (HM),  
All–Area Honors..... John Oostema  
Team MVP..... John Oostema, Spencer Schultze,  
James Thomas

**Junior Varsity:** Overall 19-1; League 12-0

**Freshmen:** Overall 13-7; League 9-3

## **Basketball—Girls**

### **Varsity**

Overall 16-5; League 11-1  
League Finish ..... 1<sup>st</sup> Place (tie)  
All–City Honors..... Samantha Flietstra, Jamillya  
Hardley, Julia Hilbrands;  
Jennifer Brink (HM), Kim  
VandenAkker (HM)  
All–Area Honors..... Jamillya Hardley (2<sup>nd</sup> team);  
Julia Hilbrands (HM)  
All–State Honors..... Jamillya Hardley (HM)  
Team MVP..... Julia Hilbrands

**Junior Varsity:** Overall 17-3; League 10-2

**Freshmen:** Overall 15-4; League 9-2

## **Bowling—Boys**

Overall 6-7; League 6-6  
League Finish ..... 3<sup>rd</sup> Place  
League Tournament .... 4<sup>th</sup> Place  
Regional Tournament .. 14<sup>th</sup> Place  
All–City Honors..... Garrit Hensley, Michael Tiesma  
Team MVP ..... Garrit Hensley

## **Bowling—Girls**

Overall 6-7; League 5-7  
League Finish ..... 5<sup>th</sup> Place  
League Tournament .... 6<sup>th</sup> Place  
Regional Tournament .. 13<sup>th</sup> Place  
All–City Honors..... Natasha Johnson, Kalee Ritsema  
Team MVP ..... Natasha Johnson

## **Competitive Cheer**

### **Varsity**

League Finish ..... 2<sup>nd</sup> Place  
Regional Tournament .. 2<sup>nd</sup> Place  
State Tournament..... 5<sup>th</sup> Place  
All–Region Honors..... 1<sup>st</sup> Team: Kate DeVoogd, Olivia  
Holwerda, Carrie Hoogewind,  
Amanda Luymes; 2<sup>nd</sup> Team: Kate  
Bykerk, Kayla DeVries, Michelle  
Holwerda; Hannah McElheny  
(HM), Kati Tap (HM)  
All–State Honors..... 1<sup>st</sup> Team: Olivia Holwerda;  
2<sup>nd</sup> Team: Carrie Hoogewind,  
Amanda Luymes; Kate Bykerk  
(HM), Kate DeVoogd (HM)  
Team MVP..... Olivia Holwerda, Amanda Luymes

**Junior Varsity:** Eagle Invitational—1<sup>st</sup> Place

LMCCOA Meet—1<sup>st</sup> Place

## **Ice Hockey**

### **Varsity**

Overall 10-17; League 5-3  
League Finish ..... 2<sup>nd</sup> Place (tie)  
All–City Honors ..... Tyler Spiering; Mitch Bryant (HM),  
Scott Plakmeyer (HM), Jordan  
Rose (HM)  
Team MVP ..... Tyler Spiering

## **Skating—Boys**

### **Varsity**

League Finish ..... 5<sup>th</sup> Place  
Regional Tournament .. 10<sup>th</sup> Place  
All–Area Honors..... Chad Mencarelli; Matt Styf (HM)  
Team MVP ..... Chad Mencarelli

## **Skating—Girls**

### **Varsity**

League Finish ..... 9<sup>th</sup> Place  
Regional Tournament .. 12<sup>th</sup> Place  
All–Area Honors..... Marissa Suwyn  
Team MVP ..... Marissa Suwyn

## **Swimming—Boys**

### **Varsity**

Overall 7-4; League 5-0  
League Finish ..... 1<sup>st</sup> Place  
State Tournament ..... 7<sup>th</sup> Place  
All–City Honors ..... Sam DeVries, Phil Garrett, Dallas  
Hansen, Geoff Ludema, Grant  
Ludema, Jonathan Jonker, Jon  
Nelson, Lee Overbeck, Mitch  
Overbeck, Ken Stoepker, Ethan  
Tatum, Andrew VanderLei  
All–State Honors ..... Sam DeVries, Tom Knecht,  
Geoff Ludema, Jon Nelson, Lee  
Overbeck, Mitch Overbeck, Ken  
Stoepker, Ethan Tautm  
Team MVP ..... Geoff Ludema

## **Wrestling**

### **Varsity**

Overall 8-20; League 4-2  
League Finish ..... 3<sup>rd</sup> Place  
League Tournament .... 4<sup>th</sup> Place  
All–City Honors ..... Carl Murray (112), Curtshone  
Glasper (145), Eric Davis (285)  
All–District Honors ..... DeVontae Mitchell  
Team MVP ..... DeVontae Mitchell

# GRCHS FALL 2008 Sports Report

## **Cross Country—Boys**

Standing: Conference 4-0  
Conference Finish..... 1<sup>st</sup> Place  
Regional Tournament ..... 2<sup>nd</sup> Place  
State Tournament..... 14<sup>th</sup> Place  
All—Conference Honors..... Eric Doornbos, Gabe Gunnink,  
Kai Koopman, Grant Ludema,  
Kevin Peterson  
MVP ..... Kevin Peterson  
Invitationals: Carson City – 3<sup>rd</sup> Place  
Christian School – 1<sup>st</sup> Place  
Cougar/Falcon – 1<sup>st</sup> Place  
Pioneer Classic – 1<sup>st</sup> Place

## **Cross Country—Girls**

Standing: Conference 3-1  
Conference Finish..... 1st Place (18 consecutive yrs)  
Regional Tournament ..... 1st Place  
State Tournament..... 2nd Place  
All-State Honors..... Alyssa Penning  
All—Conference Honor ..... Liza Gunnink, Alyssa Penning,  
Kimby Penning, Erika Overbeck  
MVP ..... Alyssa Penning  
Invitationals: Carson City – 2<sup>nd</sup> Place  
Christian School – 1<sup>st</sup> Place  
Cougar/Falcon – 1<sup>st</sup> Place  
Pioneer Classic – 1<sup>st</sup> Place  
Portage – 1<sup>st</sup> Place

## **Equestrian—Coed**

Standing: Overall 3-0  
District Finish ..... 2nd Place  
MVP ..... Kristin Cok

## **Football**

### **Varsity**

Standing: Overall 6-4; Conference 3-2  
Conference Finish..... 3<sup>rd</sup> Place  
Playoffs..... Qualifier  
All Conference Honors..... Michael Booker, Jace Garcia,  
Ben Grasmeyer, David Rietema,  
Lucas van der Laan  
All-Area Honors ..... Michael Booker (1<sup>st</sup> team), Ben  
Grasmeyer (2<sup>nd</sup> team), Lucas  
van der Laan and Josh Ware  
(HM)  
All—State Honors..... Michael Booker (HM)  
MVP ..... Ben Grasmeyer

### **Junior Varsity**

Standing: Overall 6-3; Conference 2-3

### **Freshmen**

Standing: Overall 5-4; Conference 1-4

## **Golf—Girls**

### **Varsity**

Standing: Overall 5-0  
Conference Finish..... 2<sup>nd</sup> Place  
Conference Tournament... 2<sup>nd</sup> Place  
Regional Tournament ..... 5<sup>th</sup> Place  
All—Conference Honors..... Hannah Cole, Elise  
Doezema, Kirstin Pike  
MVP ..... Elise Doezema

### **Junior Varsity**

Standing: Overall 7-1

## **Soccer—Boys**

### **Varsity**

Standing: Overall 13-9; Conference 7-3  
Conference Finish ..... 3rd Place  
District Tournament ..... Semi-finalist  
All—Conference Honors..... Josh Garvelink, Michael  
Sanderson, Tyler DeNooyer,  
Josh VanderKamp, Shane  
Colburn, Jon Nelson  
All-District Honors ..... Josh Garvelink, Michael  
Sanderson, Tyler DeNooyer,  
Josh VanderKamp, Shane  
Colburn, Jon Nelson  
All-Region Honors ..... Josh Garvelink  
All—State Honors..... Josh Garvelink (HM)  
MVP ..... Michael Sanderson

### **Junior Varsity**

Standing: Overall 12-4-3; 8-0-2

### **Freshmen**

Standing: Overall 9-3-3

## **Swimming—Girls**

Standing: Overall 5-8-1; Conference 4-3  
Conference Finish ..... 4th  
Conference Tournament .. 5th  
State Tournament..... 26th  
MVP ..... Carrie Hoogewind

## **Tennis—Boys**

### **Varsity**

Standing: Overall 10-1-1; Conference 4-0-1  
Conference Finish ..... 1<sup>st</sup> Place  
Conference Tournament... 2<sup>nd</sup> Place  
Regional Tournament ..... 2<sup>nd</sup> Place  
State Tournament..... 5<sup>th</sup> Place  
All—Conference Honors..... Harrison Doezema,  
Ben Kuiper, Will Payne,  
Charlie Rowerdink  
All—State Honors..... Ben Kuiper, Will Payne  
MVP ..... Ben Kuiper, Will Payne

### **Junior Varsity**

Standing: Overall 9-6-2

## **Volleyball—Girls**

### **Varsity**

Standing: Overall 39-6; Conference 9-1  
Conference Finish ..... 1<sup>st</sup> Place  
District Tournament ..... Runner-up  
All—Conference Honors..... Jen Pluymert, Hannah  
VanderWeide, Morgan  
DeVries  
All—State Honors..... Morgan DeVries (1<sup>st</sup>  
team), Hannah  
VanderWeide (HM)  
MVP ..... Hannah VanderWeide



# GRCHS WINTER 2008/09 Sports Report

Our high school athletes enjoyed another outstanding sports season - our first season in the OK White Conference. Boys Basketball was co-champion. Girls Basketball recorded 17 wins. Competitive Cheer made their 2<sup>nd</sup> consecutive trip to the DeltaPlex for their state finals. We had State Tournament qualifiers in Bowling and Swimming. Geoff Ludema won the individual State Championship in the 100 yd Breaststroke.

For those of you who wondered, as Mr. Warners and I did, how we would compete in our new conference, we are doing quite well. If White Division standings were kept and points awarded based on finish places, the Eagles would be recognized as the Divisional leader.

The list of team and individual accomplishments from All-Conference and All-State are listed below. Enjoy your reading!

## Basketball—Boys

### Varsity

Overall 13-10; Conference 8-2  
Conference Finish..... 1<sup>st</sup> Place  
All—Conf Honors..... David Rietema, James Slagter  
Team MVP..... David Rietema

**Junior Varsity:** Overall 18-2; League 9-1

**Freshmen:** Overall 19-1; League 10-0

## Basketball—Girls

### Varsity

Overall 17-4; Conference 8-2  
Conference Finish..... 2<sup>nd</sup>  
All—Conf Honors..... Julia Hilbrands  
Team MVP..... Julia Hilbrands

**Junior Varsity:** Overall 12-8

**Freshmen:** 13-6

## Bowling—Boys

Conference Finish ..... 2<sup>rd</sup> Place  
Conf Tournament ..... 2<sup>th</sup> Place  
All—Conf Honors ..... Tralon Williams  
Team MVP ..... QuayShaun Lee, Michael Tiesma

## Bowling—Girls

Conference Finish ..... 3<sup>th</sup> Place  
Conf Tournament ..... 3<sup>th</sup> Place  
Regional Tournament .. Hannah DeWeerd/State  
Qualifier  
All—Conf Honors ..... Hannah DeWeerd  
Team MVP ..... Hannah DeWeerd

## Competitive Cheer

### Varsity

Conference Finish..... 2<sup>nd</sup> Place  
Conf Tournament..... 1<sup>st</sup> Place  
Regional Tournament .. 2<sup>nd</sup> Place  
State Tournament..... 7<sup>nd</sup> Place  
All—Region Honors..... 1<sup>st</sup> Team: Lisa Beene, Kate DeVoogd, Kayla DeVries, Carrie Hoogewind; 2<sup>nd</sup> Team: Michelle Holwerda, Kati Tap, Kate Bykerk; HM: Kaitlyn Chiazza, Hannah McElheny  
All—State Honors..... Kate DeVoogd, Kayla DeVries(HM)  
Team MVP..... Kayla DeVries

## Ice Hockey

### Varsity

Overall 11-14-1; Conference 9-3  
Conference Finish..... 2<sup>nd</sup> Place  
Regional Tournament .. 3<sup>rd</sup> Place  
All—Conf Honors..... Brian Mersman, Joel Betts, Christian Potter, Seth Meekhof  
Team MVP ..... Jordan Rose

## Skiing—Boys

### Varsity

Conference Finish..... 5<sup>th</sup> Place  
All—Conf Honors..... Chad Mencarelli  
Team MVP ..... Chad Mencarelli

## Skiing—Girls

### Varsity

Conference Finish..... 5<sup>th</sup> Place  
All—Conf Honors..... Angelle Kettlewell  
Team MVP ..... Angelle Kettlewell

## Swimming—Boys

### Varsity

Conference Finish..... 1<sup>st</sup> Place  
Conf Tournament ..... 2<sup>nd</sup> Place  
State Tournament ..... 3<sup>rd</sup> Place  
All—Conf Honors..... Sam DeVries, Dallas Hensen, Jono Jonker, Nate Leppink, Geoff Ludema, Keeton Tatum  
All—State Honors ..... Erik Arent, Sam DeVries, Jono Jonker, Nate Leppink, Geoff Ludema, Jon Nelson, Keeton Tatum, Jack VanAllsburg  
Team MVP ..... Geoff Ludema  
State Champion ..... Geoff Ludema,  
100 yd Breaststroke

## Wrestling

### Varsity

Conference 4-2  
Conference Finish..... 5<sup>th</sup> Place  
Team MVP ..... Curtshone Glasper

## GRCHS FALL 2009 Sports Report

The Fall season brought success with OK White Division Championships in Boys Cross Country, Soccer, and Girls Volleyball. In MHSAA Tournaments, highlights included District Championships in Boys Soccer and Girls Volleyball, a Regional Championship in Girls Cross Country and a 3<sup>rd</sup> place finish for our Girls Cross Country team at the State meet. We had many athletes recognized as "All Conference" and a smaller number earning some level of "All State" recognition. Below is a summary by sport.

### **Cross Country—Boys**

Conference Finish..... 1<sup>st</sup> Place  
Regional Tournament ..... 2<sup>nd</sup> Place  
State Tournament..... 17<sup>th</sup> Place  
All–Conference Honors..... Eric Veldkamp, Jacob Kuyvenhoven, Matt VanWyk, Andre Otte, Brett Henderson, Andrew Jo  
All-Region Honors..... Jacob Kuyvenhoven, Eric Veldkamp, Grant Ludema  
MVP ..... Jacob Kuyvenhoven

### **Cross Country—Girls**

Conference Finish..... 2<sup>nd</sup> Place  
Regional Tournament ..... 1<sup>st</sup> Place  
State Tournament..... 3<sup>rd</sup> Place  
All–Conference Honors..... Kimby Penning, Liza Gunnink, Julia Bos, Dana Veen  
All-Region Honors..... Kimby Penning, Liza Gunnink, Julia Bos, Dana Veen, Erika Overbeck  
All-State Honors..... Julia Bos  
MVP ..... Julia Bos

### **Equestrian**

District Finish ..... 3rd  
MVP ..... Amber Sall

### **Football**

#### **Varsity**

Standing: Overall 4-5; Conference 1-4  
Conference Finish..... 5<sup>th</sup> Place  
All Conference Honors..... Allen Bosscher, Andre Davis  
MVP ..... Andre Davis

#### **Junior Varsity**

Standing: Overall 4-5; Conference 1-3

#### **Freshmen**

Standing: Overall 7-1-1; Conference 3-1-1

### **Golf—Girls**

#### **Varsity**

Standing: Overall 8-5  
Conference Finish..... 3<sup>rd</sup> Place  
Conference Tournament... 3<sup>rd</sup> Place  
Regional Tournament ..... 6<sup>th</sup> Place  
State Tournament..... Amy VanDommelen – 39th  
All–Conference Honors..... Emily Hoeksema, Amy VanDommelen  
MVP ..... Emily Hoeksema

#### **Junior Varsity**

Standing: Overall 10-5  
Maple Hill Invitational 2<sup>nd</sup> Place  
Kenowa Hills Invitational 2<sup>nd</sup> Place

## **Soccer—Boys**

### **Varsity**

Standing: Overall 14-7-1; Conference 8-1-1

Conference Finish..... 1<sup>st</sup> Place

District Tournament ..... Champions

All—Conference Honors..... Andrew VandenBerg, Josh Vanderkamp, Josh Wilbraham, Shane Colburn, Mike Penninga. Hon. Mention: Greg Bylsma, Kyle VanAndel

All-District Honors ..... Josh Vanderkamp, Shane Colburn, Josh Wilbraham, Andrew Vandenberg, Mike Penninga, Greg Bylsma, Kyle VanAndel, Chris Prins, Taylor Ling, Brandon Jonker, Joel Conzelman

All-Region Honors..... Josh Vanderkamp, Shane Colburn, Josh Wilbraham

All—State Honors..... Josh Vanderkamp, Shane Colburn. Hon. Mention: Josh Wilbraham

MVP ..... Josh Vanderkamp

### **Junior Varsity**

Standing: Overall 13-3-3; 8-0-2

### **Freshmen**

Standing: Overall 9-3-3

## **Swimming—Girls**

Standing: Overall ; 4-10; Conference 3-4

Conference Finish..... 5th

State Tournament..... 30th

MVP ..... Katie VandenBerge, Breanne Broucek

## **Tennis—Boys**

### **Varsity**

Standing: Overall 5-6-1; Conference 2-3

Conference Finish..... 3<sup>rd</sup> Place

Conference Tournament... 3<sup>rd</sup> Place

Regional Tournament ..... 3<sup>rd</sup> Place

State Tournament..... 5<sup>th</sup> Place

All—Conference Honors..... David Huan, Nick McKee, Brendan Stafford, Jordan Zandee

MVP ..... Nick McKee and Brendan Stafford

## **Volleyball—Girls**

### **Varsity**

Standing: Overall 46-6-2; Conference 10-0

Conference Finish..... 1<sup>st</sup> Place

District Tournament ..... Champions

Regional Tournament ..... 2<sup>nd</sup> Place

All—Conference Honors..... Megan Rietema, Katie VanderWeide, Amy VanderWal. Hon. Mention: Kristi Zietse, Kerrah Pyper

All—State Honors..... Megan Rietema, Amy VanderWal

MVP Megan Rietema

# GRCHS WINTER 2009/10 Sports Report

Wow! What a winter season we have just completed. Highlights included Conference Championships in Boys Basketball (that's two in a row), Girls Basketball, and Varsity Hockey (undefeated in their tier group). Competitive Cheer made their 3<sup>rd</sup> consecutive trip to the State Finals. We had numerous State qualifiers for the Boys State Swimming Finals as well as our first female qualifier for the State Finals in Downhill Skiing.

The list of team and individual accomplishments from All-Conference and All-State are listed below. Enjoy your reading!

## **Basketball—Boys**

### **Varsity**

Overall 17-5; Conference 9-2

Conference Finish..... 1<sup>st</sup> Place

All-Conf Honors..... James Slagter, Javin Hardley

Team MVP..... James Slagter, Javin Hardley

**Junior Varsity:** Overall 17-3; Conf 10-0

**Freshmen:** Overall 20-0; Conf 10-0

## **Basketball—Girls**

### **Varsity**

Overall 22-2; Conference 10-0

Conference Finish..... 1<sup>st</sup> Place

District ..... Champion

All-Conf Honors..... Megan Rietema, Kia Frazier, Destiney Robinson

Team MVP..... Kia Frazier

**Junior Varsity:** Overall 14-5; Conf 7-3

**Freshmen:** Overall 16-2; Conf 10-0

## **Bowling—Boys**

Conference Finish ..... 3<sup>rd</sup> Place

Conf Tournament ..... 3<sup>rd</sup> Place

Regional Tournament .. 9<sup>th</sup> Place

All-Conf Honors ..... Tralon Williams, Evan Metcalf

Team MVP ..... Tralon Williams

## **Bowling—Girls**

Conference Finish ..... 3<sup>rd</sup> Place

Conf Tournament ..... 3<sup>rd</sup> Place

Regional Tournament .. 12<sup>th</sup> Place

All-Conf Honors ..... Shannon Brewer

Team MVP ..... Shannon Brewer

## **Competitive Cheer**

### **Varsity**

Conference Finish..... 2<sup>nd</sup> Place

Conf Tournament..... 2<sup>nd</sup> Place

Regional Tournament .. 3<sup>rd</sup> Place

State Tournament..... 8<sup>th</sup> Place

All-Conf Honors..... Michelle Holwerda, Kati Tap, Lisa Beene, Jeni Sytsma, Makailah Muriithi, Maya Proctor

All-Region Honors..... Michelle Holwerda, Kati Tap, Lisa Beene, Jeni Sytsma, Makailah Muriithi, Maya Proctor, Ashley Dykema

All-State Honors..... Michelle Holwerda, Kati Tap

Team MVP..... Michelle Holwerda

## **Ice Hockey**

### **Varsity**

Overall 19-5-2; Conference 12-0

Conference Finish..... 1st Place

Regional Tournament ..2<sup>nd</sup> Place

All-Conf Honors..... Seth Meekhof, Christian Potter, Jordan Rose, Matt VandenBerg, Evan Koetje

Team MVP..... Christian Potter

**Junior Varsity:** Overall 24-14-6; Conf 14-8-3

## **Skiing—Boys**

### **Varsity**

Conference Finish..... 7<sup>th</sup> Place

All-Conf Honors..... Colin Moster, 1<sup>st</sup> Team Slalom Tom Styf, Hon Mention Slalom

Team MVP..... Tom Styf

## **Skiing—Girls**

### **Varsity**

Conference Finish..... 8<sup>th</sup> Place

All-Conf Honors..... Angelle Kettlewell, Slalom

All-State Honors..... Angelle Kettlewell, Slalom

Team MVP..... Angelle Kettlewell

## **Swimming—Boys**

### **Varsity**

Conference Finish..... 3<sup>rd</sup> Place

Conf Tournament..... 3<sup>rd</sup> Place

State Tournament..... 5<sup>th</sup> Place

All-Conf Honors..... Jono Jonker, Nate Leppink

All-State Honors..... Jack VanAllsburg, Andrew VanderLei, Erik Arent, Nate Leppink, Justin VanPortfliet, Jono Jonker, Grant Ludema

Team MVP..... Jono Jonker

## **Wrestling**

### **Varsity**

4<sup>th</sup> in Conference ..... Steven Bos, Seth VanAndel, Bryan Bajema, Nick Meekhof

Team MVP..... Nick Meekhof

Addition to previous record: Congratulations to  
Courtney Kraai and Jayla Warfield earned  
All-Conference honors in Track and Field



# GRCHS SPRING 2010 Sports Report

Year two in the O.K. Gold Conference has come to an end. It is noteworthy that our girls' lacrosse team took first place in their inaugural year of O.K. Conference tier play, and our boys' golf team finished third in the Division II State Tournament. Accomplishments and highlights of the Spring season are listed below.

## Baseball

### Varsity

Overall: 22-9; Conference: 11-4  
Conference Finish..... 2<sup>nd</sup> Place  
District Tournament ..... Lost in pre-district  
All-Conf. Honors..... Jordan Zylstra, Ariel Sanchez  
Team MVP..... Jordan Zylstra

**Junior Varsity:** Overall: 27-3; Conference: 14-1

**Freshmen:** Overall: 10-18; Conference: 3-8

## Golf—Boys

### Varsity

Overall: 11-2; Conference: 10-2  
Conference Finish..... 2<sup>nd</sup> Place  
Conference Tourn't..... 2<sup>nd</sup> Place  
District Tournament ..... 1<sup>st</sup> Place  
Regional Tournament .. 2<sup>nd</sup> Place  
State Tournament..... 3<sup>rd</sup> Place  
All-Conf. Honors..... Jake Hoogstrate, Seth Meekhof,  
David Veen  
All-District Honors ..... Jake Hoogstrate—medalist  
All-Region Honors..... Jake Hoogstrate,  
David Veen—medalist  
All-State Honors..... Jake Hoogstrate, David Veen  
Team MVP..... David Veen

**Junior Varsity:** Overall: 18-1

## Lacrosse—Girls

### Varsity

Overall: 10-7; Conference: 4-2  
Conference Finish..... 1<sup>st</sup> Place  
District Tournament ..... 1<sup>st</sup> Place  
All-Conf. Honors..... Kaitlin Fields, Michelle Holwerda,  
Mary Hoogstra, Paige Noordyke  
Team MVP..... Paige Noordyke

## Soccer—Girls

### Varsity

Overall: 14-7; Conference: 7-3  
Conference Finish..... 3<sup>rd</sup> Place  
District Tournament ..... 1-1  
All-Conf. Honors..... Micaela DeVos, Megan  
Konyndyk, Kerrah Pyper,  
Honorable Mention: Rachel  
Toren  
All-District Honors ..... Micaela DeVos, Sydney Kinney,  
Megan Konyndyk, Lauren Miller,  
Kerrah Pyper, Rachel Toren,  
Katie Vandenberge  
All-State Honors..... Micaela DeVos (3<sup>rd</sup> team)  
Team MVP..... Kerrah Pyper

**Junior Varsity:** Overall: 11-3-1; Conference: 6-0-2

**Freshmen:** Overall: 2-7-5

## Softball

### Varsity

Overall: 16-16; Conference: 10-5  
Conference Finish..... 3<sup>rd</sup> Place  
District Tournament ..... Lost in 2<sup>nd</sup> round  
All-Conf. Honors..... Bethany Bates, Merin Cok,  
Kristi Zietse, Molly Zietse  
All-District Honors ..... Merin Cok, Catherine  
Hilbrands, Kristi Zietse  
Team MVP..... Catherine Hilbrands

## Tennis—Girls

### Varsity

Overall: 2-1-9; Conference: 2-1-2  
Conference Finish..... 3<sup>rd</sup> Place  
Conference Tourn't..... 4<sup>th</sup> Place  
Regional Tournament .. 5<sup>th</sup> Place  
All-Conf. Honors..... Kaitlyn Chiazza, Alex Hartman,  
Erin Shields  
Team MVP..... Sarah Pryor  
**Junior Varsity:** Overall 10-6

## Track—Boys

### Varsity

Conference ..... 1-4  
Conference Finish..... 5<sup>th</sup> Place  
Conference Tourn't..... 5<sup>th</sup> Place  
All-Conf. Honors..... Jacob Kuyvenhoven, Wuoi Mach,  
Andre Otte, Willie Sawyer, Josh  
Wilbraham  
Team MVP..... Josh Wilbraham

## Track—Girls

### Varsity

Overall: 4-1; Conference: 4-1  
Conference Finish..... 2<sup>nd</sup> Place  
Conference Tourn't..... 2<sup>nd</sup> Place  
Regional Tournament .. 7<sup>th</sup> Place  
All-Conf. Honors..... Julia Bos, Rachel Eygenraam,  
Kia Frazier, Leah Opolski,  
Xhantiana Williams  
Team MVP..... Angelle Kettlewell

### 2009-2010 Eagle Athletes of the Year

**Jake Hoogstrate**

**Megan Konyndyk**

### 2009-2010 Scholar Athletes of the Year

**Kendra Altena**

**Allen Bosscher**

### 3-Sport Senior Athletes

**Lauren Anderson:** Cross County, Basketball, Track  
**Joel Betts:** Cross County, Hockey, Lacrosse  
**Matthew Block:** Cross County, Swimming, Track  
**Shane Colburn:** Soccer, Bowling, Lacrosse  
**Jake Hoogstrate:** Football, Basketball, Golf  
**Angelle Kettlewell:** Cross County, Downhill Skiing, Track  
**Megan Konyndyk:** Volleyball, Basketball, Soccer  
**Trevor Krause:** Football, Hockey, Baseball

### Three Sport Underclassmen

**Catherine Hilbrands:** Volleyball, Basketball, Softball  
**Grant Ludema:** Cross County, Swimming, Track  
**Willie Sawyer:** Football, Bowling, Track  
**Jaylin Staten:** Football, Basketball, Track  
**Michael VanDenHeuvel:** Cross County, Swimming, Track

## GRCHS FALL 2010 Sports Report

The Fall season again brought success to the Eagle athletic program. Cross Country led the way with conference championships for boys and girls, regional championship for the girls, both teams qualifying for State and girls winning their 3<sup>rd</sup> State Championship of the decade. We had many athletes recognized as "All Conference" and a smaller number earning some of level of "All State" recognition. Below is a summary by sport.

### **Cross Country—Boys**

Conference Finish..... 1<sup>st</sup> Place  
Regional Tournament ..... 2<sup>nd</sup> Place  
State Tournament..... 3<sup>rd</sup> Place  
All–Conference Honors..... Eric Veldkamp, Jacob Kuyvenhoven, Mike VandenHeuvel, Andre Otte, Grant Ludema,  
Andrew Jo  
All-State Honors..... Eric Veldkamp  
MVP ..... Jacob Kuyvenhoven

### **Cross Country—Girls**

Conference Finish..... 1<sup>st</sup> Place  
Regional Tournament ..... 1<sup>st</sup> Place  
State Tournament..... Champion  
All–Conference Honors..... Erika Overbeck, Liza Gunnink, Julia Bos, Dana Veen  
All-State Honors..... Julia Bos, Liza Gunnink  
MVP ..... Julia Bos

### **Football**

#### **Varsity**

Standing: 7-4 Overall ; District 1-1  
Conference Finish..... 4<sup>th</sup> Place  
All Conference Honors..... Andre Davis  
All State Special Mention.. Jaylin Staten  
All State Hon. Mention ..... Andre Davis  
G.R. Press Dream Team .. Robert Cuba, Jaylin Staten, 2<sup>nd</sup> Team Andre Davis  
MVP ..... Matt Grasmeyer

#### **Junior Varsity**

Standing: Overall 4-5

#### **Freshmen**

Standing: Overall: 8-1

### **Golf—Girls**

#### **Varsity**

Standing: Overall 6-4 Conference 4-4  
Conference Finish..... 3<sup>rd</sup> Place  
Conference Tournament... 3<sup>rd</sup> Place  
Regional Tournament ..... 4<sup>th</sup> Place  
State Tournament..... Amy VanDommelen , Aryn VanDyke  
All–Conference Honors..... Amy VanDommelen  
MVP ..... Amy VanDommelen

#### **Junior Varsity**

Standing: Overall 11-4  
Conference: 5-3

## **Soccer—Boys**

### **Varsity**

Standing: Overall 12-6-2; Conference 6-3-1

Conference Finish..... 2<sup>nd</sup> Place

All—Conference Honors..... Andrew VandenBerg, Joel Schipper, Taylor Pruis, Brooks Wilcox

All-District Honors..... Andrew VandenBerg, Joel Schipper, Brooks Wilcox, Joel Conzelman, David Warners, Luke Lindholm

All-Region Honors..... Andrew VandenBerg, Taylor Pruis, Joel Schipper

All—State Honors..... Andrew VandenBerg, HM

MVP ..... Andrew VandenBerg

### **Junior Varsity**

Standing: Overall 8-4-4

### **Freshmen**

Standing: Overall 4-8-4

## **Swimming—Girls**

Standing: Overall 12-6; Conference 4-3

Conference Finish..... 4<sup>th</sup> Place

State Tournament..... 16<sup>th</sup> Place

All Conference Honors..... Katie VandenBerge

All State Honors..... Katie VandenBerge, Katie Hensley

MVP ..... Katie VandenBerge, Katie Hensley

## **Tennis—Boys**

### **Varsity**

Standing: Overall 8-9; Conference 3-2

Conference Finish..... 3<sup>rd</sup> Place

Conference Tournament... 3<sup>rd</sup> Place

All—Conference Honors..... Taylor Asfour, Will Greeley, Brendan Stafford, Klaas Walhout

MVP ..... Brendan Stafford

### **Junior Varsity**

Standing: Overall 9-2-1

## **Volleyball—Girls**

### **Varsity**

Standing: Overall 42-13; Conference 7-2

Conference Finish..... 2<sup>nd</sup> Place

Conference Tournament... 2<sup>nd</sup> Place

District Tournament ..... Champion

Regional Tournament ..... 2<sup>nd</sup> Place

All—Conference Honors..... Micaela DeVos, Katie VanderWeide

All Conf. Hon. Mention..... Krista DeVries, Taylor Gates

All State Honors..... Katie VanderWeide, 2<sup>nd</sup> team; Micaela DeVos, hon. mention

MVP ..... Katie VanderWeide

### **Junior Varsity**

Standing: Overall 36-20; Conference 6-3

# GRCHS WINTER 2010/11 Sports Report

The winter season brought much success to the Eagles athletic program. Girls and Boys Basketball led the way with OK White Conference Championships and MHSAA District Championships. Swimming and Diving enjoyed another top 8 finish at the MHSAA State Finals. Boys Bowling had our first male qualifier to the MHSAA finals.

Again, we had many athletes recognized as All Conference and All State. Below is a summary by sport. Enjoy!

## **Basketball—Boys**

### **Varsity**

Overall 22-2; Conference 10-0  
Conference Finish..... 1<sup>st</sup> Place  
District Tournament.... Champion  
Regional Tourn. ....2<sup>nd</sup> Place  
All—Conf Honors..... Jordan Daley, Matt  
Grasmeyer, Drake Harris,  
Jaylin Staten  
All-State Honors..... Drake Harris, Jaylin Staten  
Team MVP ..... Jaylin Staten

**Junior Varsity:** Overall 20-0; Conf 10-0

**Freshmen:** Overall 19-1; Conf 10-0

## **Basketball—Girls**

### **Varsity**

Overall 21-3; Conference 9-1  
Conference Finish..... 1<sup>st</sup> Place  
District ..... Champion  
Regional Tourn ..... 2<sup>nd</sup> Place  
All—Conf Honors..... Kia Frazier, Destiney  
Robinson, Katie  
VanderWeide, Xhantiana  
Williams  
Team MVP ..... Destiney Robinson

**Junior Varsity:** Overall 12-7; Conf 6-4

**Freshmen:** Overall 16-2; Conf 8-0

## **Bowling—Boys**

Conference Finish..... 3<sup>rd</sup> Place  
Conf Tournament..... 2<sup>nd</sup> Place  
Regional Tournament .. 5<sup>th</sup> Place  
All—Conf Honors..... Tralon Williams  
Team MVP ..... Tralon Williams

## **Bowling—Girls**

Conference Finish..... 3<sup>rd</sup> Place  
Conf Tournament..... 3<sup>rd</sup> Place  
Regional Tournament .. 7<sup>th</sup> Place  
All—Conf Honors..... Shannon Brewer  
Team MVP ..... Shannon Brewer

## **Competitive Cheer**

### **Varsity**

Conference Finish..... 3<sup>rd</sup> Place  
Conf Tournament..... 3<sup>rd</sup> Place  
Regional Tournament .. 7<sup>th</sup> Place  
All—Conf Honors..... Lisa Beene, Jeni Sytsma,  
Makailah Muriithi – 1<sup>st</sup>  
Team; Jayla Warfield,  
Ashley Starks, Abby  
VanHarn – Hon. Mention  
All—District Honors ..... Lisa Beene, Jeni Sytsma  
Team MVP ..... Lisa Beene

## **Ice Hockey**

### **Varsity**

Overall 5-21; Conference 1-9  
Conference Finish..... 6<sup>th</sup> Place  
District Tournament..... 2<sup>nd</sup> Place  
All—Conf Honors..... Alex Huizenga, Jake  
Stille  
Team MVP ..... Alex Huizenga

## **Skiing—Boys**

### **Varsity**

Conference Finish..... 9<sup>th</sup> Place  
All—Conf Honors..... Thomas Styf  
Team MVP ..... Thomas Styf

## **Skiing—Girls**

### **Varsity**

Conference Finish..... 10<sup>th</sup> Place  
Team MVP ..... Maaiké Mudde

## **Swimming—Boys**

### **Varsity**

Conference Finish..... 2<sup>nd</sup> Place  
Conf Tournament ..... 2<sup>nd</sup> Place  
State Tournament ..... 6<sup>th</sup> Place  
All—Conf Honors..... Nate Leppink, Grant  
Ludema, Mark Randall,  
John Swets, Jack  
VanAllsburg, Andrew  
VanderLei  
All—State Honors ..... Ryan Beezhold, Nate  
Leppink, Tyler Ligon,  
Grant Ludema, Mitchell  
Schroder, Ben Stout,  
John Swets, Jack  
VanAllsburg, Andrew  
VanderLei  
Team MVP ..... Nate Leppink

## **Wrestling**

### **Varsity**

Conference Finish..... 2<sup>nd</sup> Place  
Team MVP ..... Nick Meekhof

