

Bandit Blast – January 18, 2020

The Importance of Girls' Sports – Parents, please take a minute to read this article and know the positive impact you are having in shaping your daughters' lives into the future by supporting their participation in athletics. [READ HERE](#)

Freshmen Basketball Continues to Dominate in the GCAC – Over Christmas Break the freshmen basketball team defeated Montini in their holiday tournament. That makes it three big GCAC opponent wins in a row. Trinity, Fenwick, and now Montini. Way to go ladies!!!

Bowling Still Going Strong – Varsity Bowling is still undefeated in the GCAC, and sitting alone in first place. Despite their one loss, JV Bowling is still sitting alone in first place in the GCAC as well. Both teams look to improve their scores down the stretch leading into the GCAC tournament on February 1st.

Madison Dorband Voted Team MVP in Christmas Tournament – Madison Dorband was voted the most valuable player in the tournament for the Resurrection Bandits Basketball at the St. Viator Blenner Holiday Classic over Christmas Break. Congratulations Madison.

New Track Head Coach – Mr. Wiechert has been hired as Resurrection's new Head Track Coach. Coach Wiechert comes to us with fifteen years of experience as both a head and assistant High School Track coach in St. Louis as well as Chicago. This is his third year with the Bandits Track program and we are excited to have him take over as the head coach. Please join me in congratulating Mr. Wiechert on his new position!

First Responder Night on Thursday, January 23 – The basketball team would like to recognize all first responder parents at the varsity game on January 23rd at 7:30 pm. If you are a first responder and can make it to the game, please contact Lou Carre for more information at loucarre5150@yahoo.com

Save the Date: Winter Sports Banquet - Friday, March 6

The winter sports banquet will be March 6, 2020, at 6:00 pm at White Eagle Banquets in Niles. Watch for more information to come in February about how to RSVP.

Athletic Boosters Restaurant Night on Wednesday, January 29 – The Athletic Booster Club will be hosting a [Raising Canes Restaurant Fundraiser Night](#) on Wednesday, January 29th from 12:00 to 9:00 pm. The address is 7306 W. Lawrence Avenue, Harwood Heights, 60706. 15% of all sales associated with Resurrection College Prep will be donated back to the athletic department when you mention Resurrection at the register.

Spring Sports Tryouts

Track tryouts will be Feb 10, 11 & 12

Lacrosse, Soccer, Softball & Water Polo will be March 2, 3 & 4

[See complete Spring Tryout details HERE.](#)

Soccer and Lacrosse to Share One Field Again this Spring – The soccer field (inside the track) is still not playable for games due to a severe recession in the field closest to the JV softball field. We will do to mitigate the problem, as much as we can, is line the soccer field for lacrosse and soccer with the biggest size field we can fit, avoiding the recessed area. This will allow soccer and lacrosse to have full-size creases, penalty boxes, etc to practice on.

We have purchased two more lacrosse goals so practice goals will be set up at all times for soccer and lacrosse on the practice field. Then, the lacrosse field (along Talcott) will be lined for soccer and lacrosse games. All games will be played on this field. I am doing my best to schedule single soccer or lacrosse

games late or early to try to fit multiple games in during an afternoon if need be. We will see how it all comes together. I am confident we will have a successful spring season despite the unfortunate situation with the soccer field.

Athletic Booster Club to Purchase Indoor Practice Time for Spring Sports – The Athletic Booster Club is again purchasing practice time at Quad Indoor Sports Complex for our spring teams to ensure the teams get a few good practices in, despite the unpredictable spring weather. The complex is reserved on March 11th, 18th, and April 15th for our spring sports to utilize. Resurrection will provide buses to and from the facility for student-athletes.

Spring Sports Parent Meeting at 5:00 pm on Wednesday, March 11

The spring sports parent meeting will be at 5:00 pm on Wednesday, March 11th. Please note the new start time of 5:00 pm. This time will be convenient for players and coaches to arrive back (via the provided bus) from the indoor practice time in Evanston and head directly to the spring sports parent meeting.

Softball to Play Three Spring Break Games at Rosemont Dome – Varsity softball will enjoy three games under the Dome at Rosemont over Spring Break. On March 23rd the team will play a doubleheader against New Trier. And on March 26th the Bandits will take on DePaul College Prep under the Dome.

Spring Schedules Close to Finalized & Online – The water polo, softball, soccer and track schedules are available online. At this point, the schedules are all but final and only minor changes are anticipated. Lacrosse schedules are still a work in progress and should be online by the beginning of February.

Trivia Night - Friday, March 13

Trivia Night is set for Friday, March 13, 2020, at 7:00 pm in the Cafeteria. Doors will open at 6:30 pm. Registration and details are [HERE](#).

Spring Break and Easter No Play Dates – All spring sports programs will be off for Easter from April 9-12. Below are Spring Break off dates by sport:

Soccer: March 25-29

Lacrosse: March 26-29

Softball: March 27-29

Water Polo: March 25-29

Track: March 22-29

Spring Sports Picture Day scheduled for April 1 – Spring sports picture day will be April 1 in the gym. A schedule will come out the week before as we need to wait and see what games are rescheduled to that date before assigning picture times. Coaches will let their teams know what color uniforms to wear.

Spring Signing Day – April 2 from 11:15 to 12:00 pm in the Gym

Our Spring Signing Day this year for our athletes going on to compete at the next level in college will be April 2, 2020. 11:15 to 12:00 pm in the gym. If your daughter is signing to play college athletics next year, please email me the name of your daughter, the school, and what sport. Parents are encouraged to attend the event and can take their daughters out to lunch after. Parents just need to sign their daughters out like normal. Please do not wait to sign any official paperwork for your daughter's college until the Signing Day at Res. Do whatever paperwork is needed for your daughter to play when the college asks for it. At the event I will also have letters for your daughters to sign.

Game Schedules and Cancellations

To view your daughter's game schedule go to www.reshs.org. Hold your cursor over Athletics. Then click on Athletic Schedules. Once on this page hold your cursor over Athletics, and your daughter's team

will appear. Click on her team and select Schedules and Results. If your daughter is not on a varsity team you will have to click All Levels to see the JV and Freshmen Schedules. (Please note that right when you get to our Athletics Webpage, there is an announcement box in the upper left-hand corner. That is where I will post by 2:30 pm each day if a game is canceled due to weather, facilities issues, etc. Please be sure to check this before you leave your work early to watch your daughter's game. The direct link is <https://il.8to18.com/resurrection/>

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