



PORT PRIDE

PORT WASHINGTON HIGH SCHOOL

Thad Gabrielse, Athletic Director

Tuesday, December 20, 2016

Quote of the Week:

"Show class, have pride, and display character. If you do, winning takes care of itself."

~Paul "Bear" Bryant

Upcoming Events

Monday, Dec 19, 2016

5:50pm Basketball: Boys JV Game Ozaukee @ Ozaukee High School

5:50pm Basketball: Boys Freshmen Game Ozaukee @ Ozaukee High School

7:30pm Basketball: Boys Varsity Game Ozaukee @ Ozaukee High School

Tuesday, Dec 20, 2016

4:00pm Swimming: Boys Varsity Conference Relays(Diving) Grafton, Homestead, Milwaukee Lutheran, Nicolet, Whitefish Bay vs. Cedarburg @ Cedarburg High School

5:45pm Basketball: Girls JV Game (Date Changed from 12-16-16) Homestead @ Homestead High School

6:00pm Swimming: Boys Varsity Conference Relays(Swimming) Grafton, Homestead, Milwaukee Lutheran, Nicolet, Whitefish Bay vs. Cedarburg @ Cedarburg High School

7:15pm Basketball: Girls Varsity Game (Date Changed from 12-16-16) Homestead @ Homestead High School

Wednesday, Dec 21, 2016

5:45pm Basketball :Boys JV Game (Rescheduled from 12-16-16) vs. Homestead @ Port Washington High School

5:45pm Basketball: Boys Freshmen Game (Rescheduled from 12-16-16) vs. Homestead @ Thomas Jefferson Middle School

7:15pm Basketball: Boys Varsity Game (Rescheduled from 12-16-16) vs. Homestead @ Port Washington High School

Thursday, Dec 22, 2016

5:30pm Swimming: Boys Varsity Meet Sheboygan South @ Sheboygan South High School

Tuesday, Dec 27, 2016

5:00pm Basketball: Boys Varsity Tournament Cudahy @ Cudahy High School

5:00pm Basketball: Boys JV Tournament Cudahy @ Cudahy High School

Upcoming Events Cont'd

Wednesday, Dec 28, 2016

8:00am Wrestling: Varsity Invitational Merrill @ Merrill High School

5:00pm Basketball: Boys Varsity Tournament Cudahy @ Cudahy High School

5:00pm Basketball: Boys JV Tournament Cudahy @ Cudahy High School

Thursday, Dec 29, 2016

8:00am Wrestling: Varsity Invitational Merrill @ Merrill High School



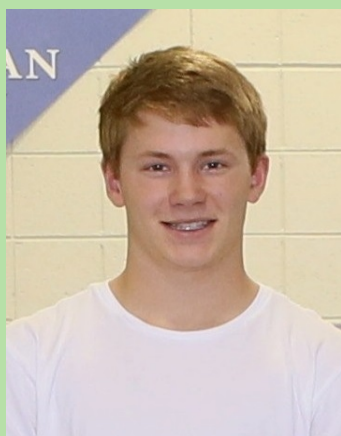
**Come out and support
your Port Pirates!!!!**



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CHARACTER COUNTS

ATHLETE OF THE WEEK



Nolan Olson, a senior member of the Boys' Varsity Swim team, has earned the title "Athlete of the Week." Nolan has great success in the pool as well as in the classroom. He is an all-around true athlete and does well at anything he puts his mind to. Nolan's true dedication to the sport has allowed him to really make leaps and bounds year after year. At the beginning of this year, one of his goals was to go faster than 1:00 (his best time from last season) in his 100 Butterfly; he broke that goal our first meet and he has continued to improve each meet! Nolan is viewed as a great leader of our team, is a strong role model for his team mates and is always willing to help anyone out. He gives 100% and works hard each and every day he is in practice. As one of our top butterflyers and sprinters on the team, Nolan is focused on the 50 freestyle, the 100 butterfly and 100 Freestyle events this season, but he will also swim any event I ask him to swim. We are very excited to see where Nolan's journey will take him the rest of the season!

Congratulations Nolan!



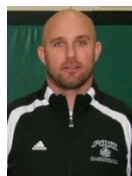
BOYS

SWIMMING & DIVE by
Melissa Hoogester



Another great meet last night, we went against the bulldogs from Cedarburg. Most of the guys took this opportunity to mix things a bit and swim events they normally don't. It is always interesting because you are never sure what you might discover by mixing it up! The evening began with an awesome second place finish by the 'A' 200 medley team: Miller, Bischoff, Olson and DeMerit with their best time, 1:53.61; followed by the 'B' team: Biskobing, Howell, Locke and Roller finishing fourth place with their best time, 2:01.88! Up in the 200 freestyle was Mehre (2:23.14 – a personal best time for him!) finished fourth place, Huebner (2:28.93 – a personal best time by 28 seconds!!!) finished fifth and Hadacek (2:29.45) finished sixth. Olson (2:22.92 – a personal best time for him!) finished an awesome second place in the 200 IM followed by Bischoff (2:36.65 – a personal best time for him!) finished fifth place and Tumey (2:53.15) finished sixth. DeMerit (24.50 – a season best time!) had an awesome first place finish in the 50 freestyle followed by Biskobing (25.97 – a season best time!) also had a great third place finish and Locke (27.76 – a season best time!) was just behind them finishing fifth. Our divers came through again finishing second, third and fourth places this evening! J. Theis (194.25) had an awesome evening adding a ton of points to his best score followed by C. Theis (171.60) also adding

lots of points to his best score and right behind was Schmidt (135.35) adding points to his best also! The 100 butterfly was such an awesome race to watch! Biskobing, who hasn't swum this event before in his high school career, knocked this one out of the park! He came in with an awesome first place finish and his awesome time of 1:04.84! I can't wait to see him race this event again! Bischoff (1:13.54) also had a great race in the 100 fly finished fifth place followed by Howell (1:16.39 – a personal best time for him!) finished sixth place. Miller (54.32 – a personal best time for him!) had a great third place finish in the 100 freestyle, Olson (55.35 – a personal best time for him!) finished right behind in fourth and Roller (57.98 – a personal best time for him!) finished behind them both in fifth. In the 500 freestyle, we had some great swims by Locke (6:21.47) who hasn't swum this event before, Sharbuno (6:45.79 – who dropped 18 seconds of his best time!) finished fifth and Meier (6:54.73 – who dropped 9 seconds of his best time!) finished sixth place. The 200 freestyle 'A' team: Biskobing, Hadacek, Locke, and Roller had a good fourth place finish with their best time, 1:51.26 followed by the 'B' team: Mehre, Huebner, Kasdorf, and Meier finishing sixth place with their time, 1:58.48. Miller (1:01.71 – a personal best time for him!) was just out-touched in the 100 backstroke finishing second place, Roller (1:18.05) finished fifth place and Mehre (1:20.86) finished sixth place. DeMerit (1:17.43 – a personal best time for him!) finished fourth in the 100 breaststroke and followed by Hadacek (1:24.92) finishing fifth. The last event, the 400 freestyle relay, was another great event for the 'A' relay team: Olson, Bischoff, Miller and DeMerit; they finished an awesome second place with their best time, 3:45.02! The 'B' team: Mehre, Hadacek, Kasdorf, and Howell finished fourth place with their time 4:29.04. It was a great meet, some of the guys really mixed their individual events up and we had a ton of best times! **Onto Conference relays next Tuesday!**



Boys Varsity Basketball by Brian Hebein



Monday, December 19th against Ozaukee

Port Washington: 64

Ozaukee: 56

The boys have a rescheduled game on Wednesday, December 21st!! Come out and see them take on Homestead Wednesday night!

JV begins at 5:45 and Varsity is set to take the floor at 7:15!



Girls Varsity Basketball by Jakob Wahl



Game Date: Dec 13, 2016

Score: PIRATES: 48

CEDARBURG: 57

On Tuesday night, the Pirates played a tough Cedarburg team. An excellent start put the Pirates in a great position for the entire game. Karley Lehtikangas made five three point shots in the first half that propelled the Pirates to a 31-28 halftime lead. The Pirates continued to play well through the second half with solid performances from Amanda Baierl (12 points), Kate Lemkuil (7 points), and Haley Erlandson. It was great to see more improvement from the previous week.

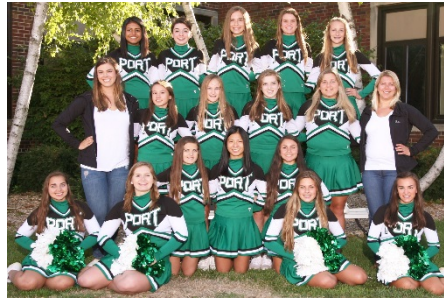
The girls will take on Homestead on Tuesday night, December 20th at Mequon!

Good Luck Lady Pirates!



Girls Varsity

Dance by Rebekah Goerl



Come see the dance team at halftime of a Varsity basketball games!



Girls Varsity

Gymnastics by KC Moore



The Port gymnasts ran into defending state champion Whitefish Bay on Thursday, coming up on the losing end of a 132.825-113.275 meet. This week, senior Kaylyn Garant was back, but the Pirates were without Caitlin Hassler and others for a choir concert. Hassler had led the team in all-around last week in Garant's absence. In addition, Claudia Weyker, whose most significant contributions came on floor last year, has been nursing an injury which has kept her off floor the past three meets. Still, the past two weeks has

put a positive light on what the gymnasts could accomplish when all of the pieces finally fall into place.

The highlight of the night was Garant's 9.175 on beam. It tied her career best (she is our school record holder on this event). She was second on the night, behind Whitefish Bay's Aly Yurkowitz--who happens to be the defending D2 all-around state champion and who finished second in the state on beam last year. Garant also finished 3rd in the all-around competition with a 31.375, behind Yurkowitz and Bay's Abby Timms. In addition, Garant was Port's team leader on floor (7.9) and bars (6.8). Carmen Hoag led the team on vault (7.8).

The team score of 113.275, was just shy of 5 points better than Port's previous best this season. In addition to Garant getting closer to where she was at the end of last season, Claudia Weyker has been a large part of this improvement. She has been a big surprise this season, especially on beam. Last season, she earned her varsity letter as a freshman by doing the "easier" skills well. On Thursday, this could not have been on better display. Her bar routine was done as well as it could be. Her beam routine was simple but solid. Last year, she competed Varsity beam only once, scoring a 6.575. After leading the team last week on the event, she scored a very solid 7.75 again this week. If she can push the difficulty while keeping the same execution, she will be an anchor of consistency for the team to rely on for years to come. Once she is fully recovered from an injury, this will be true across all four events.

The Pirate gymnasts do not compete all break long, and will return to action at home against Grafton/Cedarburg on January 4th.



Boys Varsity Hockey

by Buster Hebda



Next game: Tournament--December
28-30 at Barron Ice Rink in Barron,
WI.

Times to be determined.



Boys Varsity

Wrestling by Angelo

LaRosa



Score:PIRATES: 50

CEDARBURG: 24

The Pirates rolled over the short-handed Bulldogs in an NSC meet last Wednesday at Cedarburg High School. Blake Peiffer (113) and Michael Murphy (170) pinned their opponents in the 1st period. Sal Gauthier (152) and Tristan Griswold (195) also had major decisions. The Pirates improved to 3-0 in the NSC and 5-2 overall in duals. The prestigious Marty Loy Tournament was canceled over the weekend due to weather. The Pirates next travel to Merrill over the Holidays for the Northern Exposure Duals.

The high school choir sang at St. Joseph's Chapel with the Milwaukee Master Singers on Sunday, December 18, 2016.



It's a Great Week to be a Pirate!

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