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PUBLISHER'S NOTE

Hello sports fans, it's another great day here at High School Sports Scene Magazine.

Everyone here at High School Sports Scene Magazine is hoping you are having a great summer in our magnificent state. What a beautiful summer it has been and is there any place else you would want to be in the summer months than our great state!!! Hopefully everyone is having a fun and safe summer and enjoying time with family and friends.

With school out for the summer we are putting out our end of the year issue that looks back at what a great school year of high school sports we had.

The past school year produced a bushel of exciting memories.

During the fall season, the Mason and Corunna football teams turned in some memorable season as both squads turned in outstanding seasons and playoffs runs that culminated in trips to Ford Field to play in state championship game.

The fall season also included a second straight state title for the Midland Dow tennis team while Lansing Catholic won a girls golf title.

The winter season brought even more success. The Lowell wrestling team, the gold standard for wrestling in the entire state of Michigan, continued to make history as the Red Arrows rolled to a record 11th -consecutive state title.

The spring season also saw an area team win a state championship. In baseball, Beal City captured the sixth state baseball title in school history. In softball, the Evert softball team won a first-ever state title. On the track, a trio of teams won state titles including the Pewamo-Westphalia and Fowler boys track and field teams won state titles as did the Fowler girls track team.

There were so many other great performances and you can read all about them in our top 60 stories of 2022-23 article in this month's issue.

For now enjoy the final weeks of summer and we will see you soon as a new school year is closing in.



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ATTENTION AREA HIGH SCHOOL FOOTBALL COACHES

With the calendar turning to June it means that the high school football season is not far away.

High school football teams will soon be conducting their summer seven-on-seven programs and high school football camps will be taking place across the state.

Everyone here at High School Sports Scene is also preparing for the upcoming football season. This year will be the 15th year that we will be putting out our high school football preview issue in mid-August and in preparation we will be holding a football media day on Tuesday, August 6 we will be holding a football media day at the Ithaca High School football field from

10 a.m. to 4 p.m.

Every high school football team (11 and 8-man teams) in the area is invited to attend. Coaches are encouraged to bring along players with them to meet with Sports Scene writers for interviews on the upcoming and to get photos.

Coaches are encouraged to contact a member of the Sports Scene staff by email at randy@highschoolsportsscene.com or greg102300@yahoo.com to give us an idea of what time you would like to attend and if you have any questions.

Thank you for your help and look forward to seeing you August 6 in Ithaca.

Sports Scene's Top 60 Storylines Of The 2023-24 School Year

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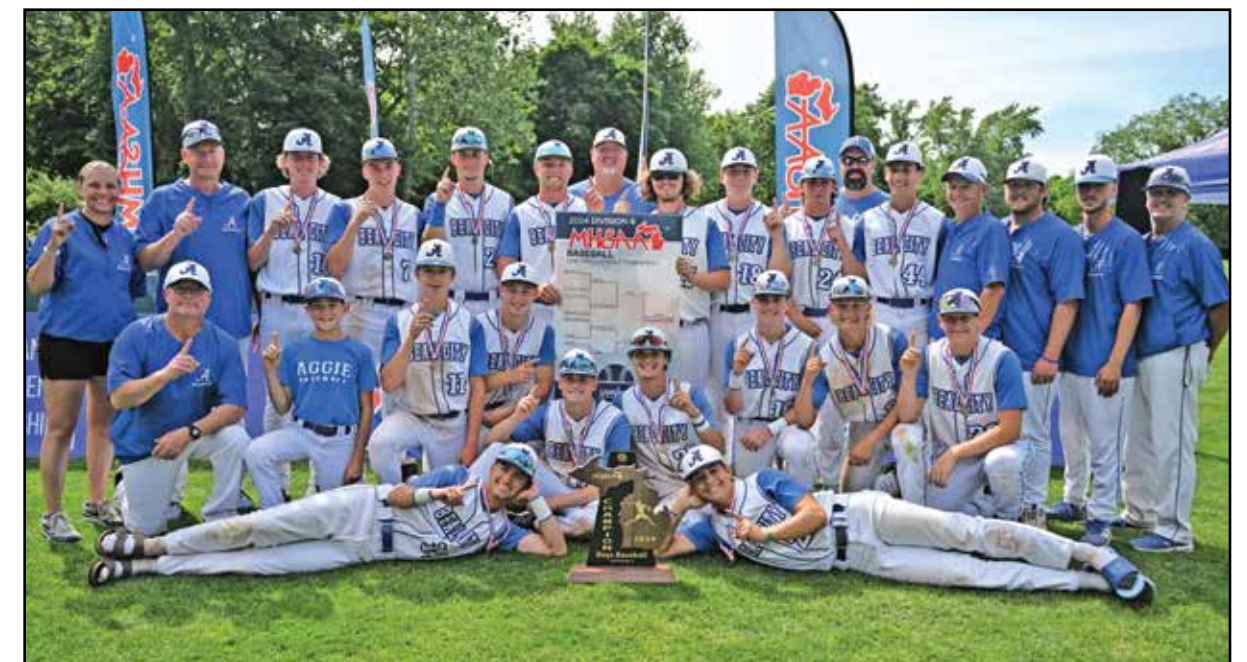
Lowell Wrestling Extends State Title Streak

The titles keep piling up for the Lowell wrestling team. The Red Arrows, who entered the wrestling season with a decade's worth of state titles, extended the streak to 11 as it defeated Freeland 49-21 in the Division 2 state championship match. The Red Arrows were again one of the premier wrestling teams in the state regardless of division during the regular season as they took on the best teams the state and surrounding states had to offer. Lowell turned in impressive efforts at the finals including a 52-17 win against Mason in the semifinals. A week later the Red Arrows made their mark at the individual state championships. Junior Jackson Blum, a nationally-ranked wrestler, won his third state title as he completed the season with a 35-1 record. Blum was one of four Lowell wrestlers to win individual state titles as junior Owen Segorski won the title at 144 pounds and junior Carter Cichocki won at 120 pounds. Sophomore Jarrett Smith won a fourth individual title for Lowell when he defeated teammate Cole Cichocki, a freshman, in the finals at 106 pounds.



Beal City Baseball Wins Sixth State Title

Beal City baseball is one of the premier programs in the state from year to year and this season the Aggies added to their resume by winning the Division 4 state title. Beal City left little doubt it was the cream of the crop in Division 4 as it defeated Norway from the Upper Peninsula 10-0 in five innings to earn a sixth state baseball championship in school history. Aggie pitcher Cayden Smith tossed a gem in the finals as he no-hit Norway while striking out eight in five innings. Jack Fussman led the offense as he had a pair of hits and collected four RBIs for Beal City who ended the season with a 34-6 record.




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3 Midland Dow Boys Tennis Wins Second Straight Title
 The Midland Dow boys tennis team made it two in a row as it won the Division 2 state tennis championship for the second straight season. Dow finished with a total of 29 points as it claimed a state championship for the seventh time in program history. The Chargers were led by their singles players as Dow swept all four of the singles championships. Junior Austin King won the title at No. 1 singles while senior Aaron Li defended his title at No. 2 singles. Senior Logan Yu claimed the title at No. 3 singles with junior Nimai Patel defending his title at No. 4 singles.

4 Evert Softball Team Wins First-Ever State Title
 The Evert softball team made program history this season as it won its first-ever state championship. Evert won the Division 3 state title in exciting fashion with a 1-0 win against Ottawa Lake Whiteford. Sophomore pitcher Kyras Gray picked up the win as she struck out the final two batters with base runners on second and third base in the seventh inning to secure the shutout and the state title. Sophomore Mattie Tiedt had the lone hit of the game for Evert and made it count as her RBI single drove in the lone run of the game.

5 Braylon Isom Sets State Football Receiving Records
 Saginaw Heritage senior ended his career by setting several Michigan High School Athletic Association receiving records. Isom set a season state record with 26 touchdown catches and finished his career with a state-record 52 touchdown receptions. Isom also set a state record for career receiving yards with 3,837 receiving yards. Isom also finished fifth in career receptions with 191 receptions and finished with the seventh-best receiving yards in a season with 1,428 receiving yards this season.



6 Pewamo-Westphalia Boys Win State Track Title
 The Pewamo-Westphalia boys track team has an impressive history and this year the Pirates added to the program's success by bringing home the Division 3 state title. The Pirates totaled 57 team points and were led by sprinter Trevor Smith who won the 100-meter dash and placed fifth in the 200 meters. In the field events Gavin Nurenberg won the shot put and was second in the discus while in the distance events Collin Farmer was second in the 3,200-meter run and fourth in the 1,600 meters.

7 Fowler Boys Win D4 State Title in Close Fashion
 The Division 4 boys track and field state championship was decided by four points as Fowler totaled 56 points to edge second-place Detroit Douglass who totaled 52 points. Brady Feldpausch led the way for Fowler as he won the 110 hurdles and was second in the 300 hurdles along with being part of a pair of state-placing relay teams. Nate Spicer also placed as an individual in a pair of events and was part of two state-placing relay teams.

8 Fowler Girls Make Is A Sweep For Eagles Track
 The Fowler boys were joined in the winner's circle at the Division 4 state finals by the Fowler girls track team which also claimed the top prize. The Fowler girls totaled 70.5 points to win the title by 26.5 points. Junior Katie Spicer led the way for Fowler as she placed in four individual events. Senior Grace O'Hare ran legs for all four of Fowler's relay teams that placed at the state finals while senior Alayna Vandegriff tied a school record enroute to placing third in the pole vault.

9 Lansing Catholic Girls Win State Golf Crown
 After finishing in the top three the past three years, the Lansing Catholic girls golf team ended up atop the field at the Division 4 state golf finals. The Cougars finished with a 705 team total to claim their first golf state championship since 2010. Senior Sophie Hauser led the way for the Cougars as she placed third as an individual with rounds of 78-74. Junior Brynn Anderson placed 12th individually as she carded rounds of 91 and 88.

10 Mason Football Reaches State Title Game
 The Mason football team turned in the most successful season in school history and thrilled the community all fall leading up to a first-ever berth in the Division 3 state finals at Ford Field in Detroit. Mason strung together 13 wins before suffering its first defeat of the season in the finals when it dropped a 27-10 decision to Forest Hills Central. Mason was led by senior running back AJ Martell who rushed for 1,810 yards and scored 25 touchdowns while junior quarterback Cason Carswell passed for 2,011 yards and threw 27 touchdown passes.



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11 Corunna Football Plays For State Title

The Corunna football team put together a season to remember as it marched all the way to Ford Field in Detroit before falling 21-7 to Grand Rapids Catholic Central in the Division 5 state championship game. The Cavaliers, who finished the season with a 13-1 record, averaged 42.3 points per game on offense while the defense allowed just 8.2 points per game. Senior quarterback Wyatt Bower led the offense as he passed for 1,974 yards and 22 touchdown passes while rushing for 930 yards and 15 touchdowns. Running back Jaden Eddington rushed for 906 yards and 18 touchdowns while wide receiver Tarick Bower totaled 1,298 receiving yards and caught 18 touchdown passes.



12 Pewamo-Westphalia Standout Wins Miss Volleyball Award

Pewamo-Westphalia senior Taylor Smith turned in a big season. Along with helping lead her team to the state quarterfinals, Smith was named the winner of the Miss Volleyball award. A three-time all-state player, Smith also accepted a scholarship to Eastern Michigan University.

13 Rockford Gymnasts Win Third Straight State Title

The Rockford gymnastics team made it a three-peat as they won the gymnastics state championship. Led by their nine seniors, the Rams utilized strong team depth to key the championship run. A total of 11 Rams qualified individually for state led by senior Hailey Hill who finished first in the overall and placed in all four events.

14 Mt. Pleasant Sacred Heart Hoops Reach State Finals

It was a big season for the Mt. Pleasant Sacred Heart boys basketball team as the Irish reached the Division 4 state title game where they fell to Wyoming Tri-unity Christian. Sacred Heart finished the season with a 26-3 overall record and made its first appearance in the state finals since 2006.



15 Freeland Wrestling Team Competes In State Title Match

The Freeland wrestling team made history as it reached the team state finals for the first time in program history. Freeland reached the title match in Division 2 where it fell to Lowell 49-21. Freeland turned in a big effort at the team finals as it stopped Lake Fenton 44-27 in the quarterfinals and Greenville 33-32 in the semifinals.

16 Corunna Boys Track Second In State

The Corunna boys track team turned in a big season capped by a second-place finish at the Division 2 track and field state finals. Corunna totaled 38 team points at the finals to finish two points behind first-place Berrien Spring. Brothers Tarick and Wyatt Bower led the way for the Cavaliers as they placed in two events individually and were also part of two, state-placing relay teams.

17 Williamston Girls Golfers Take Second In State

It was a big season for the Williamston girls golf team as the Hornets placed second in the state at the Division 3 state finals with a team score of 685. Junior Nicole Schafer led the way for the Hornets as she placed fourth as an individual with scores of 77 and 73 while freshman Paige Radebach placed 14th overall.

18 St. Louis Wrestling Team Reaches State Title Match

After coming close the past few seasons, the St. Louis wrestling team broke through and reached the championship match at the Division 4 team wrestling state championships. St. Louis won its quarterfinal match at the team finals with a 39-26 win against Martin and then stopped Benzie Central 37-22 in the semifinals. The Sharks then fell to Hudson 41-17 in the finals as Hudson won a third straight state title.

19 Alma Soccer Team Makes Program History

The Alma boys soccer team continued to make program history. Coming off a season where it won a district title for the second time in three years, the Panthers turned the trick again for their third district title in four years. The Panthers kept the winning going as they defeated Fremont 2-1 to win the first-ever regional championship in school history. The season ended for Alma in the state semifinals where it fell to Hudsonville Unity Christian. Alma also won the Tri-Valley Red Conference title with an 11-1 record.

20 Cole O'Boyle Turned In Perfect Wrestling Season

Alma senior Cole O'Boyle capped an impressive high school career in a big way as he not only won a state title at the Division 3 individual wrestling finals but finished the season with a perfect 48-0 record. A three-time state placer during his career at Alma, O'Boyle defeated Stephen Petersen of Hillsdale 3-1 to win the title at 190 pounds. O'Boyle won his other three matches at the individual finals by pin.

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21 Ryan Ahern Caps Mat Career As Four-Time State Placer
 Ryan Ahern of Rockford capped a glittering high school career in a big way as he won the 285-pound individual state championship in Division 1 with a 17-6 win against Anton Byarnas of Jenison. Ahern finished the season with a 49-1 record and was also a four-time state placer at the individual wrestling finals. For his career Ahern compiled a 167-10 record.

22 Holt Bowler Wins Individual State Title
 Emma Cadwell of Holt wrapped up a big season on the bowling lanes by winning the Division 1 individual bowling state championship. Cadwell defeated Hannah Reid of Flushing 362-359 in the final round. Cadwell also helped Holt reach the quarterfinals of the team tournament.

23 Talan Parsons Wins Second State Wrestling Title
 Ovid-Elsie senior Talan Parsons capped his career by winning a second individual wrestling state championship. Parsons won the title at 113 pounds at the Division 3 state finals as he finished the season with a 46-1 record. Along with being a two-time state champion, Parsons was also a four-time state individual placer.

24 Freeland Runner Sets Cross Country Record
 TJ Hansen of Freeland set a record along with winning a state title at the Division 2 cross country state finals. Hansen won the individual state title with a time of 14:52.89 that also set a new Division 2 state finals record.

25 Alex Rodriguez Wins Individual Wrestling State Title
 Along with helping the St. Louis wrestling team to a berth in the team state championship match, the talented sophomore also won an individual state title. Rodriguez won the title at 113 pounds in Division 4 and finished the season with a 48-2 record. Rodriguez has also accumulated 85 pins over his first two seasons of high school wrestling.



26 Clare Boys Track Places Second At State Meet
 The Clare boys track team ended the season by placing second at the Division 3 state track and field finals. The Pioneers totaled 47 points to finish 10 points behind champion Pewamo-Westphalia. Senior Zach Panches was among the leaders for Clare as he placed in both the shot put and the discus. Sophomore Conan Weeks was the state champion in the long jump while senior Brad White won the 800-meter run and placed in the 1,600-meter run.

27 Rockford Girls Lacrosse Reaches State Title Match
 The Rockford girls lacrosse team ended the season by competing for the state championship in Division 1. The Rams came up short dropping a 7-4 decision to Brighton in the title match. The Rams ended the season with a 13-8 record as they pursued a 10th lacrosse state championship.

28 Portland St. Patrick Girls Track Places Second At State Finals
 The Portland St. Patrick girls track team finished a strong season by placing second at the Division 4 state track and field finals. The Shamrocks, who totaled 44 team points, were led by Rlee Scheurer and Sophia Schrauben who both placed in two events. The Shamrocks also had three relay teams place led by the 4x200 relay team that won a state title.

29 Pewamo-Westphalia Runners Wins Cross Country Crown
 Pewamo-Westphalia senior Collin Farmer turned in a big senior season capped by winning the Division 3 individual title with a time of 15:39.1. Farmer, who also won the Greater Lansing Championships title during the season, accomplished a personal goal of breaking 15:30 as he ran a 15:29.3 in a meet during the season.



30 St. Louis Boys Cross Country Places Second In State
 The St. Louis boys cross country team capped a big season by placing second at the Division 4 state cross country finals. The Sharks were led at the state finals by Landon Pestruie who placed 10th individually with a time of 16:01.6. St. Louis also won a regional championship where it was led by senior Ben March who won the individual regional title with a time of 16:02.4.

31 Rockford Girls Basketball Reach State Semifinals
 After winning a state title the season before, the Rockford girls basketball team returned to the Breslin Center again this season. The Rams reached the Division 1 state semifinals where they dropped a 56-47 overtime decision to eventual state champion West Bloomfield. The Rams, who finished the season with a 26-2 record, were led by junior standout Anna Wypych who averaged 18 points per game for the season.



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32 Mason Wrestling Team Reaches D2 State Semifinals
 The Mason wrestling team capped a strong season by reaching the semifinals at the Division 2 team state wrestling finals. The Bulldogs, who turned in a 24-1 record this season, defeated Montro Jefferson 38-34 in the state quarterfinals before falling to eventual state champion Lowell 52-17 in the semifinals.

33 DeWitt Girls Soccer Advances To State Semifinals
 The DeWitt girls soccer team was one of the premier teams in the state in Division 2. The Panthers capped the season with a memorable post-season run that resulted in a berth in the state semifinals where they dropped a 1-0 decision to Bloomfield Hills Marian. DeWitt qualified for the state semifinals by winning the Waterford Kettering regional where it defeated Goodrich 2-1 in a shootout in the semifinals and Orchard Lake St. Mary's 2-0 in the regional title match.

34 Freeland Girls Soccer Reaches Semifinals In D3 State Tourney
 A memorable season for the Freeland girls soccer team came to an end in the state semifinals against the eventual state champion. The Falcons dropped a 5-0 decision to Division 3 state champion Hudsonville Unity Christian in the state semifinals. Freeland earned a berth in the Division 3 final four by winning the Clare regional where it defeated Traverse City St. Francis 2-0 in the semifinals and Fremont 2-0 in the regional title match.

35 Haslett/Williamston Girls Lacrosse Advances To State Final Four
 The combined girls lacrosse team of Haslett and Williamston turned in a big season as it reached the Division 2 state semifinals where it fell to eventual state champion Grand Rapids



Catholic Central. The Haslett/Williamston squad earned a berth in the final four by winning the regional for the second consecutive year with a 10-5 win against DeWitt. A trio of players who played key roles on this year's squad, Kylie Pastor, Abigail Brooks and Emma Kincaid, were recognized for their outstanding play by earning all-American honors.

36 Mason Girls Golf Team Takes Third At State Meet
 The Mason girls golf team capped a big year by placing third at the Division 2 state finals with a team score of 657. The Bulldogs were led at the state meet by senior Ava Clark who carded rounds of 79 and 75 to finish in seventh place as an individual. Junior Kortney Osborn placed 16th as an individual with rounds of 82 and 78.

37 Fowler Girls Basketball Team Reaches D4 Final Four
 The Fowler girls basketball team continued its run of post-season success by reaching the final four in the Division 4 state tournament. The Eagles, who reached the final four for a second straight year after winning state titles in 2021 and 2022, finished the season with a 24-4 record after falling to Ishpeming in the semifinals.

38 Vestaburg Runner Takes Second At Cross Country Finals
 Vestaburg senior Owen Patton capped an outstanding high school career by placing second overall at the Division 4 state cross country finals. Patton, who won a regional championship with a time of 16:45.1, placed second at the state finals with a time of 16:01.



39 Saginaw Heritage Hockey Reaches Final Four In D3
 The Saginaw Heritage hockey team turned in a memorable state tournament run that culminated in a trip to the Division 3 final four. The Hawks, who turned in a 14-12 record this season, played their best hockey in the state tournament. Heritage won the regional title with a 2-0 win against Bay City Central. The Hawks then won its quarterfinal game against Midland by a 3-2 score before falling 6-2 to eventual state champion Byron Center in the semifinals.

40 DeWitt Boys Track Places Third At State Meet
 The DeWitt boys track team wrapped up the season by placing third at the Division 2 state track and field finals. The Panthers, who totaled 34 points, were led by senior Drew Novak who placed second in the 100-meter dash and third in the 200-meter dash. DeWitt also had three relay teams place.

41 Clare Softball Team Advances To State Semifinals
 The Clare softball team turned in a big season highlighted by a post-season run to the Division 3 state semifinals. Clare reached the semifinals where it dropped a 1-0 decision to Ottawa Lake Whiteford in a game where Whiteford scored the lone run in the first inning. Clare finished the season with a 36-6 record.

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42 Rockford Girls Golf Team Finishes Fourth At State Finals
 Led by standout senior Jessica Jolly, the Rockford girls golf team placed fourth in the state at the Division 1 state finals. Jolly tied for second as an individual as she carded rounds of 71 and 70 for the Rams who totaled 693 for a team score. Senior Aubrey Wilson placed 23rd individually.

43 Pewamo-Westphalia Girls Take Fifth At Cross Country Finals
 The Pewamo-Westphalia girls cross country team capped the season by placing fourth at the Division 3 state finals. The Pirates, who won a regional championship to qualify for the state meet, were led by junior Whitney Werner who placed 31st with a time of 19:18.7. Werner also placed third individually at the regional meet.

44 Saginaw Nouvel Boys Golfers Place In Top Five At State
 The Saginaw Nouvel boys golf team finished the golf season by placing in fourth place at the Division 4 state golf finals. The Panthers were led at the state finals by junior Alex McCarthy who placed eighth individually with rounds of 81 and 82.

45 Ithaca Football Team Wins 15th Straight League Title
 It was another successful season for the Ithaca football team as the Yellowjackets won their 15th consecutive league championship. Ithaca finished the season with a 4-0 record in the league. The Yellowjackets were 9-0 during the regular season and finished the season with a 11-1 overall record after falling to eventual Division 8 state champion Ubyly in the regional title game. Ithaca was led by quarterback Jackson Conn who passed for over 1,900 yards and 28 touchdown passes.

46 Gladwin Boys Cross Country Place In Top Five At State Finals
 The Gladwin boys cross country team ended the season by placing fifth at the Division 2 state cross country finals. Senior Caleb Palmreuter led the way at the state finals as he placed 18th as an individual with a time of 15:43.4. Gladwin won the regional title as well with Palmreuter placing fourth individually.



47 Saginaw Heritage Girls Track Among Top Five In D1
 The Saginaw Heritage girls track team was among the top teams in the state in Division 1 this season. Heritage placed fifth at the Division 1 state track and field finals. Freshman Willow Mason and junior Jordyn Young led the way at the state finals as they both placed in two events.

48 Swan Valley Girls Track Team Places Fifth At State
 The Swan Valley girls track team wrapped up a big season by placing fifth at the Division 2 state track and field finals. Senior Sydney Kuhn led the way for the Vikings as she won both the 200 and the 400-meter dashes. Kuhn was also a member of the state-placing 4x400 relay team.

49 Chesaning Boys Basketball Posts Long Winning Streak
 It was a special season for the Chesaning boys basketball team. Chesaning started the season winning and never stopped until they fell to Laingsburg in the regional semifinals. Chesaning put together a 24-game winning streak and defeated Ovid-Elsie 50-34 for a district title before ending the season with a 24-1 record.

50 East Lansing Boys Basketball Among Best In D1
 The East Lansing boys basketball team was one of the premier teams in the state in Division 1 this season. The Trojans won the CAAC Blue Conference title with a perfect 12-0 record and compiled a 20-2 regular-season record. East Lansing also added district and regional titles before falling to Ann Arbor Huron in the Division 1 state quarterfinals.

51 Breckenridge Girls Cross Country Turns In Strong Season
 The Breckenridge girls cross country team turned in a strong season last fall. Breckenridge won a regional team championship and then placed sixth at the Division 4 state finals. Sophomore Ally Schmitz led the way for Breckenridge as she placed 22nd with a time of 19:46.6 at the state finals and placed second individually at the regional meet.

52 Clare Baseball Team Reaches Elite Eight
 The Clare baseball team wrapped up the season by reaching the elite eight in the state in Division 3. The Pioneers started their post-season run by defeating Chippewa Hills 12-2 in the district title game. Clare then won the regional title with a 4-3 win against Grand Rapids NorthPointe Christian. The season ended for Clare in the state quarterfinals where it fell to Jackson Lumen Christi.

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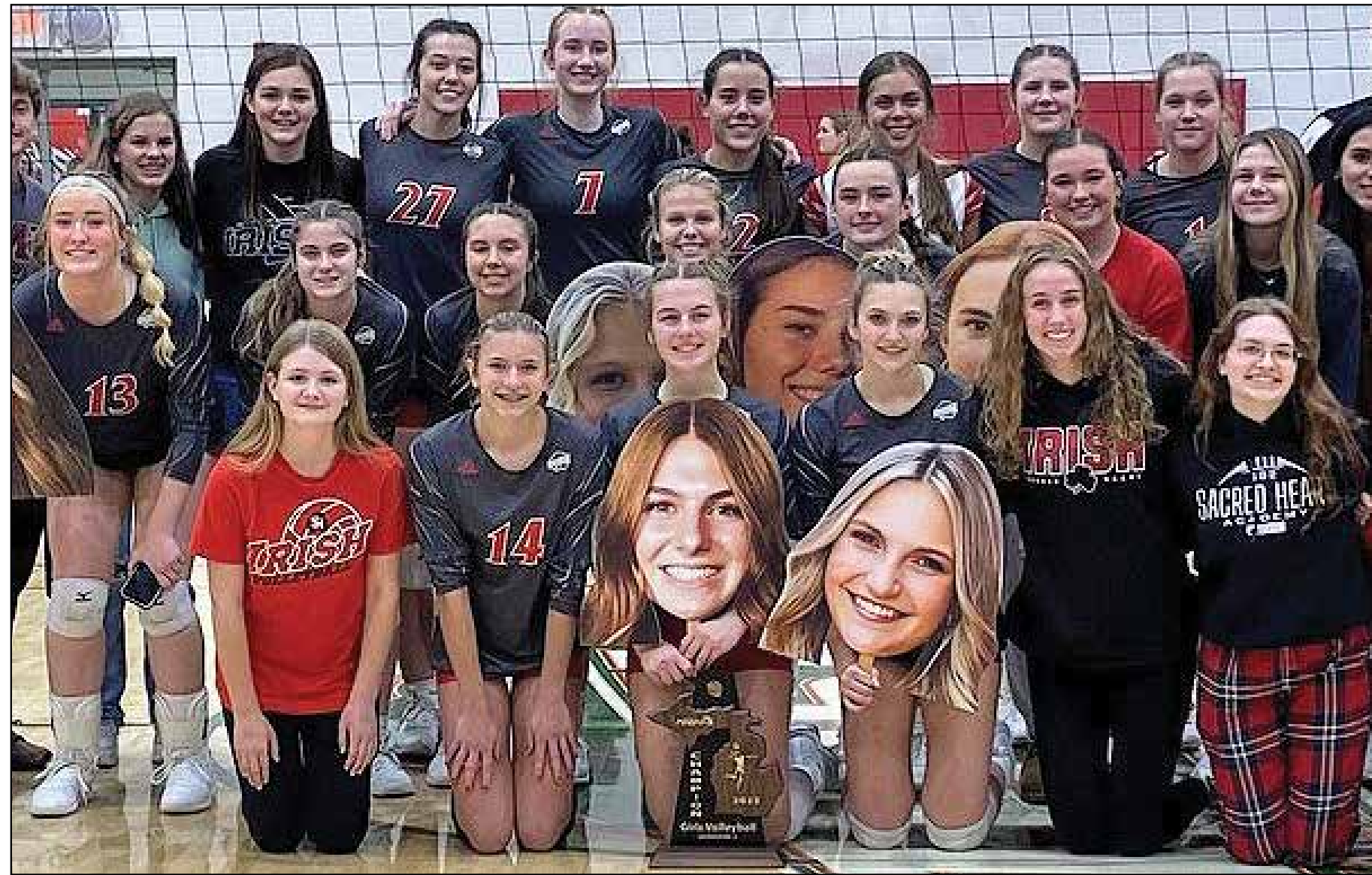
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53 Alma Cross Country Team Post Solid All-Around Season
 The Alma boys cross country team turned in a strong overall season. The Panthers won a regional title at Shepherd where sophomore Thomas Larson led the way by finishing third overall as an individual with a time of 15:47.1. Alma then placed eighth at the Division 2 state finals led by freshman Ezekiel Baltierra who placed 24th in a time of 15:46.5.

54 Saginaw Arthur Hill Brings Down The Curtain
 One of the most storied basketball programs in the state played its final season before merging into Saginaw United for the next school year. Making its final appearance in the state basketball tournament, Saginaw Arthur Hill added one final district championship as it defeated Freeland in the district finals. The Lumberjacks then defeated Saginaw High 57-42 in the last meeting between the traditional powers in the regional semifinals before the curtain came down on Arthur Hill for the final time when it fell to Flint Powers in the regional championship game.

55 Pewamo-Westphalia Volleyball Team Reaches State Quarterfinals
 The Pewamo-Westphalia volleyball team capped a big volleyball season by reaching the quarterfinals in the Division 3 state tournament. The Pirates turned in a big post-season run where they defeated Lakeview for a district title and Watervliet for a regional title. Pewamo's season came to an end in the quarterfinals when it fell to eventual state champion Kalamazoo Christian. The Pirates ended the season with a 53-2 overall record.

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56 Saginaw Valley Lutheran Volleyball Advances To State Quarterfinals
 The Saginaw Valley Lutheran volleyball team wrapped up the volleyball season with a deep state tournament run. Valley Lutheran defeated New Lothrop for a district title and then defeated Dansville to win the title at the Ithaca regional. Valley Lutheran's tournament run came to an end in four sets against Cass City in the state quarterfinals.

57 Mt. Pleasant Sacred Heart Reaches Elite Eight In D4 Volleyball
 The Mt. Pleasant Sacred Heart volleyball team turned in a deep state tournament run as they reached the quarterfinals in Division 4. Sacred Heart defeated Fulton-Middleton to win the title at the district it hosted and then beat Onekama in the finals of the Fowler regional. The Irish then fell to Leland in the state quarterfinals.

58 New Lothrop Girls Basketball Reaches D3 Quarterfinals
 The New Lothrop girls basketball team ended the season in the Division 3 state quarterfinals. The Hornets, who compiled a 20-8 record for the season, fell to Ypsilanti Arbor Prep in the quarterfinal round. New Lothrop was led by a pair of talented young players in freshman Katelyn Wendling who averaged close to 15 points per game and sophomore Kelsey Kohlmann who averaged nearly 11 points per game.

59 Mt. Pleasant Sacred Heart Girls Hoops Reach Elite Eight
 The Mt. Pleasant Sacred Heart girls basketball team turned in a big season that ended with the Irish falling to Frankford in the Division 4 state quarterfinals. Sacred Heart finished the season with a 21-4 record. Freshman Karis Terwilliger led the way for the Irish on offense as she averaged 14.3 points per game. The Irish played tenacious man-to-man defense all season as they allowed just 28.1 points per game.

60 Alma Soccer Standout Sets School Scoring Record
 Alma senior Leo Richter became the all-time leading scorer in Alma soccer history. During the season Richter set the record with the 81st goal of his career Richter ended his career in the state tournament as he ran his goal total to 91 for his career.



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