

# NHS Athletics Update

## Monday, 1/14/18

### 2018-2019 Winter Sports

With a number of game postponements, the majority of our NHS winter sport teams played only a single game / meet this past week. Highlights for this weeks game play included the NHS swim team continuing it's undefeated season with both the boys and girls teams defeating visiting Medfield High School and the varsity boys basketball team defeating rival island Martha's Vineyard.

Below you will find a breakdown of recent game results, some highlights, and the game schedules for the coming week listed by team.

### NHS Boys and Girls Swimming / Diving

In their only meet of the week the NHS Swim and Dive Team defeated visiting Medfield High School on Saturday, with the girls winning by a score of 101 - 77 and the boys by a score of 105 - 51.

Standouts on the boys side included Tyler Roethke who won the 200 IM in a school record and state qualifying time of 1:59.16 and also won the 100 freestyle in a state qualifying time of 48.98; Kevin Johnson who won the 200 free style (1:57.68); Cooper Norris who won the 100 butterfly (58.03); Grant Beebe who won the 500 yard freestyle (5:14.66); Beck Barsanti who won the 100 yard backstroke (1:04.9); and Aiden Roberts who won the 100 yard breaststroke (1:09.18).

Standouts for the girls team included Sophie Gerardi who won the 200 yard IM (2:23.91); Macy Crowell who won the 100 yard butterfly (1:12.79); Emma Davis who won the 100 yard freestyle (57.47); and Maisie Cocker who won the 100 yard freestyle (1:11.87).

**The NHS Boys and Girls Swim teams remain undefeated on the season with an overall record of 7 wins - 0 losses and a record of 4 wins and 0 losses in dual meet competition. The Whaler Swimmers have 2 home meets on their schedule this week. The NHS Swimmers will host Barnstable High School on Tuesday with a 5:30 PM scheduled start and Martha's Vineyard High School on Saturday with an 11:30 AM scheduled start.**

### NHS Boys Basketball

The NHS varsity boys basketball team played only once this week hosting rival island Martha's Vineyard on Saturday in a Cape and Islands League game. In Saturday's game the Whalers once again used pressure defense to take an early lead and cruise to their 5th straight victory by a

final score of 62 - 41. The Whalers never trailed in this one, holding leads of 14 - 7 after period 1; 33-18 at the half; 50 - 31 after period 3; before ending the game with the final score of 62 - 41.

Leading the Whaler scoring in Saturday's win were Devonte Usher (16 points), Malik Bodden (15 points), and Victor Gamberoni (10 points). Luke Brucher was once again dominant in the paint finishing with 7 points, 8 rebounds, and 4 blocked shots.

**The Whalers now have an overall record to 6 wins - 2 losses, and a Cape and Islands League record to 4 wins - 1 loss. For the coming week the Whalers are scheduled to host Saint John Paul II High School here on Thursday (5:00 PM tip-off) and then travel to the Cape on Saturday for a game with Sturgis West Public Charter School.**

## **NHS Girls Basketball**

The NHS girls basketball team played 2 games this past week, both on the road.

On Tuesday the Lady Whalers traveled to Dennis Yarmouth High School. An effective half-court press and strong shooting performance help the girls earn a 47 - 25 win in this non-league game. In Tuesday's game Malika Phillip led all scorers with a 21 point performance, while teammate Marina Caspe was close behind with 19 points.

On Saturday the Lady Whalers made the long trip to rival island Martha's Vineyard. Strong defensive pressure by the host Vineyarders gave the Lady Whalers problems from start to finish. The Whalers, who trailed 17 - 11 at the half, ended the game with only 22 points and a 31 - 22 loss. Malika Phillip had 14 of Nantucket's 22 points, followed by Marinas Caspe and Anna Steadman with 4 points each.

**The NHS girls basketball team now has an overall record of 5 wins - 3 losses, and a Cape & Islands League record of 3 wins - 2 losses. The Lady Whalers have 3 games on the schedule for this week. On Tuesday the Lady Whalers will host Falmouth Academy with a 5:00 PM start; on Friday the Lady Whalers are scheduled to travel to Saint John Paul II High School for a 4:00 PM game time; and on Saturday the Lady Whalers will host Sturgis West Public Charter School. The game time for Saturday is still to be determined.**

## **NHS Ice Hockey**

The NHS ice hockey team played their only game of the week on Saturday, traveling to North Quincy High School. In Saturday's game North Quincy got on the board quickly scoring 3 goals in the first 10 minutes of play. a Robby Hickman goal with 30 seconds remaining in the period trimmed the North Quincy lead to 3 - 1 heading to period 2. The Whalers held the score in check at 3 - 1 for the majority of period 2. A late goal gave North Quincy a 4 - 1 lead heading to the final period. In the final period Jack Gammons got the Whalers on the board again, but

North Quincy found the back of the goal 2 additional times to hand the Whalers the loss by a final score of 6 - 2.

**The Whaler Ice Hockey team currently has an overall record of 1 win, 5 losses, - 1 tie, and a Cape & Islands League record of 1 win - 2 loss. The Whalers have two games on their schedule this week. The whalers will travel to to the HYCC in Hyannis this Wednesday for a big league game with Monomoy Regional High School (4:00 PM start) and then will host Boston Latin Academy on Saturday in a non league game scheduled for a 5:15 PM start.**

**GO WHALERS !!**