

THIS WEEK AT NOTRE DAME (HOME GAMES)

# NOTRE DAME ATHLETICS

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SWIMMERS EARN COUNTY, STATE CUT TIMES; BOYS BASKETBALL DEFEATS LAPEER, KETTERING

# Friday January 28

Girls JV/VAR Basketball vs. OC 5:30/7:00

Saturday January 22

Girls JV/VAR Bowling vs. Brandon 10:00

Boys VAR Bowling vs. Brandon 10:00

VAR Hockey vs. Lakes Area 8:10

Tuesday February 1

Girls JV/VAR Basketball vs. LHNW 5:30/7:00

Wednesday February 2

VAR Wrestling Quad Meet 6:00

Thursday February 4

Girls JV/VAR Basketball vs. Dewitt 5:30/7:00



Anthony Dupuis and Pierce Marchese each picked up a state qualifying time in Notre Dame's meet with Brother Rice and FGR

# IRISH ADD TO OAKLAND COUNTY QUALIFYING LIST

After the Notre Dame Boys Varsity Swim meet against Holly on Monday was canceled due to weather conditions, the Irish were fortunate to be invited to a meet with Brother Rice and Fr. Gabriel Richard on Tuesday to earn one last chance for several swimmers to get Oakland County qualification cut times. Senior captain Anthony Dupuis qualified for the state meet and county cut with a time of 58.97 the 100 Backstroke and sophomore Pierce Marchese also qualified for the state meet in the 200 IM with a time of 2:08.02. Freshman Edziu Lis just missed the provisional county cut with a personal best time in the 50 Free at 25.35. Classmate John Louis dropped seven seconds to clock in at a personal best in the 200 Free at 2:09.52. Adding to the list of personal bests were junior Jamal Cannon, dropping seven seconds in his 50 Free and 11 in his 100 Free, while sophomore Diego Betancourt and freshmen Aaron Hall, Oliver Kugler and Hunter Pugliese all posted personal best times in the 100 Free. Coach McGreevy noted, "It was a great meet for the boys and a great opportunity to compete against other Catholic schools. The comradery between schools was palpable. I think the relaxed, friendly atmosphere helped the performance of the team. A big shout out to Brother Rice and Fr. Gabriel Richard allowing us in the meet on short notice!"

# BOYS, GIRLS TAKE THIRD IN SLALOM RACES

The Notre Dame Girls Varsity Ski team finished third among the 11 competing teams at the weekly Pine Knob SEMSL Slalom race. Sydney Schulte placed first overall, Claire Kirchner took eighth, Amanda Roth finished 23rd, and Regan Condit took 24th to factor into the scoring for the Irish. Notre Dame won head-to-head over Berkley/Troy Athens, Country Day and Stoney Creek. The Boys Varsity Ski team also placed third overall with Frank Roth (fourth), Teegan McLeod (fifth), Chase Flavin (sixth), and Nick Uhazie (18th) scoring for the Irish. Notre Dame defeated Berkley/Troy Athens, Country Day and Stoney Creek in head-to-head matches.

# BOYS BASKETBALL BESTS LAPEER ON PARENTS NIGHT

The Notre Dame Boys Varsity
Basketball team celebrated Parents
Night with a 71-60 win over Lapeer.
The Irish took a 34-31 lead into
halftime following an opening two
quarters than featured scoring runs
by both sides before pulling away in
the second half. Jack Olis led the Irish
with 32 points on the evening with
sophomores Wade Robinson and
Jacob Tuttle chipping in with 16 and
eight respectively in the victory.

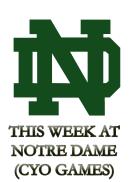
# BOYS PLACE FIRST, GIRLS FOURTH IN GS RACE

The Notre Dame Boys Varsity Ski team placed first out of 12 teams with a score of 29 in the latest Pine Knob SEMSL Giant Slalom meet. The Irish picked up head-to-head wins over Berkley/Troy Athens, Country Day and Stoney Creek in the process. Overall, the Irish took three top-10 finishes as Chase Flavin was fourth, Teegan McLeod took fifth, and Frank Roth placed ninth. CJ Studt (12th) also contributed to the scoring and Nick Uhazie earned a 16th place finish. The Girls Varsity Ski team placed fourth among 11 competing teams, also picking up head-to-head wins over Berkley/Troy Athens, Country Day and Stoney Creek. Sydney Schulte placed second overall at the meet to lead the Irish while Claire Kirchner (seventh), Amanda Roth (16th) and Eve Pocius (43rd) also factored into the scoring effort while Regan Condit took 47th.

### BOYS BASKETBALL GETS ROAD WIN OVER KETTERING

The Notre Dame Boys Varsity
Basketball team earned a convincing
70-39 win at Waterford Kettering. The
balanced Irish scoring effort was led
by Wade Robinson with 21 points. Jon
Risi and Jack Olis both finished with
14 points in the victory while Evan
Noga added 10 points.





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GIRLS BOWLING GETS WIN OVER PLYMOUTH CHRISTIAN; GIRLS 5TH GRADE BASKETBALL TOPS REFUGE

#### Satursday January 29

Girls MA 6th Basketball vs. St. Joseph 8:30

Girls MA 7/8 Basketball vs. St. Patrick 8:30

Girls MA 5th Basketball vs. St. Joseph 9:50

Boys MA 7th Basketball vs. St. Joseph 9:50

Boys MA 5th Basketball vs. St. Joseph 11:10

Boys MA 8th Basketball vs. St. Joseph 11:10

Boys MA 6th Basketball vs. St. Joseph 12:30

# GIRLS BOWLING GETS WIN OVER PLYMOUTH CHRISTIAN

The Notre Dame Girls Varsity
Bowling team defeated Plymouth
Christian 23.5-6.5. The Irish dropped
the opening baker game by two pins,
took the second baker game by a single
pin, and took totals by one pin to head
into match play up 6-4. Therese Allard
won both of her individual games,
Kaity Heaman took both of her games
with a personal best 298 series, Ella
Spender won a game, and Mia Mojares
took both of her games with a
team-high 316 series.

#### **BOYS BOWLERS FALL TO PC**

The Notre Dame Boys Varsity
Bowling team dropped a 24-6 match to
Plymouth Christian. The Irish dropped
the first baker game by eight pins, took
the second game by two pins, and
lost on totals by six pins to head to
individual games down 6-4. Anthony
Ghaith won his first game with a 173,
Marko Cvetkovic won his second
game, and Max Thornton had a high
series of the season with a 311.

#### JV SKI TEAMS COMPETE AT LATEST GS RACES

The Notre Dame Girls JV Ski team finished in second overall in its Pine Knob Giant Slalom race. Audrey Kuyoth (third), Ella Warner (fifth), Maria Nunning (sixth), and Alexis Kuyoth (12th) all scored for the Irish while Addie Mikel placed 26th. The Boys JV Ski team finished fourth with Paul Valentino (10th), Blake Banninger (14th), Zach Mylenek (tied for 22nd) and Jacob Wade (26th ) scoring for Notre Dame.

# GIRLS 5TH GRADE GETS CONVINCING WIN OVER OLR

Putting together its most complete game of the season, the Notre Dame Girls 5th Grade Basketball team posted a dominating 22-2 victory over host Our Lady of Refuge. The Irish, now 2-3-1 on the season, started slowly, but opened a 10-0 halftime advantage and continued to build their lead in the second half. Anaya Patel and Abby Zanolli led a balanced scoring attack with six points each. Addison Kushuba and Leah Dekutoski chipped in four points apiece and Jozlyn Clemens added two. Lily Buero and Ruby Upshaw provided solid interior defense and rebounding.

# GIRLS 5TH GRADE DROPS CLOSE GAME TO LAKERS

After a layoff of two weeks, the Notre Dame Girls 5th Grade Basketball team returned to the court and dropped a hard-fought 14-12 decision against host Waterford Our Lady of the Lakes. The Irish struggled to score in the first half, but outstanding defense led to a 4-4 tie at halftime. The third quarter proved decisive, as Notre Dame was outscored 6-0. A fourth-quarter rally drew the Irish to within two, but time ran out. Abby Zanolli led the Irish with six points. Addison Kushuba chipped in four and Anaya Patel added two.

# GIRLS 6TH GRADE COMEBACK FALLS SHORT AT OLL

The Notre Dame Girls 6th Grade Basketball team scored 12 fourth quarter points, but it didn't prove to be enough as they fell 26-19 to Our Lady of the Lakes. The Laker team presented a tough trapping full court press that hindered the Irish's ability to get the ball down the floor. Leading Notre Dame in rebounds and 10 points was fifth grader Saniya Tucker. Sofia Arinez contributed five points, while Emma Stieber had four. Allison Ivory recorded a handful of steals during the game while Josie Simon gave a great defensive effort holding the Lakers top scorer to just four points.

# FAST START LIFTS OLL OVER GIRLS 8TH GRADE

The Notre Dame Girls 7th-8th Grade Basketball team dropped a 36-12 decision at Our Lady of the Lakes. The Lakers came out on fire, scoring 15 first quarter points. The Irish hung tough, but were unable to overcome the initial scoring wave. Emma Stowe scored six points for Notre Dame (2-4), with Audrey Simon and Adriana Johnson adding four and two, respectively.

