Spring 2026 Recap
Roar winners Girls lacrosse GPA 4.0
Overall GPA 3.5

Baseball: This year the baseball team played a really tough central league schedule, finishing the season with a record of 10-10. We played some really good baseball at times and at other times came up just a few plays short. We had a chance to win every game with the exception of one. We lost 5 games by 1 or 2 runs where 1 or 2 plays decided the game. Our players did a really good job showing up, working hard, staying positive and always gave their best effort. We went 4-0 in non conference games which unfortunately do not count towards playoff points. We played a game in the Wilmington Blue Rocks Stadium against a top team from Delaware and beat them. It was a beautiful day and an amazing experience for our players to play at such an awesome minor league stadium. We had an amazing Spring Training Trip to Florida with 23 players in attendance. Our camp and clinic numbers continue to rise and our fundraising has increased each of the last 4 years. Our captains were Jackson Burger, Sean Grogan, Aidin Curran and Kevin Wigo. Our Award Winners: Senior Jackson Burger, All Central 2nd team Outfield, Sophomore Kevin Agger, All Central League 2nd team outfield. Jackson Burger and John Matthews are finalists for the Barrett Memorial Scholarship.

Girls track and Field:
This year girl's track had a huge season. We left indoor nationals and never skipped a beat. Justine Rimple led the way with her qualifying for districts in the 100, 200 and 400. She broke all 3 of those records. Justine was also part of the school record breaking 4x200 with Daisy Edelman, Jewel Byju and Brynn Binder becoming the first Marple relay team under 1:50. Justine continued her dominance winning the Delco champs 200 and taking 2nd in the 100. She also followed up taking 1st and 2nd place at CAL champs! The 4x800 of Jess DeMaio, Avery DeCecco, Lex Massey and Daisy Edelman broke the record that has stood for 31 years! Their 9:37.74 helped them become the first Marple 4x800 to qualify for districts ever. Avery qualified for the districts in the 1600 and 3200 as well and Jess qualified for the 800, 1600, and 3200. Jess is the first Marple distance runner ever to qualify for all of the events at Districts. Avery and Jess made 2nd team All Delco and All CAL. Justine Made first team for both! Justine finished off our season medaling 5th at district champs and competing at the State Championships at Shippensburg university. This was the most girls and events we have competed in at the district champs!

Boys track and field:
The MNHS Boy's Track & Field Team has had one of the best seasons in school history. We had great success in all our league and invitational meets. We completed the CAL regular season in fourth place with a record of 8 and 3. When added to our CAL Champs meet we finished in the top half of the league in sixth place. We recorded many school records this year including multiple new records in the District qualifying 4x1 relay by Ryan Wise, Chris Reynolds, Carmine Fante, Isaac Tran and Garrett Dhunjisha. We set a new school record in the Penn Relay medal winning 4x4 run by Nate Holt, Garrett Dhunjisha, Chris Reynolds and Alex Williams. We set a new school record in the District qualifying 4x8 of Jacob Albanese, Julian Bothma, Cole Wozniak, and Jim Murphy. Reed Pennington fresh off his Silver medal winning State Indoor medal, set a new school record in pole vault at 15 feet! Alex Williams was tops in the 400 with his Delco Gold medal, his Central League gold medal. Top in Delcos at Districts with the 7th place medal, and top in Delco at States in -8th place with his new school record run of 48.80!

Girls flag football:
Despite finishing the season with a losing record, our 2026 flag football team showed tremendous determination and resilience from start to finish. Every week, our players competed hard, never backed down from a challenge, and continued to improve as the season progressed. Several games came down to the final moments, and we were just a few plays away from earning victories in a couple of contests. Our non-league schedule was tough, playing versus some of the top teams in the area. This was a rebuilding year for our program after graduating and losing several key contributors from last season. While the wins did not come often, the experience gained, growth shown, and competitive spirit displayed by our players laid a strong foundation for the future. The team's effort, attitude, and commitment throughout the season are something everyone can be proud of, and those qualities will help drive future success. The girls are excited and looking forward to next season. Hanna Lin (DB) was 1st Team All Central, Gabby Kristo (Center) and Julian Riberio (DB)were 2nd Team All central, and Angel Nguyen (DB), Sarah McCarthy (WR), Leah Edelman (LB), Elyza Moore (LB) were Honorable Mention.

Girls lacrosse:
The varsity girl's lacrosse team ended our regular season 15-3. We started the season strong making statement wins in the central league against Garnet Valley, Ridley, and Radnor. With a tougher end of the schedule, we fell short to Springfield, Penncrest, and Conestoga.
Our post season run consisted of a first round bye due to our #5 ranking in district 1. We took on Upper Dublin in the second round; we moved on and fell short to Avon Grove in the third round. Overall, the dedication and unity this team had is something that will stick with us for a long time; we ended our season including post season 16-5.

We had many milestones along the way! Rowan Hilden hit not only 500 career saves but also ended the season, hitting 600 career saves! Riley Mattson hit 300 career points, Jonica wark hit 100 GB's, Olivia Gicking hit 100 draw controls, Amelia DiValerio hit 100 goals, and Ryan McGowan hit 100 CTs.
Amelia DiValerio, Riley Mattson, and Rowan Hilden received first team all central.
Olivia Gicking received second team all central.
Ryan McGowan, Jonica Wark, and Lizzie Murray received honorable mention for the central league.
Amelia DiValerio received USA Lacrosse All Academic
Ryan McGowan, Brynn Battersby, and Riley Mattson were honored as being a part of the PASLA All-Academic team.

Softball:
MN softball was 12-8 in the regular season. Big wins against Springfield, Conestoga and Strath Haven helped earn the 7 seed in district playoffs. The first round was a home playoff game against Unionville, and we won 9-2. We lost in the 2nd round to Springfield.
We had 6 All-Central selections.
2 for 1st team - Siena Adams, Kirsten Adams.
2 for 2nd team - Nicole Semerjian and Claire Maholick
2 for Honorable Mention - Brooklyn Basile and Alexa Nefferdorf.

Tennis:
The Boys Tennis team started off the season with a week of tryouts and challenge matches to establish a new ladder in both singles and doubles. For the first several weeks, we had cold and windy weather, not optimal for playing tennis, but the team battled hard and adjusted well to the elements. This year we had eight seniors who helped lead the team on and off the courts. Seniors Ben Edwards and Yianni Gouvias represented MNHS at the Central Athletic League singles tournament. We also had two doubles team represented at the Central Athletic League doubles tournament: Senior

Noah Saal and Sophomore Chris Lee playing doubles 1 and seniors Shane Eynard and Sean Eynard playing doubles 2.

The boys tennis team wrapped up the season with a team banquet. Games were played, awards were given out and team gifts were earned! Post season we held our third semi-annual "MN Tennis Unite" event, a joint event with the boys and girls tennis teams. We had a a day of fun competition, relays and point play.

Boys Lacrosse:
The Boys lacrosse team had a good year finishing at 14-6 and losing in the second round of the District playoffs. The success we have achieved over the past 4-5 years has opened the door for national power teams to come to Marple to compete. In addition to our normal central league schedule, we hosted perennial Ohio powerhouse Worthington Kilbourne and a very good Northern New Jersey team in St Joseph's Metuchen this year. The boys worked hard all year and although we didn't make it to the State championship as we have in each of the previous 4 years, the boys fought hard through multiple injuries to key players through the season and entered the playoffs as the #1 seed. We are very proud of these young men and what they have accomplished, especially our seniors who have participated and won 3 state championships during their 4 years here.
Player Accolades:
Evan Kostack - All American, All State, 1st team All league - broke the Programs All-Time points record
Jace Kostack - All State, 1st team All league- Moved into 2nd All time in the programs history for Assists
Brett Wolski - All State, 1st team All league - broke the Programs All-Time ground ball record
Liam Merchant - Academic All American
Henry Benner - Honorable Mention All Central