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•Demonstrate respect for opposing fans, coaches and team members.

•Realize that a ticket is a privilege to attend an athletic competition and support Jackson Academy activities, not a license to verbally assault others or be generally obnoxious.

•Good sportsmanship should be contagious.

•Self control is a virtue.

•Be an exemplary role model by positively supporting and encouraging Raider team members and their coaches. Have fun promoting our teams.

•Be a fan ..... not a fanatic!

•Make good sportsmanship a conscious priority. It is simply the right thing to do.

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Raider Nation,
We are so excited to start this 2023-2024 school year! This new role for both of us is extremely exciting and we cannot wait to watch our Raiders compete. Last year was outstanding as the Raiders brought home state championships in volleyball, golf, and girls tennis as well as runner- up finishes in girls soccer and boys tennis.

This off-season we have watched our Raiders improve daily in the weight room with the hard work of our new strength and conditioning staff, Micheal Brinson and Case Cook. The benefits of what our athletes have worked for will show up on our athletic fields and courts! We are very proud of the dedication our athletes and coaches have shown in preparation for this season. We also are excited about the new additions to our staff and the impact they will have in our programs.

In addition to coaches and athletes, many other groups and individuals play a role in the success of our athletic department. The JA Athletic Booster Club under then President Tommy Barnette, provided more than $150,000 in support for our team last year, while working behind the scenes to ensure that our game-day experience was the best in the MAIS. We are looking forward to watching this year's President, Smith Boykin and the ideas and leadership this board will bring for our programs. Our Team Mom's help our coaches provide our student athletes the experience they deserve by helping with travel, meals, communication, and moral support.

A big thank you to our Athletic Field Staff in Coach Parker Harris and Coach Tyler Parvin for working diligently to make sure JA's fields are the best in the business. We are also very grateful for our on campus facilities staff led by Stacy Taylor and our food service providers for their hard work and commitment to JA! Raider Network is the best in the business and they go above and beyond to provide coverage of all things JA!

We also wanted to thank our band, cheerleaders, Accents, Steppers, and Jazz, for the job they do supporting our teams and entertaining everyone at pep rallies and halftimes.

Our mission as an athletic department is to help each student athlete reach their God-given potential in every area of their lives. While we strive to win every time we compete, we more importantly want to produce student-athletes who are prepared to be difference makers in their communities, families, and careers. We have assembled a staff that we believe is devoted to this mission. Thank you for allowing us the opportunity to be with your student athlete. Thank you for choosing Jackson Academy, and thank you for all your support. We look forward to seeing you this year and encourage you to attend as many games, matches, and contests as possible! God Bless, and Go Raiders!

Sincerely,
Aubrey Blackwell, AD of Enrichment
Brandt Walker, AD of Operations

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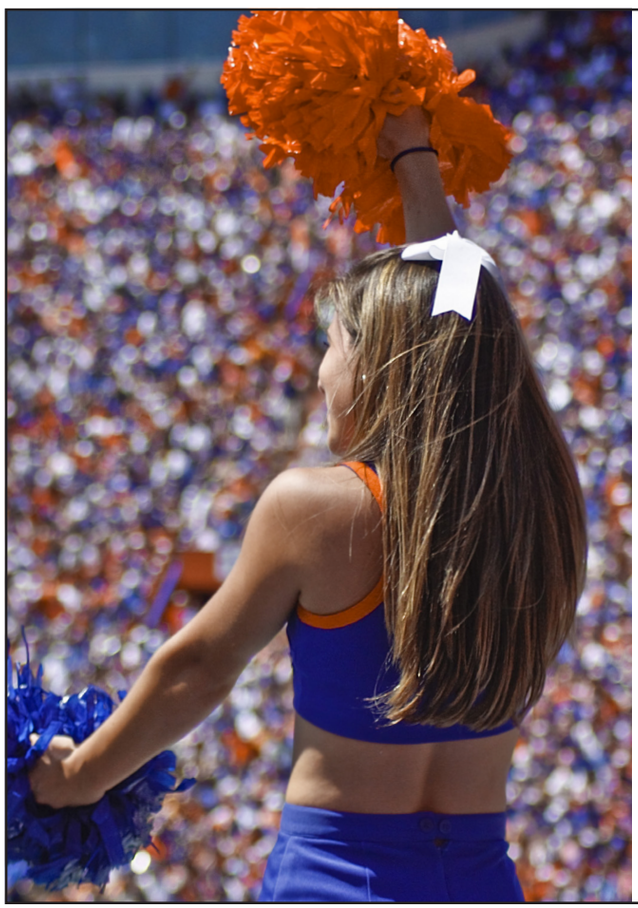

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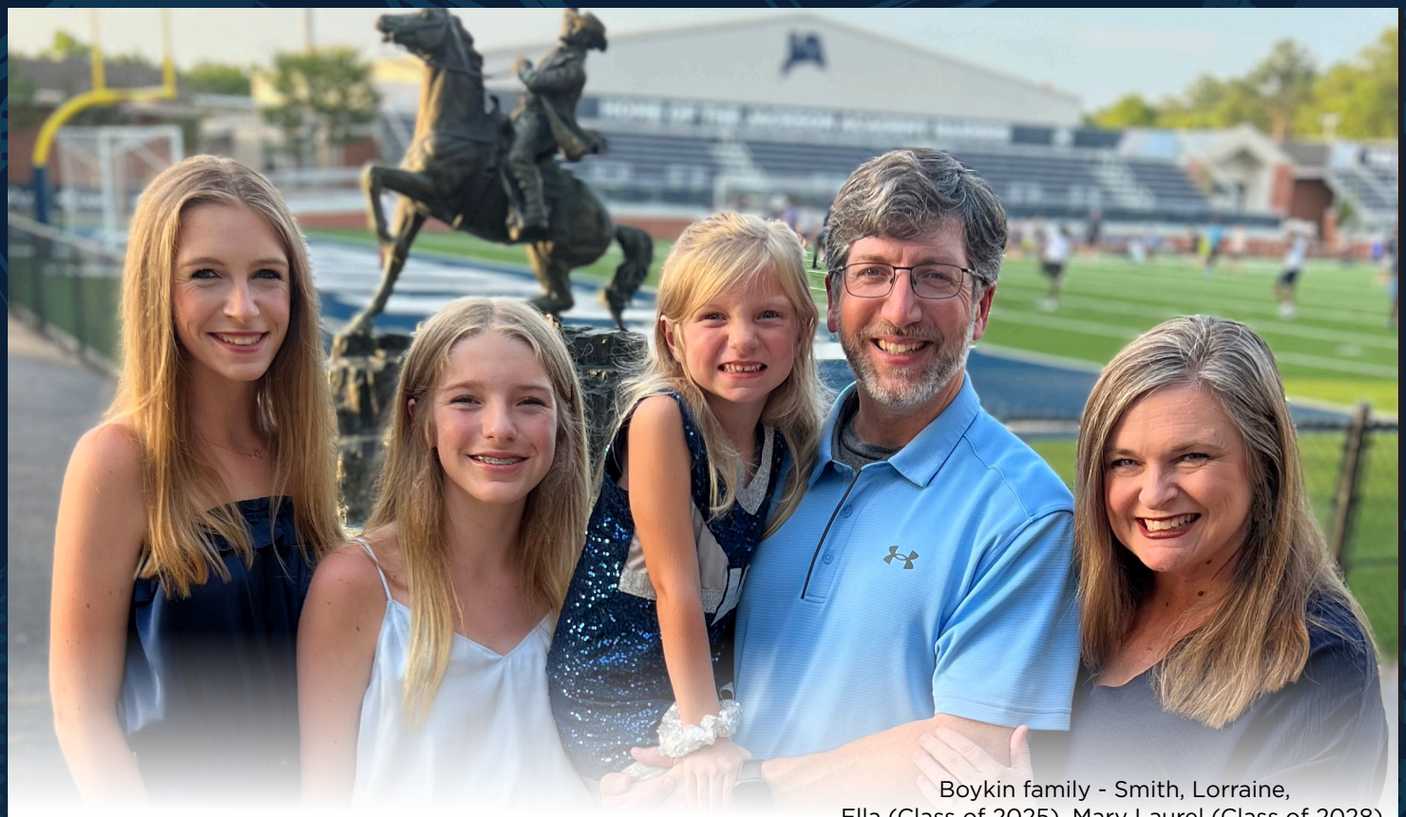

Boykin family - Smith, Lorraine,
Ella (Class of 2025), Mary Laurel (Class of 2028),
Lucy (Class of 2035)

Dear Jackson Academy Family,

The Jackson Academy Athletic Booster Club is pleased to welcome all Raiders back to the Brickyard, the Raider Dome, and Raider Park this year. Our student athletes, coaches, and administration have been hard at work preparing for the 2023-2024 season. This past year saw the Raiders earn team and/or individual State Championships in multiple sports – on top of outstanding performances from teams and student athletes throughout our Athletic Department.

We are thankful for our Athletic Directors, Aubrey Blackwell and Brandt Walker, who have been busy building – literally and figuratively – foundations for our student athletes' on-field and off-field success. The future of Raider athletics is especially bright under their shared leadership. Joining them is a roster of coaches that is second to none in this city and this state. Some are new to our school, and some are established members of the Raider family, but each stands ready to give their best to JA. We are all blessed to have such principled men and women as coaches, leaders, and mentors for our student athletes.

The Jackson Academy Athletic Booster Club is proud to play its role in JA's athletic success. The Booster Club's mission is to support and enhance the athletic-centered and extracurricular experience of all JA student athletes. In pursuit of that mission, our board and volunteers have been hard at work in planning and fundraising efforts. Already this year, we have supported athletic facility renovations, the recognition of seniors with the banners displayed at each facility, and the development of increased sponsorship opportunities for parents and businesses to provide visible support for their student athletes.

We hope you will join us this year as members and sponsors of the Booster Club. Together, we can provide a championship experience for all JA student athletes – one that celebrates their athletic victories while being mindful of the greater victory He has provided for us all.

Go Raiders!

Smith and Lorraine Boykin
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It is a great time to be a Raider!

As culture presents challenges that were unfathomable just a few years ago, JA is committed to providing a sanctuary and a culture of hope allowing us to nurture students, so our graduates continue to be difference makers in their businesses, churches, and families. Our parents, who willingly volunteer for the common goal of investing now for the dividends in the future for their children's lives. The goal of our dedicated faculty and staff is to harness our individual needs to create a collective spirit that advances the entire community.

I was recently asked "Is JA's goal to win at all costs?" My answer was absolutely not - at JA it does matter how you play the game. JA's purpose for athletics can be found in our missional promise to Raider Nation. We are absolutely committed to winning, in the context of how it helps our students learn not only in the competitive games at hand but most importantly, the game of life. It is about learning how to win, not just to win. It is learning how to lose, not losing. It is about how you play the game.

Fundamentals of a classroom or sport are exceptionally similar. Both teach content while acknowledging that the most important elements in a student's education may be the development of skills. There are times we need to teach what to think, but more often it is important to teach how to think. Hard work and fun for student athletes should not be competing elements - instead should provide an example of how our application of the JA Mission will equip our students for a life of purpose and significance.

Our new Middle School building, new K2 Program, new divisional alignment, and new leadership structure of performing arts, publicly demonstrate our preparation for a bright future. Behind the scenes we have our advancement and finance teams, committed facilities team, and incredible faculty working diligently on improvement strategies. We are looking forward to athletic success this year demonstrating the totality of our programs in all grades K2-12. We are working hard to fulfill our leadership responsibility by honoring and respecting our past, making certain excellence prevails in real time, and preparing for an even brighter future.

Please read the Athletic Code of Conduct and respect the efforts of every school to live out their mission as they see best. Please thank the Athletic Boosters for their work and be encouraging to the coaches through the inevitable ups and downs of their seasons. I encourage all of us to pause for a moment, look around, and appreciate the journey we are all on together. Let's also take time to reflect upon a verse from the Gospel of Luke: "Those to whom much has been given, much is expected." Let's ponder on this and seek alignment in all we do with what our Lord expects of us as we advance our mission centered school.

It is indeed a great time to be a Raider!

Blessings,
Palmer

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I am a **RAIDER**. I believe that the interest of the team must come first. I will give blood, sweat and tears for the team. I will compete like a champion. I will not be out-hustled. I will not make excuses. I will do the little things right on and off the field. I will not let people talk about my **RAIDER FAMILY**. I will cheer for my teammates even if I am not in the game. I expect and demand the best from my teammates. I will take pride in all I do. I will be successful.

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AUBREY BLACKWELL

Director of Athletic Enrichment, Head Varsity Football Coach, Assistant Baseball Coach

Coach Blackwell will be entering his second season at Jackson Academy, finishing the first season with a 9-4 record. This is his 9th season as a Head Football Coach, 14th as a High School football coach, and 20th year in his coaching career. Aubrey's career head coaching record is 66-30 with 3 region championships, 2 region runner-ups, and 1 AHSAA State-Runner-Up (2020). Before his 2021 season at AHSAA 6A Benjamin Russell, Aubrey had a 6-year stint in his first head coaching job at Montgomery Catholic Preparatory School, the Knights were 54-19, overcoming a 15-44 record their previous 6 years before Aubrey took over. He's helped 42 players achieve scholarships to the next level. He was named to the Robert E. Lee Hall of Fame (2019), the University of Montevallo Hall of Fame (2019), UM Alumni of the Year (2016), The AHSAA 4A Coach of the Year (2017), the Montgomery QB Club Coach of the Year (2017), the CCC Coach of the Year (2017, 2019, 2020), and Coach the AHSAA's South All-Star Team in 2018. Before Montgomery Catholic, he spent two years as the Assistant Head Coach and Offensive Coordinator at Saint James School for his mentor, Jimmy Perry. He helped the Trojans win their first region championship in school history. During his 3 years at Saint Paul's Episcopal School in Mobile, AL, the Saints won the region championship every year, as well as a Semi-Final and Quarterfinal playoff appearance. Prior to coaching high school football, Aubrey coached NCAA Division 1 and Division 2 baseball at Campbell University and the University of Montevallo for 6 seasons as the program's pitching coach. Aubrey is a graduate of the University of Montevallo (BS and MS). He met his wife of 15 years, Brandi, at the University of Montevallo where she played basketball and volleyball. Their children are Will (Class of 2029) and Kayla (Class of 2030).

JONATHAN BOLTON

Assistant Football Coach, Assistant Track Coach

Coach Bolton is entering his first season at Jackson Academy. He grew up in Purvis, Mississippi, where he attended Purvis High School and graduated in 2018. Bolton lettered in football and track, earning All-Conference honors in both his junior and senior seasons as the team's starting running back. He would go on to begin his playing career collegiately at Alcorn State University (Lorman, MS) while earning his B.A. in Sport Management. Following graduation, Bolton was accepted into the Graduate Program at Faulkner University, where he is on track to earn his Master's degree in Business (Sport and Science Management) by December 2023.

MICHAEL BRINSON

Head Strength and Conditioning Coach

Coach Brinson is entering his second season as the head strength and conditioning coach for Jackson Academy athletics. Prior to Jackson Academy, Michael served as a strength and conditioning coach for the US Army 82nd airborne division. He also spent two seasons at the University of Missouri as the associate director of football athletic performance. Before Missouri, Michael was an assistant strength coach for the Liberty University football team, the University of Kansas football team, and the Southern Miss football and track and field program. He played offensive line at Southern Miss from 2011-2014 where he received his bachelor's in exercise science and master's in sports coaching. Michael is a certified strength and conditioning coach through the NSCA. A Jackson native, Michael attended University Christian School where he played football and ran track.

PHILLIP BUFFINGTON

Head Varsity Boys Soccer Coach, Head Varsity Girls Soccer Coach, Assistant Golf Coach

Coach Buffington begins his 8th season at Jackson Academy and his fifth as the Head Boys and Girls Varsity Soccer Coach. The Lady Raiders and the Raiders finished as State Champions last year. Phillip came to JA after serving four years as Head Varsity Soccer Coach at Manchester Academy. Phillip has also been coaching for seven years at Mississippi Rush Soccer Club in addition to JA. Phillip holds a US Soccer C license as well as a USC Advanced National Coaching Diploma. Coach Buffington attended Marshall University as a freshman in 2005 and Mississippi College from 2006-2008 as a member of the soccer program for both schools. Phillip in 2009 signed a professional contract with Harrisburg City Islanders, now Penn FC of the USL PRO league. He spent two seasons at Harrisburg and one year in Australia playing soccer professionally before moving back to Jackson and starting his coaching career. He is a graduate of Jackson Prep, Jackson State University (BS), and the University of Florida (MS). Phillip is married to his wife Lauren.

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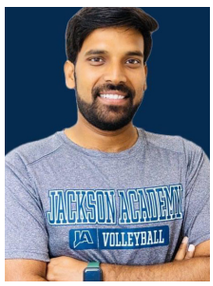
TOMMY CHAMPION

Assistant Junior High Football Coach

Coach Champion is in his second season as an assistant coach for the Raiders Junior High program. Tommy plays offensive line for the Massachusetts Pirates in the Arena Football League as well as offensive line for the D.C. Renegades in the XFL. During his off-seasons of playing, he coaches our offensive and defensive linemen for the Raiders. The 6'5" 320 lb. native of Jackson, MS, signed with the Seattle Seahawks of the National Football League in 2020 and spent that season on the team's practice squad. Champion, who graduated in 2019 with a degree in Interdisciplinary Studies, played two seasons at Mississippi State, seeing action in a total of 18 games. In 2019 he started six games as a senior. In his redshirt junior year, he allowed only one quarterback hurry and helped the Bulldogs to be second in the Southeast Conference as they averaged 223.6 rushing yards per game. They were also second in the SEC with 5.7 yards per carry. In 2017 Champion redshirted his first season at Mississippi State. He transferred to the program after playing at Copiah-Lincoln Community College in Mississippi. There he earned First-Team All-State honors.



KRISHNA CHIGURUPATI

Middle School Head Volleyball Coach

Krishna is entering his 1st year at Jackson Academy. Krishna earned his bachelor's degree in computer science from JNTU University, India in 2013. He graduated from the University of South Alabama with a master's degree in computer science in 2015. There he played in recreational leagues competing on men's and co-ed intramural teams. He moved to Flowood, MS in 2017 where he is now working as a Lead Software Developer. He is currently pursuing a Doctor of Philosophy in Computer Science at Jackson State University. He enjoys hiking, traveling, and tennis. In addition to coaching, he continues to play in indoor and beach volleyball tournaments. Krishna has 2 years of club coaching experience, 2 years of coaching beach volleyball, and currently coaches at Infinity Volleyball Academy. He is committed to helping athletes realize their greatest athletic potential and ability to skillfully help players make conscious decisions to improve their form, technique, and performance level. He is passionate about the sport and helping young athletes grow on and off the court.

BECKY CLARKE

Athletic and Middle School Administrative Assistant, Head Archery Coach

Becky is entering her 17th year at Jackson Academy. She is originally from Como, MS where she graduated from North Delta High School. She is a graduate of Belhaven University with a Bachelor of Science degree in Biology. After living in Dallas, TX for 16 years, she and her family moved back to Jackson in 2006. She has been the assistant Archery coach for 4 years and moves into the role of head coach this year. Becky and her husband Bobo have three JA alums: Rebekah (Class of 2009), Carter (Class of 2011), and Garrett (Class of 2018). She will also be welcoming a New JA Raider, her grandson, Bennett, to the new 2 year old program this year!

ANDREW CRENSHAW

Assistant Varsity Football Coach

Andrew J. Crenshaw is entering his 1st season with Jackson Academy. Prior to JA, he was the Associate Dean of Students and Coordinator at Trinity Presbyterian School located in Montgomery, Alabama. In 2022, his first season as a defensive coordinator, led the defense with an average of 13.7 points/game, 9 takeaways, 20 hurries, 18 sacks, 23 passes defended 2 defensive scores, and a total of 500 team defensive tackles for the year. In the 2021 & 2020 seasons, Coach Crenshaw was the Special Teams Coordinator and Defensive Backs Coach.

Prior to Trinity Presbyterian, Andrew served as a speed and agility trainer at Parisi Speed School located in Montgomery, AL. During the 2019 season, Coach Crenshaw was under former head coach, Bill Clark, at the University of Alabama at Birmingham, Andrew served as the assistant to the special teams coordinator. Before arriving at UAB, Andrew had a brief stint under Caleb Ross at Prattville High School, mentoring eventual Alabama Football Signee Ian Jackson. Andrew started his coaching career in 2013 as a men's and women's basketball coach at Byne Christian School located in Albany, Georgia. The following year, 2014 he served under Rush Propst, as a defensive backs coach at Colquitt County High School located in Moultrie, Georgia. He helped the team post a 15-0 record, finishing #6 in the country as well as winning the Georgia 6A State Championship. The following 2 years Andrew was tutored under Jimbo Fisher and Charles Kelly as a secondary defensive analyst at Florida State University (2015-2016). In 2017-2018, Andrew coached at Faulkner University, leading and coaching the secondary which entails 3 different position groups (cornerback, safety, and nickel).

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CASE COOK

Assistant Strength and Conditioning Coach, Assistant Junior High Football Coach

Coach Cook grew up in Clem, Georgia, and attended Carrollton High School. Cook is a certified strength and conditioning specialist and has completed a Bachelor's degree in Agricultural and Educational Leadership at the University of Missouri. There, Cook was a four-year starter on the Offensive Line. He was SEC Player of the Week in 2020 and Preseason All-SEC in 2021. Cook was also an SEC Leadership Council representative. He spent a brief amount of time with the Kansas City Chiefs. Before joining JA, he spent time with the strength and conditioning staff at the University of Missouri and the University of Wyoming.

DOCK DANIEL

Assistant Football Coach

Dock is a native of Mt. Carmel, Illinois. He played football, wrestled, and ran track while in high school. He attended Lambuth University in Jackson, TN where he was a four-year starter and earned multiple-year all-conference honors playing linebacker. He played professional football in Seinajoki, Finland, and earned all-Maple League defensive player of the year 1996. He spent 20 years in public schools teaching and coaching football, wrestling, cross country, and powerlifting. In his respective schools, he was awarded Teacher of The Year in 2009, 2011, and 2016. He has a master's degree from Jackson State University in Kinesiology, a Specialist degree in Education Administration and Leadership from Delta State University, and held a National Board Certification in Physical Education. He retired from teaching and is now CEO and owner of Orangetheory Fitness Jackson and Madison along with his wife Kelsey. Dock is excited about volunteering as a Linebacker coach and being a member of the JA football staff and family. He hopes to be as awesome as Coach Hodge, as cool as Coach Downes, and have an upper back as large as Coach Brinson one day. Dock and his wife Kelsey have two Children: Fagan (Class of 2024), and McHarg (Class of 2026).

MELISSA DENSON

Head Volleyball Coach

Melissa is beginning her 6th year at Jackson Academy. A native of Clinton, Mississippi, she attended and graduated from Clinton High School in 2007. Denson graduated from Mississippi College in 2012 and was a member of the Lady Choctaw Volleyball Team. Following her undergraduate degree, she obtained her master's degree in Secondary Education. Denson served as an assistant coach and head coach at Clinton High School for 7 years. In 2018 she led the Lady Raiders to the state championship where they finished runner-up. In 2019 she helped the Lady Raiders to the winningest season in school history (43-3) and a state championship. Denson led the Raiders to MAIS State Championships in 2019, 2020, 2021, and 2022. She was named MAIS Division 1 Coach of the Year 2019, 2020, 2021, and 2022. In 2022 she received the AVCA Region IV Coach of the Year. She coached in the very first MAIS All-Star Volleyball game in the Raider Dome in 2022. Denson has coached the Mississippi Volleyball Gatorade Player of the Year for the last 4 years. She worked for USA Volleyball through the High-Performance Pipeline from 2017-2019. She currently coaches club for Infinity Volleyball Academy and is the Recruiting Coordinator for the club. Melissa works in the upper school science department where she teaches Biology II, Kinesiology, and Human Anatomy and Physiology. She is married to Joshua Denson.

BRYAN EUBANK

Sports Information Director, Voice of The Raider Network

Bryan is a native of Jackson, MS, and a 1997 graduate of Mississippi College where his passion for radio began. He got his start in sports broadcasting in 1998, and in 2000-2001, he finally found his way home to JA and began calling JA Basketball and Baseball. In the 2001-2002 school year, he added football to the mix and has been calling all three ever since. He did have a brief hiatus from JA Baseball, from 2005-2007, to be the inaugural Voice of The Mississippi Braves, but realized his love for high school sports and his family outweighed the fun of Minor League Baseball. Bryan is in his fourth year as the Sports Information Director at JA. Bryan and his wife Cyndi (JA Class of 1992) have three children; Gracie (Class of 2020), Lila (Class of 2023), and Bryan Jr. (Class of 2024).

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MEET THE STAFF

TOMMY FERRILL

Assistant Varsity Football Coach, Assistant Track Coach

Coach Ferrill is in his third season at Jackson Academy and his 18th year coaching. Tommy came to JA after serving one year as the Head Coach at Germantown (TN) High School. Before his time at Germantown HS, Coach Ferrill served as an assistant coach at Horn Lake High School for five years, Biloxi High School for four years, and East Mississippi Community College for five years. Coach Ferrill won the 2018 MS 6A Football State Championship at Horn Lake and the 2009 MACJC State Championship and Mississippi Bowl at East Mississippi Community College. Tommy and his wife Amanda have three kids – Roman, Lucia, and Thomas.

KASEY FILLINGAME

Assistant Softball Coach, Assistant Baseball Coach

Coach Fillingame is beginning his first year at Jackson Academy. Prior to that, he served as a Graduate Assistant and a Volunteer Assistant Coach at Alcorn State University. While he was there he oversaw both pitchers and catchers. Before Kasey began his coaching career he played 5 seasons at Alcorn where he received a Bachelor's degree in Sport Management and a Master's Degree in Athletic Administration and Coaching. He is from Pearl, MS, and attended Park Place Christian Academy.

BRITTANY FORD

Assistant JV and Varsity Girls Basketball Coach, Assistant Softball Coach, Head Girls Track Coach

Brittany Ford is from Irvington, Alabama where she attended Faith Academy in Mobile, Al. Ford was a multi-sport athlete throughout High School and College. She attended Lurleen. B Wallace CC and Belhaven University. Ford was a starter all years of high school and college. She led her High School team to a 5a State Championship alongside 2 now-professional basketball players. She also was a part of the 5a State runner-up team for the Rams softball team. She has degrees in Psychology and counseling from Belhaven University. Ford was nominated to the all-ASC conference team for 2018 and 2019. She has been nominated player of the week multiple times throughout her career at Belhaven University. Brittany is entering her third year of coaching at Jackson Academy where she will be working with basketball, softball, and track teams.

PARKER HARRIS

Head Varsity Baseball Coach, Head 5th and 6th Grade Football Coach

Coach Harris is in his 15th year at Jackson Academy and 23rd year overall. Parker has served in several coaching roles while at JA. While at JA, Parker has been a part of 4 state championships teams and 2 others at prior schools. He is a member of the American Baseball Coaches Association and the Mississippi Baseball Coaches Association. He coached JA first ever Baseball Gatorade Player of The Year. Parker came to JA after serving 2 years as Athletic Director and Varsity Head Football Coach at University Christian School. Parker also was the Head Baseball coach at Heritage, Oak Hill Academy, and Washington School. He is a graduate of Lamar School in Meridian and Mississippi State University. Parker was a member of the Meridian Community College Baseball team that advanced to play in the JUCO D1 World Series. Parker and his wife Laura have one son, Lofton (Class of 2025).

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SHAY HODGE

Assistant Varsity Football Coach, Assistant Track Coach

Shay Hodge begins his second season at Jackson Academy. Hodge is a graduate of Morton High School where he was a standout in football and basketball. He went on to set numerous school records in both sports landing him into the Scott County Hall Of Fame in 2020. Hodge went on to play football at Ole Miss rewriting the wide receiver record books over his 4 years. He became the school's first 1,000-yard receiver also setting the single-season record for yards and career yards in his final season. He finished up his career as a 1st team All SEC and Honorable Mention All-American. Hodge finished his playing career in the NFL playing for the Washington Redskins and Cincinnati Bengals for 2 years. Hodge is entering his 6th year of coaching after most recently serving as the Head Coach at Hillcrest Christian School. During his time there, he helped break their 29-game losing streak. Before his time at Hillcrest, Hodge served as the Offensive Coordinator at Provine High School from 2018-2019. Prior to Provine, Hodge was at his alma mater, Morton High School, serving as the wide receiver coach for two years 2014-2016 helping them to a district championship. Coach Hodge recently spent time as a performance trainer, "Hodge Performance", where he has trained the last 3 #1 players in the state. He has trained and mentored several highly-ranked athletes across the state of Mississippi. He has helped over 75 athletes earn college scholarships. Hodge also serves as the owner for Mesh Academy, a training/development organization for high school, collegiate, and professional athletes. Shay has four children: Jamari, Maiya, Brayden, and Trey who is expected in August with his Fiancé Theresa Nguyen.

BRAXTON JAMES

Certified Athletic Trainer

Braxton James begins his first year with Jackson Academy and Performance Therapy. He's been a Certified Athletic Trainer for 9 years, with Magnolia Rehabilitation out of West Point, MS, and most recently with The University of Mississippi Medical Center out of Jackson, MS. He has covered a wide variety of schools in Mississippi such as Tri-County Academy, Park Place Christian Academy, Oak Hill Academy and Lanier High School. Braxton graduated from Greene County High School in 2009, where he played 3 years of varsity football and soccer. After graduation, he attended Jones College Junior College as a student manager for the football team. Upon the end of the Spring semester of 2011, Braxton transferred to Delta State University to complete his Bachelor of Science Degree in Athletic Training in 2014. Braxton is married to his beautiful wife, Alyssa, and they have one child, Carson, who is 4 years old.

MARY REBECCA JEFFRIES

Head Tennis Coach

Mary Rebecca Jeffries is beginning her 3rd year at Jackson Academy. In her first 2 years as Jackson Academy's head tennis coach, she led the Lady Raiders to back-to-back state championships and the boys to 2 consecutive runner-up finishes.

Coach Jeffries is a USPTA-certified tennis professional.. She graduated from Jackson Academy in 2001 and went on to attend the University of Missouri on a full tennis scholarship. She graduated in 2005 with a degree in history. She returned home and began instructing under Robert Russell at the Country Club of Jackson. After 5 years she partnered with Emilia Viljoen to create Stay N Play tennis, a program developed to introduce tennis to 10 and under players through after-school programs and summer camps. From there she went to work with Robert Russell at The Club at the Township and helped develop their junior program for the past 7 years. Mary Rebecca and her husband Matt Jeffries have a son Denman (Class of 2033), who attends Jackson Academy, and John Charles who is 1 and a Raider on the rise!

CHAD LESSARD

Head Boy's Track Coach, Assistant Junior High Football Coach

Coach Lessard is entering his 6th year with the JA family after spending the previous two years at Porters Chapel Academy and the two prior years at Brookhaven Academy. Coach Lessard teaches eighth-grade Algebra I and Honors Algebra I. He serves as an Assistant Jr. High Football coach. Coach Lessard is a 2008 graduate of Ocean Springs High School. He obtained his degree in sports coaching with a mathematics minor from the University of Southern Mississippi. During Coach Lessard's time at Porters Chapel, he held multiple coaching positions including Head Boys Varsity and Jr. High Basketball., Head Junior High Football Coach, and defensive coordinator for the varsity football team. While at Brookhaven Academy, Coach Lessard also helped coach girls basketball, head junior high football, assistant high school football, head golf, and track. Coach Lessard is married and has a son, Tanner (Class of 2036), and a daughter, Kinsley(Class of 2038). His wife, Rebecca, is a registered nurse practitioner. He is excited about his sixth year at JA as a Raider.

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TYLER PARVIN

Assistant Baseball Coach and Head Softball Coach

Coach Parvin is beginning his fifth season at Jackson Academy and his 10th year coaching. Tyler came to JA after serving 4 years as Head Baseball Coach and Assistant Softball Coach at Brookhaven Academy. Coach Parvin won two Baseball State Championships at Brookhaven Academy. He is a graduate of Brookhaven Academy and Mississippi State University. Tyler and his wife K.T. have been married for four years and have a son, Brooks (Class of 2037).

BRIAN PETTWAY

Head Junior High Baseball Coach

Coach Pettway is returning for his second season as the Head Baseball Coach for our junior high baseball program. His Raider Baseball Team is coming off of a 15-7 2023 campaign. Brian was named an All-American on the Ole Miss baseball program in 2005 and was awarded the Boo Ferris Award. Named to the M-Club's Hall of Fame in 2019 and touted as one of the best UM outfielders of all time. Brian was drafted by the Toronto Blue Jays in 2005 in the 3rd Round. Coach Pettway also coaches and trains with the Mississippi Yankees. Brian is married to Leanne for 16 years and they have two children, Colton (12) and Briley Kate (14).

BRANDON RICHARDSON

Director of Intramural Athletics, Varsity Boys and Girls Soccer Assistant Coach, JV Girls Soccer Head Coach

Coach Richardson is in his second year at JA after spending 13 years in education in Mobile, AL. He attended Baker High School in Mobile where he lettered in football and soccer. He won a state title in club soccer his junior year with Mobile Soccer Club and was an All-County selection his senior year for Baker. He began his coaching career at the age of 16 coaching soccer at the local YMCA and has coached middle school, high school, and club soccer in Mobile since then. Coach Richardson graduated from the University of South Alabama in 2008 and began his coaching career at Murphy High School as a Varsity Boys assistant and JV Boys head coach. In 2009, he helped lead Murphy to the Elite 8 in 7A in the AHSAA. In 2010 Coach Richardson took a job as Athletic Director and Dean of Students at Covenant, a K-8 private school in Mobile. He worked there for 7 years as an administrator and teacher, while also coaching their basketball, football, and soccer teams. In 2017, Coach Richardson joined Cottage Hill as Assistant Athletic Director, Dean of Students, and Varsity Boys and Girls head soccer coach. In 2019 he led the Lady Warriors to a school record in wins and to the AHSAA 1A-3A Final 4. Coach Richardson was recognized as Mobile and Baldwin County 1A-3A Coach of the Year in 2019. In 2020, He led the Lady Warriors to a 12-2 record and a #2 state ranking before the Covid-19 pandemic cut the season short. Coach Richardson was Director of YDL (Youth Development League) Sports from 2017-2020. YDL is composed of public and private schools in Mobile and Baldwin County and offers school sports for grades K5-6. Coach Richardson is currently in the M.A.T. Program at Belhaven University. He has been married to his wife Brandi for 10 years and they have one daughter, Maggie Roe (Class of 2036).

DANNY ROBERTSON

Head JV Boys Basketball Coach, Assistant Varsity Boys Basketball Coach

Coach Robertson begins his 8th year at Jackson Academy and 36th year overall. Robertson enters his 2nd season as Head JV boys and assistant varsity boys basketball coach. Last year, Robertson led the JV boy's basketball to a 22-0 State championship season. Prior to becoming the JV coach at JA, Coach Robertson was a head varsity boys coach at Durant HS, Durant, MS, for 9 years and an assistant boys and girls basketball coach at Holmes CC, Goodman, MS, for 1 year. His Durant basketball teams played in 3 state championships, winning two. They also won 5 South State championships and were District champs 8 times. Danny came to JA after serving 5 years as Offensive Line Coach at South Panola High School, additionally, he was the Head Football Coach at Holmes Community College and Durant High School. As a Linebacker, Robertson was a member of the Ole Miss football team from 1978 to 1982. He coached as a graduate assistant at Ole Miss and tight ends coach at Louisiana Tech for two seasons. Danny is a graduate of Durant High School, the University of Mississippi.(B.S.; M.Ed), and Louisiana Tech University (M.S). Coach Robertson and his wife Bronwyn have two sons, Tanner (Class of 2019) and Brister (Class of 2024).

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RONNIE ROGERS

Junior High, 7th & 8th Grade Girls Basketball Head Coach, Varsity Girls Basketball Assistant Coach, Varsity Tennis Assistant Coach

Coach Rogers begins his 20th year at Jackson Academy. He served as Boys Varsity Assistant Basketball Coach and Head Jr. High Boys Basketball Coach from 2000-2002. He also coached the Jr. High Girls' Basketball team during the 2001-2002 season. Rogers served as Varsity Tennis Assistant Coach from 2000-2002, winning State Championships both in 2001 and 2002. Returning to JA in 2006, Coach Rogers now serves as the Head Jr.High Girls Basketball Coach and Varsity Girls Assistant Basketball Coach. The varsity team won back-to-back Overall State Champions in 2016 and 2017. The Varsity Girls basketball teams won 5 out of 6 State Championships from 2016 and 2021 compiling a conference record of 58-2 during this stretch. His 2016-17 Jr. High team won the AAAA-North State Championship compiling a record of 26-1. The 2017-18 team was the AAAA Division Championship and finished runner-up in the conference tournament. The 2019-20, 2020-2021, and 2021-22 Jr. High teams made it to the finals of the Jr High Tournament. The 2022-23 team won the State AAAAAA tournament with a convincing win over Jackson Prep. Coach Rogers also serves as the Varsity Tennis Assistant Coach and heads the Developmental Program of JA Tennis. Coach Rogers is a graduate of Starkville High School, Mississippi State University, and Reformed Theological Seminary. He has also coached at First Presbyterian Day School, Manchester Academy, and East Rankin Academy.

JACKIE SMITH

Assistant Varsity Football Coach, Assistant Archery Coach

Jackie is entering his 12th year teaching (14th coaching) & his 2nd at Jackson Academy. Prior to Jackson Academy, Jackie worked under Coach Aubrey Blackwell at both Benjamin Russell High School (2021) & Montgomery Catholic Preparatory School (2020). Prior to those stops, he spent 8 seasons coaching for Prattville High School (2012-2019). Smith also coached for Wetumpka High School (2011) & Montgomery Academy (2010). Smith has experience coaching both wide receivers & offensive line. He has made two appearances in AHSAA State Championship games as a coach (2014-7A & 2020-3A). Smith played collegiately for Huntingdon College from 2006-2009, where he was a three-year starter & member of the first Huntingdon team to make the NCAA Playoffs (2009). Prior to playing for Huntingdon, Smith graduated from Edgewood Academy, where he lettered in both football & baseball. Jackie has his B.A. in Coaching Education (2010) & Physical Education (2012) from Huntingdon College, as well as his Master's in Sport and Fitness Management from Troy University (2016). Jackie's wife, Kayla, is the Head Volleyball Coach for Madison Central High School in Madison, MS.

AMANDA SMITHERS

Assistant Volleyball Coach

Coach Smithers begins her 11th year at Jackson Academy and her third year on the coaching staff. She teaches geometry, advanced math, and AP physics 1 in the upper school, and is the assistant middle school volleyball coach. She also coaches the 11s team at Infinity Volleyball Academy in Ridgeland. Amanda is a graduate of Millsaps College, Belhaven University, and Mississippi College. She was also a starting member of the state championship-winning volleyball team at All Saints Episcopal School in Tyler, Texas for four years.

JAN SOJOURNER

Head Varsity Girls Basketball Coach

Coach Sojourner is beginning her 39th year at Jackson Academy and she recently became the third coach in Mississippi history to achieve 1,000 wins. Coach Sojourner is a native of Crystal Springs, Mississippi. She graduated from Copiah Academy in 1971 and received her B.S. degree from Mississippi College in 1975. At MC she played on the runner-up national championship team. She began her coaching career at Canton Academy in 1976 serving as the head basketball and track coach for five years. From there she went to Brandon High School for three years. From 1985-1986 she did postgraduate work at Auburn University serving as a graduate assistant for the Auburn women's basketball program. In 1986 Coach Sojourner began her stint at Jackson Academy. During her 35-plus years, her teams have won 6 MAIS Overall State Championships, 10 MAIS State Championships, and 11 MAIS District Championships. Her teams have won almost 1,000 games. She has been named the Clarion-Ledger Metro Coach of the Year three times and Clarion-Ledger State Coach of the Year twice. Coach Sojourner was inducted into the first class of the MAIS Sports Hall of Fame in 2002. A highlight in her career came on December 10th, 2022 when Jackson Academy graciously dedicated the basketball court at the Raider Dome in her name.

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MEGAN BROWN SULLIVAN

Head Junior Varsity Volleyball Coach

Megan is in her second year as a member of the JA coaching staff. She graduated from Madison Central High School in 2013 and then attended Mississippi College where she graduated with her bachelor's in education in 2018. She married her husband, Jonathan Sullivan, in 2020, and they live in Phoenix, MS with their four dogs. She has been coaching volleyball for 7 years at the club and school levels. She spent one year as an assistant at Madison Central before taking the head coaching job at Clinton High School. In 2019, they won the MHSAA 6A State Championship, and she was named "2019-2020 State Coach of the Year" by the National Federation of State High Schools Coaches Association. She assisted Coach Melissa Denson during the 2022 season where they won the MAIS 6A State Championship. She currently coaches the 12 OPEN team at Infinity Volleyball Academy and acts as the director of IVBA.

JESSE TAYLOR

Head Varsity Boys Basketball Coach

Coach Taylor begins his fifth year at Jackson Academy, his second year as Head Varsity Boys Basketball Coach. In his first season, he led the Raiders to a 22-10 record. After graduating from The McCallie School in Chattanooga, Tennessee, Jesse attended Cleveland State Community College where he played basketball for two years. He then attended Mississippi College where he was a two-year starter and team captain for the Choctaws and led the conference in three-point percentage during that time. Jesse graduated from Mississippi College in 2013 with a major in Psychology and a minor in Business Administration. He is currently pursuing an M.A. in Pastoral Counseling from Liberty University School of Divinity. Coach Taylor is married to the former Laura Carroll and they have two sons, Jesse Jr. (Class of 2035) and Jack Taylor (Class of 2040).

ROB TRIPLETT

Head JV Football Football Coach, Head Golf Coach

Coach Triplett begins his 11th year at Jackson Academy, his second year as the Head Junior High Football Coach, and his sixth year as Head Golf Coach. Rob has been a part of a 68-12 record as a member of the JV Football staff and went 6-2 in his first campaign as head coach. In golf, he helped capture a State Championship in 2015, 2021, and 2023. He attended Jackson Prep, Mississippi State University, and Jackson State University. Coach Triplett is married to Sandra, who is the director of the Preschool at Jackson Academy. They also have a daughter, Elizabeth who is in K4.

BRANDT WALKER

Director of Athletic Operations

Coach Walker begins his 7th year at Jackson Academy as the Associate Athletic Director. While at JA Coach Walker has coached football, track, and cross country. Brandt comes to JA after 10 years at Jackson Prep where he coached football, and track and taught World History and Mississippi History. He received the Coach of the Year award in Track and Field for 2013, 2015, 2016, and 2017. Brandt also coached at Copiah Academy and Simpson Academy. He is a graduate of Simpson Academy and the University of Southern Mississippi. Brandt and his wife Jennifer have one daughter, Mary Hampton (Class of 2024).

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SPECIAL AWARDS

RAY HIGGINS AND BUBBA COX AWARDS

The Ray Higgins and Bubba Cox Awards are presented to a 10th, 11th, or 12th grade girl and boy who excel in at least 2 sanctioned sports and maintain a high grade point average through the 3rd term of the year. The Ray Higgins award winner is Camille Towery and the winner of the Bubba Cox Award is Thomas Antici.

SCOTT BRANNING MEMORIAL SCHOLARSHIP

The Scott Branning Scholarship was established in Scott's memory in 2012 by his friends, the Branning family, and the entire Jackson Academy community. A 1994 graduate of JA, Coach Branning returned and worked in several capacities including as a teacher and coach until January of 2012. Scott loved challenging and encouraging each of his students and players. This scholarship is awarded to a rising sophomore, junior, or senior who displays the following qualities: Love for JA, respect for others, and a tenacity in dealing with the circumstances of life. Scott's parents Carol and Keith served JA for many years, Keith as Assistant Headmaster and Upper School Dean and Carol as a middle school History teacher. This year's winner is Kate Frost.

THE SHERARD SHAW MATHEMATICS AWARD

Merritt Nations is the recipient of the Sherard Shaw Award. The Math Department commemorates Coach Shaw's dedication to excellence both as a teacher and as a coach. The Sherard Shaw Award is given to an athlete of exceptional character who also excels in mathematics.

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SENIOR LOVE

Wishing the class of 2024 limitless success!

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We Love Our Raiders!

Love Your Senior Cheerleaders
Kendall, Addison, Liles, Reese, Farrah, Vivian, Isa, Abby, Abbi, Sophie

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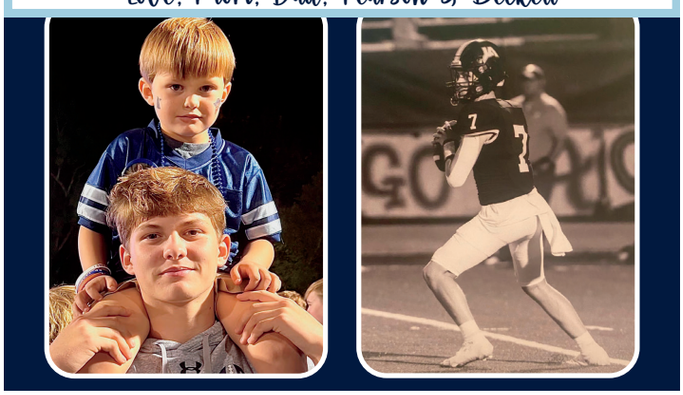
Cheering for you is one of our greatest joys!
Enjoy you senior year!!
Love, Mom, Dad, Pearson & Beckett



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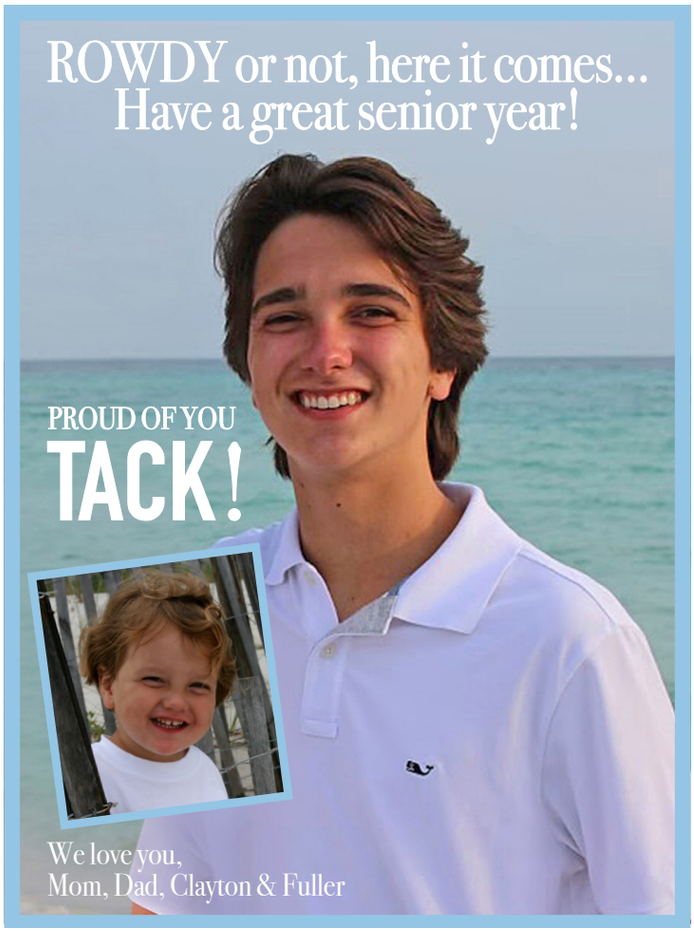

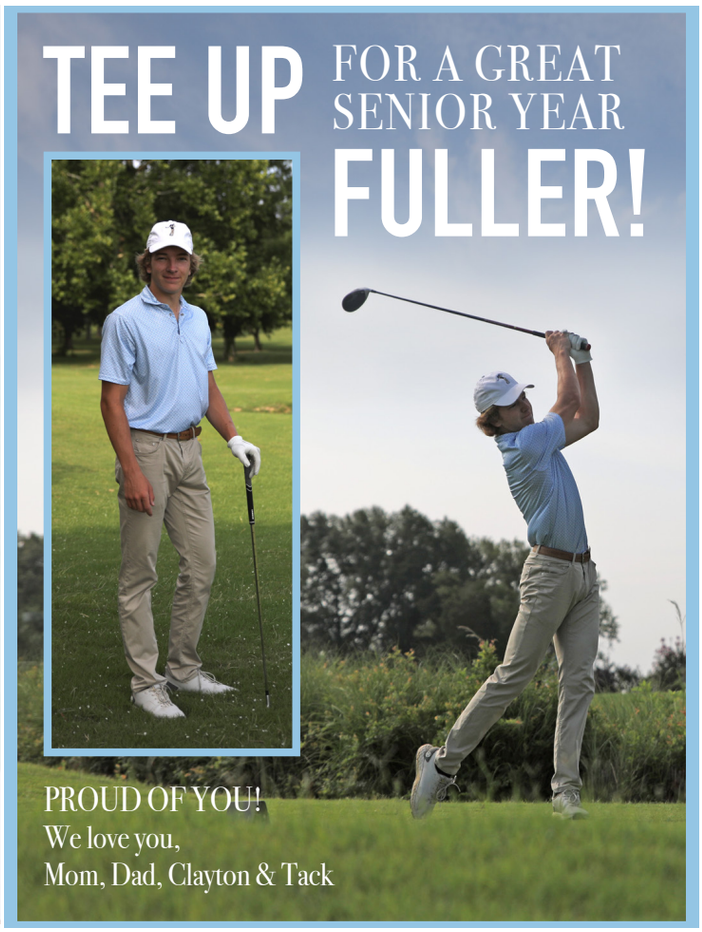

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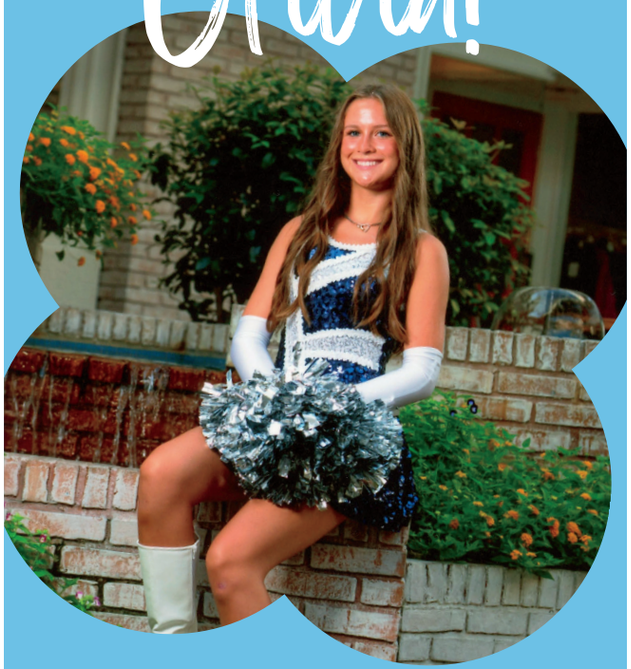

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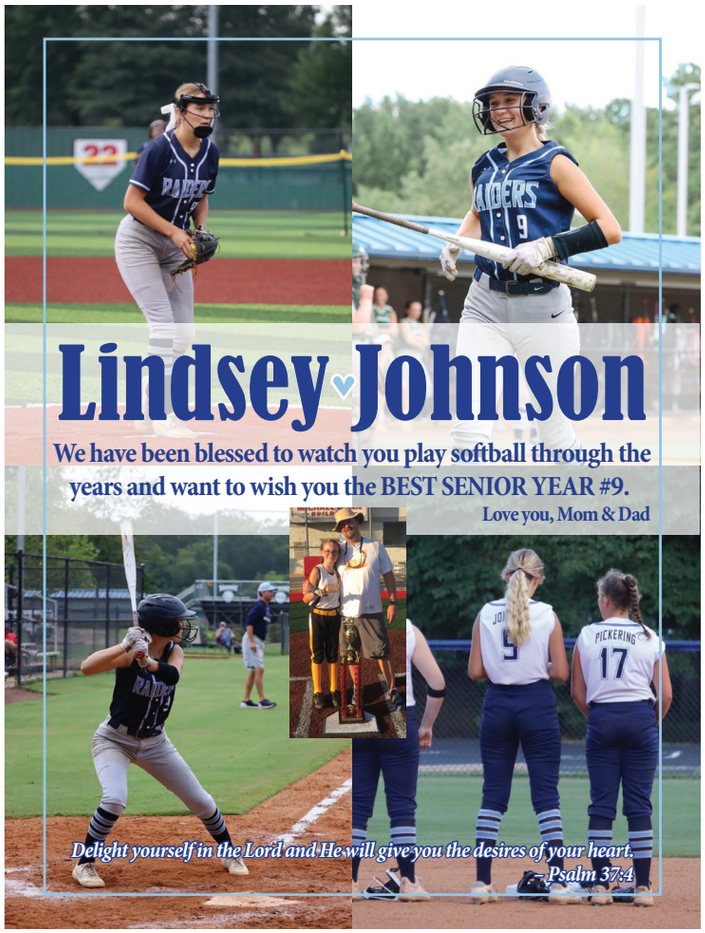
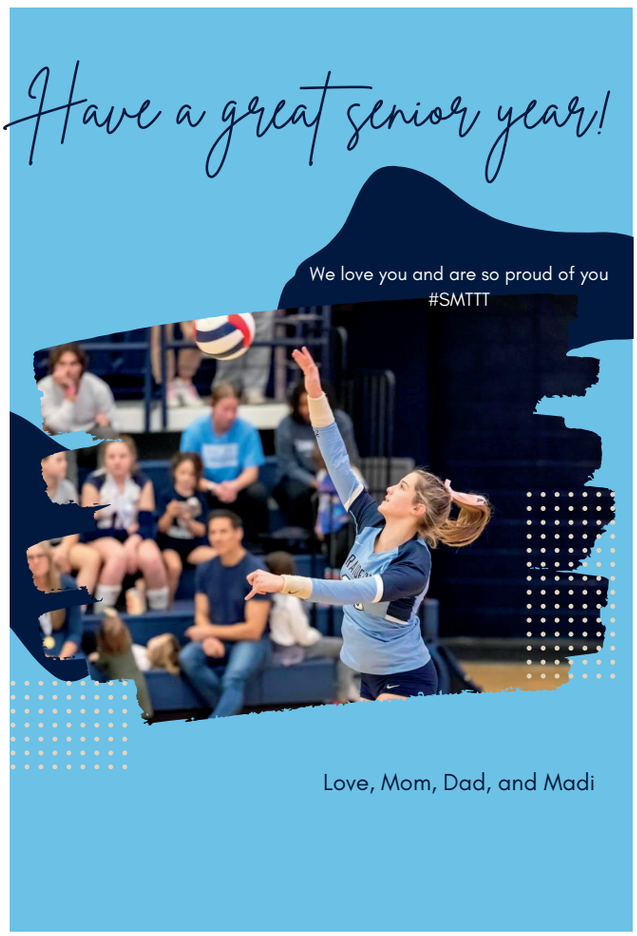
Mom, Dad, Edwin, and Sam





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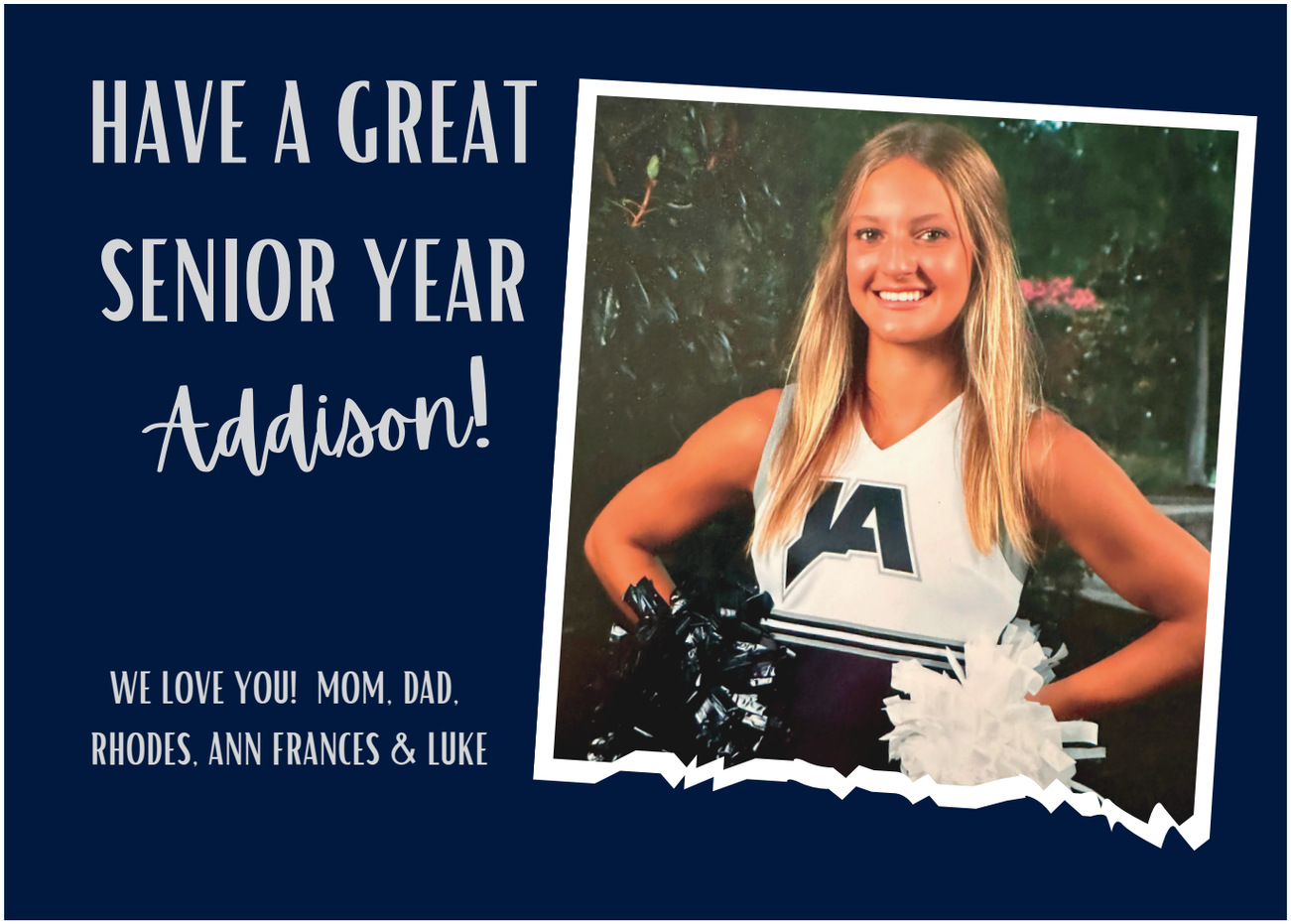

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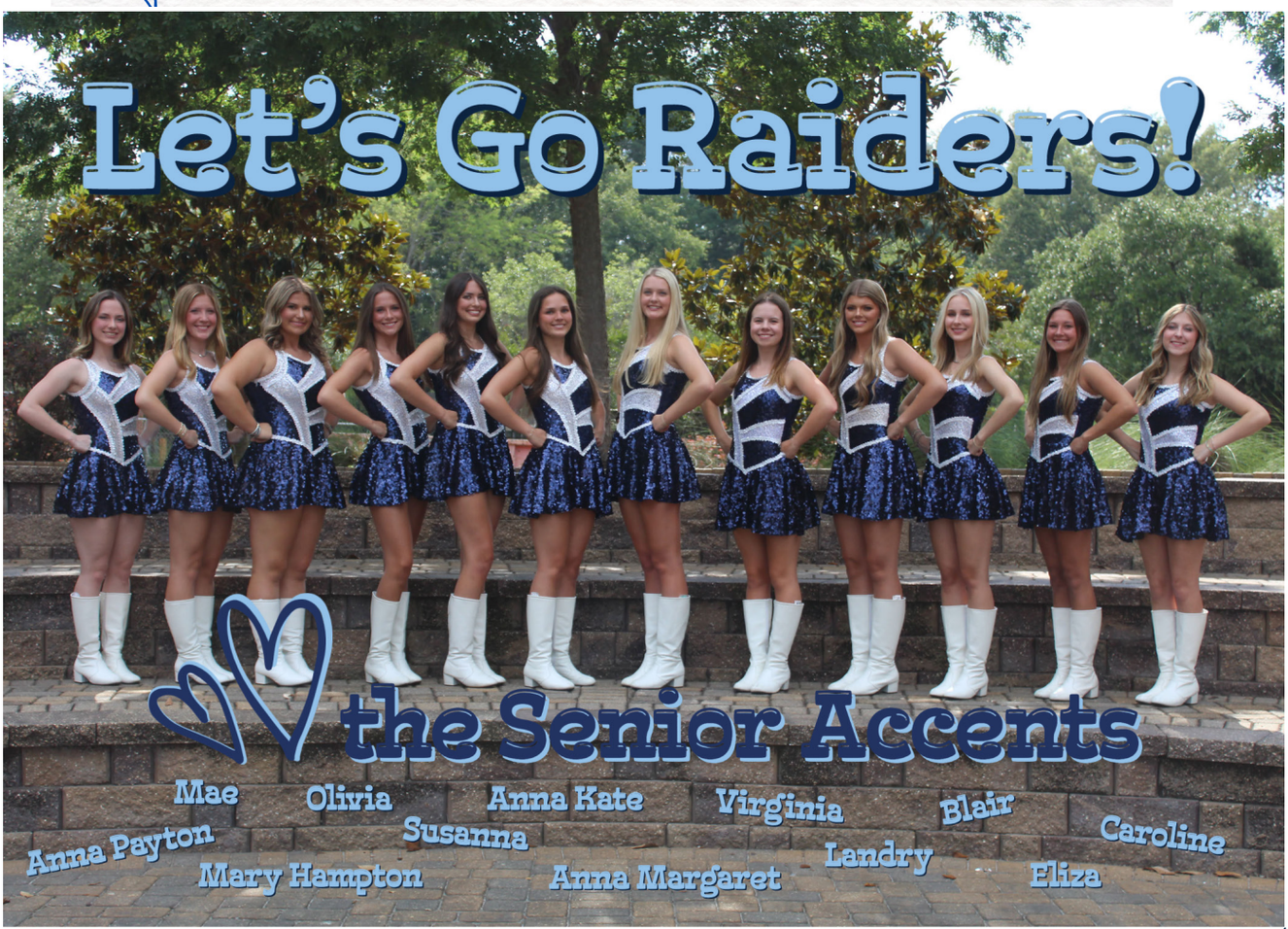

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HAPPY SENIOR YEAR, Blair!

We are so proud of you!

Love Mom, Dad, Grandma, Grandpa, Paps, Mamaw, Uncle Scott, Aunt Brooke and Georgia

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Wishing
You the best
Senior Year!

We love you,
Mom, Dad, and Alix

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We are so proud of you.
Have a fantastic Senior year!

Love Mom, Dad, Russell, Mike, Janet and Mimi

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SENIOR YEAR, FISHER
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WE PRAY YOU HAVE AN AMAZING
Senior **SEASON! ALWAYS REMEMBER**
YOU'RE YOUR ONLY COMPETITION!

LOVE YOUR PARENTS & SIBLINGS!

GO RUNNING AND JUMPING INTO YOUR SENIOR SEASON, RETT STRINGER
GET AFTER IT AND ENJOY EVERY MINUTE!!!
GO RAIDERS '24

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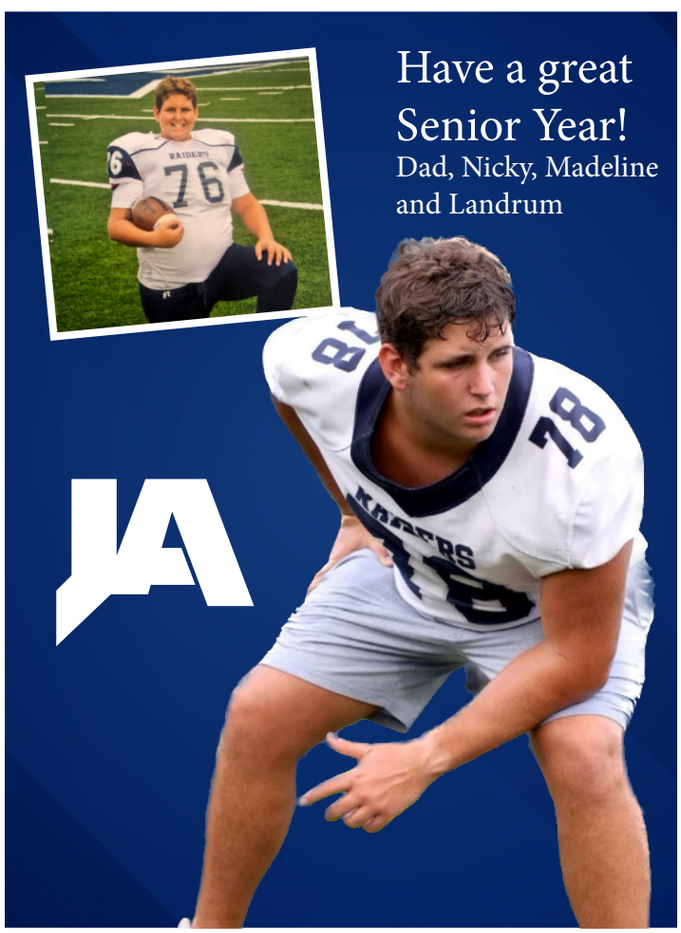

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CJ Banks

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May you be PROUD of
The Work you have done,
The Person you are and
The Difference you have made.

Have a Great Senior Year!
Love,
Dad, Mom and JJ

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Hope you have a great senior year!

Mom, Dad, Drake, Carson, and Wilson

Have a great

SENIOR YEAR AND ENJOY THE RIDE!

Love, Dad, Mom, Riley, Eli, Matt and Eme

HAVE A FANTASTIC SENIOR YEAR, THOMAS! WE LOVE YOU.

Mom, Dad, Charlie and Elle

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Mary Hampton

Enjoy every minute of your SENIOR YEAR!! Keep SMILING and chasing your DREAMS!

We are always cheering for you and love you tons!

Mom & Dad

Mary Hampton

From K3 to Senior Year, Always a Raider!

We love you so much,

Meme, Pops, Uncle Marney, Aunt DeShea, Kade, Kolt & Lucy, Aunt Kara, Uncle Brad, Walker, Vallie & Maeley

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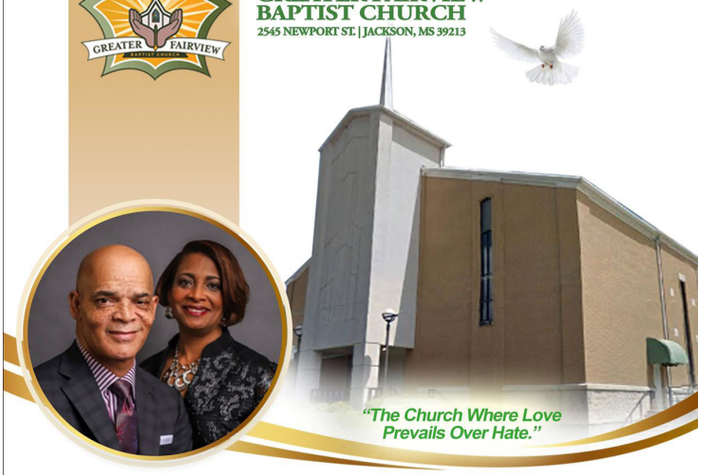

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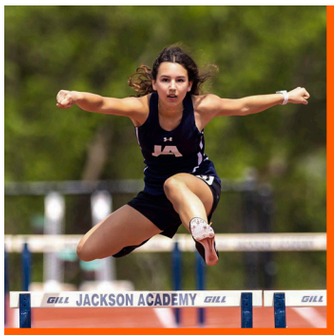

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Second Row, L to R: Matt Thomas, John Thomas, Joshua Brown, TJ White, Baird Kennedy, Ford Childress, Bo Barbour, Josh Dockins, Nick Spratlin, Kingston Mays

Third Row, L to R: Tripp Mosal, Camp Blunschi, Yates Elfert, Rhodes Robinson, Morris Griner, Connor Hillman, Chris Navari, Hiser Funderburg, El-Amin Bashir

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Fourth Row, L to R: Jack Seward, Maurib Abdul-Tawwab, Jacob Scarbrough, Coby Palmer, Parker Halford, Qasim Abdul-Tawwab, Newell Eatherly, Keller Maurer, Ben Watson, Adonis Terry

Back Row, L to R: Jack Skipper, Preston Perkins, Shamarye Lee, Kriston Edwards, Anthony Walker, Luke New, Nicholas Harris

Not pictured: Carter Mathison, Pruet James, Dereon Albert

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2023 VARSITY FOOTBALL

#	Last	First	HT	WT	Pos.	Grade
1	Watkins	DJ	6’	175	DB/WR	11
2	Ellis	Omarean	6’	198	RB	11
3	Banks	CJ	5’9’’	161	DB/WR	12
4	Terry	Kiandre	6’1’’	167	WR	12
5	Parker	AJ	5’10’’	190	LB/RB	11
6	Daniel	Fagan	6’	194	LB	12
7	Robertson	Brister	6’	175	WR	12
8	Archie	Colby	6’2’’	192	OLB	12
9	Meacham	Foster	6’1’’	172	DB	11
10	Greer	Maddox	6’2’’	197	LB/QB	12
11	Thomas	Matt	5’11’’	176	LB/TE	11
12	Thomas	John	5’11’’	166	WR/DB	11
13	Brown	Joshua	6’1’’	215	OLB	12
14	White	TJ	6’3’’	208	LB / WR	10
15	Kennedy	Baird	6’	169	WR/ DB	10
16	Mathison	Carter	6’	177	QB	10
17	Childress	Ford	6’1’’	210	TE/K/P	12
18	Barbour	Bo	6’1’’	162	WR	12
19	James	Pruet	6’	141	QB	9
20	Dockins	Josh	5’8”	140	DB	11
21	Spratlin	Nick	5’8”	143	DB	11
22	Mays	Kingston	5’8’’	157	RB	9
23	Mosal	Tripp	5’11’’	154	DB	11
24	Blunschi	Camp	5’9’’	185	LB	10
25	Elfert	Yates	5’9”	156	DB	10
26	Robinson	Rhodes	5’11’’	155	DB/K	11
27	Griner	Morris	5’7”	158	TE	10
28	Hillman	Connor	5’9”	159	WR	10
29	Navari	Chris	5’9’’	192	LB	11
31	Funderburg	Hiser	6’	226	DL	12
32	Bashir	El-Amin	5’10”	170	LB	10
33	Seward	Jack	5’8”	157	LB	10
38	Abdul-Tawwab	Muarib	5’9”	149	DB	10
40	Scarbrough	Jacob	5’10”	185	LB/K	11
42	Palmer	Coby	5’10”	190	DL	10
44	Halford	Parker	6’3”	197	DL/LB	11
48	Abdul-Tawwab	Qasim	6’3”	225	DL	12
50	Albert	Dereon	6’2”	295	OL/DL	10
55	Eatherly	Newell	6’2”	237	OL/DL	12
57	Maurer	Kellen	5’9”	244	OL	12
58	Watson	Ben	6’	242	OL	12
59	Terry	Adonis	5’7”	254	OL/DL	11
62	Skipper	Jack	6’1”	161	OL	10
65	Perkins	Preston	5’11”	188	OL	10
67	Lee	Shamarye	6’2”	249	OL	11
75	Edwards	Kriston	6’1’’	355	DL/OL	11
76	Walker	Anthony	6’4’’	271	OL	12
77	New	Luke	6’1”	272	OL	10
99	Harris	Nicholas	5’9’’	240	DL/FB/P	12

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Second Row, L to R: Caleb Levy, Jed Rodden, Pearson Greer, Riley Flechas, Hampton Blanks, George Decker, Randy Cooper, Kirkland Hudson, Eli Elinski, Mikhaden Peters, Austin Clark, Gus Summers
Third Row, L to R: Houston Warren, Aiden Jackson, Perry James, Herrin Goodman, Henry Bennett, Joseph New, Will Blackwell, Bryson Burns, Haley Barbour, Hayes Keith, Triston Donovan, Rett Robinson

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Fourth Row, L to R: Wells Jeffcoat, Slates Veazey, Brandon Parker, James Spencer Ellis, Drew Edwards, Clay Chustz, Breeland Belton, Wrigzell Lewis, Terrance Williams, Caden Clay, Daulton Lynskey, Alex Rosamond
Fifth Row, L to R: Colton Ogden, Hudson Bailey, Gavin Lomax, Reid Miller, Roderic Rhodes, Grant Taylor, Alexander Weems, Preston Gough, Thomas Davis, Tripp Sullivan, Caden Callison
Back Row, L to R: Colton Pettway, Knox Seward, Griff Williams, Josh Hubbard, Caden Moss, PJ Evans, William Stimley-Brown, Lambdin Young, Perry Allen, Camden Smith, Massey Rodden, Aiden Franklin

Not Pictured: Drew Gay, Stone Haraway

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#	Name	Grade	Position
1	Ashton Blackmon	9th	RB/LB
2	Pruet James	9th	QB/DB
3	Vaiden Taylor	9th	WR/DL
4	Liam Spratlin	9th	WR/DB
6	McNeil Meacham	9th	WR/DB
7	JaMarrion Jackson	9th	RB/DB
8	James Ogden	9th	RB/LB
9	Keigon Lowery	9th	WR/LB
10	Parker Orr	9th	WR/DB
12	Tristan Watkins	9th	WR/DB
13	Peyton Smith	8th	QB/DB
14	Barron Mosal	9th	WR/LB
15	Caleb Levy	9th	WR/DB
16	Jed Rodden	8th	RB/LB
17	Pearson Greer	8th	WR/LB
19	Riley Flechas	9th	WR/DB
20	Hampton Blanks	8th	WR/DB
21	George Decker	8th	WR/DB
22	Randy Cooper	9th	WR/DB
23	Kirkland Hudson	8th	RB/LB
24	Eli Elinski	8th	WR/DB
25	Mikhaden Peters	9th	WR/DB
26	Austin Clark	8th	RB/LB
27	Stone Haraway	8th	WR/DB
28	Gus Summers	8th	WR/LB
29	Houston Warren	8th	WR/DB
30	Aiden Jackson	8th	WR/DB
31	Perry James	7th	WR/DB
32	Herrin Goodman	8th	WR/DB
33	Henry Bennett	7th	WR/DB
34	Joseph New	7th	WR/RB/LB
35	Will Blackwell	7th	QB/LB
36	Bryson Burns	7th	QB/LB
37	Haley Barbour	7th	RB/DB
38	Hayes Keith	7th	WR/DB
39	Triston Donovan	7th	WR/DB
40	Rett Robinson	9th	K
41	Wells Jeffcoat	8th	WR/LB
42	Slates Veazey	8th	WR/DB
43	Brandon Parker	8th	HB/DL
44	James Spencer Ellis	9th	RB/LB
45	Drew Edwards	7th	HB/DL
46	Clay Chustz	7th	HB/DL
47	Breeland Belton	7th	WR/DB
48	Wrigzell Lewis	7th	QB/DB
49	Terrance Williams	9th	RB
50	Caden Clay	9th	OL/DL
51	Daulton Lynskey	7th	OL/DL
52	Alex Rosamond	7th	OL/DL
53	Colton Ogden	7th	OL/DL
54	Hudson Bailey	8th	OL/DL
55	Gavin Lomax	8th	OL/DL
56	Reid Miller	8th	OL/DL
57	Roderic Rhodes	7th	OL/DL
58	Grant Taylor	8th	OL/DL
60	Drew Gay	8th	OL/DL
62	Alexander Weems	8th	OL/DL
63	Preston Gough	7th	OL/DL
64	Thomas Davis	7th	OL/DL
67	Tripp Sullivan	8th	OL/DL
70	Caden Callison	8th	OL/DL
71	Colton Pettway	7th	OL/DL
72	Knox Seward	7th	OL/DL
74	Griff Williams	8th	OL/DL
75	Josh Hubbard	7th	OL/DL
77	Caden Moss	9th	OL/DL
79	PJ Evans	8th	OL/DL
81	William Stimley-Brown	7th	WR/DB
82	Lambdin Young	7th	WR/DB
83	Perry Allen	7th	WR/DB
84	Camden Smith	7th	WR/DB
85	Massey Rodden	7th	WR/DB
86	Aiden Franklin	7th	WR/DB

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SOFTBALL ROSTER

#	Name	Position	Grade	26	Chesley Quinn	INF, C	9
9	Lindsey Johnson	INF, P	12	10	Eden Hill	OF	9
19	Anna Payton Parker	C	12	38	Mary Laurel Boykin	INF	8
15	Reese Hill	INF	12	2	Anna Phillips	OF	8
25	Vivien Stevens	OF	12	13	Savanna Chandler	INF	7
16	Logan Rohman	INF, P	11	5	Jane Helen Jones	C	7
21	Ella Boykin	OF	11	42	Ann Marie Penick	INF	7
23	Anne Campbell Lake	INF	11	29	Gabriella Lomax	OF	7
12	Emmely Johnson	OF	11	3	Anders Quinn	INF, P	7
1	Meri Feiler Silverman	INF	11	4	Erica Buckley	INF	7
20	Abbie Cliburn	OF	11	18	Emma Shay	INF, OF	7
6	Ella King	INF	10	17	Londyn Williams	INF	7
22	Dallys Alexander	OF	10	7	Kayla Blackwell	INF, OF, P	6
3	Sara Kate Long	OF	10	28	Mackenzie Silverman	C, OF	6
8	Avery Pickering	INF	9				

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2023 LADY RAIDERS JUNIOR VARSITY SOCCER

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Second Row, L to R: Hayden Warren, Channing Harrell, Neely Usry, Lexie Tripoli, Ansley Williams, London Mabry, Savannah Peters

Back Row, L to R: Lucy Bonvillain, KK Lutken, Ava Harwell, Vivi Taylor, Kate Samuels, Ella Abide, Vivi Antonaros

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LADY RAIDERS VARSITY SOCCER ROSTER

#	Last	First	Height	Position	Grade
1	Boyll	Kate	5”1	Center mid	10
2	Ueltschey	Anderson	5’5	Wing	11
3	Brewer	Madi	5’2	Outside back	10
5	Maurer	Mylee	5’9	Center back	9
8	Kobs	Avery	5’5	Forward or Wing	12
11	Griffin	Harper	5’7	Midfield	12
12	Scott	Izzy	5’8	Midfield	10
13	Roberson	Natalie	5’5	Midfielder	10
14	Salvo	Olivia	5’4	Winger/Outside back	10
15	Pickering	Avery	5’4	Forward	9
16	Burger	Logan	5’3	Midfield/Forward	11
18	Simpson	Harkins	5’7	Wing	10
19	Hosey	Emae	5’6	Outside back	10
24	Reedy	Natalie	5’6	Defender	10
25	Barbour	Ebbie	5’6	Center back/Outside back	10
29	Russell	Isabel	5’4	GK	9
29	Carmichael	Gracelyn	5’9	Center back	10
27	Alexander	Dallys	5’2	Outside Back	10
26	Adams	Rosemary	5’4	Center back/Outside back	10
6	Decker	Leta	5’6	Outside back	11
20	New	Mary	5’6	Midfield	9
10	Miller	DeDe	5’6	Midfield	11
27	Bonvillain	Lucy	5’1	GK	6
23	Antonaros	Ava	5’10	GK/Striker	12
4	Wier	Caroline	5’4	Center Mid	10
21	Edmonson	Aubrey	5’4	Forward	11
7	Adkins	Anna	5’2	Defender	11
9	King	Ella	5’8	Midfielder	10
22	Quin	Caroline	5’3	Outside Back/GK	10

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LADY RAIDERS JUNIOR VARSITY SOCCER ROSTER

#	Last	First	Height	Position	Grade
1	Samuels	Kate	4’11’’	Midfield	6
2	Williams	Ansley	4’8”	Midfield	7
3	Antonaros	Vivianna	5’5”	Defender	6
4	Harrell	Channing	5’1”	Midfielder	7
5	Usry	Neely Catherine	5’	Defender	7
8	Taylor	Vivi	5’4”	D/MF	6
9	Tripoli	Lexi	5’6”	GK	8
10	Davis	Brennan	5’3”	Forward	7
11	Akins	Sloane	5’	F/MF	7
12	Maley	Brennan	4’10”	Midfielder	7
14	Johnston	Margaret	5’	Defender	7
15	Lutken	Kinlee	5’1”	Defender	8
16	Harwell	Ava	4’11”	Defender	6
20	Peters	Savannah	4’10”	Midfielder	6
22	Abide	Ella	5’	Forward/Midfielder	8
23	Warren	Hayden	5’1”	Forward/Midfielder	7
27	Bonvillain	Lucy	5’1”	GK/Midfielder	6
29	Russell	Isa	5’5”	GK/Forward	8
40	Mabry	London	5’1”	Midfielder/Defender	7
68	Garrard	Macy	5’5”	Midfielder/Forward	9
75	Chapman	Audrey	5’4”	Defender/Midfielder	9

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2023 JUNIOR VARSITY BOYS SOCCER

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Second Row, L to R: Tanner Ueltschey, Stone Haraway, Camden Smith, Kirkland Hudson, Drew Hederman, Andrew Baquie, Preston Gough

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2023 JUNIOR VARSITY VOLLEYBALL

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2023 MIDDLE SCHOOL VOLLEYBALL

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Second Row, L to R: Lila Easley, Charlotte Upchurch, Jules Towery, Kayla Blackwell, Berkleigh Akins, Josie Sosa, Emma Pollack, Margaret Johnson

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MIDDLE SCHOOL VOLLEYBALL ROSTER

#	Last	First	Position	Grade
1	Akins	Berkleigh	OPP	8
11	Walker	Carolina	MB/Pin	8
5	Upchurch	Charlotte	DS	8
8	Morris	Chloe	MB	8
33	Bronzi	Claudette	Libero	8
6	Pollack	Emma	S	8
2	Sosa	Josie	OH	8
14	Easley	Lila	OH	8
4	Akins	Sloane	DS/Pin	7
7	Williams	Ella	MB	7
9	Lomax	Gabriella	MB/OPP	7
16	Miller	Macy	OPP/DS	7
18	Warren	Stella	OH	7
17	Johnston	Margaret	Pin	7
15	McDonald	Kyndal	MB/Pin	7
3	Antonaros	Vivi	S/OPP	6
27	Blackwell	Kayla	OH	6
19	Markow	Elizabeth	DS/Pin	6
13	Towery	Jules	S/Pin	6

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VARSITY VOLLEYBALL ROSTER

#	Last	First	Position	Grade
1	Ellis	Meghan	OPP/MB	12
2	Sosa	Sophie	MB	11
3	Antonaros	Ava	OH	12
4	Sutton	Evey	DS	10
6	Craft	Anna Holladay	DS/LIB	9
8	Ray	Madilyn	OPP	12
9	McManus	Ava	MB	11
11	Griffin	Harper	S	12
13	Moulder	Sarah Breyden	OH/OPP	11
14	Brooks	Mallory	DS	12
16	Williamson	Sadie	RS	10
20	Ables	Kinsley	MB	8
22	Hariel	Keira	S	10
23	Rodrigue	Madelyn	OH	9
28	Dennis	Brooke	DS	11
32	Caraway	Carson	OH	9
33	Lowther	Kaylee	LIB	12

JUNIOR VARSITY VOLLEYBALL ROSTER

#	Last	First	Height	Position	Grade
4	Sutton	Evey	5'3"	DS/L	10
5	Graham	Pheobe	5'3"	DS/L	9
6	Craft	Anna Holladay	5'6"	DS/L	9
12	Buchanan	Avery	5'9"	MB	9
15	Ray	Meridith	5'7"	DS/L	9
16	Williamson	Sadie	5'8"	OPP	10
17	Robinson	Lucy	5'8"	OPP/MB	9
18	Henson	Lillie	5'6"	S/OPP	8
19	Yung	Sarah	5'6"	OH/S	9
20	Ables	Kinsley	6'1"	MB	8
21	Horn	Darby	5'7"	S/OPP	9
23	Rodrigue	Madelyn	5'7"	OH	9
27	Gault	Katherine	5'8	OH/OPP	10
30	Miller	Kendall	5'8"	MB/OPP	10

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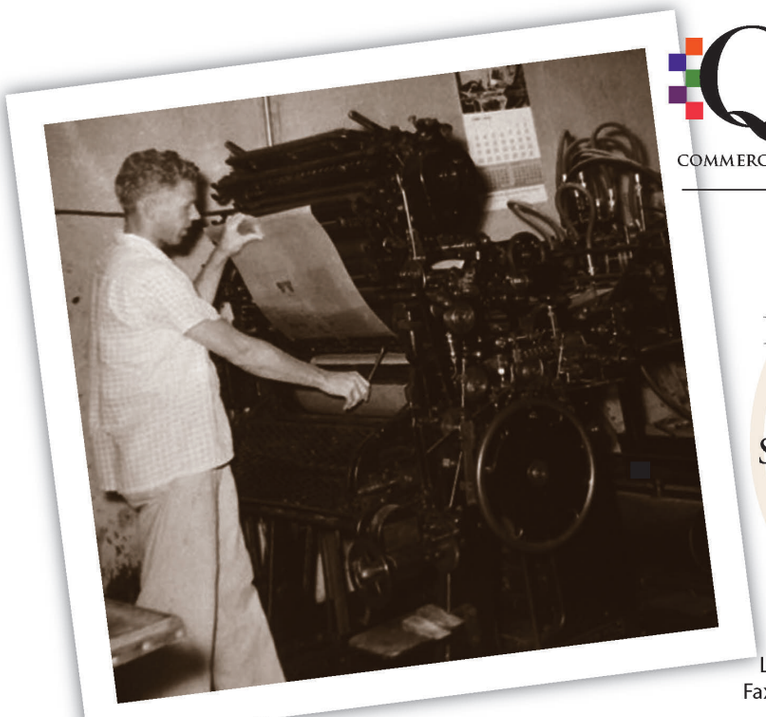

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Back Row, L to R: Nick Rula, Henry Hadden, McNeil Haraway, Law Stanley, Alex Patterson, Walter Towery

CROSS COUNTRY ROSTER

Natalia Elmore	10th	Jules Towery	6th
Ella Boykin	11th	Macy Garrard	9th
Mary Laurel Boykin	8th	Lewis Garrard	6th
Reagan Kelly	9th	Mamie Fortenberry	6th
Julia Berman	11th	Alex Patterson	10th
Nick Rula	9th	Lynnzee Stapleton	11th
Luke Vollor	6th	James Chapman	11th
Justina Visgarra	10th	Cole Caraway	6th
McHarg Daniel	10th	Henry Hadden	11th
Harry Thomas	7th	McNeil Haraway	11th
Walter Towery	9th	Law Stanley	11th
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Dudley Stancill	6th		

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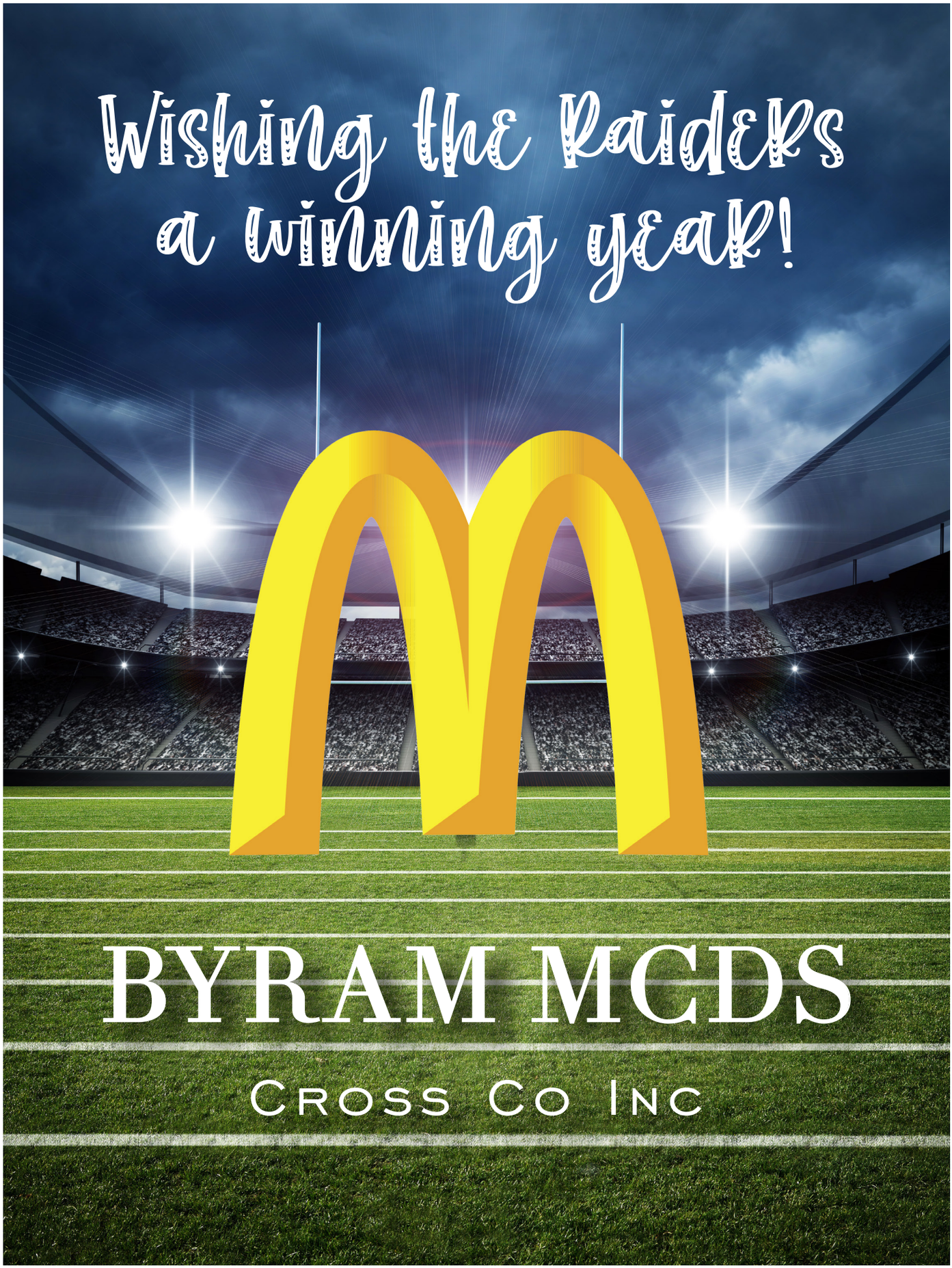

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2023-24 JUNIOR VARSITY GIRLS BASKETBALL

Macy Garrard, Avery Pickering, Sara Yung, Rhodes Tatum, Avery Buchanan, Mylee Maurer, Allie Shay, Sarah Kathryn Williams, Lila Easley, Avery Malouf

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GIRLS BASKETBALL ROSTERS

VARSITY

Last	First	HT	Pos.	Grade
Griffin	Harper	5’7	G/F	12
Hawkins	Eliza	5’3	G	12
Cornelius	Kirsten	5’11	C	11
Dennis	Brooke	5’5	G/F	11
Edmonson	Aubrey	5’5	G	11
Kelly	D.J.	5’11	F	11
Shoemaker	Belle	5’8	F	11
Wicks	Faith	5’7	G	11
Barbour	Ebbie	5’6	F	10
Carmichael	Gracelyn	5’11	F	10
Chambers	Aubrey	5’7	G	10
Dehmer	Rimes	5’2	F	10
Rhymes	Jayden	5’4	G	10
Simpson	Harkins	5’8	G	10
Thomas	Lila	5’7	G	10
King	Ella	5’7	G	10

JUNIOR VARSITY

Last	First	HT	Pos.	Grade
Buchanan	Avery	5’10	F	9
Pickering	Avery	5’5	G	9
Dier	Addie	5’8	F	9
Mauer	Mylie	5’11	F	9
Tatum	Rhodes	5’8	G	9
Shay	Allie	5’8	F	9
Williams	Sarah Katherine	5’7	G	9
Garrar	Macy	5’6	G	9
Yung	Sarah	5’5	PG	9
Malouf	Avery	5’6	G	8
Easley	Lila	5’5	G	8

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Front Row, L to R: Cade Finseth, Marcus Goodloe, Riley Edwards, Caleb Gaitor, Carter Mathison, Schyler Chambers, DJ Washington

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2023-24 JUNIOR VARSITY BOYS BASKETBALL

Front Row, L to R: Cooper Griffin, Caleb Levy, Terrance Williams, McNeil Meacham, Walter Towery, Coleman Edmonson

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BOYS BASKETBALL ROSTERS

VARSITY

#	Last	First	HT	Pos.	Grade
1	Washington	Dj	6’2”	G	10
2	Goodloe	Marcus	5’10”	G	10
3	Banks	Cj	5’9”	G	12
4	Gaitor	Caleb	5’10”	G	11
11	Mathison	Carter	6’0”	G	10
12	Finseth	Cade	6’0”	G	10
13	Hassell	Crew	5’10”	G	10
14	Robertson	Brister	6’0”	G	12
15	White	Theron	6’3”	G/F	10
21	Brown	Josh	6’0”	G	12
22	Waldrop	Fisher	6’3”	G	12
23	Chambers	Schyler	6’0”	G	11
24	Halford	Parker	6’3”	F	11
25	Davis	Kendell	6’1”	F	11
31	Taylor	Preston	5’10”	G	10
32	Cam	Walker	6’0”	F	10
35	Moss	Caden	6’5”	F	9

JUNIOR VARSITY

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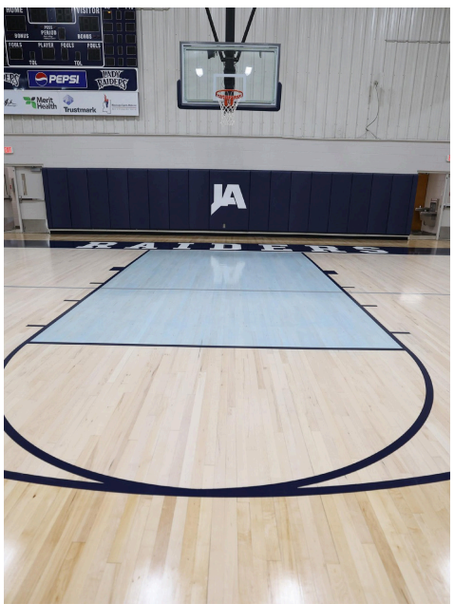

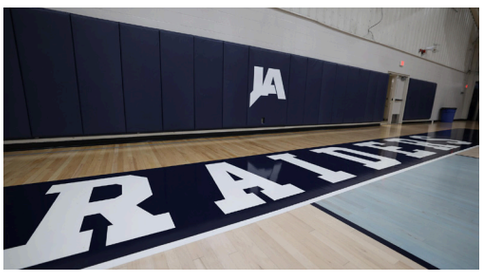

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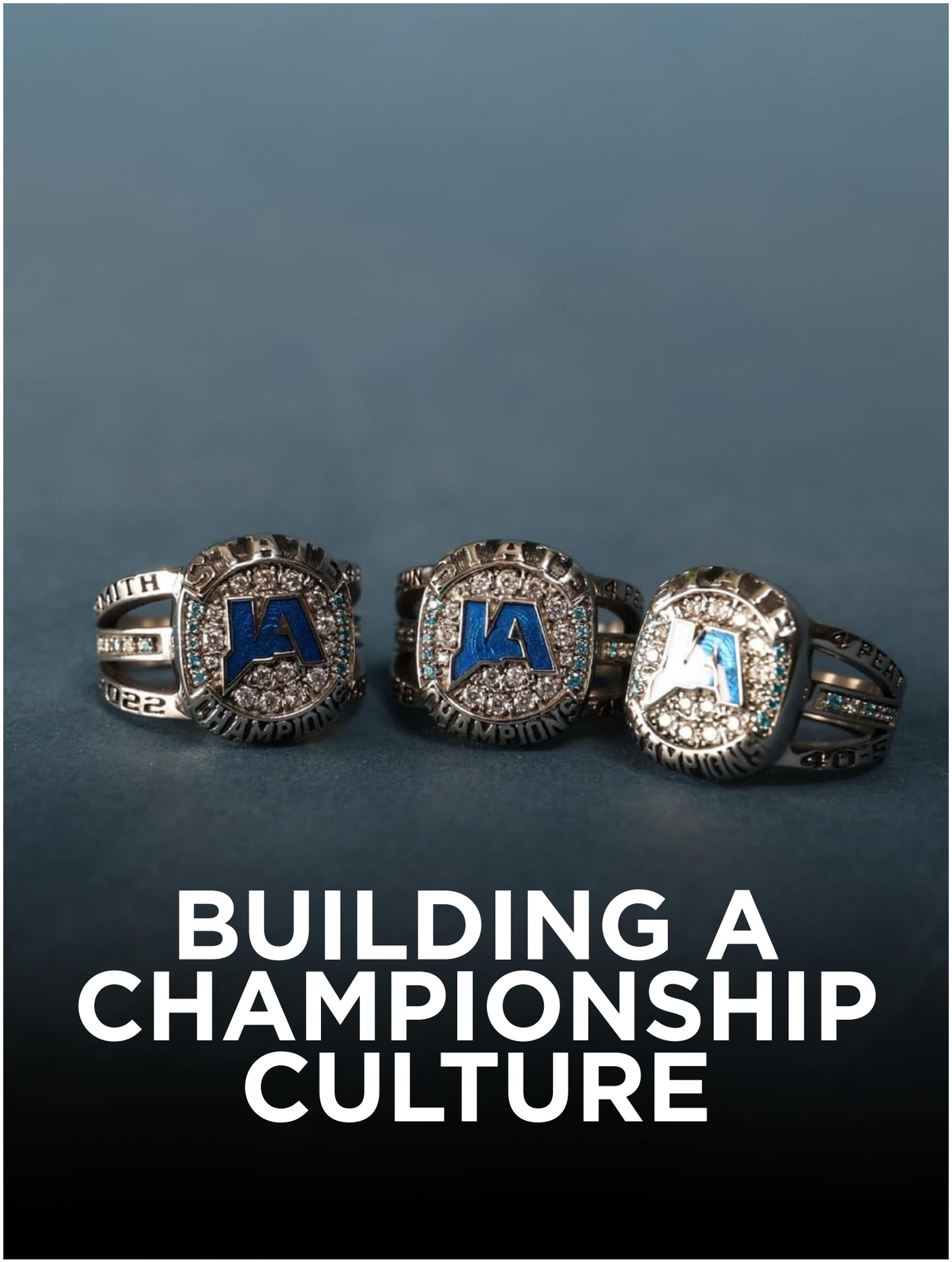

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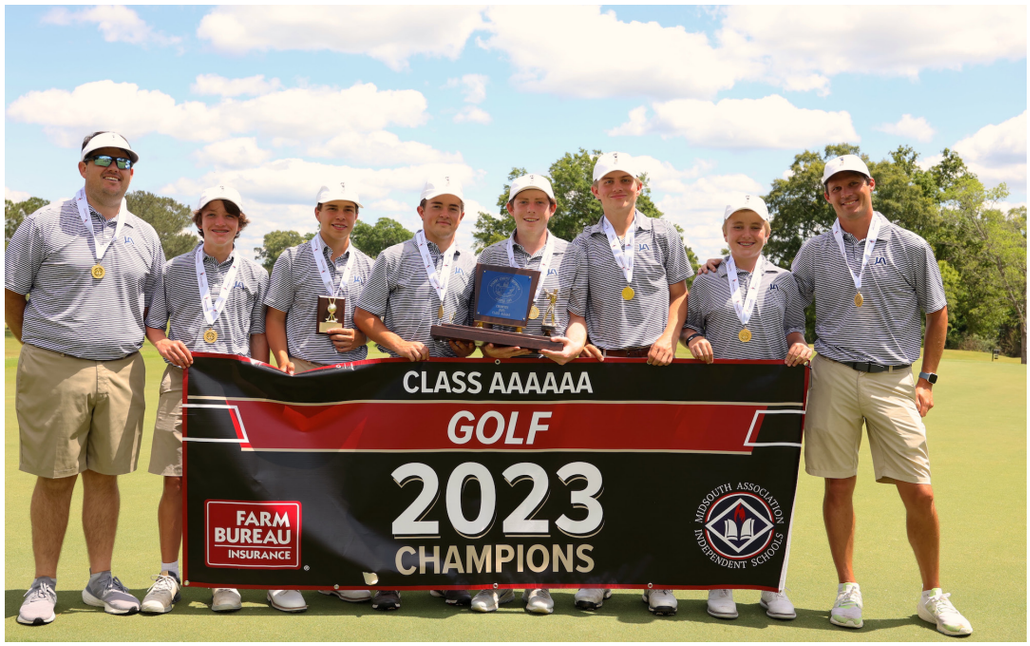

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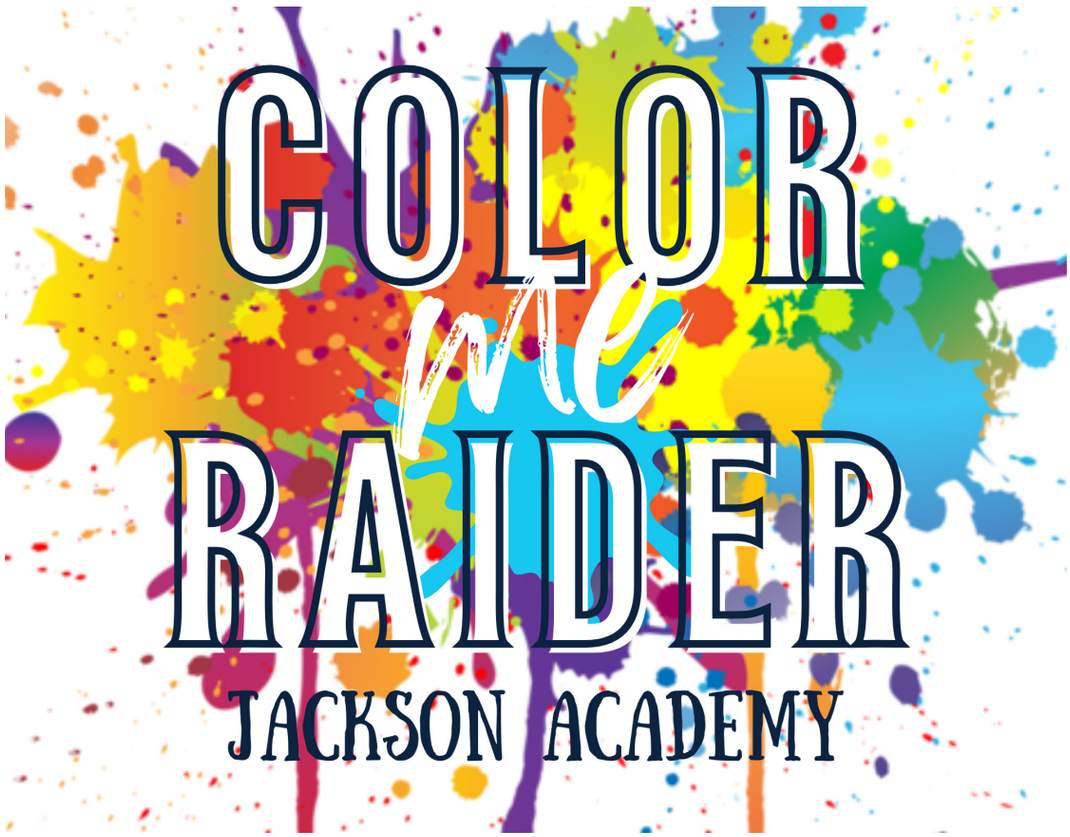

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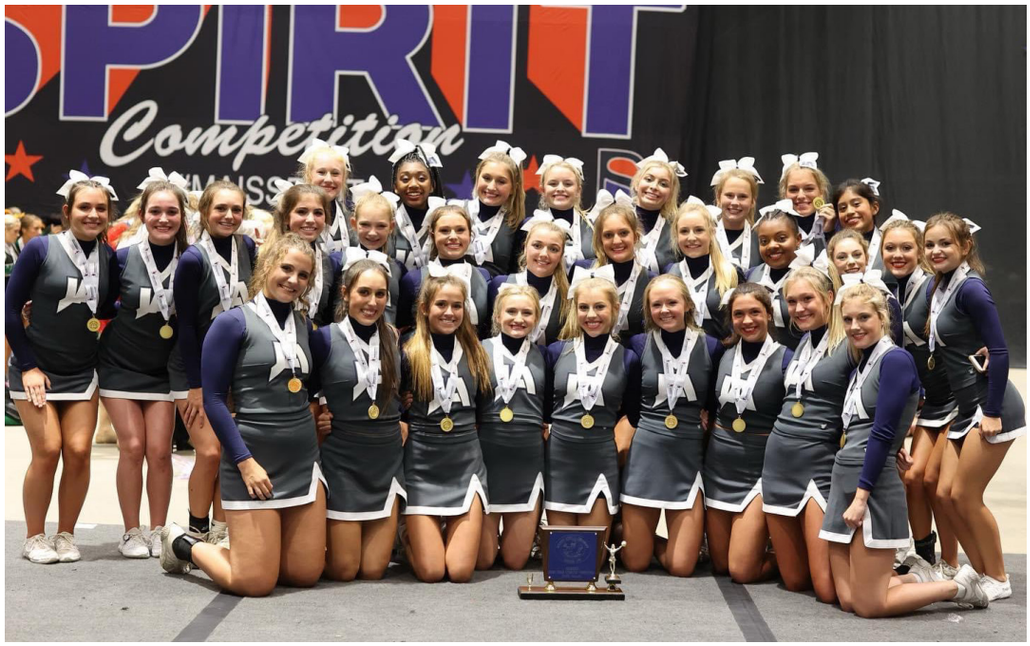

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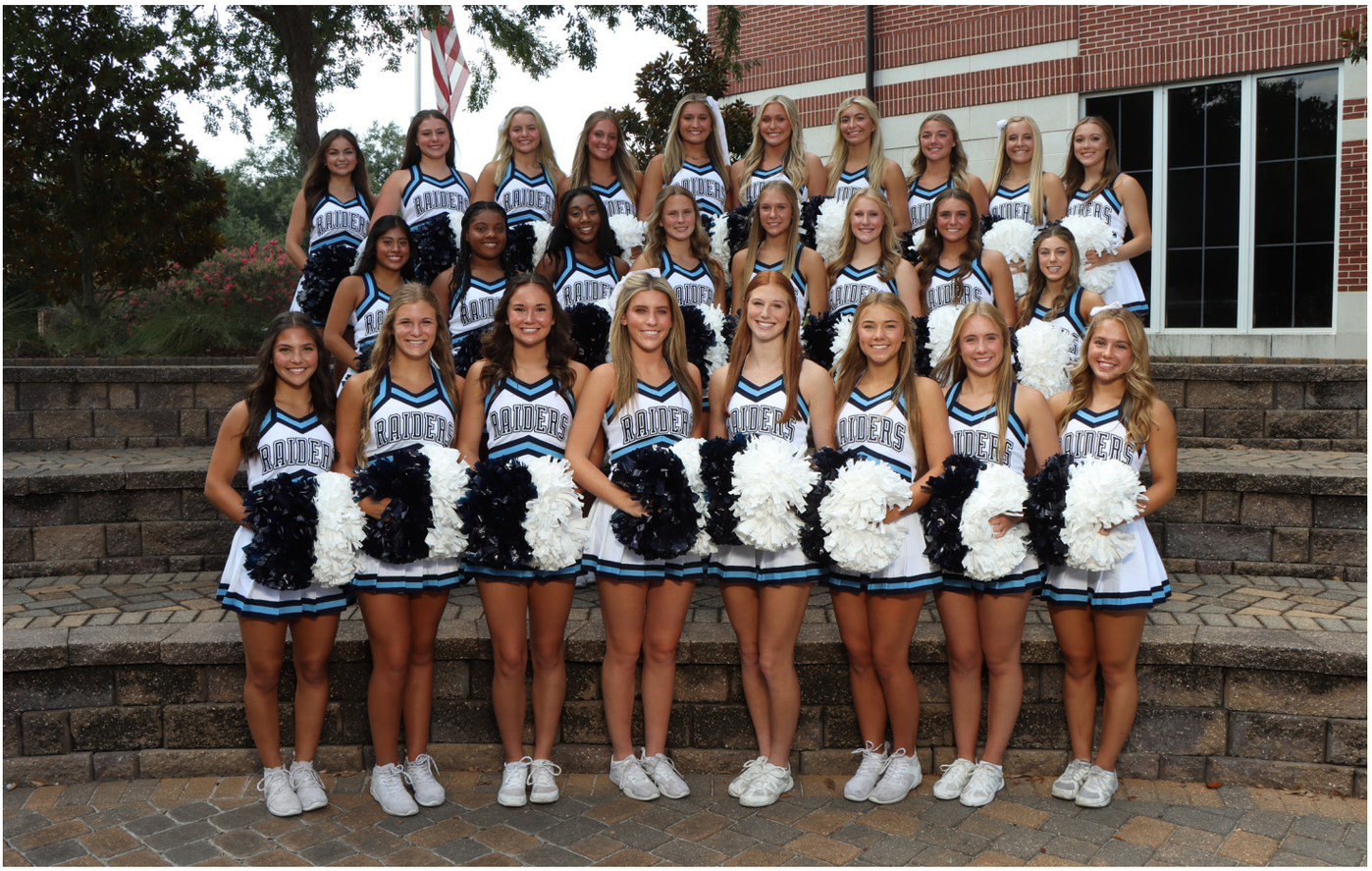

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Rhodes Tatum	FR
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Parkes Denton	8
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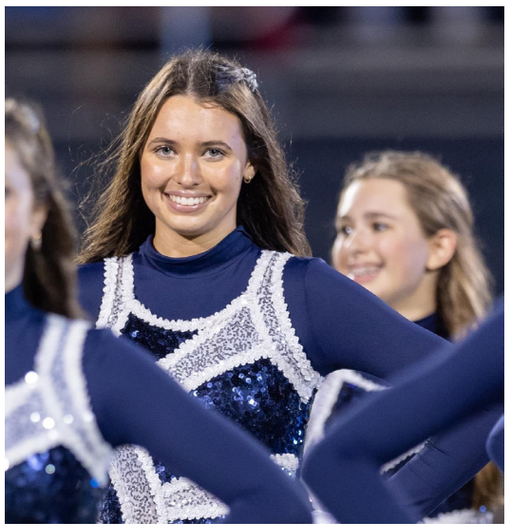

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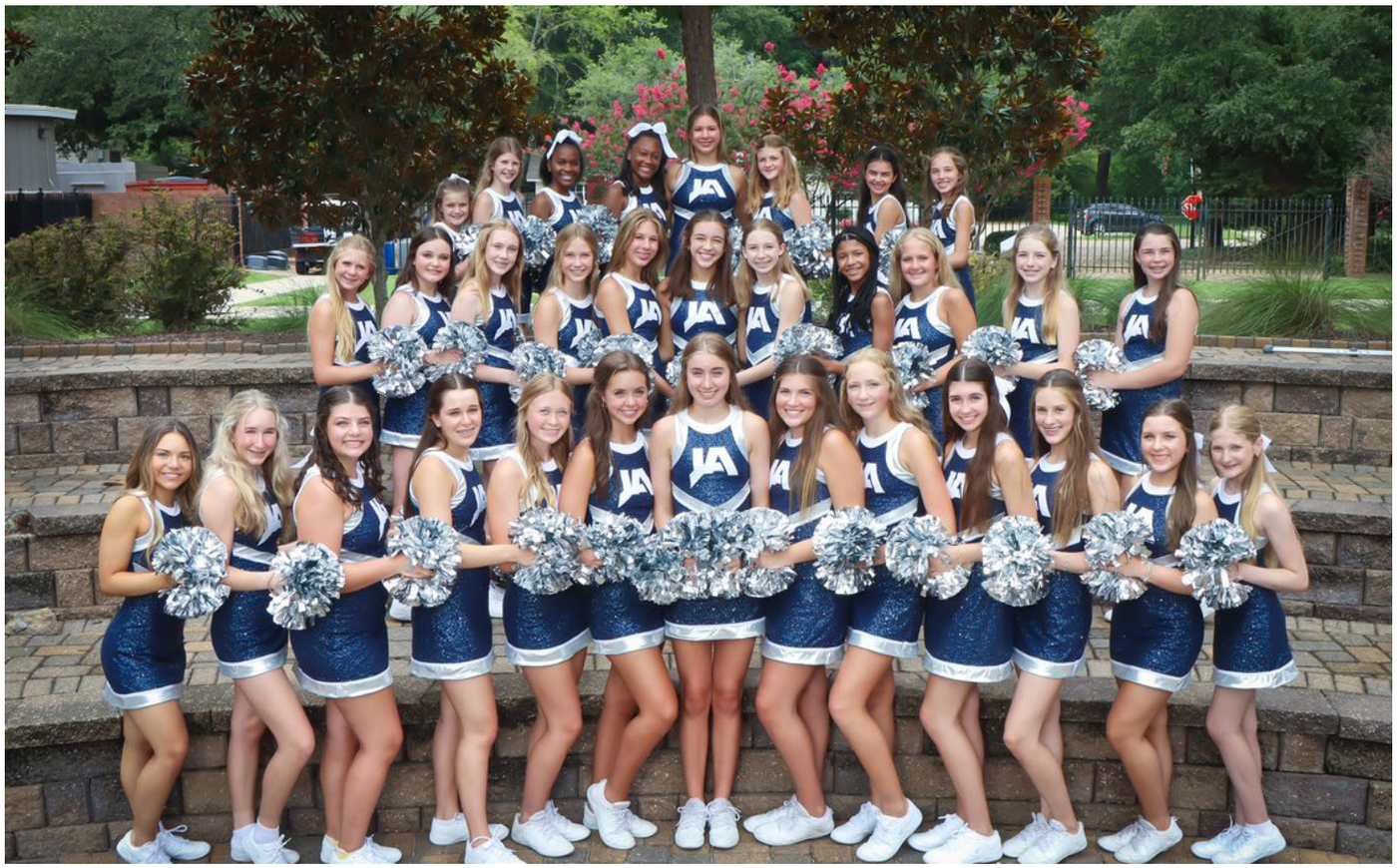

Front Row, L to R: Ava Bondurant, Isabell Russell, Chesley Quinn, Elise Waldrop, Mary Madison New, Bess Borne, Allie Shay, Taylor Ueltschey, Anna Hollady Craft, Meridith Ray, Ella Kate Brien, Annie Craig, Carlisle Cauthen

Second Row, L to R: Hart Hines, Kynlee Shorter, Lillie Henson, Stella Sims, Carol Ann Hudson, Lucy Canton Hogue, Anna Caroline Long, Jana McBeath, Ann Frances Tatum, Mary Laurel Boykin, Victoria Morgan

Back Row, L to R: Anna Mitchell Peters, Claudette Bronzi, Grace Wicks, Anna Rose Phillips, Mary Fowler Hudson, Hays Carson, Leighton Denley, Ella Abide

Not Pictured: Audrey Chapman, Eden Hill, Emma Pollack, Macy Garrard, Madelyn Rodrigue, Phoebe Graham

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2023-2024 JA JAZZ

Front Row, L to R: Ansley Williams, Margaret Johnston, Channing Harrell, Ella Williams, Anders Quinn, Sloane Akins, Ann Marie Pennick, Barbara Brand, Neely Catherine Usry, Macy Miller, Brennan Maley, Gia Jackson

Back Row, L to R: Hayden Warren, Sawyer Simpson, Jane Helen Jones, London Mabry, Gabriella Lomax, Lillian Griner, Carson Lester, Stella Warren, Frances Watson, Daisy Collins, Pettey Sandifer, Ella Kate Sijansky, Betsy Beard

Not Pictured: Kerrigan Holmes

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DANCE TEAMS

ACCENTS
Virginia Browning (Officer)
Caroline Champagne
Susanna Everett
Eliza Hawkins
Anna Margaret Hooker (Officer)
Landry Lester
Anna Kate Lucas (Officer)
Mae Mathison
Anna Payton Parker
Olivia Smith
Mary Hampton Walker
Blair Wilson
Cameron Benton
Ella Boykin
Caroline Bush
Abbie Cliburn
Weathersby Dinkins
Caroline Flechas
Addison Jeffcoat
Lily Beth Lee
Linnie Moon
Ellen Morgan
Elizabeth Nichols
Brooke Emerson Ogden
Morgan Pollack
Kate Rula
Natalya Salvo
Belle Shoemaker
Olyvia Thornton
Rosemary Adams
Ebbie Barbour
Mary Lamar Chustz
Lil Hixon
Elizabeth Hosey
Lucy Jones
TyTiana Jones
Sara Kate Long
Kara Mims
Lydia Murphy
Sela Pressler
Olivia Price
Sanders Reeves
Natalie Robertson
Olivia Salvo
Sadie Sandifer
Caroline Wier

SILVER STEPPERS
Ella Abide
Ava Bondurant
Bess Borne
Mary Laurel Boykin
Ella Kate Brien
Claudette Bronzi
Hays Carson
Carlisle Cauthen
Audrey Chapman
Anna Hollady Craft
Annie Craig
Leighton Denley
Macy Garrard
Phoebe Graham
Lillie Henson
Eden Hill
Hart Hines
Lucy Canton Hogue
Carol Ann Hudson
Mary Fowler Hudson
Anna Caroline Long
Jana McBeath
Victoria Morgan
Mary Madison New
Anna Mitchell Peters
Anna Rose Phillips
Emma Pollack
Chesley Quinn
Meridith Ray
Madelyn Rodrigue
Isabell Russell
Allie Shay
Kynlee Shorter
Stella Sims
Ann Frances Tatum
Taylor Ueltschey
Elise Waldrop
Grace Wicks

JA JAZZ
Sloane Akins
Betsy Beard
Barbara Brand
Daisy Collins
Lillian Griner
Channing Harrell
Kerrigan Holmes
Gia Jackson
Margaret Johnston
Jane Helen Jones
Carson Lester
Gabriella Lomax
London Mabry
Brennan Maley
Macy Miller
Ann Marie Pennick
Anders Quinn
Pettey Sandifer
Ella Kate Sijansky
Sawyer Simpson
Neely Catherine Usry
Hayden Warren
Stella Warren
Frances Watson
Ansley Williams
Ella Williams

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JACKSON ACADEMY ROWDIES 2023-2024

At JA, our Rowdies run The Brickyard, hype up the crowd, and cheer on our Raiders.

Front Row, L to R: Micheal Greenlee, Zach Elinski, and Turner Denton.

Second Row, L to R: Bailey Walker, Foster Hodges, Alex Holmes, Trevor Bryson, and Zyon McDowell.

Third Row, L to R: Matthew Ryan and Thomas Earl.

Back Row, L to R: Fuller Mahaffey, Baker Ebner, Bryan Eubank Jr., Lowe Sims, Sam Chustz, Charles Baker, Tate Averett, Owen Bates, and Rhett Stringer.

Not Pictured: Tack Maheffey, Harper Mars, Julian Turner, and Fisher Waldrop.

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Morgan Turner

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Daniel Wallace

Clarinet
Ann Marie Pence
Amanda Lewis
Sam Roberts
Michael Holly

Alto Saxophone
Andrew Baquie
Red Deaton
Michael Lacey

Tenor Saxophone
Noah Pressler

French Horn
Mac Harris

Trumpet
Titus Taylor
Sarah Madalyn Brown
Tripp Sullivan
Alexander Weems

Trombone
Laurence Asher
Gray Fox
Chess Channell
Ashton Polk
Christian Bradfield
Joe King
Abhi Sharma
Reese Hill

Baritone
Adonis Terry

Tuba
Caden Callison
Thomas Earl

Percussion
Ella McClendon
PJ Phillips
Will Adkins
Mathias Bridges
A'miracle Owens
Jack Harrison
Elizabeth Alexander

Color Guard
Liya Thompson
Belle Palomo
Shelsea Sullivan
Ava Haywood
Selah Jones
Savanna Chandler

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RAIDER NETWORK

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The Raider Network was introduced to Jackson Academy in 2016. Co-founded by Bryant Eubank and Eddie Wettach, it has grown into a state of the art production unit that broadcasts many events including JA Athletics, MAIS State Championships, elementary programs, chapel, JASI, graduation, and it has also helped to produce ESPN broadcasts. JA students have also been able to learn and participate in what all goes on behind the scenes during a Raider Network broadcast production,

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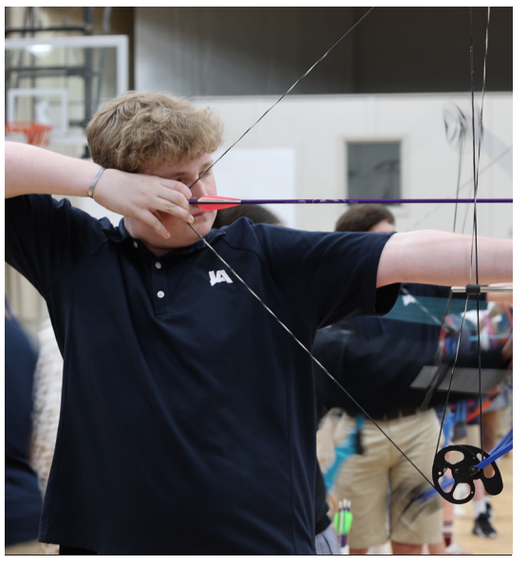
2023-24 ARCHERY TEAM

Front Row, L to R: Ann Marie Penick, Brooke Dennis, Logan Rohman, Gemma Andrews

Back Row, L to R: Wyatt Rohman, Stone Skipper, Adonis Terry, Colton Ogden



ARCHERY

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EQUESTRIAN

From left: Vivie Howard, Cate Covault, Lorelei Bonds, Selah Jones, Georgia Weeks, Sara Brown, Caroline Johnston, and Ellen Morgan.
Not pictured: Lila Pressler

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The Jackson Academy Athletic Booster Club is an auxiliary organization of Jackson Academy, Inc., comprised of parent volunteers and operated under the direction of the Board of Trustees of Jackson Academy, Inc. The Booster Club is organized and operated to support and enhance the athletic-centered and extracurricular experience of all JA students in accordance with the school's goals.

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