Hazel Park News Athletics





HAZEL PARK

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Hometown Huddle Edition

The Hometown Huddle will be held on Friday, September 13th from 5:00-6:30pm outside of the High School. This is an amazing community event with fun activities, snacks and music. Come check it out before going to our first HOME Varsity Football game of the season!

"The Hazel Park Football team started off its season in good fashion on Thursday, September 28th, defeating Center Line 28-7 in its season opener. The Vikings were lead by

senior running back Ralph Bush, who had 195 yards rushing on 30 carries and 3 touchdowns and three catches for 50 yards. Senior, Nate Hardeman was responsible for the fourth touchdown, on a 15-yard strike from Junior Quarterback Matt Diaz. The defense was dominant throughout the game, only allowing one score. The Viking defense held the Center Line offense to under 150 yards in total offense. Great win Vikings!!!"

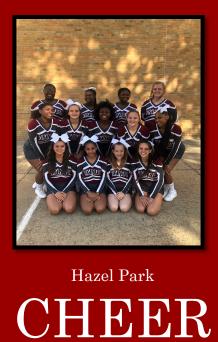


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-- Varsity Football Coach, Kyle Rowley

The Viking's next home game is on Friday, September 13th at 7:00pm against Marine City.





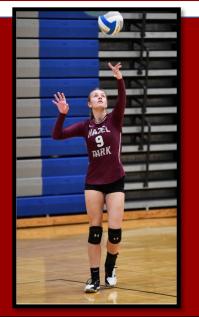
The Cheer Team is having a Blast!

"So far, our season has been a lot of fun! The girls are full of energy at the games and they love cheering our boys on! Win or lose, we are the football team's biggest fans! My cheerleaders are super excited for the rest of the season."

- Varsity Sideline Cheer Coach, Brianna Coleman









2019 Varsity Volleyball team at the Warren Woods Tower Tournament. 8/24/19.



2019 Boys Varsity Soccer Team



Save The Date!

Our First HOME Volleyball Game of the Season is Tuesday, September 17!

"The 2019 Varsity Volleyball team is made up of 8 seniors, 4 juniors and 1 sophomore. They have been working hard all summer at conditioning and camps. They have invested so much time and have grown so much. I am so excited for this season and this group of athletes. GO VIKINGS!"- Varsity Volleyball Coach, Sherry Rietz

The Freshman, JV and Varsity Volleyball teams play against Warren Mott on Tuesday, September $17^{\rm th}$ at HOME. Come out and support these amazing girls!

Boys Soccer off to a Great Start!

"Although we are shorthanded, our team has been working hard and has won 3 games already. We are undefeated in our league. Seniors, Mike Rachal, Maurice Heath and Junior Kongolo lead the Vikings alongside Junior Captain, Cheike Ndiaye. First year player, Lance Taylor has also played remarkable as goalkeeper, saving a penalty shot against Lamphere and 14 saves against Fitzgerald, including a diving face save! We head to the Oscoda tournament Saturday, Sept. 14th, in hopes of having fun and bringing back a trophy. Our talented team is always looking for support on and off the field. If you are interested in playing soccer please reach out. If you would like to show support for the team, we will see you at our next home game, Sept. 18th as we host Center Line. GO VIKINGS!"

-Boys Varsity Soccer Coach, Josh Laframboise

GO VIKINGS!





"Cross Country season is underway. We had our first Invitational on September 7th, 2019. This year the team is dedicated to improving their personal times. The girl's team has shown some great teamwork. Everyone is motivating each other. The team is preparing for several Jamborees and Invitationals in the month of September. We look forward to a great season."

-Varsity Cross Country Coach, Andrea Gierak



BOOSTERS

The Hazel Park Booster Club is a great way for parents to assist in raising funds at our athletic events. Assisting with fundraising and helping out with concessions at games helps raise funds for our various teams. It also allows you to meet other parents from our school community. Consider helping out at one of our events. Contact the Athletic Department at 248-658-5150 for more details.



Tennis Team Causing Quite the "Racket"

"They are off to a great start with a sweeping win over Center Line. There are several new members to the team and they have made great progress in their tennis game. The seniors on the team, Ray Cardinal, Logan Eddy and Bruno Frank, are great mentors for the new players. The team is still looking for a few members. If you know anyone interested please contact Mrs. Kelly at

Cheryl.kelly@hazelparkschools.org."

-Boys Varsity Tennis Coach, Cheryl Kelly





Meet our Athletic Trainer!

This is Nate Saldivar-Garcia's 2nd year working as Hazel Park's High School's Athletic Trainer. He is here every day after school helping our athletic teams. His office is located in the Main Gym and his schedule is posted in the Athletic Office. He is available to answer any questions you may have. You can contact him at saldi1nj@gmail.com

Athlete Spotlight





Jailyne
Bonner
12th Grade
Varsity
Volleyball
Favorite Sports
Memory: Playing in
the district game last
year against
Ferndale.
Favorite Food:

Steak

"If you are looking for Jailyne on the court, look for the most athletic. Jailyne has a natural athleticism that you cannot teach. It is a beautiful thing to watch her play."- Varsity Volleyball Coach, Sherry Rietz



Raymond
Cardinal
12th Grade
Boy's Varsity
Tennis
Favorite Sports
Memory: Winning
districts his
freshman year in
baseball.
Favorite Movie:
The Sandlot

"Ray has been a dedicated member of the Varsity Tennis team for 4 years and captain for 2 years. He is a hardworking player and never gives up. He is known as the "Tie-breaker" king. He is very coachable and the team loves him."- Varsity Tennis Coach, Cheryl Kelly



Canaan Aho
10th Grade
Varsity
Football
Favorite TV show:
Sons Of Anarchy
What he likes to do
in his free time:
Hang out with friends
or work out.

"Canaan is the definition of a team player.
Previously, a back up quarterback and defensive back, on the Varsity Football Team, Canaan has stepped up to fill the void the Vikings had at Wide Receiver. In just 2 weeks, Canaan has become a staple in the offense and an integral part of the defense."- Varsity Football Coach, Kyle Rowley



Sally Eisho 11th Grade Varsity Cross Country Favorite Sports Memory: The regional meet for Cross Country where she beat her personal record, going to Oscoda for soccer & going to States at Ford Field for Marching Band. **Favorite TV Show:** Riverdale, 13 Reason's Why

"Sally is dedicated, always at practice, always giving her all. She also cheers others on and is very motivational. Great athlete and leader." – Varsity Cross Country Coach, Andrea Gierak

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Upcoming Home Sporting Events

Tuesday, 9/17/19	Fresh/JV /Varsity Volleyball vs Warren Mott @ HOME	4:30pm & 6:00pm
Wednesday, 9/18/19	Boys Varsity Soccer vs Center Line @ HOME	4:30pm
Wednesday, 9/18/19	Boys Varsity Tennis vs Lakeview @ HOME	4:30pm
Thursday, 9/19/19	JV & Varsity Volleyball vs Fitzgerald @ HOME	4:30pm & 6:00pm
Thursday, 9/19/19	JV Football vs South Lake @ HOME	5:30pm