



Playback Moments Softball



Predict it

March Madness

- Fischer Zawacki: Creighton
- Xaiver Abalos: Arizona
- Mr. DeSilvis: UConn
- Maddox Diesing: Arizona
- Mason Luzier: Texas
- Gabe Zink: Gonzoga
- Jack LaVoy: Drake
- Beckett Emch: UConn

March Birthdays!

- Camden Ellis 02
- Brady Podgorski 02
- Brayton Ramer 05
- Kendra Lehberger 07
- Logan Sanjur 08
- Noah Sanjur 08
- Brayden Hawkins 09
- Xavier Murnen 12
- Willow Palfalvi 12
- Emery Milot 13
- Josephine Billau 14
- Xavier Maier 16
- Lauren Taylor 16
- Gavin Meinert 19
- Ariel Oxley 22
- Zahna Oxley 22
- Alivea Olson 23
- Maya Russeau 23
- Mylee Andrews 24
- Logan Lake 26
- Mason Miller 29
- Beckett Emch 31

Pet of the Month:



Zahna Oxley (29) has two ferrets: the albino one is named Pearl and the black and white is named Jazzy. They love their chicken flavored pellets. Oxley has had them for three years now and they are both four years old. Oxley takes her ferrets on walks because they have their own harnesses.

The Middle School Club team plays softball in a spring and fall travel league out of Toledo. There are two softball teams for girls. The other is Michigan Bobcats coached by Audra Van Brandt. Some girls play on both teams and girls outside of Whiteford also can join. This is a highly competitive team and try-outs were held earlier. There are six 7th graders and five 8th on the team. They just had their first practice on March 12 at the JV practice field. Coach Charlie Butz said, “We will have mixed starters for most of all the games.” One goal for the team this year is “to prepare them to compete at the high school level.” Another goal for the team is to get one percent better each day according to Coach Butz. They play against teams they will face in high school. Peyton Welch (28) said, “I’ve been playing softball for six years. I use a Louisville LXT 33 inch drop 10 even-loaded bat.” The girls have seven games this season: 4/10 @ Summerfield, 4/16 home vs. Erie Mason, 4/25 @ Anthony Wayne, 4/30 home vs. Summerfield, 5/6 home vs. Anthony Wayne, 5/14 @ Bedford, 5/21 home vs. Bedford. Ava Swy (29) said she got started with softball because her grandpa coached softball and her mom played softball as well. Whiteford has a community that loves and supports all school activities. People come to watch all the events including the school club teams like this one.

Lucas Bub is a 6th grader that does competitive fishing. He started fishing as a hobby and then his mom found a Facebook post about a competitive team. He has been doing competitive fishing for two years. Lucas said, “I want to stay competitive until I get a little older.” He fishes with his brother as his teammate and his dad captains the boat. They own and fish on a 2009 Multi-Species boat. Lucas is on the Summerfield bass fishing team; his league is the MYBFA Junior League. They usually fish for large/small mouth bass. They fished three two-day competitions last year, and this year they have seven or eight one to two day competitions. They fish at lakes all over Michigan. Lucas said, “I personally think that the best time to go fishing during the year is early to mid summer.” He said his favorite lake to fish in is his home lake, Devils Lake. They use soft plastic lures when they fish. He and his brother won the State Championship and got invited to go to the World Championship but unfortunately they can’t go. The biggest fish that he ever caught was a 4-5 lb. bass at the State Championship. The prizes he gets are trophies and plaques and sometimes money if he gets the biggest fish at the competition.



Bio Box

Maze of the Month:



Teacher Talk:

From Mr. Fielder
"LEADERSHIP IS
UNLOCKING
PEOPLE'S
POTENTIAL TO
BECOME BETTER."
- Bill Bradley

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Krueger, and Blair Lake
Student of the Month: Indiana
Mock

Present Adventures

The performance of High School Musical was March 15-17. This play is based on the movie High School Musical. The play has 18 songs and they work on these songs from 6-10 pm. The performance was two and a half hours long. Middle schoolers in this play were Anna Huard, Kendra Lehberger, Brenna Allen, Maddox Diesing, AJ Ellis, Noah Sanjur, Logan Sanjur, Stefani Perez, Allen Raker, Brielle White, Gabe Zink, Emmalyn Kendal, Quinn Benoit, Ellie Biswas, Eva Suchora, Colton McCormack, and Addison Hill. Mr. Schreiber's favorite song of the performance was "The Start of Something New." Mr. Schreiber said, "The musical is very important to provide a performance opportunity for students who are interested in live theater. It is also a fantastic community building experience with the many different people involved." Since there were so many people interested in participating in the play, Mr. Schreiber selected a show for a large group so that is why he picked High School Musical.

Alternate Activities

The middle school art program is a very important part of Whiteford Middle School. Art lets kids learn more about visual learning. All children get a chance to stimulate their imaginations, as well as their cognitive and problem-solving skills. Art also helps them learn to persevere like when they mess up on a project to keep working hard and to try and fix it. The current middle school art teacher is Mrs. Seiser who has been teaching art at Whiteford for 27 years. Jacen Cousino said, "We get to do different drawings with unique colors and supplies." Art class takes place in the elementary school building and the students walk across the parking lot to get to their class. The students do many different projects including ones that involve clay, paint, watercolor paint, and many other drawing and art supplies. Mrs. Seiser said, "We try a little bit of everything like drawing, painting, sculpting, and shading too." Kaia Rasor is a seventh grader currently in art and loves it. Rasor said, "I like art because of all of the art projects and how we get to use our creativity in our projects." Art is a very influential part of kids lives and provides fun times and good memories for the kids that have it.

Character of the Month: Responsibility

Lucas Bub (30)



Gabe Zink (29)

Tony Virost (28)