

## HELLO WILDCAT FANS & SUPPORTERS:

I wanted to take a moment to introduce myself. My name is Jason Barnes, and I am your new Athletic Director at Whitewater High School. As a native Fayette County resident, I am thrilled at the opportunity to serve the Whitewater community. I have three daughters aged 14, 7, and 3 and both my wife and I are educators in the system. I am looking forward to a strong athletic season.

Some of our fall sports have already gotten under way, and the Athletic Director Update is meant to keep you informed about WHS athletics.

**MAKE SURE YOU FOLLOW WHITEWATER HIGH SCHOOL ATHLETICS ON TWITTER.** We will be posting schedules, pictures, game updates, and results on our new Twitter page. Just follow @Whitewater\_AD for updates. Be sure to tag us in any related Whitewater athletics news. #GoCats

- ◆ **SOFTBALL STARTS THE YEAR OFF WITH TWO BIG REGION WINS:** Earlier this week our Varsity softball team defeated Fayette County 17-0 and McIntosh 4-0. In the Fayette game, Freshman pitchers, **Makayla Coffield** and **Emma Friedel** combined to throw a no-hitter. In the McIntosh game, Junior pitcher, **Emma Vessell** threw a 2-hitter and struck out 7. The region schedule continues on **August 13 at home vs. Riverdale**. The JV team also captured a win this week against McIntosh, 7-4.
- ◆ **VOLLEYBALL HAS BEEN HIT WITH THE INJURY BUG:** Coming off a successful 2018 season, the volleyball team had full intentions of picking up right where they left off. Unfortunately, a couple injuries to some veteran players have impacted the start of the season. The Wildcats will have their first home match of the season on **August 13 vs. Newnan, Troup County, and Grady**.
- ◆ **WHITEWATER CHEERLEADER MAKES ALL-STATE:** On Saturday, August 3, Senior cheerleader **Alex Bartlett** was named to the All-State cheerleading team. The selection process included an interview and a performance with her team. Congratulations, Alex!
- ◆ **"FRIDAY NIGHT LIGHTS" BEGINS IN ONE WEEK:** After a long summer of preparation, the football team kicks off the season with a scrimmage against **Newnan on August 16**. The football team will have their **home opener vs. Ola on September 6**.
- ◆ **IMPROVEMENTS TO THE TRACK:** Earlier this summer, the Fayette Board of Education approved a new track resurfacing for all 5 of our high schools. Track construction began on August 2 and is expected to be completed in 3-4 weeks.
- ◆ **BUY YOUR ATHLETIC APPAREL & ALL SPORTS PASS:** Student and Family athletic passes are available for purchase. Student passes for all regular season athletic events start at \$100. Family passes start at \$300. For information on passes, please contact Natalie Jones. You can also buy official Whitewater High School merchandise by visiting our WHS Sideline Store (<https://sideline.bsnsports.com/schools/georgia/fayetteville/whitewater-high-school>).



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