

HELLO WILDCAT FANS & SUPPORTERS:

Happy New Year! We are looking forward to another great year of athletic success at Whitewater High School. Please follow <u>@Whitewater_AD</u> on Twitter for updates. **#GoCats**

- ♦ MIKE FITZPATRICK ATHLETE OF THE WEEK: Our Mike Fitzpatrick Athlete of the Week is Eva Watson. Eva qualified in the 100 free for State and the 200 and 400 free relay for State. She has done an outstanding job this year as a freshman swimmer. Congratulations Eva! You can view our archive of Athletes of the Week here.
- ♦ NEW GYM BLEACHERS: During the semester break, our gym had new bleachers installed. These bleachers are much more stable and durable than previous ones. They also match the school color better than the previous bleachers. We thank the Fayette County Board of Education for making this upgrade for us.
- WRESTLING TEAM HAS STRONG PERFORMANCES: The WHS Wrestling team is now 12-10 in dual meet competition this season. In their most recent tournament over the break, the following wrestlers placed:
 Anthony Slamanca (4th), Stephen Carvalho (4th), Logan Gould (3rd), Spencer Fields (2nd). The wrestling team will compete in the 4-AAAAA duals at Starr's Mill this Saturday at 9am.
- ◆ **SWIMMING BACK IN ACTION (@WHS_Widct_Sqim)**: The WHS Swim team will be back in action after the holiday break when they host Starr's Mill this Friday at Kedron Aquatic Center in Peachtree City. The WHS swim team has several state qualifiers and looks to add more.
- ♦ ALL ESPORTS TEAMS MAKE THE PLAYOFFS: In their inaugural season, all five of our WHS Esports teams have qualified for the playoffs. Playoffs begin on Tuesday, January 7.
- ◆ BOYS BASKETBALL PILING UP THE WINS (@WhitewaterBball):: The Whitewater Boys Basketball team is currently 12-4 on the year and 3-0 in Region 3-AAAAA. They recently defeated Our Lady of Mercy High School on Friday, January 3rd and Ola High School on Saturday, January 4th. The team will host Jonesboro on Tuesday, January 7th, host Fayette County on Friday, January 10th ,and travel to Riverdale on Saturday, January 11th. Javon Jenkins led the team against Our Lady of Mercy with 35 points and both Jenkins and Omar Ndengey led the Wildcats with 17 points apiece against Ola High School. Boys Region Standings
- ◆ GIRLS BASKETBALL GETTING HOT (@WhitewaterBball): The Lady Wildcats went 3-2 over the break. Carissa Griffin was named to the all tournament team of the Greenberg Price Christmas Tournament. In their 55-49 victory over Ola High School, Charity Cloud had 17 points, Ellia Chance had 16 points, and Leah Smith had 9 points. The Lady Wildcats will host Joneboro on Tuesday and Fayette County on Friday. Girls Region Standings
- ♦ FOOTBALL COACH UPDATE: Whitewater High School will have a new head football coach for the 2020 season. The football coach will be formally announced at the Fayette County Board of Education Monthly Board meeting on January 21, 2020. Whitewater High School will be hosting a "Meet the Coach" event on Thursday, January 23 at 6:00pm in the WHS Auditorium. Please plan to join us that evening.
- ◆ NO LONGER ACCEPTING PAPER PHYSICALS: Beginning January 1, 2020, we will no longer be accepting paper copies of athletic physicals. While all current athletic physicals on file will remain valid until their expiration date, any new physicals will need to be submitted electronically through our WHS Privitt Site.
- ♦ WHITEWATER HIGH SCHOOL SIDELINE STORE. The <u>sideline store</u> is a great place to get all of your Whitewater High School merchandise. This month you can get 15% all orders using the code HELLO2020