

2020-2021

HMS ATHLETICS

WINTER RECAP

Boys Basketball

7th Grade Basketball

The 7th grade basketball team finished their season with a perfect 16-0 record and an Al Glitch Tournament Championship. They defeated several tough teams that included Dover, New Philadelphia and St Clairsville. The team members included Che'mier Adams, Ryan Bise, Cole Bowers, Ca'Juan Bryant, Christopher Elliot, Brock Hughes, Jermaine Moore, Josiah Rea, Trevon Wiggins and Jusante' Wright. The 7th grade team was coached by Brenton Colabella.

8th grade Basketball

The 8th grade basketball team finished their season with a perfect 18-0 record and an Al Glitch Tournament Championship. They defeated several tough teams that included Dover, New Philadelphia, East Liverpool and St Clairsville. The team members included Michael Casinelli, Aiden Davis, Je'Mier Faulks, Hayden Hicks, Kyleigh Hopkins, Mason Marchbank, Jalen Minnield, Jordan Ribar, Dashawd Smith and Will Taylor. Their combined record for 7th and 8th grade was 34-2 with back to back Tournament Championships. We look forward to big things out of this talented group. The 8th grade team was coach by Greg Bowers.

Girls Basketball

The 7th Grade Girls Team captured the Bellaire Tournament beating undefeated Union Local 45-33. This was the first tournament won by the Harding Girls since the 2010-2011 season. They finished the year 18-0 and won games against an undefeated Indian Creek and Carrollton team. The team consisted of Coach Colabella , Sa'Kiyah Coleman, Sadie Edwards, Sagan Smarrella, Bailee Beall, Emma Lyons , Emily Tuttle, Sophia Zorne, Addyson Meyer, Kashauna Crawford, and Nylah McShan.

The 8th Grade Girls Team lost a tough battle in the semifinals to eventual champion Bellaire 40-37. The team finished its year with an 11-8 record with quality wins over Dover and Martins Ferry and were 21-16 over 2 years playing a very tough schedule. The team consisted of Coach Petrelle, Gianna Bracone , Sena Smith, Analesa Perdue, Emme Pierce, Kaitlyn Smith, Natalie Romanyak, Sarah Ostovich, Cianna Scurry , Paige Matteson , Katie Renforth, Jasmine Gregory, Gabriella Vein, Lily Bressler, and Gordana Vein, who was injured this year but kept the book and filmed the games for the team. Coaches Jeff Petrelle and Logan Colabella want to wish these 8th grade girls the best of luck next year as freshman at Big Red.

Boys JV Basketball

The Harding Boys Reserve basketball team finished the season with a 4-4 record. With the circumstances this year, the team was very fortunate to get 8 games in. The main goal of having a JV team is to keep kids involved in basketball and to get better everyday. Coach Price felt that every student/athlete improved drastically from the beginning to the season until the end. Every student/athlete's grades were also great during the season. Hopefully they all keep working on their skills and we see them playing for Big Red in the near future.

Wrestling

The HMS Wrestling Team finished their season with a 17-2 record and winners of the Salem Invitational, Indian Creek Invitational, and Harrison Central Invitational. The losses came from two tough teams in West Branch and Indian Valley @ Claymont. The 7th grade wrestlers were Nolan Blackburn, Kaysen Berkey, Charlie Abbott, Ryan King, Julius Mullins, Landyn Babel, Effy Kelly, RJ Barr, Dorian Haddad, & Lebron Livingston. The 8th Grade wrestlers were Brody Saccoccia, Kail Simmons, Noah West, Ben Burgey, Chandler Hoffman, Brennan Sutton, Myles Cooper, and Jahbari Williams. The coaches want to wish the 8th grade wrestlers the best of luck and expect big things from them at the High School level next year. The Wrestling Team was coached by Jo Saccoccia, Seth Fluharty, and Robbie Agresta.