

**Athletic Department News**  
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The Winter Sports Awards Ceremony was held on Tuesday, March 21 and all of the athletes were recognized for their achievements. The coaches summarized their season before awarding athletes with plaques and varsity letters. It was a great night of reminiscing about the past seasons and recalling all of the wonderful memories that were made. Some highlights of the winter season were the girls basketball team qualifying for the state playoffs and the co-op ice hockey team advancing to the second round of the state playoffs. The swim team had two swimmers qualify for the state meet - Paul Marceski and Kristian Wnorowski. The cheerleading team finished as the top scoring class "S" co-ed team at the state level. The boys basketball team won the Berkshire League Tournament and advanced to the second round of the state playoffs. The boys finished with 21 wins and only 4 losses for the season!

Due to such success, some teams had athletes awarded individual honors. For boys basketball Berkshire League All-stars: Garrett Sattazahn was selected to the first team, Reid Turtoro was selected to the second team and Max Loomis received an honorable mention. For girls basketball: Rose Kelly was selected to the second team. For skiing: Sarah Meeker was selected to second team All-State. Congratulations to these athletes and teams for a great winter sports season!

One of the other highlights of the evening was the recognition of the Berkshire League Scholar Athlete award winners. This award requires athletes in grades 10, 11 and 12 to maintain a 3.33 GPA (B+ average) or higher while participating in a high school sport. Of the 77 students who are eligible to receive the honor, a total of 65 were awarded! Thank you to all of the parents, teachers and coaches for encouraging these high standards for our student athletes!

Wamogo spring athletics are underway! The golf, track, baseball, softball, tennis and lacrosse teams are already practicing despite the snow. Practices are being held partially outside, but mostly inside the gyms/ hallways and even the auditorium. The largest team is the boys and girls track team led by Coach Andrulis - they have over 40 track athletes! We are all excited about getting outside to play and watch spring sports. The season will officially begin April 1 with a home softball game and tennis match. The softball team will compete against Shepaug at 1:00 p.m. and the girls tennis team will compete against Housatonic Regional High School at 11:00 a.m. GO WARRIORS!