

BENZIE CENTRAL WEEK AT A GLANCE 12-11-17

QUOTE OF THE WEEK: *"I'd rather attempt to do something great and fail than to attempt to do nothing and succeed."*— Robert H. Schuller

TEAM OF THE WEEK: The Boys Varsity Bowling Team finished as Champions at the Tournament on 12/2/17. The style of competition is called a Baker Tournament. Five players bowl two frames each. Six games are bowled. The boys beat out 11 other teams including TC Central, Cadillac, TC West, St. Francis, Glen Lake, Kingsley, Elk Rapids. The Boys Red team is made up of Allan Liske, Jacob Crawford, Jared Kraeft, Ethan Kraeft, McKay Fraser, John Hettinger, and Austin Paivarinta. Well done, Boys Huskies Red Bowling Team!

COACH OF THE WEEK: Chip Fryer is Benzie Central's boys and girls bowling coach. He is entering his 11th season as head coach. He works hard to develop great teams year after year with excellent participation numbers and great practices at Incredible Mo's and Lucky Jacks. Chip is a certified teacher and lives in Traverse City with his family.

STUDENT-ATHLETE OF THE WEEK: Jared Kraeft was the top bowler from Benzie Central at the Baker Tournament on Saturday, December 2nd at Lucky Jacks. He bowled the 1st and 6th frames of each of the 6 games bowled. Jared is a Junior with perfect attendance this year. He is currently working on becoming a law enforcement officer by attending the TBA CTC. Way to go, Jared. Great job representing yourself, your family, and your school!



UNSUNG HERO: Guy Sauer is the director of Transportation for Benzie Central Schools. Guy is a veteran coordinator of transportation. He coordinates with bus drivers to provide all the athletic bus routes for away games.

Guy is flexible and able to make changes when inclement weather occurs. The Athletic Department is fortunate to be able to count on such consistency day in and day out, year after year after year. Great work, Guy!

VIDEO OF THE WEEK: [Building Confidence in Athletes](#)
 [Reason for the Season](#)

INFORMATION FOR ALL COACHES:

1. Please empty your coaches mailbox at least once per week. These are located just outside AD’s office. Open M-F 7am-8pm :)
2. Double-check [the concessions schedule](#). Make sure you know when you are supposed to provide workers.
3. Communicate any and all team schedule changes ASAP with the Athletic Director, your players and parents.
4. Thank you for working with [Gary the Picture Guy](#) last week as he fit in your teams on Monday and Thursday.
5. As we head into Winter, let’s communicate well on school cancellation days to find good solutions for practices/games,etc. *Make sure I have your most up-to-date snowday contact information!*
6. December Boosters Meeting is CANCELLED. Next Boosters Meeting is January 15 at 6pm in the HS Concessions Room.
7. Be sure to encourage your student-athletes to go out and support the other teams. [Student section dress-up days](#)
8. MS Boys and Girls get into HS Boys and Girls Basketball Games for free. Same goes for MS Wrestlers getting into HS Wrestling meets, etc. Of course, all coaches and school staff now get into games for free too. Sit near students & be positive.

GYM USE:

HS=High School Gym; MS=Middle School Gym; G=Girls; B=Boys; FR=9th; JV=Junior Varsity; V=Varsity;
 ELE=Elementary **Red=Contest**

10 HS: REC 2-3:30 SOCCER 6-8 MS: REC 2-3:30	11 HS: BJV/V 3-5 BFR 5-7 MS: GJV/FR 3-5 GV 5-7 JHB (A)	12 HS: GJV 3-4:30 B/GFR (H) 4:30-9 MS: JHB 3-4:30 GV 4:30-6:30 BJV/V @ SB	13 HS: BJV/V 3-5 GV 5-7 MS: GFR 3-5 BFR 5-7 JHB & GJV (A)	14 HS: BFR/JV/V (H) 3:30-9 MS: JHB 3-4:30 GV/JV/FR 4:30-6:30	15 HS: BJV/V 3-4:30 B/GFR (H) 4:30-9 MS: JHB 3-4:30 GJV/V (A)	16 HS: ELE BBALL 8-1 GV 1-2:30 MS: ELE BBALL 8-1 JHB (A)
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BENZIE CENTRAL GAMES NEXT WEEK:

Basketball**Boys Varsity**

Tuesday	12/12/17	*Suttons Bay High School	Place Away	Time 7:30 PM
Thursday	12/14/17	*Frankfort Alberta Area Schools (Benzie Pride)	Home	7:30 PM

Boys Junior Varsity

Tuesday	12/12/17	*Suttons Bay High School	Place Away	Time 6:00 PM
Thursday	12/14/17	*Frankfort Alberta Area Schools (Benzie Pride)	Home	6:00 PM

Boys Freshman

Tuesday	12/12/17	Big Rapids High School	Place Home	Time 5:30 PM
Thursday	12/14/17	Glen Lake Jr/Sr HS	Home	4:30 PM
Friday	12/15/17	Traverse City Central HS	Home	7:00 PM

Boys Middle School

Monday	12/11/17	Traverse City West MS	Place Away	Time 5:00 PM
Wednesday	12/13/17	Traverse City East Middle School	Away	5:00 PM
Saturday	12/16/17	Glen Lake Jr/Sr HS (NWC Tournament - Glen Lake Host (Benzie, Glen Lake, Kingsley))	Away	9:00 AM

Girls Varsity

Friday	12/15/17	*Suttons Bay High School	Place Away	Time 7:30 PM
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Girls Junior Varsity

Wednesday	12/13/17	Brother High School	Place Away	Time 6:00 PM
Friday	12/15/17	*Suttons Bay High School	Away	6:00 PM

Girls Freshman

Tuesday	12/12/17	Big Rapids High School	Place Home	Time 7:00 PM
Friday	12/15/17	Traverse City Central HS	Home	6:30 PM

Wrestling**Boys Varsity**

			Place	Time
Thursday	12/14/17	Traverse City West HS (TC West Quad)	Away	6:00 PM
Saturday	12/16/17	Chippewa Hills High School (Chip Hills Invite)	Away	9:30 AM

Boys Junior Varsity

			Place	Time
Saturday	12/16/17	Grand Haven JV Wrestling Meet	Away	9:00 AM

Yours in Sportsmanship, Academics, and Athletics,

Steve Graetz

Director of Athletics - Benzie Central Schools

Go Huskies!