

## 2019-20 Northampton Area High School Sports Seasonal Recap

- **Fall Varsity Sports**
  - **Cross Country - Boys**
    - EPC Record:12-5
      - EPC Championships: 7th Place
    - Overall Record: 12-5
      - DXI Championships: 6th Place
        - Qualifiers: Nick Amato (67th), Jon Breslin (60th), Evan Dempsey 89th), Vince Gallagher (14th), Owen Nahf (15th), Wyatt Poniktera (48th), Isaiah Tyler (40th)
      - PIAA Championships: N/A
        - Vince Gallagher (127th), Owen Nahf (185th)
  - **Cross Country - Girls**
    - EPC Record: 13-4
      - EPC Championships: 4th Place
      - Amber Poniktera: EPC All-Star Selection
      - Georgia Wiswesser: EPC All-Star Selection
    - Overall Record: 13-4
      - DXI Championships: 5th Place
        - Qualifiers: Madison Berger (92nd), Amber Poniktera (11th), Olivia Rigo (55th), Reia Sanchez (64th), Ellie Spencer, Brianna Tyler (22nd), Georgia Wiswesser (5th)
      - PIAA Championships: N/A
        - Amber Poniktera (139th), Georgia Wiswesser (101st)
    - Boys & Girls Team Accolades:
      - The Morning Call All-Area Team
        - Georgia Wiswesser - 1st Team
        - Amber Poniktera - 2nd Team
        - Vince Gallagher - Honorable Mention
      - Lehigh Valley Live All-Area Team
        - Georgia Wiswesser - 3rd Team
        - Amber Poniktera - Honorable Mention
        - Vince Gallagher - Honorable Mention
        - Owen Nahf - Honorable Mention
  - **Field Hockey**
    - EPC Record: 12-4
      - EPC Quarterfinalist: Easton 3 - Northampton 0
    - Overall Record: 14-4
      - DXI Quarterfinalist: Easton 4 - Northampton 3
    - Accolades:
      - Brianne Sell: EPC All-Star: First Team
      - Taylor Kranzley: EPC All-Star: Second Team
      - Morgan McEntire EPC All-Star: Second Team
  - **Football**
    - EPC Record: 9-1
      - **Team: 1st Place, EPC Northern Division Champions**
    - Overall Record:

- DXI Quarterfinalist: Easton 42 - Northampton 37
- Accolades:
  - Tyrese Brandon: The Morning Call/Coordinated Health Athlete of The Week (9/23)
  - Tyrese Brandon: Lehigh Valley Live Football Player of the Week (10/29)
  - Josh Gaycheck: The Morning Call/Coordinated Health Athlete of The Week (12/5)
  - 2019-20 ALL-EAST PENN CONFERENCE – NORTH DIVISION
    - **2020 EPC Football - Northern Division Offensive MVP - Tyrese Brandon**
    - 2020 EPC Football - Northern Division 1st Team All-Conference Selection - Jared Russell, Wide Receiver
    - 2020 EPC Football - Northern Division 1st Team All-Conference Selection - Sam Nelson, Offensive Tackle & Defensive Lineman
    - 2020 EPC Football - Northern Division 1st Team All-Conference Selection - Aidan Kromer, Guard
    - 2020 EPC Football - Northern Division 1st Team All-Conference Selection - Dario Walnock, Center
    - 2020 EPC Football - Northern Division 1st Team All-Conference Selection - Joe Kerbacher, Quarterback
    - 2020 EPC Football - Northern Division 1st Team All-Conference Selection - Tyrese Brandon, Offensive Athlete & Cornerback
    - 2020 EPC Football - Northern Division 1st Team All-Conference Selection - Josh Gaycheck, Inside Linebacker
    - 2020 EPC Football - Northern Division 2nd Team All-Conference Selection - Nick Caiazzo, Outside Linebacker
    - 2020 EPC Football - Northern Division 2nd Team All-Conference Selection - Spencer Cole, Defensive Athlete
  - Dario Walnock: National Football Foundation Scholar Athlete Nomination
  - Lehigh Valley Live All-Area Team
    - 1st Team
      - Tyrese Brandon DB/RB
    - 2nd Team
      - Joe Kerbacher QB
      - Jared Russell WR
    - 3rd Team
      - Spencer Cole DB
      - Dario Walnock OL
    - Honorable Mention
      - Josh Gaycheck LB
      - Sam Nelson OL/DL
      - Aidan Reinhard K
- Milestones:
  - Best regular season in 45-years (1974 Team finished 9-1)
  - Won 9 games in a row for the first time since 1959 (9-0, LNL Champions)
  - EPC North Division Champions
    - 1<sup>st</sup> League Championship since 1997, Mountain Valley Champions with

- a record of 8-5)
  - Won 10-games for just the third time in school history (1998 and 2008 both went 10-3)
  - First team to qualify for the District XI tournament in back-to-back seasons
  - Team scored 562 points topping the 1937 “The Wonder Team” total of 518
  - Averaged 46.8 points per-game ranked 3<sup>rd</sup> all-time behind the 1961 team that scored 47.6 ppg and the 1937 “Wonder Team” that averaged a remarkable 57.6 ppg
- Records:
- Tyrese Brandon
    - Most TD’s in a season, 29 (Charlie Wogenrich, 23 in 1961)
    - Most Points in a season, 176 (Charlie Wogenrich, 138, in 1961)
    - Most combined rushing and receiving yards, Season 1,916 yards
    - Most All-Purpose yards in a season, 2,151 (Tom Rohn, 1,893 in 1998)
    - Most Touchdowns in a career, 61 (Tom Rohn, 44 from 1996-99)
    - Most Points in a career, 370 (Robert Reimer, 346 from 1954-56)
    - Most Rushing yards in a career, 2,767 (Phil Hard, 2,537 from 1997-00)
    - Most Rushing touchdowns in a career, 42 (Charles Shimer, 38 from 1954-56)
    - Most Receptions in a career, 88 (Jeff Pammer, 81 from 2000-03)
    - Most Receiving yards in a career, 1,446 (Tommy Rohn, 1,367 from 2000-03)
    - Most Receiving Touchdowns in a career, 17 (Tom Rohn 12, 1996-99)
    - Most All-Purpose Yards in a Career, 5,659 (Tom Rohn, 5,095 from 1996-99)
    - 3<sup>rd</sup> K-Kid to rush for 1,000-yards in multiple seasons (1,066 in 2018, 1,040 in 2019)
    - Caught a 91-yard TD pass from Joe Kerbacher for the longest connection in school history
  - Jared Russell
    - Tied the record for the most receiving TDs in a game (3) (held by five others – most recent: Vance Szabo 1993 vs CCHS)
    - Most TD receptions in a season: 13 (Kyle George, 10, 2012)
    - Most Receptions in a season: 47 (Kyle George, 45, 2012)
  - Joe Kerbacher
    - Most Passing Yards in a season: 2,188 (Nick Cook, 2,148, 2012)
    - Most TD passes in a season: 29 (Craig Muschko, 1, 2003)
    - Tied most TD passes in a game: 5 vs. Allen (Tied Zach Szoke, 2008 vs P.M. West)
    - Tied most TD passes All-Time: 36 (Eric Spadt, 36, 1993-95)
    - Threw a 91-yard TD pass to Tyrese Brandon for the longest connection in school history (previous – Kyle George from Nick Cook vs Becahi in 2012)
  - Aiden Reinhardt
    - Most Point-after-Touchdowns, Game - 9 (vs Catasauqua)
    - Most Point-after-Touchdowns, Season - 68 (surpassing his 2018 mark – 48)

- Most Point-after-Touchdowns, Career – 127 (73 - Robert Reimer, 1954-56)
  
- **Golf**
  - EPC Record: 7-5
    - EPC Team Championships: 6th Place
    - **Nate Wheeler: 1st Place, EPC Championships**
    - Madison Salter: 3rd Place Girls, EPC Championships
  - Overall Record: 11-5
    - Nate Wheeler: Exempt Qualifier, DXI Championships - 6th Place Finish
    - Nate Wheeler: Regional Qualifier
    - Madison Salter: Exempt Qualifier, DXI Championships - 5th Place Finish
    - Andrew Sawarynski: Qualifier, DXI Championships - 31st Place
  - Accolades:
    - **Nate Wheeler: EPC Golf Most Valuable Player**
  
- **Soccer - Boys**
  - EPC Record: 7-8-1
  - Overall Record: 9-8-1
    - District XI First Round Qualifier: Northampton 4 - PM West 1
    - District XI Quarterfinalist: Parkland 2 - Northampton 0
  - Accolades:
    - Nate Horn: EPC All-Star: Third Team
    - Brady Rimple: DXI Soccer Coaches Scholar Athlete Nomination
  
- **Soccer - Girls**
  - EPC Record: 10-5-1
    - EPC Quarterfinalist: Emmaus 1 - Northampton 0
  - Overall Record: 12-5-1
    - District XI Quarterfinalist: Northampton 4 - Easton 3
    - District XI Semifinals: Freedom 2 - Northampton 1
  - Accolades:
    - Abbi Czarnecki: The Morning Call/Coordinated Health Athlete of the Week (10/14)
    - Abbi Czarnecki: EPC All-Star: First Team
    - Payce Korpics: EPC All-Star: Second Team
    - Rayne Korpics: EPC All-Star: Third Team
    - Lehigh Valley Live All-Area Team
      - First Team
        - Abbi Czarnecki
      - Second Team
        - Rayne Korpics
      - Honorable Mention
        - Payce Korpics
        - Hannah Werkheiser
        - Becky Galicki
        - Alex Benedict
        - Isabella Nota
        - Kylie Gilliard

- Alyssa Bendekovits
  - Payce Korpics: DXI Soccer Coaches Scholar Athlete Nomination
- **Tennis - Girls**
  - EPC Record: 6-8
  - Overall Record: 8-8
    - Liz Hozza: DXI Singles First Round Qualifier
    - Liz Hozza & Rose Sharga: District XI Doubles First Round & Quarterfinalists
  - Accolades:
    - Liz Hozza: EPC All-Star: Third Team
- **Volleyball - Girls**
  - EPC Record: 9-7
    - EPC Quarterfinalist: Emmaus 3 - Northampton 0
  - Overall Record: 11-7
    - District XI First Round Qualifier: Northampton 3 - PM West 0
    - District XI Quarterfinalist: Northampton 3 - D. Valley 0
    - District XI Semifinalist: Emmaus 3 - Northampton 1
  - Accolades:
    - Sydney Heffner: 1,000 Career Assists
    - Sydney Heffner: EPC All-Star: Second Team
    - Sydney Heffner: 2019 DXI Girls Volleyball All-Star Team
    - Brooke Rockovits: Coordinated Health Athlete of the Week
    - Brooke Rockovits: 2019 DXI Girls Volleyball All-Star Team
- **Winter Varsity Sports**
  - Basketball - Boys
    - EPC Record: 8-8
    - Overall Record: 16-10
      - Salisbury Holiday Tournament Champions
        - MVP: Zac Gula
      - DXI Quarterfinals: Northampton 52 - Liberty 44
      - DXI Semifinals: Northampton 60 - Easton 46
      - DXI Finals: Freedom 58 - Northampton 48
      - PIAA Quarterfinal: Lower Merion 61 - Northampton 43
    - Accolades:
      - Zac Gula: EPC 3rd Team All-Star
      - Donte Rodriguez: Coordinated Health Athlete of the Week Nominee (2/27)
      - Donte Rodriguez: The Morning Call All Area Honorable Mention
      - Zac Gula: The Morning Call All Area Honorable Mention
      - Spencer Cole: The Morning Call All Area Honorable Mention
      - Zac Gula: EPC Basketball Scholar Athlete
      - Zac Gula: VIA Scholar Athlete
  - Basketball - Girls
    - EPC Record: 12-4
    - Overall Record: 18-6
      - PM West Holiday Champions
        - MVP: Morgan Sterner
      - EPC Quarterfinals: Freedom 57 - Northampton 50
      - DXI Quarterfinals: PM West 42 - Northampton 40

- Accolades
        - Morgan Sterner - EPC 1st Team All-Conference
- Cheerleading
  - EPC Record: N/A
  - Overall Record: N/A
    - EPC Cheerleading Championships: 8th Place
    - District XI Cheerleading Championships: 8th Place/Small Division
    - PIAA Cheerleading Championships: N/A
- Swim/Dive - Boys
  - EPC Record: 7-4
  - Overall Record: 8-5
    - Gwen L. Whildin Natatorium Dedication 12/12/19
    - District XI Team Championships: 7th Place
    - District XI Individual Championships:
      - Connor Oswald: 100 Breast (7th)
      - Tommy Nichols: 200 Individual Medley (7th) & 100 Breaststroke (12th)
      - Bryce Fisher: 200 Freestyle (13th)
    - DXI AAA Diving Championships: Seth Janders - 7th Place
    - DXI AAA Diving Championships: Boden Burkhart - 8th Place
- Swim/Dive - Girls
  - EPC Record: 6-5
  - Overall Record: 7-6
    - Gwen L. Whildin Natatorium Dedication 12/12/19
    - District XI Team Championships: 7th Place
    - District XI Individual Championships:
      - Olivia Szerencsits: 500 Freestyle (2nd Place), Northampton School Record 5:11:28
      - Olivia Szerencsits: 200 Freestyle (3rd Place), Northampton School Record 1:57:58
      - Morgan Thomas: 200 Freestyle (13th) & 500 Freestyle (15th)
      - Sarah Hosking: 200 Individual Medley (6th) & 100 Breaststroke (5th)
    - EPC All-Conference: Olivia Szerencsits: 500 Freestyle 2nd Team
    - EPC All-Conference: Olivia Szerencsits: 200 Freestyle 3rd Team
    - PIAA Championships: Olivia Szerencsits: 500 Freestyle (27th Place)
- Wrestling
  - EPC Record: 8-1
  - Overall Record: 17-2
    - Team Recognition
      - Bethlehem Holiday Classic Team Runner Up
      - Parkland Duals Champion
      - DXI Team Duals: Quarterfinal - Northampton 64 - Stroudsburg 15
      - DXI Team Duals: Semifinal - Bethlehem Catholic 37 - Northampton 24
      - DXI Team Duals: Consolation - Northampton 43 - Emmaus 15
      - DXI Team Duals: Consolation - Northampton 56 - Liberty 18
      - DXI Individual AAA Tournament Team Result: 3rd Place
    - Wrestler Recognition
      - Jagger Condomitti - 100 Wins - Saturday, January 11, 2020 vs. Easton Red Rovers

- Noah Reichelderfer - Most Points/Least Amount Time - Bethlehem Holiday Classic
- Ethan Szerencsits - Coordinated Health Athlete of the Week Nominee (Jan 5th)
- Noah Reichelderfer - EPC 3rd Team All-Conference
- Dagen Condomitti - EPC 1st Team All-Conference
- Ethan Szerencsits - EPC 3rd Team All-Conference
- CJ Fritz - EPC 3rd Team All-Conference
- Jagger Condomitti - EPC 2nd Team All-Conference
- Makei Hubert - EPC 3rd Team All-Conference
- Blake Lambert - EPC 1st Team All-Conference
- DXI Individual Tournament: Carson Wagner, 106, 3rd Place
- DXI Individual Tournament: Gunnar Wagner, 113, 5th Place
- DXI Individual Tournament: Dagen Condomitti, 126, 2nd Place
- DXI Individual Tournament: Ethan Szerencsits, 132, 3rd Place
- **DXI Individual Tournament: Jagger Condomitti, 145, 1st Place, Most Outstanding Tournament Wrestler**
- DXI Individual Tournament: Colby Judd, 152, 5th Place
- DXI Individual Tournament: Traisach Roland, 160, 2nd Place
- DXI Individual Tournament: Riley Gallagher, 182, 5th Place
- DXI Individual Tournament: Kyle Perl, 195, 6th Place
- DXI Individual Tournament: Blake Lambert, 220, 3rd Place
- DXI Individual Tournament: Makei Hubert, 285, 5th Place
- Northeast Regional Tournament: Carson Wagner, 106, 3rd Place
- **Northeast Regional Tournament: Dagen Condomitti, 126, 1st Place**
- Northeast Regional Tournament: Ethan Szerencsits, 132, 3rd Place
- Northeast Regional Tournament: Jagger Condomitti, 145, 2nd Place
- Northeast Regional Tournament: Colby Judd, 152, 5th Place
- Northeast Regional Tournament: Riley Gallagher, 182, 5th Place
- Northeast Regional Tournament: Blake Lambert, 220, 5th Place
- Northeast Regional Tournament: Makei Hubert, 285, 5th Place
- PIAA Individual Tournament: Carson Wagner, 106, 5th Place
- PIAA Individual Tournament: Dagen Condomitti, 126
- PIAA Individual Tournament: Ethan Szerencsits, 132
- PIAA Individual Tournament: Jagger Condomitti, 145, 2nd Place
- PIAA Individual Tournament: Blake Lambert, 220
- Carson Wagner: The Morning Call All Area 2nd Team
- Dagen Condomitti: The Morning Call All Area 2nd Team
- Jagger Condomitti: The Morning Call All Area 2nd Team
- Ethan Szerencsits: The Morning Call All Area 3rd Team
- Riley Gallagher, Makei Hubert, Colby Judd, Blake Lambert, Kyle Perl, Noah Reichelderfer, Traisach Roland, Gunnar Wagner: The Morning Call All Area Honorable Mention
- Ethan Szerencsits: DXI Coaches Association Scholar Athlete Nomination

- **Spring Varsity Sports**
  - Baseball

- EPC Record: N/A
    - Overall Record: N/A
  - Lacrosse - Boys
    - EPC Record: N/A
    - Overall Record: N/A
  - Lacrosse - Girls
    - EPC Record: N/A
    - Overall Record: N/A
  - Softball
    - EPC Record: N/A
    - Overall Record: N/A
      - Madison Biechy: EPC Softball Scholar Athlete
  - Tennis - Boys
    - EPC Record: N/A
    - Overall Record: N/A
      - Henry Hoffman: DXI Tennis Coaches Association Scholar Athlete Nomination
  - Track & Field - Boys
    - EPC Record: N/A
    - Overall Record: N/A
  - Track & Field - Girls
    - EPC Record: N/A
    - Overall Record: N/A
  - Volleyball - Boys
    - EPC Record: N/A
    - Overall Record: N/A
- **Cement Belt Challenge**
  - Northampton Area High School vs. Whitehall High School
    - 2019-20 Champion - Northampton Area High School
- **Northampton Area High School Hall of Fame Inductees**
  - 2018-19
  - Ceremony: September 27, 2019 vs. East Stroudsburg South
    - Charles Hoffman
    - 1956/1957 NHS Football Team
- **2019-20 Scholar Athletes**
  - EPC
    - Cheer: Taylor Fegely
    - Cross Country (Boys): Vince Gallagher
    - Cross Country (Girls): Lena Kugelman
    - Field Hockey: Lauren Schaller
    - Football: Dario Walnock
    - Golf: N/A
    - Soccer (Boys): Brady Rimple
    - Soccer (Girls): Payce Korpics
    - Tennis (Girls): Liz Hozza
    - Volleyball (Girls): Kayla Best



- Basketball (Boys): Zac Gula
- Basketball (Girls): N/A
- Wrestling: Traisach Roland
- Swim/Dive (Boys): Bryce Fisher
- Swim/Dive (Girls): Morgan Thomas
- Lehigh Valley Soccer Association
  - Soccer (Boys): Brady Rimple
  - Soccer (Girls): Payce Korpics
- DXI Tennis Scholar Athlete Association
  - Tennis (Girls): Rose Sharga
  - Tennis (Boys): N/A
- National Football Foundation
  - Football: Dario Walnock
- DXI Wrestling Coaches Association
  - N/A