

QUAKER ATHLETICS BOOSTER CLUB



NEWSLETTER

From the President...

Fall is upon us and I am sure most of you have been as busy as my family the last few weeks. Homecoming was wonderful, the weather co-operated and the athletic fields and stands were full. It is hard to believe some of the Orchard Park athletic teams have concluded their seasons. Congratulations to all team members and coaches on your accomplishments.

The concession stand at the athletic field has been very busy. We have been open for an unprecedented 21 events so far. These included boys & girls soccer, field hockey and all levels of football. Of course the QABC would not be able to operate without the tireless efforts of our volunteers.

Please take note of the many names listed in this months' newsletter.

I would like to offer a heartfelt THANK YOU from me and all of the student athletes you support by donating your time and efforts.

Please consider adding your name to that list – we still have a few events left this season.

Sincerely,
Elaine Brink, President
QABC

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IN MEMORY OF **LAWRENCE R. RAUB** WHO PASSED AWAY ON SEPTEMBER 1, 2010.

Donations made to the Orchard Park Quaker Athletics Booster Club on the behalf of Lawrence Raub:

Kelly Anderson, Michael Auricchio, Inc., Harold Bixby, H.S. Bixby, Holly Bowser, Dahmen Brown & Mary Gallagher, Maxine, Patrick, Mark, and Colette Charette, John and Lynn (Mather) Charette, Paul Charette, Aimee Gomlak, Jason Jankowiak, Raymond & Mary Lindquist, Donald B. Malcolm, M. L. & D.B. Malcolm, Jeffery & Lisa Maul--West Valley Environmental Services, LLC, Judy Morrow, Norman Morrow, Norman & Judith Morrow, Richard and Margaret Mrugalski, Sunta Perfetto, Joseph Ruh & Julia Garver, The Sanfilippo Family, Andrew & Jacqueline Tedesco, Margo Wiedrich-Smith, Joseph & Deborah Zizzi, and the co-workers of Rachel Charette from West Valley Environmental Services.



Find out what these two have in common on Page 5

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QUAKER ATHLETICS – TEAM SCHEDULES

Quakers Coed Varsity Cross Country

Tuesday 10/19 4:45PM @ Williamsville North
Friday 11/5 TBA @ Sectionals

Quakers Coed Mod B Cross Country

Wednesday 10/20 4:45PM @ Starpoint Mod Invitational
Wednesday 10/27 4:45PM @ Clarence Mod Invitational
Wednesday 11/3 4:30PM @ Alden Mod Invitational

Quakers Girls Varsity Field Hockey

Friday 10/15 4:45PM vs. Lancaster
Monday 10/18 4:30PM vs. Iroquois Central High School
Wednesday 10/20 4:30PM vs. Pioneer Central High School
Friday 10/29 3:00PM vs. Quarter Finals(at higher seed)
Thursday 11/4 TBA @ Semi-Finals
Wednesday 11/10 TBA vs. Finals
Saturday 11/13 TBA @ Regionals

Quakers Girls Junior Varsity Field Hockey

Friday 10/15 4:30PM @ Lancaster
Monday 10/18 4:30PM @ Iroquois Central High School
Wednesday 10/20 4:30PM @ Pioneer Central High School

Quakers Girls Mod B Field Hockey

Saturday 10/16 10:00AM vs. Williamsville North
Tuesday 10/19 4:30PM @ Clarence Senior High School
Thursday 10/21 4:45PM vs. Sweet Home
Monday 10/25 4:30PM @ West Seneca West

Quakers Boys Varsity Football

Friday 10/15 7:00PM @ Jamestown
Friday 10/22 7:30PM vs. Week #8 (Play-In)
Friday 10/29 7:30PM vs. Semi-Final
Friday 11/5 8:30PM @ Semi-Final
Friday 11/12 TBA @ Regionals
Saturday 11/20 6:00PM @ State Semi-Finals
Sunday 11/28 3:00PM @ State Finals

Quakers Boys Junior Varsity Football

Thursday 9/16 7:00PM @ West Seneca West
Saturday 9/25 10:00AM vs. Frontier
Thursday 9/30 7:30PM vs. Riverside Institute of Technology
Saturday 10/9 10:00AM @ Bennett High School
Thursday 10/14 7:30PM vs. Jamestown

Quakers Boys Freshman Football

Thursday 9/16 4:30PM vs. St. Francis
Thursday 9/23 4:30PM @ Clarence Senior High School
Thursday 9/30 5:00PM vs. North Tonawanda
Thursday 10/7 4:30PM vs. Frontier
Thursday 10/14 4:30PM @ St. Joe Collegiate Institute
Thursday 10/21 4:30PM @ Canisius

Quakers Boys Mod B Football

Wednesday 10/20 5:00PM vs. Williamsville North
Wednesday 10/27 4:30PM vs. West Seneca East

Quakers Boys Varsity Golf

Monday 10/18 2:30PM @ Team Championship

Quakers Girls Varsity Gymnastics

Monday 10/18 5:00PM @ Frontier / Hamburg
Friday 10/22 5:00PM @ Williamsville North / Frontier
Tuesday 10/26 5:00PM @ Hamburg / Frontier
Thursday 10/28 5:00PM @ Lancaster
Saturday 10/30 1:00PM @ Halloween Invitational
Wednesday 11/3 5:00PM @ Sectionals
Friday 3/4 TBA @ States @ Shaker HS, Albany

Quakers Boys Varsity Soccer

Monday 10/18 4:30PM @ West Seneca West
Wednesday 10/20 4:30PM vs. Frontier
Friday 10/22 7:00PM @ Hamburg
Wednesday 10/27 TBA vs. Pre-Quarters (at higher seed)
Friday 10/29 TBA vs. Quarters (at higher seed)
Wednesday 11/3 TBA @ Semi-finals
Saturday 11/6 5:00PM @ Finals
Saturday 11/13 5:00PM @ Regionals

Quakers Girls Varsity Soccer

Friday 10/15 4:30PM @ Lancaster
Tuesday 10/19 4:30PM @ Frontier
Thursday 10/21 7:00PM vs. West Seneca West
Monday 10/25 3:30PM vs. Qualifier (if needed)
Tuesday 10/26 3:30PM vs. Pre-Quarter
Thursday 10/28 3:30PM vs. Quarter-final(at higher seed)
Tuesday 11/2 5:00PM @ Semi-final
Saturday 11/6 1:30PM @ Final
Saturday 11/6 1:30PM @ Final
Saturday 11/13 TBA @ Regionals

Quakers Boys Junior Varsity Soccer

Monday 10/18 4:30PM @ West Seneca West
Wednesday 10/20 4:30PM vs. Frontier
Friday 10/22 5:00PM @ Hamburg

Quakers Girls Junior Varsity Soccer

Friday 10/15 4:30AM @ Lancaster
Tuesday 10/19 4:30PM @ Frontier
Thursday 10/21 4:30PM vs. West Seneca West

Quakers Boys Mod B Soccer

Friday 10/15 4:30PM @ Frontier
Tuesday 10/19 4:45PM vs. West Seneca West

Quakers Girls Mod B Soccer

Monday 10/18 5:00PM vs. Williamsville North
Wednesday 10/20 4:45PM vs. Frontier
Monday 10/25 4:30PM @ West Seneca West

Quakers Girls Varsity Swimming

Friday 10/15 5:00PM vs. Frontier
Tuesday 10/19 5:00PM vs. Sweet Home
Friday 11/5 4:00PM @ Sectionals
Saturday 11/6 2:00PM @ Sectionals
Thursday 11/18 TBA @ States
Friday 11/19 TBA @ States
Saturday 11/20 TBA @ States

QUAKER ATHLETICS

- TEAM SCHEDULES

Quakers Girls Varsity Tennis

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| Tuesday 10/19 | 4:00PM | @ | Gold, Silver, Bronze Tournament |
| Wednesday 10/20 | 4:00PM | @ | Gold, Silver, Bronze Tournament |
| Friday 10/29 | 1:00PM | @ | Sectionals |
| Saturday 10/30 | 3:00PM | @ | Sectionals |
| Saturday 11/6 | TBA | @ | States @ Eastside Racquet Club, Manlius, NY |
| Sunday 11/7 | TBA | @ | States @ Eastside Racquet Club, Manlius, NY |
| Monday 11/8 | TBA | @ | States @ Eastside Racquet Club, Manlius, NY |

Quakers Boys JV/Varsity Volleyball

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| Friday 10/15 | 5:30PM | vs. | Frontier |
| Saturday 10/16 | TBA | vs. | OP VB Tournament |
| Monday 10/18 | 5:30PM | vs. | Lake Shore Senior High School |
| Wednesday 10/20 | 6:00PM | @ | Hamburg |
| Friday 10/22 | 5:00PM | @ | West Seneca West |
| Tuesday 10/26 | 5:30PM | vs. | Lancaster |
| Wednesday 10/27 | 5:30PM | @ | Eden |
| Thursday 10/28 | 6:00PM | vs. | Qualifier (if needed) |
| Friday 10/29 | 6:00PM | vs. | Pre-1/4 @ Higher Seed |
| Wednesday 11/3 | 6:00PM | vs. | Quarterfinal @ higher seed |
| Saturday 11/6 | TBA | vs. | Semi-finals |
| Wednesday 11/10 | 6:00PM | @ | Finals |
| Saturday 11/13 | TBA | @ | Regionals |
| Saturday 11/20 | TBA | @ | States |

Quakers Girls JV/Varsity Volleyball

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|-----------------|--------|-----|-------------------------------|
| Saturday 10/16 | TBA | @ | North Tonawanda Tournament |
| Monday 10/18 | 6:00PM | @ | Hamburg |
| Wednesday 10/20 | 5:30PM | vs. | Starpoint |
| Wednesday 10/20 | 5:30PM | vs. | Starpoint Central High School |
| Friday 10/29 | TBA | vs. | Qualifier game |
| Monday 11/1 | TBA | @ | Pre 1/4's |
| Wednesday 11/3 | TBA | @ | 1/4's |
| Friday 11/5 | TBA | @ | Semi-Finals |
| Monday 11/8 | 6:00PM | @ | Finals |

Quakers Boys Mod B Volleyball

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|-----------------|--------|-----|------------|
| Monday 10/18 | 4:00PM | @ | Hamburg |
| Thursday 10/21 | 4:45PM | vs. | Lancaster |
| Monday 10/25 | 4:30PM | @ | Frontier |
| Wednesday 10/27 | 4:30PM | @ | Sweet Home |

Quakers Girls Mod B Volleyball

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|----------------|--------|-----|------------------|
| Friday 10/15 | 4:30PM | @ | West Seneca West |
| Monday 10/18 | 4:45PM | vs. | Lancaster |
| Tuesday 10/19 | 4:30PM | @ | Frontier |
| Thursday 10/21 | 4:30PM | @ | Hamburg |



Coaches Corner:

Coach Ted Washburn
 - Quakers Boys & Girls
 Varsity & JV Cross Country

Coach Washburn started his coaching career at Orchard Park in 2000. He also coaches Girls Varsity Track, Boys Varsity Track, and the Summer Track Program.

Some of Coach Washburn's career highlights include the Girls Track Team have winning four sectional titles in the last 10 years, Ranked in the Top 10 in NY State the last two years, being ranked in the Top 10 in WNY for the past eleven years, have had numerous athletes participate in State Competitions, and have had more participants in the sport the last two years, than in the history of our team. He has been an ECIC Coach of the Year nominee three times.

Mr. Washburn started playing sports in the sixth grade and competed in High School-Varsity Cross Country, Varsity Track, Varsity Basketball, Varsity Baseball, Varsity Soccer at Niagara-Wheatfield, and participated in Cross Country and Track in college at SUNY Fredonia.

Coach Washburn continues to run recreationally and enjoys hiking, golfing, fishing, travelling to National Parks, reading, eating at Mighty Taco and Bar Bill Chicken Wings.

This 5th grade teacher at Eggert Elementary has been married to Amy 4 1/2 years now, have a beautiful 15 month old daughter named Caroline.

Some of his favorite flix include Jaws, Better Off Dead (I want my \$2!), Ferris Bueller's Day Off, Lord of the Rings, and Halloween. Coach Washburn is also a fan of The Tragically Hip, Bruce Springsteen, The Pixies, Radiohead, and U2.

"Where else would you rather be than right here, right now?" -Marv Levy

(This being said to my athletes while they are in the midst of an especially hard workout)

**THE NEXT QABC MEETING:
7 PM THURSDAY, NOVEMBER 18TH
AT ORCHARD PARK ATHLETIC DIRECTOR'S OFFICE**

VOLUNTEERS ARE NEEDED TO HELP OPERATE THE CONCESSION STAND FOR THE FOLLOWING EVENTS:

| DATE | EVENT | GAME AT | OPEN AT |
|-----------------|----------------------------|---------|---------|
| Friday 10/15 | Girls Varsity Field Hockey | 4:45 PM | 4:15 PM |
| Wednesday 10/20 | Boys Mod B Football | 5:00 PM | 4:30 PM |
| Thursday 10/21 | Girls JV Soccer | 4:30 PM | 4:00 PM |
| | Girls Varsity Soccer | 6:30 PM | |
| Wednesday 10/27 | Boys Mod B Football | 4:30 PM | 4:00 PM |
| TBD | ANY PLAYOFF GAME(S) | TBD | TBD |

A SPECIAL THANKS TO THE FOLLOWING VOLUNTEERS WHO HELPED EARLIER THIS MONTH:

Ed Belica, Theresa Birmingham, Sarah Bozeski, Justine Brennan, Elaine Brink, Jenny Brink, Michael Brink, Mike Campbell, Lisa Cimorelli, Robin Crowley, Barb Elie, Kim Eusanio, Debbie Fleetwood, Emily Fleetwood, Scott Fleetwood, Emily Gartenman, Mary Beth Holly, Tim Holly, Bob Hoover, Mary Ann Hoover, Ashley Hughes, Katie Hylkema, Kelly Hylkema, Melanie Janulewicz, Ardis Kazinski, Tom Koller, Kim Koscielnak, Cassidy Kozub, Joe Krug, Jill Legler, Nicole Legler, Patrick Legler, Taylor Legler, Chelsea Lepore, Donna Lepore, Megan McKendry, Mike Moran, Cam Morton, Pam Murphy, Colleen Nunn, Mike Nunn, Caroline Perfetto, Sunta Perfetto, Brittany Popovski, Maggie Pszonak, Daquan Rodriguez, Charolette Sanfilippo, Amy Schaffstall, Bob Stasiak, Carrie Stasiak, Karen Stasiak, Alyssa Trampert, Sandy Trampert, Greg Zablonki, and Jillian Zablonki

Volunteers are always needed...if you'd like to be added to our volunteer list, please contact us at: opqabc@live.com

Welcome NEW QABC Members for the 2010/2011 school year:

GOLD LEVEL: Laurie Alico, Robin & Jim Crowley, Mary Anne & Rick Dolce, Marianne & Bob Hoover, The Januskiewicz Family, Kathleen Knauth, Anthony R. Kritkausky, Jennifer Kurocina, Pam & Kevin Murphy, Mike & Collen Nunn, Bill & Linda O'Connell, Diane Trageser, and The Zizzi Family.

SILVER LEVEL: Michael Burger, Randy & Michele Ferrino, Thomas Hoelzl, Greg & Kelly Hylkema, Tim & Hope Keilman, Dennis & Mary Stanek, and Bill & Jody Tatay

BRONZE LEVEL: Claudia Anderson, Russ & Kathy Arcara, June Brennan, The Cimorelli Family, Barbara Elie, Ginny Hogan, Tim & Mary Beth Holly, Tom Koerner, Donna Lepore, Michael & Nanette McCormick, Mike & Sally Ruppenthal, Michael & Marjorie Smith, and Tracy Zanda

ORCHARD PARK QUAKERS



**GET THE LATEST QABC
MERCHANDISE AT THE
CONCESSION STAND DURING MOST
ORCHARD PARK HIGH SCHOOL
STADIUM EVENTS!**

QABC MALE ATHLETE OF THE MONTH



Paul Leavell

The October Male Athlete of the Month is Paul Leavell. Paul was nominated by his football coach Gene Tundo. Paul plays football and baseball for Orchard Park. He is a team captain and considered the “quarterback” of the defense, calling all defensive plays on the field. In the last game of the regular season Paul had 15 tackles, 2 interceptions and a 10 yard touchdown run.

Coach Tundo calls Paul “a great kid, a great leader and one of the reasons the defense has played so well this season”. Paul has 2 older brothers that also played for Orchard Park. They attend St. John Fisher College where Paul will be attending next year. Congratulations Paul on a great football season and good luck in the future.

QABC FEMALE ATHLETE OF THE MONTH

Melanie Janulewicz

Melanie was nominated by Coach Bridget Callahan. Mel is the second year, Senior goalie for the Quakers Girls Varsity Field Hockey Team, posting a number of shutouts so far this year that have ranked her 2nd in the ECIC.

Miss Janulewicz is also a goalie for the Quakers Girls Lacrosse team, a sport she has been apart of since 7th Grade, she participates in the High School Musical, SMILE Club, Cancer Awareness Club, Swing Chorus, National Honor Society, Southtowns YES, and has attended the Circle Play Field Hockey Camp...all while also holding down a job at Abbott’s Frozen Custard!

Melanie plans on a career in nursing, and would like to attend St. John Fisher College next fall.



COACHES! To honor one of your players with the QABC Athlete of the Month...You know what to do! Send us an e-mail...opqabc@live.com!

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SPONSORSHIP REGISTRATION FORM

Your name: _____ Address: _____
 City: _____ State: _____ Zip: _____
 Day Phone: _____ Evening Phone: _____
 E-Mail Address: _____

Yes, I'll support the Orchard Park High School Community Athletic Field

SPONSORSHIP PACKAGES / BENEFITS (check one or more)

Fill in blocks with letters exactly as you would like to see them on your item(s). Leave a space between words, names and before and after "&".

Granite Bench Sponsor \$15,000 – 4' bench w/back & customized message engraved, placed on path between entrance & home stands

Wall Sponsor \$5,000 - 12" x 12" permanent bronze plaque affixed to entrance wall (96 characters - Spaces count as a character)

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Wall Sponsor \$3,000 - 6" x 12" permanent bronze plaque affixed to entrance wall (72 characters - Spaces count as a character)

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Granite Stone \$1,000 - 12" x 12" engraved with 72 characters (Spaces count as a character)

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Cobblestone Paver \$350 - 8"x 8" engraved with 54 characters (Spaces count as a character)

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| Total Donation \$ _____ |
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Please make check payable to: **Quaker Athletics Booster Club**

Mail this form and payment to: Quaker Athletics Booster Club
 Orchard Park High School
 4040 Baker Road
 Orchard Park, NY 14127

Thank you for your support!

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QUAKER ATHLETICS BOOSTER CLUB

2010-2011 MEMBERSHIP

The Quaker Athletics Booster Club supports sports for the interscholastic athlete as well as fitness for all students in the Orchard Park Schools. Our annual membership drive and concession stand profits are the Booster Club's primary source of funding.

THE BOOSTER CLUB HAS FUNDED

The **NEW** Turf Field, Baseball/Softball Pitching Machines, Weight Training Equipment, Score Boards, Wrestling Mats, Gymnasium Chairs, Netting for Soccer and Lacrosse at The Pit Field, Golf Bags, Basketball Shoot-A-Way Machines, the Annual QABC Scholarships, and MORE!

If you have any questions, or would like to get involved, please contact:

opqabc@live.com

Elaine Brink, President (662-4399) (laina4761@aol.com) or

Bob Stasiak, At-Large Member (674-5896)

Please help us continue our success by joining the Quaker Athletics' Booster Club, making a donation, and/or by volunteering!

All members are welcome to attend the QABC monthly meetings. Dates and times are listed in the OP School calendar and the QABC Monthly Newsletter

----- PLEASE CUT HERE -----

To join, donate, and/or volunteer for the Quaker Athletics Booster Club, please complete:

Name: _____

Phone Number: _____

Address: _____

E-mail address: _____

Yes No I would like to receive the QABC monthly newsletter via email

Yes No I would like to add my name to your volunteer list

Membership Levels: Bronze \$15.00

 Silver \$25.00

 Gold \$50.00

Total Amount Enclosed \$ _____

Please return completed form along with checks payable to:

QUAKER ATHLETICS BOOSTER CLUB

OPHS Main Office

4040 Baker Road

Orchard Park, NY 14127

Volunteers are needed to help operate the concession stand for various sporting events held at OP Stadium. Please consider adding your name to the volunteer list.

THANKS FOR SUPPORTING ORCHARD PARK HIGH SCHOOL ATHLETES! !