

All-Area Golf

GOLFER OF THE YEAR

COACH OF THE YEAR



ALEX HOFFMAN
MIDDLETOWN
JUNIOR

The Hoffman File

■ While a nagging back injury plagued him in the postseason and took him out of the running for a second straight state title, Hoffman remained one of the most consistent golfers in the county this year, winning the county and District I individual championships. Averaged 37.5 during the season.



MIKE FOX
MIDDLETOWN

The Fox File

■ When he took over the program at Middletown five years ago, Fox was hoping to bring the Knights into the top-ranks of the county golf teams. With such players as Alex Hoffman and Garrett Nicely on this year's team, Middletown qualified it's entire team for the state tournament for the first time in several years.

FIRST TEAM



GARRETT ELLIS
CATOCTIN
SOPHOMORE

■ First time state qualifier, shot 75 at county championships, 41.1 average during regular season



ERIN GIBBONS
URBANA
SOPHOMORE

■ First time state qualifier, low women's finisher for county at state tournament



JAMEY HEWATT
URBANA
SENIOR

■ 39.6 regular-season average, top county finisher in state tournament



ANDREW MEDOVICH
WALKERSVILLE
SENIOR

■ First-time state qualifier, 40.9 regular-season average, shot 74 at county championships



KYLER ROSE
URBANA
FRESHMAN

■ First-time state qualifier, 42.2 average, shot 83 at county championships



MIKE VEVERKA
BRUNSWICK
JUNIOR

■ State qualifier, shot an 82 at county championships, 42.0 average during regular season

HONORABLE MENTION

Catoctin—Jared Fahnstock, Tyler Miller. **Frederick**—Peter Denney. **Linganore**—Jimmy Eckard, Ryan Johnson, Siobhan Tischler, Stephen Washbaugh. **Middletown**—Garrett Nicely. **TJ**—Kyle Carpenter, Alex Keller. **Tuscarora**—Andrew Foote. **Urbana**—Brian Whitestone. **Walkersville**—Karson Tuck.

NOTE: The Frederick News-Post's all-area golf selections were based on regular-season averages, results from the county, MVAL, district and state championships, as well as through consultations with area coaches.

Notre Dame's Weis will return

Another disappointing year does not cost coach his job

SOUTH BEND, Ind. (AP) — Charlie Weis will return for a fifth year as Notre Dame's football coach despite posting his second straight disappointing season.

A person familiar with the decision said the university will make the official announcement later Wednesday. The person spoke on condition of anonymity because the information had not been authorized for release.

Weis has seven years left on a 10-year contract signed midway through his first season.

Athletic director Jack Swarbrick said following Notre Dame's 38-3 loss to USC on Saturday that he would evaluate Weis' performance. Both men were out of town Wednesday.

The decision to keep Weis was first reported by several media outlets Tuesday night.

Weis will have another shot at trying to return Notre Dame to prominence after posting back-to-back seasons of 3-9 and 6-6. The 15 losses are the most by Notre Dame in a two-year span.

The former New England Patriots offensive coordinator has a record of 28-21 in four years, a .571 winning percentage. That's slightly worse than his two predecessors, Tyrone Willingham and Bob Davie.

Weis, though, also led the Irish to BCS bowls in his initial two seasons at Notre Dame, first to the Fiesta Bowl then to the Sugar Bowl. The Irish are expected to go to a lower-level bowl this year.

Davie got the Irish to the Fiesta Bowl in 2000, Notre Dame's only BCS appearance in his five years as coach. The only bowl the Irish went to during Willingham's three years as coach was in 2002 to the Gator Bowl.

The decision to keep Weis is the first big decision in the tenure of Swarbrick, who took over the job in August.

Swarbrick said on Nov. 12

that he looked forward to Weis "being the head coach for a long time." But after an embarrassing 24-23 loss to Syracuse, the first time in its storied history that Notre Dame had fallen to an eight-loss team, and getting trounced by rival USC for the sixth time in seven straight losses to the Trojans, Swarbrick said he wouldn't comment on Weis' status until he had time to review the season.

Last season's triple-overtime loss to Navy ended an NCAA-record 43-game winning streak over the Midshipmen, and a pair of 38-0 losses to Michigan and USC were among the embarrassing defeats of the past two seasons.

In Weis' four seasons, only eight of Notre Dame's 28 victories came against teams that finished the season with a winning record. The Irish have recently gone 1-16 against teams that finished with a winning record.

The wins against quality teams have been scarce. Notre Dame beat No. 3 Michigan in Weis' second game as coach, but the Wolverines finished 7-5 that season. His only victory against a team that finished a season ranked in the Top 25 was a 41-17 win over a Penn State squad that finished 2006 ranked No. 24.

His finest moment as Irish coach came midway through his first season, when the Irish were 12-point underdogs to top-ranked USC. He worked Notre Dame fans into a frenzy that week and held the weekly pep rally outside at Notre Dame Stadium and 45,000 people attended. The Trojans narrowly won when Reggie Bush pushed Matt Leinart into the end zone with 3 seconds left.

Weis, who originally signed a five-year contract, was rewarded the next week with a 10-year contract that went started with the 2006 season.

2008-09 BOYS BASKETBALL ROSTERS

Brunswick

Coach: Dan McLane
Roster: Seniors—Shawn Baker, 6-1 guard; Danny Barnette, 6-0 guard-forward; Keith Conerly, 6-4 forward; Marcus Hall, 6-0 guard; Jeremy Roderick, 6-0 guard-forward; Justin Stone, 6-4 forward. Juniors—Derrick Aronhalt, 5-10 guard; Brandon Buhr, 6-3 forward; Nathan Foltz, 6-4 forward; Jean-Luc Harabayashi, 5-10 guard; Angelo Morehead, 5-9 guard. Freshmen—Ian Fisher, 6-5 center.

Catoctin

Coach: Ryan Oman
Roster: Seniors—Justin Albright, 5-9 point guard; Paul Tumulty, 6-0 forward; Joseph Minor, 6-2 center. Juniors—Derek Szabados, 5-10 guard; Tanner Ausherman, 6-1 forward; Braden Myers, 6-2 forward; Kolby Maly, 6-0 guard; Dylan Schwab, 5-10 forward; David Hertel, 5-9 guard; Nick Nowaczyk, 5-10 guard; Dylan May, 6-0 forward. Sophomores—Sean Reaver, 6-1 center; Landon Routzahn, 5-10 guard.

Frederick

Coach: Annie McGaha
Roster: Seniors—Danzel Ferguson, 5-9 guard; Pernell Ricks, 6-4 forward; Josh Harrison, 6-1 forward; Monnie James, 5-8 guard; Corday Ingram, 5-8 guard; Donald Dawson, 5-11 forward; DJ Whiten, 5-9 guard; EJ Logan, 5-10 guard; Jeff Bowie, 6-1 forward; Albert Bastian, 5-8 guard. Juniors—Mykel Allen, 5-7 guard; Craig Johnson, 6-1 forward; Randy Alford, 6-4 forward.

Linganore

Coach: Tom Kraft
Roster: Seniors—Nathan Dula, 6-2 guard; Jimmy Eckard, 6-2 forward; Sterling Hallfors, 6-1 guard; Jeremy Veres, 6-5 forward. Juniors—Brandyn Wilkerson, 5-9 guard; Ryan Dixon, 6-0 guard; David Feuz, 5-10 guard; Jeff Havenstein, 6-7 forward; Danny Hennigan, 6-0 forward. Sophomores—Matt Fratto, 5-11 guard; Mike Wirtz, 5-8 guard. **Note:** Additional players will be added after Linganore's football season ends.

MSD

Coach: James DeStefeno, 1st season
Roster: Seniors—Ryan Bonheyo, 6-2; Clayton Grossinger, 6-1; Mike Mabashov, 6-0. Juniors—Roy Barron, 5-10; Ty Heisey, 5-8; Donte Thomas, 5-8. Sophomores—Todd Bonheyo, 6-1; DeAndre Gaskins, 5-11; Shawn Harrington, 6-5; Todd Rewolinski, 6-0; Eric Setzer, 6-0. Freshmen—James Steingieser, 6-0; Jesse Steingieser, 6-2.

Middletown

Coaches: Jon Jarrett, Tim Leber
Roster: Seniors—Tony Boyer, 5-10 forward; Matt Collins, 6-7 center; Jordan Hall, 6-2 guard; Doug Jesse, 6-2 forward; Morgan Winn, 6-5 forward. Juniors—Daniel Schumm, 6-1 forward; Patrick Ryan, 6-0 guard; Brendan McCarrick, 6-0 forward; Will Lyons, 6-2 forward; Kevin Harris, 5-11 guard; Sam Glushakow, 5-11 guard. Sophomore—Chris Pirrone, 5-11 guard.

New Life

Coach: Bruce Bryant
Roster: Seniors—Ryan Conners, 5-10 guard; Clinton Crowder, 5-8 guard; Sherard Johnson, 6-1 forward-guard. Juniors—David Sage, 6-0 guard; Kirk Ellis, 6-1 forward; Christian Wilson, 6-2 center-forward. Sophomores—Ray Dupuls, 5-8 guard; Cody Hamrick, 6-2 forward-center; Nick Seders, 6-1 forward. Freshmen—Matt Dillon, 5-8 guard; Brian Roynestad, 5-11 forward; Nathan DeJong, 6-2 center.

SJCP

Coach: Silas Cheung
Roster: Seniors—Troy King, 6-7 forward; Darnell Wiley, 5-10 guard. Juniors—J.R. Ferguson, 6-4 forward; Cedrick Johnson, 5-10 guard; Kevin Brennan, 6-3 guard; Matt Reeping, 6-2 guard; Wayne Bradford, 6-0 guard; Forrest Mason, 6-3 forward. Sophomores—Kevin Thomas, 6-8 forward; Matej Delinac, 6-3 guard; Grandy Glaze, 6-6 forward.

TJ

Coach: John Manley, 1st season
Roster: Seniors—Cameron Bowens, 5-9 guard; Kevin Cross, 5-11 guard; Norman DuVall, 6-4 forward-center; Shea Fisher, 6-3 forward-center; Dwayne Jenkins, 6-4 guard-forward; Bruce Myers, 5-10 guard. Juniors—Victor Walker, 6-1 guard; Kyle Peyton, 6-1 forward; Deon Maddox, 6-4 guard-forward; Brian Healy, 6-4 guard-forward; Morris Godwin, 6-4 forward; Michael Cosley, 5-11 guard; Chris Carthon, 6-3 forward. Sophomore—Conner Joos, 6-5 guard-forward.

Tuscarora

Coach: Dan Wagner
Roster: Seniors—LaQuan Randolph, 6-0 guard-forward; Jonathan Thomas, 6-2 guard; Marsalis Ballard, 6-0 guard; Bryce Hether, 6-2 forward. Juniors—Justin Bowens, 5-0 guard; Kenny Hill, 5-6 guard; Jordan Clayton, 5-0 guard; Tee Talley, 6-5 forward; Seth Kraham, 6-6 center; Wayne Craig, 6-3 guard-forward; CJ Ingram, 6-0 forward; Sean Brennan, 6-4 center.

Urbana

Coach: Terry Connolly
Roster: Seniors—Brad Hickman, 6-1; Sean Cunningham, 6-0; Zach Cooper, 5-11; Joe Novotny, 6-4; Jaime Lowe, 5-10; Grant Hardy, 6-0; Dyllan Watson, 5-11; Lex Utt, 6-5. Juniors—Kevin Sowers, 6-0; Kyle Thomas, 6-2; Frankie Jarboe, 5-10; Jesse Heon, 6-2; Alex Crawford, 6-5

Walkersville

Coach: Bruce Zimmerman
Roster: Seniors—Kevin Britt, 6-1 forward; Amil Fells, 6-5 forward; Chris Harris, 6-5 forward; Jordan Dixon, 6-4 center; Malik Morrison, 5-9 guard; Tinyade Chitekwe, 6-2 center. Juniors—Jeremy Musselman, 6-0 guard; Troy Burns, 5-1 guard; AJ Meyer, 5-6 guard; Brett Zimmerman, 6-0 guard; Christian Harris, 5-0 forward; Scott Morris, 6-2 guard; Zeke Smith, 6-2 forward; Carrada Stewart, 5-11 guard.

2008-09 GIRLS BASKETBALL ROSTERS

Brunswick

Coach: Gaylene Gardner
Roster: Seniors—Hannah Rogers, 5-9 forward-center; Shelby Carter, 5-2 guard; Bethany McCallum, 5-6 point guard; Ely McCarthy, 5-7 forward. Juniors—Kirstie Hamrick, 5-8 forward; Rebecca Pearelle, 5-7 forward-guard; Kristen Weddle, 5-5 guard; Melanie Weddle, 5-6 guard; Chelsea Kershner, 5-6 guard; Ashley Hendje, 5-4 guard. Sophomores—Brooke Price, 5-8 guard; Brittany Bell, 5-10 forward-center. Freshman—Megan Wilton, 5-6 guard.

Catoctin

Coach: Amy Murray
Roster: Seniors—Tara Free, 5-7 guard; Kylie Late, 5-4 guard; Emily Delauter, 5-4 guard; Katelyn Keilholtz, 5-9 guard-forward; Brittany Malone, 5-9 guard-forward. Juniors—Hannah Metheny, 5-10 guard-forward; Kelly Sweeney, 5-8 guard-forward; Devan Dewees, 5-6 guard; Megan Peomroy, 5-10 forward; Amanda Kline, 5-3 guard; Katie Despeaux, 5-7 forward; Rachael Llewellyn, 5-3 guard; Kayte Lambert, 5-6 guard.

Damascus

Coach: Steve Pisarski
Roster: Seniors—Christie Huse, 5-7 guard; Emily Bowles, 5-10 forward; Britt Johnson, 5-3 guard; Melissa Pepper, 5-5 guard; Gabby Ryan, 5-5 guard; Lindsay Derby, 5-9 forward. Juniors—Jessie Kaufman, 6-1 guard-forward; Katie Gladhill, 5-9 guard; Sam Edwards, 6-0 forward; Taylor King, 5-7 guard; Kelsey Marshall, 5-6 guard. Sophomores—Cassie Clayborne, 5-7 guard. Freshmen—Michelle Mahon, 5-7 guard.

Frederick

Coach: Keivette Hammond
Roster: Seniors—Hayley Kolbfeisch, 5-7 guard; Taylor Cohagan, 5-7 guard; Destinee Ridgley, 5-8 forward. Juniors—Destony Smith, 6-0 forward; Kashay Barnes, 5-7 guard. Sophomores—Lynasia Frazier, 5-7 forward; Rachel Johnson, 5-8 guard; Jenna Connors, 5-10 forward; Haley Nash, 5-10 forward; Sashae Baxter, 5-9 guard-forward. Freshmen—Amisha Barnes, 5-10 guard.

Frederick Warriors

Coach: Barry Blickenstaff, 1st season
Roster: Seniors—Mary Burrows, 5-7 forward; Charity Poole, 5-7 guard. Juniors—Colleen Brophy, 5-7 forward; Jessica Hughes, 5-3 forward; Rebecca Reifsnider, 5-10 center. Sophomores—Krista Duke, 5-6 forward; Ashley Kelly, 5-3 guard; Emily Pritt, 5-3 guard. Freshmen—Anna Blickenstaff, 5-3 guard; Maggie Quick, 5-6 forward; Sarah Reifsnider, 5-8 forward.

Linganore

Coach: Brian Matthews
Roster: Seniors—Corinne Glover, 5-9 guard-forward; Colleen Kelly, 5-7 guard; Stephanie Moore, 5-7 guard; Jessica Musselman, 5-7 guard; Kristen Rauch, 5-5 guard; Kelsey Quinn, 5-6 guard. Juniors—Allie Eader, 5-5 guard; Cassandra Lambert, 5-6 guard; Courtney Lease, 5-11 forward. Sophomores—Samantha Buls, 6-3 forward; Lexi Kebezt, 5-9.

MSD

Coach: Terry Berrigan
Roster: Seniors—Danielle Berrigan, 5-6 guard; Jessica Israel, 5-11 center; Jennifer Rand, 5-4 guard. Juniors—Brittany Frank, 5-5 guard; Tandy Lewis, 5-8 guard-forward; Trista Taylor, 5-6 forward; Shayna Unger, 5-4 guard. Sophomores—Rachel Roult, 5-6 forward; Claire Tucker, 5-5 guard. Freshman—Augusta Seremeth, 5-9 center.

Middletown

Coach: Bill Miskell
Roster: Seniors—Kallie House, 5-8 forward; Madeleine Keimig, 5-8 guard; Alyssa Oursler, 5-10 guard; Whitney Spangler, 5-8 guard; Ashley George, 5-10 forward; Emily Maerz, 5-11 guard; Hannah Holt, 5-9 forward; Danielle Robertson, 6-0 center. Sophomores—Jackie Kessler, 5-8 guard; Brittney Holian, 5-10 forward; Chrissy Payne, 6-2 center; Allison Bussard, 5-10 forward.

New Life

Coach: Ken Rimmel
Roster: Senior—Brittany Parsons, forward. Sophomores—Alex Venezia, guard; Katie Connors, guard; Caitlin Minton, forward; Sydalg Wilson, center. Freshmen—Jenna Rimmel, center; Katie Connolly, guard; April Wright, guard; Aileen Maknati, guard; Monique Sparks, guard.

SJCP

Coach: Sheldon Henry
Roster: Jennie Ballenger, Hyatt Keller, Amy Duncan, Queenstar Akrong, Katie Usiak, Alex Truxillo, Katy Barrientos, Brooke Wilson, Mariel Pierce, Meredith Jones, Abigail Tighe.

TJ

Coach: Bonnie Robinson
Roster: Seniors—Jill Guthridge, 5-11 forward; Iris Peters, 5-5 guard. Juniors—Lauren Gibson, 5-6 guard; Cierra Harris, 5-10 forward; Monica Omelchenko, 5-5 guard; Claire Staley, 5-10 forward; Chelsea VanBuskirk, 5-7 forward; Ruth Wheeler, 5-2 guard. Sophomores—Antoinette Mitchell, 5-5 guard; Rachel Obanwanyi, 5-9 forward. Freshmen—Ashley Roach, 5-11 forward.

Tuscarora

Coach: Brooke Crawford
Roster: Seniors—Hope Hornbaker, 5-11 forward; Melissa Blackstone, 5-5 guard; Jessica Talley, 5-5 guard; Brittany Bryant, 5-9 forward. Juniors—Courtney Jackson, 5-8 forward; Jalita Boffman, 5-4 guard; Chelsea Marsh, 5-8 guard; Ciera Pickens, 5-2 guard. Sophomores—Briana Lee, 5-4 guard; Rachel Wiley, 5-10 forward; Jasmine Naylor, 5-10 forward.

Urbana

Coach: Chris Krivos
Roster: Seniors—Chardea Harris, 5-9 guard; Charma Harris, 5-6 guard; Erica Cox, 5-11 forward; Kaitlin Taylor, 6-11 forward. Juniors—Veronica Krivos, 5-11 guard; Alex Cummings, 5-7 guard; Olivia Lane, 5-6 guard; Becca Himes, 5-11 forward. Sophomores—Mari Kordell, 5-7 guard; Kristen Juenger, 5-11 forward.

Walkersville

Coach: Mike Mathis
Roster: Seniors—Rachel Lupinetti, 5-1 guard; Josie Hildebrand, 5-11 forward; Casey Work, 5-2 guard; Katelyn Beachy, 5-7 guard. Juniors—Julie Little, 5-6 guard; Krysten Grossnickle, 5-10 forward; Jocelyn Martin, 5-11 forward; Karson Tuck, 5-9 guard; Sydnee Siechert, 5-10 forward; Danielle Meunier, 5-9 forward. Sophomores—Shernise Disney, 5-7 guard.