

DP ATHLETICS

'THE TIDE IS RISING'



Strong Start to the Fall Season!

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Upcoming Events

- MS athletic team meetings will be held on Wednesday, August 30th after school. Meet in the gym.





Golf



On Monday, the Varsity Tide matched up against LaSalle and came up short, losing 250-221. It's an early test in the Tides season and for some of you guys, it's the first big match as a varsity golfer.

The shot of the day went to John Curran '25 who had a 220 yard par 3 shot that stopped on a dime about 15 feet from the cup.

The Round of the day also went to John Curran (-2).

Also on Monday, it was a great day for Devon JV Golf team. The team filled in for the varsity squad which took on Father Judge and Lansdale Catholic. Although we did not come out victorious we fought hard and it was tight right up until the end. Four of our athletes played in their first ever golf match. All six of our counting scores were sub 50 with Jude McCann '26 leading the pack with a 41. The team would also give a big shout out to Grant Gale '26. Due to numbers, Grant played behind the match but kept his focus and shot a 37.



On Wednesday, the Varsity Tide went up against Germantown Academy. The Tide played very well but unfortunately came up short losing 201-192.

The shot of the day went to Chris Pullano, who took a 6 iron for his second shot on the 6th hole and put it to 3 feet and finished with a birdie!

The round of the day goes to Dan DiLella who played 8 great holes on his way to a 39.

On Thursday, the Varsity Tide showed up to get revenge from the day before. The Tide beat Roman Catholic 212- 267.

The shot of the day went to Nick Ciocca ' 24, where he hit a tee shot green-side and stepped up to chip it in for the birdie.

The round of the day went to Andrew Carroccio '27, who beat his score from the day before by 17 strokes and shot a 33 as he played one of the most effortless rounds seen so far this season.



On Tuesday, the Varsity Tide attended the Llanerch Golf Invitational that included a total of 15 schools. There was a lot of great play throughout the course along with a strong field of golfers. The Tide finished 6th as a team, while having Nick Ciocca '24 (6th) and John Curran '25 (T-7th) placing in the top 10 individually.





Soccer

On Monday, the Varsity Tide had a scrimmage against The Christian Academy where they won respectively with the score of 6-0. The Tide played very well all around while finishing 6 goals in the back of their opponents net. Goals were contributed by Matt Pascale '25, Drew Yusko '27 (2), Josh Rich '26, Charlie Krug '25, and Dan Mongiello '25. The Tide also had a combined shutout performance by Braeden Fisher '26 and Gustav Najdek '27.



On Thursday, the Varsity Tide had a scrimmage against Calvary Christian Academy where they won a close game 3-2. The game was physical and the Tide was able to bring home the win back to Devon. Goals were provided by Matt Pascale '25, John Savage '26, and Josh Rick '26

The JV team also played Calvary Christian Academy but unfortunately had a different result. The team fought hard and lost 3-0. The Tide look forward to bouncing back in their next game!



Cross Country



On Friday night, six of our DP Cross Country runners toed the line at the Oakbourne Relays in West Chester, PA. This event consists of 2-person teams. The first person runs a mile on the cross country course and then hands the baton off to the second person. The second person takes his turn at the mile and then this happens again for both runners to come to a total of 4 miles. There were over 20 schools in attendance with multiple relay teams from each school!



Our DP Relay teams were:

- Pat Rullo '24 and Pierce Rohlfling '25
- Sam Kleiner '25 and Spencer Collins '26
- Andrew Rockich '27 and Caleb Garecht '27

The Tide ran well and used this race as a great kickoff to the 2023 Fall Season!!

Athlete of the Week



Senior, Dan DiLella ' 24

Dan DiLella came to Devon Prep as a Junior and has made an immediate impact on the golf program. Dan's not only a leader because he plays well, he's also vocal and a great team player. Whether Dan shoots his lowest score or is in the middle of the pack, he's always trying to improve. On Wednesday, Dan shot a 39 while leading the team against Germantown Academy. The golf program are honored to have him as the Athlete of the Week. Congrats, Dan and good luck the rest of the season!

ROLL TIDE!

On Deck Next Week

Varsity Soccer

August 28th vs. Masterman

August 30th vs. Academy of the New Church

August 31st @. Malvern Prep

JV Soccer

August 28th vs. Masterman

August 30th vs. Academy of the New Church

August 31st @. Malvern Prep

Varsity Golf

August 28th vs. Conwell Egan & St. Hubert

August 29th vs. St. Joe's Prep

August 30th @ Holy Ghost Prep

JV Golf

August 30th @ Holy Ghost Prep

