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2021 MHSAA Lacrosse Finals

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Welcome

Welcome to the MHSAA Finals. This is a classroom like no other, and now is the time for the final exam. Like the academic classroom, some have had good fortune along the way getting here; others have overcome adversity. Even today, a good bounce or a bad bounce will occur.



Your athletic skills are put to the test, but more importantly, your discipline will be challenged as well. To wait for the exact moment, use the right touch, make the right cut.

Discipline also means testing your people skills. To embrace our diverse opponents as equals, and to employ common decency – every – single – moment. Win or lose.

That’s the beauty of educational athletics. The takeaways today are not the trophies and medals, but the life lessons learned and applied.

Good luck to all!

— Mark Uyl
MHSAA Executive Director

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Rockford Reigns Again

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The Rockford girls lacrosse program added its seventh consecutive MHSAA Division 1 championship to the school’s trophy case in 2019, as the Rams topped Brighton, 21-6.

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Rockford Reigns in D1

Rockford ran its Division 1 girls lacrosse championship streak to seven straight titles in 2019. The Rams got past Brighton 21-6, following up a similarly dominant 25-5 win over the Bulldogs in the 2018 Final.

Rockford finished 15-5-1, with four of the losses and the tie coming against teams from Illinois and Ohio.

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“It’s a ton of fun, and we have great leadership from our seniors,” said Rams coach Mike Emery. “We have great youth coming up through the program, and we’ve really built a culture over the last 10 years.”

The reigning champs wasted no time scoring as Isabelle Holmes found the net 50 seconds into the game to give the Rams a 1-0 lead.

Exactly 60 seconds later, Holmes added her second to get Rockford off to a good start.

Brighton’s first offensive attack led to a score by Sophie Mondro, but seconds later the Rams scored again on a goal by Katie Rodriguez to make it 3-1. Rodriguez tacked on another at 20:49 to give Rockford a 4-1 advantage.

With Rockford a player short, Cat Kophcia scored to make it 4-2. But Sydney Zimmerman emerged from the penalty box and scored to make it 5-2 after running down an errant pass.

Holmes scored her third goal of the half to increase Rockford’s lead to 6-2 at the 12:34 mark. Chloe Dunham then took a feed from Mackenzie Delacher and found the net to give Rockford a 7-2 lead, and Rodriguez picked up a loose ball and scored her third of the game.

Mondro scored her second and third goals of the game for Brighton to trim the deficit to five.

Brighton (16-8-1) mounted a rally as Kophcia scored her second to make it 8-4. But with Brighton a player short, Dunham scored her second goal to extend the lead to 9-4. Zimmerman scored her second as the eventual champs moved ahead 10-4.

Mondro then scored her fourth goal for Brighton, but senior standout Karrington Vander Molen finally got on the board for Rockford as the advantage swelled to 11-5. She finished with

three goals. Dunham scored with 10 seconds left in the half to give the Rams a 12-5 lead.

Rodriguez opened the second half with a goal, her fourth, to make it 13-5.

“It’s so fun,” said Rodriguez. “The team aspect of it never gets old. We have so much energy. It’s so fun to win it still.”

Division 2 – East Grand Rapids 22, Bloomfield Hills Marian 7

Less than a minute into the 2019 Division 2 Final, East Grand Rapids began to assert its dominance against Bloomfield Hills Marian.

And playing a flawless, turnover-free first half, the Pioneers piled up 18 goals on the way to a resounding 22-7 victory to clinch their sixth championship in eight years.

The Pioneers (24-2) had won five straight titles before losing to Bloomfield Hills Cranbrook Kingswood in the 2017 championship game and not making the Finals in 2018.

EGR’s high-powered offense scored at least 20 goals in each of its six tournament games.

“We had five really strong seniors, and we had five freshmen come in,” said coach Rich Axtell. “It’s a real mixture of age and youth. Last year, we had pretty much the same lineup, but some freshmen have come up and really made a difference.”

Seniors Mary Schumar (six goals) and **Audrey Whiteside** (below, five goals) led the first-half onslaught as EGR built a 14-goal lead. Both finished with seven goals and were taken out of the game with more than five minutes to play.



“We wanted it so much for the seniors,” said Whiteside. “I was a freshman when we won it (2016). Mary and I have worked well together. They put me on attack so I could work with Mary so we could get more points. We work together on the draw, and it just came together so well.”

Said Axtell: “Audrey and Mary are once-in-a-decade type of players. Between the two of them, they have 350 points this season. They had an amazing year.”

The Pioneers wasted little time scoring, as Whiteside found the net the first time 50 seconds into the game for a 1-0 lead. Thirteen seconds later, Schumar scored to make it 2-0. Whiteside quickly scored her second goal and the Pioneers were rolling, up three goals with Marian failing to put together an offensive rush. Schumar followed suit, scoring 38 seconds later to put the Mustangs in a 4-0 deficit.

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May 26-28, 2021

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June 1-2, 2021

REGIONAL FINAL
June 4-5, 2021

SEMIFINAL
June 9, 2021

MHSAA FINAL
June 12, 2021

CHAMPION

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| White Lake Lakeland @ 18 |
| 5/26 3:30 |
| Walled Lake Central 4 |
| Holly @ 3 |
| 5/26 6:00 |
| Lake Orion 19 |
| Fenton 10 |
| 5/26 6:00 |
| Grand Blanc 5 |
| Clarkston @ 6 |
| 5/26 3:00 |
| Midland 24 |

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| White Lake Lakeland 19 |
| 6/1 5:00 |
| Lake Orion 3 |
| R4 Fenton |
| 6/4 6:00 |
| Fenton 9 |
| 6/1 7:00 |
| Midland 16 |
| Midland 19 |

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| White Lake Lakeland 8 |
| 6/4 6:00 |
| Midland 10 |
| Midland 16 |

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| Grand Haven 6 |
| 5/26 12:00 |
| Portage Northern 19 |
| Muskegon Mona Shores 3 |
| 5/26 7:00 |
| Hudsonville 21 |
| Forest Hills Northern 13 |
| 5/27 5:30 |
| Haslett 2 |
| 6/2 7:00 |
| Rockford OT 11 |
| Grandville 2 |
| 5/27 7:00 |
| Rockford 20 |

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| Portage Northern 7 |
| 6/2 5:30 |
| Hudsonville 10 |
| R1 Hudsonville |
| 6/4 6:00 |
| Forest Hills Northern 10 |
| 6/2 7:00 |
| Rockford 23 |

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| Hudsonville 1 |
| 6/4 6:00 |
| Rockford 16 |
| Rockford 23 |

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| Clinton Twp Chippewa Valley 2 |
| 5/26 5:00 |
| Birmingham 23 |
| 6/1 5:00 |
| Bloomfield Hills 16 |
| Troy Athens 3 |
| 5/26 7:00 |
| Bloomfield Hills 17 |
| Utica Ford 1 |
| 5/27 5:00 |
| West Bloomfield 19 |
| 6/2 6:00 |
| Utica Eisenhower 15 |
| Troy 4 |
| 5/27 7:00 |
| Utica Eisenhower 16 |

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| Birmingham 4 |
| 6/1 5:00 |
| Bloomfield Hills 20 |
| R3 Troy |
| 6/4 6:00 |
| West Bloomfield 8 |
| 6/2 6:00 |
| Utica Eisenhower 4 |

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|---------------------|
| Bloomfield Hills 20 |
| 6/4 6:00 |
| Bloomfield Hills 5 |
| Utica Eisenhower 4 |

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|---------------------------|
| Saline 7 |
| 5/26 5:30 |
| Brighton 21 |
| 6/1 5:30 |
| Brighton 17 |
| Ann Arbor Huron @ 3 |
| 5/26 5:30 |
| Livonia Stevenson 16 |
| Plymouth @ 8 |
| @ West/JV Field 5/26 7:00 |
| Northville 21 |
| 6/1 7:30 |
| Northville 11 |
| Novi @ 22 |
| 5/25 6:30 |
| Novi 6 |
| Salem 8 |

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| Brighton 25 |
| 6/1 5:30 |
| Brighton 17 |
| R2 Brighton |
| 6/4 5:30 |
| Brighton 18 |
| Northville 16 |
| 6/1 7:30 |
| Northville 11 |
| Novi 6 |

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| Brighton 17 |
| 6/4 5:30 |
| Brighton 18 |
| Northville 11 |

SF1 Haslett 7:30 PM

SF2 Brighton 7:30 PM

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| Pre-Regional Games |
| Reg 1: Portage Northern 23, Zeeland East 4 |
| Reg 1: Haslett 25, Kalamazoo Central 0 |
| Reg 1: Rockford 23, Holland West Ottawa 4 |
| Reg 2: Brighton 21, South Lyon 4 |
| Reg 2: Northville 10, AA Pioneer 9 |
| Reg 2: Salem 18, Canton 16 |
| Reg 3: Birmingham Seaholm 19, Grosse Pointe South 10 |
| Reg 3: Bloomfield Hills 15, Grosse Pointe North 0 |
| Reg 3: West Bloomfield 12, Cass Tech 3 |
| Reg 3: Ulica Eisenhower 16, Rochester 4 |
| Reg 4: Walled Lake Central 15, Waterford Kettering 6 |
| Reg 4: Lake Orion 10, Oxford 4 |
| Reg 4: Grand Blanc 12, Davison 5 |
| Reg 4: Midland 17, Hartland 15 |

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| Rockford |
| Brighton |



2021 DIVISION 1
Girls Lacrosse

Novi - 4:30 PM

CHAMPION

@ -Site of First-Round Games; if not indicated, then games are at site of Regional Host School

Brighton (18-5-1)



Quick Facts

SCHOOL COLORS
Orange & Black

SUPERINTENDENT
Matthew Outlaw

PRINCIPAL
Gavin Johnson

ATHLETIC DIRECTOR
John Thompson

CONFERENCE
Kensington Lakes
Activities Association

**CONFERENCE
RECORD/PLACE**
(8-2, 1st)

Front Row: Cece Mainhardt, Gabby Mainhardt, Sophie Mondro, Olivia Groce, Jenna Konas, Kirsten Browne. **Second Row:** Lauren Zaccagni, Tessa Wilson. **Third Row:** Lauren Cole, Amaria Whitby, Molly Mckaig, Natalie Syversen, Abbie Chaka, Eva Kowalenko, Ella Boose, Delaney Konkel, Liz Kelley, Shannon Myers, Kaia Malachino, Georgia Gill, Ashton Peters. **Fourth Row:** Abbey Burchfield, Amanda Carroll, Kennedy Stilson, Jeff Street.



Bulldogs '21

| No. | Name | Pos. | Class |
|-----|------------------|------|-------|
| 2 | Ella Boose | M | Jr. |
| 3 | Shannon Myers | D | Sr. |
| 4 | Abbey Burchfield | M | Jr. |
| 5 | Kirsten Browne | D | Sr. |
| 7 | Gabby Mainhardt | M | Jr. |
| 8 | Eva Kowalenko | D | Jr. |
| 10 | Amanda Carroll | D | Jr. |
| 13 | Lauren Zaccagni | M | So. |
| 15 | Abbie Chaka | D | Sr. |
| 16 | Kaia Malachino | M | So. |
| 17 | Delaney Konkel | D | Sr. |
| 18 | Sophie Mondro | A | Sr. |
| 20 | Jenna Konas | A | Sr. |
| 22 | Olivia Groce | A | Sr. |
| 24 | Ashleigh Toth | D | So. |
| 26 | Elizabeth Kelley | G | Sr. |
| 27 | Granader, Amanda | A | Jr. |
| 28 | Tessa Wilson | A | Jr. |
| 29 | Molly Mckaig | D | Jr. |
| 30 | Georgia Gill | A | Fr. |
| 33 | Samantha Schulte | G | Jr. |
| 43 | Natalie Syversen | M | Fr. |
| 47 | Amaria Whitby | A | Jr. |
| 87 | Cece Mainhardt | M | Fr. |
| 55 | Kennedy Stilson | G | Sr. |

Head Coach: Ashton Peters (41-14-1 / 4 years)
Assistant Coaches: Jeff Street, Lauren Cole
Captains: Kirsten Browne, Elizabeth Kelley, Sophie Mondro, Shannon Myers

Regular-Season Results

| B | OPP | B | OPP |
|---------------------------|-----|----------------------|-----|
| 16 Bloomfield Hills | 2 | 9 Northville | 11 |
| 8 Detroit Country Day | 15 | 5 Rockford | 19 |
| 14 Hartland | 4 | 20 Plymouth | 6 |
| 8 Bloomfield Hills Marian | 8 | 19 Northville | 10 |
| 11 BH Cranbrook Kingswood | 9 | 9 Forest Hills N/E | 13 |
| 19 Livonia United | 2 | 18 Novi | 5 |
| 24 Novi | 2 | 19 Hartland | 13 |
| 18 Mattawan | 3 | 10 East Grand Rapids | 11 |
| 15 Okemos | 3 | 21 Livonia United | 6 |
| 17 DeWitt | 11 | | |

Road to the Finals



| MHSAA Regionals | |
|----------------------|----|
| 21 South Lyon United | 4 |
| 21 Saline | 7 |
| 25 Livonia United | 3 |
| 17 Northville | 11 |

| MHSAA Semifinal | |
|---------------------|---|
| 18 Bloomfield Hills | 5 |

Rockford (13-4)



Quick Facts

SCHOOL COLORS
Black & Orange

SUPERINTENDENT
Michael Shabler

PRINCIPAL
Daniel Zang

ATHLETIC DIRECTOR
Cole Andrews

CONFERENCE
O-K Conference -
Rainbow 1

CONFERENCE RECORD/PLACE
(5-3, 3rd)

First Row: Shelby Beers, Sarah Gilchrist, Katherine Rodriguez, Isabelle Osborn, Aubree Frazier, Sydney Walsh, Mackenzie Delacher, Chloe Dunham, Keaton Kuzma, Alexis Neumen, Olivia Hewitt. **Second Row:** Hope Deuel, Emily Main, Karsyn Broderick, Elizabeth Chamberlain, McKinley Collins, Addison Clum, Lucy Nairy, Chloe, Holmes, Abigail Scroggs, Piper Riley, Macey Palmer, Elise Whitaker, Brianna Rodriguez, Ashley Palmer. **Third Row:** Brent Deuel, Mike Emery.



Rams '21

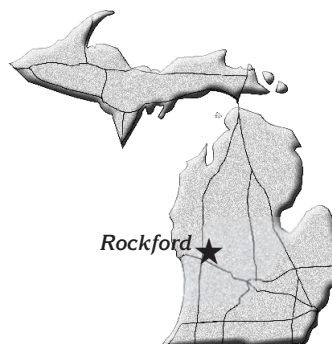
| No. | Name | Pos. | Ht. | Wt. | Class |
|-----|-----------------------|------|------|-----|-------|
| 2 | Brianna Rodriguez | M | 5-6 | 135 | So. |
| 3 | Katherine Rodriguez | M | 5-5 | 125 | Sr. |
| 4 | Alexis Neumen | M | 5-4 | 125 | So. |
| 5 | Chloe Dunham | A | 5-5 | 125 | Sr. |
| 6 | Abigail Scroggs | A | 5-8 | 135 | Jr. |
| 7 | McKinley Collins | D | 5-3 | 120 | So. |
| 8 | Shelby Beers | D | 5-6 | 130 | Jr. |
| 9 | Hope Deuel | A | 5-6 | 140 | Fr. |
| 10 | Addison Clum | D | 5-6 | 135 | Jr. |
| 11 | Sarah Gilchrist | A | 5-2 | 110 | Sr. |
| 12 | Aubree Frazier | A/M | 5-5 | 125 | Fr. |
| 13 | Emily Main | D | 5-5 | 130 | Jr. |
| 14 | Piper Riley | A | 5-7 | 125 | Jr. |
| 15 | Isabelle Osborn | A/M | 5-6 | 120 | So. |
| 16 | Ashley Palmer | M | 5-8 | 120 | Fr. |
| 18 | Keaton Kuzma | D | 5-3 | 125 | Sr. |
| 19 | Olivia Hewitt | G | 5-4 | 130 | Fr. |
| 20 | Sydney Walsh | M | 5-6 | 120 | Sr. |
| 21 | Mackenzie Delacher | A | 5-8 | 140 | Jr. |
| 22 | Karsyn Broderick | D | 5-6 | 140 | Jr. |
| 23 | Elizabeth Chamberlain | M | 5-5 | 125 | So. |
| 24 | Macie Palmer | D | 5-9 | 140 | Jr. |
| 25 | Chloe Holmes | A | 5-11 | 145 | Jr. |
| 27 | Elise Whittaker | D | 5-7 | 140 | Jr. |
| 30 | Lucy Nairy | G | 5-9 | 145 | So. |

Head Coach: Mike Emery (228-52-7 / 14 years)
Assistant Coaches: Brent Deuel
Captains: Katherine Rodriguez, Chloe Dunham
Athletic Trainers: Charles Weaver, Scarlett Waite
Manager: Zina Emery

Regular-Season Results

| R | OPP | R | OPP |
|-----------------------------|-----|------------------------------|-----|
| 21 Spring Lake | 3 | 18 Forest Hills Central | 6 |
| 17 Grand Rapids CC | 9 | 16 Forest Hills Central | 6 |
| 20 BH Cranbrook Kingswood | 6 | 23 Grand Rapids CC | 5 |
| 13 East Grand Rapids | 14 | 3 Loyola Academy (IL) | 14 |
| 5 Forest Hills North./East. | 13 | 9 East Grand Rapids | 11 |
| 19 Brighton | 5 | 12 Forest Hills North./East. | 10 |

Road to the Finals



| MHSAA Regionals | |
|--------------------------|----|
| 24 Holland West Ottawa | 4 |
| 20 Grandville | 2 |
| 11 Forest Hills N/E (OT) | 10 |
| 23 Hudsonville | 1 |

| MHSAA Semifinal | |
|-----------------|----|
| 16 Midland | 10 |

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BH Cranbrook Kingswood (12-6)



Quick Facts

SCHOOL COLORS
Blue & Green

SUPERINTENDENT
Aime Claire Roche

PRINCIPAL
Noel Dougherty

ATHLETIC DIRECTOR
Steve Graf

CONFERENCE
Catholic High School League

CONFERENCE RECORD/PLACE
(2-2, 1st)

First Row: Lizzie Hamel, Olivia DeMuth, Mallory Brophy, Emma Christides, Morgan Chaudhary, Eryn McLaughlin, Avery Salesin, Maggie Hunter. **Second Row:** Lilli Sherman, Paige Piceu, Ella Lantigua, Riya Batra, Emma Brandimarte, Carley Paulus, Peyton Messner. **Third Row:** Carolyn Moss, Summer Aldred, Charlotte DeSantos, Vivienne Armstrong, Lola Norton, Kiki Norton, Jeanne Woodbury, Mac Woodbury. **Not Pictured:** Gwen Woodbury, Pauline Makie.



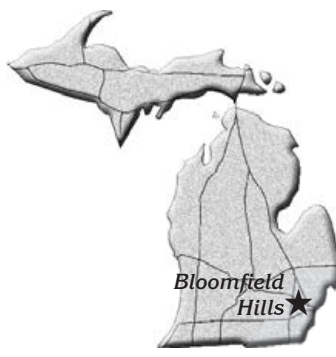
Cranes '21

| No. | Name | Pos. | Class |
|-----|--------------------|------|-------|
| 2 | Mallory Brophy | A/M | Sr. |
| 3 | Paige Piceu | M | Jr. |
| 4 | Morgan Chaudhary | D | Jr. |
| 5 | Vivienne Armstrong | A | Jr. |
| 6 | Emma Christides | D | Jr. |
| 7 | Maggie Hunter | D | Fr. |
| 8 | Eryn McLaughlin | M | Fr. |
| 10 | Riya Batra | M | Jr. |
| 11 | Olivia DeMuth | A | Sr. |
| 12 | Ella Lantigua | A | So. |
| 13 | Lizzie Hamel | D | Sr. |
| 14 | Lilli Sherman | M | Sr. |
| 15 | Charlotte DeSantos | D | Sr. |
| 16 | Emma Brandimarte | M | So. |
| 18 | Carley Paulus | D | Fr. |
| 22 | Kiki Norton | M | So. |
| 23 | Avery Salesin | A | Sr. |
| 24 | Lola Norton | A | So. |
| 27 | Gwen Woodbury | G | Sr. |
| 31 | Peyton Messner | D | Sr. |
| 35 | Pauline Makie | G | So. |

Regular-Season Results

| BHCK | OPP | BHCK | OPP |
|----------------------------|-----|----------------------------|-----|
| 19 Ann Arbor Pioneer | 4 | 27 Grosse Pointe North | 1 |
| 9 Brighton | 11 | 11 Bloomfield Hills Marian | 12 |
| 6 Forest Hills Northern | 9 | 13 Farmington Hills Mercy | 8 |
| 16 Bloomfield Hills Marian | 10 | 23 Farmington Hills Mercy | 10 |
| 14 Farmington Hills Mercy | 17 | 18 Bloomfield Hills Marian | 7 |
| 10 Detroit Country Day | 11 | 21 Birmingham Seaholm | 4 |

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| MHSAA Regionals | |
|----------------------------|----|
| 21 Auburn Hills Avondale | 1 |
| 25 GPW U. Liggett | 4 |
| 26 Pontiac Notre Dame Prep | 2 |
| 14 Detroit Country Day | 13 |

| MHSAA Semifinal | |
|---------------------------|----|
| 23 Farmington Hills Mercy | 12 |

Head Coach: Jeanne Woodbury (12-6 / 1 year)
Assistant Coaches: Carolyn Moss, Summer Aldred, Mac Woodbury
Captains: Mallory Brophy, Charlotte DeSantos, Lilli Sherman
Athletic Trainers: Steve Carter, Trevor Lopez
Managers: Mike Brown, Beckett Woodbury

East Grand Rapids (22-2)



Quick Facts

SCHOOL COLORS
Blue & Gold

SUPERINTENDENT
Dr. Heidi Kattula

PRINCIPAL
Craig Weigel

ATHLETIC DIRECTOR
Tim Johnston

CONFERENCE
O-K Conference - Tier 1

CONFERENCE RECORD/PLACE
(7-1, 1st)

First Row: Brecken Winkel, KK Milanowski, Lydia Bockheim, Elizabeth Grin, Maria Walters, Caroline Grin, Ryann Mehney, Ella Gjorgjievski, Olivia Shaw, Eliana LaMange. **Second Row:** Caroline Potteiger, Eleanor Vander Molen, Lillian Whynott, Ellen Mundell, Riley Padgett, Lucy Cavanaugh, Jenna Wynsma, Grace Hojnacki. **Third Row:** Lindsey Michell, Clare Backus, Melayna Vangessel, Greta Milnes, Lilly Wert, Lizzie Lundeen, Vivian LaMange, Reese Dupin, Mary Mehney, Julia Sekulich.



Pioneers '21

| No. | Name | Pos. | Class |
|-----|----------------------|------|-------|
| 1 | Grace Hojnacki | D | So. |
| 2 | Olivia Shaw | A | Fr. |
| 3 | Mary Mehney | A | Jr. |
| 4 | Lydia Bockheim | M | So. |
| 5 | Lucy Cavanaugh | A | Jr. |
| 6 | Jenna Wynsma | D | So. |
| 7 | Riley Padgett | D | Fr. |
| 8 | Ella Gjorgjievski | M | Jr. |
| 9 | Alyssa Hein | A | Fr. |
| 10 | Lillian Whynott | D | So. |
| 11 | Greta Milnes | M | Jr. |
| 12 | Maria Walters | D | Jr. |
| 14 | Eleanor Vander Molen | M | Jr. |
| 15 | Ryann Mehney | D | Jr. |
| 16 | Clare Backus | A | So. |
| 17 | Ellen Mundell | A | Fr. |
| 18 | Caroline Grin | D | Sr. |
| 19 | Lilly Wert | M | So. |
| 20 | Lizzie Lundeen | A | Jr. |
| 22 | Elizabeth Grin | D | So. |
| 23 | Reese Dupin | D | Jr. |
| 24 | Eliana LaMange | A | Jr. |
| 25 | Vivian LaMange | A | Fr. |
| 26 | Brecken Winkel | M | So. |
| 32 | Lindsey Michell | D | Fr. |
| 34 | Melayna VanGessel | A | So. |
| 35 | Julia Sekulich | D | Fr. |
| 42 | Kk Milanowski | G | So. |
| 43 | Caroline Potteiger | G | Jr. |

Head Coach: Geri Merrell (22-2 / 1 year)

Assistant Coaches: Rich Axtell, Cassie Axtell, Angelica Gero, Jeff Yu, Hal Swain, Don Gerken

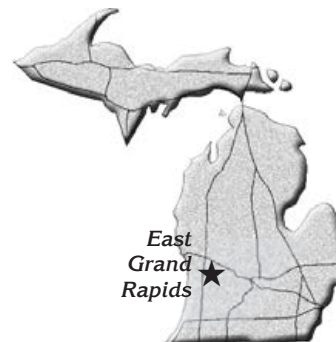
Captains: Caroline Grin, Lizzie Lundeen, Eliana LaMange, Eleanor Vander Molen

Athletic Trainer: Courtney Vandewege

Regular-Season Results

| EGR | OPP | EGR | OPP |
|----------------------|-----|----------------------------|-----|
| 25 Mattawan | 0 | 18 Forest Hills Central | 5 |
| 13 Forest Hills N/E | 4 | 23 Hartland | 2 |
| 14 Okemos | 4 | 25 Grand Rapids CC | 4 |
| 21 Grand Rapids CC | 4 | 19 Bloomfield Hills Marian | 11 |
| 15 DeWitt | 6 | 10 Loyola Academy (IL) | 21 |
| 23 Birmingham United | 1 | 6 Forest Hills N/E | 4 |
| 21 Bloomfield Hills | 3 | 11 Rockford | 9 |
| 7 Forest Hills N/E | 14 | 11 Brighton | 10 |
| 25 Ann Arbor Pioneer | 2 | 16 Forest Hills Central | 11 |
| 14 Rockford | 13 | | |

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| MHSAA Regionals | |
|---------------------------|---|
| 22 Grand Rapids Christian | 4 |
| 22 Lowell | 4 |
| 17 Forest Hills Central | 8 |
| 19 Spring Lake | 4 |

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Rockford Division 1



Girls Division 1 Lacrosse Finals History

DIVISION 1

| Year | Champion (Coach) | Runner-Up | Score |
|------|---------------------------------|-------------------------|------------|
| 2020 | Season Canceled (COVID-19) | | |
| 2019 | Rockford (Mike Emery) | Brighton | 21-6 |
| 2018 | Rockford (Mike Emery) | Brighton | 25-5 |
| 2017 | Rockford (Mike Emery) | Birmingham United | 17-7 |
| 2016 | Rockford (Mike Emery) | Birmingham United | 12-9 |
| 2015 | Rockford (Mike Emery) | Bloomfield Hills Marian | 10-9 |
| 2014 | Rockford (Mike Emery) | Ann Arbor Pioneer | 16-7 |
| 2013 | Rockford (Mike Emery) | Bloomfield United | 16-7 |
| 2012 | Birmingham United (Jen Dunbar) | Hartland | 12-11 (OT) |
| 2011 | Brighton (Charlie Estey) | Ann Arbor Pioneer | 17-15 |
| 2010 | Rockford (Mike Emery) | Brighton | 19-11 |
| 2009 | Birmingham United (Jen Dunbar) | Bloomfield Hills Marian | 13-11 |
| 2008 | Birmingham United (Jen Dunbar) | South Lyon | 8-6 |
| 2007 | Birmingham United (Jen Dunbar) | Ann Arbor Pioneer | 16-2 |
| 2006 | Grosse Pointe South (Deb Pavle) | Troy Athens | 10-8 |
| 2005 | Grosse Pointe South (Deb Pavle) | Troy Athens | 13-9 |

FINALFORMS

CAN YOU ANSWER THESE QUESTIONS QUICKLY, WITH CONFIDENCE?

made the form update and when? Is he is on both rosters? Were they inform
? Which forms are missing signatures? How many physicals expire this we
ade check? Do we have the attendance record? Who has discipline receive
in the data? Did she follow return-to-play protocol? Who has diabetes? Do
yment? Does anyone still have equipment? Who needs contacts? When ad
tion kept private? Is she certified to drive the van? Did he pass the physical
year? How quickly can we update our social media policy? How much are
ergies? Can she travel without medication? Are they calling sports? How er
surance company? Do we have the COVID-19 screening records? Can we ic
the list to the sheriff? Who was on the damaged bus? Did the coach have a
ning a lawsuit? Can we provide the paper trail to legal? Can we review the c
with our Athletic Trainer? Is the father authorized for pickup? Who has phy
ware of every AED location? Did we deactivate the key fob? Did he sign hi
ract? Did we know he had a pacemaker? How much the family pay? Do we
for the field trip? Did they read the policy in their native language? Are co
res? Which coaches completed all certifications? Who is taking attendance
er? Can we alert parents regarding weather? Who
contacts? Does coach know he is on suicide watch? Ca
? Did she sign the fitness center waiver? W
ts? Are signatures time-stamped? Can we v



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East Grand Rapids Division 2



Girls Division 2 Lacrosse Finals History

DIVISION 2

Year Champion (Coach)

2020 Season Canceled (COVID-19)
 2019 East Grand Rapids (Rich Axtell)
 2018 Bloomfield Hills Cranbrook Kingswood (Evan Foulsham)
 2017 Bloomfield Hills Cranbrook Kingswood (Greg Courter)
 2016 East Grand Rapids (Rich Axtell)
 2015 East Grand Rapids (Rich Axtell)
 2014 East Grand Rapids (Rich Axtell)
 2013 East Grand Rapids (Rich Axtell)
 2012 East Grand Rapids (Rich Axtell)
 2011 Grand Rapids Catholic Central (Dennis McCarty)
 2010 Okemos (Bill Prahler)
 2009 Okemos (Bill Prahler)
 2008 Flint Powers Catholic (Betsy Kreston)
 2007 Bloomfield Hills Academy of the Sacred Heart (Vicki Oakley)
 2006 Bloomfield Hills Academy of the Sacred Heart (Vicki Oakley)
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Runner-Up

Bloomfield Hills Marian 22-7
 Okemos 18-6
 East Grand Rapids 17-16 (3OT)
 Bloomfield Hills Cranbrook Kingswood 13-11
 Bloomfield Hills Cranbrook Kingswood 19-6
 Okemos 11-7
 Livonia Ladywood 16-6
 Okemos 17-6
 Bloomfield Hills Academy of the Sacred Heart 17-16
 Flint Powers Catholic 20-6
 Flint Powers Catholic 12-6
 Bloomfield Hills Academy of the Sacred Heart 12-11 (OT)
 Okemos 15-8
 Flint Powers Catholic 9-5
 Detroit Country Day 10-9



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Girls Soccer Finals - June 19



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Scholar-Athlete Class of 2021

The Michigan High School Athletic Association/Farm Bureau Insurance Scholar-Athlete Award has been recognizing the top student-athletes for 32 years. Applicants for the Scholar-Athlete Award must meet the following criteria: A minimum cumulative grade-point average of 3.5 on a 4.0 scale; and must have previously won a varsity letter. Applicants also show involvement in other school and community activities; submit two letters of recommendation and a 500-word essay on the importance of sportsmanship in educational athletics.

Recipients of the 2020-21 Scholar-Athlete Award receive a \$1,000 college scholarship to be used at the college, university, or trade school of their choice during the 2021-22 school year. This year, a total of 1,356 applications from 418 schools were received for the 32 scholarships. Class A students were guaranteed 12 winners, Class B eight winners, Class C six winners and Class D four winners. Two at-large winners were also selected.

All scholarship recipients will be honored in a virtual ceremony later this spring. Details and a video of the ceremony will be posted on MHSAA.com.



Wilson Bragg
Gladwin
Class B



Michaela Castle
Ionia
Class A



Audrey DaDamio
Birmingham
Seaholm
Class A



Aidan Eichman
Portage Central
Class A



Nicholas Errer
Bad Axe
Class C



Finn Feldeisen
Ann Arbor Greenhills
Class C



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Lawrence Gilliam
Detroit U-D Jesuit
Class A



Jäeger Griswold
Ellsworth
Class D



Hudson Alexander
Harkness
Newaygo
Class B



Jacob Harris
Grosse Pointe South
Class A



Iris Hwang
Mount Pleasant
Class A



David Jahnke
Saginaw Valley
Lutheran
Class C



Haleigh Knowles
Sault Ste. Marie
Class B



Madeline Kohler
Grosse Pointe North
Class A



Andrea Kowalski
Chelsea
Class B



Meagan Lasky
Bronson
Class C



Olivia Lowe
Leland
Class D



Dhilan Nagaraju
Bloomfield Hills
Cranbrook Kingswood
Class B



Laura O'Brien
Ann Arbor Skyline
Class A



Troy Pratley
St. Joseph
Class A



Caleb Qiu
Midland Dow
Class A



Sophia Rayes
Oscoda
Class C



Elena Schwegman
Pontiac Notre
Dame Prep
Class B



Wyatt Sirrine
Leland
Class D



Liam Smith
Rockford
Class A



Emily Song
Canton
Class A



Sophia Stowe
Northport
Class D



Ryan Tang
Detroit Country Day
Class B



Illyanna Marie Taylor
Three Rivers
Class B



Maxwell Werner
Traverse City
Central
Class A



Elizabeth M Williams
Ishpeming
Westwood
Class C



Zoe Ziegler
Okemos
Class A

Student Advisory Council Aids MHSAA

The Student Advisory Council is a 16-member group which provides feedback on issues impacting educational athletics from a student's perspective, and also is involved in the operation of Association championship events and other programming. Members of the Student Advisory Council serve for two years, beginning as juniors. Eight new members are selected annually to serve on the SAC, with nominations made by MHSAA member schools. The incoming juniors join the group of eight seniors-to-be appointed a year earlier.

Selected to begin serving on the Student Advisory Council in 2020-21 are: **Brinlee Barry**, Caledonia; **Faith Breinager**, Frankenmuth; **Amina Ferris**, Dearborn; **Nico Johnson**, Britton Deerfield; **Brenna Kosal**, Peck; **Ashton McNabb**, Three Oaks River Valley; **Brock Porter**, Orchard Lake St. Mary's; and **Melik Williams**, Ypsilanti Lincoln.

Those eight new members were selected from a record-high 179 applicants, twice as many as generally apply for SAC positions every year.

The first Student Advisory Council was formed for the 2006-07 school year. With the addition of this class beginning this summer, members will have represented 117 schools from 45 leagues plus independent schools that do not play in a league. Combined, the new appointees have participated in nine MHSAA sports, and seven will be the first SAC members from their respective schools.

The new additions to the SAC join the Class of 2021 members who were selected in 2019: **Pierre Brooks II**, Detroit Douglass; **Macy Brown**, Cadillac; **Lydia Davenport**, Ithaca; **Freddy Kopplow**, Traverse City St. Francis; **Colin McAuliffe**, Salem; **Avery Peters**, Mason; **Abbey Pheiffer**, Novi; and **Landen Thompson**, Stevensville Lakeshore.



Brinlee Barry



Pierre Brooks II



Faith Breinager



Macy Brown



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Ashton McNabb



Avery Peters



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Student Advisory Council Belief Statement

As the voice of Michigan's student-athletes, the Student Advisory Council's role is to convey the message of how high school sports are supposed to be played. We are responsible for helping the MHSAA maintain a positive and healthy atmosphere in which interscholastic athletes can thrive.

*We believe **athletes** should be competitive, sportsmanlike and excel academically. We believe **students** in the stands should have fun, but not take the focus away from the game. We believe **coaches** should act as teachers, helping student-athletes develop while still keeping high school sports in perspective. We believe that **parents** should always be positive role models and be supportive of their child's decisions. We believe **officials** commit their own time to high school sports and respect should always be shown and given to them.*

The most important goal for student-athletes is to enjoy high school sports while keeping a high level of respect between all those involved in the games.

The MHSAA Representative Council

The Representative Council of the Michigan High School Athletic Association is the body assembled to carry out the wishes of member schools. The Council meets several times annually to discuss and pass legislation concerning interscholastic athletics in Michigan.

The Representative Council is made up of 19 members, with all but five elected by a vote of MHSAA-member schools to represent different geographic regions, different sizes of schools, nonpublic schools, and junior and middle schools. Two members are elected to statewide at-large positions. Four members are appointed by the Council to facilitate representation of females and minorities, and the 19th position is occupied by the Superintendent of Public Instruction or his/her designee.

The officers and two other representatives form the MHSAA's Executive Committee, which meets on a monthly basis during the school year to review eligibility appeals and other current business.



Representative Council Members

Eric Albright**
Athletic Director
Midland High School
Class A-B — Northern Lower Peninsula

Jay Alexander*
Executive Director of Athletics
Detroit Public Schools
Detroit Public Schools Position

Nicole Carter**
Principal
Novi High School
Appointee

Judy Cox**
Principal
Auburn-Bay City Western High School
Appointee

Scott Grimes, President**
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Grand Haven Public Schools
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Michigan Dept. of Education, Lansing
Designee

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Appointee

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Class C-D — Upper Peninsula

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Statewide At-Large

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Class C-D — Northern Lower Peninsula

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Athletic Director
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Appointee

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Ottawa Lake Whiteford High School
Class C-D — Southeastern Michigan

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Athletic Director
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Class A-B — Southwestern Michigan

John Thompson**
Athletic Director
Brighton High School
Class A-B — Southeastern Michigan

Alex Tiseo*
Athletic Director
Marquette High School
Class A-B — Upper Peninsula

*Term Expires December 2021
**Term Expires December 2022

Finals Notes

Your Officials Today

Just as the participants on the teams at this year's Finals are realizing a dream of vying for top honors, another group of individuals are also reaching a goal for the hard work they have put in by being assigned to officiate the action.

Officials for MHSAA Finals are selected from an Association committee of member school personnel from across the state, based on the recommendations and ratings by schools, as well as from input from local officials associations.

These officials believe that interscholastic athletics are truly educational in nature, and work to uphold that standard. Like the athletes in the Finals, officials come from all points on the map.

Selected to work this year's Girls Finals are: **Anne Acluche**, West Bloomfield; **Sierra Bain**, Ferndale; **Bridgette Champane**, Grosse Pointe; **Sydney Gray**, Rockford; **Thomas Rau**, Owosso; **Dan Reason**, Fenton; **Todd Schaeffer**, Eaton Rapids; **Crathman Stephens**, Lathrup Village.

Selected to work this year's Boys Finals are: **Guy Bellemare**, Plymouth; **Mark Burnash**, Burton; **Christopher Drouin**, Clarkston; **Steven Edgerly**, Lansing; **Steven Hedke**, Grand Rapids; **James McKillop**, Clarkston; **Ted Patrick**, Zeeland; **Rodney Suggs**, Kentwood.

Congratulations to this year's Finals officials. If you are interested in becoming a registered game official in any sport, contact the MHSAA at 1661 Ramblewood Drive, East Lansing, MI 48823 or e-mail register@mhsaa.com Registration for the 2021-22 school year is now underway at MHSAA.com.

Behind The Scenes

The hallmark of a strong association is its ability to work together for the common good. Every year, more than 10,000 game officials and 50,000-plus administrators and coaches at

over 1,500 middle, junior and senior high schools voluntarily pool their efforts daily for the operations of the MHSAA's competitive extracurricular interscholastic athletic program.

An important responsibility of membership in the Association is the operation of the hundreds of district, regional and final level tournaments by school administrators who serve as the site managers for these games.

The behind the scenes work of these individuals and their staffs make sure that tournament competition is a memorable experience for the participants.

The MHSAA would like to thank the tournament managers for the Lacrosse Finals — **Brian Gordon** of Novi High School and **John Young**, of Howell High School.

Coordinating the Finals from the MHSAA office are Assistant Director **Kathy Vrugink Westdorp** in Girls Lacrosse and **Cole Malatinsky** in Boys Lacrosse. Assisting with operations in Girls Lacrosse is **Paige Winne** of the MHSAA Staff; assisting with Boys Lacrosse is Associate Director **Tom Rashid**.

The MHSAA would like to recognize the efforts of these individuals and the other individuals who have donated their time to make the Finals a success.

Awards Presenters

Presenting trophies and medals following today's Final games are: **Brian Gordon**, athletic director at Novi, for the Girls Finals; and **John Young**, athletic director at Howell, for the Boys Finals.

Watch the Finals LIVE, then See Them Again!

MHSAA.tv is carrying today's Finals LIVE, and on-demand following the event.

Statistical summaries of today's Finals can be found on MHSAA.com.