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Welcome from NMAA Executive Director



Sally Marquez
NMAA
Executive Director

It is funny how certain seemingly insignificant moments in our lives come rushing back to us from time to time. As I sat down to craft this letter, I remembered my high school days, sitting in History class, learning about the Spanish Flu. My teacher for that class was a coach, so I, of course, was deeply engaged and sitting in the front row. I can vividly remember him bringing in a mask to demonstrate how society lived and managed during that time and the measures they took to stay safe. It was the first time I had ever heard the word “pandemic.”

Honestly, those memories were washed into the far corners of my mind, as they likely were for most of my classmates, as we considered it history and not something that would have any relevance in our lives. Fast forward over 40 years and the voice of my teacher and his lessons of the Spanish Flu have come back to me, as though my days in his class were just yesterday.

I had always wanted to be an educator. My teachers and coaches became my role models, so knowing what I wanted to study in college came at an early age. As educators, we are taught how to manage a classroom, how to deliver the curriculum in several different manners, how to write lesson plans, and how to communicate with our students. As administrators, we are taught how to evaluate teachers, how to ensure we are following both Federal and State standards, how to manage a budget, and how to communicate with parents, the community and any other parties within our reach.

Of all of the lessons we were taught and the tools in our proverbial toolboxes, we were never taught how to handle a pandemic! We may have learned about crisis management or how to deal with stressful situations in our classrooms and our schools, but the management of a pandemic was never a lesson taught to or learned by any of us.

However, through our education, experiences, and backgrounds, we learned how to see the light through darkness and how to find the silver lining in the gloomiest and most dismal looking clouds.

“I will love the light for it shows me the way, yet I will endure the darkness for it shows me the stars.” - Og Mandino

We learned how to endure difficult, treacherous and uncertain times.

“I ask not for a lighter burden, but for broader shoulders.” – Jewish Proverb

We learned how to find success in the midst of our most challenging adversities.

“Tough times never last, but tough people do.” – Robert Schuller

Most of all, we learned how to achieve, no matter the circumstances.

“Things turn out the best for the people who make the best of the way things turn out.” – John Wooden

We are all in this together. The membership of the NMAA will persevere and overcome, fueled by the knowledge that what we do matters and is important to the students we serve and to the communities from every part of the Land of Enchantment. Our country endured and overcame the 1918 Pandemic, and we, too, will persist and reemerge from the 2020 pandemic stronger than we were before.

“I learned there are troubles of more than one kind. Some come from ahead, others come from behind. But I’ve bought a big bat. I’m all ready, you see. Now my troubles are going to have trouble with me.” – Dr. Seuss

Let us all carry an attitude of positivity and success forward knowing that how we handle today will affect future generations.

Sally Marquez
Executive Director



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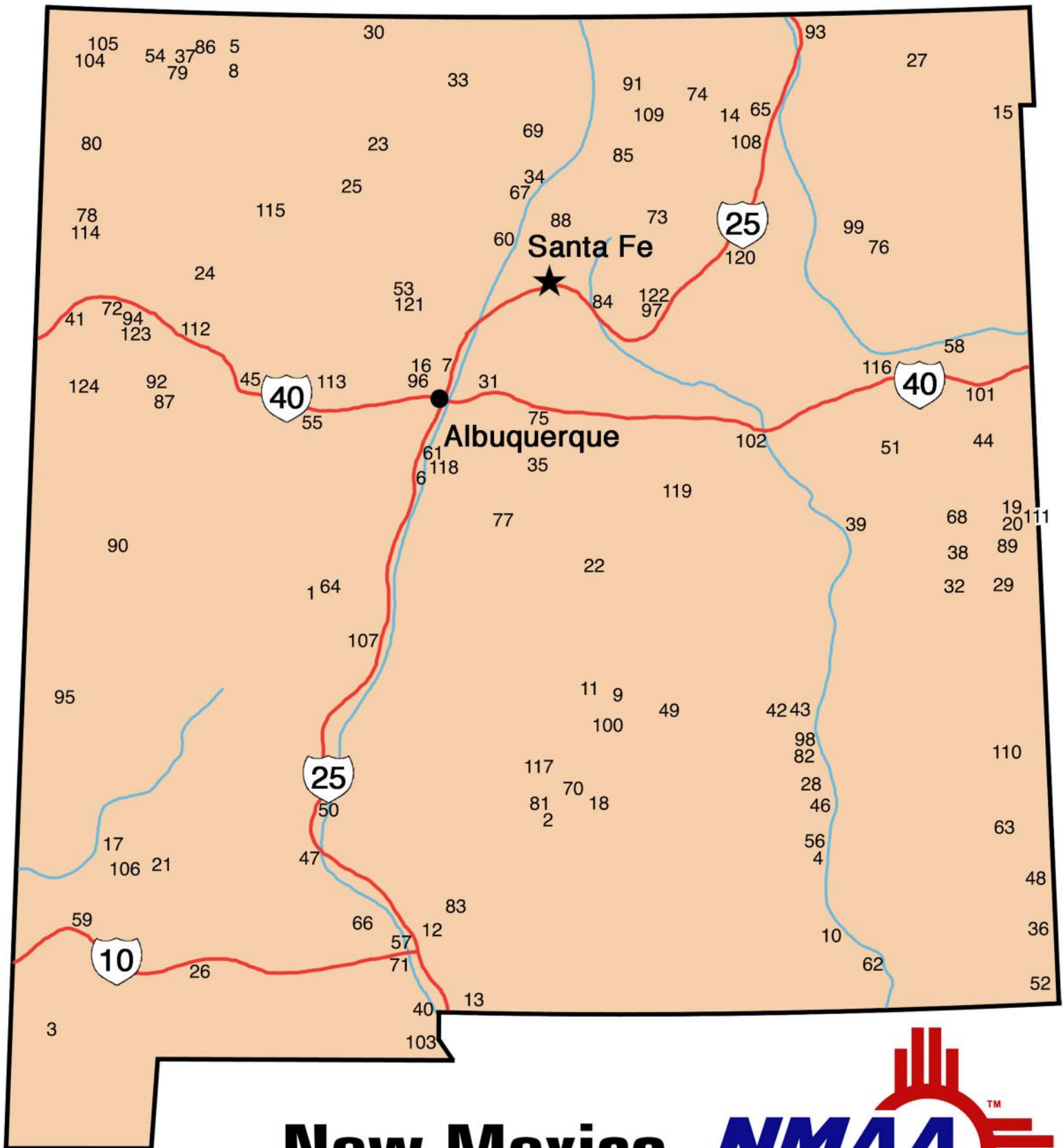
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June 21

June 23

June 25

#1 Tularosa

#8 Navajo Pine

#5 Santa Rosa

#4 Eunice

#3 Loving

#6 Rehoboth Christian

#7 McCurdy

#2 Capitan

UNM
12:00 pm

3A State Championship Bracket

June 21

June 23

June 25

#1 Dexter

#8 Socorro

#5 East Mountain

#4 Cobre

#3 West Las Vegas

#6 Navajo Prep

#7 St. Michael's

#2 Robertson

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4:00 pm



A/2A Softball State Qualifiers

Capitan Tigers

No.	Player	Yr.
1	Jada Serna	8th
2	Britney Baca	Sr.
3	Ruby Quirarte	So.
4	Aubree Lindsay	Fr.
5	Tylee Whipple	So.
6	Kalyn Saiz	Sr.
8	Courtney Baxter	Sr.
11	Kelby Hightower	Sr.
12	Mercedes Hazen	Sr.
13	Jada Long	So.
14	Trinity Martinez	Fr.
15	Juliana Kennedy	8th
16	Brooklyn Parker	8th
17	Joshlyn Peralta	8th
18	Jasmine Kennedy	So.
19	Reyanne Harris	8th
20	Kennedy Rogers	8th
21	Suntana Zamora	Sr.
23	Catherine Sabo	Jr.
24	Jordan Luna	Sr.
30	Joni Foster	8th

Head Coach: Jason Hightower

Eunice Cardinals

No.	Player	Yr.
1	Clarissa Patron	Sr.
2	Arisa Frazier	Sr.
3	Lexi Hernandez	8th
4	Kenedi Holly	8th
5	Tinlee Acosta	So.
7	Kelli Stinson	Fr.
10	Aleya Garcia	8th
11	Makenna McBee	8th
12	Kendra Caballero	Sr.
13	Mckayla Pierce	8th
14	Maribel Lopez	Jr.
17	Brianna Armendariz	So.
21	Chantelle Gonzales	Sr.
22	Emma Garrett	Fr.
27	Aubrie Haller	8th
30	Kady Davis	Fr.

Head Coach: Allison Barrientez

Loving Falcons

No.	Player	Yr.
	Aylissa Armendariz	Jr.
	Samantha Cozart	So.
	Keyna Granado	Fr.
	Cassie Hernandez	Jr.
	Karlee Kinnibrough	Sr.
	Faith McDonald	Jr.
	Kathryn Montoya	So.
	Karyn Montoya	Fr.
	Natalie Navarrette	Jr.
	Athena Neeld	So.
	Shyann Quintanilla	8th
	Sierra Rodriguez	8th
	Parys Rodriguez	Jr.
	Jenavieve Sierra	Jr.
	Calista Torres	So.
	Emily White	Jr.
	Joslynn Abernathy	8th
	Jazzmariah Carrasco	Fr.
	Chrishell Ellis	Fr.
	Elisha Martinez	Fr.

Head Coach: Lee White

McCurdy Bobcats

No.	Player	Yr.
2	Erin Lomayma	Sr.
4	Allison Cantrell	So.
6	Paola Gonzalez	Fr.
7	Olivia Cantrell	Sr.
10	Gabriella Martinez	So.
11	Alissa Maestas	Jr.
17	Aliyah Aragon	Fr.
20	Mariana Arambua	Fr.
21	Gracie Valencia	Sr.
22	Jeneva Serrano	Sr.
25	Esperanza Sandoval	Fr.
27	Haylee Valdez	Jr.
35	Maria Chavez-Quezada	8th
44	Heavenly Arellano	Sr.

Head Coach: Joseph Valdez

Navajo Pine Warriors

No.	Player	Yr.
3	Anaya Peshlakai	Jr.
4	Kamara Goodluck	Sr.
5	Yanabah Howard	Fr.
7	Am'elia Gatewood	Fr.
10	Hailey Tomasiyo	Jr.
11	Adriana Thompson-Willoughby	Fr.
12	Valerie Arthur	Jr.
13	Kayluanah Bahe	Fr.
15	Jessica Joe	So.
16	Kikknoalani Tallwood	Jr.
17	Angela Johnson	8th
18	Kristen Baker	So.
Mgr	Kaitlin McCabe	Fr.

Head Coach: Hilary Thompson

Rehoboth Christian Lynx

No.	Player	Yr.
1	Kaylee Becenti	Fr.
2	Natalia Sabal	Fr.
3	Tambrey Tso	Jr.
5	Marina Clah	Sr.
6	Chyann Begay	So.
7	Leigha Nelson	So.
8	Ashley Skeets	Sr.
9	Jordyn Holtsoi - Henry	Fr.
10	Iliana Andrade	So.
13	Jessica Triplett	Sr.
14	RayNique Francisco	Sr.

Head Coach: Shawna Bailey

Santa Rosa Lions

No.	Player	Yr.
	Janae Dunn	Jr.
1	Daelyn Pacheco	So.
2	Danae Esquibel	So.
3	Kadyn Patterson	So.
4	Anica Lucero	Jr.
6	Carolina Hernandez	Fr.
7	Tristin Trujillo	So.
8	Nicola Johnson	Sr.
9	Hailey Lerma	So.
12	Celina Ashcroft	So.
14	Summer Storey	Jr.
15	Kasydi Chavez	Fr.
16	Kassie Padilla	Fr.
20	Madisyn Romero	Jr.

Head Coach: Jimmy Chavez

Tularosa Wildcats

No.	Player	Yr.
2	Brylee Daugherty	Jr.
4	Maycee Griffin	Fr.
5	Anaya Gonzales	Sr.
6	Syanne Telles	Sr.
7	Caitlin Rogers	So.
12	Hailey Duran	Sr.
15	Kayleigh Hood	Fr.
16	Elliah Yousif	Jr.
24	Layla Gaston	So.
27	Congetta Little	Sr.
30	Josephine Carrillo	Fr.
34	Rayann Chavez	Fr.

Head Coach: Bryan Telles



3A Softball State Qualifiers

Cobre Indians			Dexter Demons			East Mountain Timberwolves		
No.	Player	Yr.	No.	Player	Yr.	No.	Player	Yr.
1	Daeziah Chavez	Sr.	1	Kelsey Storie	Sr.	2	Cashia Simkins	Fr.
2	Taeyah Gonzales	Jr.	2	Aaliyah Aguilar	Fr.	4	Tara Norman	Fr.
3	Emily Esqueda	Jr.	3	Nayeli Cobos	Jr.	5	Elexus Scacco	So.
4	Analisa Tovar	8th	4	Yoselin Gaytan	Sr.	6	Abby Moore	Fr.
5	Anahi Madrid	8th	5	Emily Salas	Fr.	10	Emily Bennington	Fr.
6	Destiny Abalos	Jr.	6	Anahi Mendoza	Sr.	12	Olivia Ford	So.
7	Angelique Garcia	So.	11	Zoey Neeld-Stewart	Jr.	13	Shyann Moorehead	Fr.
10	Zynasia Rodriguez	Jr.	12	Chelsea Torres	Sr.	14	Jade Woodfin	Sr.
11	Destiny Martinez	Fr.	17	Danique Blankvoort	Sr.	15	Cami Jo Radosevich	So.
12	Abrianna Garcia	Jr.	19	Aryana Munoz	Sr.	20	Shandi Gonzales	Fr.
13	Isenya Silva	8th	21	Sarah Phillips	Fr.	21	Aubrie Marez	Fr.
14	Yecenia Tellez	Fr.	27	Chole Milles	Fr.	22	Amariah Ortiz	So.
17	Aizlynn Martinez	Jr.	Head Coach: Sonny Duran			Head Coach: Bill Radosevich		
18	Emma Heredia	So.						
20	Aniela Tellez	So.						
Head Coach: Randy J. Dominguez								
Navajo Prep Eagles			Robertson Cardinals			Socorro Warriors		
No.	Player	Yr.	No.	Player	Yr.	No.	Player	Yr.
1	Leah Bedah	Sr.	1	Ashlynn Trujillo	Sr.	1	Felicity Otero	So.
4	Alexia Lope	Jr.	2	Taylor Quintana	8th	2	Judith Lucero	Sr.
5	Gabrielle Henderson	Jr.	4	Anissa Sanchez	Fr.	3	Julianna Chavez	Jr.
7	Kambrey Dinae	Fr.	5	Callie Atwell	So.	4	Abrianna Romero	8th
8	Alexis Sandoval	Jr.	6	Felicia Ulibarri	Jr.	5	Jayden Van Winkle	Sr.
12	Hannah Gleason	Fr.	7	Alexis Pacheco	8th	6	Karen Leon	Jr.
13	Naima Joe	Fr.	8	Azlyn Padilla	So.	7	Chailynn Amaro	Jr.
15	Hayley Yazzie	Fr.	9	Liegna Lucero	Fr.	8	Marissa Herrera	Jr.
16	Breanna Lewis	Jr.	12	Yesenia Esquibel	8th	9	Anika Sgambato	So.
17	Alexis Wauneka	Fr.	15	Angelica Vigil	So.	10	Alex Olguin	Jr.
23	Nanabah Adakai	So.	20	Ariana Sanchez	8th	12	Savannah Chewiwi	Sr.
25	KayDence LowDog	Fr.	24	Arianna Archuleta	So.	16	Alyssa Hernandez	So.
Head Coach: Darwyn Clyde Henderson			34	Gabrielle Rivera	8th	17	Reyna Alvarado	So.
				Jayden Jenkins	Jr.	19	Tamara Lucero	Jr.
				Jorene Schlinger	Fr.	Head Coach: Juan Alvarado		
				Krishanti Bellson	So.			
				Jayla Cordova	8th			
				Trista Maestas	So.			
				Amarae Vasquez	8th			
			Head Coach: David Ulibarri					
St. Michael's Horsemen			West Las Vegas Lady Dons					
No.	Player	Yr.	No.	Player	Yr.			
1	Rachel Morgan	Sr.	2	Jennifer Sanchez	Sr.			
2	Athena Archuleta	Sr.	5	Estrella Rodriguez	So.			
7	Isabella Lopez	Jr.	7	Amaris Otero	So.			
8	Mariah Valdez	Jr.	8	Chrislen Archuleta	Sr.			
14	Lauryn Pecos	So.	10	Azlyn Valdez	So.			
	Shanti Amrit	Fr.	11	Rebekah Trujillo	Jr.			
	Estrella Delora	Sr.	12	Angelica Montoya	So.			
	Mia Duran	Fr.	12	Samantha Sandoval	Jr.			
	Cassie Gravel	Sr.	13	Mickey Montoya	Sr.			
	Emily Montoya	8th	14	Maddie Griego	Jr.			
	Helena Prevatt	8th	14	Miquela Sena	So.			
	Ariana Rivera	8th	16	Angel Branchal	Sr.			
Head Coach: Joe Alvarez			Head Coach: Pamela Sandoval					



4A Softball State Qualifiers

Artesia Bulldogs

No.	Player	Yr.
1	Haley Tucker	Fr.
2	Presley Skinner	Sr.
3	Zowe Warren	Fr.
5	McKenna Morrison	Fr.
6	Necel Jimenez	Fr.
7	Taylon Martinez	Fr.
10	Madison Martinez	Fr.
11	Makaylee Morillon	8th
12	Mikenzi Carlo	Fr.
13	RyLee Crandall	Jr.
14	Brooke Kinnibrugh	Sr.
15	Perseis Aguilar	Fr.
20	Ariana Chavez	Fr.
24	Vianka Baeza	Sr.

Head Coach: Sandra Pulido

Bernalillo Spartans

No.	Player	Yr.
2	Kristi Trancosa	Sr.
3	Adriana Chavez	So.
4	Kiera Touchton	Sr.
5	Shania Sandoval	Sr.
6	Annalicia Trancosa	So.
7	Ayana Nieto	Sr.
8	Marissa Doninguez	Jr.
10	Mikayla Tovar	Sr.
13	Nevaeh Serna	So.
14	Alexis Vigil	Jr.
15	Samantha Gonzalez	So.
17	Kayla Aragon	Sr.

Head Coach: Manuel Montano

Gallup Bengals

No.	Player	Yr.
1	Brenna Becenti	Fr.
2	Raeanna Chee	Fr.
3	Katherine Lincoln	Jr.
4	Ciara Spencer	Jr.
5	Seniah Haines	Fr.
6	Jazmine Marrufo	Fr.
7	Mikayla Denezpi	So.
8	Chaylee Becenti	Jr.
9	Taylor Morgan	Jr.
10	Dakotah Spencer	So.
11	Savannah Watson	Sr.
12	Stephanesha Charlie	Fr.
13	Jasmine Tsosie	Sr.
15	Katelyn Pablo	Sr.
99	Adrianna Lynn	Sr.

Head Coach: Rayfert Spencer

Goddard Rockets

No.	Player	Yr.
	Ericca Cannon	So.
	Krishawna Casaus	Jr.
	Avery Chavez	Fr.
	Savana Daniel	So.
	Brittney Daniel	Jr.
	Presleigh Dutra	Sr.
	Juliet Hernandez	Jr.
	Kiara Ramirez	Sr.
	Kaydence Ray	So.
	Annika Roybal	Fr.
	Aniston Sons	Jr.
	Ayriana Arellanes	So.
	Alyssa Linares	Jr.
	Valaree Manzanares	Sr.
	Alexis Ramirez	Sr.
	Alexis Sandoval	Jr.

Head Coach: Jessica Zamora

Miyamura Patriots

No.	Player	Yr.
1	Alayna Vidal	8th
2	Shelby Cordova	Sr.
3	Amber Mecale	Sr.
4	Gabriella Garcia	So.
5	Jazmine Arreguin	Sr.
7	Lakisha Shorty	Sr.
9	Asyia Footracer	So.
11	Andrea Vinson	8th
13	Madison Antonio	Jr.
15	Tryshelle Trujillo	So.
18	Tiana Yazzie	So.
21	Payton Guerrero	Fr.
23	Shantaya Belone	So.
25	Anna Chaparro	Fr.
31	Aubrey Tah	Fr.

Head Coach: Mattea Lovato

Pojoaque Valley Elkettes

No.	Player	Yr.
1	Taylor Quintana	Jr.
2	Santana Sanchez	Sr.
3	Kaelynn Mondragon	Jr.
4	Anissa Herrera	Jr.
5	Jessica Roybal	Sr.
6	Shontelle Molina	So.
7	Elysia Gonzales	Sr.
8	Kelli Griego	Jr.
9	Madison Gonzales	Sr.
12	Marisa Martinez	Fr.
15	Ayana Aguirre	Sr.
16	Christy Aguilar	Sr.
33	Sage Vallo	Jr.
35	Tia Roybal	Fr.
40	Joann Leno	Jr.

Head Coach: Chris Ortiz

Silver Fighting Colts

No.	Player	Yr.
1	Hannah Abeyta	Fr.
2	Alizae Torres	So.
3	Deziraye Salgado	So.
4	Ariel Alvarado	8th
5	Maria Ruelaz	8th
6	Lisa Lucero	Jr.
7	Mhia Romero	Sr.
8	Jayelyn Sanchez	Fr.
10	Kaliyah Mendoza	Jr.
11	Larissa Rueda	Fr.
12	Ajia Richard	Sr.
13	Zantelle Rodriguez	Fr.
14	Jordin Salgado	8th
15	Alexandra Rios	Sr.
18	Makaylah Roybal	So.

Head Coach: Michael Lopez

St. Pius X Sartans

No.	Player	Yr.
2	Gabriella Casco	Fr.
3	Alexis Statzula	Sr.
4	Jocelyn Chavez	Jr.
5	Stevie Nunez	So.
6	Andrea Toledo	Jr.
7	McKayla Cable	Fr.
9	Hailey Baca	Sr.
10	Natasha Montoya	So.
11	Desirey Ortiz	Fr.
12	Juliana Wardroup-Sanchez	Fr.
13	Anna Barraza	Fr.
14	Greyse Pitre	Fr.
15	Julianne Leon	Jr.
16	Aiyana Chavez	Jr.
21	Ariana Rivera	Jr.
23	Abrianna Notah-Johnson	So.
33	Ashley Chavez	Fr.
35	Mykel Torres	So.
66	Desarae Chavez	So.

Head Coach: Melanie Roni Marquez



5A Softball State Qualifiers

Carlsbad Cavegirls

No.	Player	Yr.
2	Natalie Najar	So.
3	Aislenn Whitzel	So.
4	Kristyn Guevara	So.
5	Grace Aragon	Jr.
6	Faith Aragon	So.
7	Madison Loera	Sr.
8	Emma Sanders	Jr.
9	Jessica Munro	Jr.
10	Brooke Martinez	Jr.
11	Haiven Schoolcraft	So.
12	Domenique Hopinkah	So.
13	Hannah Martinez	So.
15	Ava Fuentes	Jr.
17	Madison Flaco	So.
20	Brooke Rentner	Jr.
22	Johnna Aragon	So.
23	Mariah Torres	So.
24	Maura Florez	Jr.

Head Coach: John Tigert

Cibola Cougars

No.	Player	Yr.
1	Natalia Lopez	Jr.
3	Reyna Morales	Jr.
4	Kiana Guerrero	Sr.
5	Aunika Marquez	So.
6	Montes Jalyn	So.
9	Aracely Morales	Sr.
12	Hailey Francois	So.
13	Judah Ortiz	So.
14	Amaya Castille	Fr.
15	Krista Healy	So.
16	Zeyda Olvera	Fr.
17	Mariah Valdez	Fr.
22	Taylor Tso	Sr.
23	Jordan Muniz	Sr.
24	Shade Young	So.

Head Coach: Gene Victor

Cleveland Storm

No.	Player	Yr.
2	Kayla Abeyta	Fr.
3	Analicia Martinez	Sr.
4	Olivia Inclan	Sr.
5	Mercedes Lovato	Fr.
6	Avianna Fierro	Fr.
7	Ashley Archuleta	Sr.
8	Ryen Herman	So.
9	Aubrey Jaramillo	8th
10	Lillian Paboucek	Fr.
11	Alivia Hughes	Fr.
12	Tavia Fragua	Jr.
13	Adriana "AJ" Naranjo	Sr.
14	Mya Pacheco	Fr.
15	Eryn Renteria	Sr.
32	Aalijah Alarcon	Sr.

Head Coach: Angel Castillo

La Cueva Bears

No.	Player	Yr.
2	Brooke Russell	Jr.
3	Toni Lucero	Fr.
6	Kayla Davis	So.
8	Nadya Moreno	Fr.
9	Ellie Breckenridge	Fr.
10	Mya Nguyen	So.
12	Hannah Campos	Jr.
13	Ashlyn Zapach	Jr.
15	Ciena Perez	Fr.
16	Savannah Shaw	Fr.
18	Hannah Hunt	Fr.
21	Taylor Harrison	Sr.
22	Alyssa Abeyta	Sr.
25	Maddison George	Fr.
27	Addison Byers	Fr.

Head Coach: Ron Romero

Los Lunas Tigers

No.	Player	Yr.
1	Alexandra Tenorio	Sr.
2	Mackenzie Zuni	Jr.
3	Kylie Garcia	Jr.
7	Kendall Ostler	Sr.
8	Anna Cieremans	Sr.
14	Joshlynn Ortiz	So.
17	Marleigh Manns	So.
21	Edyn Lopez	Sr.
23	Sarah Love	Fr.
24	Alexxa Torres	Jr.
26	Tirzah Yokoyama	Sr.
28	Olivia Lucero	Sr.

Head Coach: Jackie Candelaria

Oñate Knights

No.	Player	Yr.
1	Nevaeh Holguin	Fr.
2	Juliana Milo	So.
3	Jaileen Mancha	Sr.
4	Makayla LaChance	Fr.
7	Jaraya Diaz	So.
8	Abigail Goodman	Jr.
9	Shaolin Munir	Fr.
10	Taylor Morelos	Fr.
11	Hannah Hopkins	Fr.
12	Madison Chavez	Sr.
13	Camila Gatica	Jr.
14	Paige Perea	So.
15	Lauren Lucero	Fr.
19	Alexis Armendariz	Sr.
21	Kiara Armendarez	Sr.
22	Ariela Silva	Sr.

Head Coach: Ray Diaz

Piedra Vista Panthers

No.	Player	Yr.
1	Ajah Charlie	Jr.
2	Brielle Sledge	So.
3	Akaysia Grogan	Jr.
4	Angel Clyde	Jr.
5	Tatianna Guerrero	Jr.
7	Adryanna Snyder	So.
8	Mariah Brown	Jr.
11	Shelbi Monfils	Jr.
12	Liberty Sheek	Jr.
16	Adreanna Eaton	Jr.
20	Lauryn Begay	Sr.
22	Reagan Werth	So.
23	Aiyanna Sandoval	Sr.
32	Lanae Billy	Jr.
42	Madi Van Riper	Jr.
44	Danika Wilson	Fr.
55	Emma Lovato	So.

Head Coach: Kevin Werth

Rio Rancho Rams

No.	Player	Yr.
2	Aspen Polanco	Fr.
3	Kionna King	Jr.
5	Angelica Rael	So.
6	Ariana Jarvis	Sr.
9	Sofia Towne	Fr.
11	Taylor Sandoval	Fr.
12	Madison Begaye	Jr.
13	Ashley Burriel	Jr.
14	Ariana Valenzuela	Fr.
15	Raeleen Jimenez	Sr.
16	Mia Martinez	Fr.
17	Labraida Tenorio	Jr.
18	Felicity Luna	Sr.
20	Ryleigh Garvin	Jr.
22	Mia Flores	Jr.
24	Kayla Reed	Jr.
26	Kathryn Elliott	Jr.
30	Jayden Throgmorton	Fr.
31	Rylee Campbell	Sr.

Head Coach: Paul Kohman



4A State Championship Bracket

June 22

June 24

June 26

#1 Gallup

#8 Bernalillo

#5 Miyamura

#4 St. Pius X

#3 Silver

#6 Goddard

#7 Pojoaque Valley

#2 Artesia

UNM
12:00 pm

5A State Championship Bracket

June 22

June 24

June 26

#1 Cleveland

#8 La Cueva

#5 Cibola

#4 Oñate

#3 Carlsbad

#6 Rio Rancho

#7 Los Lunas

#2 Piedra Vista

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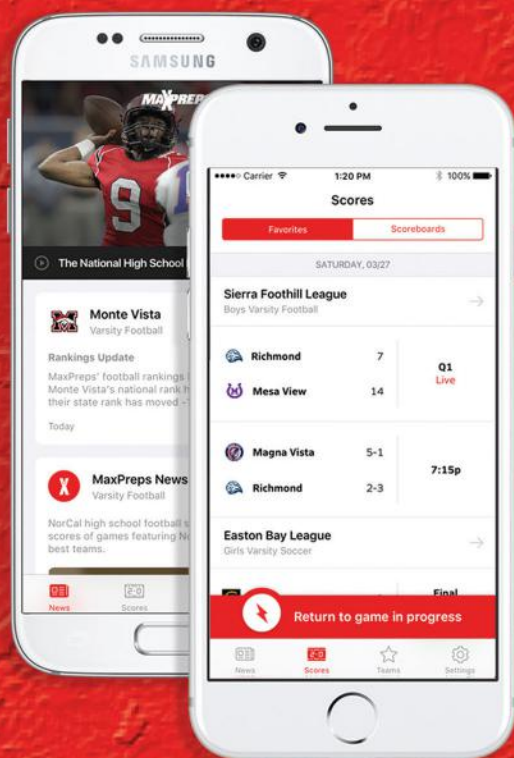
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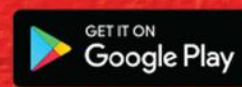
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Now more than ever, we are reminded how many life lessons can be taught by participating in sports. Coaches are teachers that can lead others in lessons such as how to stay positive, how to overcome adversity, how to work together for a common purpose, how to be resilient and how to be there for others. Achieving goals and overcoming obstacles can help teens persevere in uncertain times like these. Students can find a sense of belonging and accomplishment through individual sports and team dynamics.

Sports are symbolic of life. Life requires teamwork, discipline, resiliency, respect, compassion, and character. Sports can develop those skills to apply on the playing field and in their life.

We recently spoke with several different coaches from all over New Mexico, in a variety of sports, about the importance of sports and the lessons it can teach.

COMMITMENT

For coaches, sports are an extension of the classroom. They encourage their athletes to always do their best on the field, in the classroom, and in life. Champions can be determined by their commitment to goals.

"I remember a conversation with a former athlete of mine and they were contemplating dropping out of college. Then this person told me, 'Coach, I thought to myself that is not who I am. I never quit! I will fight to the end!' I was never more proud as a coach and, yes, he graduated!" -Ryan Galindo, Carlsbad High School Tennis

SELF-DISCIPLINE

Tough times don't last, but tough people do. It's a saying coaches are used to preaching. Get up when you get knocked

down. The self-discipline taught in sports allows a person to thrive in life with a work ethic to improve. Self-discipline spills over into every aspect of life and is a highly common trait among successful people.

"For me, the example that resonates over and over is that of the kid with a less than optimal home life. A kid that doesn't have the nice clothes, fancy shoes, or even a car to drive to school. This specific kid has every excuse to 'not make it' and no one would judge him for that. Yet, he decides to get involved in sports and realizes that dreams can come true through hard work and determination. Through the experiences and lessons learned in sports, new things are possible and maybe even attainable with the right mindset. Goals can be reached regardless of where you begin. Success can be achieved at any level if the proper self-discipline and work ethic are put in place. This example happens very often. A player falls in love with a sport, a coach, or a program and it drastically changes their attitude towards life and propels them to seek a future that once wasn't an option for them. I guess this life lesson can be summed up in one word that sports can provide... HOPE. Players need HOPE." -Heath Ridenour, Sue V. Cleveland High School Football

MENTAL TOUGHNESS

Sports can teach a person to be strong in body and mind. Athletes learn to push their bodies beyond what they ever believed they could to achieve their goal. Whether it's in practice or competition, a person can learn to overcome adversity they may not have faced without sports.

"The life-lesson I learned through volleyball came my Junior season in college when I tore my ACL & MCL during a spring workout. Volleyball was my life, my days revolved around the

game and my teammates. I was devastated. However, through this injury and set back I learned what mental and physical toughness truly meant. My rehab took 9 months, many hours a day, was very painful and caused separation from my teammates. Nevertheless, it taught me so much about what I was really made of. The injury helped me develop a stronger faith in God, established new friends outside the game and led me to other passions as well as volleyball. I came back to the game stronger and a more complete player. I now use my injury every time a player in our program is injured...because, I lived it as well.”-Kristen Scanlan, Texico High School Volleyball

LEARNING TO WORK WITH OTHERS

Everyone doesn't come from the same place. Everyone has different skills and talents to contribute, but everyone has value. Athletes learn quickly that a team can achieve success when everyone contributes. Through collective hard work, kids learn to contribute to a greater good.

“I had a young lady from our program who authored ‘How to Survive Piedra Vista Softball: A guide by the 2016 Varsity Team’. I opened it up and read it again and, as always, got choked up on some of the things the girls wrote.”-Kevin Werth, Piedra Vista High School Softball

SAMPLE FROM THE GUIDE

“I want everyone in this program to know the joy of a hard-fought win, and also learn how to be gracious in defeat. I want everyone in the program to understand that adversity is inevitable, but that doesn't mean you still can't kick its butt. I want everyone in the program to believe in themselves and each other.”-Haley Parson

“Probably just knowing that there's going to be a next pitch coming, there's going to be another day to come, that things are going to get better no matter what.”-Katie Jensen

“Try to gain respect by giving respect the best you can, and love your teammates.”-Tyra Garcia

TEAMWORK

Sacrificing one's personal gain for the better of the group is a lesson taught in all team sports. Athletes understand how they can best contribute using their strengths. Together Everyone Achieves More (T.E.A.M.). Players learn quickly that their best chance at success will be through cooperation with the teammates.

“I had a young man back in 2001 by the name of Phil Sakala who had won the 800 meters and 1600 meters at the State Track Meet. He was favored to win the 3200 meters the next day and become one the first distance runners to sweep all three distance events. My 800-meter anchor leg, Frank Hemingway, in the Medley Relay developed a stress fracture in the prelims and could not run the Medley in the finals the next day. I spoke with Phil that night explaining to him that I know he has a chance of becoming a state champion in all three distance events, but we really need him to anchor our Medley since we had no other backup 800-meter runner. The next day, Phil sacrificed his personal individual 3200-meter opportunity for the principle of teamwork and he anchored our Medley relay to a state champion finish. Phil was quoted in our local paper as saying ‘I just helped three of my best friends win a state title’. Phil went on to attend and graduate from the West Point Academy where today he carries a rank of Major continuing to apply the concept of teamwork, leading soldiers in military endeavors.”-David Nunez, Onate High School Track and Field

HANDLING FEAR AND FAILURE

Whether it's striking out, making an error, or just losing a game, failures happen in sports as well as life. Learning that not



everyone gets to win can be a valuable lesson in someone's early development. Life isn't always fair. Injuries happen, calls are missed. Players learn that getting angry or frustrated doesn't always help and can affect their performance. Losing with dignity is just as important as winning with class. A person can find success after learning from their failures.

“I try to give as many life lessons through the game of baseball. I think sports closely parallels everyday life and the lessons you learn on the field can be applied to successful living. We teach kids to deal with frustration, controlling their emotions and adjusting to change. By playing sports you can learn maturity, honesty, loyalty, and patience.”-Gil Padilla, Las Cruces High School Baseball

RESILIENCE

Not everything always goes according to plan. Sometimes you get thrown a curveball at the plate, and in life. Athletes need to know how to bounce back. It's ok to make a mistake, but how you come back from the setback will define you.

“The biggest life lesson that I have learned as a coach is that the sun will come up the next day. No matter the outcome of the day, process it, learn from it and make the best of the next day that has been given to you. Bad things are going to happen as a competitor and as a coach; how you react to those bad things are ultimately going to shape and mold you into the person you are.”-Evan Copeland, Cleveland High School Wrestling

GOAL SETTING

Setting a goal in place and finding a way to accomplish that goal in the face of adversity is a useful skill. After setting a goal, an athlete knows to work hard to reach it. That goal can be a motivator for improvement.

“The best example I can think of was when our golf team played in the 2017 NMAA State Championship in Roswell. Our boys team put in the work all year and gotten their brains beat in by Cleveland High School, which was the best team in the state by far. The boys played with poise and a ‘no-fear’ attitude and ended up winning the tournament by 8 shots...until they didn't. One of our players got disqualified for signing an incorrect

scorecard and we ended up losing by 3 shots instead of winning the school's first blue trophy in boys golf. The team had to juggle an emotional roller coaster of the highest high and the lowest low and also console a devastated teammate. The boys not only handled it with grace, but also put together a plan on the bus ride home to start preparing the very next day for 2018. They named the season 'The Redemption Tour' and ended up working harder than this coach thought was possible. In 2018, they left no doubt in winning their first ever state championship at Pinon Hills Golf Course. I have never seen a group of boys handle adversity of that magnitude and then channel their emotions into a positive goal for the next year. It truly was a story of redemption and it was quite a journey as a coach...and one I will never forget!" - **Tom Yost, Piedra Vista High School Golf**

TIME MANAGEMENT

Being a successful athlete takes a lot of dedication, but it also takes a lot of time. Athletes have to juggle their time between school, practice, and sometimes a job. Being on a team can be a job in itself. Sports teaches a person how to organize, prioritize, and focus on the importance of academics. Athletes know what they need to do and when to do it.

"I had a student-athlete that wasn't living up to the expectations of our volleyball team and herself. As a result, she did not attend a week-long summer trip/team camp as an upperclassman, and it definitely sent a message to the player. Years later, and after college, the player contacted me and said 'Thank you, coach. That was an experience that changed my life for the better, I owe a lot to you coach. My path to be successful began with the expectations/discipline that you provided a young kid.'" - **Toby Mananares, Rio Rancho High School Volleyball**

DEDICATION

Every athletic season has a beginning and an end. Coaches preach to their kids to finish what you start. It's one of the foundations of sport. Everyone wants to quit at some point, but dedication to improvement and becoming the best you can be is what keeps the athlete going.

"Sometimes my kids don't understand why I get on them for being 'a few minutes late to practice'. But in life, 'a few minutes late' here and there can cost you a job or an opportunity. Life is about dedicating and committing yourself to something you believe in and giving yourself to that belief even when it is hard and isn't maybe always going your way. You don't quit, you keep moving and giving everything you have." - **Stacy Salinas, Rio Rancho/Sue V. Cleveland Swimming**

OVERCOMING ADVERSITY

In sports, there are hurdles to get over, much like in life. Sometimes things can surprise you or catch you off guard. They say life is not about what happens to you, but how you deal with it.

"I had a player who lost both his parents. He lost his mom when he was 5 and dad when he was 15. This young man had several offers from families to move in with them, but he was a very proud young man and refused. Well, he was able to find housing and remained in the school district and on the team. The year after his dad died, he had many ups and downs but fought his way through it as he had a lot of support from friends, families, and coaches. This young man ended up contributing to 3 Cross Country Championships, 1 State Track Championship, and 2 State Basketball Championships. He more than overcame his adversity!" - **Ira Harge, Espanola High School Athletic Director**

PERSEVERANCE

Having the tenacity and determination to accomplish some-



thing despite the level of difficulty doesn't just apply to student-athletes, sports can teach the same perseverance to coaches too. Fight through it, don't run from a situation when adversity strikes. There will be setbacks. There will be obstacles, but success doesn't happen overnight.

"There was a girl who I coached almost 15 years ago, she was a good player, and was starting at the beginning of the year. But through the end of September, she could not keep her breath and was having a hard time running. Well, she went to the doctor and they could not find out what was wrong, but she was not getting any better. She was so loyal to the team, never missed practice and was at every game. Even her senior year she still was around for everything, but would get sick quite often and had a hard time playing, but we kept a great relationship through all this. She went off to college and we always would meet when she came back into town. We talked life lessons each time, and each time she said how playing soccer taught her so much. She now has a wonderful professional job in New York City and what she has learned through sports has helped her with everything she has accomplished in her professional life. She still gets sick and has a hard time with her health, but she never gave up and always pushed forward. Sports teaches you things like that." - **Amber Ashcraft, La Cueva High School Soccer**

PATIENCE

Winning takes time. Championship teams aren't built overnight. In sports you have a coach and in life you have a boss. You learn to take instruction, develop patience and become a member of a team.

"I tell my players that when we do something, we do it right and we do it that way every time. I give our players and parents a booklet every year. It talks about how to perform under pressure. They understand that the role of discipline and self-sacrifice play an important part of being successful. Experiencing the pains of commitment and the thrill and joy of success is an integral part of

being a basketball player; those same feelings that will be experienced in the real world.” -**Marty Zeller, Los Lunas High School Girls Basketball, 41 Years of Coaching**

RESPECT

Athletes must respect their coaches, officials, teammates, and their opponent. It is important to recognize the worth of another.

“As an athlete, I think the biggest thing I gained was confidence to pursue. I learned how to set my sights on something and be willing to put in the work even if I had underlying doubts. It’s the idea of relentlessly putting one foot in front of the other, even when things get hard. Along with that came an ability to give to and receive from others in a collective effort.” -**Kathy Hipwood, Los Alamos High School Cross Country**

INTEGRITY

Morals and ethics come into play every day in sports. Honesty and adherence to the rules is a foundation of every game. Many coaches will tell you that with some athletes it takes time and patience for them to realize their self-worth and value, but people can develop into some of the strongest members of their team when they realize there are no short cuts.

“My suggestions are to smile when the headwind makes us work harder, laugh when we fall down bleeding, and never let anyone else control our emotions.” -**Tim Host, ATC Cross Country**

RESPONSIBILITY

Taking accountability is a major characteristic of successful student athletes. Participating in sports brings many obligations, to your teammates, to your coach, and to your academics.

“I had a athlete that started wrestling his sophomore year with no prior experience. He was failing in school and was ineligible to compete. His junior year, he was 2.8 GPA student with a less than .500 win percentage. His senior year, he was a 3.4 GPA student and made the state finals! I believe the lessons he learned on the mat has transformed him to the man he is today, being a highly well-respected police officer.” -**Nate Sellers, Miyamura High School Wrestling**

COMPASSION

Athletes can learn about caring for another as their coach cares for them. Young adults can witness, first hand, the sympathy and care for the suffering of others. Coaches themselves can

relate to another’s pain because it’s something they might have gone through themselves at one time.

“The one incident that stands out to me was a life-long lesson learned by one of my athletes that decided they were going to run away from home with their significant other as a sophomore in high school. The couple had purchased bus tickets, and this athlete informed their grandparents they were living with, that they were leaving. The athlete was begged to stay and of course did not. The grandmother called me in the middle of the night begging me to talk to this individual as the departure time was getting closer. At first I was hesitant, but then I thought – ‘what if this was my kid doing this and I had the confidence in their coach to try and assist during this time of need?’ So, of course, I jumped in the car and headed to the bus station. By the time I arrived, my athlete was on the bus, the grandmother was crying in the parking lot and I was thinking to myself – ‘What am I going to be able to say to change their mind?’ I boarded the bus, looked my athlete in the eye and explained how disappointed I was that they could disrespect their grandmother like this, disrespect themselves and let their teammates down. The responsibility/commitment they made when becoming a part of the team was just about to be broken. I cried, they cried....we talked about feelings, respect, etc., and just as the time for departure arrived, the athlete grabbed their belongings and got off the bus. At this point, I don’t know who cried more....me, the athlete or the grandmother. This event that happened was unfortunate, however, I believe the athlete learned some very valuable life lessons, as did I, having children of my own. This individual had a very successful high school career both on and off the court and went on to play at the next level on a scholarship, graduated from college, married and has 3 beautiful children. To me, this is what coaching is all about.” -**George Maya, Mayfield High School Girls Basketball, 37 Years of Coaching**

DREAM BIG, ANYTHING IS POSSIBLE

At all levels, sports have given us memorable moments when we say ‘I can’t believe that just happened!’ Athletes think about what they want and forget all the reasons why it can’t become a reality. They work hard to make their dreams come true. If you believe it, you can achieve it.

“I had a student athlete who happened to have down syndrome. She was on the dance team all 4 years of high school. She participated in everything but competition. Every year she would put on her uniform and get hair and makeup done for State. She would join me up front and cheer on the team. Her senior year, this young lady got to do the one thing left undone. She walked down the ramp and this time her teammates joined me upfront and cheered her on as she performed on the PIT floor in front of 15,000 people. I hope the lesson learned by my team and others, is that nothing is impossible. We can all achieve our dreams, and maybe help someone else achieve theirs.” -**Nicole List, Cheer/Dance Coach**

All of those lessons we learn from competing. We haven’t even touched on how sports can teach loyalty, leadership, and maturity. Sometimes self-improvement can’t be measured in wins, losses, time or distance. Self-improvement is connected to one’s determination in the face of unexpected obstacles.

I’d like to finish with this thought. Adversity is a part of life. Never quit. That’s the lesson **Heath Ridenour** says sports taught him, both as a player and a coach. *“Find the light amidst the darkness,”* he reminds others. *“Overwhelm the negative thought with a positive action. Choose to wake up and win every single day. This applies to athletics, but it is 100% relevant in every aspect of life as well.”*

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RK.	NO.	TEAM	YEARS
1	16	Carlsbad	1976, 1977, 1980, 1982, 1983, 1985, 1987, 1988, 1990, 1991, 1992, 1993, 1996, 2001, 2002, 2010
	16	Loving	1988, 1989, 1990, 1991, 1992, 1993, 1994, 1995, 1999, 2003, 2005, 2007, 2009, 2010, 2013, 2014
3	12	Silver	1994, 1996, 1997, 1998, 2011, 2012, 2013, 2014, 2015, 2016, 2017, 2018
4	10	Cobre	1979, 1980, 1981, 1982, 1983, 1984, 1985, 1987, 1989, 1990
5	9	Piedra Vista	2006, 2007, 2008, 2009, 2010, 2011, 2012, 2013, 2014
6	8	Bloomfield	1991, 1992, 1993, 2000, 2007, 2008, 2009, 2010
	8	Farmington	1994, 1995, 1997, 1998, 2000, 2002, 2003, 2004
8	7	Hatch Valley	1981, 1982, 1983, 1985, 1986, 1987, 1988
	7	Jal	2011, 2008, 2004, 2001, 2000, 1998, 1997

MOST CONSECUTIVE STATE CHAMPIONSHIPS

RK.	NO.	TEAM	YEARS
1	9	Piedra Vista	2006-2014
2	8	Silver	2011-2018
3	7	Cobre	1979-1985
	7	Loving	1989-1995
5	4	Bloomfield	2007-2010
	4	Carlsbad	1990-1993
	4	Hatch Valley	1985-1988
8	3	5 teams tied	

MOST WINS (SEASON)

1	31	Volcano Vista	2012
2	30	Cibola	2008
	30	Dexter	2016
	30	Las Cruces	2013
5	29	Artesia	2018
6	28	Cibola	2009
	28	Piedra Vista	2007
	28	La Cueva	2017
9	27	Aztec	2016
	27	Volcano Vista	2011
	27	West Mesa	2006
	27	Dexter	2018

MOST WINS (CONSECUTIVE)

1	51	Volcano Vista	2011-2012
2	39	Carlsbad	1981-1983
3	33	Cibola	2007-2008
4	28	La Cueva	2017
	28	Dexter	2016-17
6	25	Volcano Vista	2011
7	20	Cibola	2008-2009
8	18	Cibola	2009-2010
9	15	Cibola	1997

MOST HITS (GAME)

1	8	Dana Mozer (Sandia Prep) vs. Santa Fe Prep (4/19/81)
2	6	Kristina Radosevich (Los Alamos) vs. Capital (4/27/11)
3	5	Miranda Fish (Eunice) vs. Hobbs JV (3/17/11)
	5	Samantha McFall (St. Michael's) vs. Robertson (4/10/10)
5	4	18 players tied

MOST HITS (SEASON)

1	70	Stephanie Midthun (Cibola)
2	68	Emma Adams (Cibola) 2011
3	65	Brittany Baca (Cibola) 2011
4	61	Chanel Ewing (Piedra Vista) 2008
5	58	Tristin Moone (Piedra Vista) 2008

MOST HITS (SEASON) [cont]

6	56	Latainna Eltsosie (Cibola) 2008
7	53	Samantha Peake (Cibola) 2011
	53	Val Swedberg (Cibola) 2009
	53	Andrea Howard (La Cueva) 2016
10	52	Two players tied

MOST HITS (CAREER)

1	214	Latainna Eltsosie (Cibola and Kirtland Central) 2005-2009
2	188	Emma Adams (Cibola) 2009-2012
3	186	Val Swedberg (Cibola) 2007-2010
4	176	Samantha McFall (St. Michael's) 2007-2011
5	124	Valerie Kioerdanz (Piedra Vista) 2005-2008
6	108	Christina Chavez (Los Alamos) 2003-2006
7	95	Missy Martinez (Cibola) 2006-2009
8	92	Megan Burditt (Los Alamos) 2005-2007
9	90	Jocelynn Salazar (Cibola) 2006-2009

MOST HOME RUNS (GAME)

1	4	Jaelynn Vialpando (Atrisco Heritage) vs. Albuquerque High (4/11/17)
2	3	Val Swedberg (Cibola) vs. Rio Grande (3/19/10)
	3	Samantha McFall (St. Michael's) vs. Aztec (3/9/11)
	3	Emma Adams (Cibola) vs. Manzano (4/6/11)
	3	Jasmine Casados (La Cueva) vs. Sandia (3/3/12)
	3	Andrea Howard (La Cueva) vs. Manzano (4/30/16)
7	2	Six players tied

MOST HOME RUNS (SEASON)

1	19	Val Swedberg (Cibola) 2010
2	18	Andrea Howard (La Cueva) 2016
3	16	Jasmine Casados (La Cueva) 2013
4	15	Macrina Ortega (Gadsden) 2005
5	12	Emma Adams (Cibola) 2012
6	11	Kim Light (Kirtland Central) 2008
7	10	Samantha Davis (Piedra Vista) 2007
	10	Valerie Kioerdanz (Piedra Vista) 2008
	10	Latainna Eltsosie (Cibola) 2008
10	9	Two players tied

MOST HOME RUNS (CAREER)

1	47	Jasmine Casados (La Cueva) 2010-2013
2	35	Val Swedberg (Cibola) 2007-2010
3	27	Latainna Eltsosie (Kirtland Central and Cibola) 2006-2009
4	25	Emma Adams (Cibola) 2009-2012



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MOST HOME RUNS (CAREER) [cont]

5	21	Jayne Fuller (Piedra Vista) 2005-2008
21		Samantha McFall (St. Michael's) 2007-2011
7	18	Valerie Kloerdanz (Piedra Vista) 2005-2008
8	10	Missy Martinez (Cibola) 2006-2009
9	8	Monica Armendaria (Carlsbad)

MOST TRIPLES (SEASON)

1	10	Jacqueline Candelaria (Los Lunas) 2010
2	9	Tylor Romero (Manzano) 2010
3	7	Gina Salmon (Carlsbad)
7		Christal Bradford (Cibola) 1986
5	6	Val Swedberg (Cibola) 2010
6		Nadine Melendrez (Alamogordo) 1997
6		Erin Torres (St. Michael's) 2010
6		Emma Adams (Cibola) 2011
9	5	Mary Rose Sandoval (Cibola) 2006
10	4	2 players tied

MOST TRIPLES (CAREER)

1	29	Amanda Elizabeth Laird (Carlsbad) 2003-2005
2	15	Val Swedberg (Cibola) 2007-2010
3	13	Emma Adams (Cibola) 2009-2012
4	12	Christal Bradford (Cibola) 1985-1986
5	11	Latainna Eltsosie (Kirtland Central and Cibola) 2006-2009
6	7	Cheyene Crum (Cibola) 2006-2009
7	6	Shellie Broyles (Alamogordo) 1996-1997

MOST DOUBLES (SEASON)

1	19	Brittany Baca (Cibola) 2011
2	18	Emma Adams (Cibola) 2011
3	17	Samantha McFall (St. Michael's) 2008
4	16	Christina Chavez (Los Alamos) 2006
5	15	Latainna Eltsosie (Cibola) 2008
15		Latainna Eltsosie (Cibola) 2009
7	14	Tristin Moore (Piedra Vista) 2008
14		Samantha McFall (St. Michael's) 2009
9	13	Chanel Ewing (Piedra Vista) 2008
13		Samantha Phelps (Eldorado) 2010

MOST DOUBLES (CAREER)

1	54	Samantha McFall (St. Michael's) 2007-2011
2	52	Latainna Eltsosie (Kirtland Central and Cibola) 2006-2009
3	45	Emma Adams (Cibola) 2009-2012
4	38	Christina Chavez (Los Alamos) 2003-2006
5	32	Valerie Swedberg (Cibola) 2007-2010
6	29	Amanda Elizabeth Laird (Carlsbad) 2003-2005
7	22	Carey Campbell (Cibola) 2008
8	21	Christal Bradford (Cibola) 1985-1986
21		Jocelynn Salazar (Cibola) 2006-2009

MOST WINS (SEASON)

1	29	Missy Martinez (Cibola) 2008
2	28	Missy Martinez (Cibola) 2009
3	27	Gabriella Parra (West Mesa) 2006
4	23	Jayne Fuller (Piedra Vista) 2007
5	25	Missy Martinez (Cibola) 2007
6	23	Lindsay Jones (Cibola) 1997
7	22	Gabriella Parra (West Mesa) 2005
8	16	Shelly Owen (Carlsbad)
16		Missy Martinez (Cibola) 2006

MOST WINS (CAREER)

1	98	Missy Martinez (Cibola) 2006-2009
2	65	Gabriella Parra (West Mesa) 2003-2006
3	60	Lindsay Jones (Cibola) 1995-1997
4	53	Shelly Owen (Carlsbad)

MOST STRIKEOUTS (GAME)

1	23	Kiana Spencer (Gallup) 2013
2	19	Karysta Donisthorpe (Piedra Vista) 2010
19		Kiana Spencer (Gallup) 2012
4	18	Missy Martinez (Cibola) 2017
5	17	Natisha Nakai (KCHS) 2010

MOST STRIKEOUTS (SEASON)

1	346	Karysta Donisthorpe (Piedra Vista) 2011
2	344	Lindsay Jones (Cibola) 1997
3	333	Missy Martinez (Cibola) 2009
4	313	Missy Martinez (Cibola) 2007
5	307	Karysta Donisthorpe (Piedra Vista) 2011
6	288	Missy Martinez (Cibola) 2008
7	277	Missy Martinez (Cibola) 2006

MOST STRIKEOUTS (CAREER)

1	1,211	Missy Martinez (Cibola) 2006-2009
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LOWEST ERA (SEASON)

1	0.21	Kendra Keahbone (La Cueva) 2017
2	0.52	Missy Martinez (Cibola) 2009
3	0.64	Missy Martinez (Cibola) 2008
4	0.87	Kendra Keahbone (La Cueva) 2006
5	0.89	Missy Martinez (Cibola) 2007

LOWEST ERA (CAREER)

1	0.87	Missy Martinez (Cibola) 2006-2009
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MOST SHUTOUTS (SEASON)

1	17	Missy Martinez (Cibola) 2009
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MOST SHUTOUTS (CAREER)

1	35	Missy Martinez (Cibola) 2006-2009
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MOST NO HITTERS (SEASON)

1	7	Missy Martinez (Cibola) 2009
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MOST NO HITTERS (CAREER)

1	11	Missy Martinez (Cibola) 2006-2009
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		Missy Martinez (Cibola)
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YEAR	CLASS	WINNING TEAM	HEAD COACH	RUNNERUP TEAM	HEAD COACH	SCORE
The 2020 State Championships for all classifications were canceled.						
2019	AAAAA	Rio Rancho (28-3)	Paul Kohman	Carlsbad (23-7)	John Tigert	14-4
	AAAA	Artesia (26-4)	Sandra Pulido	Silver (26-5)	Duane Trewern	10-2
	AAA	Cobre (22-12)	Randy Dominguez	Tularosa (19-7)	RJ Baca	12-11
	A-AA	Loving (20-6)	Kendra Granado	Eunice (24-7)	Chad Pierson	16-4
2018	AAAAAA	Las Cruces (21-11)	Alex Lopez	Volcano Vista (21-7)	Jonathan Garcia	12-2
	AAAAA	Artesia (22-4)	Sandra Pulido	Farmington (20-11-1)	Tim Trotter	13-0
	AAAA	Silver (26-4)	Duane Trewern	Bernalillo (25-6)	Manuel Montano	13-1
	A-AAA	Dexter (27-3)	Kim Smith	Tularosa (20-7)	RJ Baca	9-2
2017	AAAAAA	La Cueva (28-0)	Ron Romero	Ocate (25-7)	Fernie Valles	5-0
	AAAAA	Aztec (27-3)	Roy Johnson	Artesia (23-8)	Sandra Pulido	7-2
	AAAA	Silver (27-6)	Duane Trewern	Cobre (21-10)	Randy Dominguez	4-3
	A-AAA	Dexter (24-5)	Kim Smith	Loving (23-4)	Jordan McIlroy	5-4
2016	AAAAAA	Ocate (26-4)	Fernie Valles	Cleveland (24-7)	Angel Castillo	11-3
	AAAAA	Centennial (25-6)	Alex Maynez Jr.	Aztec (27-7)	Roy Johnson	1-0
	AAAA	Silver (22-9)	Duane Trewern	Hope Christian (27-6)	Joe Chavez	10-0
	A-AAA	Dexter (30-1)	Kim Hamill	Loving (15-9)	Rachel Lara	13-0
2015	AAAAAA	Rio Rancho (23-8)	Paul Kohman	Volcano Vista (27-4)	Tim O'Meara	8-7
	AAAAA	Valencia (22-11)	Jeff Young	Centennial (28-6)	Alex Maynez Jr.	12-8
	AAAA	Silver (24-7)	Duane Trewern	Bloomfield (26-7)	Andi Clark	8-3
	A-AAA	Dexter (29-3)	Kim Hamill	Jal (25-6)	Jimmy Samaniego	3-0
2014	AAAAA	Rio Rancho (28-4)	Paul Kohman	Ocate (29-4)	Fernie Valles	9-4
	AAAA	Piedra Vista (22-9)	Kevin Werth	Aztec (28-6)	Jose Santistevan	12-3
	AAA	Silver (23-5)	Duane Trewern	Hope Christian (17-13)	Ron Romero	8-4
	A-AA	Loving (14-5)	Rachel Lara	Cobre (24-2)	Gilbert Munoz	13-0
2013	AAAAA	Las Cruces (30-1)	Will Garcia	Cibola (22-4)	Gene Victor	10-0
	AAAA	Piedra Vista (26-5)	Kevin Werth	Aztec (22-8)	Jose Santistevan	5-2
	AAA	Silver (20-6)	Duane Trewern	West Las Vegas (22-4)	Lucas Griego	10-7
	A-AA	Loving (17-2)	Rachel Lara	Cobre (20-5)	Gilbert Munoz	6-3
2012	AAAAA	Volcano Vista (31-0)	Cheryl Johnson	Carlsbad (28-2)	George Frederick	6-1
	AAAA	Piedra Vista (26-5)	Kevin Werth	Aztec (21-6)	Jose Santistevan	6-1
	AAA	Silver (22-7)	Duane Trewern	Portales (27-2)	Robbie Crowley	4-3
	A-AA	Loving (17-7)	Rachel Lara	Capitan (21-5)	Rodney Griego	23-8
2011	AAAAA	Volcano Vista (27-2)	Cheryl Johnson	Carlsbad (27-5)	Gerge Frederick	7-4
	AAAA	Piedra Vista (26-5)	Kevin Werth	Farmington	Richard Wallace	5-0
	AAA	Silver (28-3)	Duane Trewern	Portales (22-11)	Robbie Crowley	9-0
	A-AA	Jal	Jimmy Samaniego	Loving	Rachel Lara	4-3
2010	AAAAA	Carlsbad	George Frederick	Rio Rancho	Paul Kohman	7-6
	AAAA	Piedra Vista (28-2)	Kevin Werth	Volcano Vista (23-4)	Cheryl Johnson	7-0
	AAA	Bloomfield	Bruce Armenta	Raton	Tinabeth Dorrance	7-3
	A-AA	Loving	Rachel Lara	Capitan	Rodney Griego	8-4
2009	AAAAA	Cibola	Gene Victor	Carlsbad	John Tigert	3-0
	AAAA	Piedra Vista	Kevin Werth	Silver	Duane Trewern	4-3
	AAA	Bloomfield	Eric Zamora	Cobre	Gilbert Munoz	6-0
	A-AA	Loving	Rachel Lara	Jal	Jimmy Samaniego	12-6
2008	AAAAA	Cibola (30-1)	Gene Victor	Carlsbad (26-6)	John Tigert	10-3
	AAAA	Piedra Vista	Kevin Werth	Artesia	Scott Simer	9-0
	AAA	Bloomfield	Bryan Chavez	St. Michael's	Ronald/Roseanne Noedel	9-3
	A-AA	Jal	Jimmy Samaniego	Loving	Rachel Lara	7-0
2007	AAAAA	Cibola	Gene Victor	Sandia	Tracy VonKannon	2-1
	AAAA	Piedra Vista	Kevin Werth	St. Pius	Mark Rhoten	3-0
	AAA	Bloomfield	Bryan Chavez	Portales	Robbie Crowley	6-0
	A-AA	Loving	Rachel Lara	McCurdy	Danny Vigil	4-2
2006	AAAAA	West Mesa (27-2)	Leonard Garcia	Sandia (22-5)	Tracy VonKannon	8-0
	AAAA	Piedra Vista (25-5)	Kevin Werth	Farmington (21-8)	Roy Johnson	2-0
	AAA	Grants (22-7)	Michael Furbee	St. Michael's (23-7)	Roseanne Noedel	6-5



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2006	A-AA	Laguna Acoma (26-3)	Randy Hunt	Jal (26-3)	Jimmy Samaniego	2-1
2005	AAAAA	La Cueva (26-3)	Cheryl Johnson	Alamogordo (19-9)	Charlene Reyes	1-0
	AAAA	Aztec (27-2)	Brad Hirsch	Farmington (20-8)	Roy Johnson	2-0
	AAAA	Grants (21-9)	Michael Furbee	Shiprock (24-7)	Wilford Aston	3-1
	A-AA	Loving (16-10)	Rachel Lara	Jal (24-3)	Jimmy Samaniego	5-0
2004	AAAAA	Alamogordo (26-3)	Charlene Reyes	West Mesa (19-7)	Leonard Garcia	5-2
	AAAA	Farmington (23-5)	Gary Graham	Aztec (18-9)	Brad Hirsch	4-0
	AAA	Grants (19-4)	Mike Furbee	Lovington (18-11)	Jeremy Skinner	11-1
	A-AA	Jal (29-1)	Jimmy Samaniego	Loving (18-11)	Moe Cordova	8-2
2003	AAAAA	Rio Rancho (19-9)	Paul Kohmar	Alamogordo (24-3)	Charlene Reyes	4-3
	AAAA	Farmington (23-6)	Gary Graham	Artesia (26-3)	Scott Simer	5-0
	AAA	Bernalillo (24-4)	Vince Taylor	Lovington (18-11)	Jeremy Skinner	4-2
	A-AA	Loving (21-5)	Moe Cordova	Jal (21-6)	Jimmy Samaniego	6-0
2002	AAAAA	Carlsbad (20-4)	Shawn Standard	West Mesa (18-7)	Leonard Garcia	2-1
	AAAA	Farmington (21-4)	Gary Graham	Silver (22-3)	Clendon Kirkpatrick	5-2
	AAA	Lovington (20-4)	John Moore	Bernalillo (22-3)	Vince Taylor	4-0
	A-AA	McCurdy (22-3)	Danny Vigil	Jal (19-3)	Jimmy Samaniego	2-0
2001	AAAAA	Carlsbad (24-1)	Larry Trower	Alamogordo (24-1)	Charlene Reyes	3-0
	AAAA	Artesia (16-8)	Clendon Kirkpatrick	Silver (21-5)	David Carrillo	1-0
	AAA	Lovington (20-4)	John Moore	Shiprock (17-8)	Kevin Werth	9-5
	A-AA	Jal (17-5)	Jimmy Samaniego	Loving (17-7)	George Frederick	5-4
2000	AAAA	Farmington (23-2)	Gary Graham	Carlsbad (24-1)	Larry Trower	1-0
	AAA	Bloomfield (19-7)	Don Higgins	Silver (20-5)	David Carrillo	3-0
	A-AA	Jal (15-7)	Jimmy Samaniego	Loving (17-8)	George Frederick	6-5
1999	AAAA	Alamogordo (21-4)	Charlene Reyes	Carlsbad (22-2)	John Tigert	4-2
	AAA	Artesia (22-4)	Clendon Kirkpatrick	Silver (19-6)	David Carrillo	2-0
	A-AA	Loving (20-4)	George Frederick	Jal (16-9)	Jimmy Samaniego	5-2
1998	AAAA	Farmington (16-9)	Gary Graham	Carlsbad (21-4)	John Tigert	2-1
	AAA	Silver (21-5)	Larry Trower	Bloomfield (17-7)	Gary Jinks	1-0
	A-AA	Jal (16-9)	Ken Ferguson	Loving (21-3)	George Frederick	9-7
1997	AAAA	Farmington (24-1)	Gary Graham	La Cueva (20-6)	Jim Stefer	11-1
	AAA	Silver (21-2)	Larry Trower	Artesia (18-8)	Clendon Kirkpatrick	8-1
	A-AA	Jal (15-7)	Ken Ferguson	Loving (15-8)	George Frederick	1-0
1996	AAAA	Carlsbad (26-0)	John Tigert	Farmington (21-4)	Ron Graham	4-2
	AAA	Silver (22-5)	Larry Trower	Bloomfield (23-3)	Gary Jinks	7-5
	A-AA	Hope Christian (23-2)	Jim Murphy	Jal (17-8)	Ken Ferguson	5-2
1995	AAAA	Farmington (23-1)	Ron Graham	Carlsbad (22-3)	John Tigert	11-10
	AAA	Artesia (20-6)	Dennis Garcia	St. Pius (20-8)	Desi Garcia	17-6
	A-AA	Loving (17-7-1)	Moe Cordova	Hope Christian	Carolyn Seymour	7-3
1994	AAAA	Farmington (24-0)	Ron Graham	Del Norte (21-4)	John Gonzales	8-0
	AAA	Silver	Eric Gutierrez	Artesia	Dennis Garcia	9-8
	A-AA	Loving (10-14)	Moe Cordova	Hot Springs (13-12)	Mark Hedge	3-2
1993	AAAA	Carlsbad (22-3)	John Tigert	West Mesa (21-4)	Cheryl McConaghy	2-1
	AAA	Bloomfield (17-4-1)	Don Higgins	Artesia (18-6)	Dennis Garcia	6-2
	A-AA	Loving (11-13)	Apolonio Cordova	Sante Fe Indian (9-14)	John Abeyta	17-3
1992	AAAA	Carlsbad (22-3)	John Tigert	West Mesa (23-2)	Cheryl McConaghy	3-2
	AAA	Bloomfield (24-2)	Don Higgins	St. Pius (22-4)	Pam Velarez	2-1
	A-AA	Loving (13-9)	Raul Sanchez	Navajo Prep	Ken Selph	4-0
1991	AAAA	Carlsbad (24-0)	John Tigert	Hobbs (14-11)	Sherri Lamar	18-1
	AAA	Bloomfield	Don Higgins	Artesia	Bill Hardt	5-0
	A-AA	Loving (18-7)	Raul C. Sanchez	Santa Fe Indian	John Abeyta	12-0
1990	AAAA	Carlsbad (24-1)	John Tigert	La Cueva (21-3)	Ben Shultz	11-2
	AAA	Cobre (23-2)	Tom Powers	Bloomfield (17-2)	Don Higgins	8-1
	A-AA	Loving (15-6)	Raul C. Sanchez	Hatch Valley (19-2)		19-2
1989	AAAA	Del Norte (24-1)	John Gonzales	La Cueva (20-5)	Ben Shultz	10-3
	AAA	Cobre (23-2)	Tom Powers	Artesia (16-9)	Bill Hardt	6-2
	A-AA	Loving (15-9)	Raul C. Sanchez	Hatch Valley (22-4)	Pepe Alvarado	14-5
1988	AAAA	Carlsbad (20-2)	John Tigert	Highland (14-10)		6-1



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1988	AAA	Artesia	Bill Hardt	Cobre	Tom Powers	5-1
	A-AA	Hatch Valley (16-7)	Pepe Alvarado	Hope Christian (9-6)	Cam McCall	7-5
1987	AAAA	Carlsbad (21-3)	John Tigert	Highland (15-10)	Grace Montoya	6-0
	AAA	Cobre (19-6)	Tom Powers	Bernalillo (12-7)		6-3
	A-AA	Hatch Valley (12-6)	Ann Salazar	Navajo Academy (7-9)	Greg Platero	8-4
1986	AAAA	Hobbs	Mike Jaime	Carlsbad	John Tigert	2-1
	AAA	St. Pius X (18-4)	Steve Sanchez	Cobre (19-5)	Tom Powers	7-1
	A-AA	Hatch Valley	Ann Salazar	Santa Fe Indian		17-2
1985	AAAA	Carlsbad (22-3)	John Tigert	Los Alamos (13-12)	Bill Smith	4-3
	AAA	Cobre (17-8)	Tom Powers	Bloomfield	Chuck Vogel	6-0
	A-AA	Hatch Valley	Ann Salazar			
1984	AAAA	Del Norte (21-3)	Anita Vigil	Eldorado (17-5)	Durward Stell	1-0
	AAA	Cobre	Tom Powers	Bloomfield	Chuck Vogel	
	A-AA	Laguna-Acoma	Karen Salazar			
1983	AAAA	Carlsbad (21-2)	John Tigert	Gadsden (17-7)	Max Padilla	1-0
	AAA	Cobre (21-3)	Tom Powers	Los Lunas (19-9)		4-2
	A-AA	Hatch Valley	Ann Salazar	Laguna-Acoma	Karen Salazar	
1982	AAAA	Carlsbad (21-0)	John Tigert	Highland (21-11-1)	John Stewart	7-3
	AAA	Cobrew (25-0)	Tom Powers	West Las Vegas		7-3
	A-AA	Hatch Valley	Ann Salazar	Santa Fe Indian		
1981	AAAA	Highland	John Stewart	Manzano	Terri Tanner	7-1
	AAA	Cobre (20-1)	Tom Powers	West Las Vegas (12-5)		15-2
	A-AA	Hatch Valley	Ann Salazar	St. Catherine's		8-5
1980	AAAA	Carlsbad (9-5)	John Tigert	Highland (15-6)	John Stewart	1-0
	A-AAA	Cobre	Tom Powers	Truth or Consequences		9-0
1979	AAAA	Manzano (16-5)	Terry Bernal	Rio Grande (15-6)	Sandy Rockwell	
	A-AAA	Cobre	Tom Powers	Truth or Consequences		10-9
1978		Sandia	Ann Postum	Del Norte	Barbara Marten	8-5
1977		Carlsbad	Nancy Cotner	Highland		11-7
1976		Carlsbad	May Morris	Manzano		8-3

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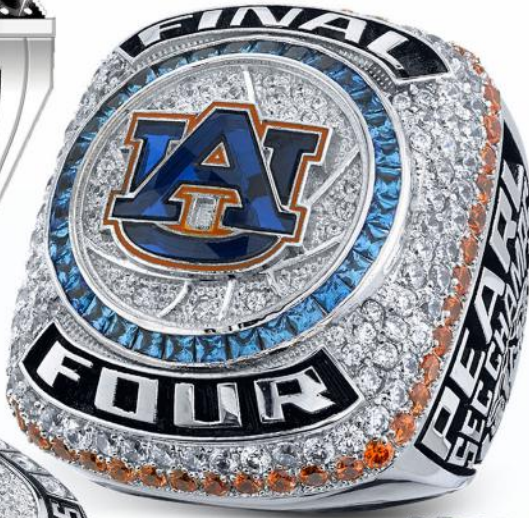
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