GHSWPA Press Release

Topic: 2013 Players to Watch

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August 5th, 2013 - In preparation for the 2013 season, the Georgia High School Water Polo Association (GHSWPA) is excited to release its 2013 Players to Watch. The enclosed student-athletes have been compiled using a wide range of justifications, including those who are athletically talented in the sport of water polo, those who are considered to be the 2013 leaders of their respective teams, and those who show their coaches and teammates the passion and desire necessary to succeed in the GHSWPA and beyond. Please join us in recognizing these worthwhile student-athletes.

The 2013 GHSWPA season swims off on Sunday, August 11th. The annual championship tournament will be held October 11th through 13th at the Cumming Aquatic Center in Cumming, GA.

APS Knights

- Ryan Switzer, APS Knights, Senior, Attacker Named the 2012 Division 2 GHSWPA Offensive Player of the Year and to the 2012 All-GHSWPA Division 2 First Team
- Michael Maxey, APS Knights, Senior, Defender
- Joe Bradley, APS Knights, Junior, Goalie
- Sam Cimowsky, APS Knights, Senior, Utility

Blue Devil

- Mark Gross, Blue Devil, Senior, Attacker Named to the 2012 GHSWPA Division 1 All-Star Team
- Ian Bagent, Blues Devil, Senior, Attacker Named to the 2012 GHSWPA Division 1 All-Star Team
- John David Strickland, Senior, Blue Devil, Attacker
- Blake Ryland, Blue Devil, Defender

Collins Hill

- Arden Osborne, Collins Hill, Junior, Defender/Goalie
- Max Johnson, Collins Hill, Sophomore, Goalie
- Clancy Boyle, Collins Hill, Freshman, Attacker
- Philip Jenny, Collins Hill, Junior, Center/Attacker

Dalton

- Taylor Mathis, Dalton, Senior, Attacker
- Luis Rosales, Dalton, Senior, Utility

DeKalb

- Benjamin Ashby, DeKalb, Senior, Attacker
- Michael Breazeale, DeKalb, Freshman, Utility
- Bryce Brechin, DeKalb, Utility

Lakeside Vikings

- Lucie Calhoun, Lakeside, Sophomore, Attacker
- Claire Wilson, Lakeside, Junior, Utility
- Timmy Uher, Lakeside, Sophomore, Attacker
- Jackson Reynolds, Lakeside, Senior, Utility

North Springs

- Justin Cohen, North Springs, Junior, Center
- <u>Sam Satterfield, North Springs, Junior, Defender</u> Named the 2012 Division 2 GHSWPA Defensive Player of the Year and to the 2012 All-GHSWPA Division 2 Second Team
- Josh Stovall, North Springs, Senior, Utility Named to the 2012 All-GHSWPA Division 2 First Team
- <u>Jackson Sanders, North Springs, Senior, Attacker</u> Named to the 2012 All-GHSWPA Division 2 Second Team

Pace

- Cooper Drose, Pace, Junior, Attacker
- Daniel Luetters, Pace, Junior, Defender/Attacker
- Phillip Werner, Pace, Senior, Goalie
- <u>Ciara Sadaka, Pace / Team 4, Sophomore, Defender</u> Named to the 2012 All-GHSWPA Girls Team

Southern Crescent

- Robbie Scott, Southern Crescent, Senior, Center Named to the 2012 All-GHSWPA Division 1 First Team
- <u>Austin Palmer, Southern Crescent, Senior, Defender</u> Named to the 2012 All-GHSWPA Division 1 Second
- Chipper Machemehl, Southern Crescent, Junior, Utility
- John Michael Hall, Southern Crescent, Junior, Utility Named to the 2012 All-GHSWPA Division 1 Second Team

Spartans

- Keegan Musser, Spartans, Junior, Goalie
- Kyle Buckner, Spartans, Utility
- Marshall Gray, Senior, Spartans, Utility
- Andrew McCarter, Senior, Spartans, Utility

SPX Golden Lions

- Josh Beck, SPX, Senior, Center / Defender
- Perry Brandes, SPX, Sophomore, Attacker
- Charles Quinn, SPX, Junior, Center/Utility Named to the 2012 GHSWPA Division 2 All-Star Team
- <u>Cullen Stockmeyer, SPX, Sophomore, Attacker</u>

Titans

- Ellie Rizzo, Titans, Junior, Utility
- John O'Connell, Titans, Sophomore, Utility

War Eagles

• <u>Eric Thompson, War Eagles, Senior, Attacker</u> – Named to the 2012 GHSWPA Division 1 All-Star Team

Wesleyan

- Matt Zimmermann, Wesleyan, Senior, Goalie
- Zack Kaloper, Wesleyan, Junior, Attacker
- Cody Frost, Wesleyan, Senior, Utility
- Chris Peden, Wesleyan, Senior, Utility

Wildcat

- Ryan Agnew, Wildcat, Senior, Defender
- Jeremy Ungaro, Wildcat, Senior, Attacker Named to the 2012 GHSWPA Division 1 All-Star Team
- William Sweitzer, Wildcat, Senior, Utility
- Sam Komitor, Wildcat, Junior, Attacker

For additional information, regarding the GHSWPA and the upcoming 2013 season, please contact the league via its website -- <u>www.qapolo.com</u>.