

# Press Clippings - 9/09/2024

- Daily Herald -

## **‘An entire life of pensions and six-figure incomes’: Officials tout \$8 million grant for apprenticeship programs**

**By: Rick West**

**Date: September 06, 2024**



U.S. Rep Raja Krishnamoorthi visits a precision manufacturing class at South Elgin High School on Thursday after announcing nearly \$8 million funding through the Apprenticeships Build America Program.

Roughly \$8 million in federal funding will help Illinois high schools train students for positions operating heavy machinery and secure high-paying careers in fields facing critical workforce shortages.

U.S. Rep. Raja Krishnamoorthi visited South Elgin High School on Thursday to announce the grant provided through the Apprenticeships Build America program. Representatives of industry groups and a national apprenticeship program joined local school officials for the announcement in an automotive shop classroom.

The Youth Workforce Development Foundation and the Associated Equipment Distributors will partner with SkillsUSA Illinois, Inc. to provide heavy equipment and diesel technology training programs that can be cost-prohibitive for schools.



Eric Hill, CEO of the Youth Workforce Development Foundation, speaks on Thursday at South Elgin High School during an event announcing roughly \$8 million in funding through the Apprenticeships Build America program.

Eric Hill, CEO of the Youth Workforce Development Foundation, said the grant money will help employers build youth-focused apprenticeship programs.

“With this grant, I’m truly excited to see a sustainable model where our students are going to have a pipeline to long-term career opportunities in the heavy equipment space,” Hill said.

The funding will help enhance SkillsUSA chapter programs and connect program graduates to career opportunities. In addition, it will support career-focused events, where students receive hands-on instruction with industry companies and laborers.

Elgin Area School District U-46 is part of an Illinois Education for Employment region with Algonquin-based Community School District 300, Central Unit District 301 and St. Charles Unit District 303. The region’s apprenticeship program partnered with AED three years ago.

The program went from 52 paid internships two summers ago to 150 last summer.



Brian McGuire, president and CEO at Associated Equipment Distributors, speaks Thursday about how federal funding for apprenticeships will help put students on the path toward high-paying careers.

Brian McGuire, president and CEO at AED, said apprenticeships are vital for American industry and the economy.

“For a long time, they’ve kind of been on the back burner,” McGuire said. “It’s good to see programs like this that put them front and center and recognize that these skilled careers are important to keeping our country moving.”

Mark Poulos of Operating Engineers Local 150 said the benefit to students can last a lifetime.

“These jobs that we provide, they’re not just jobs, but they’re careers,” Poulos said. “This provides an entire life of pensions and six-figure incomes.”



U.S. Rep. Raja Krishnamoorthi speaks Thursday at South Elgin High School about federal money to support local apprenticeship programs.

Krishnamoorthi said that due to an aging workforce, there are 40,000 job vacancies projected in the heavy equipment supply chain.

“That’s where South Elgin High School comes into play because you are helping to train the next generation of workers,” he said.

Charlie Watt, a junior at South Elgin High School, is in his second year in the automotive program and plans to pursue an internship through the program this summer.

He said the auto program is giving him a head start on a career as an airplane mechanic.

“I love this class,” Watt said. “This is one of the main reasons I come to school. I can’t sit in a class and just write. Here we’re doing stuff every day, and it’s a new thing every day.”

**- Chicago Tribune -**  
**\$8M in federal funding announced to help Elgin-area, Illinois students become heavy machinery operators**  
**By: Mike Miletich**  
**Date: September 6, 2024**



Melissa Owens, president of the U-46 School Board, was one of several people to speak Thursday at a South Elgin High School event to announce nearly \$8 million in federal funding to help students get training to be heavy machinery operators.

The Youth Workforce Development Foundation has received nearly \$8 million in funding through the federal Apprenticeships Build America program to help Elgin-area students and others in Illinois get training to be heavy machinery operators.

U.S. Rep. Raja Krishnamoorthi, D-Schaumburg, joined officials from the foundation, Associated Equipment Distributors and School District U-46 in announcing the grant at an event Thursday at South Elgin High School.

The money “will help us continue to develop and strengthen our (Career and Technical Education) programs,” U-46 School Board President Melissa Owens said. “I look forward to seeing the positive impact these partnerships and programs will have on our students’ futures.”

The funding is a shot in the arm to programs that offering skills to students who want to go into trade professions rather than going to college, said Eric Hill, CEO of the Youth Workforce Development Foundation, speaking in a news release on the grant.

“We know from our successful career pathways events and competitions and our work in schools across Illinois throughout the year that students are ready for success in careers that don’t require a four-year college degree,” Hill said. “But they first need to know what it will take to prepare for them.

“This exciting partnership with (Associated Equipment Distributors) will help turn on more young people to well-paying careers in an industry that needs new talent,” he said.

Earlier this summer, the Biden administration announced the grant as part of more than \$244 million being distributed through the U.S. Department of Labor to help expand the Registered Apprenticeship system, the release said.

The heavy equipment supply chain is critical to the national economy, but workforce shortages in diesel technicians and heavy equipment operators are expected to exceed from 24,000 to 42,000 within a decade with retirements and career changes.

The foundation and AED will work in Illinois to help schools provide the necessary heavy equipment training programs, the release said. They also will work to recruit women and minorities into the field, officials said.

One of the key partners in the grant is SkillsUSA Illinois Inc., a state association focused on ensuring the future of skilled trade professionals, which will focus on enhancing SkillsUSA chapter programs and connecting program graduates to career opportunities, the release said.

## **- WAND News - Federal grant could help Illinois high school students start trade apprenticeships**

**By: Gloria Casas**

**Date: September 6, 2024**



*To watch the full video, please click [here](#).*

SPRINGFIELD, Ill. (WAND) — Thousands of Illinois high school students will soon have more opportunities for hands on experience with heavy machinery thanks to a new federal grant.

Workforce development leaders say they are excited to see a sustainable model where students have a pipeline to long term careers in the industry.

Backhoe, excavator

Workforce shortages for diesel technicians and heavy equipment operators are expected to nearly double in the next decade due to retirements and career changes.

via Storyblocks

"Whether that's working as technicians, whether that's in the operators or getting into construction manufacturing, all of these jobs are interconnected," said Eric Hill, CEO of the Youth Workforce Development Foundation. "The skillsets that our students are learning right here in our high school programs across the country are so invaluable."



Workforce shortages for diesel technicians and heavy equipment operators are expected to nearly double in the next decade due to retirements and career changes.

Hill said the Biden administration is providing more than \$245 million in grants to offer training programs and career focused pathways events. This comes as workforce shortages for diesel technicians and heavy equipment operators are expected to nearly double in the next decade due to retirements and career changes.

"There is so much demand and need, especially post pandemic, connecting the students with those career opportunities at all levels," said Sen. Cristina Castro (D-Elgin). "There are some that will go to higher education and there are those that wants to go into vocational and technical. There are jobs now."

Rep. Raja Krishnamoorthi (D-IL) and Rep. Nikki Budzinski (D-IL) ensured the state received a significant chunk of the new funding. They believe the grant program can provide students with additional training to help pursue successful careers and strengthen America's middle class.

"These private employers that AED represents are going to snap up these people right away," Krishnamoorthi said. "They're going to snap them up and put them into jobs, and then they're going to pay taxes. Those taxes are going to support our community and it becomes a virtuous cycle."

Lincoln Land Community College and South Elgin High School each received close to \$8 million in funding through the Apprenticeships Build America Program.

"About 38% of our new apprentices have four-year college education for a lot of the new apprentices," said Marc Poulos of Operating Engineers Local 150. "But that isn't to say that there isn't room for a whole lot of folks that don't choose that four-year college track."

## **- Chicago Tribune - Football and local scores for the Southland, Aurora, Elgin, Naperville and Lake County**

**By: Staff Reports**

**Date: September 8, 2024**

High school and local college results and highlights from the Southland, Aurora, Elgin, Naperville and Lake County coverage areas.

### **FRIDAY'S EVENTS**

#### **HIGH SCHOOLS**

##### **FOOTBALL**

##### **WEEK 3**

##### **CHICAGOLAND CHRISTIAN**

Chicago Christian at Wheaton Academy, 7 p.m.

Christ the King at St. Edward, 7 p.m.

Hope Academy at Aurora Christian, 7 p.m.

##### **DUKANE**

Geneva at Wheaton Warrenville South, 7 p.m.

Glenbard North at St. Charles East, 7 p.m.

Lake Park at Batavia, 7 p.m.

Wheaton North at St. Charles North, 7 p.m.

##### **FOX VALLEY**

Crystal Lake South at Burlington Central, 7 p.m.

Dundee-Crown at Crystal Lake Central, 7 p.m.

Hampshire at Prairie Ridge, 7 p.m.

Huntley at Jacobs, 7 p.m.

##### **KISHWAUKEE RIVER**

Sandwich at Plano, 7:30 p.m.

##### **NORTH SUBURBAN**

Lake Zurich at Waukegan, 7 p.m.

Libertyville at Stevenson, 7 p.m.

Mundelein at Zion-Benton, 7 p.m.

Warren at Lake Forest, 7:30 p.m.

##### **NORTHERN LAKE COUNTY**

Antioch at Round Lake, 7 p.m.

Grant at North Chicago, 7 p.m.  
Grayslake Central at Lakes, 7 p.m.  
Wauconda at Grayslake North, 7 p.m.  
SOUTH SUBURBAN BLUE  
Hillcrest at Oak Forest, 6 p.m.  
T.F. North at T.F. South, 6:30 p.m.  
Tinley Park at Lemont, 7 p.m.  
SOUTH SUBURBAN RED  
Oak Lawn at Evergreen Park, 7 p.m.  
Reavis at Argo, 6 p.m.  
Richards at Eisenhower, 6:30 p.m.  
SOUTHLAND  
Thornridge at Kankakee, 6 p.m.  
Thornton at Crete-Monee, 6 p.m.  
Thornwood vs. Rich Township at Rich South, 6 p.m.  
SOUTHWEST VALLEY BLUE  
Lockport at Neuqua Valley, 7 p.m.  
SOUTHWEST VALLEY GREEN  
Waubonsie Valley at Bradley-Bourbonnais, 7 p.m.  
SOUTHWEST VALLEY RED  
Andrew at Naperville Central, 7 p.m.  
Lincoln-Way West at Metea Valley, 7 p.m.  
UPSTATE EIGHT WEST  
East Aurora at Streamwood, 7 p.m.  
Elgin at West Aurora, 7 p.m.  
South Elgin at Larkin, 7 p.m.  
NONCONFERENCE  
Bartlett at Glenbard East, 7 p.m.  
Benet at De La Salle, 7 p.m.  
Carmel at Providence, 7:30 p.m.  
DeKalb at Kaneland, 7 p.m.  
DePaul Prep at Marian Catholic, 7:30 p.m.  
Deerfield at Buffalo Grove, 7 p.m.  
Dwight-Gardner-South Wilmington co-op at Aurora Central Catholic, 6 p.m.  
Fenwick vs. Joliet Catholic at Joliet Memorial Stadium, 7:30 p.m.  
Highland Park at Fremd, 7 p.m.  
Homewood-Flossmoor at Sandburg, 7:30 p.m.  
Montini at Marist, 7:30 p.m.  
Naperville North at Lincoln-Way Central, 7 p.m.  
Nazareth at Mount Carmel, 7:30 p.m.  
Oswego at Plainfield Central, 7 p.m.



Oswego East at Plainfield East, 7 p.m.  
St. Laurence at Niles Notre Dame, 7:30 p.m.  
St. Patrick vs. Leo at St. Rita, 7 p.m.  
St. Rita at Brother Rice, 7 p.m.  
St. Viator at Marmion, 7 p.m.  
Shepard at Bremen, 6 p.m.  
Stagg at Lincoln-Way East, 6 p.m.  
Vernon Hills at Wheeling, 7:30 p.m.  
Yorkville at Joliet West, 6:30 p.m.

## SATURDAY'S RESULTS

### HIGH SCHOOLS

#### BOYS SOCCER

Aurora Central Catholic 4, Westmont 1

Bloom 3, Thornton co-op 1

Crete-Monee 9, Illinois Lutheran 0

Crete-Monee (2-2): Jhonaiker Bustamante 2 goals, assist. Joncarlo Corona 2 goals. Omar Romo goal, 3 assists.

Hampshire 5, DeKalb 3

Hampshire (3-1-1): Jackson Carey 2 goals. Kage Guge goal, assist. Charlie Terriquez goal, assist.

Harlem 5, Antioch 1

IMSA 7, Parkview Christian 0

Kaneland 1, Johnsburg 0

Lemont 2, Glenbard South 0

Lincoln-Way East 3, Shepard 0

Lincoln-Way East (6-0): Kamden Williams 2 goals.

Marian Catholic 4, Providence 2

Neuqua Valley 5, East Aurora 4

Neuqua (2-0-1): Ebraheem Yaghmour goal. Zach Aouf goal. Dom Landato goal.

East Aurora (2-3): Jay Umana 2 goals, assist. Asbel Vazquez goal, assist.

Oswego East 5, Downers Grove South 3

St. Laurence 5, Nazareth 0

St. Laurence (2-2-1): Jesus Salazar goal, assist. Maxx Figueroa goal, assist.

Waubonsie Valley 2, Minooka 2

#### ADDISON TRAIL JOE NOVY CLASSIC

Geneva 5, Addison Trail 0, championship

Geneva (3-0-1): Reece Leonard 3 goals. Chase Marquardt goal. Jack Hatton goal.

#### BARRINGTON CLASSIC

Consolation Bracket

Streamwood 1, Taft 0

Streamwood (3-2): AJ Sabanovic goal.

BEST OF THE WEST INVITATIONAL

Naperville North 1, Naperville Central 0, championship

Naperville North 4, Benet 1, semifinal

Naperville North (5-0): Anthony Flores goal, assist. Noah Radeke goal. Jaxson Stokes goal.

Luke Bouska goal.

South Elgin 1, Oswego 0 (SO)

Bartlett 2, Plainfield North 2

GLENBROOK SOUTH JIM WOLTER TITAN INVITATIONAL

Stevenson 4, Prospect 0, third

HERSCHER SHOOTOUT

Chicago Christian 1, Manteno 1

Chicago Christian (3-3-2): Casey Lenarz goal.

Chicago Christian 1, Grant Park 1

Chicago Christian: Aaron Verver goal.

Somonauk 3, Cornerstone Christian 0

Joliet Catholic 0, Grant Park 0

Herscher 4, St. Edward 0

Manteno 3, Joliet Catholic 0

NORTHSIDE COLLEGE SHOWCASE

Championship Bracket

Lyons 1, Grayslake Central 0 (SO), championship

Consolation Bracket

Libertyville 4, Round Lake 0

Loyola 2, Waukegan 1

ST. CHARLES INVITATIONAL

Hersey 4, St. Charles East 0

St. Charles North 3, Marmion 0

St. Charles North (2-2): Oliver Longosz 2 goals.

Maine South 5, Metea Valley 1

Metea (3-2): Ethan Arbetman goal.

WAUCONDA ALONSO SANCHEZ MEMORIAL CLASSIC

Palatine 5, Wauconda 2, championship

Zion-Benton 5, North Chicago 0, fifth

WOODSTOCK JOE NORYS MEMORIAL TOURNAMENT

Burlington Central 1, Woodstock 0, championship

Burlington Central 1, Lakes 0, semifinal

Sycamore 4, Lakes 3

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# **- Daily Herald -**

## **DuPage County and Fox Valley football roundup**

**By: Craig Brueske**

**Date: September 07, 2024**

Wheaton Academy 28, St. Charles East 17: Quarterback Nathan Downey completed 14 of 22 passes for 232 yards and 4 touchdowns to lift Wheaton Academy (1-1) to a 28-17 nonconference win over St. Charles East (0-2) in West Chicago.

The Saints grabbed a 7-0 lead on a 14-yard touchdown pass from JT Padron to Peter VanLue before the Warriors answered with an 83-yard TD toss from Downey to Zach Moravec.

Trailing 10-7, the Warriors relied on another big play — a 43-yard touchdown pass from Downey to Moravec to take a 14-10 halftime lead.

After St. Charles East scored on its first second-half possession, a 21-yard touchdown pass from Padron to junior receiver Sheko Gjokaj, the Warriors took the lead for good on Downey's 8-yard TD pass to Moravec.

Early in the fourth quarter, Wheaton Academy added some insurance on Downey's 29-yard TD pass to senior receiver Jake Weston. Moravec paced the Warriors with 133 yards receiving and 3 touchdowns, while tailback Brandon Kiebles ran for 79 yards.

On the defensive side, the Warriors limited the Saints to 42 yards rushing, paced by senior Jeremiah Johanic (11 tackles). Dyonnes King added a pair of sacks and 3 tackles for loss.

Montini 21, Hillcrest 0:

The Broncos (2-0) used a swarming defense to pitch their second consecutive shutout of the season, blanking Hillcrest, 21-0.

Senior defensive back Vince Irion led the way with a team-high 13 tackles, including 2 for loss and a sack. Irion added a 56-yard interception return for a touchdown to ice the game in the fourth quarter.

Nick Irion (11 tackles), Sean Hubeny (6 tackles), Isaac Alexander (5 tackles, forced fumble) and Max Bell (3 tackles, interception) sparked the Broncos' secondary, while defensive tackle JC Hayes recorded 9 tackles, including 3 for loss. Linebacker Jaxon Lane added 10 tackles and a forced fumble, while Jeremiah Peterson had 8 tackles.

JoJo James (9 carries, 112 yards, 1 TD) paced the rushing attack, while quarterback Izzy Abrams completed 4 of 8 passes and 70 yards, including a 23-yard touchdown toss to Isiah Mason (4 catches, 81 yards).

Gaetano Carbonara completed 3 passes for 26 yards.

Glenbard South 41, East Aurora 7:

Senior tailback Vontae Clark scored 4 touchdowns covering 11, 9, 19 and 22 yards, during the Raiders' 41-7 victory over East Aurora.

Jonny Baldauf opened the scoring with a 45-yard punt return for a touchdown, as the Raiders built a 20-0 first-quarter lead.

Freshman tailback Elijah Donahue scored a pair of touchdowns — on a 44-yard kick return and a 39-yard run, while quarterback Tommy Bauman tossed a 59-yard touchdown pass to Anthony Baldauf late in the first half.

York 35, Plainfield North 13:

The Dukes improved to 2-0 with their 35-13 nonconference victory over host Plainfield North (0-1).

Quarterback Bruno Massel connected with Finton Helm on a 3-yard touchdown pass to give York a 7-0 lead before Massel's long pass to PJ McLafferty set up his 10-yard touchdown pass to 6-foot-7 tight end Hunter Stepanich made it 14-0.

After the Tigers closed within 14-7, the Dukes tallied 21 unanswered points, highlighted by Henry Duda's 80-yard touchdown run. Duda's 11-yard TD run capped the scoring.

Fenton 43, Streamwood 8:

Quarterback Nathan Stewart passed for 239 yards during Fenton's 43-8 Upstate Eight crossover victory over Streamwood (0-2) at Millennium Field. Stewart's 23-yard touchdown toss to Jack Tinajero helped seal the decision for the Bison, who added 155 rushing yards.

Metea Valley 31, Plainfield Central 6:

Metea Valley (1-1) snapped a 14-game losing streak with its 31-6 nonconference triumph over Plainfield Central in Aurora.

Quarterback Jake MacLeod threw 4 touchdown passes to 3 different receivers — Swaroop Bhaskar, Dominic Smith, and a pair to Dylan Liner for the Mustangs' first win since 2022.

Jace Mohead's interception set up Cameron Leys' 36-yard field goal, while Liner added another

interception.

West Chicago 57, Joliet Central 28:

Senior tailback Robert Lee rushed for 293 yards and 3 touchdowns on 21 carries, while junior quarterback Carter Naranjo added 173 yards on 11 carries and 4 rushing touchdowns during the Wildcats' 57-28 nonconference victory over Joliet Central.

West Chicago (2-0) established a single-game school record with 622 rushing yards.

The Wildcats open Upstate Eight East play Friday at Glenbard South (1-1).

Waubonsie Valley 50, Plainfield East 0:

Josh Tinney and Nate Cerilli each had interception returns for touchdowns during Waubonsie Valley's 50-0 nonconference victory over Plainfield East.

Chrisjan Simmons led the way on offense with 4 touchdowns, while Josh Siekarski added a TD pass to Dylan Beacom for the Warriors (2-0).

Aurora Christian 62, Crane 6:

Asa Johnson connected with Jonan Miceli for 3 touchdown passes to lead Aurora Christian (2-0) to a 62-6 nonconference win over Crane in Aurora.

Chris Fielding added a pair of rushing touchdowns, while River Kovarik and Johnson also had TD runs for the Chargers, who enjoyed a 42-point opening quarter.

Westmont 56, Catalyst-Maria 34:

Senior quarterback Lucas Fears' 71-yard touchdown keeper highlighted Westmont's 56-34 nonconference home win over Catalyst-Maria. The Sentinels are now 1-1.

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**High school scores for Sept. 7**  
**By: John Lemon**  
**Date: September 07, 2024**



Lake Park's Brynn Ellenbecker, who eventually finished sixth, runs during the Elk Grove cross country invite on Saturday, Sept. 7, 2024 in Elk Grove Village.

### Girls volleyball

#### Conant Classic Invitational

Glenbard East d. Conant 25-16, 25-18

Joliet West d. Fremd 25-20, 25-13

Joliet West d. St. Francis 25-17, 22-25, 25-23

Lake Park d. Lake Zurich 25-14, 21-25, 25-13

Lake Zurich d. Glenbard East 25-22, 14-25, 25-14

Maine South d. Fremd 19-25, 29-27, 25-19

Naperville North d. Hersey 25-19, 25-19

Rolling Meadows d. St. Charles East 25-16, 25-14

St. Francis d. Maine South 25-23, 25-16

#### Grayslake Central Invitational

Carmel d. Grayslake North 25-17, 27-25

Libertyville d. Carmel 25-23, 25-14

Richmond Burton d. Vernon Hills 25-14, 25-22

Richmond-Burton d. Elgin 25-17, 27-13

Richmond-Burton d. Grayslake Central 25-10, 25-19

Richmond-Burton d. Grayslake Central 25-20, 27-25

Wisconsin Lutheran d. Carmel 25-15, 25-7

Wisconsin Lutheran d. Grayslake North 25-10, 25-18

Wisconsin Lutheran d. Libertyville 18-25, 25-23, 25-19

#### Hoffman Estates Invitational

Riverside-Brookfield d. St. Viator 17-25, 25-18, 15-4 (championship)

St. Viator d. Elk Grove 25-9, 25-14

St. Viator d. Hampshire 25-23, 25-14

St. Viator d. Taft 25-13, 25-17

#### Jacobs Invitational

Barrington d. Crystal Lake Central 25-22, 25-21  
Crystal Lake Central d. Jacobs 25-22, 25-18  
Crystal Lake Central d. Warren 23-25, 25-19, 15-13  
New Trier Tournament  
Wheaton North d. Nilus West 25-23, 25-21  
West Aurora Blackhawk Invitational  
Kaneland d. Lemont 17-25, 25-17, 16-14  
Kaneland d. Sycamore 25-16, 25-18  
Kaneland d. West Aurora 21-15, 25-21, 15-13  
Oswego d. Naperville Central 25-18, 25-13  
Oswego d. Rosary 25-13, 25-12  
Oswego d. South Elgin 25-11, 25-21  
Plainfield East d. Kaneland 25-17, 17-25, 15-12  
Rochelle Tournament  
McHenry d. Lisle 25-12, 25-13  
Rochelle d. Lisle 25-18, 25-11  
Lutheran d. Lisle 25-18, 25-19  
Willowbrook Invitational  
Glenbard South d. Trinity 25-20, 25-20  
Willowbrook d. Trinity 25-18, 26-24  
Others  
Tolono Unity d. Hinsdale South 25-23, 28-26  
Wheaton Academy d. St. Laurence 24-26, 26-24, 25-18  
Normal U d. Wheaton Academy 25-15, 25-18

#### Boys soccer

Addison Trail Joe Novy Classic  
Geneva 5, Addison Trail 0  
Maine West 2, Glenbard North 1  
Wheaton North 7, Willowbrook 1  
Barrington Classic  
Streamwood 1, Taft 0  
Herscher Shootout  
Herscher 4, St. Edward 0  
Kankakee 2, Lisle 0  
Lisle 3, Morris 1  
Mundelein's Jim Wolter Titan Invitational  
Stevenson 4, Prospect 0  
Naperville North Best of the West Tournament  
Bartlett 2, Plainfield North 2  
Naperville North 4, Benet 1

South Elgin 0, Oswego 0 (SE wins in PKs 5-4)  
New Trier Invitational  
New Trier 2, Buffalo Grove 0  
Lyons 1, Grayslake Central 0  
St. Charles Invitational  
Maine South 5, Metea Valley 1  
St. Charles North 3, Marmion 0  
Wauconda Tournament  
Crystal Lake South 3, McHenry 1 (3rd place)  
Palatine 5, Wauconda 2 (championship)  
Woodstock Invitational  
Burlington Central 1, Lakes 0  
Others  
Aurora Central Catholic 4, Westmont 1  
Crystal Lake Central 1, Rolling Meadows 0  
Gateway Legacy Christian 1, West Aurora 0  
Hampshire 5, DeKalb 3  
Harlem 5, Antioch 1  
Hinsdale South 7, Joliet Central 0  
Huntley 5, Woodstock North 1  
Kaneland 1, Johnsburg 0  
Lemont 2, Glenbard South 0  
Neuqua Valley 5, East Aurora 4  
Palatine 5, Wauconda 2  
St. Patrick, Maine East 1  
Waubonsie Valley 2, Minooka 2  
West Aurora 6, Rochester 1  
Wheaton Academy 3, Western Michigan Christian 0  
Wheaton Warrenville South 2, Glenbard East 0

#### Girls cross country

Crystal Lake South Rich Eschman Invitational

Veterans Acres, 3.05 miles

1. Lake Zurich 22, 2. Crystal Lake South 66, 3. Glenbrook South 109, 4. Cary-Grove 115, 5. McHenry 144, 6. Woodstock 145, 7. Rolling Meadows 149, 8. West Chicago 161, 9. Harvard 286

Elk Grove Invitational

Elk Grove XC Course, 3 Miles

1. Hoffman Estates 37, 2. Lake Park 64, 3. Conant 73, 4. Elk Grove 86, 5. Elgin 130, 6. Maine East 149, 7. Buffalo Grove 153



### Fenton Kurtz Early Bird Invitational

Fenton XC Course, 3 miles

1. DePaul College Prep 26, 2. Oak Park-River Forest 49, 3. Vernon Hills 73, 4. Lake Forest 96, 5. Taft 139, 6. Addison Trail 150, 7. Fenton 209

### Grayslake Central Vicky Piela Invitational

Central Park, 3 miles

1. St. Ignatius 36, 2. Grayslake Central 59, 3. Warren 79, 4. Carmel 123, 5. Mundelein 126, 6. Grayslake North 141, 7. Niles West 162

### Harlem Invitational

Kieselburg FP, 3 miles

1. Hampshire 31, 2. Burlington Central 42, 3. Harlem 120, 4. Belvidere North 122, 5. Our Lady of the Sacred Heart 135, 6. Belvidere 144, 7. Guilford 162, 8. Marengo 193, 9. Durand 249

### Harvest Christian Fall Classic

Harvest Christian XC Course, 5000 meters

1. St. Viator 53, 2. Wheaton Academy 54, 3. Montini 77, 4. Harvest Christian 104, 5. Trinity 119, 6. Willows Academy 144, 7. Lisle 144

### Hinsdale Central Red Devil Invite

Katherine Legge Park, 3 miles

1. Hersey 63, 2. Prospect 83, 3. Batavia 103, 4. Minooka 131, 5. Wheaton Warrenville South 176, 6. Naperville Central 188, 7. Oswego East 230, 8. Palatine 247, 9. Evanston 263, 10. Glenbard West 273, 11. New Trier 282, 12. Fenwick 299, 13. Oswego 304, 14. Metea Valley 361, 15. Bolingbrook 454, 16. Downers Grove South 472

### Lyons Kuharic Invite

Lyons XC Course, 5000 meters

1. Downers Grove North 18, 2. Lyons 131, 3. Lincoln-Way East 133, 4. Blue Valley Southwest 168, 5. Mother McAuley 175, 6. Nazareth Academy 200, 7. Marist 215, 8. Lincoln-Way West 220, 9. Willowbrook 224, 10. Glenbard East 227, 11. Sandburg 241, 12. West Aurora 246, 13. Morton 267, 14. Homewood-Flossmoor 336, 15. Reavis 347

### Oregon Open

Oregon Park West, 3.1 miles

1. Winnebago 56, 2. Sherrard 107, 3. Aurora Central 114, 4. Byron 143, 5. Rock Falls 160, 6. Kaneland 197, 7. Sycamore 203, 8. Princeton 227, 9. Oregon 247, 10. Riverdale 271, 11. Rochelle 293, 13. Genoa-Kingston 304

### Plainfield Central 52nd Annual Wildcat Invitational

Plainfield Central XC Course, 3 miles

1. Neuqua Valley 47, 2. Crown Point 67, 3. Waubonsie Valley 84, 4. Lockport 106, 5. Lemont 131, 6. South Elgin 186, 7. Andrew 225, 8. Bradley-Bourbonnais 237, 9. DeKalb 255, 10. Plainfield South 280

St. Charles East Leavy Invite

Northwestern Medicine Fields, 3 miles

1. York 37, 2. Barrington 101, 3. Huntley 113, 4. Wheaton North 114, 5. Schaumburg 143, 6. St. Francis 175, 7. St. Charles North 184, 8. Benet 197, 9. Geneva 247, 10. Bartlett 296, 11. Prairie Ridge 298, 12. St. Charles East 334, 13. Rosary 335, 14. Leyden 359, 15. Sterling 400

Girls flag football

Round Lake Invitational

Lakes 13, Antioch 6

Lakes 31, North Chicago 14

Round Lake 52, Grayslake North 0

Wauconda 42, Grant 0

Wilowbrook Invitational

Stevenson 8, Dundee-Crown 6

Willowbrook 12, Stevenson 6

Willowbrook 26, Lyons 6

Willowbrook 36, Dundee-Crown 0

Others

Glenbrook North 14, Buffalo Grove 6

Jacobs 18, South Elgin 0

Jacobs 34, Elgin 0

Maine South 22, Zion-Benton 12

Maine South 26, Stagg 0

Maine West 20, Fenwick 0

Maine West 26, Streamwood 0

Maine West 30, Proviso East 0

Prospect 40, Palatine 6

Upcoming

Monday, Sep 9

Girls volleyball

Aurora Central Catholic at Aurora Christian, 6:30 p.m.

Bolingbrook at Downers Grove South, 5:30 p.m

Elgin at Wheeling, 6 p.m.

Grant at Antioch, 6 p.m.

Grayslake North at Johnsburg, 7 p.m.

Hersey at Maine South, 6 p.m.  
Hoffman Estates at Prospect, 6 p.m.  
Home Resource at Christian Liberty, 6 p.m.  
Indian Creek at Westmont, 6:30 p.m.  
Lakes at Carmel, 6 p.m.  
Maine West at Glenbrook North, 6 p.m.  
Montini at Lincoln Way East, 5:30 p.m.  
Round Lake at Waukegan, 6 p.m.  
St. Viator at Evanston, 6 p.m.  
Stevenson at Buffalo Grove, 6 p.m.  
Wheaton Academy at Taft, 6 p.m.

#### Boys golf

Addison Trail at Lake Park (Itasca CC), 4 p.m.  
Bartlett, Benet, Downers Grove North, Geneva, Hinsdale Central, Lake Park, St. Charles East, St. Charles North, West Aurora, West Chicago, Wheaton Warrenville South, York at Batavia Invite (Orchard Valley), 1 p.m.  
Buffalo Grove, Elk Grove, Prospect, Rolling Meadows, St. Viator at Hersey Invitational (Rolling Green CC), 2:30 p.m.  
Carmel at Notre Dame (Willow Hill GC), 3 p.m.  
Downers Grove South at Naperville North Scramble (Tamarack GC), 2:30 p.m.  
Glenbard West at Waubonsie Valley (Springbrook GC), 3:50 p.m.  
Grant, Grayslake North, Wauconda at Mundelein's Lee Oler Invitational (Foxford Hill GC), 12:45 p.m.  
Hinsdale Central at Lake Forest Invite, 2 p.m.  
Huntley at Crystal Lake Central (RedTail), 4:30 p.m.  
Leyden at Maine East (Indian Boundary), 4:40 p.m.  
Libertyville at Loyola Academy (Willmette GC), 4 p.m.  
Lisle at Hinckley Big-Rock (Indian Oaks), 4 p.m.  
Montini at St. Francis Spartan Invite (Eaglebrook), 2 p.m.  
Naperville Central, Wheaton North at Naperville North Scramble (Tamarack), 3 p.m.  
Neuqua Valley at DeKalb (Kishwaukee GC), 3:30 p.m.  
Riverside-Brookfield at Fenton (White Pines), 4 p.m.  
Warren at Lakes (ThunderHawk GC), 4 p.m.  
Wheeling at Maine West (Chick Evans GC), 4 p.m.

#### Girls tennis

Addison Trail at Elmwood Park, 4:30 p.m.  
Dundee-Crown at Grant, 4:30 p.m.  
Fenton at Bartlett, 4:30 p.m.  
Glenbard East at Willowbrook, 4 p.m.

Glenbard West at Lake Park, 4:30 p.m.  
Glenbrook North at Fremd, 4:30 p.m.  
Glenbrook South at Prospect, 4:30 p.m.  
Grayslake Central at Johnsburg, 4:30 p.m.  
Grayslake North at Woodstock North, 4:30 p.m.  
Leyden at Elk Grove, 4:30 p.m.  
Schaumburg at Glenbard North, 4 p.m.  
West Aurora at Oswego East, 4 p.m.  
Woodstock at Round Lake, 4:30 p.m.  
York at Wheaton North, 4:30 p.m.

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## **- Daily Herald - High school scores for Sept. 6 Date: September 07, 2024**



Cary-Grove's Quintin Witt catch a pass during a Fox Valley Conference football game on against Crystal Lake Central on Friday, Sep. 6, 2024, at Cary-Grove High School in Cary.

Friday, Sep 6

Football

Addison Trail 31, North Chicago 0

Antioch 33, Zion-Benton 20

Aurora Christian 62, Chicago Crane 6

Barrington 41, Hersey 32

Batavia 42, South Elgin 14

Benet 49, Moline 29

Burlington Central 24, Dundee Crown 22

Cary-Grove 45, Crystal Lake Central 14

Christ the King 16, Aurora Central Catholic 6

Downers Grove North 42, Downers Grove South 0

Dwight/Gardner-So. Wilmington 51, St. Edward 8  
Fenton 43, Streamwood 8  
Fremd 45, Buffalo Grove 9  
Geneva 41, Lemont 7  
Glenbard North 19, Willowbrook 7  
Glenbard South 41, East Aurora 7  
Glenbrook South 35, Lake Zurich 20  
Grant 34, Glenbrook North 28  
Grayslake Central 14, Bremen 13, OT  
Grayslake North 35, Elgin 24  
Hinsdale Central 38, Bolingbrook 22  
Hinsdale South 34, Riverside-Brookfield 9  
Hofmann Estates 42, Wheeling 7  
Huntley 44, McHenry 0  
IC Catholic Prep 1, Chicago Military Academy-Bronzeville 0 (won by fft.)  
Jacobs 28, Hampshire 21  
Kaneland 16, Wauconda 7  
Lake Forest 24, Carmel 14  
Lake Park 31, Bartlett 0  
Lakes 31, Vernon Hills 20  
Leyden 14, Niles North 6  
Libertyville 48, Richards 15  
Lyons 39, Wheaton Warrenville South 22  
Maine East 10, Round Lake 7  
Maine South 35, Warren 18  
Maine West 40, Waukegan 14  
Marmion Academy 56, Chicago Noble/Academy 0  
Minooka 16, Neuqua Valley 14  
Montini 21, Hillcrest 0  
Mundelein 21, Johnsburg 14  
Naperville Central 24, Naperville North 21  
Palatine 14, Prospect 9  
Prairie Ridge 49, Crystal Lake South 0  
Rolling Meadows 34, Conant 12  
Schaumburg 22, Elk Grove 21  
Seneca 40, Lisle 0  
St. Charles North 50, Monee 23  
St. Patrick 39, Larkin 0  
Stevenson 42, Taft 7  
Waubonsie Valley 50, Plainfield East 0  
West Aurora 45, Glenbard East 20

West Chicago 57, Joliet Central 28  
Wheaton Academy 28, St. Charles East 17  
Wheaton North 22, Lockport 21  
York 35, Plainfield North 13

Boys soccer

Jim Wolter Titan Invitational  
Glenbrook South 5, Stevenson 1

Others

Bartlett 4, Lake Park 2  
Elk Grove 1, Schaumburg 0  
Fremd 2, Buffalo Grove 1  
Rockford East 2, Huntley 0  
Rolling Meadows 4, Conant 3  
Universal (Bridgeview) 6, IC Catholic Prepo  
Wheaton Academy 4, NorthPointe Christian (MI) 0

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## **- Daily Herald - High school scores for Sept. 6**

**By: Joel Boenitz**

**Date: September 06, 2024**



Batavia quarterback Bodi Anderson throws the ball during a game against South Elgin Friday, Sep. 6, 2024 in Batavia.

Friday's game against South Elgin was supposed to be a learning game for Batavia quarterback Bodi Anderson.

After a self-described tough showing in the opening game against Glenbard West, the junior

quarterback was taking the Week 2 matchup to work on reading the defense.

But after finding Isaiah Brown for a 57-yard touchdown in the first quarter, Anderson said he definitely learned something.

“It made me a lot more comfortable with him and made me realize I can throw it up to him and I can trust he’ll get it,” Anderson said. “The confidence just really kicked in for me.”

The confidence helped Anderson end the first half completing 9 of 14 passes for 155 yards and three touchdowns to pace the Bulldogs to a 42-14 victory over the Storm in their home opener.

“I feel like things just started clicking for us in the passing game tonight,” Batavia coach Dennis Piron said. “He just needed to get a rhythm and get used to guys. We haven’t gotten a good chance to get anybody together, so we’re hoping that this will get it going.”

With the win, Batavia heads into conference play with a 2-0 record for the first time since 2021, where they finished regular season play a perfect 9-0. And after having a ton of their new starters survive the likes of Glenbard West and South Elgin, Piron said it’s a good feeling to have.

“We’re playing teams that don’t typically lose more than a couple games a year,” Piron said. “And those new starters aren’t new starters now after two weeks, so it’s good that we’re getting this experience heading into conference play.”

Brown finished the game with five receptions, 110 receiving yards and two touchdowns, with his second score coming from 12 yards out at the end of the first half. It’s just the second time that the senior has put up over 100 receiving yards and two touchdowns, with both coming in last season’s state quarterfinal game against Hononegah.

“It felt great coming out here and doing what I need to do, like running my routes and going out and giving my everything every play,” Brown said. “And it just all fell to where it was supposed to. And coming out here and translating it to the game felt great.”

The Bulldogs managed to get on the board on fourth down on two separate occasions. Nathan Whitwell got Batavia’s first points of the game after getting the ball on fourth-and-1 and running 61 yards for the score. He also added a 35-yard score in the second quarter and finished with 116 yards.

The second came at the start of the second quarter. With a fourth-and-4 situation on South Elgin’s 15-yard line, Anderson found offensive and defensive lineman Gavin Pecor, who dove across the pylon for the score.

“There was a lot of trust to catch that for a big lineman,” Anderson said. “But he enjoyed doing that a lot, so it was a great moment.”

Brett Berggren also added a score in the game on a 52-yard punt return.

South Elgin got both its touchdowns in the second half. Ishmael George caught an 18-yard touchdown and Darrion Thurman had a 1-yard rushing touchdown against the Bulldogs' second team.

## **- Chicago Tribune - Football and local scores for the Southland, Aurora, Elgin, Naperville and Lake County**

**By: Staff Reports**

**Date: September 6, 2024**



South Elgin quarterback Carter McDonald (10) looks for an open receiver against Batavia during a nonconference game in Batavia on Friday, Sept. 6, 2024.

High school and local college results and highlights from the Southland, Aurora, Elgin, Naperville and Lake County coverage areas.

### **FRIDAY'S RESULTS**

#### **HIGH SCHOOLS**

#### **FOOTBALL**

#### **WEEK 2**

#### **FOX VALLEY**

Burlington Central 24, Dundee-Crown 22

Burlington Central (1-1, 1-1): David McCoy GW 37-yard FG in 4th quarter. Jackson Alcorn TD run, TD pass.

Dundee-Crown (1-1, 1-1): Hayden DeMarsh 2 TD passes, TD run.

Jacobs 28, Hampshire 21



Jacobs (1-1, 1-1): Keyshawn Canady GW 54-yard TD run in 4th quarter. Caden DuMelle 61-yard TD run. T.O. Boddie KO return TD.

Hampshire (1-1, 1-1): Arshawn Rupert 4-yard TD run. Jacob Ostrowski 5-yard TD run.

#### SOUTHWEST VALLEY RED

Lincoln-Way West 41, Andrew 19

#### NONCONFERENCE

Addison Trail 31, North Chicago 0

Antioch 33, Zion-Benton 20

Argo 21, Bloom 0

Aurora Christian 62, Crane 6

Batavia 42, South Elgin 14

Benet 49, Moline 29

Benet (2-0): Marty Radgowski 4 TDs.

Bradley-Bourbonnais 48, Thornwood 8

Chicago Christian 49, Elmwood Park 16

Chicago Christian (2-0): Caden Boersma 4 TD receptions from Christian Flutman; punt return TD.

Christ the King 16, Aurora Central Catholic 6

De La Salle 64, Foreman 0

De La Salle (1-1): Jeremiah Coleman 3 TD runs (20, 14, 18 yards). Alvin McCall Jr. 2 TD runs (22, 9).

Deerfield 21, Highland Park 0

Fenton 43, Streamwood 8

Geneva 41, Lemont 7

Geneva (2-0): Tony Chahino 4 TD passes. Talyn Taylor 3 TD receptions.

Lemont (0-2): Jackson Dybcio 1-yard TD run.

Glenbard South 41, East Aurora 7

Glenbrook South 35, Lake Zurich 20

Grant 34, Glenbrook North 28

Grant (1-1): Matthew Gipson 2 TD passes to Max Hembrey (75, 35). Tyler Zdon 50-yard TD run.

Grayslake Central 14, Bremen 13 (OT)

Grayslake North 35, Elgin 24

Kaneland 16, Wauconda 7

Lake Forest 24, Carmel 14

Lake Park 31, Bartlett 0

Lakes 31, Vernon Hills 20

Lane Tech 21, T.F. South 20

Libertyville 48, Richards 15

Maine East 10, Round Lake 7

Maine South 35, Warren 18

Warren (1-1): Aaron Stewart 2 TD runs (17, 5). Jack Wolf 1-yard TD run.  
Maine West 40, Waukegan 14  
Manteno 27, Plano 6  
Marist 34, Brother Rice 27 (OT)  
Marmion 56, Noble 0  
Metea Valley 31, Plainfield Central 6  
Minooka 16, Neuqua Valley 14  
Montini 21, Hillcrest 0  
Mount Carmel 28, St. Rita 0  
Naperville Central 24, Naperville North 21  
Naperville Central (2-0): Gavin Ellison GW 25-yard FG with 1:24 remaining in game. Sebastian Hayes 2 TD passes to DeShaun Williams (36, 13).  
Naperville North (1-1): Jacob Bell 3 TD passes. Quinn Morris 2 TD receptions.  
New Trier 24, Yorkville 8  
Oswego 17, Joliet Catholic 0  
Oswego (2-0): Ayden Villa 64-yard TD run. Lucas Andersen 1-yard TD run.  
Providence 23, Lincoln-Way Central 14  
St. Charles North 50, Crete-Monee 26  
St. Laurence 42, Evanston 7  
St. Laurence (2-0): Harley Rizz 3 TD runs.  
St. Patrick 39, Larkin 0  
Sandburg 43, Oak Forest 12  
Shepard 53, Brooks 0  
Stagg 28, Oak Lawn 13  
Stevenson 42, Taft 7  
Sycamore 15, Oswego East 9  
Oswego East (0-2): Andrew Pohlman TD reception.  
Tinley Park 21, Romeoville 14  
Waubonsie Valley 50, Plainfield East 0  
West Aurora 45, Glenbard East 20  
West Aurora (2-0): Mason Atkins 3 TD passes. Kewon Marshall 2 TD receptions (15, 39). Azariah Sylvester 2 TD runs (1, 50).  
Wheaton Academy 28, St. Charles East 17  
Wheaton North 22, Lockport 21  
Lockport (1-1): Johnny Wesolowski 2 TD runs (2, 5). Tyler Pospisil 4-yard TD run.  
Wilmington 40, Sandwich 15  
Sandwich (0-2): Kai Pon 53-yard TD run. Simeion Harris 1-yard TD run.

#### BOYS SOCCER

Bartlett 4, Lake Park 2

Beecher 4, Reed-Custer 1  
De La Salle 8, Brooks 0  
Deerfield 3, Lake Forest 1  
Deerfield (1-2-1): Cristian Carani goal. Jacob Gassman goal.

Stagg 3, Oak Lawn 1

#### MORTON (ILL.) TOURNAMENT

West Aurora 6, Champaign Centennial 0

#### PROSPECT JIM WOLTER TITAN INVITATIONAL

Mount Carmel 1, St. Patrick 0

Mundelein 0, Prospect 0

Glenbrook South 5, Stevenson 1

#### THURSDAY'S RESULTS

##### HIGH SCHOOLS

##### BOYS SOCCER

Aurora Central Catholic 7, Indian Creek 0

ACC (4-0): Matthew Vandeman 4 goals, assist. Christopher Incandela goal, assist.

Beecher 9, Illinois Lutheran 0

Bloom 1, Bremen 0

Brother Rice 1, Hinsdale Central 0

Dundee-Crown 7, Johnsburg 0

Dundee-Crown (1-3): Gabriel Herrera 4 goals.

East Aurora 8, Harvest Christian 0

East Aurora (2-2): Jay Umana 3 goals, 2 assists. Hector Arevalo 3 goals, assist.

Elgin 1, Ridgewood 0 (called in 46th minute)

Grayslake Central 0, Libertyville 0

Hampshire 8, Antioch 1

Hinckley-Big Rock 5, Sandwich 3

Hinckley-Big Rock (3-2-1, 1-0 Little Ten): Sawyer Smith 2 goals, assist.

Kaneland 1, Batavia 0

Kaneland (2-3): Jovani Ruiz goal.

Larkin 1, Huntley 1

Larkin (2-1-1): David Terrones goal.

Prairie Ridge 4, Carmel 1

Providence 5, Glenbard South 0

Providence (3-1): Jake Armstrong 2 goals.

Timothy Christian 2, Chicago Christian 0

Warren 5, Indian Trail (Wis.) 0

Warren (3-1-1): Charlie Crowson 2 goals, assist. Christian Albarran 2 goals.

#### ADDISON TRAIL JOE NOVY CLASSIC

Geneva 4, Maine West 0

Geneva (2-0-1): Evan Swierczewski 2 goals. Caleb Kelly goal, assist.

#### BARRINGTON CLASSIC

Lake Zurich 0, Barrington 0

Streamwood 6, Jacobs 0

Streamwood (3-2): Luis Vega 3 goals. AJ Sabanovic goal, 3 assists.

#### BEST OF THE WEST INVITATIONAL

Benet 3, Oswego 2

Benet (2-1): Brendan Bergnach goal, assist. Sergio Polanco goal. Jackson Mares goal.

Naperville Central 2, Plainfield North 1

Naperville North 5, South Elgin 0

Naperville North (4-0): Jaxson Stokes 2 goals. Sam Hess 2 assists.

#### GRANT TOURNAMENT

Grant 2, Vernon Hills 0

#### NORTHSIDE COLLEGE SHOWCASE

Grayslake Central 0, Libertyville 0

Round Lake 3, Waukegan 3

Waukegan (1-2-1): Carlos Banales 2 goals.

#### REAVIS WINDY CITY RAM CLASSIC

Lincoln-Way East 3, Lemont 1, championship

Andrew 4, Marist 0, third

De La Salle 3, Lockport 1, fifth

De La Salle (4-1): Brandon Olivera goal. Agustin Ortega 2 assists.

Joliet West 2, Oak Forest 1, ninth

#### WAUCONDA ALONSO SANCHEZ MEMORIAL CLASSIC

Wauconda 3, McHenry 1

Palatine 3, Zion-Benton 0

#### WOODSTOCK JACOB NORYS MEMORIAL TOURNAMENT

Burlington Central 7, St. Viator 0

Burlington Central (3-1): Sam Knych 2 goals, assist. Alan Murillo 2 goal

#### GIRLS VOLLEYBALL

Beecher d. Grant Park 25-10, 25-17

Carmel d. Marian Central Catholic 25-21, 25-18

Crystal Lake Central d. Burlington Central 19-25, 26-24, 25-14

Burlington Central (4-1, 3-1 Fox Valley): Julia Johnson 8 kills. Leah Freeseemann 7 kills.

Haidyn Schatz 6 kills, 11 digs. Peyton Stout 6 kills. Tiernan Naus 13 assists, 8 digs. Brianna Gritzman 10 digs.

DeKalb d. Hinckley-Big Rock 25-10, 25-13

DePaul Prep d. Marian Catholic 25-20, 25-14

Marian (0-4): Olivia Helfen 5 kills. Sarah Gordon 12 digs.

Evergreen Park d. Oak Forest 19-25, 25-20, 25-17

Evergreen (2-0, 1-0 SSC Red): Fiona Buchanan 9 kills. Shannon Farrell 5 kills, 4 blocks. Neve Hayes 26 assists, 4 aces. Tess Lee 10 digs.

Grant d. Round Lake 25-6, 25-4

Grayslake Central d. Grayslake North 25-20, 25-19

Grayslake Central (6-1, 1-0 Northern Lake County): Katie Marcelain 7 kills, 2 aces.

Illinois Lutheran d. Donovan 25-15, 25-12

Illinois Lutheran (3-5, 1-0 River Valley): Anna Oestmann 5 kills, 6 digs. Emma Nagle 10 assists, 4 digs, 3 aces. Mia Jacobucci 6 digs.

Indian Creek d. LaMoille 25-17, 25-10

Indian Creek (3-2-2, 1-0 Little Ten): Allie Peterson 8 kills. Izzy Turner 4 kills, 10 assists.

Jacobs d. Cary-Grove 25-22, 25-21

Jacobs (1-3, 1-3 Fox Valley): Maddie Mitchell 7 kills. Layla Merlin 6 kills. Gianna Coletti 20 assists, 9 digs. Jordan Miller 9 digs.

Lake Park d. South Elgin 25-23, 25-18

South Elgin (2-1): Grace Bach 4 kills. Paige Genke 8 assists.

Lemont d. Richards 25-21, 25-14

McHenry d. Dundee-Crown 27-25, 25-10

Oak Lawn d. Bremen 25-15, 25-14

Oak Lawn (9-0, 1-0 SSC Red): Amina Maali 5 kills, 6 aces. Kasey Thompson 13 assists. Sinead Conroy 6 digs, 4 aces.

St. Charles North d. Naperville Central 17-25, 25-17, 25-15

St. Edward d. Larkin 25-18, 25-7

St. Edward (3-5): Samantha Pogorzelski 7 kills, 7 aces.

Schaumburg Christian d. Westminster Christian 25-5, 25-13

Somonauk d. Earlville 25-14, 25-19

Somonauk (2-2, 1-0 Little Ten): Ady Werner 5 kills. Bella Rolf 5 kills. Calli Snider 8 digs.

Stevenson d. Hersey 28-26, 17-25, 25-22

Stevenson (3-5): Kierra Flynn 10 kills, 6 digs. Ava Wysocki 8 kills, 4 digs. Abby Inman 6 kills, 6 digs. Ryler Bondad 15 assists, 6 digs.

Warren d. Buffalo Grove 25-15, 25-23

Yorkville d. Plainfield North 25-18, 25-18

Yorkville (4-4, 1-0 Southwest Prairie West): Sam Whitt 6 kills. Payton Roberts 9 assists. Tessa Liaromatis 9 digs.

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