

# Heritage Grove Boys Volleyball Highlights

## 7<sup>th</sup> Grade

5/10

**HG vs Indian Trail**

Loss: **22-25**      **26-28**

The 7th grade boys' volleyball team put on a show last night against the Wildcats of Indian Trail. The Huskies trailed most of the way through the first game but kept it close with a 22-25 loss. Game 2 turned out to be the most exciting of the year as the Huskies and IT see-sawed back and forth. With the score tied at 25 the Huskies played their hearts out and refused to succumb to the Wildcat pressure. In the end, Indian Trail pulled out the victory with a couple of close calls and a final score of 26-28. It was a fun season and a job well done by all of the players.

Please remember to **drop off your uniforms ASAP to Mr. Gidley in room 229**. The volleyball **party** will take place this **Friday** after school from **2:45-3:30** in Mr. Kasch's room.

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**HG vs Aux Sable**

Loss: **22-25**      **25-22**      **14-25**

The 7th grade boys' volleyball season came to a close last night versus the Aux Sable Bulldogs. The Huskies stood tall against the #2 ranked team splitting the first 2 games, 22-25 and 25-22. In the 3rd game, the Huskies struggled to stop the onslaught of serves and lost the final game 14-25. The boys finished the season with a record of 2-7 but they have learned how to play as a team towards the end of the season. The Huskies will no doubt challenge any team they face in the playoffs next Tuesday at JFK. We need support and can't wait to see everyone there cheering on the Huskies as they move through the playoffs.

**5/4**

**HG vs JFK**

Win: 25-**20**      **25-18**      **25-19**

The 7<sup>th</sup> grade boys' volleyball team battled the JFK Eagles at home yesterday. The Eagles managed to take game 1 25-20 but the Huskies stormed back sending the Eagles in an unrecoverable tailspin. The Huskies played their best team ball of the year as the Eagles had no answer for the Huskie attack in the last 2 games. The victory was sealed with 2 straight wins of 25-18 and 25-19.

Everyone deserves a round of applause for their efforts. The Huskies are looking to finish the season strong on Thursday @ Aux Sable before entering the playoffs next week. Way to go Huskies!

**4/29**

**HG vs JFK**

A: Loss      25-**21**      25-**20**

B: Loss      **20-25**      **25-23**      **23-25**

The 7th grade boys' volleyball team clashed with the Ira Jones Eagles last night. In the A game, the boys were able to maintain pace with a highly skilled Ira team. They were digging balls, communicating, and passing effectively but the Eagles took both games with victories of 25-21 and 25-20.

The B team made things exciting when they roared back in game 2, from 8 down, to tie the series at 1 all. The Huskies gave it their all and nearly pulled out the victory but the Eagles squeaked out a win. The final scores were 20-25, 25-23, and 23-25. The regular season is coming to a close next week with 3 games to go as the Huskies will be back in action on Monday at Indian Trail.

**4/20**

**HG vs JFK**

A: Loss      **25-23**      25-**15**      25-**20**

B: Loss      25-**20**      25-**14**

The 7th grade boys volleyball team took on the Eagles of JFK yesterday. The A team came out strong and took game 1 with a 25-23 victory. However, the Eagles proved to be a tough opponent managing to tag the Huskies with 2 straight losses of 25-15 and 25-20 to win the series.

The B team started out slow but made game 1 competitive with strong play and determination. The Huskies ended up losing both games by a score of 25-20 and 25-14. The Huskies continue to show progress each game and look to get back on track this Thursday at home against Aux Sable. Come out, cheer loud, and support your Huskies

### **4/13**

#### **HG vs Ira Jones**

A: Loss

B: Loss

The 7th grade boys volleyball team battled the Eagles of Ira Jones yesterday in what turned out to be 2 hard fought series. The A team split the 1st 2 games with the Eagles and fought back after being down by 7 in the 3rd game to tie the score at 22 all. The Eagles prevailed in the end, scoring the final 3 points to steal the victory. The Huskies A team is 1-1 on the season.

The Huskies B team, who took the floor for the second match, also split the 1st 2 games with the Eagles. With the score 24-20 in the 3rd game, the Huskies needed a come-back but they could not get a run going as the Eagles defeated the Huskies, dropping their record to 0-2. The Huskies continue to improve their team-play and they are looking forward to battling Drauden Point at home on Thursday.

### **4/6**

#### **HG vs Indian Trail**

A: Win      25-13                      Loss              Win

B: Loss      Loss                              Loss

Yesterday, the 7<sup>th</sup> grade boys' volleyball team battled the Wildcats of Indian Trail. The A team played a spirited series winning the first game decidedly 25-13. After losing the 2<sup>nd</sup> game by 2 points, the A team continued their strong play and won

the final game to complete the series victory. Congratulations on your first win of the season.

During the B game the Huskies were down early but battled back to make it a close game against the Wildcats. After dropping the first game the Huskies almost forced a 3<sup>rd</sup> game but Indian Trail played tough and ended with the series victory. Both teams played well and worked hard through their first match. The boys are going to continue their strong play next Tuesday at Ira Jones. Come on out and support your Huskies!