

Last Week in Pinkerton Academy Athletics

10/11-10/17

Bass Fishing:

No competitions

Boys Cross Country:

10/16/21

The Long Red Line traveled to Boston to compete in the 60th Annual Catholic Memorial Invitational on the historic Franklin Park course. Fine performances were turned in to bring the runner-up trophy home. Leading the way and winning his first Invitational race of the season was senior Luke Brennan. On a hot and humid day his time of 16:45 defeated all others. Ethan Charles followed close behind in 4th place with a time of 17:26. Cracking the top ten was senior Jack Cameron placing 8th in a 17:46. Rounding out the Astro's scoring five were Theo Davis and Finn Christensen Kraft placing 17th and 22nd respectively. The top seven included Nathan Binda and Cooper Michaud placing in the top 31 finishers.

Team Scores:

1. Lexington 46
2. Pinkerton 49
3. Lowell 73
4. Methuen 81

In the Freshman race Noah Daigle ran an 11:14 for the 3K course placing 9th out of 100 runners.

On Friday (10/15/21) we hosted the First Annual Coaches JV race. Sophomore Ryan Boulangeer took first place honors with a time of 18:44. Cracking the sub 20:00 barrier was Logan McDonald placing 2nd in a time of 19:38. In third place was alumnus and Girls Cross Country Coach Jon Alizio running a 20:33. Following close behind was freshman Nico Alizio placing 4th with a time of 21:14. Rounding out the Long Red Line's runners in this inaugural race was Jack Alizio placing 5th in a time of 21:27.

Our next race will be the JV State Championship on Friday October 22 at 3:45 pm at Alvirne High School in Hudson, NH.

Girls Cross Country:

10/16/21

Pinkerton Academy Girls Cross Country competed at the Black Bear Invitational at Coe-Brown Northwood Academy on Saturday. Sophomore Izzy Groulx earned a top-10 finish, grabbing the 9th spot in 20:26 on the rolling and challenging 5k course. Fellow Sophomore Tess Silva finished 11th in 20:38. Senior Captain Makenna Alden was 27th in 22:10, followed by sophomore Gigi Rufo in 22:38 and Junior Captain Grace Jellow in 22:51. 6th for the

Trailblazers was Freshman Althea Leblanc in 22:53 and 7th was Senior Captain Mimi Preble in 23:26.

Overall, 7th ranked Pinkerton finished 4th as a team with 135 points, defeating Bedford on the 6th place runner tie-breaker. 5th ranked Oyster River won the meet with 70 points, followed by 4th ranked Dover (87) and 6th ranked Concord (125).

[Full results here.](#)

The Pinkerton JV team will compete at the JV State Championships this Friday at Alvirne High School.

Field Hockey:

Varsity:

10/12/21

Game - HOME vs. Winnacunnet

Final score:

PA (4-8-4) - 1

Winnacunnet High School (not sure of record) - 2

A hard fought game with many players stepping up on the Astros and having stand out performances. Natalie Paradzick had a great game and scored, while Abby Shawley had a great game at the midfield position. Elise LeBlanc had a great game with 9 saves from a very talented Winnacunnet team.

Scoring:

1st quarter:

No goals

2nd quarter:

WHS Goal - A. Ritchie at 9:16

3rd quarter:

WHS Goal - A. Ritchie at 5:35

4th quarter:

PA Goal: Natalie Paradzick at 10:42

Goalies:

PA - Elise LeBlanc - 9 saves

WHS - J. Fuller - 7 saves

JV:

10/16/21

Great day for the JV Field Hockey team. Placed second in pool , advancing to semifinals VS Exeter. Game tied went into penalty strokes. Caitlin Lemay, Kennedy Michaud and Brooke Johnson were on spot with their shots 3 for 3. Brenna Hines was key in net stopping the tying penalty stroke. The girls advanced to the championship game vs. Londonderry where once again the game ended in a tie. Same three strokers were on their game ready to shoot. Caitlin had the winning stroke as well as All-Tourney player. Brenna Hines saved all three strokes against her securing the Championship for the girls.

Football:**Varsity:**

Pinkerton - 22, Bishop Guertin - 12

Record improves to 6-1

Golf:**Varsity:**

10/14/21

Overlook GC - Hollis, NH - Par 71

Team Scores -

Pinkerton - 417 - 7th Place

Pinkerton Top 5 -

1 - Ethan Doherty & Julianna Megan - 81

3 - Jeremy Burke - 83

4 - Robbie DeFeo - 85

5 - Gavin Urnek - 87

Bedford was the team winner with a 388 and Exeter came in 2nd with a 394.

Ethan Doherty made it through an 8 for 3 qualifier to advance to the individual championship at Beaver Meadow on Saturday. He tees off at 9:15 AM.

[Full Results](#) - (This seems to default to DII results but there is a drop down menu at the top to choose the division)

Boys Soccer:

Varsity:

10/11/21

Pinkerton - 0, Winnacunnet - 1

The Astros struggled to find the back of the net in a disappointing loss to the Warriors. Romar Couture, Jake Spezzaferri, and Adam Freiburger played well.

10/14/21

Pinkerton - 4, Bishop Guertin - 1

Goals scored by Jake Spezzaferri, Tyler Sullivan, Landan Villeneuve, and Nathan Hall. Also playing well were Romar Couture and Adam Freiburger.

JV:

10/11/21

Warriors 4 - Astros 1

Zach Viger scored the only goal for the Astros.

10/14/21

Astros 7 - Bishop Guertin 0

Goals scored by Logan Young (2), Landon Earhart, Zach Viger, Zach Fortin (2), and Chas Benyik put the Astros on top. Cam Kuncik and Gabe Konopka combined for the shutout.

Freshman:

10/16/21

Pinkerton - 4, Portsmouth - 0

3 goals by Phoenix Beaulieu

1 goal by Thomas Scribber

Girls Soccer:

Varsity:

10/12/21

The girls soccer team celebrated senior night Tuesday night by beating Winnacunnet 1-0. The 12 seniors had a great afternoon with their team and family. Emily Hood scored the lone goal and Lindsay Blum had 5 saves.

10/14/21

Pinkerton girls varsity soccer beat undefeated BG Thursday night 1-0. The Astros worked incredibly hard to stick with a talented team. Maddie Connors scored a header goal in the middle of the second half, off a Sofia Crnilovic corner kick. Astro defenders Allie Lamphere, Elise Saab, Caitlin Seleny, and Jadyn Smith played relentless defense and Libby Williams had made great saves.

JV:

10/12/21

A delayed start and new field were not enough to throw off the jv girls as they cruised to a dominating win over Winnacunnet, finishing 3-0. Goals were scored by sophomore Holly Conroy with two and sophomore Maddie Schoenenberger. Excellent defensive play was had by sophomore Jordyn Peoples and sophomore Emma Nelson provided several chances from the wing. The ladies look to earn a road victory against a tough Bishop Guertin side on Thursday.

10/14/21

The JV girls got only their second loss of the season, just getting edged by a fast Bishop Guertin side, ending 0-1. Highlights include excellent defensive play by sophomores Susan Hanley and Emma Barrett and good chance creations from sophomore Emma Nelson. The Lady Astros look to wrap up their season next week away against Memorial.

Girls Volleyball:

Varsity:

10/13/21

Senior setter Ella Koelb collected 18 service points, 8 aces, 17 assists, and 5 kills to lead the PA Girls Volleyball team to a solid 3-0 win over Exeter. Senior outside Lily Heywood added 11 service points, 16 digs, and 5 kills, senior middle Abby Leppert led the team with 6 kills, senior libero Sierra Edgecomb had 13 digs, senior Lexa Galler had 9 service points and 3 kills, and freshman middle Cali Miller added 3 kills and a block. The Astros now stand at 11-3 on the season.

10/15/21

The PA Girls Volleyball team had their six game win streak snapped by a strong Hollis-Brookline squad. Middle Abby Leppert had 6 kills and a block, Lexa Galler and Sarah Bolduc both contributed 5 kills, setter Ella Koelb dished out 18 assists, and Lily Heywood and Sierra Edgecomb each had 13 digs. The 11-4 Astros complete their regular season next week with their final three games.

Athletes of the Week:

Caitlin Seleny
Senior
Girls Soccer

Seleny, a senior center defender, helped girls soccer get two shutouts this week against Winnacunnet and a previously undefeated Bishop Guertin. Against BG, Caitlin had to play relentless defense, and was willing to sacrifice her body in order to prevent shots getting off. She also had to make a goal line save to preserve the shutout.

Ethan Doherty
Senior
Golf

Doherty was the low score for the team on Thursday, 10/14, at the team championship and made it through an 8 for 3 qualifier to make it to the individual championship on Saturday, 10/16. Ethan finished the season T-19 in DI out of more than 180 golfers who competed this year.