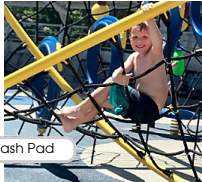


Summer 2017

summer memories



Waterloo Splash Pad



Holiday Lake



Lost Island Waterpark



Hudson Days

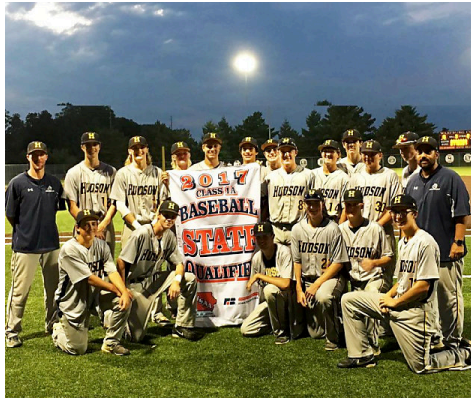
@Jace_RhoadesK plays on the splash pad in Downtown Waterloo. While tubing at Holiday Lake, @Travis_Carolan11, @Kayla_Carolan12, @Jake_Geister9, @Blake_Carolan7, @Mikayla_McKenna12, @Jessica_Carolan9, and @Olivia_Ball2 cheers for a picture. @Olivia_Ball2 cheers for excitement after putting the ball in the hole while mini golfing at Lost Island. @Rachel_Bauler11 drives a tractor in the Hudson Days Parade.

May 31 - Aug 22



Hudson Pirate Baseball

July 22



@HS_Baseball Team holds their state qualifier banner after beating pitching routine. @Dylan_Peterson017Grad tags an opposing player run. @Al_Hageman12 takes a big lead off of second base.

How Are You Feeling?

@CJ_Christopher12



Ecstatic

"It was an unbelievable feeling making it to the state tournament."

@Izick_Rodriguez11



Proud

"We were the underdogs all along, and we made it to state!"

@Drew_Stanford10



In Love

"I loved the atmosphere of the crowd while being with my team."

@Trey_Jochumsen9



Shocked

"We weren't supposed to make it far, and we went to state."

Stepping Up To The Plate

This summer, Hudson's baseball team made a remarkable statement. As the season was coming to an end, the team wasn't ready for it to be over.

Going into first round against Green Mountain Garwin, the Pirates gave it all they had against a team they knew they could beat. Hudson won that game 8-7, and they advanced.

In Round 2, the Pirates went up against a highly competitive team, Don Bosco. The Pirates were expected to lose, but Hudson went into the game with hard word and a "no lose" mind set that paid off. The Pirates defeated Don Bosco 5-3. Before they knew it, they were in the third round against Gladbrook-Reinbeck.

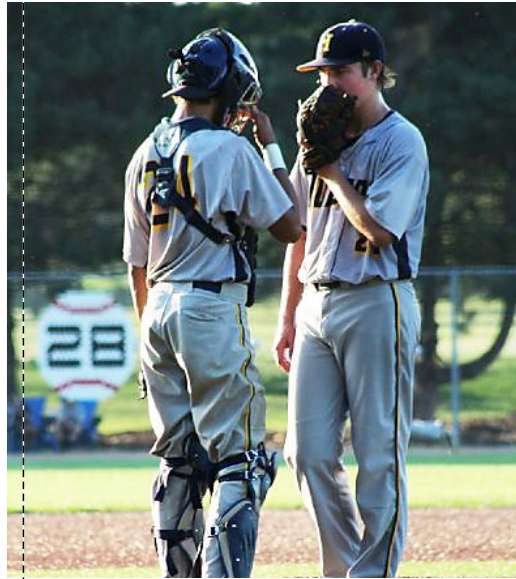
"I felt very confident going into this particular game because we had our best pitcher on the mound, CJ Christopher," said junior Jacob Murray. The team battled this game out inning by inning and left that night with another win, 3-2. The Pirates were now headed into the final round against Kee High, Lansing.

The Pirates were once again the underdogs in the game, but the team was determined not to lose. The Pirates fought hard throughout the game and finally made their dream of state a reality. Hudson won the game 10-6, qualifying them for the state tournament.

In the first round of the state tournament, the Pirates faced Martensdale St. Mary's. The Pirates gave it all they had but ended up losing 4-7.

The Hudson Pirates headed home after this tough loss, but with their heads held high. They taught all of their fans that if you give it all that you've got, you can accomplish many things, including what seems impossible.

#PirateNationProud



Kee High, Lansing. @Izick_Rodriguez11 and @Jacob_Myers11 secretly plan an upcoming out at third base. @Jacob_Myers11 slides into home base, scoring the Pirates another run.

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