



THOMAS WORTHINGTON

BASEBALL NEWSLETTER

March 2023

FROM THE DUGOUT

Greetings Friends of the TWHS Baseball Program,

The 2023 baseball season is upon us! The gym and weightroom were busy this offseason as the returning and prospective players prepared for tryouts, which took place during the week of February 20th. We're excited to "wake up" the field in early March and get the players as many reps as possible before our first scrimmage at Teays Valley High School on Saturday, March 18th. Our first official game of the season is a week later against Delaware Hayes. The full schedule is included later in this newsletter; please check our website (twhsdc.com) during the season for updates to the schedule.

I'm grateful for your continued support of the baseball program, including our recent fundraisers. The program is in good shape and the team is poised for a successful season. See below for some upcoming events, and we hope to see you at our home opener on March 31st.

Go Cards!

Coach Chris Olson

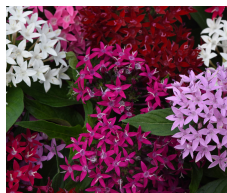
SPRING FLOWER SALE

The TWHS Diamond Club has partnered with **Foertmeyer & Sons Greenhouse Co.** to offer a beautiful selection of plants for sale. The baseball program receives a portion of the sales. Many options are available: hanging baskets, planters, herbs, annuals, perennials, and more. All can be viewed and ordered online.

Order deadline: March 8 **Orders arrive:** May 5

Reach out to your favorite TWHS Baseball player or use the link/QR code below to order:

<https://app.fundraiseit.org/shop.php?code=17B9AA>



Contact the Diamond Club
(twhsdc@gmail.com) for more information.

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& Sons** Greenhouse Co.

ANNUAL CAR WASH SCHEDULED FOR 4/30

Mark your calendar, the annual car wash will take place at FC Bank (6600 North High Street, Worthington) on April 30th, 1:00-4:00pm.

Photos from the 2022 Car Wash



SENIOR SPOTLIGHT: Dray and Silliman



Tyler Silliman

Mike Dray and **Tyler Silliman** are two of six returning seniors in the 2023 season. Dray plays outfield and Silliman plays infield and pitcher. Coach Olson says of Mike and Tyler, "They are great examples of why our program is so special. Both of these guys value every aspect of our team and our program. They are diligent workers who enjoy playing the game and having fun being around all of their teammates."



Mike Dray

2023 VARSITY SCHEDULE

Sat Mar 18 11:00 AM* @ Teays Valley High School
Mon Mar 20 5:00 PM* @ Bishop Watterson High School
Sat Mar 25 12:00 PM @ Delaware Hayes High School
Wed Mar 29 5:00 PM @ St. Charles Preparatory School
Fri Mar 31 5:00 PM vs Westerville South High School
Mon Apr 10 5:00 PM vs Dublin Jerome High School
Wed Apr 12 5:00 PM vs Olentangy High School
Thurs Apr 13 5:00 PM @ Dublin Jerome High School
Fri Apr 14 5:00 PM @ Olentangy High School
Sat Apr 15 12:00 PM @ Upper Arlington High School (turf)
Mon Apr 17 5:00 PM @ Marysville High School
Wed Apr 19 5:00 PM vs Marysville High School
Fri Apr 21 5:00 PM @ Hilliard Darby High School
Sat Apr 22 12:00 PM @ Dublin Scioto High School
Mon Apr 24 5:00 PM vs Hilliard Darby High School
Wed Apr 26 5:00 PM vs Olentangy Berlin High School
Fri Apr 28 5:00 PM @ Olentangy Berlin High School
Sat Apr 29 12:00 PM @ Pickerington High School North
Mon May 1 5:00 PM @ Dublin Jerome High School
Wed May 3 5:00 PM vs Olentangy High School
Fri May 5 5:00 PM @ Marysville High School
Sat May 6 12:00 PM vs Worthington Christian School
Mon May 8 5:00 PM @ Hilliard Darby High School
Tue May 9 5:15 PM vs Bexley Middle and High School
Wed May 10 5:00 PM vs Olentangy Berlin High School
Fri May 12 5:00 PM vs Worthington Kilbourne High School

*Indicates scrimmage

JV and Freshman schedules can be found on the the TWHS website at worthington.k12.oh.us/Page/726

THOMAS WORTHINGTON BASEBALL COACHES

- Chris Olson, Varsity Head Coach
- Anthony Leahy, Varsity Assistant (Outfield/Hitting)
- Eric Gussler, Varsity Assistant (Infield)
- John Birkbeck, Varsity Assistant (Pitching)
- Matt Hofacre, Roving Assistant Coach (Infield)
- Collin Finn, Roving Assistant Coach (Catching/Hitting)
- Andrew Orlins, Roving Assistant Coach (1B/Outfield/Hitting)

DIAMOND CLUB OFFICERS

- RYAN KING - PRESIDENT
- JIM LAPCZYNSKI - VICE PRESIDENT
- GREG GRAVES - TREASURER
- BRYAN FOUSS - SECRETARY

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