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# To the Class of 2021

You have completed your public-school career during one of the most extraordinary times in modern history. But you graduates of Indian River High School are a most extraordinary class.

We don't deny the challenge of spending most of your upperclassmen years in virtual learning. You gave up so much to help prevent the spread of a worldwide pandemic that we still seek to understand. With the sharp surprise of Spring 2020 followed by the long path through senior year, you've shown such resilience in 16 months.

But that was preceded by 16 years of learning and life. And now here you are. Take a deep breath, seniors: you did it. You've graduated from high school, and no one can take that accomplishment

away. That's why we created this publication as a keepsake, both for you and the community that has watched you grow up. We are so proud of you.

Treasure your fond memories, acknowledge the challenges, and go out, ready to live. You don't have to bungee-jump your way to glory or climb Mount Everest. You can learn from others' mistakes — but don't be afraid to try something that you might love. You are worthy, and you will learn and grow from every experience.

Keep making this planet a better place, have patience and be good to one another. And be proud of your accomplishment. We sure are.

- Coastal Point editorial staff

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# To The Indian River Graduating Class of 2021

It's hard to believe that four years ago when this class first entered the doors of IR as freshmen, it was also my first year as principal of IR. Who knew then what would be in store for you over the next four years? Who knew then that you'd be faced with a global pandemic your junior year and have to finish that year remotely from home? This year started with uncertainties as well. When would we return to in-person instruction, and what would the year look like? Would there be a prom, and would we be able to graduate with our peers in one ceremony? This class has definitely had their share of adversity to overcome. And through hard work and perseverance, you have made it, and we are here tonight to celebrate your accomplishments.

**Principal W. Michael Williams, Indian River High School**  
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From right, IRHS Principal Michael Williams, with Assistant Principals Dr. David Carter and Will Revels

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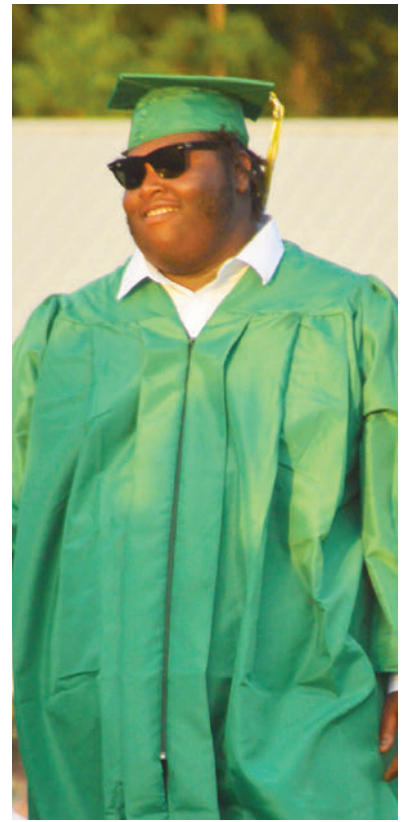
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***Mom, Dad, Rachael and Bella***

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- Citibank NAF Scholarship — River Vickers \$1,250
- FCA Foundation Scholarship — Destin Smyth \$2,500 for 4 years
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IR School District Administrative Scholarship — Abby Wilson \$300

Jim Cresson Memorial — Declan Burke \$1,000

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 United States Naval Academy — Lucas Weber full tuition  
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 Veterans of Foreign Wars Mason Dixon Post 7234 — Declan Burke (Post award) and Abby Wilson (Auxiliary award) \$1,500  
 West Chester University: Council of Trustees — Chloe Stengel \$32,000  
 WGMD Sports Booster Scholarship — Morgan McGee and River Vickers \$250  
 Women's Club of the Keenwicks — Gracie Brewster, Lauren Carter, Gina Ellis, Morgan McGee, Olivia Olley, Savannah O' Shields, Emily Selba and Abby Wilson \$1,000  
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# WELL DONE!

## WOO-HOO!

We're thrilled to be celebrating your graduation with you!






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# CONGRATULATIONS 2021 IRHS GRADUATES!

**Good luck as you head out into the world,  
and don't forget that Ocean View will always be a place you can come home to!**





# Congratulations!

## To Our Seniors



Gracie Ann Brewster  
 Daniel Clark  
 Ebony Collins  
 Lizbet Esmeralda Cruz Gonzalez  
 Flora Mae DiPasquale  
 Augustus Laird Fadden  
 Kassidy Jean Franklin  
 Madeline Harris  
 Joseph Lear  
 Hannah Jaed McIlvain-Burton

Juliet Moore  
 Maylene Paige O'Neal  
 Keyonia Elaine Lanet Purnell  
 Nariah Lynell Showell  
 Aliayah Smith  
 Destin Smyth  
 Sherlin Terrones Cruz  
 Haley Tvelia  
 Abby Wilson  
 James Jesus Ynastrilla

## Indian River High School Band Boosters






# As 18 Years Pass Before Your Eyes...Bravo To The Parents & Guardians.

Congratulations! You've had the opportunity to witness a major milestone in your child's life. Graduates are to be commended for not only completing high school, but for doing it while enduring and overcoming the

many obstacles caused by COVID-19. This has been without a doubt one of the most challenging times any of us may have witnessed. Being able to watch your child graduate and receive their diploma is one of the most

rewarding events in your lifetime. Graduates receive many accolades and positive phrase for completing this journey. I wanted to take the time to commend the students and to recognize parents for the major part they played in getting to this



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**Congratulations**  
to our 2021 Graduate, Declan Burke!



Declan is Valedictorian of the 2021 class and attending Salisbury University, majoring in Actuarial Science. He will be a member of the Men's XC/Track and Field Team.

**So Proud of You, Declan!**

Love, Mom, Dad, Keaton, McKenna,  
Grandma, Aunt Cathy, Remy & Miller

moment in their child's life. I would like you to take a minute and think about all the school-related activities you have been a part of for the past 13 years. I am lucky to have had the opportunity to have been the principal at Indian River High School when all three of our children graduated. I admit that I had my assistant principals on standby and ready to read my kids' names in case I choked up when I saw them walk up on the stage. I promise that you will see 18 years pass before your eyes in a manner of a few moments. Many parents would tell me after graduation that the end had finally arrived only to discover that within a few months it was really the beginning. You will find, as many of you already know,

that you will always see your children as kids no matter how old they are. Completing the rigors of school is challenging and demanding on the students.

I was always able to look at parents as the quiet unsung heroes who were able to provide structure, comfort and guidance during the good times and bad times. Now that I am retired, I have had the opportunity to reflect on the thousands of students I have watched walk across that stage to receive their diploma. I know that listening to the song "Pomp and Circumstance" while watching your child march on the field will bring

a sense of sadness and pride, both at the same time. In the end, remember that it was the efforts of hardworking and determined parents who made

each child successful in reaching this milestone. As for former educator, I want

to thank you for all that you have done to get your child ready to graduate and extend a heartfelt "Congratulations" to you and your family.

Mark Steele  
Former Teacher, Administrator  
and Superintendent of IRSD

**I was always able to look at parents as the quiet unsung heroes.**



# Congratulations

## Indian River High School Seniors!

There's one thing everyone should do after graduation: Join the

## Indian River High School Alumni Association!

**Congratulations to the 2021 IR Pride Scholarship winners:**

Declan Burke | Jax Cathell | Nicholas Holcomb | Colin Hudson  
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**To Our Seniors,  
From Your IR Teachers**



"Congratulations Class of 2021! As I finish my fourth year teaching at IR, you are the first class I've seen enter as freshmen and grow into young adults. I am so proud of each of you and look forward to seeing all the great things you will do. To Ian, Colin, River and Cris, it was an honor coaching you in wrestling. To my little sister, Emily, good luck at USF!"

Matt Selba – Mathematics Teacher

"Congratulations! Your perseverance is truly amazing. It has been a privilege to see the incredible young adults you have become. I wish you well as you embark of the adult phase of your life. Remember to love, laugh, serve others and always look for the good in everyone. Life is an amazing adventure – enjoy the ride."

Lisa Carter – Guidance Department

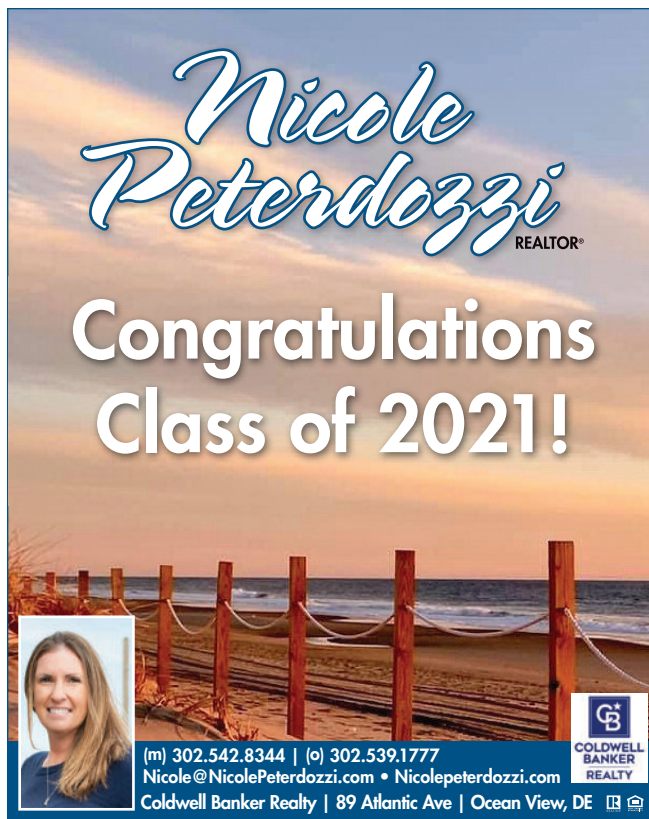
"I would like to congratulate the IR Class of 2021 for standing tall and meeting this year's challenges with grace and positivity. Many of you not only excelled in academics, but you worked hard in our athletic and music programs, and worked many hours at jobs within our community. You are a terrific group and I wish you all the best!"

Michelle Peeling – English Language Arts Teacher

"You have overcome so many challenges the last two years. I knew you were the group that could handle anything. I have enjoyed watching most of you grow since you were in 4th grade. Some I just met four years ago as meek freshman and am watching you walk across the stage as strong young adults. Congratulations, Class of 2021!"

Lee Freeman – Social Studies & Special Education Teacher


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**Jalen Holland-Holloway**  
Congratulations on  
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*Love, Nana & Poppy*

"As I have been reading through the graduation list, I can't believe it is your turn to walk across the stage. Time has passed way too quickly. I am very proud of each of you for overcoming the challenges of the last two years and working hard to earn your diplomas. Continue to persevere through life and don't stop until you're proud. I wish you all the best!"

Much love, Michele Elliott – Mathematics Teacher

"Congratulations Class of 2021! I am extremely proud of all of you! You have persevered through a very challenging year and have earned your diploma – what an awesome accomplishment!! I wish you the very best and much success with your future endeavors."

Best wishes, Stephanie Wilkinson – Counselor

"Congratulations Class of 2021! You are prepared in a way no other graduating class has known! Your future is so bright! Go for it!"

Gretchen Pikus – Social Studies Teacher

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# The educators who have seen you grow and change.

There is a quote that is attributed to the Greek philosopher Heraclitus who stated that "The only constant in the universe is change." That was my senior quote in 1983, and it is apt to dust off that old maxim for the Class of 2021.

It has been a year of firsts for everyone here at IRHS. We began the school year uncertain about which direction we would take, when we would be meeting in person, whether we would be able to engage in the activities we take for granted during a normal school year, and when things would be returning to normal — or if they would return to normal at all.

As the year progressed, we adapted, we changed and we innovated. We continued to move forward, and we found ways to begin anew most of

the traditions, experiences, and rites of passage that are so essential to completing the high school experience. We made it happen.

During that process we changed, and we grew. Now you have reached the end of this journey and are moving into the next phase of your lives. You are not the same people who started high school four years ago. You have grown, you have changed, and you have proven yourselves to be strong, capable, and versatile.

Kudos to you. The grand journey of adulthood awaits you. You are now equipped with the skills to adapt to any changes that await you in the broader world, and to any changes that you may find within yourselves. Congratulations Class of 2021!

Dr. Jeff Bunting – Business Teacher

## *Congratulations to the Class of 2021*

Graduation is a time for  
*reflection on the labors of the past,  
the accomplishments of the present,  
and the possibilities of the future.*



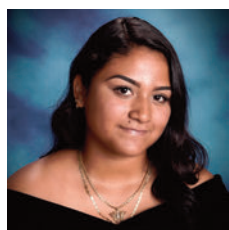
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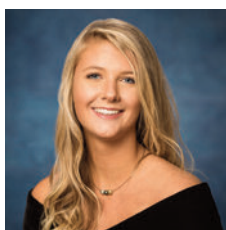
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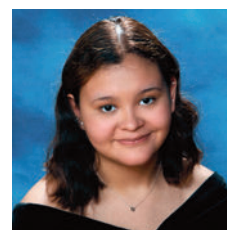
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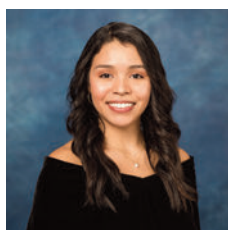
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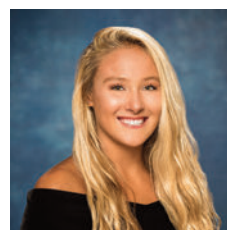
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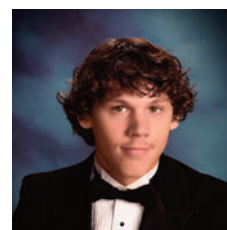
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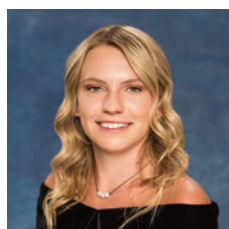
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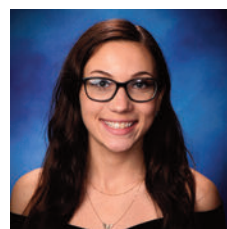
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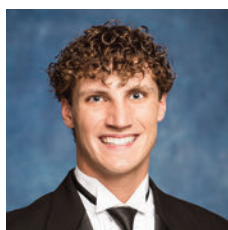
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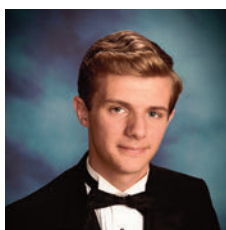
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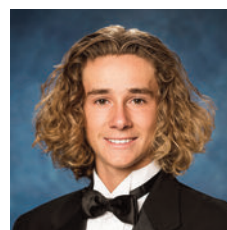
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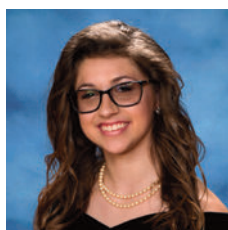
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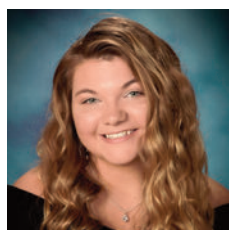
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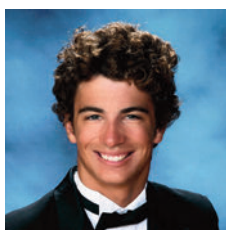
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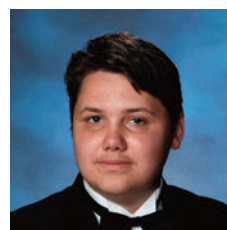
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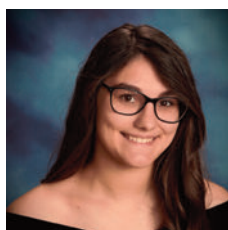
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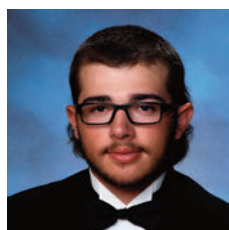
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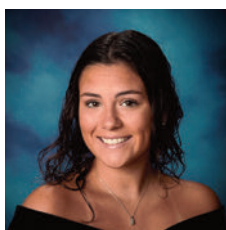
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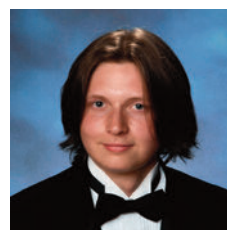
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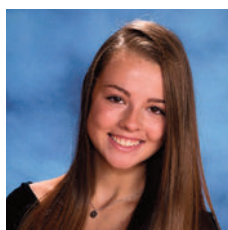
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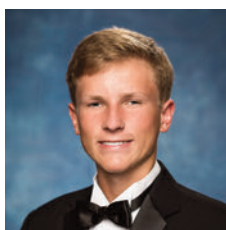
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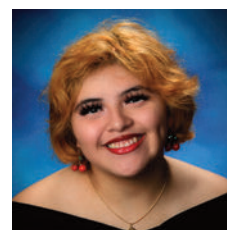
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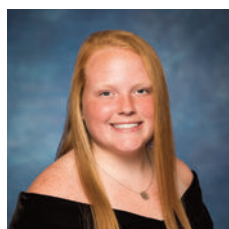
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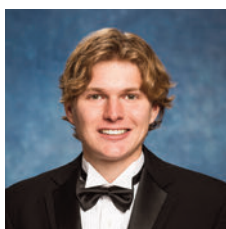
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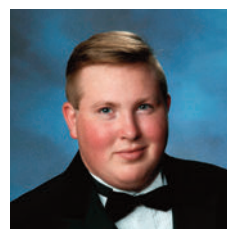
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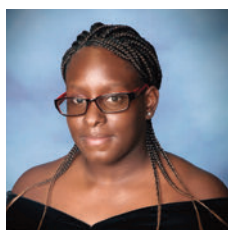
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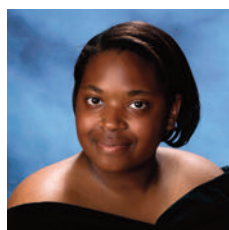
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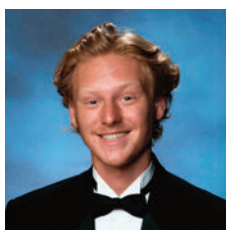
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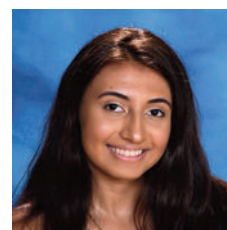
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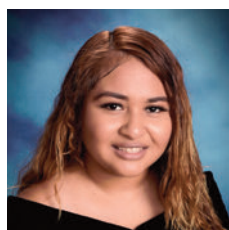
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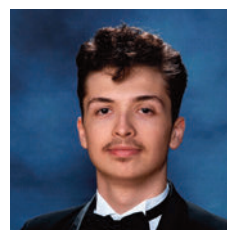
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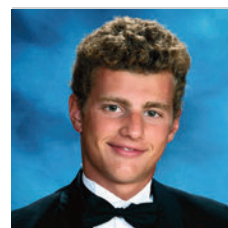
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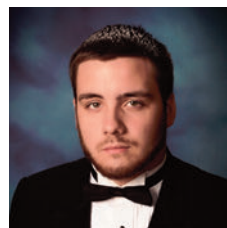
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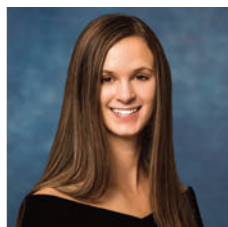
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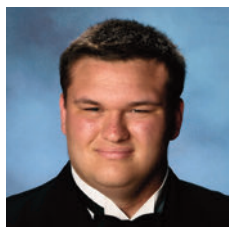
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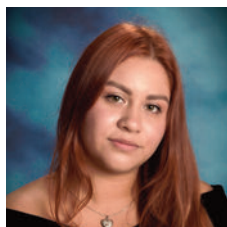
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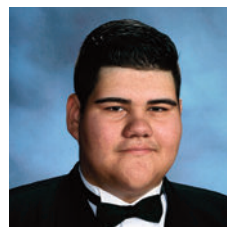
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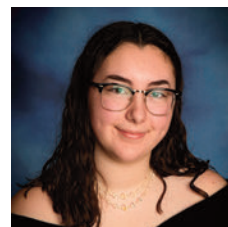
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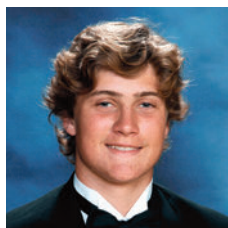
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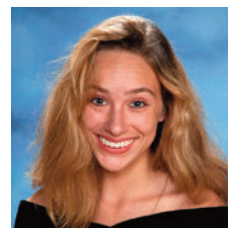
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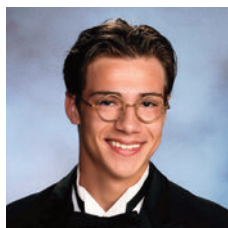
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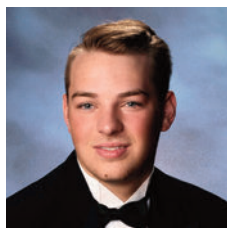
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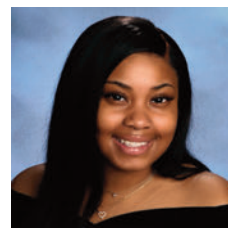
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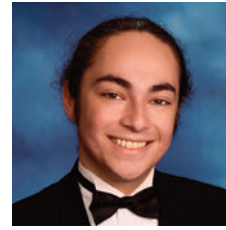
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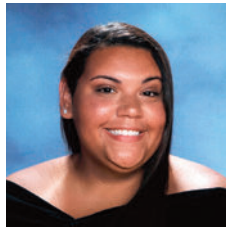
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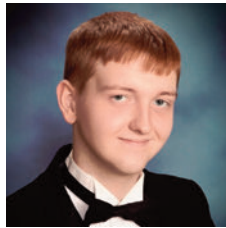
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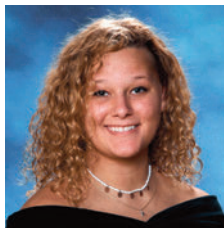
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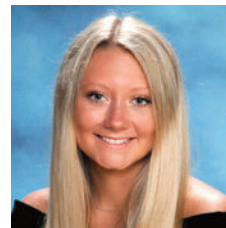
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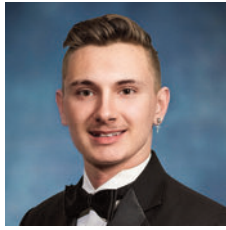


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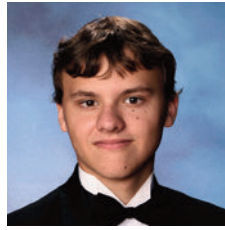
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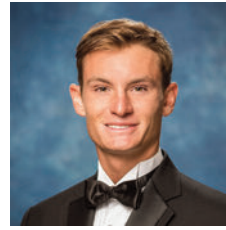
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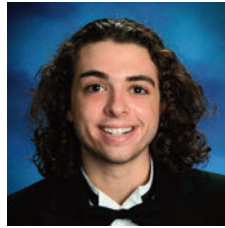
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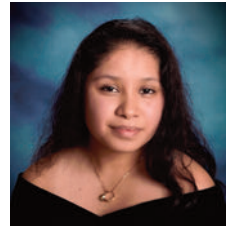
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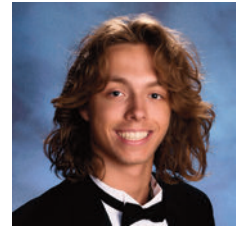
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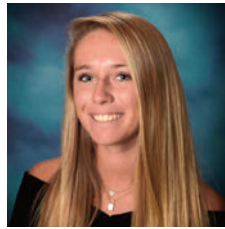
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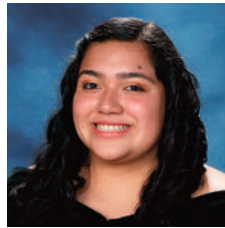
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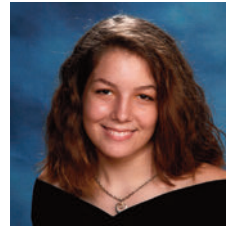
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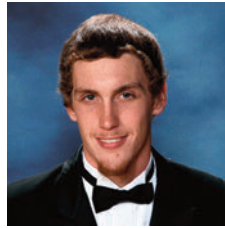
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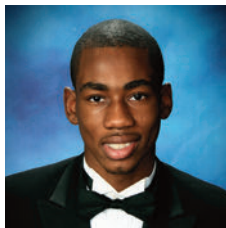
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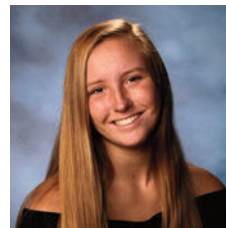
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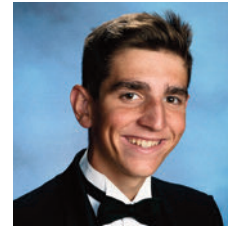
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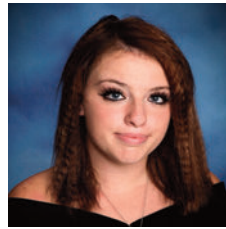
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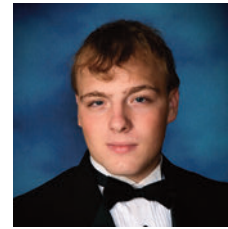
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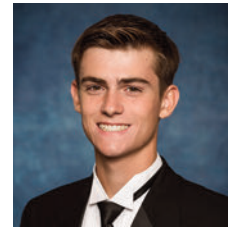
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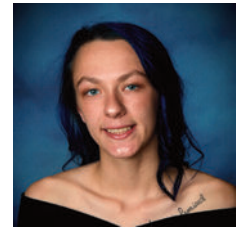
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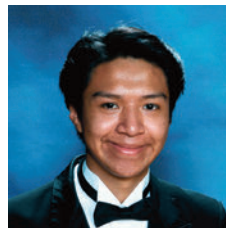
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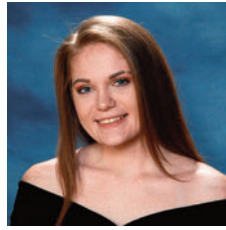
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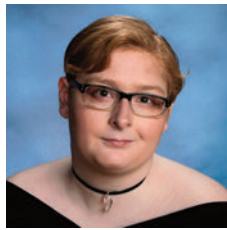
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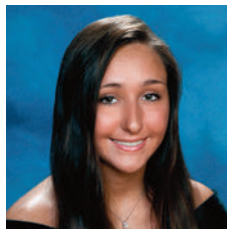
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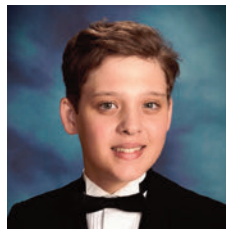
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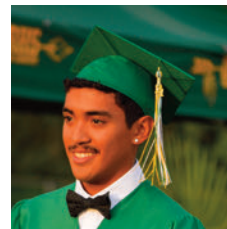
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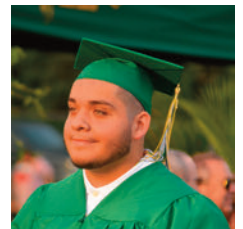
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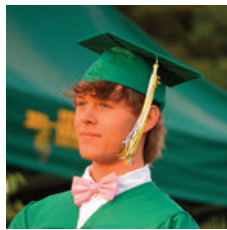
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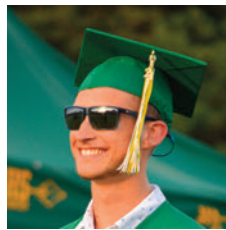
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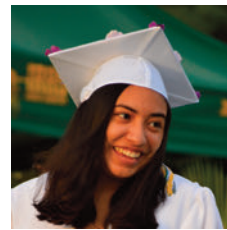
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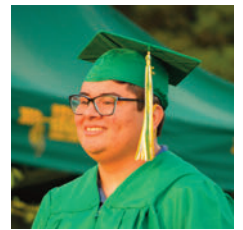
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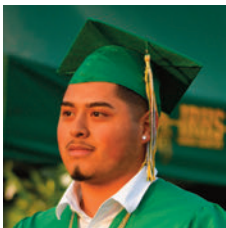
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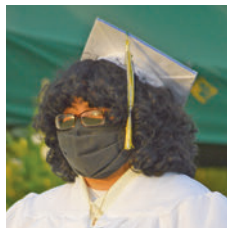
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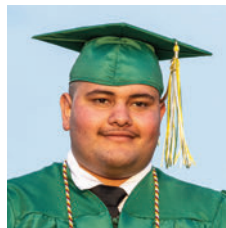
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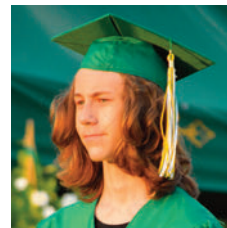
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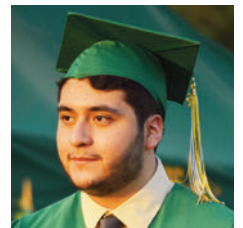
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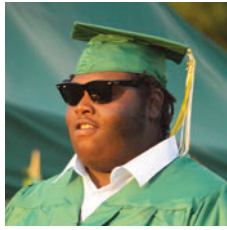


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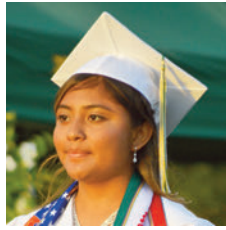
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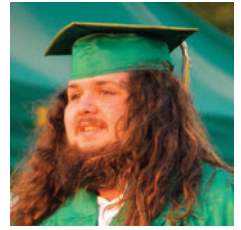
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Wendy Garcia Montano | Samantha Rojas-Elvira | Stas Urbanski-Hughes

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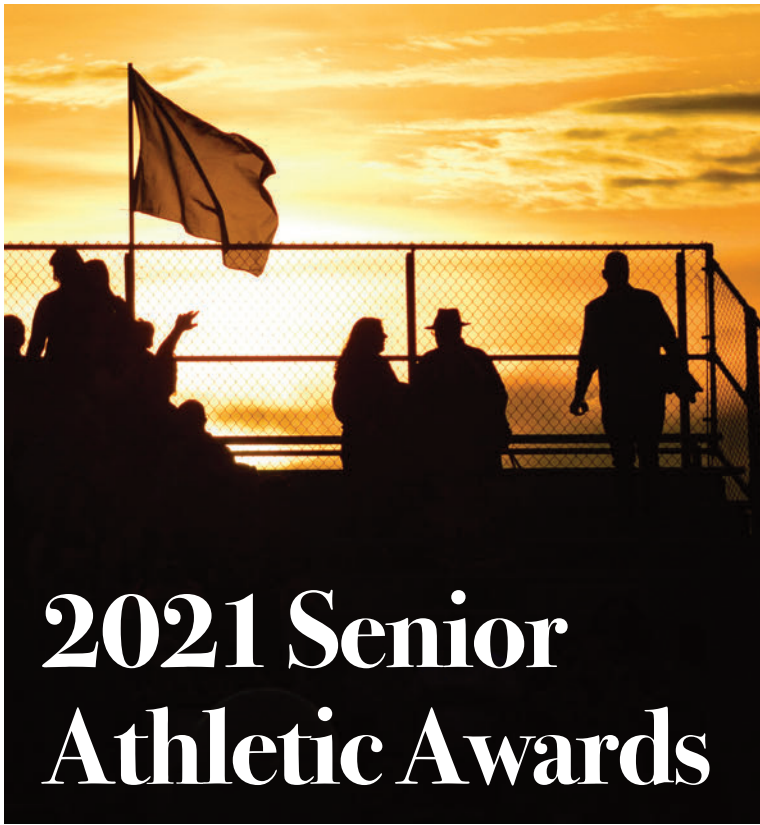


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**Emma Barthelmess** — Girls Swimming (All-Conf. First Team)  
**Isabella Binko** — Girls Soccer (All-Conf. First Team, Academic All-Conf., All-State First Team, All-State Top XI)  
**Joshua Bird** — Boys Soccer (All-Conf. First Team, Academic All-Conf.), Unified Basketball (Academic All-Conf.), Boys Tennis (Academic All-Conf.)  
**Declan Burke** — Cross Country (All-Conf. First Team, All-State Third Team, Academic All-Conf.), Boys Swimming (All-Conf. First Team, Academic All-Conf.), Track & Field (Academic All-Conf.)  
**Lauren Carter** — Girls Swimming (Academic All-Conf.)  
**Jax Cathell** — Boys Soccer (All-Conf. First Team, All-State Third Team, Academic

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**Christian Clark** — Golf (Academic All-Conf.)  
**Arturo Cruz Bonilla** — Boys Soccer (All-Conf. Second Team)  
**Anastasia Diakos** — Girls Soccer (All-Conf. First Team, All-State First Team)  
**Jackson Donnelly** — Cross Country (Academic All-Conf.), Boys Swimming (All-Conf. First Team, Academic All-Conf.), Track & Field (Academic All-Conf.)  
**Reagan Dunn** — Football

(All-Conf. Second Team Linebacker)  
**Raychel Ehlers** — Girls Volleyball (Gatorade Delaware Player of the Year, Delaware State Player of the Year, Henlopen Athletic Conf. First Team, Academic All-Conf., All-State First Team)  
**Ryan Furman** — Boys Lacrosse (All-Conf. First Team, Academic All-Conf.)  
**Alexandra Hall** — Girls Swimming (All-Conf. First Team), Girls Lacrosse (Academic All-Conf.)  
**Madeline Harris** — Girls Swimming (Academic All-Conf.), Girls Lacrosse (Academic All-Conf.)  
**Colin Hudson** — Cross Country (Academic All-Conf.), Wrestling (Academic

All-Conf.), Baseball (Academic All-Conf.)  
**Willem Lambertson** — Boys Soccer (All-Conf. First Team, Academic All-Conf., All-State First Team), Boys Basketball (All-Conf. Honorable Mention, Academic All-Conf.), Golf (All-Conf. First Team, Academic All-Conf.)  
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**Morgan McGee** — Field Hockey (All-Conf. Second Team), Girls Lacrosse (All-Conf. Honorable Mention)  
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**Micayla Meehan** — Girls Basketball (All-Conf. Honorable Mention)  
**Brandi Mitchell** — Softball (All-Conf. Honorable Mention, Academic All-Conf.)  
**Eddie Mochiam** — Boys Soccer (All-Conf. Second Team, Academic All-Conf.)  
**Savannah O'Shields** — Field Hockey (All-Conf. Honorable Mention, Academic All-Conf.), Softball (All-Conf. First Team, Academic All-Conf.)  
**Bastian Perry** — Boys Soccer (All-Conf. First Team, Academic All-Conf., All-State Third Team), Boys Lacrosse (All-Conf. Second Team, Academic All-Conf.)

**Michael Peterson** — Boys Soccer (All-Conf. Second Team),  
**Jessica Rybicki** — Field Hockey (All-Conf. Second Team)  
**Robert Senseney** — Cross Country (All-Conf. First Team), Boys Lacrosse (All-Conf. Second Team)  
**Ian Shaubach** — Wrestling (Academic All-Conf.)  
**Destin Smyth** — Boys Tennis (Academic All-Conf.)  
**Benjamin Spencer** — Cross Country (All-Conf. Honorable Mention, Academic All-Conf.), Boys Lacrosse (All-Conf. First Team)  
**Gage Spinks** — Boys Basketball (All-State Honorable Mention, All-Conf. First Team)

**Drew Szlasa** — Girls Lacrosse (All-Conf. Second Team)  
**Kyle Topper** — Boys Swimming (All-Conf. Second Team)  
**River Vickers** — Football (All-Conf. First Team Kicker, All-Conf. Second Team Punter, Academic All-Conf., DFR`C Blue-Gold Football Game), Wrestling (Academic All-Conf.), Baseball (Academic All-Conf.)  
**Victoria Von Zethoven** — Girls Lacrosse (All-Conf. First Team)  
**Lucas Weber** — Football (All-Conf. First Team Tight End), Track & Field Gold Medalist Discus  
**Nicole Woody** — Girls Volleyball (All-Conf. Honorable Mention, Academic All-Conf.), Girls Tennis (Academic All-Conf.)

(This is a comprehensive list based off of all information provided to the Coastal Point as of press time.)

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- + 2 Loving Parents
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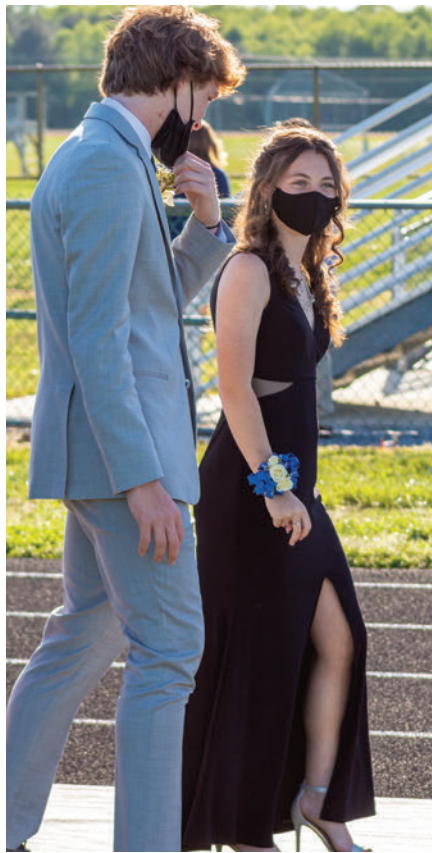
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# Thank You & Congrats to all of our Seniors in the IRHS Leo Club!

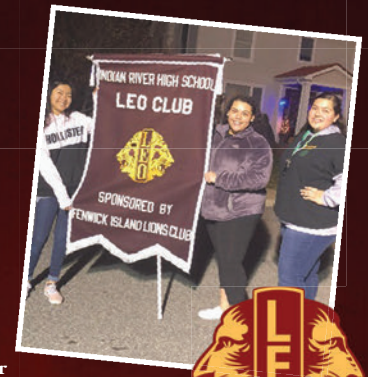
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Kyle Topper \*  
Willy Vasquez \*  
River Vickers  
Ann Weaver \*  
Abby Wilson \*  
Nicole Woody \*

\* denotes 4 year member



You have gone above and beyond these last 4 years and your presence in our school and community will be greatly missed. We would not be successful without your dedication and commitment to service. Congratulations to all 2021 seniors and we hope you continue to seek out opportunities to serve your community throughout your future endeavors!

Thank you also to the Fenwick Island Lions Club for sponsoring our Leo Club!

If you are an IRHS student and are interested in joining the Leo Club, please reach out to Abigail Givens at [abigail.givens@irsd.k12.fl.us](mailto:abigail.givens@irsd.k12.fl.us)

Please like and share our Facebook page IRHS Leo Club for updates on our members and events throughout the year!

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**2021**

— Dr. Jay F. Owens Jr.,  
Superintendent  
Indian River School District

***Kudos!***

**TO THE  
CLASS OF 2021**

Someday you'll look back and think, "Wow, I graduated at the strangest time ever"... Until then, we'll be here for you, cheering you on, looking forward to wherever life takes you next, and feeling so proud of you.

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# 2020–21 Indian River High School Athletic Year in Review

## FALL SPORTS

Team	W	L	T	Postseason
Football	3	4	0	
Boys' Cross Country	5	1	0	HAC South Division Champs, DIAA Division II Third Place
Girls' Cross Country	0	4	1	
Field Hockey	9	5	0	DIAA Division II State Berth — Second Round
Boys' Soccer	14	2	0	HAC South Division Champs, DIAA Division II State Champs
Girls' Volleyball	11	3	0	HAC South Division Champs, DIAA State Quarterfinals

## WINTER SPORTS

Team	W	L	T	Postseason
Boys' Basketball	5	11	0	DIAA State Berth — Second Round
Girls' Basketball	7	8	0	DIAA State Berth — Second Round
Boys' Swimming	3	2	0	
Girls' Swimming	3	2	0	
Unified Basketball	4	3	0	DIAA State Runner-up
Wrestling	8	3	0	

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## BEN SPENCER, INDIAN RIVER 2021 GRADUATE



Congratulations on all your amazing achievements,  
in the classroom, on the CC course and on  
the Lax Field. Your future is so bright.

Go forward and embrace it with enthusiasm.

I love you, Meme



# 2020–21 Indian River High School Athletic Year in Review

## SPRING SPORTS

Team	W	L	T	Postseason
Baseball	12	9	0	HAC Champs, DIAA State Berth — Second Round
Golf	9	4	0	
Boys' Lacrosse	11	5	0	DIAA State Berth
Girls' Lacrosse	7	8	0	
Girls' Soccer	14	3	0	HAC Champs, DIAA Division II State Semifinals
Softball	6	12	0	DIAA State Berth
Boys' Tennis	10	1	0	HAC South Division Champs
Girls' Tennis	5	6	0	
Track & Field	5	1	0	DIAA 4th Overall (Boys)
Boys' Volleyball	10	2	0	DBVCA State Semifinals

# ***Congratulations!***

## **To Our 2021 Field Hockey Seniors**

Karla Castillo | Drew Szlasa | Savannah O'Shields | Allyson Clark | Jessica Rybicki | Morgan McGee



***Best Wishes as you begin your next chapter!***

Love from your Field Hockey Family,  
Coaches-Jodi Stone, Molly Chamberlin, Pattiva Cathell,  
Krista Littleton, Allie Whitcraft, Sammi Wheelen, Players & the Field Hockey Booster Parents



# IRHS Graduation - June 2<sup>nd</sup> 2021



















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