

PROSPER BASEBALL WEEKLY UPDATE

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The JV Green Eagles also had a great week. The Eagles ran their district record to 11-2 with victories over Celina and Princeton. The JV Green made a clean sweep for the year with a 7-2 victory over Celina. To end the week, the Eagles crushed the Princeton Panthers, scoring 23 runs, in a 23-4 victory. The Eagles have a game remaining against Frisco Liberty, and will look to finish the season on a winning note.

The JV White Eagles did not play a game this week and will finish the season with a game against Frisco Liberty on Tuesday.

The regular season ends with this week, but the Varsity Eagles will be practicing all week in preparation for the playoffs. Players for the JV Green and JV White will need to begin preparations for turning in all of their issued equipment. Equipment pick up will begin on Wednesday. We ask that anything that is school issued be washed prior to being turned in. We thank you for your assistance in this matter. The schedule for the week follows below.

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Varsity: Mandatory Practice at 11:00 a.m.

JV Green and JV White: Optional practice at 10:00 a.m.

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Varsity: Home vs. Frisco Liberty 7:00 p.m. (Senior Night)

JV Green: Home vs. Frisco Liberty 4:30 p.m.

JV White: @ Frisco Liberty 4:00 p.m.

**Wednesday (April 23)-
Varsity: Practice until 5:00 p.m.**

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Varsity: Practice until 5:00 p.m.**

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Varsity: Practice until 5:00**

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Varsity: Optional Practice @ 10:00 a.m.**

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