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GIRLS WATERPOLO 2017-18 MEDIA GUIDE

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HARVARD-WESTLAKE AT A GLANCE

Harvard-Westlake School is an independent coeducational college preparatory day school, grades 7-12. It is the result of a merger between Harvard School, founded in 1900, and Westlake School for Girls, established in 1904. Coeducation began in September of 1991.

Student Profile

- 1599 students enrolled
- 727 at Middle School (Grades 7-9)
- 872 at Upper School (Grade 10-12)
- Student to Faculty Ratio: 8:1
- Average Class Size: 16

Advanced Placement Results

In 2016, 663 Harvard-Westlake students took 1,911 A.P. tests

SAT Performance (Class of 2017)

Critical Reading: 701

Math: 729

Writing: 712

National Merit Recognition

Harvard-Westlake ranks among the top high schools in the country in number of National Merit Semifinalists. In the class of 2017, there are 75 students who received National Merit Recognition, with 26 students as National Merit Semifinalists.

Finances

Operating Budget:	\$79,000,000
Endowment:	\$95,000,000
Annual Giving:	\$ 8,300,000

Financial Aid

For the 2017-18 academic year, a total of over \$11 million was committed to aid. This represented more than 14% of the school's entire operating budget. Roughly 20% of the student body, were served. Automatic coverage of many school-related expenses raised the total of an average financial aid package to \$32,500.

HARVARD-WESTLAKE ATHLETIC FACILITIES

The Copses Family Pool on Harvard-Westlake's upper school campus is a 50-meter pool, manufactured by Myrtha Pools in Mantua, Italy.

The stainless-steel pool features a surge tank underneath the pool deck to keep the water level, which reduces water resistance for swimmers. The facility also includes a pool house and bleachers.

The Copses Pool is home to Harvard-Westlake's 2013 CIF-SS Boys' Water Polo Division I Champions, who were also named Totalwaterpolo.com's #1 ranked team in the United States.



The recently renovated O'Malley Family Field in Encino, is Harvard-Westlake's state-of-the-art baseball complex, featuring professional grade turf, drainage and irrigation systems, dugouts, bullpens, clubhouse and a covered hitting facility behind the right-field fence.

The O'Malley Field is home to HW's 2013 CIF-SS Division I Baseball Champions, who were also named the 2013 *Perfect Game High School National Champions*.

The Taper Gymnasium is located on Harvard-Westlake's Upper School Campus.

Its walls, festooned with league, CIF-Southern Section, State and National Championship banners tells of the storied Wolverine athletic program.

Taper gym is home of the Wolverine Basketball and Volleyball programs.



Ted Slavin Field is located on the Upper School Campus. Built in 2003, it features an NFL-caliber Field Turf surface and a synthetic track.

It is the proud home of Wolverine Football, Soccer, Track & Field, Lacrosse, and Field Hockey.

Many of our student athletes who have graced the Ted Slavin field have gone on to professional, Olympic and collegiate success in their chosen sports.

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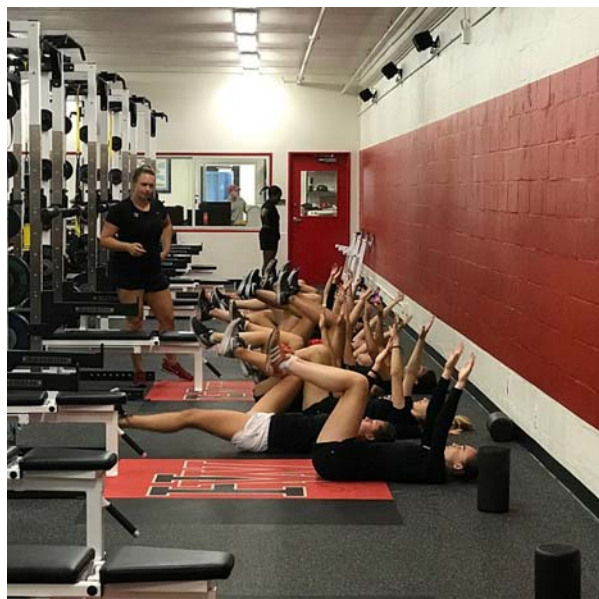
Sports Performance

It is the mission of the Sports Performance Department to encourage each student athlete to strive for excellence.

Our primary objectives are to teach the proper fundamentals of strength and conditioning, improve athletic performance, and reduce the risk of injury.

Our sport-specific training components include ground-based movements, multi-joint movements, three-dimensional movements, explosive training, progressive overload, pillar stability, flexibility and recovery, energy system development, linear speed development and lateral speed and agility development.

- *Department Chair, Jeff Crelling*



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SPORTS MEDICINE

The Harvard-Westlake School Sports Medicine Program provides injury prevention, care and treatment services to the school's student-athletes. The Sports Medicine Program strives to establish itself as a model of excellence in sports medicine care.

Our services are categorized into the following areas: injury prevention (taping, bracing, padding, orthotic construction), management of athletic injuries (first aid, evaluation, referral, contest coverage) and rehabilitation of athletic injuries. We educate student-athletes about athletic injuries so they are empowered to lead healthier, injury-free lives. We use the best technology available for the prevention and treatment of athletic injuries and upgrade equipment and supplies whenever necessary.

There are four main goals of the Sports Medicine Program:

- Provide efficient and timely care to our student-athletes.
- Encourage an atmosphere that values health and wellness.
- Enable injured student-athletes to safely return to competition as soon as possible.
- Reduce the risk of athletic injury for our student-athletes.

We work closely with the strength and conditioning program, the coaches, the athletic support staff, school administration, physicians and other healthcare providers to provide the best possible healing environment for our student-athletes.

- *Department Chair, Brian Gallagher*



HARVARD-WESTLAKE ATHLETIC HALL OF FAME

Class of 2003 David Moran ('92) Jennifer Wong ('92) Josh Minuto ('93) Jesse Stern ('93) Jim Toring ('93) Erin Winter ('93) David Brende ('94) Alexis Larsen ('94) Phil Tseng ('94) Jenni Kriste ('96) Jarron Collins ('97) Jason Collins ('97) Trevor Julian ('97)	Sport Boys' Track & Field Girls' Cross Country Wrestling Boys' Track & Field Boys' Water Polo Gymnastics Boys' Swimming Girls' Swimming Boys' Tennis Girls' Volleyball Boys' Basketball Boys' Basketball Boys' Volleyball	Class of 2004 Sarah Breech ('97) Marissa Irvin ('98) Zach Schwartz ('98)	Sport Girls' Soccer Girls' Tennis Boys' Soccer
Class of 2005 John Dewell ('80) Peter Hudnut ('99) Rebecca Rauth ('99) William Strickland ('99) Omelogo Udeze ('99)	Sport Volunteer Boys' Water Polo Girls' Track & Field Boys' Volleyball Girls' Basketball	Class of 2006 Joe Axelrad ('00) Lee Carlson Rich Corso Imani Dorsey ('00) Jeanine Jackson ('00) Russell Lakey ('00) Anna Russell ('00) Gary Thran	Sport Boys' Water Polo Coach Coach Girls' Soccer Girls' Water Polo Boys' Basketball Softball Coach
Class of 2007 Ina Kim ('01) Jon Schaeffer ('94) Karina Siam ('01) Barbara Welsh	Sport Girls' Golf Baseball Girls' Basketball Coach	Class of 2008 Elena Ferrero ('02) Karalyn Kuchenbecker ('02) Jill Oakes ('02) Courtney Schultz ('02)	Sport Softball Girls' Volleyball Girls' Soccer Girls' Volleyball
Class of 2009 Brennan Boesch ('03) Juan Delgadillo ('03) Katie DeWitt ('03) Alexandra Dunphy ('03) Gina Farias-Eisner ('03) Alexandra Fisher ('03) Jason Glushon ('03) Matthew Lachman ('03) John Ludden ('03) Joshua Satin ('03)	Sport Baseball Boys' Water Polo Girls' Track & Field Girls' Volleyball Girls' Soccer Girls' Soccer Baseball Boys' Track & Field Boys' Track & Field Baseball	Class of 2010 Lindsay Flacks ('04) Shelly Madick ('04) Bryce Taylor ('04)	Sport Track & Field Softball Basketball
Class of 2011 Jared Bell ('05) Jay Connolly ('05) Alexa Merz ('05) Kenji Porter ('05)	Sport Track & Field Boys' Water Polo Girls' Swimming Wrestling	Class of 2012 Bridget Ballard ('06) Meredith Butte ('06) Brian Flacks ('06) Jesse Quiroz Ed White ('06)	Sport Cross-Country, Soccer Swimming, Track Girls' Water Polo Boys' Water Polo Coach Boys' Basketball
Class of 2013 Cara Bickers ('07) Ryan Calvert ('07) Yosepha Greenfield ('07) John Howe ('07)	Sport Track & Field Football Basketball Football	Class of 2014 Nadia Dan ('08) Julie Fernandez ('08) Cathryn Quinn ('08) Ryan Thacher ('08) Sam Wagner ('05)	Sport Girls' Water Polo Softball Girls' Volleyball Boys' Tennis Boys' Tennis
Class of 2015 Jim Brink Alex Holmes ('00) Jonathan Martin ('08) Jim O'Connor	Sport Coach Football, Basketball Football Coach	Class of 2016 Haley Boyson ('10) Sydney Haydel ('10) Nicole Hung ('10) Nicole Nesbit ('10) Meg Norton ('10) Nick Treur ('10)	Sport Girls' Soccer Girls' Basketball Girls' Basketball Girls' Basketball Girls' Volleyball Wrestling
Class of 2017 Ashley Grossman ('11) Zaakirah Daniels ('10) Anna Farias-Eisner ('05) Lauren Hansson ('11)	Water Polo Track and Field Track and Field Track and Field		

HEAD OF HARVARD-WESTLAKE GIRLS' WATER POLO PROGRAM



EMILY GREENWOOD
HEAD OF PROGRAM
GIRLS' WATER POLO

"I am so excited to be named the Girls' Water Polo Head Coach at Harvard-Westlake, I loved the experience of working with the girls as an assistant coach and am ready to lead the program. I want to increase the number of girls in the program and achieve a consistent level of excellence for Wolverine girls water polo."

- Emily Greenwood

Emily Greenwood is Harvard-Westlake's Program Head for girls' water polo. In this role she oversees the Wolverine teams for the middle and high school.

Greenwood graduated from UCLA with a BA in history and is currently pursuing an M.Ed. and a multi-subject teaching credential.

As a UCLA women's water polo player, Greenwood experienced two third place finishes in the NCAA tournament and in 2012 was named an All-American, made the NCAA All-Tournament team and led the Bruins in earned ejections and penalties.

Upon graduation from UCLA, Emily played water polo professionally in Italy for three years before returning to the US to begin her coaching career.

The Wolverines are focused on building on their success, and continuing to be a perennial water polo power in the Mission League and in the CIF Southern Section.





MISSION LEAGUE

CIF SOUTHERN SECTION DIVISION 3



2017-18 HARVARD-WESTLAKE VARSITY GIRLS' WATER POLO SCHEDULE

DATE	TIME	OPPONENT/LOCATION
12/1/2017	02:30 PM	@ Fountain Valley in Claremont Tournament
12/1/2017	04:10 PM	@ Fullerton in Claremont Tournament
12/2/2017	11:00 AM	@ La Quinta in Claremont Tournament
12/2/2017	09:00 AM	@ Palos Verdes in Claremont Tournament
1/4/2018	04:30 PM	@ St. Lucy's HS
1/5/2018	12:00 AM	@ Arroyo Grande Tournament
1/6/2018	12:00 AM	@ Arroyo Grande Tournament
1/9/2018	04:00 PM	vs Claremont HS
1/11/2018	12:00 AM	vs Alemany HS
1/15/2018	11:00 AM	@ Peninsula HS
1/16/2018	04:00 PM	vs Louisville HS
1/18/2018	04:00 PM	vs Marymount HS
1/23/2018	04:00 PM	@ Marlborough HS
1/25/2018	04:00 PM	vs Flintridge Sacred Heart HS
1/26/2018	12:00 AM	@ Bonita Tournament
1/27/2018	12:00 AM	@ Bonita Tournament
1/30/2018	04:00 PM	@ Notre Dame HS
2/1/2018	12:00 AM	@ Irvine Tournament
2/2/2018	12:00 AM	@ Irvine Tournament
2/3/2018	12:00 AM	@ Irvine Tournament



2017-18 HARVARD-WESTLAKE VARSITY GIRLS' WATER POLO ROSTER

CAP #	NAME	GRADE
1	Emily Hilliard	11
2	Adeline Jackson	9
3	Abby Wiesenthal	10
4	Pria Pant	12
6	Taylor LaCour	11
7	Juliette O'Brien	9
8	Alex Button	9
9	Meera Burghardt	10
11	Namlhun Jachung	10
17	Sonya Ribner	11

HEAD COACH: EMILY GREENWOOD

ASSISTANT COACHES: MATT KUBECK, PETER SCHIAVELLI, BRIAN FLACKS (AQUATICS DIRECTOR)



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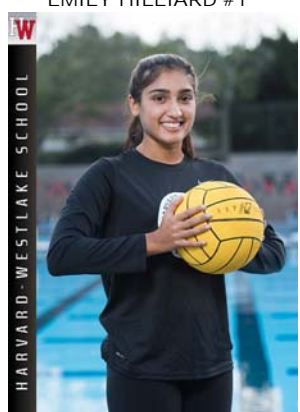
EMILY HILLIARD #1



ADELINE JACKSON #2



ABBY WIESENTHAL #3



PRIYA PANT #4



TAYLOR LACOUR #6



JULIETTE O'BRIEN #7



ALEX BUTTON #8



MEERA BURGHARDT #9



NAMLHUN JACHUNG #11



SONYA RIBNER #17

Wolverines

GIRLS' WATER POLO COACHING STAFF 2017-18



EMILY GREENWOOD - HEAD OF PROGRAM



MATT LUBECK
ASSISTANT COACH



PETER SCHIAVELLI
ASSISTANT COACH



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AQUATICS DIRECTOR

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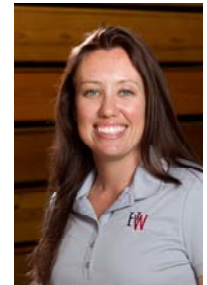
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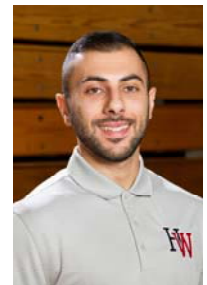
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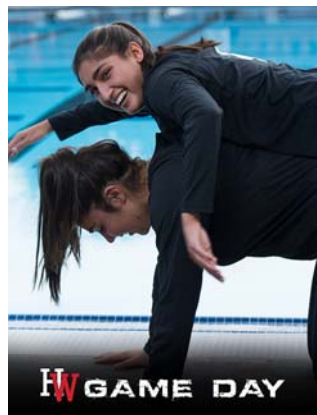
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