

## Prep Roundup

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# Irving, Witt Named Top Players In Shenandoah

Wilson Memorial junior Finn Irving was named the Shenandoah District's boys basketball Player of the Year while Staunton's Emma Witt was honored for the girls.

Irving was a first-team selection along with teammate Josh Johnson, Buffalo Gap's Bennett Bowers and Micah Canterbury, Fort Defiance's Tyreek Veney, Riverheads' Ryan Farris, Staunton's Manny Chapman and Stuarts Draft's Chase Schages.

The boys second team consisted of Wilson's Ethan Briseno and Lucas Schatz, Staunton's Prodigy Simms and Maaliah Cabell, Fort's Henry Gutshall, Buffalo Gap's Jackson Ingram, Stuarts Draft's Devin Brydger and Riverheads' Levi Byer. Bison coach Chad Ward was named the district's Coach of the Year this season.



Witt was the top girls player and joined on the first team by Fort Defiance's Kiersten "Kirby" Ransome and Trinity Hedrick, Wilson's Brooke Cason and CC Robinson, Riverheads' Mackenzie Sacra, Gap's Bailey Talley and Draft's Leah Wood.

The second team feature Fort's Lilian Berry and Ellie Cook, Wilson's Laci Norman and Reagan Frazier, Staunton's Kellsye Miller and Sam Swift, Gap's Avery Bradley and Riverheads' Anna Shirley. FDHS coach Mike Gale is the girls Coach of the Year.