



Raiders outlast Storm for first win, lax wins big

It wasn't pretty but it was exciting just the same on Thursday when the Red Raider baseball team broke into the victory column with a 9-8 win at Central Square. Taking advantage of four Red Storm errors while slapping out 13 hits, Fulton evened its count at 1-1 on the season in a sea-saw affair that saw each side rally from early deficits.

A pair of four run innings paved the way as the Raiders erased an early 2-0 disadvantage with four runs in the top of the second inning and then broke open a 5-5 standoff with four more in the fifth.

The Red Storm battled back with one run in the fifth and two more in the sixth before Cameron Clark closed the door by recording the final five outs to earn the save as Nolan Bonnie picked up the win in relief of starter Mike Bolster. The trio survived eight walks, three errors and an 11 hit Central Square attack paced by David Heath's double, home run and two RBI showing.

Cody Green spearheaded the Fulton offen-

sive with a perfect four for four day highlighted by a double and home run. Green also scored twice while Malcolm Wattering collected three hits and crossed the plate three times for the Raiders.

Mike Bolster, Matt Kitts and Cole Cotton contributed two hits apiece with Bolster driving in a pair of runs while Cotton scored twice and added an RBI. The Raiders will be back in action tonight at 8 pm when they take on Mexico at Onondaga Community College.

Girls go 5-0 in rout

It wasn't even close in girls lacrosse as the Raiders overwhelmed Whitesboro 21-3 on Thursday. A 14-1 first half blitz carried the girls to 5-0 on the season heading into Saturday's showdown with unbeaten Jamesville-Dewitt, a 17-5 winner at Chittenango. Hailey Carroll led the barrage with five goals and three assists while Mallori Kitts scored four times with three helpers and Keara Patterson added two goals

and five assists. McKenna Chesbro notched four goals and two assists and Jordan Coulon scored twice with an assist on an afternoon when nine different Raiders found the back of the Warrior cage.

Jasmine Jones, Jasmine James, Lexi Patterson and Eliza Runeare added solo markers against a beleaguered Emily Marsh between the Whitesboro pipes as she faced 35 shots on the day. Alex Kocpca led the Warriors with a goal and an assist.

The Raiders will face their toughest test of the season on Saturday morning when Jamesville-Dewitt comes to Fulton for a 12:30 pm start. The Red Rams are currently 4-0 on the season and have outscored the opposition 71-22



It was all Raiders in the distance events on Wednesday when Fulton ran past Fowler for its first win of the season in both the boys and girls competitions. (submitted photo)



Erica Pawlewicz, left, hands the baton to Marissa LiVoti for the final leg of the winning 4 x 800 relay on Wednesday. The Raiders are back in action today at Phoenix. (submitted photo)

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Opinion

Trump: It's not a matter of opinion any more

By Zachary Almeter

Many people (including myself) have already suspected Donald Trump of being a dictator. He just removed all doubt of that.

I just heard on ABC World News that certain political figures who endorse Trump are making death threats to registered Republicans who would rather vote for Ted Cruz or John Kasich.

One such threat was worded something like this: "Take a gun, put it in your mouth, and pull the trigger. If you don't do that in two minutes, I'm sending someone to your house to help you." Many of these threats have been over-personalized, making reference to certain people and their families. Trump's delegates are (of course) unavailable for comment.

This is exactly how Adolf Hitler rose to power in Nazi Germany. It is the very definition of dictatorship. Some people might have a different definition of that word, but this is mine. No presidential hopeful has ever dared to do something like this before because they knew better, and I am tremendously surprised that he has been



able to get away with this scheme for even half a minute.

Now that Trump has revealed his true nature and intentions to the American people, he cannot win the presidency. He must not win. The only problem is, if he is going to kill everyone who does not vote for him, I do not see how he can lose.

It was no less a mind than John Quincy Adams who said, "There never was a democracy yet that did not commit suicide." I hate to say it, but he just might be right.

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RaiderNet Daily

What's happening at G. Ray Bodley High School?

The next meeting of the **Fultonian Yearbook** is Monday after school in room 102.

The last **Spanish Club** meeting of the year will be held on Tuesday, April 19 after school in room 128. Come join Spanish Club for an afternoon of food, fun and festivities.

Senior Dinner Dance tickets are now available for \$45 apiece. See Mr. McCarten in room 222 for details and to purchase tickets. Don't wait too long, the big day is rapidly approaching.

What's for lunch?

Today: Mac & cheese with side salad, baked beans and applesauce

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Potter fans rejoice at news of new movie

Often enough, when a series is fantastic but unfortunately has come to an end, prequels begin popping up. This can be seen in the Star Wars series, as well as with *The Hobbit* for *The Lord of the Rings* trilogy. Harry Potter is no exception, with the prequel *Fantastic Beasts and Where to Find Them* coming out in theaters on November 18th of this year.

I cannot speak for everyone, but this gives me butterflies and fills me with ridiculous amounts of childish joy. Practically every break or long weekend I can be found watching or reading the Harry Potter series, so it can be certain that I will be seeing this movie the very day it comes out. The trailer has just been released and it shows quite a bit of promise for a good turn out.



Fantastic Beasts and

Where to Find Them follows the character Newt Scamander, played by Eddie Redmayne (a personal favorite), through his journey as a magizoologist, tracking down magical creatures. The movie is set in New York in 1926 and will hopefully prove to show the adult side of the wizard world. Personally, I will be jumping up and down in my seat until I am able to see this “fingers-crossed” extravagant prequel.

By Cassidy Bowering

Some promising new movies this weekend



This weekend is a great time to check out some new movies, including *The Jungle Book* and *The Boss*.

Disney’s classic film *The Jungle Book* comes roaring back to life in this live-action remake. It is directed by Jon Favreau and stars Neel Sethi as Mowgli, Ben Kingsley as Bagheera, Bill Murray as Baloo, Scarlett

Johansson as Kaa, Idris Elba as Shere Khan, and Lupita Nyong’o as Raksha (the wolf who raises Mowgli).

The Boss stars Melissa McCarthy as an industry titan who is sent to jail for insider trading. After she finishes her sentence, she tries to create a new life for herself, only to find that doing so may be harder than she anticipated. This movie is rated R and supposedly just beat out *Batman vs. Superman: Dawn of Justice* at the box office.

This week in Red Raider sports

Today: V softball vs. Auburn @ OCC (8 pm); V baseball vs. Mexico @ OCC (8 pm); Tennis @ ES-M (4:30); JV baseball vs. Mexico (4:30); Track @ Phoenix (4:30)

Sat. April 16: JV softball vs. Auburn (11 am); Girls lax vs. J-D (JV-11/V-12:30); JV baseball @ Chit-tenango (11 am); V baseball vs. Chittenango @ Auburn Falcon Park (3 pm)



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Clear skies

37°

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Tomorrow:

Sunny skies

64°/40°

Average: 58°/37°
Rec. high/low: 90°
(2012) 23° (1943)

Sunday:

Sunny skies

70°/45°

Average: 58°/37°
Rec. high/low: 89°
(2002) 22° (1908)

By Carson Metcalf



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