



# Best of the Preps™

# BOYS SOCCER

## FINALISTS



**Devin Malone**  
*Bartlett senior*

One of the area's top goal-scoring talents, Malone was a key contributor as the Panthers won district and region championships before losing to Collierville in a AAA sectional game. He scored 17 goals and assisted on eight others to earn repeat all-metro mention on a team that finished 13-5-5.



**Dalton Marin**  
*Collierville senior*

The heart and soul of Collierville's defense, Marin started all four seasons at several different positions along the back line before captaining the team as a holding midfielder in 2016. The Dragons went to two AAA tournaments with Marin on the roster, losing in the quarterfinals this past spring to end the year 15-5-3.



**Peyton McKnatt**  
*Houston senior*

Last year's BOP player of the year, McKnatt led the Mustangs to another fine season as they reached the semifinals of the AAA state tournament. Despite missing seven games through injury, the four-year starter scored a team high 16 goals while assisting on eight others to earn all-metro mention for the third year in a row.



**Ben Shepherd**  
*Houston sophomore*

Shepherd made all-metro as a freshman in 2015 and continued his upward climb this spring. He scored 15 goals and added nine assists as Houston reached the AAA state semifinals before falling to Ravenwood.



**Michael Waggoner**  
*CBHS senior*

Michael Waggoner, CBHS, senior: Waggoner was the Brothers' last line of defense, helping the team to a 12-4-2 record while conceding a goal or less in 14 of the 18 games. But he was at his best in the state-title game win over Montgomery Bell Academy, stopping five penalties in the shootout to lead the Brothers to their second title in three years.

## All-Metro Teams

### DIVISION 1

Leonardo Aldaco, Kingsbury, senior; Jackson Bentley, Collierville, senior; Enrique Bermudez, Overton, senior; Micah Breckenridge, White Station, sophomore; Kris Brucker, Collierville, senior; Andre Bucks, Arlington, sophomore; Robbie Dee, Houston, senior; Nic DiMauro, Bartlett, freshman; Ethan Dupree, Millington, senior; Ian Evans, White Station, junior; Morgan Furr, Germantown, junior; Jordan Gamedah, Arlington, senior; Logan Gardner, Arlington, senior; Padric Gilley, Houston, junior; Kevin Hale, Collierville, junior; Cody Hardy, Germantown, senior; Aaron Henry, Bartlett, senior; Eric Izeguire, Germantown, sophomore; Rex Jester, Houston, senior; Tim Jikong, Cordova, senior; Jon Lopez, Cordova, junior; Selvin Lopez, Cordova, senior; Devin Malone, Bartlett, senior; Dalton Marin, Collierville, senior; Franklin Martinez, Covington, sophomore; Peyton McKnatt, Houston, senior; Josh Moss, Houston, senior; Justin Motroni, Collierville, junior; Sebastian Musicante, Houston, senior; Richard Navarro, Kingsbury, senior; Justin Raines, Bartlett, senior; Jose Rangel, Kingsbury, senior; Collin Scott, Houston, junior; Ben Shepherd, Houston, sophomore; Juan Torres, White Station, junior; Connor Young, Houston, senior; Luis Zelaya, Cordova, senior.

### PRIVATE SCHOOLS

Beck Barrett, CBHS, senior; Colby Bradshaw, CBHS, senior; Gregory Brannick, Lausanne, sophomore; Nick Buoni, CBHS, senior; Cole Cannon, CBHS, junior; Kortney Cardin, Harding, senior; Gabriel Castro, Lausanne, junior; Cole Creasy, Tipton-Rosemark, junior; Matthew Davidoff, MUS, senior; Conner Deck, ECS, junior; Matthew Enders, Northpoint, freshman; Tom Fowlkes, MUS, senior; Bruno Garcia, Lausanne, junior; Matthew Hunt, ECS, junior; Ryan Kolznak, Harding, sophomore; Peter Linn, ECS, senior; Thomas Locastro, Lausanne, junior; Ben Lomo, ECS, junior; Stephen Oliver, ECS, senior; Carson Schelp, St. George's, senior; Parker Shikle, Harding, junior; Walter Soefker, CBHS, sophomore; LATH Spadafora, St. Parker's, sophomore; Jacob Suppiah, MUS, junior; Michael Swift, MUS, senior; Nick VanDeven, St. Benedict, junior; Michael Waggoner, CBHS, senior; Brady Ward, FACS, senior.

## Coach of the Year, Nick Glaser, CBHS

In his second year as coach, Glaser continued the Brothers' winning tradition as they won the D2-AA state championship over Montgomery Bell Academy in a penalty shootout. It's the 10th state title for CBHS, more than any other program in the state.

## Best of the Preps Spring schedule

**Sunday**, baseball and softball • **Today**, boys soccer • **Tuesday**, tennis  
• **Wednesday**, track & field • **Thursday**, lacrosse

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**The Best of the Preps awards ceremony will be held at 7 p.m. Friday, June 5, at The Duncan-Williams Performance Hall at Germantown Performing Arts Center**

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