

WISCONSIN VALLEY CONFERENCE STUDENT-ATHLETE SPOTLIGHT

Student Name: Jaydan Garrett
SCHOOL: Wausau East High School
GRADE: 12th



WVC SPORT(S): Basketball

FAVORITE CLASS: Composition

BEST ADVICE RECEIVED FROM A COACH: Don't let another person dictate your future. Strive to make your own path and don't let someone else stop you from doing that.

FAVORITE PLACE TO COMPETE AT IN THE WISCONSIN VALLEY CONFERENCE AND WHY? Wausau East high school. The atmosphere is amazing with a lot of people in attendance, we have a great student section, and there is always a good game going on there.



WHAT IS YOUR FAVORITE HIGH SCHOOL SPORTS MEMORY: Winning a regional final last year at home and having fun with the team afterwards. That was the first time I won a plaque in my high school career and I was able to cut down a piece of the net after the game. One of the best moments of my life.

WHAT TWO CHARACTERISTICS MAKE YOU A GOOD TEAMMATE OR LEADER: My voice on the court and trying to uplift my team even in negative moments is what makes me a good leader. Now that it's my senior year I do a lot more to be a positive person in those negative moments in the games where the team needs someone on the court to lead them to better situations.

COLLEGE OR POST HIGH SCHOOL PLANS: I will attend Northland College to play college basketball there as well as get a degree in business and finance to maintain a real estate opportunity

WHAT IS YOUR FAVORITE QUOTE:
"Your only competition is you" - Kevin Hart

BEST ADVICE YOU WERE GIVEN AS AN INCOMING FRESHMAN: Don't be afraid of being in the moment. Embrace that you were chosen for this specific moment and strive to be the best you can in whatever you do. Remember to have fun in whatever you do because your high school career goes by fast.

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COACHES NOMINATING THOUGHTS:

Jaydan has been a great example of character and determination. His leadership has been a huge part of our program's success the last few years. He has worked in the community helping at basketball and football camps, helping feed needy families and helping the elderly. Jaydan always puts his teammates before himself and we can always count on him to be dependable and work hard.