## **HIGH SCHOOL**

## Baseball, softball, lacrosse players in Champion Chevrolet Athletes of the Week. Vote now!



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These are the March 11-17 nominees for Champion Chevrolet RGJ High School Athlete of the Week, which recognizes top performances among Northern Nevada's high school athletes. Send the names and stats for any outstanding performance by a Northern

Nevada high school athlete for consideration for Champion Chevrolet RGJ High School Athletes of the Week list to sports@rgj.com, and cast your vote for the top weekly performance in the poll below. Voting will remain open through 11:59 p.m. on Thursday, March 21.

**Jaxen McAdara, junior, McQueen:** McAdara was 3-for-3 with three RBIs, a home run and two runs scored in the Lancers' 13-1 win over Damonte Ranch in baseball on March 12.

**Zach Dinubilo**, **senior**, **Spanish Springs**: Dinubilo pitched six innings and allowed one hit with no runs while striking out eight in the Cougars' 1-0 win over Reno in baseball on March 14. Dinubilo has committed to play baseball at Clark College in Washington.

**Nico Leonard, junior, Reed:** Leonard was 2-for-3 and drove in three runs in the Raiders' 11-6 win over Bishop Manogue in baseball on March 12.

**Drew Fairman, junior, Galena:** Fairman was 3-for-4 with two RBIs in the Grizzlies' 10-2 win over Damonte Ranch in baseball on March 14. He was 2-for-4 with an RBI in the Grizzlies' 8-5 win over Spanish Springs on March 12. He had three RBIs in a 12-6 win over Damonte on March 16.

**Wade Huntsman, sophomore, Bishop Manogue:** Huntsman pitched seven innings, allowed two hits and struck out 11 in the Miners' 2-0 win over McQueen in baseball on March 16.

Hannah Fitzpatrick, sophomore, Spanish Springs: Fitzpatrick was 4-for-4 with seven RBIs in the Cougars' 17-2 win over McQueen on softball on Saturday.

**Thomas Young, senior, Douglas:** Young was 3-for-3 with four RBIs in the Tigers' 15-11 win over Fallon in baseball on March 14.

**Mack Edwards, senior, Reno:** Edwards was 3-for-4 with five RBIs and two ruins scored in the Huskies' 8-1 win over Spanish Springs in baseball on March 16.

**Talia Tretton, senior, Douglas:** Tretton allowed two hits and drove in two runs in the Tigers' 11-1 win over Reed in softball on March 13. She struck out 10 and allowed two hits

in an 11-1 win over Bishop Manogue on March 16 and went 2-for-3 at the plate.

**Kaylee Sanchez, sophomore, Bishop Manogue:** Sanchez went 2-for-4 with four RBIs at the plate and struck out eight in five innings in the Miners' 12-2 win over Carson in softball on March 14.

**Bella Reyes, senior, Carson:** Reyes drove in three runs in the Senators' 14-13 win over Franklin in softball on March 15.

Jocelyn Pimentel, sophomore, Fernley: Pimental was 3-for-3 with four RBIs, a

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against North Valleys and South Tahoe last week. She hit two home runs to break the Nevada Class 3A career home run record. She also had a fielding percentage of 1.000 along with six strikeouts.

**Pierce Dahl, senior, Spanish Springs:** In the first three games this season, Dahl has led Spanish Springs to a 3-0 record while amassing 19 points, (13 goals and six assists). Dahl has played on the Cougars' boys varsity lacrosse team for four seasons and will play in college at Westminster in Utah in the fall. He was voted as a 2023 Academic All-American by the coaches in the High Sierra Lacrosse league. He has a 4.68 GPA.

**Ava Wulforst, senior, Galena:** Wulforst was instrumental in an 11-7 win over Truckee in girls lacrosse on March 12. She had five goals, two assists, five ground balls and three draw controls. She will attend UMass-Lowell on an athletic scholarship. Wulforst was also a three-year varsity basketball player for Galena.