

DONT GIVE UP THE SHIP FROM THE SIDELINES

The Official Game Review of the 2017 Hudson Explorer Lacrosse Team

April 25, 2017	1 st	2 nd	3 rd	4 th	OT	Final
St. Ignatius Wildcats (6-3)	0	1	2	1	-	4
Hudson Explorers (9-3)	1	2	3	2	-	8

JUNIOR VARSITY NOTES

The Junior Varsity team suffered their first loss of the season on Tuesday afternoon by losing to St. Ignatius 11-5. Hudson will attempt to get back on the winning train on Friday versus a tough team from Olentangy High School. The JV record is now 10-1.

VARSITY NOTES

Overall	What a difference a few days makes! In a total team game, Hudson controlled the tempo from the opening whistle and took the 8-4 win in the battle of the Northeast Ohio giants. Hudson will host Olentangy on Friday night.
Offense	Blake Lori stepped up his game! He found the back of the net 4 times on some serious hot shooting. Brady Ludewig dodged to the cage with reckless abandon and scored 2 goals. Merrick Widdoes smoked a hard shot past the Ignatius goalie on an EMO, and Pat Burdett sealed the game with an EMO late. Although not a huge offensive day, Hudson got the goals when needed and had a season low 8 turnovers.
Defense	The Explorer defense was all over the field. Enrique Rodriguez and Danny Saxon used their speed to cover and tear apart their match-ups. Max Kleiman had a stellar game as well. Midfielder Will Orazen made several one on one stops. Angelo Donatelli and Matt Rudy also came up with big plays. Sean Weigel subbed in and supported with a ground ball. Stroud Corr had 6 saves.
Special Teams	The special teams on MDD and EMO were very good. The face-off battle was going to be tough, but the groups gave up zero fast breaks to the best FOGO in the state.
Game Balls	Blake Lori, Enrique Rodriguez, Danny Saxon, & Will Orazen

GAME SCORING & SAVES

Hudson goals	Lori 4, Ludewig 2, Widdoes, Burdett
Hudson assists	Cole 2
Hudson saves	Corr 6

Opponent goals	Kurtz, Maruna, Kinzel, Katigbak
Opponent assists	Boehm 2, Conry
Opponent saves	Blossey 9

STATISTICS	Hudson	Opponent
Goals	8	4
Assists	2	3
Shots	27	28
Ground balls	29	25
Turnovers	8	10
Face-offs	4 of 16 (25%)	12 of 16 (75%)
Clearing	17 of 18 (94%)	11 of 13 (85%)
Extra Man Offense	2 of 4 (50%)	0 of 5 (0%)
Penalties / Minutes	5 for 4:00	6 for 5:30
Saves	6	9



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