

# Celts take on Sprague in league-opening dual meet



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 TOP: Rigoberto Hernandez gets his hand raised after winning an 11-5 decision over Braden Buntjer in the 120-pound bout. Hernandez was one of only two McNary wrestlers to get a victory on the night. BOTTOM: Gilbert Parra (blue singlet) tries to get out of the grasp of Sprague's Brock McMullen in the 145-pound match. Sprague won the dual by a score of 63-9.

# ATHLETE *of the Week*



**ZACH KILBY**  
 Freshman at McNary High School  
 Varsity Boys Swimming



In his first varsity dual meet, McNary freshman Zach Kilby was the Celtics' top performer. Kilby was victorious in the 50-yard freestyle with a time of 24.56 seconds. He also won the 100-free with a time of 56.20 seconds — finishing more than four seconds ahead of the next closest finisher.

Additionally, Kilby helped the 200-medley relay team and the 200-free relay team pick up wins on the night.

# Barker signs with Montana



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 McNary senior Erik Barker signed his letter of intent to continue his education and athletic career at Montana University in a ceremony on Thursday, Dec. 19. Barker was a three-year starter for the Celtics at quarterback and was named to the Mountain Valley Conference first team. While Barker excelled as a signal-caller in high school, he plans to play tight end in college.



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