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EDUCATION

North Allegheny High School

GPA: 4.53/5.0 ACT: 36/36/36 PSAT: 1520/1520

STEM COURSEWORK: AP CALC BC, AP STATISTICS, AP PHYSICS 1, AP PHYSICS 2, AP COMPUTER SCIENCE PRINCIPLES

EXPERIENCE

10/2022-

Current

FIRST Tech Challenge: (Team 22312)

- Team Captain of the 2025 season
- Lead Mechanical Designer: 4-person team
- Won 2nd place at the Pennsylvania state championship
- Completed season globally ranked #30 (8000 teams)
- Invited to the Maryland Tech Invitational: all-star tournament, Global top 40 teams selected
- 17-25 hrs/week

FIRST Robotics Competition: (team 8393)

- Key mechanical designer and human player
- Qualified for the FRC World Championship 2025
- Team: Impact award (volunteering)
- 5 hrs/week

DECA: Business Competition

- Regional First place
- 9th Place at state competition
- 100 hrs/year

Volleyball

- Pittsburgh Elite Volleyball
 - o Competed at the U16 AAU Boys National Championship
- North Allegheny Volleyball Team
 - o Junior Varsity 03/2024-05/2024
 - o Varsity
 - Team ranked top 3 in state highly selective 03/2025-05/2025

SKILLS

- Mechanical Design & CAD: extensive experience in 3D modeling (Fusion 360); experienced in designing robot subsystems (grabbers, lifts, extensions, drivetrains)
- Fabrication & Tools: Skilled in woodworking and metalworking; operate chop saws, bandsaws, drills, and hand tools.
- Mechanical Systems: Experienced in motion transfer, drivetrains, and mechanical assembly.
- Electrical Systems: Competent in robot wiring, sensors, and power distribution.
- Materials & Prototyping: Knowledgeable in using aluminum, polycarbonate, wood, steel, carbon fiber, and 3d print filament.