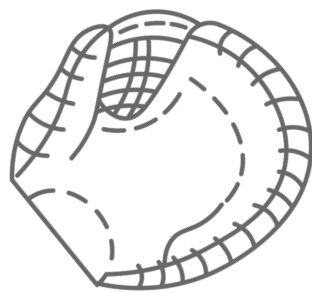




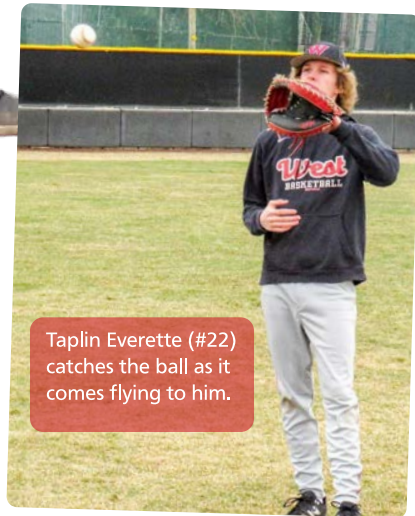
## PANTHER SPIRIT

Our baseball Panthers loved to work together and play together. The team was "just like a family," said Mason Goold (10), and they hung out together in and out of uniform. Returning athletes welcomed the many newcomers who were new to baseball. "We just want everyone to improve," said Joseph Martinez (10). In typical Panther spirit, everyone supported their teammates through victories and losses. "My favorite part of baseball is the team dinners," said Daniel Julio (11), where everyone laughed and had fun. Bonding together helped everyone feel comfortable on the field and play their best! Mason Goold (10) put it well: "we learn the best when we are having fun," he said. Their effort and teamwork paid off in their first game of the season, where the team won 7-3 against Hunter High School.

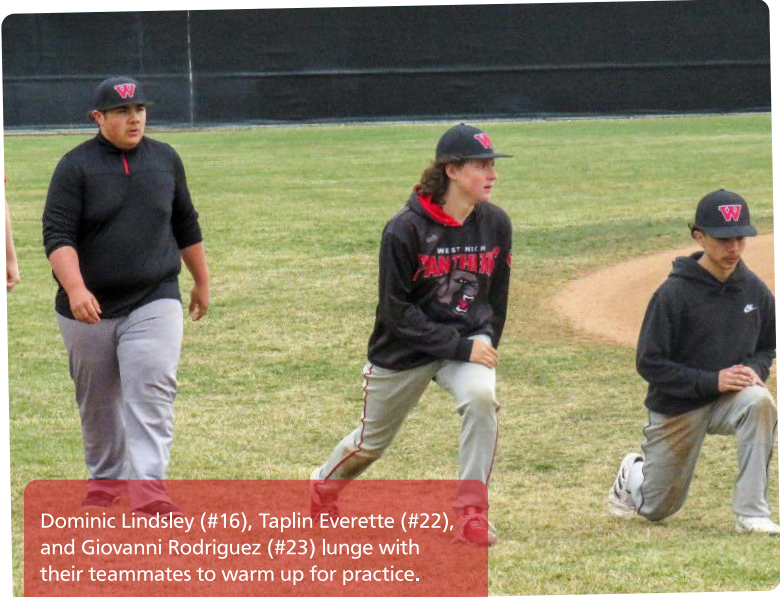
"I LIKE WORKING  
HARD AND SEEING  
THE TEAM RESULTS."  
- DANIEL JULIO (11)



Devin Archuleta (#20)







Dominic Lindsley (#16), Taplin Everette (#22), and Giovanni Rodriguez (#23) lunge with their teammates to warm up for practice.

# Boys Baseball: LET'S PLAY BALL!

Baseball is a sport played between two teams of nine players each, taking turns between being up to bat and being in outfield or in-field. The game occurs over the course of nine innings, with each play generally beginning when a player on the fielding team, called the pitcher, throws the baseball that a player on the batting team, the batter, tries to hit with a bat. The objective of the offensive team (batting team) is to hit the ball into the field of play, away from the other team's players, allowing its players to run the bases. A home run is when the batter team hits the ball far enough that the team can run all four bases without stopping, securing a point in one turn. The defensive team (fielding team) has 3 outfielders, 3 basemen, a shortstop, a catcher and a pitcher.



Isaac Salazaar (#24) stretches to build his range of motion.

Nomar Pena (10) gazes attentively at his teammates, spotting their strengths and weaknesses.



To practice batting, baseball players sometimes use a machine which automatically pitches balls.

CAPTAIN  
SPOTLIGHT:

"OUR TEAM HAS  
CREATED A LOT OF  
MEMORIES  
TOGETHER!"  
- JOSEPH  
MARTINEZ (10)

Joseph "JJ" Martinez (10) ran the team with precision. He always made sure the team worked hard, and put their best effort forward while having fun! He also kept the atmosphere exciting and welcome to all to get better and work hard.



Mason Goold (10), Devin Archuleta (11), and Gideon Steele (9) sprint to build their endurance, which comes in handy when running between bases.

