## NATE MESSNER Class of 2004

Nate's one of the most decorated male athletes in Muncy High School history. He had stellar careers in all three sports baseball, football and basketball that he competed in. Nate was selected as the 2004 Muncy male athlete of the year while also being named as 2000-2009 Sun-Gazettes baseball player of the decade.

In football he lettered 2001-2003 and was named 1<sup>st</sup> team tight end (all-state in Class A 2003) and was selected to the second team all-state in 2002.

In basketball he was a key performer at power forward as the Indians won a pair of Mid-Penn Championships and District IV Championships in the 2003 and 2004 seasons. Muncy reached the final four in 2003.

In baseball he lettered four years and was a first team all-star each season. The Indians were District IV Champions in 2003 and 2004. They reached the final four in 2003 and Finished 3<sup>rd</sup> in the state and a year later they were PIAA state runner-ups 2004.

Nate's awards include All Conference awards 2001-2004, First team all-star and league MVP 2004, Team award-offense and pitcher of the year 2004, offensive player-2003, MVP-offensive player of the year 2002, Defensive player of the year, 2001.

Career pitching: ip-189.7, so-263, era-2.95, w-17, ap-43, cg-20. Season leader-2004, ap-14, so-128, ip-68.3. Career hitting: gp-95, ab-299, rbi-112, hits-130, bb-63, HR-37, rs-140, db-27. Single season leader: HR-2004-13,2003-10,2002-10,doubles-12.

Nate was drafted by the Florida Marlins in the 18<sup>th</sup> round of the 2004 MLB amateur draft. Five year pro career, 3-Florida Marlins, 2-Washington Wildthings (Frontier League) a 2007 Frontier All-Star.

