

Patrick Murphy

Multi-Sports Journalist

EDUCATION

Ball State University, Muncie, Indiana

Aug. 2015 - MAY 2019

Bachelor of Arts

Journalism (News),

MINOR

Creative Writing

GPA: 3.0/4.0

OBJECTIVE

To earn a sports reporting and photography position.

To cover high school or collegiate sports teams.

SKILLS

Friendly

Dependable

Professional

Sports Writing

Features

Previews

Recaps

Breaking News

News Writing

Stories

Breaking News

Photography

Stills

Sports

Social Media Writing

Twitter

Facebook

Adobe

InDesign

Photoshop

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The Natchez Democrat:

<https://www.natchezdemocrat.com/author/patrickmurphy/>

EXPERIENCE IN JOURNALISM

The Natchez Democrat, Sports Reporter, Photographer, News Person, Page Designer, Tracings Guru and Pets of The Week person

AUG. 26, 2019 - Natchez, Mississippi

- Wrote over 300 stories on a variety of sports, including news stories as well
- Created several newspaper pages
- Interviewed a variety of student-athletes involved in different sports
- Managed to meet deadlines on a routine basis
- Won third place in Sports Feature Writing at the 2019 Mississippi Press Association

The Shelbyville News, Sports Intern

JAN. 2019-APRIL 2019, Shelbyville, Indiana

- Interviewed various student-athletes in various sports
- Managed multiple deadlines on time
- Photographed for various sports articles

AWARDS

- Third place in the Sports Feature category part of the 2020 Mississippi Press Association Better Newspaper contest

OTHER WORK EXPERIENCE

Ball State Daily News, Sports Reporter, Photographer

AUG. 2015- MAY 2019, Muncie, Indiana

- Wrote 12 features, 53 previews, and 62 recaps about the Ball State Men's Swim and Dive team
- Captured 153 photos for various News and Sports articles
- Intertwined multiple sports at the same time

