## **SEASON PREVIEW: WESTHILL (SECTION 3)**

Westhill, out of Section 3, has won six NYSPHSAA titles and one Federation championship. Last season they were upended in the Regional Final by eventual champion Glens Falls to finish 22-3. This is a team that, if you look over your shoulder,

they're already past you.

Coach Jon Connelly shared his views on the upcoming season.

"We are a young team, returning 2 starters in Eli Prince and Eli Welch, along with Jack

Hayes and Jackson Goodness who were both a significant part of our elite 8 run last

season. All 4 players are juniors. Colin Shiel (Senior) and Kamari Lewis (Junior) will also help provide us with some size inside and anchor our front line. Biased opinion of course, but Eli Prince is one of the top talents in the area and arguably all of NYS. Eli Welch is an incredible all-around athlete and our glue guy who is extremely unselfish and does anything and everything to help our team win. We will look to both Eli's to step into more of a leadership role this season. We have put together a challenging schedule this year with many AAA and AA schools in the mix. We believe the basketball and overall competition in this area is very strong and look forward to seeing what we can do."

Once again, look for Westhill to be a force to be reckoned with this season!