

# Columbus High's Booser shines for Team USA in U-17 tourney in Istanbul

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Over the past three years, Cameron Booser has dominated at the state and national levels.

Last week, the Columbus High basketball star shined on the global stage. On a team of prep stars, Booser stood out while leading Team USA to the championship of the FIBA Under-17 World Cup in Istanbul.

Booser scored 24 points and grabbed 13 rebounds in the final — a 129-88 victory over Italy — to earn Tisot MVP honors for the tournament.

Booser, a three-time Miami Herald Basketball

Player of the Year who has led Columbus to three consecutive state titles, averaged 20.1 points, 9.9 rebounds and 2.0 assists for the tournament.

Booser, who is ranked the No. 2 overall prospect in the country by 247Sports, was joined on the roster by his brother Cayden, ranked No. 19, as well as other top prospects including Arizona's Koa Peat and Utah Prep's AJ Dybantsa — the top overall prospect. Cayden Booser averaged 6.4 assists and 4.9 points for the tournament.

In four knockout rounds, USA beat the Philippines, Canada, New Zealand and Italy by an average margin of 67 points. The United



Cameron Booser and Dante Allen

States' closest game was a 104-81 win in pool play against France.

Cameron Booser, a 5-star prospect who is being recruited by college programs such as Duke, Kentucky, Miami, Florida and FSU, won Florida's Mr. Basketball honors as well as Gatorade and Max-Preps Player of the Year honors.

After leading Columbus to a No. 2 national ranking

last season and a third consecutive state title, Booser led the Explorers to a runner-up finish at The Throne national tournament and later to the semi-finals of the Chipotle Nationals before losing to national champion Montverde Academy.

## STAR TRANSFERS

One Dade star who will not be returning to try to extend his team's state championship streak is Dante Allen. After leading Riviera Prep to back-to-back state titles, Allen recently transferred to Montverde Academy.

Allen, a 6-3, 210-pound shooting guard who has multiple Division I offers (including Michigan and

Villanova), is ranked No. 80 overall in the nation by 247 Sports and was the Miami Herald's Class 4A-2A Player of the Year each of the past two seasons. He averaged 21 points, 7.8 rebounds, 3.4 steals and 3 assists.

The Bulldogs, who still return sibling guards Mason and Myles Fuentes as well as 10-4 center Gustavo Guimaraes, will compete in Class 2A instead of 3A starting next season after the FHSAA recently announced its new classifications for basketball.

## FOOTBALL COMMITS

A couple of South Florida's top wide receiver recruits recently committed to FBS schools.

West Broward senior Joshua Moore committed to the University of Florida while Homestead senior Cortez Mills committed to Oklahoma.

Moore, a 6-4, 205-pound three-star prospect, is rated the No. 48 overall receiver in the nation by 247 Sports.

Mills (6-1, 165), who has helped Homestead reach the Class 3M state final each of the past two seasons, is a four-star prospect rated No. 21 in the country among wide receivers by 247.

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# Gulliver Prep baseball star Lombard on 'Perfect Game Weekly'

Miami Herald Staff Report

Baseball standout Jacob Lombard, who will be a junior this fall at Gulliver Prep, was recently featured in a segment of "Perfect Game Weekly," presented by Rawlings on Bally Sports Florida TV.

That weekly TV show features top high school baseball players from throughout the country at various baseball events.

Lombard was part of the Junior National Showcase in Atlanta.

One of the top college and MLB prospects of 2026 high school grads, Lombard is a shortstop, second baseman, third baseman with a 6-foot-2, 180-pound frame. He is from Pincrest.

"All the great talent that he is, one of the hardest workers I've ever had, he is even a better kid," Gulliver Prep baseball coach Arturo Sosa said. "He is very humble."

Lombard is currently competing for the prestigious San Diego Padres Scout Team 16U, under the direction of former Florida Marlins outfielder Cameron Maybin. When he played for the Detroit Tigers, Maybin was part of the trade that sent Miguel Cabrera to the Tigers and he to the Marlins.

Perfect Game is branded as the world's largest and most comprehensive scouting organization.

About Lombard via the Perfect Game website (perfectgame.org)

Large, athletic frame with square shoulders and present strength, additional room to fill throughout season. Forward throw well, posted a 6.85 60 yard dash. Primary strength, base and athletic ability to break, 100s 10 out front with smooth movements to either side showing lateral agility, softness to catch up front, larger arm action through the back but works through clearly and on time with long strides, able to follow through forward. High handed hitter, begins with a high batstand and back elbow to the plate, utilizes a leg lift trigger for timing in the box. Throws over the barrel well and shows plenty of control for speed through the zone with the ability to barrel to both gaps. Starts contact with swing path, best pitch currently to ball side but can get the other way with carry, off, it is a well and will continue to add additional

strength. Ranked to the 2027 1AU Perfect Game Select Ranking.

Lombard was a 2024 Miami Herald Class 5A-2A All-Dade second team selection. He batted .328 (21-64) with 2 home runs, 3 doubles, 26 walks, 20 stolen bases and a .561 on-base percentage.

Lombard's older brother, George Jr., also excels in baseball. He was the 2023 Miami Herald Class 5A-2A Baseball Player of the Year.

A shortstop/third baseman, George Jr. was selected in the first round (26th overall) by the New York Yankees in the 2023 MLB Draft. He signed with the Yankees and is currently competing for the Tampa Tarpons, the Class A affiliate of the Yankees in the Florida State League.

The Lombards helped lead the Raiders to the Class 3A state semifinals in 2023. Their father, George Sr., is the bench coach for the MLB Detroit

Tigers.

## SOCCER, TOO

Also in 2023, the Lombard brothers helped Gulliver Prep win a Class 3A state title in boys' soccer. They were starting defenders on that state championship team. Jacob, as a sophomore, did the same in 2024 as the Raiders (25-0-1) went back-to-back with state titles. Jacob scored the winner in the 2024 finals, a 1-0 victory over Orlando-Bishop Moore.

Coach Sosa noted they are phenom athletes who could have played college soccer or even European soccer.

## MORE BASEBALL

Speaking of Perfect Game, Nick Vieira of Margate was named Florida Collegiate Summer League Player of the Week, based on performances from Monday, July 1 through Sunday, July 6. A 6-foot-7, 220-pound

right-handed pitcher for the Leesburg Lightning, Vieira didn't allow a run over six innings against the Winter Garden Squeeze. He also struck out eight and walked none.

Vieira, who was homeschooled in his high school years, is a senior for the NCAA Division I University of Central Florida baseball team in Orlando.

Prior, he competed for the Elite Squad Baseball Academy, a select group in Florida, which is for the serious player who has interest in playing at the next level — either collegiately or professionally. They compete against local college programs as well as other academies in Florida.

As for Perfect Game, Vieira earned Honorable Mention honors in the 2020 Perfect Game Preseason All-Region awards for the Florida region. He was named Honorable

Mention in the 2019 Perfect Game Preseason Underclassman All-American Teams. He was the Perfect Game Top 50 RHP in Florida, Top 50 nationally.

The Florida Collegiate Summer League is a wood bat baseball league with six teams in Central Florida. Founded in 2003, the Florida League provides a valuable opportunity for college players to play wood bat baseball against top-level competition with the goal of preparing them for a career in professional baseball. Visit [www.floridaleague.com/view/fcs/](http://www.floridaleague.com/view/fcs/)

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## SUBMIT SUMMER SPORTS INFO

If you have summer sports results with local top performers (with stats) for high school or middle school aged athletes in Broward and Miami-Dade counties, email [report@miamicity.com](mailto:report@miamicity.com).

They will be in the newspaper and online. Photos accepted, too. No deadline. Send after the game, the next day or weekly. You will be notified via email and appear in the newspaper and online.

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## CITY OF MIAMI BEACH

Meeting Notice  
July 15 - 19, 2024

<b>MONDAY, July 15</b>	Special Magazine Meetings	City Hall Conference Room 1700 Convention Center Drive, 3rd Floor <a href="https://www.miamibeachfl.gov/144425234">https://www.miamibeachfl.gov/144425234</a> Meeting ID: 8654420954 • 1 305 224 1968 or 1 408 634 0958
6:00 a.m.	Restricted Residential Parking Permit: Non-Resident Vehicle Registration Hybrid Meeting	Meeting ID: 8654420954 • 1 305 224 1968 or 1 408 634 0958
<b>TUESDAY, July 16</b>	Special Magazine Meetings	City Hall Conference Room 1700 Convention Center Drive, 3rd Floor <a href="https://www.miamibeachfl.gov/144425234">https://www.miamibeachfl.gov/144425234</a>
9:30 a.m.	Ad Hoc Permitting Process Improvement Advisory Committee Hybrid Meeting	Meeting ID: 7766177241 • Password: 87676 • 1 786 536 1480 • Access ID: 16174458
10:50 a.m.	Disability Access Committee	Meeting ID: 7766177241 • Password: 87676 • 1 786 536 1480 • Access ID: 16174458
3:30 p.m.	Budget Advisory Committee Hybrid Meeting	Meeting ID: 7766177241 • Password: 87676 • 1 786 536 1480 • Access ID: 16174458
4:30 p.m.	North Beach CNA Advisory Committee	Meeting ID: 7766177241 • Password: 87676 • 1 786 536 1480 • Access ID: 16174458
5:00 p.m.	Miami Beach Commission for Women	Meeting ID: 7766177241 • Password: 87676 • 1 786 536 1480 • Access ID: 16174458
<b>WEDNESDAY, July 17</b>	Miami Beach Visitor and Convention Authority	Meeting ID: 7766177241 • Password: 87676 • 1 786 536 1480 • Access ID: 16174458
10:50 a.m.	Special Magazine Meetings	Meeting ID: 7766177241 • Password: 87676 • 1 786 536 1480 • Access ID: 16174458
2:00 p.m.	North Beach CNA Advisory Committee	Meeting ID: 7766177241 • Password: 87676 • 1 786 536 1480 • Access ID: 16174458
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5:00 p.m.	Miami Beach Commission for Women	Meeting ID: 7766177241 • Password: 87676 • 1 786 536 1480 • Access ID: 16174458
<b>THURSDAY, July 18</b>	Fire and Police Pension Board Hybrid Meeting	Meeting ID: 7766177241 • Password: 87676 • 1 786 536 1480 • Access ID: 16174458
9:00 a.m.	Special Magazine Meetings	Meeting ID: 7766177241 • Password: 87676 • 1 786 536 1480 • Access ID: 16174458
9:30 a.m.	Art in Public Places Committee Hybrid Meeting	Meeting ID: 7766177241 • Password: 87676 • 1 786 536 1480 • Access ID: 16174458
9:30 a.m.	Licensee Board (LB) Board Meeting	Meeting ID: 7766177241 • Password: 87676 • 1 786 536 1480 • Access ID: 16174458
2:30 p.m.	Special Events Commission Review	Meeting ID: 7766177241 • Password: 87676 • 1 786 536 1480 • Access ID: 16174458
4:30 p.m.	General Ordinance (GO) Board Oversight Committee Hybrid Meeting	Meeting ID: 7766177241 • Password: 87676 • 1 786 536 1480 • Access ID: 16174458
<b>FRIDAY, July 19</b>	Finance and Economic Resiliency Committee Budget Briefing / Workshop	Meeting ID: 7766177241 • Password: 87676 • 1 786 536 1480 • Access ID: 16174458

For any party at the above meetings, or any members of the Miami Beach City Commission, and City Commissioners' employees may be in attendance and participate in discussions.

A written or verbal statement submitted to the City of Miami Beach, Florida, in connection with the above meetings, shall be subject to the provisions of the Freedom of Information Act (FOIA).

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## CITY OF MIAMI BEACH

NOTICE OF PUBLIC HEARING

## ALCOHOL HOURS OF SALE - RM3 OCEANFRONT PROPERTIES

ORDINANCE AMENDING CHAPTER 7 OF THE MIAMI BEACH RESILIENCY CODE TO ADOPT AND/OR AMEND HOURS FOR THE SALE AND CONSUMPTION OF ALCOHOLIC BEVERAGES ON PREMISES AT ALCOHOLIC BEVERAGES ESTABLISHMENTS IN THE AREA GENERALLY BOUNDED BY COLLINS AVENUE ON THE WEST, 72ND STREET ON THE NORTH, 53RD STREET ON THE SOUTH, AND THE EASTERN BOUNDARY LINE OF PROPERTIES FRONTING THE EAST SIDE OF COLLINS AVENUE ON THE EAST

JULY 24, 2024

CITY COMMISSION MEETING

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that on July 24, 2024, at 5:01 p.m., or as soon thereafter as the matter can be heard, the Mayor and City Commissioners of the City of Miami Beach will hold a Second Reading/Public Hearing on the proposed Ordinance.

## ALCOHOL HOURS OF SALE - RM3 OCEANFRONT PROPERTIES

AN ORDINANCE OF THE CITY OF MIAMI BEACH, FLORIDA, AMENDING CHAPTER 7 OF THE MIAMI BEACH RESILIENCY CODE, ENTITLED "ZONING DISTRICTS AND REGULATIONS," ARTICLE II, "DISTRICT REGULATIONS," DIVISION 6, "RM-3 RESIDENTIAL MULTIFAMILY, HIGH INTENSITY," SUBDIVISION 2.2, "USE (RM-3) TO ADOPT AND/OR AMEND HOURS FOR THE SALE AND CONSUMPTION OF ALCOHOLIC BEVERAGES ON PREMISES AT ALCOHOLIC BEVERAGES ESTABLISHMENTS IN THE AREA GENERALLY BOUNDED BY COLLINS AVENUE ON THE WEST, 72ND STREET ON THE NORTH, 53RD STREET ON THE SOUTH, AND THE EASTERN BOUNDARY LINE OF PROPERTIES FRONTING THE EAST SIDE OF COLLINS AVENUE ON THE EAST, AND PROVIDING FOR REPEALER, CODIFICATION, SEVERABILITY, AND AN EFFECTIVE DATE. This Ordinance is being heard pursuant to Chapter 2, Article IV of the Resiliency Code. Inquiries may be directed to the Planning Department at 305 673 7550.

During the July 24, 2024, Commission Meeting, the City of Miami Beach will host a Hybrid Commission Meeting. During the Hybrid Commission Meeting, the City Commission will be physically present in the Commission Chamber, located at 1700 Convention Center Drive, 3rd Floor, Miami Beach, Florida 33139.

Members of the public who wish to attend this Commission Meeting or provide public comment in person may appear at the Commission Chamber. Applicants and members of the public who wish to participate or provide comment virtually during the Commission Meeting may join the webinar at: <https://miamibeachfl.gov/144425234> or via telephone at 1 305 224 1968 (US) or 1 888 475 4439 (Toll-Free). Webinar ID: 81328257671. Members of the public wishing to speak virtually on an item during the meeting must click the "raise hand" icon if using Zoom app or press "9" on the telephone to raise their hand.

INTERESTED PARTIES are invited to take part in this meeting or be represented by an agent. The public may submit written comments on Commission Meeting items by either submitting an eComment through the agenda page at <https://miamibeachfl.gov/144425234> and clicking the comment bubble icon in the "Current and Upcoming Meetings" section or by emailing [citycommission@miamibeachfl.gov](mailto:citycommission@miamibeachfl.gov) with the Agenda Item Number in the subject line. Comments received, in either format, will be accepted until 5:00 p.m. the day before the meeting. All submissions will be forwarded to the Mayor and Commissioners and included in the meeting record.

Copies of Agenda Items are available for public inspection at <https://www.miamibeachfl.gov/cityhall/citycommission>. This meeting, or any item therein, may be continued, and under such circumstances, additional legal notice need not be provided.

Pursuant to Section 286.0105, Fla. Stat., the City hereby advises the public that if a person decides to appeal any decision made by the City Commission concerning any matter considered at its meeting or its hearing, such person must appear at a certain record of the proceedings in writing, which record includes the testimony and evidence upon which the appeal is to be based. This notice does not constitute consent by the City for the introduction or admission of otherwise inadmissible or irrelevant evidence, nor does it authorize challenges or appeals not otherwise allowed by law.

To request interpretation in an alternate format, sign language interpreter (live-day only required), information on access for persons with disabilities, and/or any accommodation to review any document or participate in any City-sponsored proceedings, call 305 604 2489 and select 1 for English or 2 for Spanish, then option 6, TTY users may call via 711 (Florida Relay Service).

The City Commission Meeting will be broadcast live on Miami Beach TV (MBTV), viewable on the City's website at <https://www.miamibeachfl.gov/citycommission>, as well as on BreezeCast channel 600, AT&T U-verse channel 59, HomeBrew Communications channel 355, and ROKU device on PEG TV channel 48, and on social media at <https://www.facebook.com/cityofmiamibeach>.

To review the Business Impact Estimates for the above proposed Ordinance, please visit <https://www.miamibeachfl.gov/cityhall/citycommission>.

## Parking

Meeting attendees can park at the City Hall Garage, 1755 Meridian Avenue, Miami Beach, FL 33139.

Rafael E. Grando, City Clerk

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