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2025 GRAD-COLIN FIKE

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Colin has been an under the radar player that continually performs at the highest level and shows he has what it takes against some of the best competition. His fall coach, Mark West had the following to say *"Colin, has all the tools to be an exceptional baseball player, speed, arm talent and moxie to play high end baseball. Although slight in stature, Colin packs a wallop on the mound, with exceptional velocity along with command of his secondary pitches that is tough to match. Along with mound presence, Colin is an exceptional outfielder, with speed to track down fly-balls in the gaps. Colin also has an innate ability to come up with timely hits, and even when he does get out, it is usually on a ball hit extremely hard, and with his speed forces the defense to rush a throw."*



High praise from coach West to say the least. It is fair to say that Colin has what it takes to be successful beyond high school and into his college playing days. As with so many of the young men in the Blizzard program Colin also brings

exceptional characteristics of what many coaches look for in sportsmanship, gratitude, ability to follow direction and of course those complete juices to name a few. Coach West "Colin is very coachable and extremely team orientated in the dugout, Colin has been an absolute pleasure to coach and will always be welcomed in a dugout."

As Colin enters his junior year at Gentry Academy and his final summer with the Blizzard program he will be a high follow and someone to keep an eye on. Do not underestimate him as he can bring it both on the mound and at the plate!

Q&A with Colin Fike - 2025 Gentry Academy

How many years with Blizzard? **7 years**

What is your favorite memory from this past fall on the field? **My favorite memory was throwing a shutout in Las Vegas when I was 11 years old.**

What is your favorite memory from this past fall away from the field? **Hanging out with my teammates at the hotel in Las Vegas.**

Favorite tourney of the year? **Las Vegas**

What coach at Blizzard has impacted you the most and why? **Jesse Tollefson. He coached me for many years and turned me into an outfielder and guided me through my young Blizzard years.**

Favorite baseball movie? **Bull Durham**

Favorite MLB team? **Twins**

Favorite concession item? Hotdog

Fun fact about you? I played hockey for a few years.



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