Austin Kearns (2004-2008) was one of the most electrifying basketball players to ever put on a jersey for the Owls.  As a member of the varsity team for all four years, Austin achieved many great accomplishments. As a senior, Austin was named the Wisconsin Little Ten Player of the Year (2007-2008), selected to the Division 2 Wisconsin All-State Honorable Mention Team, chose as the Washington County Player of the Year, and was selected to play in the Wisconsin Basketball Coaches Association All Star Game (Division 2).

In his great career, Austin was a 2-time Wisconsin Little Ten 1st Team All-Conference selection (2006-2007 and 2007-2008), 2-time Washington County Player of the Year (2006-2007 and 2007-2008), 3-time Washington County 1st Team selection (2005-2006, 2006-2007, and 2007-2008), and Parkland Conference 2nd Team All-Conference selection (2005-2006).

Austin received 10 varsity letters during his time at Slinger High School (4x Basketball, 4x Tennis, 1x Football, 1x Cross Country), while being a High Honor Roll student all four years.  Austin was the #1 Doubles Tennis Player all four years of high school. He was selected to the 1st Team Wisconsin Little Ten All-Conference team as a senior (2008) and 2nd Team Wisconsin Little Ten All-Conference team as a junior (2007).

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