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FROM THE COACHES BOX

Welcome back coaches! I hope you had a productive summer and are excited about the upcoming season. We look forward to working with you.

Along with continuing the traditions we are known for, the IBCA has some new initiatives for this year. As a result, we need you to become involved in the process because it will take even more coaches to get these things accomplished. Please return your membership applications for your entire coaching staff prior to the beginning of the season.

Following is a brief summary of the new challenges that we are pursuing. First of all, even though we have over six hundred women's coaches as members of the IBCA, it is our goal to increase the voice of the women's coaches within our organization. For this to happen, we need more women's coaches to join the IBCA. We plan to increase the number of women's coaches that serve as district representatives and on our board of directors. Please contact me or your district representatives if you have questions as we proceed in this endeavor.

Another new challenge we are happy about is our goal to become more involved in the Indiana All-Star process. Pat Aikman will provide you with details in another article in this newsletter. We are eager to partner in what has been one of the pillars of Indiana high school basketball.

In addition, the IBCA has begun discussions with officials' associations to discuss the evaluation process for officials working the state basketball tournament. We need to become part of the solution and be supportive of those officials working hard to provide us with professional service based on the values of integrity, sportsmanship, and quality.

As always, under Coach Witty's leadership as the IBCA Executive Director we continue to experience positive changes. We will strive to continue the enhancement of our association and our profession.

Finally, show your support to our sponsors. Our partnership with New Balance has proven very worthwhile to the IBCA. Please show them your patronage and try their products. They have a great shoe and sporting line for basketball and provide excellent service when you need them.

Most importantly, let's all remember why it is we coach. We have to be about more than just winning basketball games. We have a great responsibility to teach our players the skills necessary to win in life. Good luck to you this year and I hope you have many victories on and off the court.

In His Court, Wayne Barker



Join The IBCA Now!



FROM THE EXECUTIVE DIRECTOR

In January every IBCA member head coach will receive information on how to nominate the best players they have seen from their area, (including their own) for the following recognition:



- * Underclassmen & Senior All State Teams
- * Top 100 Underclassmen Boys' & Girls'
- Showcases
- Junior All Stars
- * Indiana All Stars
- * Academic All State

* Junior Mannies & Marion Crawley Scholarships

Also during January ballots for District Coaches of the Year and District Representatives election ballots will be mailed. Check your mail carefully, complete the nomination forms, follow the instructions, meet the deadlines and return your nomination forms to the appropriate committees. Don't hurt a deserving candidate's chances for selection because you forgot to join the IBCA, or the nomination letter got buried on your desk and you didn't get the information to the committee on time. Your effort in fulfilling these professional responsibilities is appreciated.

Yours for better basketball, Steve Witty IBCA Executive Director



The IBCA is proud to have New Balance as one of our primary sponsors. In early September all boys' and girls' head coaches should have received a New Balance flyer in their membership packet. If New Balance can be of any service to your basketball program or you have questions about their various products contact:

Jim Sullivan New Balance Team Sports Specialist Tel: 937-342-0261 Email: jim.Sullivan@newbalance.com

GIRLS:

School Batesville Bedford North Lawrence Blackhawk Christian Blue River Valley Bluffton Boonville Carroll (Allen) Castle Caston Central Noble Concord Corydon Culver Academy East Noble Edinburgh Elkhart Central Evansville Mater Dei Fishers Fremont Gibson Southern Hamilton Heights Hammond Clark Hammond High Hammond Morton Hammond Bishop Noll Hanover Central Hardina Hauser Hebron Indiana Deaf School Indianapolis Manuel Indianapolis Washington Jennings County Keystone Kokomo Lafayette Jeff Lake Central Lakeland Lanesville Lawrence Central Morristown Muncie Burris Muncie Central Muncie South New Palestine New Washington North Decatur North Knox North Miami North Newton North Vermillion Park Tudor **Pike Central** Princeton Richmond Scottsburg Shelbyville Shoals Silver Creek South Decatur Southmont South Newton Tri **Trinity Lutheran** Union Dugger Union(Modoc) Valparaiso Washington Township West Central West Noble West Washington Whitko Zionsville

2006 New VARSITY COACHES

Coach Jason Slopsema Kurt Godlevske Tanna Merrell Matt Perdue Glenn Cunningham Greg Wilson Tony Harl Ryan McKinney **Michelle Hines** Andrea Deihl Dan Meyer Larry Ragland Gary Christlieb Bert McLaughlin Delina White Matt Windy Roger Sills **Michael Gaines** Neal Frantz Mark Monroe Kurt Ogden Jeanette Gray Jon Haas Bryan Dixon **Douglas Robertson** Tim Feddeler JJ Foster Judy McDaniel Courtney Hale OPEN Ron Lawson **Michael Brooks** Jason Longemeier Chris Whitacre Jason Snyder Jan Conner Tim Powers Gary Meyers Bill Krammes Dana Collins Kevin Smith Janelle Kramer Kaye Harrell Angela Thompson Greg Elkins Terry White Kelly Morrison **BJ** Murphy Dave Henson Clay Whaley Ken Gentrup Phil Silvey Shawn Bruner Jim Thompson Troy Derengowski Terry Rademacher Harry Larrabee Matt Sowder **Ryan Apple** LuAnn Gant Chad Cripe Aaron Hines Jeff Miller Bob Tabeling Joe Dunagan John Hall Renee Turpa Jeff Wisniewski Gina Curtis Dale Marano **Bob Potter** Rob Bell Brad Montgomery

School Adams Central Argos Attica Ben Davis Bethesda Christian Blue River Valley Borden Bremen Caston Charlestown Christian Academy Clinton Prairie Columbus North Corydon Crown Point Delphi East Noble Edinburah **Elkhart Memorial** Fishers Floyd Central Frankfort Greenfield Greensburg Hamilton Indianapolis Manuel Kokomo Lake Station Lakeview Christian Mt. Vernon(Fortville) Muncie South Northeast Dubois North Judson Northridge North Vermillion North White Oldenburg Academy Paoli Pendleton Heights Perry Meridian Pike Township Prairie Heights **Randolph Southern** Rushville Shelbyville Sheridan South Adams South Central (Elizabeth) South Decatur South Putnam Southern Wells Southmont Southwestern (Shelby) Switzerland County Tri-Central Triton Central Union Modoc University Washington Catholic Wes-Del Whiteland White River Valley Zionsville



Boys:

Coach Aaron McClure Jon Everingham Chuck Hutchins Curtis Wriaht Todd Foster Brian Klein Doc Nash Kevin Ecenbarger Brett Eberly Sean Smith Alan Butts Eric Ulrich Barry Huckeby Jaime Kolkmeier Clint Swan Brian Tonsoni Luke Cummings Curt Chase Mark Barnhizer J.R. Shelt Randy Gianfagna Jason Good Jeff Bertsch Stacy Meyer **Bob Martin** Todd Grace Brian McCauley Bryon Clouse Michael Beck Steve Lynch **Rick Baumaartner** Terry Friedman **Ryan Bales** Jason Ridge Dean Dunham Ty Schuller Matt Maple Joe Hinton Brian Hahn Roger Fleetwood Billy Wright Tim Holcomb Shane Osting Dan Carmony Bill Zych Cory Dunn Ryan Biegel Rob Murawski Tom Black Brian Gardner – Interim Adam Bontreger Jay Kroft Brady Days Brian Bowen Jeff Layden Kyle Brewer Mark Kerkoff Dave Merica Bill Brown Greg Dean Marty Johnson Gene Hall Shaun Busick





JUNIOR MANNIES AND MARION CRAWLEY AWARD WINNERS

IBCA grants in the amount of \$500.00 each were awarded last spring to deserving people who helped perpetuate our great game of basketball in Indiana. These are kids who help make coaching a great profession. The IBCA has awarded over \$350,000.00 in grants to our young people.

Junior Mannies Awards			
Name	Coach	School	Position
Cathy Coller	David Wood	West Lafayette	Cheerleader
Drew Kingseed	Rick Baumgartner	Kokomo	Boys Manager
Karla Ricicia	Gary Baker		Girls Manager
Marion Crawley Awards			
Name	Coach	School	Position
Autumn Sexton	Marty Gaff	Kouts	Cheerleader
Tiffany Zollman	Bob Nobbe	Hauser	Cheerleader
Curt Bromm	Tom Beach	Forest Park	Boys Manager
Brad Windy	Chuck Bennett	Speedway	Boys Manager
Matt Jones	Joe Bradburn	Dekalb	Boys Manager
Dana Milner	Chip Mehaffey		Girls Manager
Boys			
Donny Nies	, Alan Huggler	Winamac	Player
, Brandon Clemens	Brian Bechtel	Goshen	Player
Bryce Holtsclaw	Ron McBride	Bloomfield	Player
Lance Tape	David Benter	Brownstown Central	Player
Jake Ellis	Bill Bowen	Hamilton Heights	Player
Andrew Derksen	Dave McCollough	Noblesville	Player
Aaron Stoll	Wayne Brooks	Washington Catholic	Player
Kevin Kyle	Scott Radeker	North Montgomery	Player
Chase Haltom	Pat Rady	Cloverdale	Player
David Lash	Bill Patrick	Tippecanoe Valley	Player
Kyle Johnson	Marty Johnson	East Noble	Player
J.R. Howell	Jimmie Howell	Lapel	Player
Ryan Sparrow	Gary Duncan	Southridge	Player
Ádam Wilhelm	David Disbro	East Central	Player
Brian Hunt	Mike McBride	Borden	Player
	Girls		,
Juliannna Yu	Chad Wetz	Anderson	Player
Cassandra Duvall	Dean Morehead	Blue River Valley	Player
Lori Smith	Clay Hanna	Carroll	Player
Jessica Sheets	, Jonathan Haas	Hebron	Player
Lauren Kails	Jonathan Haas	Hebron	Player
Angelica Thieme	Lou Koning	Belmont	Player
Anna Kammrath	Dan Huizenga	South Central (Union M	
Jasmine Rogers	Todd Salkoski	Shenandoah	Player
April Williams	Jerry Freshwater	Marion	Player
Katie Ringham	Paula Fettig	Beech Grove	Player
Whitney Bowman	Leslie VanHoy	Loogootee	Player
Rachel Kikkert	Lane Lewallen	Kankakee Valley	Player
Lisa Good	James Swaney	Winamac	Player

HOOSIER BASKETBALL MAGAZINE HOSTS TOP 40 WORKOUT BY: GARRY DONNA

Forty of Indiana's best 2006-2007 senior boys', as well as 40 of Indiana's best senior girls', high school players will be invited to participate in Hoosier Basketball's 2007 Top 40 Workouts. Ten alternates will also be invited to participate in each work out.

The 26th annual Girls' Top 40 Workout will be at Ben Davis High School in Indianapolis on April 15, 2007.

The 20th annual Boys' Top 40 Workout will take place at Pike High School in Indianapolis on Sunday, April 29.

Both Top 40 Workouts will begin at 1:00 p.m. and will include two sessions – 1:00-3:00 p.m. and 3:30-5:30 p.m.

The two workouts are coordinated by Hoosier Basketball publisher Garry Donna. Mike Armstrong of Perry Meridian and Jodie Whitaker of Lawrence North will serve as on-court directors of the 2007 Girls' Top 40 Workout, assisted by IBCA-member coaches representing all of Indiana. Brebeuf Jesuit coach Leo Klemm, assisted by IBCA-member coaches, will be the Boys' Top 40 on-court director.

These workouts give the state's outstanding seniors a chance to meet and compete as well as afford college coaches an opportuinity to observe them against top quality competition.

For further details, call Garry Donna at (317) 925-8200.

Indiana All-Stars By: Pat Aikman

There will be a change in the selection process for the 2007 Indiana All-Star basketball teams, according to game director Patrick Aikman of the Indianapolis Star.



Though the Indiana teams have been doing very well under the decades-old previous system (Indiana has gone 15-3 in the boys games in the past nine years and the girls

have finished 24-8 in the past 16 years), the switch to all-day tryouts offers a more concentrated evaluation of prospects and also resolves some other timing issues.

The most significant change will involve separate all-day camps for the girls, tentatively set for March 4, and for the boys, tentatively set for March 25. As presently envisioned, 32 players will be invited to each camp. The all-star head coaches and their assistants will direct the camps with additional coaches from the IBCA. Final decisions on the two squads' personnel will remain with the game director and the All-Star Coaches.

An All-Star ballot will be mailed in February to solicit votes for Miss Basketball and Mr. Basketball and to get an advisory vote on the state's best male and female players from coaches and media. Additional nominations will be solicited from IBCA Coaches' representatives. Final invitations to the tryouts will be sent to players as soon as the voting and nominations have been reviewed.

Previously final selections were made after the completion of the girls and boys Top 40. Often this meant the selections were not announced until late March or early April for the girls and early May for the boys, delaying ticket sales, promotion and advertising to school with prospective candidates. It also delayed ordering uniforms, shoes and other equipment, often until there were less than three weeks left in the school year.

In-season scouting, all-state teams named by media and coaches, and recommendations from coaches and others will continue to be considered in the team selection process.

The Top 40 events for boys and girls, it is expected, will continue as usual under their long-time sponsor.

Moving tryout and announcement dates ahead by weeks will also result in the earlier announcement of the boys' and girls' All-Star coaches and sites for exhibition games with the Indiana Junior All-Stars.

In 2006 games Indiana's girls came from behind in Bowling Green, led by Ashley Barlow of Pike with 23 points and 12 rebounds, to win 71-64. Amber Harris had seven game–saving blocked shots in the final minutes. Dee Dee Jernigan of East Chicago Central added 12 points and 10 rebounds.

Luke Harangody, Andrean, scored 16 points and grabbed 14 rebounds to lead the boys to a relatively easy 90-74 win. Chris Kramer, Huntington North, and Vaughn Duggings, Pendleton Heights, and Mike Conley, Lawrence North, added 15, 15, and 12 in the win that came without the services of Mr. Basketball, Greg Oden, out with surgery.

2007 HOOSIERS' REUNION ALL-STAR CLASSIC BY: GARRY DONNA

The Historic HOOSIER GYM Committee of Knightstown, Indiana, in conjunction with Hoosier Basketball Magazine, will host the second annual Hoosiers' Reunion All-Star Classic on Friday, June 8, 2007. This high school All-Star girls' and boys' doubleheader will be played on the movie home court of the "Hickory Huskers" in Knightstown, Indiana.

Forty-four of the premier Indiana graduating senior boys' and girls' players will be invited to participate in this event. The girls' game will begin at 6:00 p.m. with the boys' game to follow at 8:00 p.m.

All four rosters for the Hoosiers' Reunion All-Star Classic – both girls and boys – will be finalized in early 2007. When totally completed they will be released to the media for publication statewide. They will also be available on the IBCA and Hoosier Basketball Magazine websites.

For more details about the 2007 Indiana North/South All-Star Classic please call Classic Coordinator Garry Donna of Hoosier Basketball Magazine at (317) 925-8200 or send an email to <u>hoosierbbllmag@earthlink.net</u>.





BIG WEEKEND FOR HIGH SCHOOL BASKETBALL IN INDIANAPOLIS

April 27, 28, 29, 2007

29th Annual IBCA Spring Clinic

- * Quality speakers
- * Over 50 vendors
- * Honor fellow coaches at special recognition ceremony
- * Buffet meal

Lawrence North High School Friday April 27, 2007 12:00 noon to 9:30 pm Saturday April 28, 2007 8:00am - 12:30pm

Fifth Annual IBCA/IHSAA Boys basketball Top 100 Showcase

- 100 of the most talented players in the state will participate in this college exposure event.
- * College coaches will be in attendance to observe the talent
- * The players will be coached by IBCA member coaches from across the state
- * All IBCA member coaches admitted free with IBCA membership card.

Ben Davis High School Saturday, April 28, 2007 2:00 PM

20th Annual Hoosier Basketball Magazine Top 40 Boys' Workout

- * In conjunction with the IBCA and the IHSAA, 40 of the best senior boys' players in the state will participate in this event.
- * College coaches will be in attendance to observe the talent.
- Top 40 players will be coached by IBCA member coaches from across the state

Pike High School Sunday, April 29, 2007 1:00 pm

HOOSIER BASKETBALL MAGAZINE IN 37TH YEAR BY: GARRY DONNA

The 37th annual issue of Hoosier Basketball Magazine will be published in late October. Included again will be a complete schedule section. It includes all boys' and girls' high school teams, all men's and women's college squads plus the NBA Indiana Pacers – almost 850 in all.

Publisher Garry Donna reports that one high school boy and girl will be featured on the center of the 2006-2007 front cover of Hoosier Basketball Magazine. They are senior stars Eric Gordon of North Central (Marion) and Ta'Shia Phillips of Brebeuf Jesuit.

Other high school senior boys to appear on the cover include Bryan Bouchie (Washington), Dairese Gary (Concord), Zach Hahn (New Castle), Clint Hopf (Forest Park), Matt Howard (Connersville), Scott Martin (Valparaiso) and E'Twaun Moore (East Chicago Central).

High school senior girls to appear as well are Azjah Bass (Lawrence North), Becca Bruszewski (Wheeler), Sabrina Johnson (Jeffersonville), Sydney Smallbone (South Bend St. Joe) and Jasmine Ussery (Castle).

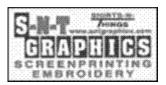
College standouts D.J. White (Indiana) and David Teague (Purdue) will also be featured on the cover. So will Indiana Pacer Danny Granger and Tully Beviloqua of the Indiana Fever.

Coaches interested in acquiring copies at a discounted price for sale at their school can call (317) 925-8200 or e-mail us at hoosierbbllmag@earthlink.net. They can also write to Hoosier Basketball Magazine, 3750 North Guion Road, Suite 315, Indianapolis, Indiana 46222 or check out our website at www.hoosierbasketballmagazine.com.



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VIEW FROM CENTER COURT BY: ROGER DICKINSON

Nothing stands still and that old adage holds true for the Indiana Basketball Hall of Fame. Attendance at the museum increased this past year and that is pleasing. In addition, repair projects have been undertaken and display cases added in an effort to keep the only statewide high school basketball facility in the nation on the forefront of maintaining excellence.



The sidewalk on the south side of the property had dropped due to water washing away some of the fill that laid under the walk. Therefore the area was trenched, perforated pipe was added and the water is now being harmlessly drained away. Damaged areas of the walk have been replaced and repaired to make it like new once again. The driveway and parking lot have been sealed in an effort to preserve the life expectancy.

Inside the building a total of 16 display cases have been added in the Enshrinement Hall. This will take care of the needs for future inductees for the immediate future. Adding of the cases has caused a need to realign some of the other casework within the building. A new display for a quick glance of the state championship girls' games from 1967 through the present is in the works. Another display in the works is to illustrate the shooting form of one of Indiana's all time great shooters, Rick Mount. In addition, a number of the exhibits are changed periodically in an effort to always have something new and different available for viewing.

Please be assured the staff members at the Hall of Fame are always open to receiving basketball memorabilia. It is a known fact that many folks have such items stored away in their closest or attic. Rather than such items being discarded at a later date basketball fans are encouraged to donate the items to the Hall of Fame where they can be displayed in order to enrich the rich heritage and tradition of Indiana's game, basketball.

The latest memorabilia acquisition was a UCLA basketball jersey, number 44, which was donated by Mike Warren. Warren was a super star at South Bend Central High School when he graduated in 1964. He went on to serve as the only two-year captain for Coach John Wooden at UCLA. The hardwood standout helped lead the Bruins to a total of two NCAA Championships. Today, Warren is a movie actor and producer in Hollywood.

The official start of the 2006-2007 basketball season is quickly approaching and all that I can say is, bring it on. The Indiana Basketball Hall of Fame proudly sponsors the City Securities Hall of Fame Classic each year. The girls' tournament will be held on December 28 and the boys' outing will be the next day. All games will be played in the largest and finest field-house in the world, the New Castle Fieldhouse. This year's line up is as follows:

City Securities Hall of Fame Classic

	Girls' Teams	
	December 28, 2006	
10:00 A./	 New Castle vs Franklin Central 	
12:00 No	South Bend Washington vs Heritage Christian	
6:00 P.M.	Consolation	
8:00 P.M.	Championship	
	Boys' Teams	
	December 29, 2006	
10:00 A./	 New Castle vs Vincennes 	
12:00 No	on Valparaiso vs Indianapolis Cathedral	
6:00 P.M.	Consolation	
8:00 P.M.	Championship	

The tournament would be an opportunity for you and your team to watch some of the best individual players and basketball teams fire it up this season. If you are interested in attending, please give me a call and a special priced ticket will be made available for coaches and players.

Good luck for a successful 2006-2007 season.

2005-2006 STATE CHAMPIONSHIP COACHES



Girls Coaches



Bob Nobbe Hauser - A



Geoff Salmon Lafayette Central Catholic - A



Tom Beach Forest Park - 2A



Rick Risinger Heritage Christian - 2A



Steve Bennett New Castle - 3A



Teri Rosinski Fort Wayne Bishop Luers - 3A



Jack Keefer Lawrence North - 4A



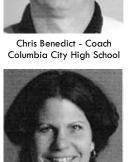
Wayne Allen Castle - 4A

2005-2006 ALL-STAR COACHES





Girls Coaches





Julie Shelton - Coach Kathie Layden - Assistant Coach Mt. Vernon (Fortville) High School Tri-Central High School



Steve Brett - Assistant Coach Loogootee High School



Todd Salkoski - Assistant Coach Shenandoah High School

2007 INDIANA NORTH/SOUTH ALL-STAR CLASSIC BY: GARRY DONNA

Hoosier Basketball Magazine announces the location of its' 19th annual Indiana North/South All-Star Classic. This Classic will be held at Logansport High School on April 22, 2007.

Forty-four of Indiana's best boys' and girls' 2007 seniors will participate in this statewide All-Star doubleheader. The girls' game will begin at 2:00 p.m. with the boys' to follow at 4:00 p.m.

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