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FROM THE COACH'S BOX

Greetings Coaches! I hope you had a productive Summer and are excited about the upcoming season. The IBCA looks forward to working with you.



While maintaining the traditions the IBCA is known for, we continue to evolve and make changes for the betterment of high school basketball in Indiana. To that end, this will be a very busy year for us. As the process was started at the clinic in April, this is the year for us to make a proposal to the IAAA and IHSAA concerning any changes we want in our game.

To make changes we need to make certain we speak with the voices of all of our girls' and boys' basketball coaches. So, first of all, please get your memberships turned in as soon as possible. We ask that you consider registering all of your coaches if you haven't done that in the past. Secondly, please be prompt in returning all survey requests. Changes in our game will only come if we can provide data that shows all coaches have responded and that our proposal is reflective of their opinions.

I ask that you 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 tremendous responsibility to teach our players the skills necessary to win in life. It is my hope that we can use our great game to build people of service for others. Good luck to you this season and I hope you have many victories on and off the court.

In His Court,
Wayne Barker

FROM THE EXECUTIVE DIRECTOR

I would hope by now everyone has gotten the school year off to a good start and are busy preparing for the up-coming season. As our coaches association continues to grow we appreciate your support. If you have suggestions that can help your coaches association better meet your needs, feel free to make your suggestions known by utilizing the coaches suggestion box on the IBCA web site. Starting this season because of the suggestion from one of our member coaches, can now post or browse information related to schools that are looking for teams and dates for pre season scrimmages. Go to the coach's bulletin board for more info.



Watch your mail in January for the nomination information for the following:

- * Underclassmen & Senior All State Teams
- * Top 100 Underclassmen Boys' and 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 nominations 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.



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 New Balance information 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:

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2007-2008 NEW VARSITY COACHES

BOYS

School	Coach				
Austin	Mike Deaton	Hanover Central	Rod Bollenbacher	North Miami	Zack Henson
Bedford North Lawrence	Jamie Hudson	Hebron	Brend Drook	Northwood	Aaron Wolfe
Bellmont	Larry Patterson	Heritage	Nick Ankenbruck	Oregon-Davis	Ben Snyder
Benton Central	Kyle Spray	Heritage Hills	Matt Sisley	Perry Central	Matt Carter
Brebeuf Jesuit	Andrew Fagen	Indian Creek	Ryan Williamson	Perry Meridian	Bill Zych
Brown County	Roger Fleetwood	Indianapolis Crispus Attucks	Greg Orr	Plymouth	Michael Edison
Cambridge City Lincoln	Beau Scott	Indianapolis Ritter	Pete Bitting	Portage	Rick Snodgrass
Calumet	Carl Traicoiff	Indianapolis Metropolitan	Al Wilson	Prairie Heights	Brett Elxroth
Caston	Andrew Firth	Indianapolis Tech	John Hamilton	Riverton Parke	Matt Wadsworth
Clinton Central	Joe Smith	Indianapolis Tindley	OPEN	Seton Catholic	Scott Beaman
Columbia city	David Parker	Indianapolis Wood	Larry Harris	Shelbyville	Harry Larrabee
Columbus North	Darnell Archey	Jasper	John Goebel	Shoals	Brian Smith
Crawford County	Mike Brown	Jeffersonville	Tim LaGrange	South Dearborn	Kerry Brown
Christian Academy of Indiana	David Scott	Knightstown	John Howell	South Spencer	Bob Schulte
Culver Academy	Alan Hess	Lawrence Central	J. R. Shelt	South Vermillion	Rodney Idlewine
East Chicago Central	Abe Brown	Logansport	Mark Victor	Southmont	Dan Chadd
Elkhart Christian	OPEN	Maconaquah	Lucas Zartman	Southwood	John Burrus
Eminence	Todd Shupe	Medora	Mark Morin	Springs Valley	Josh Thompson
Evansville Harrison	Bryan Speer	Michigan City	Bob Buscher	Tri	Charlie Byrket
Evansville Mater Dei	Kurt Wildman	Michigan City Marquette	Eric Brauer	Tri-County	Jake Wiese
Fishers	Joe Leonard	Mishawaka Marian	Tim Barwick	Union (Dugger)	Clarence Johnson
Ft. Wayne Concordia	Josh Eggold	Monroe Central	Jeremy Duncan	Union (Modoc)	Mark Kerkhoff
Ft. Wayne Northrop	Al Rhodes	Morgan Township	Dustin Nelson	University	Mike Syrek
Ft. Wayne Wayne	John Leitz	New Creations	Tony Cole	Valparaiso	Chris Benedict
Glenn	Travis Hannah	New Prairie	Chad Cripe	Wapahani	Matt Luce
Hamilton	Ryan Yoder	New Washington	Jonathon May	Washington Twp.	Lew Rhinehart
Hamilton Heights	Chad Ballenger	North Harrison	Chris Martin	Whiting	Derrick Milenkoff
		North Knox	Aaron Hall	Winamac	Bill Ball

GIRLS

School	Coach				
Adams Central	Sam Beer	Frontier	Brent Kunkel	Penn	Mike Starrett
Alexandria	Jon Howell	Guerin Catholic	Jeff Buckner	Richmond	Troy Derengowski
Anderson	Shane Sumpter	Hamilton	Kimberly Armstrong	Rising Sun	Jim Jackson
Anderson Highland	Todd Windlan	Hammond	Open	Scottsburg	Tammy Geron
Benton Central	Pat Cole	Hammond Clark	Nikki Bergman	Shelbyville	Stacie Cepin
Bloomfield	Kyle von Almen	Highland	Jeanette Gray	Sheridan	Jeff Guenther
Bloomington North	Allana Harrington	Indian Creek	Dana Scott	South Bend Adams	OPEN
Blue River Valley	Josh Hallatt	Indianapolis Broad Ripple	Racquel Simpson	South Bend Riley	Sharon McBride
Borden	Charles Gardner	Indianapolis Crispus Attucks	Beth Kriech	South Newton	Amy Evans
Brownsburg	Amy Braurman	Kankakee Valley	Mike Sampson	South Ripley	Ashley Miller
Brownstown Central	Karla Rieckers	Keystone	OPEN	Southmont	Reasley Thompson
Carroll (Flora)	Mike McCroskey	LaCrosse	Brian McMahan	Southwestern (Shelby)	P. J. O'Malley
Churubusco	OPEN	Lafayette Harrison	Christy Smith Flowers	Speedway	Bob Angler
Clinton Central	Kyle Barrentine	Lake Central	Leslie Iwema	Springs Valley	Kelly Schmitt
Clinton Prairie	Jason Haird	Lakeview Christian	OPEN	Sullivan	Julie Meeks
Crown Point	Scott Reid	Lawrenceburg	Abby Friend	Tipton	Evan Beauchamp
Culver Community	Ashli Senff	Loogootee	David Smith	Turkey Run	Sam Karr
Danville	Terry Hammonds	Madison Grant	John Irwin	Union (Modoc)	Mike Thornburg
Delta	Matt Perdue	Mishawaka	Kevin Gradeless	Valparaiso	David McGonigle
Dekalb	Nick David	Mitchell	Frank Decker	Vincennes Rivet	Tim Young
Delphi	Dan Dawson	Monroe Central	Jeff Tharp	Wapahani	Ryan New
Eastern Hancock	Lindsey Roberson	Morgan Twp.	Kevin Krieger	Warren Central	Dave Burton
Eastern (Pekin)	Mike McBride	Muncie South	John Hall	Washington Twp.	Kari Nelson
Edgewood	Gary Sims	Munster	Jim Davidson	Wes-Del	Lance Turner
Elwood	Candice Williams	New Castle	Curt Bell	West Lafayette	Jane Schott
Evansville Reitz	John Shellenberg	New Haven	Gary Cobb	Wheeler	Marc Bruner
Frankton	Brett Brobston	Northeastern	Brent Ross	Whiting	Kevin Moynihan
Ft. Wayne Blackhawk Chr.	Cory Hooley	North Montgomery	Allison Skapin	Yorktown	Kari Wortinger
Ft. Wayne Luers	Greg Friend	Northridge	Doug Springer		
Ft. Wayne North	Greg Rahrer	Northview	Chad Smith		
Ft. Wayne Northrop	Doug Curtis	Northwestern	Todd Miller		
Ft. Wayne Wayne	C. J. Graf	North White	Todd Shriver		
		Paoli	Amanda Sizemore		

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JUNIOR MANNIES AND MARION CRAWLEY AWARD WINNERS

IBCA Grants in the amount of \$500.00 each were awarded last spring to deserving recipients who helped perpetuate our great game of basketball in Indiana. These are students who help make coaching a great profession. The IBCA has awarded over \$370,000 in grants to our young people.

Junior Mammies Awards

Name	Coach	School	Position
Andrea Braun	Lou Koning	Bellmont	Girl player
Kimberlee Gabriel	Jeff Fisher	Taylor	Boys' Manager
Eric Pulley	Aaron Cain	Shenandoah	Boys' Manager

Marion Crawley Awards

Managers/Trainers/Statisticians/Cheerleaders

Name	Coach	School	Position
Joe Dwenger	Kyle Nobbe	North Decatur	Boys' Manager
Jenna Frady	Bob Nobbe	Hauser	Cheerleader
Jenna Langley	Basil Mawbey	Lewis Cass	Cheerleader
Kyle Nelson	Scott Heady	Warren Central	Student Trainer
Jenna Ramer	Dave Cox	Plymouth	Student Trainer
Sean Smith	Tyrone Anderson	Clarksville Providence	Girls' Manager
Chad Welty	John Wysong	Fairfield	Boys' Manager
Jordin Zienta	Neal Frantz	Fremont	Girls' Manager

Boys

Name	Coach	School	Position
Kevin Ballenger	Wayne Barker	Bluffton	Player
Jon Brown	Mike Drews	Elkhart Central	Player
Dylan Buchanan	Jeff VanArsdel	Harrison	Player
Brian DeShone	Randy Deshone	Jimtown	Player
Jon Graves	Mike King	Cowan	Player
Beau Huelster	Bill Bowen	Hamilton Heights	Player
Andrew Iceberg	Brian Graham	Rising Sun	Player
Kirk McCollough	David McCollough	Noblesville	Player
Gabe Miller	Bob Nobbe	Hauser	Player
Tyler Nickless	Ron McBride	Bloomfield	Player
Joe Osborn	Gary Merrell	Blackhawk Christian	Player
Jess Roberson	Brian Kehrer	Perry Central	Player
Wade Shidler	Alan Huggler	Winamac	Player
Mike Thomas	Ron Dietz	Mishawaka Marian	Player
Evan Wasson	Brian Cardin	New Harmony	Player
Chris Yost	David Disbro	East Central	Player
Carlos Zepeda	Brian Bechtel	Goshen	Player

Girls

Name	Coach	School	Position
Kristen Alexander	Jim Swaney	Winamac	Player
Kaleesa Archer	Brian Bowen	Switzerland County	Player
Jessica Brown	Brad Odom	Fountain Central	Player
Jena Elder	Jason Barth	Rising Sun	Player
Desiray Hoffman	Adam Barton	New Palestine	Player
Whitney Hoffman	Stacey Brewer	Anderson Highland	Player
Kali Hopkins	Leslie VanHoy	Loogootee	Player
Kelsey Kegerreis	Denise McClanahan	Southport	Player
Nicole Klass	Corey Simon	Evansville North	Player
Erin Looper	Stacey Brewer	Anderson Highland	Player
Ashley Neidig	Mike Powless	Evansville Central	Player
Courtney Shewmaker	Todd Salkoski	Shenandoah	Player
Margaret Stoltz	Roger Sills	Evansville Mater Dei	Player

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INDIANA ALL-STARS

BY PAT AIKMAN



With a nearly 20% surge in attendance in Indianapolis and a clean sweep of the girls' and boys' doubleheaders in June, the 2007 Indiana All-Stars left little to be desired.

Mr. Basketball Eric Gordon, with 32 points, paced the boys' win in Bowling Green, KY, 92-79 the first weekend. Shortly before, the Hoosier girls, with six players in double figures, stopped Kentucky, 104-80.

"What can I say, girls coach Larry Pringle said after the game. "They went out and got the job done tonight. I thought our guard play was awesome. My hat's off to those kids for the way they handled the press."

Sydney Smallbone led Indiana with 23 points. Corrie West followed with 15 and then came Miss Basketball Ta'Shia Phillips with 13 points and eight rebounds, Becca Brusewski and Brittany Bowen with 12 each and Sha'la Jackson with 11.

Etwan Moore backed up Gordon with 15 points and 10 rebounds. Five other players had six or more as Indiana took a 47-33 halftime lead in the boys' game and then coasted to victory for Coach Mike Miller.

Sha'la and Etwan also shared the prestigious John Wooden/MCL ALL-Star Citizenship Award presented to a player on each Indiana team at halftime of their respective games. The 11 candidates were nominated by their schools. The winners were chosen by a panel of judges from the Indianapolis-based interstate restaurant company. Each player received a gift certificate and each school's athletic department received a check for \$500.

The game scripts were virtually duplicated a week later before over 7,424 in Conesco Fieldhouse, with one exception.

Kentucky's girls jumped out to a 44-34 intermission lead. Phillips played only the first 3:40 of the first half after picking up a second foul. "In the second half, she showed why she's Miss Basketball," enthused Pringle. "She's awesome, strong and she's got heart. When we needed her, she was there." In the final half she scored 12 points, had 10 rebounds, four blocks and two steals. Seven players had five or more points in the 90-72 win. Brusewski, named the game's MVP, had 14 plus nine rebounds and three assists, Smallbone had 13 while Jassmine Ussey tossed in 11.

The boys also manhandled Kentucky, 104-87, taking a 44-31 halftime lead. Reporters after the game raised the question "Just how good was Indiana's 2007 boys' team?" Miller had an answer. He's watched this group since they played with his son, Kyle, in elementary school.

"I think these guys (the '07 team) would agree with me. We'd be happy to keep this group together and play any and all takers," Miller said, evoking the 2006 All-Stars led by now pros Greg Oden and Mike Conley for comparison. "If Oden wants to come back with Conley and get last year's team together, we'll take 'em on. It'd be a great game. I don't know if we'd get them or not, but we'd play them...."

Scott Martin was named the game's MVP. He had 12 points, 10 rebounds and three assists in 18 minutes. Gordon had 20 points, Matt Howard had 12 and nine rebounds. Ben Botts and Nate Blank each scored 11 points.

HOOSIER BASKETBALL MAGAZINE HOSTS TOP 40 WORKOUTS

BY GARRY DONNA

Forty of Indiana's best 2007-2008 senior boys', as well as 40 of Indiana's best senior girls' high school players will be invited to participate in Hoosier Basketball's 2008 Top 40 Workouts held in conjunction with the IHSAA and the Indiana Basketball Coaches Association. Ten alternates will also be invited to participate in each workout.

The 27th annual Girls' Top 40 Workout will be at Ben Davis High School in Indianapolis on a Sunday in the spring of 2008.

The 21st annual Boys' Top 40 Workout will take place at Pike High School in Indianapolis on a Sunday in the spring of 2008.

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

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 2008 Girls' Top 40 Workout, assisted by IBCA-member coaches representing all of Indiana. IBCA-member coaches Billy Wright of Pike and Larry Nicks of Indianapolis Arlington will be directing and conducting the Boys' Top 40.

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

For further details, call Garry Donna at 317.925.8200.

BIG WEEKEND FOR HIGH SCHOOL BASKETBALL IN INDIANAPOLIS

April 25, 26, 27, 2008

30th Annual IBCA Spring Clinic

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

Lawrence North High School
Friday April 25, 2008
12:00 noon to 10:00 pm
Saturday April 26, 2008
8:00am - 12:30pm

Sixth 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 26, 2008
2:00 PM

HOOSIER BASKETBALL MAGAZINE IN 38TH YEAR

BY GARRY DONNA

The 38th annual issue of Hoosier Basketball Magazine has a target publication date of November 1, 2007. 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—over 850 in all.

Publisher Garry Donna reports that three outstanding senior high school boys will be featured on the center of the 2007-2008 front cover of Hoosier Basketball Magazine. They are Julius Mays (Marion), Walter Offutt (Warren Central) and Tyler Zeller (Washington).

Other high school senior boys to appear on the cover include Garrett Butcher (Edgewood), Randy Davis (Plymouth), Logan Jones (Madison), Kyle Kuric (Evansville Memorial), Zack Novak (Chesterton), Zavier Sanders (Northwestern), and Larry Stone (Indianapolis Howe).

High School senior girls to appear as well are Briana Bass (North Central-Marion) Maggie Boyer (Lebanon), Alex Guyton (Bloomington North), Emily Phillips (South Bend Washington), and Brittany Rayburn (Attica).

College standouts Eric Gordon (Indiana) and A.J. Graves (Butler) will also be featured on the cover. So will Indiana Pacer Mike Dunleavy and Tammy Sutton-Brown 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 hoosierbllmag@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.

VIEW FROM CENTER COURT

BY ROGER DICKINSON

It is a stupendous honor to be inducted into the Indiana Basketball Hall of Fame. This is illustrated by the number of individuals that are on the list of distinguished candidates. It is an extremely difficult task to narrow the number of candidates to a workable list that will be evaluated further until the number of desired candidates is finalized. Perhaps you know of someone that should be nominated. It is too late for the current school year, but you are encouraged to nominate the candidate of your choice by August 2008.

Below are the general guidelines for the election process to the Indiana Basketball Hall of Fame:

Step 1: Anyone can be nominated for consideration for induction into the Indiana Basketball Hall of Fame by filling out an application form. The candidate or any supporting fan can fill out the form. The form must be submitted to the Hall of Fame by the first of September.

Step 2: The Board of Directors will hold an open meeting on a Thursday in late September. Basketball fans are welcome to attend and will be given a minute or two to speak in behalf of their favorite candidate. The Hall will make available a summary sheet containing the highlights of each candidate's athletic career.

Step 3: Each of the Board of Directors and Directors Emeritus will be able to cast a ballot. The ballots will be tabulated and the 25 candidates receiving the greatest number of votes will have their name submitted to the Screening Committee.

Step 4: The Veterans' Committee shall recommend up to five names of those nominees who graduated from high school at least sixty years ago. The Committee will narrow the list to three candidates for further consideration.

Step 5: A Screening Committee will meet and review the application forms. The Committee members will verify the candidates' basketball accomplishments. In addition the Committee will look at such criteria as the candidates' accomplishments in high school, college and the candidates' life in general. Community activities, business success, character and other worthy accomplishments will be evaluated. Any candidate convicted of a felony will be disqualified due to not meeting the profile of good character that is desired of every inductee.

The Screening Committee will determine any team that won the state basketball championship and went the entire season undefeated. Such a team is eligible for induction 50 years after winning the state title.

The Screening Committee will recommend an approved list of nominees and teams(s) for consideration by the Anonymous Committee.

Step 6: The Anonymous Committee shall recommend to the Director and the Director Emeritus, for induction into the Hall of Fame, between six and thirteen living or deceased nominees (at least one must have graduated from high school sixty or more years ago). In addition from the Anonymous Committee will recommend any team that qualifies for induction honors. Each person recommended to the Directors and Directors Emeritus for induction shall have received a majority vote from the Anonymous Committee.

Step 7: The nominees submitted by the Anonymous Committee shall be elected and inducted by a majority vote of the Directors and Directors Emeritus. The vote will occur in November.

Coaches that do not have a basketball game on December 27 or 28 are encouraged to bring their team and enjoy the City Securities Hall of Fame Classic. All games are played at the New Castle Fieldhouse and this year's field is as competitive as ever.

City Securities Hall of Fame Classic

Girls Tournament | December 27, 2007

10:00 AM Huntington North vs. Lapel
12:00 Noon Terre Haute South vs. Greenfield Central
6:00 PM Consolation Game
8:00 PM Championship Game

Boys Tournament | December 28, 2007

10:00 AM Batesville vs. Edgewood
12:00 Noon Marion vs. New Albany
6:00 PM Consolation Game
8:00 PM Championship Game

If you foresee having a good team this season, an even better one for the 2008-2009 season, please let someone know at the Indiana Basketball Hall of Fame if you desire to apply for the December 2008 Classic.

Thanks for your interest.
Yours in sports,

Roger Dickinson



HOOSIER BASKETBALL CELEBRATION ITS OUR GAME

Presented by the Indiana Pacers and Conseco
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Concept Mission:

To create an inclusive community event, featuring the Indiana Pacers, that celebrates the tradition and history of Indiana basketball, and includes participation of all who embrace the sport at any level throughout the state.

Goals:

- * Involve the community, at all ages, in a program that radiates affirmative attitude toward the Pacer program, and basketball as a positive-influence sport.
- * Encourage family involvement.
- * Highlight Pacers tradition and history.
- * Highlight the positive lessons and values gained from involvement in the sport of basketball.
- * Allow community to meet the players and build loyalty.
- * Garner favorable media coverage for the Pacers, and others involved in the sport.

Event Summary:

Date: Sunday, October 28

Event Highlights include:

- * Outreach to age-group, high school and college coaches and players, cheerleaders, bands, mascots, officials and fans of all ages will be the key component to this celebration of basketball.
- * A basketball dribble from Monument Circle to Conseco Fieldhouse, including 5000 registrants of all ages from across the state of Indiana, who will set a Guinness World Record, highlighting Indiana as a "basketball state".
- * Words of wisdom from basketball greats such as Larry Bird and John Wooden, and Pacers Coach Jim O'Brien, as well as an opportunity to meet the Pacers team members.
- * Player, fan and celebrity skill challenges, entertainment throughout the event, and the opportunity for fans to shoot on the Conseco Fieldhouse basketball court.

Tentative Schedule:

Sunday 2:00 pm – 4:00 pm	October 28, 2007 Registration for Dribble	Indianapolis, IN Monument Circle
3:00 pm – 3:45 pm	Crowd Entertainment Former Pacers interact with Dribblers High School bands/cheer squads perform Mascot interacts with Dribblers Short Concert	Monument Circle
3:30 pm	Doors open to non-Dribblers	Conseco Fieldhouse
3:45 pm – 4:00 pm	Introductions and Dribble begins Introduce Pacers & Fever teams Motivational words to begin dribble Lead Car with Celebrity kicks off dribble	Monument Circle
4:00 pm – 4:45 pm	Dribble Parade occurs	Monument Circle to Conseco Fieldhouse
5:00 pm – 5:30 pm	Concert or Band Entertainment Speaking Program begins	Conseco Fieldhouse
5:30 pm – 5:45 pm	Player Introductions Coach O'Brien speaks Announcement of World Record	Conseco Fieldhouse
5:45 pm – 6:45 pm	Players, Celebrities, and Fans participate in Skills Challenges Interactive discussions with Basketball Greats Pacemates performance and other entertaining skits	Conseco Fieldhouse
6:45 pm – 7:30 pm	Fans opportunity to Shoot on Pacers Court	Conseco Fieldhouse

COACHES VS CANCER

Since its inception in 1993, Coaches vs Cancer has raised more than \$23 million dollars. This program enables the American Cancer Society to support important work, including ground breaking research that saves lives, education, advocacy and patient's services. We all know of friends or relatives that have been afflicted by this horrible disease.

We need every coach to participate. We are asking every boys' or girls' basketball coach to pick a game during the month of January and promote Coaches Vs Cancer by wearing sneakers during that game. During this game we are asking you to pass a container through the crowd (or make one available at your ticket counter) for fans to make donations. (Checks should be made out to the American Cancer Society.) After the game we ask you to do the following e-mail or write Steve Witty to let him know you participated and how much money was collected. Bob Lovell of WIBC Scoreboard Show would also like to hear how much you collected. Send a check for the amount collected. Send a check (payable to the American Cancer Society) to Steve Witty, P. O. Box 638, Plainfield, In 46168, who will forward it to the Coaches Vs Cancer office or you can send it directly to your local American Cancer Society Office.

Please make your plans now and include it in your schedule of games for this season. Our goal is 100% participation of all High Schools in Indiana.

2007 HOOSIERS' REUNION ALL-STAR CLASSIC BY GARRY DONNA

The Historic HOOSIER GYM Committee of Knightstown, Indiana, in conjunction with Hoosier Basketball Magazine and Pacesetter Sports of Terre Haute, will host the third annual Hoosiers' Reunion All-Star Classic on Friday, June 6, 2008. This high school All-Star girls' and boys' double header will be played on the movie home court of the "Hickory Huskers" in Knightstown, Indiana.

Forty-four of Indiana senior boys' and girls' basketball players from the class of 2008 will be invited to participate in this event. The girls' game will begin at 6:00 p.m. with the boys 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 2008. 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 website (www.hoosierbasketballmagazine.com).

For more details and ticket information about the Hoosiers' Reunion All-Star Classic please call Classic Coordinator Garry Donna of Hoosier Basketball Magazine at (317) 925-8200 or send an email to hoosierbblmag@earthlink.net There are fewer than 700 tickets available for this historic basketball event and all seats are reserved.

EXECUTIVE DIRECTORS OF STATE BASKETBALL COACHES ASSOCIATIONS MEET BY STEVE WITTY

For the third straight year Executive Director Steve Witty met in Indianapolis on July 17 and 18, 2007 with the leaders of other State Basketball Coaches Associations to create a forum for the exchange of ideas among state coaches association.

There is a general consensus that basketball coaches need to have a more influential voice at the National level with the National Federation as well as the NABC.

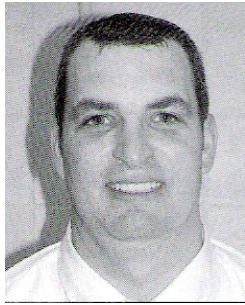
A new organization called the National Association of High School Basketball Directors (NAHSBD) was formed to provide a voice for high school basketball. Members of this organization will be State Basketball Coaches Association Directors. Dave Archer, the executive Director from New York was selected as the first president of the NAHSBD. Tom Hursey, Executive Director of the Basketball Association of Michigan was named 1st Vice President and Steve Witty was named 2nd Vice President. Pat Carroll of the Ohio Basketball Coaches Association was named Secretary.

During the month of September, Tom Hursey from Michigan represented the NAHSBD in Kansas City at an NABC meeting and Steve Witty met with Jim Haney, the Executive Director of the NABC in Indianapolis. The NABC recognizes this new organization and has invited representative to their meetings for input. So far 25 states that have High School Basketball Coaches Associations have been invited to join this new national organization.

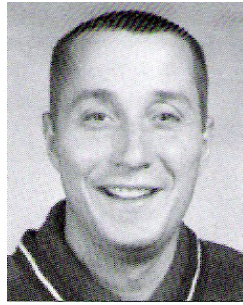


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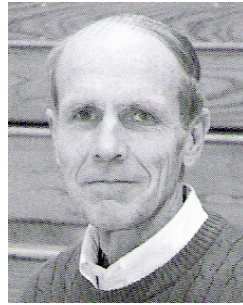
Boys' Coaches



Travis Hannah
Oregon Davis - 1A



Jim Gish
Northwestern - 2A

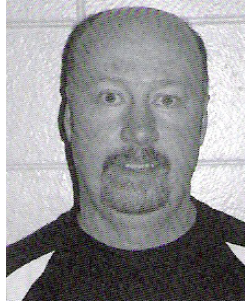


Jack Edison
Plymouth - 3A

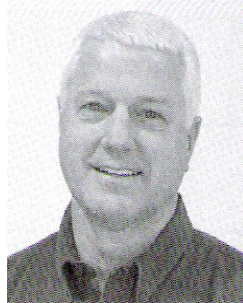


Pete Trgovich
East Chicago Central - 4A

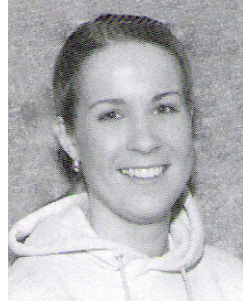
Girls' Coaches



Terry Minix
Oregon Davis - 1A



Rick Risinger
Heritage Christian - 2A



Kendall Kreinhagen
Brebeuf Jesuit - 3A



Marilyn Coddens
South Bend Washington - 4A

2006-2007 ALL-STAR COACHES

Boys' Coaches



Mike Miller - Head Coach
Lawrence Central



Jerry Bomholt - Assistant
Shawe Memorial



Murray Mendenhall - Assistant
Fort Wayne Wayne

Girls' Coaches



Larry Pringle - Head Coach
Triton Central



Curt Bell - Assistant
New Castle



Marty Niehaus - Assistant
Forest Park

**20TH ANNUAL INDIANA
NORTH/SOUTH ALL-STAR CLASSIC
BY GARRY DONNA**

Hoosier Basketball Magazine announces that the 20th annual Indiana North/South All-Star Classic will be held at Vincennes University in Vincennes, Indiana on Sunday, March 30, 2008.

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

All four rosters for the 2008 Indiana North/South All-Star Classic- both girls and boys- will be finalized in early 2008. 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 website (www.hoosierbasketballmagazine.com).

For more details about the 2008 Indiana North/South All-Star Classic please call Classic Coordinator Garry Donna of Hoosier Basketball Magazine at (317) 925-8200 or send e-mail to hoosierbllmag@earthlink.net.



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