

#### Lindsay Schroeder, *East Jordan*

The Red Devil senior showed her leadership in helping East Jordan earn a Lake Michigan Conference win over Boyne City with a strong 13 point outing. Schroeder also added 12 points and six rebound in a contest against Kalkaska.

## athletes of the week

#### Winter Romeyn, Ellsworth

The Lancer guard helped the team pick up a Northern Lakes Conference victory over Harbor Light with a 20 point, seven rebound effort on nine of 12 shooting. Winter also scored 17 points in a tough game against East Jordan.





# Ramblers stand alone atop the Lake Michigan Conference

## Fourth quarter surge by Boyne the difference

By Chris Fiel

#### Boyne City 57, East Jordan 42

EAST JORDAN — Corey Redman and Zach Napont both finished in double figures for Boyne City, as the Ramblers pulled away late down the stretch for a 57-42 Lake Michigan Conference victory over East Jordan and sole possession of first place on February 6, in front of a packed, standing room only gym in East Jordan.

The Ramblers, 10-2 overall, 7-1 conference, and winners of 10 straight, used an 18-4 advantage in the fourth quarter to turn a 39-38 lead into the final score, led by Cole Butler as the senior swingman netted seven of his nine in the final frame.

Boyne held the Red Devils without a field goal in the quarter, limiting EJ to four free throws, all from junior Collin Bajko.

"We played a great fourth quarter to get a nice win on the road," Boyne City coach Nick Redman said. "Great experience for the kids to play in games like that. Packed gym full of Enthusiasm. Fun."

The Ramblers came roaring out of the gates to begin the game as Redman made his presence known early blocking two East Jordan shot attempts on the same series, leading to a Boyne City fastbreak to Cole Butler. Dalton Gardner would follow with another easy Rambler layup seconds later, forcing the Red Devils to use an early timeout just over a minute into the contest. East Jordan would respond to the early Boyne City start, pulling even at 7-7 with just under four minutes to play in the quarter, behind a Colin Petrie three-pointer, a pair of Jordan Weber free throws and a Thomas Brandell putback.



### UPCOMING GAMES

#### Feb. 12 Girls:

Gaylord St. Mary's @ Pellston Onaway @ Inland Lakes Bellaire @ Joburg-Lewiston Cheboygan @ Rudyard Mancelona @ Forest Area Alanson @ Alba Ellsworth @ Wolverine Harbor Light @ Boyne Falls

#### Feb. 13

Boys: Gaylord @ T.C. West Alpena @ Petoskey

Charlevoix @ Harbor Springs Cheboygan @ Rudyard Grayling @ Boyne City Traverse St. Francis @ East Jordan

Elk Rapids @ Kalkaska Joburg-Lewiston @ Central Lake Pellston @ Forest Area Bellaire @ Inland Lakes Mancelona @ Onaway Mackinaw City @ Vanderbilt Boyne Falls @ Harbor Light Alba @ Alanson Ellsworth @ Wolverine

#### Girls:

Petoskey @ Alpena T.C. West @ Gaylord Charlevoix @ Harbor Springs Grayling @ Boyne City T.C. St. Francis @ East Jordan Elk Rapids @ Kalkaska

The Ramblers would then go on an 8-2 run to close out the quarter for a 15-9 Boyne lead.

With a few of the Boyne City starters strapped with foul trouble, coach Redman elected to sit them the entire quarter as the Rambler bench was able to come through, although East Jordan was able to outscore Boyne 14-9 in the quarter, as the Red Devils took a 23-20 lead with 1:15 remaining in the quarter, with EJ getting eight points from Weber and five from Petrie. A pair of baskets with under a minute to play from Colton Sieradski and Napont were just enough for Boyne to pull out a 24-23 lead going into halftime.

"We got off to a great start then had some



East Jordan junior guard, Jordan Weber (32) pushes the ball upcourt late in the contest against Boyne City. (PHOTO BY CINDA SHUMAKER)

Corey Redman (2) floats in for two of his 18 points with a birdseye view of the hoop in the Ramblers 57-42 win over the Red Devils. East Jordan's Colin Petrie (24) defends. (PHOTO BY CINDA SHUMAKER)

early foul trouble so our bench stepped up and kept us in it," coach Redman added.

The two teams would return to the floor following intermission and match each other blow for blow, shot for shot, like two heavyweight boxers engaged in a tight battle, with both teams scoring 15 points apiece, and the Ramblers clinging to a 39-38 lead headed into the final eight minutes of regulation.

Boyne would begin the fourth quarter scoring with an under the basket inbound play to Redman, as the senior would lay in an easy left handed shot at the glass for a 41-38 Rambler lead at the 7:17 mark.

On the Red Devils next trip, Gardner would make a steal and go the distance to a layup with 6:45 left in the contest and a 43-38 lead.

Boyne would misfire on their next two possessions, while the Red Devils would be called for a pair of offensive fouls on their next two trips down the court, sandwiched around a Redman driving basket down the middle of the lane.

Butler would push the Rambler lead to double digits, 48-38 with a triple from the left wing

with just over five minutes to play.

East Jordan's Collin Bajko would nail a pair of free throws on the Red Devils next possession, breaking the teams scoring drought with 4:54 on the clock.

Boyne would then go on another run (9-2) to end the game and take over first place in the LMC.

Redman would finish with 18 points, seven rebounds, three assists and two blocks to lead Boyne, while Napont added 14 points, four boards and three assists.

Also for the Ramblers, Butler had nine points and nine rebounds and Gardner added eight points, three assists and two steals.

East Jordan, (9-2, 6-2) was paced by Weber with a game-high 20 points, while Petrie added 13 and Bajko chipped in with five points, all from the free throw line.

At press time, on February 10, the Ramblers will be visiting Elk Rapids and the Red Devils will travel to Charlevoix. On Friday, February 13, East Jordan hosts TC St. Francis, while Boyne hosts Grayling.

#### Feb. 16

#### Boys:

Boyne Falls @ Gaylord St. Mary Maplewood Baptist @ Harbor Light Christian

#### Girls:

Maplewood Baptist @ Harbor Light Christian

#### Feb. 17

#### Boys:

Petoskey @ Sault Ste. Marie Cheboygan @ Gaylord Harbor Springs @ Boyne City Kalkaska @ East Jordan Charlevoix @ Grayling Burt Lake NMCA @ Harbor Light

#### **Girls**:

Sault Ste. Marie @ Petoskey Gaylord @ Cheboygan Boyne City @ Harbor Springs Grayling @ Charlevoix Boyne Falls @ Bellaire Joburg-Lewiston @ Pellston Forest Area @ Central Lake Onaway @ Gaylord St. Mary Inland Lakes @ Mancelona Mackinaw City @ Detour Harbor Light @ Atlanta

#### Feb. 18

#### Boys:

Central Lake @ Mancelona Forest Area @ Onaway Inland Lakes @ Pellston

#### Girls:

Ellsworth @ Bellaire



Sports

## GIRLS BASKETBALL

## Lady Red Devils hold off Ramblers 47-38



#### By Chris Fiel

#### East Jordan 47, Boyne City 38

EAST JORDAN — The East Jordan girls basketball team picked up a hard-fought Lake Michigan Conference win over neighboring Boyne City, 47-38 on February 6.

The Red Devils moved to 3-11 overall, 2-7 conference, on the season with the win, while the Ramblers fell to 1-13, 1-7.

East Jordan senior Lindsay Schroeder scored eight of her team-high 13 points in the paint during the opening quarter, as the Red Devils built a 10-5 lead.

"Very pleased with our performance tonight, four good quarters, tough defense and best night shooting the ball in a long time," East Jordan coach Steve Hines said. "Lindsay (Schroeder) set the tone for the game tonight as she had numerous steals in the first half that she converted into buckets. She showed her leadership skills tonight as she was dominant at times."

The second quarter saw EJ move to the outside as Kendall McNitt connected on two longrange bombs and Miranda Burks added another for the Red Devils as they held off a Ramblers push, led by four points each from Celena Brzezinski and Hannah Hoth for a 23-15 East Jordan lead headed into halftime.

Following intermission, the Red Devils would continue to utilize their outside game as Jill Atwood connected for a pair of triples before pounding it inside for easy looks from Schroeder, Burks and Kassey Wojan.

Boyne tried to keep it close by going inside to Jordan Weiss and the junior responded with four points, while Brzezinski added two baskets off of steals. East Jordan would still hold a

LEFT: Lindsay Schroeder (24) of East Jordan drives in for two of her team-high 13 points in the Red Devils win over the Ramblers as Boyne's Makayla Baker (12) defends. (PHOTO BY CINDA SHUMAKER) 38-23 cushion after three quarters of play.

A strong 15 point effort by the Ramblers in the fourth quarter, led by Brzezinski and Hoth would close the gap, but Boyne would run out of time as EJ was able to get a basket when needed and close the game out from the charity stripe, making five in the quarter.

In addition to Schroeder's efforts, Burks would finish with 11 points, while Atwood and McNitt each chipped in with six points each as all seven Red Devils got in the scoring column.

Kassey Wojan led EJ with eight rebounds and three assists, while Burks and Schroeder each grabbed seven, with Burks adding three assists.

"Everyone scored tonight and we did a great job on the defensive boards tonight," coach Hines added. "Miranda played her best all around game tonight, nice to see her hard work beginning to pay off."

Brzezinski led the Ramblers with 16 points, while Hoth added nine and Weiss netted six.

#### Kalkaska 70, East Jordan 34

KALKASKA — The Red Devils ran into a hot shooting Blazer team and were unable to match Kalkaska's effort as they fell 70-34 in a Lake Michigan Conference girls basketball game on February 3.

The Blazers led at the quarter breaks 18-8, 36-18 and 58-28.

"Rough night for the Lady Red Devils as we turned the ball over too many times and we were out of sync on both ends of the floor," East Jordan coach Steve Hines said.

Lindsay Schroeder paced EJ with 12 points and six rebounds, while Kassey Wojan and Kaitlin Hines netted six points apiece.

Wojan was also credited by coach Hines with a great night on the boards, as she hauled in 13.

Kalkaska was led by Taylor Kirby with 14 points, while McKenzie Wilkenson added 13 and Rann Homan had 12.

The Red Devils slipped to 2-11 overall, 1-7 conference.

BELOW: Charlevoix senior, Leah Davis (12) gets off this left-handed layup over the outstretched arm of an Elk Rapids defender. (PHOTO BY SCOTT RICHARDS)



## Lady Rayders roll over visiting Elk Rapids 48-20

#### By Chris Fiel

#### Charlevoix 48, Elk Rapids 20

CHARLEVOIX — The Charlevoix girls basketball team put together both strong offensive and defensive efforts in rolling past Elk Rapids, 48-20 in a Lake Michigan Conference matchup on February 6.

The Rayders led at the quarter breaks 17-4, 26-4 and 40-11 in earning their fifth win of the season, fourth in the league. (5-8, 4-4).

Alexis Tribfelner finished with 13 points, three assists and three steals and Kourtney Putman added nine points and seven boards in leading Charlevoix to victory.

Olivia Storm added seven points and five rebounds; Rachel Nesburg had six points, two assists and two steals; Ellie Way chipped in with five assists and three steals; and both Lead Davis and Hannah Zipp hauled in five rebounds apiece for the Rayders.

"The girls played great team defense, (we) also did a better job taking care of the ball," Radyer coach Liz Shaw said. "It was great seeing the girls settle down in their game have fun and enjoy playing for each other and for Charlevoix Rayders."



Rachael Nesburg of Chx battles for a loose ball in traffic in the first half. (PHOTO BY SCOTT RICHARDS)

#### SKIING

## STANDINGS FOR BOYNE MOUNTAIN RACE LEAGUE AS OF 2/4/15.

Team Format: 1-Barden Lumber I, 8.84; 2-Riverside Tire, 7.56; 3-East Jordan Plastics 1, 7.24; 4-Hart FORD, 5.91. Handicap Format: 1-Skee Dawgs, 18t, Punctuality Vending, 18t; 3-Punctual Vendetta, 17.5; 4-Wild Wild Women of Gaylord Bowling Center, 17t, Kitchen Farms, 17t; 6-Wildwood Rush, 16; 7-East Jordan Plastics 2, 15.5t, Pat O'Brien & Associates, 15.5t; 9-Greenhouse Gases, 15t, Skee Dawgs Too!, 15t; 11-We're Here For Beer, 14; 12-Shaggy's Copper Country Skis, 13.5; 13-Boyne Bombers, 12.5t, Boyne 10 Min Oil Change, 12.5t; 15-Boyne Avenue Greenhouse, 12t, Rieth-Riley Construction Company, 12t; 17-Barden Lumber II, 8.5; 18-Lange Vending, 4.5.

Fastest Male: Andrew Smith, Barden Lumber I, 27.14

Fastest Female: Katherine Rowley, Pat O'Brien & Associates, 29.53

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BOYS BASE **BOYS BASKETBALL** 

## **Rayders muscle their way to victory**

**By Chris Fiel** 

#### Charlevo6ix 50, Elk Rapids 46

CHARLEVOIX — The Rayders got 18 points from senior Nate Moon as Charlevoix defeated Elk Rapids 50-46, in a Lake Michigan Conference boys basketball game on February 6.

The contest was close throughout the night with neither team able to pull away from the other, even when Charlevoix was able to put a seven point lead on Elk Rapids early in the fourth quarter, the Elks didn't fold and knotted the score late in the contest.

Kevin Pearl and Noah Jeakle each chipped in with nine points for the Rayders, who improve to 5-6 overall, 5-3 conference.

The Elks were led by Shae Sommers and Adam Trautman with 13 points each.

RIGHT: Noah Jeakle (10) of Charlevoix lets a triple fly from the right corner, just in front of the Rayder student body section during play in the second half. (PHOTO BY SCOTT RICHARDS)

BELOW: Charlevoix guard, Walker Drost (22) gets control of a loose ball as Elk Rapids Shae Sommers (10) closes in. Drost would maintain possession on the play and find an open teammate. (PHOTO BY SCOTT RICHARDS)





### Lancers fall to **Red Devils** Earn league win over Swordsmen

#### **By Chris Fiel**

#### East Jordan 67, Ellsworth 50

ELLSWORTH — East Jordan got 22 points from Collin Bajko and 21 from Jordan Weber as the Red Devils defeated the host Lancers 67-50 on February 9

EJ took a 21-11 lead after one quarter of play and pulled ahead 36-23 headed into halftime, and were up 47-31 after three quarters.

The Lancers were led by Winter Romeyn with 17 points, while Zach Wynkoop had 12 and Zeb Collins finished with 12 rebounds.

#### Ellsworth 54, Harbor Light 36

ELLSWORTH — The Ellsworth boys basketball team picked up a Northern Lakes Conference win over the Swordsmen 54-36 behind a 20 point, seven rebound effort from Winter Romeyn on February 6. Romeyn finished nine of 12 shooting from the floor.

The Lancers led at the quarter breaks, 9-5, 21-10 and 42-26.

"We did a great job of controlling the rebounds and played very solid defense tonight," Ellsworth coach Kirk Ikens said. "We efficiently moved the ball around, giving us quality shots from the field.

In addition to Romeyn's efforts, Zeb Collins finished with a double-double, 14 points and 10 boards, while Tyler Drenth grabbed 10 rebounds as well.

Ellsworth improves to 7-5 overall, 5-5 conference with the win.

Lucas Matthews had 16 points and Caleb Wendt added 14 for Harbor Light.









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## MICHIGAN ASSOCIATED PRESS HIGH SCHOOL SPORTS TEAM RANKINGS

#### Wrestling Division 1

1 Brighton (1) 2 Anchor Bay (2) 3 Hartland (3) 4 Detroit CC (4) 5 Davison (5) 6 Walled Lake Central (6) 7 Grand Haven (7) 8 Grandville (8) 9 Grand Ledge (9) 10 Monroe (10)

#### Division 2

1 St Johns (1) 2 Lowell (2) 3 Niles (3) 4 Eaton Rapids (4) 5 DeWitt (5) 6 Gaylord (6) 7 Flint Kearsley (7) 8 Bay City Western (8) 9 Mason (NR) 10 Tecumseh (NR)

**Division 3** 1 Dundee (1) 2 Richmond (2) 7 Grand Rapids CC (3) 3 Remus Chippewa Hills (4) 4 Birch Run (5) 5 Whitehall (6) 8 Allegan (7)

6 Caro (8) 9 Swan Valley (9) 10 Allendale (10)

#### Division 4

1 New Lothrop (1) 2 Hudson (2) 3 Lawton (3) 4 Decatur (4) 5 Springport (5) 6 Addison (6) 7 Manchester (7) 8 Pine River (8) 9 Carson City Crystal (9) 10 Schoolcraft (10)

#### Michigan Boys Basketball Class A

(First-place votes) (Record) Points 1. Detroit Western International (5) (14-0) 75 2. Muskegon (13-1) 66 3. East Kentwood (14-0) 64 4. Grand Rapids Forest Hills Central (13-0) 59 5. Detroit U-D Jesuit (13-1) 57 6. Clarkston (14-0) 54 7. Saginaw Arthur Hill (12-3) 44 T-8. Kalamazoo Central (14-1) 35 T-8. Grand Ledge (13-0) 35 10. Lansing Everett (12-2) 20 Others receiving 12 or more votes: North Farmington (12-2) 19, Macomb

#### Dakota (11-2) 16, Ann Arbor Huron (11-2) 12.

#### Class B (First-place votes) (Record) Points

T-1. Milan (4) (12-2) 68 T-1. New Haven (1) (13-0) 68 3. Wyoming Godwin Heights (12-1) 66 4. Flint Northwestern (12-0) 61 5. Yale (13-1) 46 6. Otsego (11-2) 40 7. Battle Creek Harper Creek (12-1) 37 T-8. Benton Harbor (12-3) 30 T-8. Wayland Union (10-3) 30 10. Goodrich (13-2) 28 Others receiving 12 or more votes: Detroit Henry Ford (12-4) 21, Haslett (11-2) 15, Frankenmuth (10-2) 14, Detroit Cesar Chavez (11-0) 13.

#### Class C

(First-place votes) (Record) Points 1. Flint Beecher (3) (12-1) 73 2. Beaverton (2) (13-0) 63 3. Shelby (14-0) 62 4. Hillsdale (15-0) 55 5. Laingsburg (11-1) 53 6. Iron Mountain (13-1) 43 7. Saginaw Michigan Lutheran Seminary (13-1) 37 8. Ironwood Luther L Wright (14-1) 28 T-9. McBain (11-1) 24

T-9. Monroe St. Mary Catholic Central (10-1) 24

Others receiving 12 or more votes: Jackson Lumen Christi (12-1) 22, Millington (11-2) 22, Southfield Christian (11-3) 18, Detroit Loyola (10-2) 15, Grand Rapids NorthPointe Christian (10-2) 14.

#### Class D (First-place votes) (Record) Points

1. Powers North Central (3) (12-0) 72 2. Cedarville (1) (11-0) 69 3. Waterford Our Lady of the Lakes (1) (14-0) 65 4. Munising (12-0) 62

5. Allen Park Inter-City Baptist (10-2) 57 6. Frankfort (12-1) 47 7. Onekama (13-0) 43

8. Hillman (14-1) 41 9. Mount Pleasant Sacred Heart (10-

2) 33 10. Lake Linden-Hubbell (13-0) 32 Others receiving 12 or more votes: Crystal Falls Forest Park (10-3) 19, Fulton-Middleton (11-2) 16.

#### Michigan Girls Basketball (First-place votes) (Record) Points

Class A 1. Bloomfield Hills Marian (5) (13-1) 75 2. Detroit Martin Luther King (14-0) 69

3. Southfield-Lathrup (12-1) 4 4. DeWitt (14-1) 61 5. Waterford Kettering (14-0) 53 6. Ann Arbor Huron (12-1) 48 T-7. Marquette (15-0) 39 T-7. Midland Dow (12-2) 39 9. Grosse Pointe South (11-3) 29 10. Saginaw Heritage (12-2) 25 Others receiving 12 or more votes: Farmington Hills Mercy (12-3) 21.

#### Class B

- (First-place votes) (Record) Points 1. Midland Bullock Creek (4) (15-0) 73
- 2. Wayland Union (1) (14-0) 71
- 3. Goodrich (13-1) 66
- 4. Detroit Country Day (12-1) 60

5. Grand Rapids Catholic Central (13-

- 2) 52
- 6. Williamston (15-1) 47 7. Haslett (12-2) 46
- 8. Manistee (16-1) 36

9. Frankenmuth (13-2) 30

10. Dearborn Divine Child (11-4) 24 Others receiving 12 or more votes:

Plainwell (15-0) 20, Dearborn Heights

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Robichaud (13-1) 15.

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(First-place votes) (Record) Points 1. Flint Hamady (3) (13-0) 73

3. Niles Brandywine (14-1) 59 4. Ypsilanti Arbor Preparatory (2) (11-2) 54 5. Blissfield (15-0) 47 6. Traverse City St. Francis (13-1) 44 7. Sandusky (14-1) 42 8. Gobles (14-0) 40 9. Saginaw Nouvel (11-4) 36 10. Kent City (14-2) 29 Others receiving 12 or more votes: Carson City-Crystal (13-2) 19, Reese (12-3) 18, Ithaca (13-2) 15, Grosse Pointe Woods University Liggett (11-3) 13.

2. Laingsburg (15-0) 66

#### Class D

(First-place votes) (Record) Points 1. Frankfort (4) (13-1) 74 2. Mount Pleasant Sacred Heart (1) (12-2) 68 3. Munising (14-1) 62 4. Pittsford (14-0) 61 5. Bark River-Harris (13-2) 55 6. Bellaire (14-1) 47 7. St. Ignace LaSalle (11-5) 42 8. Morrice (14-2) 41 9. Big Rapids Crossroads Academy (15-1) 38 10. Crystal Falls Forest Park (13-2) 36 Others receiving 12 or more votes: Battle Creek St. Philip Catholic Central (12-3) 19, Birmingham Roeper (13-2) 15, Cedarville (11-3) 12.

### NCAA Basketball Associated Press Top 25 Mens Basketball

TEAM(1st Place votes)	RECORD	PTS	TEAM(1st Place votes)
1Kentucky (65)			12North Carolina
2Virginia			13Northern Iowa
3Gonzaga			14lowa State
4Duke			15Wichita St
5Wisconsin			16Baylor
6Villanova		,	17Oklahoma
7Arizona		,	18Butler
8Kansas		,	19Maryland
9Louisville			20Virginia Commonwe
10Notre Dame		,	21West Virginia
11Utah			21Oklahoma St

12North Carolina	18-6	871	2
13Northern Iowa	22-2	846	24
14lowa State	17-5	842	2
15Wichita St	21-3	743	
16Baylor	18-5	694	0
17Oklahoma	16-7	565	S
18Butler	18-6	462	1
19Maryland	19-5	347	р
20Virginia Commonwealth	18-5	296	va
21West Virginia	18-5	273	G
21Oklahoma St	16-7	273	

TEAM(1st Place votes)	RECORD	PTS
23Ohio State	18-6	271
24Arkansas		221
25SMU	19-5	81

Others receiving votes: Iowa 38, Providence 26, Texas 25, Stephen F. Austin 22, Cincinnati 21, Murray St 20, Indiana 3, Rhode Island 12, Georgetown 9, Texas A&M 7, Temble 6, Old Dominion 3, Ole Miss 3, San Diego St 2, Harvard 2, Xavier 2, Valparaiso 1. Dropped from rankings: Georgetown 24, Texas 25

### NCAA Basketball Associated Press Top 25 Womens Basketball

TEAM(1st Place votes)	RECORD	PTS	TEAM(1st Place votes)	RECORD	PTS
•			11Duke		
2Connecticut (8)	22-1		12Arizona St	21-3	470
3Baylor	22-1	777	13Mississippi St	23-3	432
4Notre Dame	23-2	751	14lowa	19-4	404
5Maryland	21-2		15Texas A&M		331
6Tennessee	20-3		16Princeton	21-0	327
7Florida St		630	17North Carolina	19-5	307
8Oregon St	21-2	578	18Rutgers		277
9Louisville	20-3		19Stanford		239
10Kentucky	18-5	536	20George Washington	21-2	148

TEAM(1st Place votes)	RECORD	PTS			
21Chattanooga	20-3	145			
22Nebraska	17-6	123			
23Syracuse	17-7	122			
24Georgia	17-6	92			
25South Florida	19-4	56			
Others receiving votes: California 47, Texas 44, Oklahoma					
27, Seton Hall 18, Florida Gulf Coast 18, Washington 10,					
DePaul 9, James Madison 9, LSU 8, Green Bay 5, Gon-					
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## Sports

#### **BOYS BASKETBALL**

## Loggers tested, pull out big wins, finish week 3-0

**By Chris Fiel** 

#### Boyne Falls 43, Mackinaw City 42

MACKINAW CITY — The Boyne Falls boys were tested down to the wire by Mackinaw City and they passed as the Loggers pulled out a 43-42 Northern Lakes Conference win over the Comets on February 6.

The Comets held a 6-4 lead after one quarter of play, but the Loggers found some offense in the second quarter to pull ahead 16-13 at halftime and extended their lead to 27-17 after three quarters of play.

"We again struggled offensively as another team played a special defense in attempt to stop Marcus (Matelski)," Boyne Falls coach Tim Smith said. "With his injury and the guys we have sick its been effective strategy."

Boyne Falls was up 14 late in the fourth quarter when Mackinaw's Jonah Robbins caught fire, nailing three triples in the final minute, and only free throws by Boyne Falls Marcus Matelski and Andrew Stevens (a combined 8of-8 from the charity stripe) helped the Loggers pull out the win.

"We did play well defensively and really locked them down until the last minute of the game when they scored 15 points," Smith said. "Jonah Robbins made three 3s in the last 16 seconds of game. Give them credit they extended the game and made some shots."

"It was a great game to be a part of. Boyne Falls is well coached and very disciplined," Mackinaw City coach John Martin said. "We knew we were going to have to battle all night to stay in this one. I couldn't be more proud of my kids efforts. They promised me 32 minutes of 100% effort and I definitely got that."

The Comets were led by Robbins with 13 points, while Zach Smith had 12 and Matt Rivera added seven.

Boyne Falls, 12-0 overall, 9-0 conference, got 18 points and seven rebounds from Matelski, while Stevens added 14 points and Tyler Bearss six.

"We had a great week going 3-0 while beating the two teams chasing us . Very proud of my guys playing hurt and sick they all were warriors," coach Smith added.

#### Boyne Falls 63, Alanson 39

BOYNE FALLS — The Loggers found themselves in a battle for



Boyne Falls junior Josh Lange (20) defends the perimeter and nearly gets a hand on the ball in the Loggers win over Alanson. (PHOTO BY RACHEL LANGE)

three quarters, and then they found their rhythm in the final eight minutes of regulation as Boyne Falls downed Alanson 63-39 in a Northern Lakes Conference contest on February 4.

"Alanson played extremely hard and out hustled us for much of game," Boyne Falls coach Tim Smith said. "We did play well in the the fourth as we picked up our defense and started to execute on the offensive end. I was happy that we did show a championship pedigree down stretch."

Marcus Matelski finished with a game-high 25 points, 10 rebounds and five assists to lead Boyne Falls, while Andrew Stevens added 11 and Tyler Bearss had 10 points and six rebounds and Andrew Campbell netted nine points.

The Loggers led 17-11 following the first quarter, 29-21 at halftime and 39-36 after the third quarter.

"We really played with no energy until fourth quarter," Smith added. "We have a lot of guys not feeling well. Andrew Campbell gutted it out as he was really sick. Marcus (Matelski) also continues to battle his injury as he is not close to 100%.

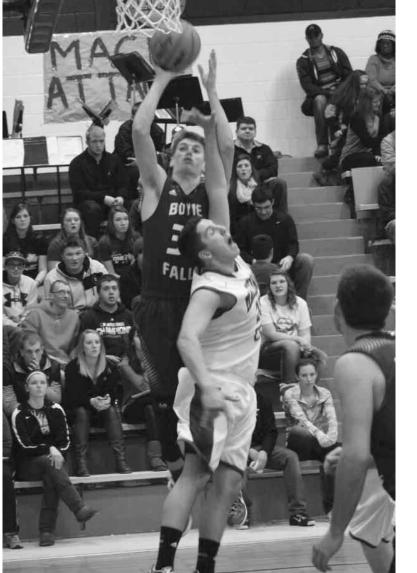
#### Boyne Falls 65, Vanderbilt 21

VANDERBILT — Tyler Bearss finished with 17 points and nine rebounds to lead the Loggers to a 65-21 Northern Lakes Conference win over Vanderbilt on February 2.

Boyne Falls led 18-6, 35-10 and 59-13 at the quarter breaks. Andrew Campbell added 14

points and 10 rebounds, Truman Crego hd 10 points and Andrew Stevens finished with seven points, nine rebounds and six assists for BF.

"We played without Marcus (Matelski) who is nursing a bad ankle," Logger coach Tim Smith said. "Every one scored, we really wanted to emphasize getting ball inside to Bearss and Crego and they both finished well scoring 27 points between them."



Logger junior Marcus Matelski (32) elevates for two of his game-high 18 points in Boyne Falls 43-42 NLC win over Mackinaw City. (PHOTO BY RACHEL LANGE)

## Rayders finish 2nd in Lake Michigan Conference tourney



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lbs.); and Mick Hinkle (189 lbs.) with second place finishes. Devin Largent (215 lbs.) took third place.

Spencer Bruce of Charlevoix works hard to break down Juan Wilson of Boyne City. (PHOTO COURTESY MIKE HINKLE)

Charlevoix Rayders wrestling team finished in second place in the annual Lake Michigan Conference wrestling tournament on February 7.

Grayling won the tourney with 109 points; Charlevoix had 104; Boyne City 81; T.C. St. Francis 71; Elk Rapids 48; and Kalkaska 30.

Tyler McCallum (130 lbs.) and Spencer Bruce (Hwt) each took first place earning All-Conference honors.

Honorable Mention went to Camden Alden (125 lbs.); Elliot Bartelli (135 lbs.); Justin Adkins (140 lbs.); Sam Hovie (160 "There were some great matches here today," Charlevoix coach Mike Hinkle said. "Sophomore Tyler Mc-Callum won his second conference championship, and has the potential to go 4-for-4 during his high school career. Senior Spencer Bruce defeated James Mogford of Elk Rapids for the first time this year to win the championship at heavy weight."



Charlevoix's Cam Alden moves in for a takedown against Aris Morgan of T.C. St. Francis. (PHOTO COURTESY MIKE HIN-KLE)

#### DNR NEWS

## Number of fur harvester licenses in Michigan has tripled since 1994

Doug Reeves remembers his first time as though it were yesterday.

"The first thing I ever caught was an ermine, a white weasel," said Reeves, assistant chief of the Department Natural Resources' Wildlife Division and a lifelong trapper. "I sold it for 50 cents to a traveling fur buyer. To me that was big time."

He was 9 years old. And he was hooked. The next year he got three traps and starting chasing muskrats. He progressed from there.

"Back then you had to be 12 years old to trap beaver," he said. "The first one I got I brought home in the basket of my sister's fat-tire bike."

Now, 50 years later, Reeves is still trapping – muskrats, raccoons, coyotes, fox – just about everything.

"You have to learn a lot," Reeves said. "The learning curve is very steep. The element of exploration and discovery is a lot of fun. It's a blast. I just love it."

Reeves isn't alone. In Michigan, trapping is growing in popularity.

According to DNR records, just more than 10,000 people bought a fur harvester license in 1994. Two decades later, that number has tripled.

"It's been increasing," said Adam Bump, the DNR's furbearer specialist. "Some of it may be because of pelt prices. When you have generally increasing pelt prices, you have an increase in trapping and the last three or four years the pelt prices for muskrats have been near or at record highs. But price for every species varies on its own, so just because 'rat prices are up, that doesn't mean they all are."

Indeed, it's not all about fur prices, said Dale Hendershot, president of the 1,200-member Michigan Trappers and Predator Callers Association, one of three fur-taker associations in the state. A 64-year-old retired diesel mechanic from Gladwin who's been trapping since he was 14, Hendershot said "the vast majority of trappers are not professionals."

Most trappers are hobbyists, Hendershot said, recreationalists who "can probably make enough money to pay for their gasoline."

Hendershot said it's the challenge that intrigues trappers. "You really have to know the habits of the animals to get them," he said.

"Trapping is not for the faint of heart," he added. "If you're hunting and it's below zero and the wind's blowing, you have an option – you can say 'I'm going to stay in the cabin today.' But if you have traps out there, you have to get out there in that stuff and check them. It's a huge commitment."

The Michigan Trappers and Predator Callers Association – formerly the Michigan Trappers Association – holds fur sales for its members and offers a landowner assistance program to connect folks who have issues with furbearers causing problems.

"Typically it's either beaver- or coyote- related, but everybody's got a problem with raccoons," Hendershot said.

The association also helps the DNR with its trapper education program, which has been in existence since 2009.

"Trapping is misunderstood," Hendershot said. "We're trying to make it better understood. We do a lot of educational stuff. I would hope that the educational movement is paying off." Just like hunting and fishing, trapping is highly regulated by the DNR. There are prescribed seasons for all 17 of the species that fur-takers can harvest, and the means and methods of capture are regulated as well.

"We tend to set seasons when the pelts are most valuable," Bump said. "Most trapping gears up in fall and runs through the winter, though you can trap beaver and otter into spring. And weasels are open year-round."

Dwayne Etter, a research biologist with the DNR, is a relative newcomer to trapping.

"As kids we messed around with it, but we really didn't know what we were doing," Etter said. "I was fortunate enough to attend trapper's college. The Michigan trappers association and national trappers association sponsor a biologist every year for a week to go to trapper's college. It's a week of intensive learning – how to trap, how to put up fur, good stuff.

"I immediately got excited, so I got home, bought some traps, and started trapping. It's kind of an addicting hobby – it grows and grows."

Now Etter takes a week's vacation every year to go the Upper Peninsula and trap. "It's kind of the same as deer camp – we go with the guys, hang out, cruise around the woods and we have the anticipation that we're going to catch something."

Trapping is also a tool for population management; when furbearer populations begin to exceed the carrying capacity, disease inevitably follows.

"Whenever raccoons get too thick, you see a distemper outbreak," Reeves said. "When you get too many coyotes, you get mange. I've seen it where I live."

To Reeves, being an ethical trapper is critical to wildlife management.

"To me, it's important that the animal is well caught, that it's dispatched humanely, and the fur is handled in a respectful way," he said.

For others, the allure of trapping is reconnecting to times past.

"It's kind of a lifestyle to some people," Hendershot said. "It's a throwback to when our country was settled. And a lot of people like the feel of it."

To learn more about trapping and fur harvesting opportunities in Michigan, visit the DNR website www.michigan.gov/trapping.

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## **Should I Buy or Sell First?**

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For homeowners aiming to sell their home and buy another, it's the classic real estate, which came first, the chicken or the egg, question — buy or sell first?

If you sell first, you may find yourself under a tight deadline to find another house, or be forced in temporary quarters. If you buy first, you may be saddled with two mortgage payments for at least a couple months. You may need the money from the sale of your original home in order to pre-qualify for a loan for your new home. You may be facing a job relocation and need to sell quickly. There are many vari-

ables involved; there is no universal correct answer. It basically comes down to your specific circumstances.

Dan Gregor, a Realtor in Pickerington, Ohio, says there is generally less pressure when you sell first.

"It really comes down to risk," Gregor said. "It's whether you want the risk of owning two houses, or possibly none at all."

Gregor says that if you have the money to make two mortgage payments, the pressure is off. But if you need to sell your house in order to qualify for a loan, then you have no

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choice — you'll have to sell first.

"You can write contingent contracts, but if you really want the home, vou'll pay a premium that's if the seller will even entertain a contingent offer," he says.

And if you go ahead with a contingent offer, then you may end up settling for less for the house you're selling in an effort to get it sold quickly.

Gregor says for most people, the stress level is lower when you sell first.

"You have time to get pre-approved for your mortgage and see all the housing options in the price range you'd like to buy," he said.

When your selling house is in contract, he suggests you pick the three best homes of those you've viewed and prepare to make an offer on the one that best meets your needs.

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The East Jordan City Commission met February 3, 2015 at 7:00 p.m.; Mayor Peck presiding with all members of Commission present. Acknowledgement was given to paid bills in the amount of \$163,147.33.

Further Commission Action: Acknowledged receipt of the Cash on Hand Report for December 2014; acknowledged receipt of the Monthly Public Safety Reports for Fire, December 2014 and 2014 Annual; approve Fireworks permit for the Jordan Valley Freedom Festival; accepted resignation from ZBA; and made appointment to BOR.

Copies of the minutes of the above meeting are posted in City Hall for review during normal office hours.

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