

The Really Big List— Every MSHSL State High School Tournament Game Ever Played

We also identify the top scorer in every game, when said player has scored in double digits and when such information is available. A player who led his team in scoring in every game is shown under “Top Scorers” in **boldface**.

We pick a five-man all-tournament team each year. Players whose names appear in *italics* did not make the official all-tournament team, except as noted.

The Northfield Years, 1913-1922

1913

First Round

Mountain Lake 42 Blue Earth 9
Fosston 29 Willmar 20
Plainview 29 Austin 20
Mankato 27 Faribault 21
Luverne 34 Grand Rapids 15
Stillwater 32 Madison 5
Red Wing, bye

Top Scorers

Peter Guenther, Mountain Lake 27
Taylor, Willmar 12

Will Sheehan made 14-of-27 FT

Quarter-Finals

Luverne 26 Mankato 22
Fosston 38 Plainview 27
Mountain Lake 49 Red Wing 28
Stillwater, bye

A. Hanson, Fosston; C. Timm, Plainview 12
Peter Guenther, Mountain Lake 14

Semi-Finals

Mountain Lake 31 Stillwater 24
Fosston 38 Luverne 28

Will Sheehan, Luverne 12

Championship

Fosston 29 Mountain Lake 27

Ralph Movold, Fosston 11

The Stars

Champions Fosston 14-1
Ralph Movold, Fosston, LF
Peter Guenther, Mountain Lake, LF
Albert Hanson, Fosston, C
Lars Rue, Fosston, RG
Curt Timm, Plainview, RF

71 pts, 4 games, 17.75 ppg

There was no official all-tournament team from 1913 to 1916, so our five stars of course did not win official honors in any of those years.

Fun Fact Duluth Central played in the national tournament in Chicago instead of the state tournament and finished third. It was probably Minnesota’s best team.

1914

First Round

Fosston 23 St. Paul Humboldt 21

Top Scorers

Ralph Movold, Fosston, 12

Quarter-Finals

Fosston 19 Mountain Lake 18

Stillwater 57 Aitkin 11

Winona 37 Howard Lake 19

Hibbing 34 Madison 12

Gerhard Hiebert, Mountain Lake 10

Gresham Karst, Stillwater 20

Parr, Winona 25

Kleftman, Hibbing 18

Semi-Finals

Winona 25 Hibbing 20

Stillwater 32 Fosston 19

Parr, Winona 13

R. Parkhurst, H. Gillen, Stillwater 12

Championship

Stillwater 30 Winona 4

Ronald Parkhurst, Stillwater 18

The Stars**Champions** Stillwater 14-2**Coach of the Year** Harry Gammons, Stillwater

Harold Gillen, Stillwater, C

Ronald Parkhurst, Stillwater, F

47 pts, 3 games, 15.7 ppg

Ralph Movold, Fosston, F

Kleftman, Hibbing, C

Willis Parr, Winona, C

Fun Facts Stillwater was undefeated against high school competition, and their average winning margin of 40-11 was a state tournament record for more than 100 years.**1915****First Round**

St. Paul Mechanic Arts 31 Breckenridge 22

Mountain Lake 29 Willmar 25

Top Scorers

Humphrey, Mechanic Arts 13

Hiebert, ML; Severinson, Willmar 17

Quarter-Finals

Red Wing 27 Fosston 21

Virginia 27 Lake City 26

Bemidji 32 Rush City 14

Mountain Lake 30 St. Paul Mechanic Arts 20

Louis Nordly, Red Wing 17

Harold Cusson, Virginia 15

Tanner, Bemidji 15

Gerhard "Shorty" Hiebert, ML 14

Semi-Finals

Mountain Lake 35 Bemidji 28

Red Wing 28 Virginia 11

Gerhard "Shorty" Hiebert, ML 17

Louis Nordly, Red Wing 14

Championship

Red Wing 30 Mountain Lake 18

Gerhard "Shorty" Hiebert, ML 18

The Stars**Champions** Red Wing 15-1**Coach of the Year** Raymond Hanson, Red Wing (player-coach, regular season only)

Gerhard "Shorty" Hiebert, Mountain Lake, F

66 pts, 4 games, 16.5 ppg

Tanner, Bemidji, F

Prior, Lake City, C

Nelson, Red Wing, G

Nesseth, Red Wing, G

Fun Fact Raymond "Rucca" Hanson was Red Wing's best player, captain and coach through the regular season, but was DQ'd from state tournament play due to an acquaintance with beer.

1916

First Round

Rush City 32 Little Falls 23
St. Paul Mechanic Arts 15 Northfield 7

Top Scorers

Quarter-Finals

St. Paul Mechanic Arts 27 Rush City 16
Austin 56 Willmar 26
Virginia 39 Slayton 10
Fergus Falls 27 Thief River Falls 24

Semi-Finals

Virginia 33 Austin 30 (ot)
St. Paul Mechanic Arts 12 Fergus Falls 7

Lawrence Wengert, Austin 20

Championship

Virginia 20 St. Paul Mechanic Arts 9

Harold Cusson, Virginia 10

The Stars

Champions Virginia 13-2

Coach of the Year Alfred Jackson, Virginia

Lawrence Wengert, Austin, F

42 pts, 3 games, 14 ppg

Harold Cusson, Virginia, F

Paper, St. Paul Mechanic Arts, G

William Rooney, Virginia, C*

Harold Spain, Virginia, G

Fun Fact Virginia was warned against "rough play" at the start of the tournament; such was the reputation of Iron Range basketball.

1917

First Round

New Ulm 35 Hopkins 6
Albert Lea 20 Buffalo 19
Sandstone 24 Willmar 13
Rochester 25 St. Cloud 23

Top Scorers

Schleuder, New Ulm 11

Flindt, Albert Lea 10

Jarvola, Sandstone 10

Carlson, St. Cloud 15

Quarter-Finals

Fosston 18 Virginia 16
Rochester 44 Sandstone 15
Albert Lea 25 New Ulm 11
Mountain Lake 23 Fergus Falls 21

J. Rooney, Virginia 11

Fred Enke, Rochester 18

Peterson, Albert Lea 16

Grinager, Fergus Falls 10

Semi-Finals

Rochester 28 Fosston 7
Mountain Lake 19 Albert Lea 17

Neal Bay, Rochester 16

Championship

Rochester 19 Mountain Lake 8

The Stars

Champions Rochester 11-2

Coach of the Year Endre Anderson, Rochester

Fred Enke, Rochester, G

J. Rooney, Virginia, C

Carlson, St. Cloud, F

Neal Bay, Rochester, F

Lester Kitzman, Rochester, G

38 pts, 4 games, 9.5 ppg

The first-ever all-tournament team consisted of 10 players, as did the all-tournament teams for 1918 and 1919. All of our choices were among them.

Fun Fact Rochester is the only team ever to place five players on the official all-tournament team.

1918

First Round

Albert Lea 40 Ortonville 14

Waseca 44 New Ulm 12

Detroit Lakes 23 Litchfield 19

Duluth Central 25 Little Falls 24

St. Paul Humboldt 37 Pine City 6

Fosston 13 Buffalo 9

Lake City, Windom bye

Top Scorers

Gordy Malmer, Albert Lea 14

Lester Juhnke, Waseca 16

O'Neill, Duluth Central 10

Tousley, Humboldt 16

Quarter-Finals

Albert Lea 14 Lake City 9

Waseca 35 Detroit Lakes 12

Duluth Central 32 St. Paul Humboldt 31

Fosston 35 Windom 10

Lester Juhnke, Waseca 11

Semi-Finals

Waseca 18 Albert Lea 14

Duluth Central 34 Fosston 19

O'Neill, Shaw, Duluth Central 12

Final

Waseca 29 Duluth Central 10

The Stars

Champions Waseca 13-0

Coach of the Year Leigh McQueen, Waseca

Lester Juhnke, Waseca, F

Elgar "Cherry" Thune, Albert Lea, F

Ruel "Red" Jacobson, Waseca, C

Clair Willadson, Albert Lea, G

Albert Tousley, St. Paul Humboldt, F

55 pts, 4 games, 13.75 ppg

Fun Facts Duluth Central featured the first African-American player known to have played in the tournament. He was Eugene "Boots" Watts. Waseca's championship cup was destroyed when the school burned down in 1923. It was replaced only in 1963, when members of the 1918 team purchased a replica.

1919

First Round

Albert Lea 27 Red Wing 18
 Little Falls 33 Buffalo 6
 Barnesville 22 Pipestone 16
 Chisholm 23 St. Paul Humboldt 15
 Olivia 18 Wheaton 14
 New Ulm 42 Sandstone 22
 Fosston, Waseca bye

Quarter-Finals

Albert Lea 32 Fosston 12
 Little Falls 39 Barnesville 6
 Chisholm 29 Olivia 14
 New Ulm 13 Waseca 12

Semi-Finals

Albert Lea 23 Little Falls 19
 New Ulm 26 Chisholm 23

Championship

Albert Lea 37 New Ulm 8

The Stars

Champion Albert Lea 17-0

Coach of the Year Hartness Taylor, Albert Lea

Gordon Malmer, Albert Lea, F

Leonard Thune, Albert Lea, C

Rahja, Chisholm, F

Shapiro, New Ulm, G

Simms, Little Falls, G

Trophy for Conduct and Appearance Chisholm

Top Scorers

Gordy Malmer, Albert Lea 13
 Tourtillot, Little Falls 10
 L. Aamodt, Barnesville 14
 Ettinger, Humboldt; Rajha, Chisholm 11

Schuelke, New Ulm 16

Gordy Malmer, Albert Lea 16
 Wanda, Little Falls 16
 Rahja, Chisholm 17
 Clifford "Pat" Wyman, Waseca 10

Gordy Malmer, Albert Lea 13
 Rahja, Chisholm 17

Gordy Malmer, Albert Lea 23

64 or 65 pts, 4 games, 16 or 16.25 ppg

Fun Fact Gordy Malmer's scoring record is uncertain because some box scores attribute some Albert Lea FT to his brother Clarence, while others attribute them to Gordy. Malmer (Gordy) was the first boy to be the leading scorer in each of his team's games. His name and that of others who led each of his games in scoring appear in boldface throughout this list.

1920**First Round**

Red Wing 22 Little Falls 10
 Stillwater 18 Morton 14
 New Ulm 23 Kasota 11
 Faribault 32 Fergus Falls 9
 Mankato 13 Buffalo 9
 Fulda 11 Stephen 6
 Virginia 17 Wheaton 9
 Mpls. South 16 Sandstone 14

Quarter-Finals

Red Wing 20 Stillwater 18
 Faribault 21 New Ulm 16
 Mankato 14 Fulda 10
 Virginia 19 Mpls. South 15

Top Scorer

Carl Lidberg, Red Wing 12

Chauncey Fleck(enstein), Faribault 12

Frank Cleve, Mpls. South 10

Carl Lidberg, Red Wing 14

Frank Cleve, Mpls. South 11

Semi-Finals

Red Wing 24 Faribault 14
Mankato 23 Virginia 14

Championship

Red Wing 21 Mankato 10 Carl Lidberg, Red Wing 11

The Stars

Champion Red Wing 15-2

Coach of the Year Art Rolfe, Red Wing

Carl Lidberg, Red Wing, F

45 pts, 4 games, 11.25 ppg

Frank Cleve, Mpls. South, C

Lloyd, Mankato, F

Butsie Maetzold, Red Wing, G

Bennett, Faribault, G

Trophy for Conduct and Appearance Minneapolis South

A single 14-man all-tournament team was selected. These five stars were all among them.

Fun Fact Minneapolis Central played in the national tournament in Chicago instead of the state tournament and finished third.

1921

First Round

Worthington 20 Wheaton 15
Mankato 26 Morton 15
Hibbing 27 Red Wing 20
New Ulm 30 Fosston 25
Mpls. Central 24 Faribault 20
Sandstone 28 Arlington 21
Alexandria 23 White Bear Lake 19 (OT)
St. Cloud 27 Buffalo 20

Top Scorers

Caserato, Worthington 12
Jovaag, Mankato 16
Carl Lidberg, Red Wing 16
Hamann, New Ulm 14
Martin Norton, Mpls. Central, 16
G. Gherringhilli, Sandstone 17

Quarter-Finals

Mankato 20 Worthington 6
New Ulm 23 Hibbing 21
Mpls. Central 31 Sandstone 22
St. Cloud 39 Alexandria 21

Hamann, New Ulm 15
Martin Norton, Mpls. Central 19
Ziarten, St. Cloud 12

Semi-Finals

Mpls. Central 33 St. Cloud 14
New Ulm 21 Mankato 11

Martin Norton, Mpls. Central 25
Hamann, New Ulm 15

Championship

Minneapolis Central 7 5 3 4—19
New Ulm 4 3 7 1—15

Martin Norton, Mpls. Central 17

The Stars

Champion Mpls. Central 13-1

Coach of the Year Roland Church, New Ulm

Martin Norton, Mpls. Central, F

77 pts, 4 games, 19.25 ppg

Hamann, New Ulm, F

Chauncey Fleckenstein, Faribault, C

Somalia, Hibbing, G

DeForrest "Pud" Moore, Mpls. Central, G

Trophy for Conduct and Appearance Hibbing

The all-tournament team returned to a ten-man format in 1921 and 1922. All of our picks were among those ten.

Fun Fact 2 starters for Red Wing's defending champs were out sick; guard and future Hall of Fame coach Butsie Maetzold always claimed that Red Wing would have three-peated otherwise. On the other hand, Central's Martin Norton was the best player yet in these tournaments, and set free throw shooting records that stood for 85 years.

1922

First Round

Wadena 27 New Ulm 17
Stillwater 30 St. Peter 23
Mankato 23 St. Paul Johnson 15
Madison 28 Little Falls 15
Sandstone 27 Mountain Lake 17
Red Wing 33 Crookston 27
Austin 31 Hancock 17
Duluth Central 19 Buffalo 18

Top Scorers

Wright, Wadena 12
Bloomberg, St. Peter 15
Vosbeeck, Mankato 10
Chester Hendrickson, Madison 5 baskets
Dick, Mountain Lake 11
Kenneth Brown, Red Wing 17
Hanson, Austin 11
Kipp, Buffalo 12

Quarter-Finals

Wadena 25 Stillwater 15
Madison 13 Mankato 12
Red Wing 46 Sandstone 14
Duluth Central 36 Austin 25

Merickel, Wadena 12
Ladue, Mankato 10
Oliver Nordly, Red Wing 14
Marshall, Central 14

Semi-Finals

Red Wing 30 Duluth Central 25
Madison 36 Wadena 34

Championship

Red Wing 34 Madison 27

Chester Hendrickson, Madison 21

The Stars

Champion Red Wing 19-0

Coach of the Year Reginald Kraemer, Madison

Chester Hendrickson, Madison, F

73 pts, 4 games, 18.25 ppg

Butsie Maetzold, Red Wing, G

Champion, Duluth Central, C

Oliver Nordly, Red Wing, F

Marshall, Duluth Central, G

Trophy for Conduct and Appearance Duluth Central

Fun Facts Red Wing beat Duluth Central 30-25. Duluth Cathedral beat Duluth Central 30-15 and 30-18 in the Lake Superior Conference, and was probably Minnesota's best team.

The Dead Ball Era, 1923-1937

1923

First Round

Rochester 34 Madison 10

Top Scorers

St. Peter 26 St. Paul Johnson 23
Austin 28 South St. Paul 8
Blue Earth 18 Crookston 15
Aurora 38 Marshall 16
St. Cloud 18 Mpls. Central 16
Hopkins 17 Wadena 16
Hancock 29 St. James 13

Paul Danculovic, Aurora 18 pts

Quarter-Finals

Austin 22 Blue Earth 16
Rochester 16 St. Peter 11
Aurora 23 St. Cloud 9
Hancock 19 Hopkins 8

Semi-Finals

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| Austin | 2 | 6 | 8 | 6—22 |
| Rochester | 6 | 5 | 2 | 3—16 |

Aurora 20 Hancock 7

Championship

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| Aurora | 10 | 2 | 5 | 7—24 |
| Austin | 1 | 4 | 5 | 4—14 |

The Stars

Champion Aurora 17-2

Coch of the Year Harold "Buff" Taylor, Aurora

Matthew Turk, Aurora, F

45 pts, 4 games, 11.25 ppg

Paul Danculovic, Aurora, C

18 pts vs Marshall, 1st round

William Craddock, Rochester, F

Leon Coggins, Austin, G

Jack Coates, St. Cloud, G

Sportsmanship Trophy Rochester

From 1923 to 1937, an official 5-man all-tournament team was selected. We occasionally departed from those choices as is indicated by names shown in *italics*.

Fun Facts Matt Turk was snubbed for all-tournament honors despite playing for the championship team and leading all players in scoring.

1924

First Round

McIntosh 19 Morton 16
Two Harbors 17 Princeton 7
St. Cloud 29 Fairmont 7
St. Paul Johnson 28 Winona 17
Tyler 22 Montevideo 11
Owatonna 26 Pipestone 15
Moorhead 22 Willmar 19
Mpls. South 22 Kasota 14

Top Scorers

Quarter-Finals

Mpls. South 19 Owatonna 14
Two Harbors 31 McIntosh 18
St. Cloud 28 St. Paul Johnson 8

Moorhead 25 Tyler 18

Semi-Finals

Two Harbors 23 St. Cloud 14
Mpls. South 25 Moorhead 14

3rd Place

Moorhead 20 St. Cloud Tech 16

Championship

Two Harbors 21 Mpls. South 12

The Stars

Champion Two Harbors 21-2

Coach of the Year Louis A. Benson, Two Harbors

Howard Johnson, Two Harbors, C 46 pts, 4 games, 11.5 ppg

Mally Nydahl, Mpls. South, G

Herman Anderson, Two Harbors, G

Earl Wambick, Moorhead, F

Lawrence Gassor, St. Cloud, F

Sportsmanship Trophy Moorhead

Fun Fact Two Harbors coach Benson was the brother of future Minnesota Gov. Elmer Benson.

1925

First Round

Austin 0 8 3 1—12
New Prague 7 4 5 7—23

Buffalo 4 3 6 8—21
Moorhead 4 3 4 2—13

Faribault 25 Grand Rapids 11

St. Paul Mechanic Arts 0 6 2 4—12
Wayzata 4 0 5 0—9

Top Scorers

Herbert Templin, Moorhead 11

Fred Kampf, Faribault 14

Semi-Finals

Buffalo 23 New Prague 18
St. Paul Mechanic Arts 21 Faribault 11

John Matyas, New Prague 12

3rd Place

New Prague 15 Faribault 9

Championship

St. Paul Mechanic Arts 20 Buffalo 8

Ray Nelson, Mechanic Arts 10

The Stars

Champions St. Paul Mechanic Arts 17-1

Coach of the Year Edwin McKee, St. Paul Mechanic Arts

Ray "Swede" Nelson, St. Paul Mechanic Arts, C

John Matyas, New Prague, F 29 pts, 3 games, 9.7 ppg

Louis Trautman, St. Paul Mechanic Arts, F

Elmer Jung, St. Paul Mechanic Arts, G

Ted Catlin, Buffalo, G

Sportsmanship Trophy New Prague

Fun Fact The average game score in the 1913 tournament was 34-21. Scores would not be that high again until 1937. They reached their nadir in 1925 (at 21-11) and 1926 (at 20-12), then started to slowly rise.

1926

First Round

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| Gaylord | 6 | 3 | 7 | 2—18 |
| Moorhead | 4 | 2 | 4 | 4—14 |

Top Scorers

Ben Lichtenegger, Gaylord 13
Ingersoll, Moorhead 9

Austin 14 Wayzata 12

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| Buffalo | 3 | 0 | 2 | 17—22 |
| Winona | 4 | 4 | 4 | 6—18 |

Thompson, Buffalo 11

Gilbert 29 Mpls. Edison 11

Johnny Mestnick, Gilbert 9

Semi-Finals

Gaylord 22 Austin 12
Gilbert 22 Buffalo 11

Ben Lichtenegger, Gaylord 16
Johnny Mestnick, Gilbert 14

3rd Place

Buffalo 18 Austin 12 (ot)

Championship

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| Gaylord | 5 | 0 | 3 | 5—13 |
| Gilbert | 4 | 1 | 3 | 1—9 |

Lichtenegger 5
Mestnick 7

The Stars

Champions Gaylord 20-3

Coach of the Year B. F. Borchert, Gaylord

Ben Lichtenegger, Gaylord

34 pts, 3 games, 11.3 ppg

Thompson, Buffalo

Johnny Mestnick, Gilbert

James Connor, Gilbert

Henry Hyzer, Gaylord

Sportsmanship Trophy Gaylord

Fun Fact Gaylord's last 7 wins, going all the way back to their district semi-final, were considered upsets. They were the first championships to be described as a "Cinderella" team. After the final, fans passed a hat in the lobby of the Kenwood Army to raise money for Gaylord's trip to the national tournament, and \$500 was raised

1927

First Round

Faribault 30 Moorhead 16
Excelsior 27 Bagley 10
Mpls. South 23 New Ulm 13
Appleton 33 Albert Lea 17

Top Scorers

Linford Hildebrandt, Faribault 17

Art Tveraa, South 10

Harold Schoening, Appleton 16

Consolation Semi-Finals

Bagley 12 Albert Lea 8

New Ulm 24 Moorhead 18

Semi-Finals

Excelsior 16 Appleton 14
Mpls. South 23 Faribault 17

Steve Eddy, Excelsior 13
Tveraa 8; Faye Butterwick, Faribault 8

5th Place

New Ulm 21 Bagley 19

Melvin Brustad, Bagley 12

3rd Place

Faribault 27 Appleton 24

Harold Schoening, Appleton 16

Championship

Minneapolis South 7 3 11 11—32
Excelsior 1 6 6 0—13

Art Tveraa, South 13
Eddy 7

The Stars

Champions Mpls. South 12-5

Coach of the Year Neal Heis, Faribault

Art Tveraa, Mpls. South, F

Harold Schoening, Appleton, F

Fayette Butterwick, Faribault, C

Gil Aase, Faribault, G

Edward "Toots" Westman, Mpls. South, G

35 pts, 3 games, 11.7 ppg

Sportsmanship Trophy Appleton

Fun Fact Mpls. South had the worst pre-tournament record (9-5) of any champion of the single class era.

1928

First Round

New Prague 15 Excelsior 13 (OT)
Moorhead 13 Virginia 12
Northfield 30 Austin 22
Mpls. Edison 19 Appleton 16

Top Scorers

Wayne Reber, Northfield 16
Donald Risch, Appleton 11

Consolation Semi-Finals

Virginia 33 Excelsior 24
Austin 26 Appleton 25

Slade, Virginia 13
Donald Risch, Appleton 17

Semi-Finals

Minneapolis Edison 8 8 6 6—30
Northfield 6 3 9 4—22

Ray Petroske, Vanusek 8
Wayne Reber 14

Moorhead 37 New Prague 17

Cliff Halmrast, Moorhead 20

5th Place

Virginia 36 Austin 18

Mattson, Virginia 12

3rd Place

Northfield 27 New Prague 16

Wayne Reber, Northfield 11

Championship

Mpls. Edison 8 4 3 1—16
Moorhead 1 10 9 9—29

Petroske 7
Freeman 9

The Stars

Champions Moorhead 19-3

Coach Glenn Hanna, Moorhead

Wayne Reber, Northfield, C

41 pts, 3 games, 13.7 ppg

Cliff Halmrast, Moorhead, F

Donald "Shorty" Risch, Appleton, F

28 pts, 2 games, 14 ppg

Earl Moran, Moorhead. G

Ray Petroske, Mpls. Edison, G

Fun Fact Moorhead was appearing in a record 5th straight tournament

1929

First Round

St. Cloud Tech 18 Preston 14

Moorhead 25 Ely 22

Red Wing 24 Willmar 18

Top Scorers

Euren, Moorhead 9

Santleman, Red Wing 9

Hendricks 4 4 5 5—18

Goodelen 6

St. Paul Mechanic Arts 2 6 6 9—23

James Delmont 8

Consolation Semi-Finals

Hendricks 29 Willmar 13

Goodelen, Hendricks 11

Ely 31 Preston 27

Semi-Finals

Moorhead 31 St. Cloud 18

Hilde, Moorhead 9; Rengel, St. Cloud 9

Red Wing 18 St. Paul Mechanic Arts 16

5th Place

Ely 24 Hendricks 14

Banovetz, Ely 10

3rd Place

St. Cloud Tech 26 St. Paul Mechanic Arts 16

Halstrom, St. Cloud 14

Championship

Moorhead 4 6 4 0 6—20 (OT)

Red Wing 1 4 5 4 2—16

The Stars

Champions Moorhead 24-3

Coach Ed Buckley, Ely

Earl Moran, Moorhead

Wilburn Olson, Red Wing

Pat Hilde, Moorhead

Harold "Tubby Nordly, Red Wing

Steve Smrekar, Ely

26 pts., 3 games, 8.7 ppg

Sportsmanship Trophy Hendricks

Fun Fact The official all-tournament five did not include the top scorer, Smrekar.

1930

First Round

Top Scorers

Moorhead 27 Wells 10 Wilbur "Bud" Marquard, Moorhead 10
 Chisholm 26 Redwood Falls 13
 Red Wing 34 Appleton 21 Wells Wright , Appleton 10
 St. Paul Mechanic Arts 31 Columbia Heights 15 James Delmont, Mechanic Arts 12

Consolation Semi-Finals

Columbia Heights 29 Appleton 22 Leslie Stein, Columbia Hts 12
 Redwood Falls 25 Wells 15 Donald Laidlow, Redwood Falls 11

Semi-Finals

Moorhead 19 Chisholm 15
 St. Paul Mechanic Arts 19 Red Wing 15 Wilkins, Red Wing 7

5th Place

Redwood Falls 25 Columbia Heights 19 Donald Laidlow, Redwood Falls 11

3rd Place

Chisholm 21 Red Wing 18

Championship

St. Paul Mechanic Arts 23 Moorhead 13 Delmont 10; Moran, Moorhead 10

The Stars

Champions St. Paul Mechanic Arts 17-1

Coach of the Year Peter J. Deanovic, Columbia Heights

James Delmont, St. Paul Mechanic Arts, F 29 pts, 3 games, 9.7 ppg

Earl Moran, Moorhead, G

Abe Rosenfield, St. Paul Mechanic Arts, C

Carroll "Shorty" Malvey, Moorhead, F

Bliss Littler, Moorhead, F

Sportsmanship Trophy Redwood Falls

Fun Fact Earl Moran of Moorhead was the first individual to be named all-tournament three times.

1931

First Round

Glencoe 16 Rochester 7

Bemidji 5 4 3 2—14
 Chisholm 0 10 8 5—23

Buffalo 22 Moorhead 20
 Mankato 22 St. Paul Central 18

Consolation Semi-Finals

Rochester 25 Bemidji 12
 Moorhead 33 St. Paul Central 17

Semi-Finals

Buffalo 5 8 6 9—28 Gordon Mills 10
 Mankato 3 0 2 6—11 Shoemaker 6

Glencoe 15 Chisholm 14

Top Scorers

Krouse 10

Chester Thompson, Buffalo 11
 C. Pennington, Mankato 8

Kennedy, Rochester 19

5th Place

Moorhead 35 Rochester 8

Wilbur "Bud" Marquard, Moorhead 16

3rd Place

Chisholm 43 Mankato 26

Peter Hancock, Chisholm 20

Championship

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|---------|---|---|---|------|
| Buffalo | 7 | 4 | 3 | 0—14 |
| Glencoe | 4 | 7 | 2 | 9—22 |

The Stars**Champions** Glencoe 16-3**Coach of the Year** Jack Sterrett, Glencoe

Leroy Karstens, Glencoe, G

Joe Malkovich, Chisholm, G

Wilbur "Bud" Marquard, Moorhead, C

41 pts, 3 games, 13.7 ppg

Gordon Mills, Buffalo, F

Chester Thompson, Buffalo, F

Sportsmanship Trophy Buffalo

Fun Fact Glencoe defeated favored Chisholm in the semi on a last-second steal and basket by LeRoy Karstens. Chisholm's Joe Malkovich was one of the tallest boys to play in the tournament yet at 6-2, and he is the first state tournament to play D1 basketball other than at the University of Minnesota (Duquesne). He also played football with the Pittsburgh Steelers.

1932**First Round**

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| Balaton | 7 | 2 | 1 | 7—17 |
| Thief River Falls | 2 | 17 | 5 | 7—31 |

Top Scorers

Lloyd Aanstad 10

Winona 27 Crosby-Ironton 15

Davies, Winona 10

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| Chisholm | 4 | 9 | 7 | 0—20 |
| Princeton | 5 | 6 | 2 | 3—16 |

Orton 10

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| Mankato | 2 | 6 | 5 | 4—17 |
| Northfield | 6 | 1 | 6 | 2—15 |

E. Pennington hit from half-court for the win

Consolation Semi-Finals

Crosby-Ironton 32 Balaton 20

Joe Petrich, CI, 19

Northfield 25 Princeton 18

Baldrige, Northfield 17

Semi-Finals

Thief River Falls 17 Winona 12

John Chommie 5

Chisholm 22 Mankato 8

5th Place

Crosby-Ironton 28 Northfield 20

Baldrige, Northfield 13

3rd Place

Winona 29 Mankato 10

Championship

| | | | | |
|-------------------|---|---|---|------|
| Chisholm | 1 | 3 | 3 | 8—15 |
| Thief River Falls | 5 | 4 | 5 | 7—21 |

The Stars

Champions Thief River Falls 23-0

Coach of the Year Roger Dooley, Thief River Falls

Onerato (O.J.) Belluzzo, Chisholm

John Chommie, Thief River Falls

George "Stinky" Davies, Winona

Joe Petrich, Crosby-Ironton, C

Wendell Kietly, Thief River Falls

39 pts, 3 games, 13 ppg

Fun Fact Lloyd Anstad of Thief was the tallest boy ever in the state tournament at 6-5½, and remained so until 1944.

1933

First Round

Ada 1 4 1 6—12
Chisholm 7 9 10 8—34

Brainerd 1 6 5 7—19
Red Wing 7 4 5 5—21

Montevideo 23 Rochester 19
Mpls. North 28 Mountain Lake 15

Top Scorers

Volkerding, Ada 9
Pete Burich, Chishom 12

Tuffy Thompson, Montevideo 10
Don Griffin, North 14

Consolation Semi-Finals

Brainerd 41 Ada 10
Mountain Lake 27 Rochester 26

Bill Smith, Brainerd 17
Everett Hanson, Mt Lake 19

Semi-Finals

Red Wing 29 Chisholm 23
Mpls. North 29 Montevideo 22

Gordon Burich, Chisholm 13
Don Griffin, North 18

5th Place

Brainerd 31 Mountain Lake 27

Everett Hanson, Mt Lake 16

3rd Place

Chisholm 28 Montevideo 18

Championship

Mpls. North 3 1 6 3—13
Red Wing 4 7 3 2—16

The Stars

Champions Red Wing 22-3

Coach of the Year William Dammann, Brainerd

Dick Seebach, Red Wing, G

Don Griffin, Mpls. North, F

Art Lillyblad, Red Wing, G

Everett Hanson, Mountain Lake, C

Bill Smith, Brainerd, F

43 pts, 3 games, 14.3 ppg

Fun Fact Bemidji and Thief River Falls were both DQ from the tournament for using an ineligible player in Region 8. Ada replaced them after defeating Warroad in the 3rd place game. Warroad led after three quarters, but coach Gus Young played his substitutes throughout the fourth quarter and his team lost. Warroad has never played in the state tournament to this day.

1934

First Round

Moorhead 32 Winona 25

Cass Lake 3 7 2 0—12
Chisholm 13 6 6 8—33

Redwood Falls 24 Mpls. South 16
St. Paul Mechanic Arts 29 Mankato 28

Consolation Semi-Finals

Winona 34 Cass Lake 30
Minneapolis South 38 Mankato 28

Semi-Finals

Chisholm 8 12 13 17—50
Moorhead 4 1 9 3—17

St. Paul Mechanic Arts 21 Redwood Falls 17

5th Place

Mpls. South 30 Winona 21

3rd Place

Moorhead 24 Redwood Falls 16

Championship

Chisholm 9 4 14 2—29
St. Paul Mechanic Arts 9 3 9 6—27

The Stars

Champions Chisholm 21-2

Coach of the Year Harvey Roels, Chisholm

Gordon Burich, Chisholm, F

Lowell Sullivan, St. Paul Mechanic Arts, C

Wendell "Buzzy" Gray, Cass Lake, F

Pete Burich, Chisholm, G

Woodrow Olson, Mankato, G

Sportsmanship Trophy Mankato

Fun Facts Chisholm finally won a state title in their fifth straight appearance. Leading St. Paul Mechanic Arts 27-21 after three periods, they almost let it slip away again, as the Trainers got within 27-26. A Pete Burich shot made it 29-26, and Mechanic Arts failed to score a field goal in three late possessions.

1935

First Round

Bemidji 26 St. Paul Humboldt 18
Glencoe 33 Buhl 24

Austin 7 14 13 3—37
Luverne 4 7 10 9—30

Top Scorers

Wes Phillip, Moorhead 14

Gordon Burich 16

Byram, Inglis, Redwood 7
Lowell Sullivan, Mechanic Arts 15

Wendell Gray, Cass Lake, 15
Ken Skyberg, South 14

Edward Turk 16
Acheson 11

Sullivan, Inglis 7

William Acheson, Moorhead 11

Gordon Burich 12

34 pts, 3 games, 11.3 ppg

Top Scorers

Victor Johnson, Bemidji 10
William Debner, Glencoe 11

Art Hanson 13
Connell 10

Minneapolis Edison 37 Crosby-Ironton 35

Allen Anderson, CI 11

Consolation Semi-Finals

St. Paul Humboldt 42 Buhl 19
Luverne 33 Crosby-Ironton 32

Marvin Vernstrom, Humboldt 19
Ken Skyberg, Luverne 12

Semi-Finals

Bemidji 9 7 0 6—22
Glencoe 7 2 12 2—23

Norm Galloway 8
George Lindner 8

Austin 36 Minneapolis Edison 27

Don Hemer, Austin 12

5th Place

Luverne 21 St. Paul Humboldt 16

James Connell, Luverne 11

3rd Place

Bemidji 26 Mpls. Edison 23

Championship

Austin 6 7 1 10 2—26
Glencoe 7 3 5 9 0—24

Art Hanson, Austin 15

The Stars

Champions Austin 16-6

Coach of the Year Thomas Antil, Glencoe

Art Hanson, Austin, F

39 pts, 3 games, 13 ppg

Norman Galloway, Bemidji, C

Ken Skyberg, Luverne, F

George Lindner, Glencoe, G

Willie Warhol, Mpls. Edison, G

In one publication, Lindner is mis-identified as George Fender.

Sportsmanship Trophy Minneapolis Edison

Fun Facts Minneapolis Edison trailed Crosby-Ironton 21-2 before rallying to win 37-35. Austin was advertised as the tournament's tallest team, Edison it's smallest.

1936

First Round

Albert Lea 13 4 8 7—32
Bemidji 8 8 11 9—36

Top Scorers

Hougard 14
Victor Johnson 16

Red Wing 29 Luverne 27

Myrvin DeLapp, Luverne 13

Sleepy Eye 12 2 4 0—18
Wadena 6 3 3 8—20

Beil 8
Schuller 6

Buhl 41 Mpls. Edison 32

Don "Swede" Carlson, Edison 15

Consolation Semi-Finals

Mpls. Edison 36 Sleepy Eye 19
Albert Lea 23 Luverne 22

Willie Warhol, Edison 12
Myrvin DeLapp, Luverne 14

Semi-Finals

Bemidji 34 Red Wing 23

Norm Galloway, Bemidji 11

Wadena 28 Buhl 27

John Dick, Buhl 15

5th Place

Mpls. Edison 36 Albert Lea 24

3rd Place

Buhl 35 Red Wing 16

Velko Rajacich, Buhl 12

Championship

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|---------|---|---|---|-------|
| Bemidji | 7 | 6 | 1 | 12—26 |
| Wadena | 4 | 2 | 2 | 12—20 |

Norm Galloway, Bemidji 16
Schuller 9

The Stars

Champions Bemidji 21-4

Coach of the Year Anthony Chermak, Wadena

Norm Galloway, Bemidji, C

38 pts, 3 games, 12.7 ppg

John Dick, Buhl, F

Victor Johnson, Bemidji , F

Myrvin DeLapp, Luverne, G

27 pts, 2 games, 13.5 ppg

Schuller, Wadena, C

Sportsmanship Trophy Red Wing

Fun Fact Buhl shot 50 percent in its 1st round upset of Edison; 20 percent was thought to be a good percentage at the time. Wadena's center, Schuller, outscored Buhl's center, Pineovich, in their semi-final game, but Pineovich was named to the all-tournament team and Schuller was not. Second place Wadena did not place a player on the all-tournament team. We prefer Schuller.

1937

First Round

Thief River Falls 26 Farmington 17

Top Scorers

Hetquist, TRF 8

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|-----------|----|---|----|------|
| Rochester | 11 | 5 | 6 | 4—26 |
| Virginia | 0 | 8 | 14 | 6—28 |

Holland 9
Wilcox 8

New Ulm 29 Triumph-Monterrey 26
Mpls. Edison 38 Crosby-Ironton 27

Robert Aufderheide, New Ulm 14
Martin, Crosby-Ironton 8

Consolation Semi-Finals

Crosby-Ironton 36 Triumph-Monterrey 30
Rochester 34 Farmington 32

John Frahm, Tri-Mont 14
John Barger, Farmington 16

Semi-Finals

Virginia 37 Thief River Falls 17

Nick Pepelnjak, Virginia 14

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|--------------------|----|----|----|-------|
| Minneapolis Edison | 13 | 15 | 17 | 17—62 |
| New Ulm | 6 | 6 | 1 | 10—23 |

Joe Mernik, Edison 18
Doug Kusske 7

5th Place

Rochester 30 Crosby-Ironton 24

Kendall Erbes, Rochester 10

3rd Place

Thief River Falls 31 New Ulm 24

Championship

Minneapolis Edison 4 17 14 2—37

Walt Andrews, Edison 12

Virginia 4 6 5 9—24 Koski 13

The Stars

Champions Mpls. Edison 15-1

Coach of the Year Ray Parkins, Mpls. Edison

Willie Warhol, Mpls. Edison, G

Nick Pepelnjak, Virginia, F

Joe Mernik, Mpls. Edison, G

Walt Andrews, Mpls. Edison, C

John Barger, Farmington, F

Sportsmanship Trophy Crosby-Ironton

Fun Fact Edison was regarded as the best Minnesota high school team ever to that time. Erbes of Rochester was the tournament's top scorer but did not make all-tournament.

The Modern Era (Part 1), 1938-1954

1938

First Round

Crosby-Ironton 18 2 8 9—37
Virginia 3 4 7 13—27

Faribault 1 13 8 7—29
Thief River Falls 11 15 3 8—37

Luverne 6 13 7 9—35
St. Paul Central 6 14 13 7—40

Appleton 9 7 8 4—28
Mpls. North 7 12 10 14—43

Top Scorers

Eli Roberwich, Glenn Gumlia, CI 11
Nick Pepelnjak, Virginia 10

Bruce Smith 11
Roy Lee, Mickelson 10

DeLapp, Ford 10
Kenneth Rasmussen, Central 15

Mrozek 11
Dick Burk, North 15

Consolation Semi-Finals

Virginia 33 Faribault 24

Appleton 23 Luverne 15

John Norlander, Virginia 12

Semi-Finals

Crosby-Ironton 6 7 10 5 0—28

Thief River Falls 5 7 8 8 2—30 Don Lorentson, Thief River Falls 11

Mpls. North 34 St. Paul Central 27

Jerry Goodman, North 10

5th Place

Virginia 33 Appleton 24

Nick Pepelnjak, Virginia 17

3rd Place

Crosby-Ironton 40 St. Paul Central 35

Clarence Martin, Crosby-Ironton 13

Championship

Mpls. North 10 11 6 2—29

Thief River Falls 6 9 11 5—31

Dick Hallman, North 15

Loren Stadum, TRF 11

The Stars

Champions Thief River Falls 27-0

Coach of the Year George Lee, Thief River Falls
 Nick Pepelnjak, Virginia 36 pts, 3 games, 12 ppg
 Roy Lee, Thief River Falls
 Dick Hallman, Mpls. North
 Jerry Goodman, Mpls. North
 Dick Burk, Mpls. North, F

The all-tournament team was expanded to eight players and so it would remain through 1951, with the exception of 1941 when the all-tournament team consisted of five players.

Fun Facts The state tournament was broadcast via statewide radio network for the first time, while Loren Stadum of Thief became the first of just three boys ever to earn all-tournament honors without starting in any one game. Thief's top scorer, Mickelson, sprained his knee in the semi-final. Mel Haugham came off the bench and scored a big basket to bring Thief to within 25-24 late in the semi-final. Thief brought Mickelson off the bench for one last play in OT, and he scored on a long shot to win that semi-final game. In the final, Haugham started by Stadum came off the bench and was Thief's leading scorer.

1939

First Round

Breckenridge 34 Hutchinson 21
 Mpls. Marshall 33 Gilbert 25

Austin 4 11 5 8—28
 Mountain Lake 5 12 7 5—29

South St. Paul 12 4 11 6—33
 Thief River Falls 5 8 8 5—26

Top Scorers

Melvin Ruud, Breckenridge 12
 Don "Red" Mattson, Marshall 15

Vogel 8
 Ruben Epp 9

Nick Vujovick 11
 Loren Stadum, TRF 11

Consolation Semi-Finals

Gilbert 48 Hutchinson 24
 Thief River Falls 26 Austin 20

Louis Bozich, Gilbert 18

Semi-Finals

Mpls. Marshall 38 Breckenridge 22

John Moir, Marshall 20

Mountain Lake 12 2 11 16—41
 South St. Paul 8 2 5 6—21

Harry Franz, Mountain Lake 12

5th Place

Gilbert 49 Thief River Falls 35

Oliver Oja, Gilbert; Earl Nicholson, TRF 13

3rd Place

South St. Paul 36 Breckenridge 25

Robert Ely, SSP; Ray Cimbura, Breckenridge 10

Championship

Mountain Lake 37 Mpls. Marshall 31

Don "Red" Mattson, Marshall 18

The Stars

Champions Mountain Lake 23-1

Coach of the Year Sam Ettinger, South St. Paul

Ruben Epp, Mountain Lake, G

Don "Red" Mattson, Mpls. Marshall, C

Louis Bozich, Gilbert, F

40 pts, 3 games, 13.3 ppg

Mel Ruud, Breckenridge, F

Harry Franz, Mountain Lake, F

39 pts, 3 games, 13.0 ppg

Fun Fact A group of moms bumped into one another in the concourse after the final game. A Minneapolis Marshall mom said to the Mountain Lake moms, "Well, if we had to lose, I'm glad we lost to you."

1940

First Round

Mountain Lake 29 Tracy 23
Red Wing 33 Rochester 30
Breckenridge 38 Bemidji 24
Mpls. Marshall 31 Chisholm 29

Top Scorers

Henry Epp, Mountain Lake 12
Ray Cimbura, Breckenridge 12
Don "Red" Mattson, Marshall 21

Consolation Semi-Finals

Tracy 38 Rochester 30
Chisholm 41 Bemidji 35

Bill Main, Tracy 14
Orlando Bonicelli, Chisholm 17

Semi-Finals

Red Wing 30 Mountain Lake 26
Breckenridge 32 Mpls. Marshall 30

Willard Rempel, Mountain Lake 16
Mel Ruud, Breckenridge 18

5th Place

Chisholm 35 Tracy 30

Bob Wachs, Tracy 14

3rd Place

Mpls. Marshall 52 Mountain Lake 27

Floyd Foslien, Marshall 14

Championship

Breckenridge 43 Red Wing 40

Vern Ulness, Breckenridge 14

The Stars

Champions Breckenridge 28-3

Coch of the Year Walt Mikulich, Breckenridge

Don "Red" Mattson, Mpls. Marshall, C

Mel Ruud, Breckenridge, F

Willard Rempel, Mountain Lake, F

Orlando Bonicelli, Chisholm, G

Vern Ulness, Breckenridge, G

47 pts, 3 games, 15.7 ppg

Fun Fact This was the highest scoring championship game to date, and the average score of 33-29 was the 2nd highest ever after 35-29 in 1938.

1941

First Round

Bemidji 42 Moorhead 23
Red Wing 45 Austin 29
Buhl 37 Mankato 35
Minneapolis Washburn 30 Lester Prairie 19

Top Scorers

Jack Johnson, Bemidji 10
Dick McWaters, Red Wing 14
Ed Nylund, Buhl 14
Dave Ruliffson, Washburn 17

Consolatio Semi-Finals

Mankato 27 Lester Prairie 24
Austin 42 Moorhead 35

Lewis Vogel, Austin; Lloyd Brendan, Moorhd 10

Semi-Finals

Red Wing 37 Bemidji 24
 Buhl 33 Minneapolis Washburn 29

Johnson 15
 Ed Nylund, Buhl 14

5th Place

Mankato 41 Austin 33

Russ Fechter, Mankato; Lewis Vogel, Austin 13

3rd Place

Minneapolis Washburn 47 Bemidji 30

Ruliffson 13

Championship

Buhl 31 Red Wing 29

Jim Maetzold, Red Wing 14

The Stars

Champions Buhl 23-3

Coach of the Year Melvin G. "Muxie" Anderson, Buhl

Ed Nylund, Buhl, C

Dave Ruliffson, Mpls. Washburn, F

43 pts, 3 games, 14.3 ppg

Dick McWaters, Red Wing, F

Russ Willberg, Buhl, G

Jim Maetzold, Red Wing, F

Fun Fact Red Wing was just the second team to play in two straight finals and was the first team to finish second two straight years. (Moorhead played in the 1928, 1929 and 1930 finals.) Jim Maetzold starred for both of Red Wing's runners-up but never made all-tournament. We think he should have. (We pick him ahead of teammate Wilbur Winblad.)

1942**First Round**

Buhl 51 Fairmont 38

Top Scorers

John Klarich, Buhl 16

Austin 8 7 12 12—39
 Moorhead 12 10 17 8—47

Pat Geraghty 9
 Dick Hilde 18

Marshall 5 7 13 12—37
 St. Paul Washington 4 5 4 8—21

Jack Hiller 14
 Dick Kaess 7

Bagley 2 7 2 2—13
 Hopkins 9 4 7 7—27

Milt Presteman 9
 Steve Skoglund 8

Consolation Semi-Finals

Bagley 22 St. Paul Washington 19
 Austin 42 Fairmont 37

Len Brix, Washington 10
 Emery Thompson, Austin 14

Semi-Finals

Buhl 10 20 13 10—53
 Moorhead 9 6 7 7—29

John Klarich, Buhl 18

Marshall 38 Hopkins 23

Jack Hiller, Marshall 10

5th Place

Austin 34 Bagley 26

Bryant Elmer, Austin 11

3rd Place

Hopkins 58 Moorhead 27

Stewart Skoglund, Hopkins 22

Championship

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| Buhl | 6 | 8 | 11 | 5—30 |
| Marshall | 7 | 5 | 12 | 5—29 |

John Klarich, Buhl 15

The Stars

Champions Buhl 28-0

Coach of the Year Bernie Cole, Marshall

Ed Nylund, Buhl, C

John Klarich, Buhl, F

Stewart Skoglund, Hopkins, F

Russ Willberg, Buhl, G

Jack Hiller, Marshall, G

49 pts, 3 games, 16.3 ppg

Fun Fact Buhl was the second repeat champion, and the first to do it with two different coaches. The win over Marshall was their 36th straight, while Marshall had a winning streak of 38 straight football wins.

1943

First Round

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| Alexandria | 8 | 2 | 7 | 11—28 |
| Mankato | 6 | 7 | 7 | 6—26 |

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|----------|----|----|----|-------|
| Bemidji | 10 | 14 | 5 | 10—39 |
| Virginia | 5 | 17 | 11 | 10—43 |

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| Hutchinson | 2 | 9 | 6 | 8—25 |
| St. Paul Washington | 2 | 19 | 16 | 4—41 |

Austin 39 Mpls. Edison 36

Consolation Semi-Finals

Bemidji 37 Mankato 28

Hutchinson 37 Mpls. Edison 34

Semi-Finals

Alexandria 38 Virginia 32

St. Paul Washington 21 Austin 18

5th Place

Bemidji 47 Hutchinson 38

3rd Place

Virginia 47 Austin 45

Championship

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| Alexandria | 7 | 12 | 8 | 7—33 |
| St. Paul Washington | 15 | 13 | 5 | 22—55 |

The Stars

Champions St. Paul Washington 22-2

Coach of the Year Harry Falk, Alexandria

Hal Haskins, Alexandria, C

Dick Kaess, St. Paul Washington, G

Bill Conner, Virginia, F

Top Scorers

Hal Haskins 17

Sperlich 11

Tom Corrigan 16

Bill Conner 14

Jenike 11

Dick Kaess 12

Don Holick, Edison 14

Tom Corrigan, Bemidji 16

Clarence Jenike, Hutchinson 12

Haskins 21

Gellman, Washington 8

Tom Corrigan, Bemidji 15

Conner, Harry Roskoski, Virginia 16

Haskins 19

57 pts, 3 games, 19 ppg

Pat Geraghty, Austin, G
Tom Corrigan, Bemidji, C

Fun Fact Haskins' 19 ppg was a new tournament record.

1944

First Round

Crosby-Ironton 13 4 18 11—46
Virginia 8 15 5 17—45

Bemidji 61 Brownton 55

Rochester 9 6 11 11—37
Stillwater 9 7 11 9—36

Mpls. Patrick Henry 48 Mankato 18

Consolation Semi-Finals

Virginia 79 Brownton 39
Mankato 38 Stillwater 29

Semi-Finals

Mpls. Patrick Henry 40 Rochester 23
Crosby-Ironton 38 Bemidji 36 (OT)

5th Place

Mankato 34 Virginia 33 (ot)

3rd Place

Bemidji 39 Rochester 35

Championship

Mpls. Patrick Henry 51 Crosby-Ironton 42

Top Scorers

Lou Perpich 14
Leslie Hamalainen 16

Phil Feir, Bemidji 19

Howie Tompkins, Rochester 16

Jim McIntyre, Henry 29

George Marjanen, Virginia 18
Duane Nelson, Mankato 14

Jim McIntyre, Henry 21
Phil Feir, Bemidji 14

Duane Nelson, Mankato 16

Howie Tompkins, Rochester 15

Jim McIntyre, Henry 36

The Stars

Champions Mpls. Patrick Henry 24-1

Coach of the Year Frank Cleve, Minneapolis Henry

Jim McIntyre, Mpls. Patrick Henry, C 86 pts, 3 games, 28.7 ppg

Ed Jacobson, Crosby-Ironton, F

Louis Perpich, Crosby-Ironton, G

Bob Leiviska, Virginia, G

Bob Mealey, Mpls. Patrick Henry, G

Fun Fact McIntyre, the tallest boy ever to play in the tournament at 6-8½, obliterated the tournament scoring records, setting single game records of 29 and then 36 and a tournament record of 86 points.

1945

First Round

Ely 43 Crosby-Ironton 33
Hutchinson 47 Red Wing 35
Mankato 37 Faribault 33 (OT)
Mpls. Patrick Henry 59 Bemidji 49

Top Scorers

Dick Buckley, Ely 15
Bill Van Lanen, Red Wing 16
Duane Olson, Mankato 18
Jim McIntyre, Henry 35

Consolation Semi-Finals

Red Wing 40 Crosby-Ironton 37
 Bemidji 34 Faribault 33

Bill Van Lanen, RW; Jim Malosky, CI 13
 Dick Laurence, Bemidji 14

Semi-Finals

Ely 43 Hutchinson 41
 Mpls. Patrick Henry 37 Mankato 25

Dick Buckley, James Rolando, Ely 17
 Jim McIntyre, Henry 22

5th Place

Bemidji 40 Red Wing 38

Dick Laurence, Bemidji 18

3rd Place

Mankato 44 Hutchinson 32

Luke Brown, Mankato 13

Championship

Mpls. Patrick Henry 66 Ely 35

Jim McIntyre, Henry 43

The Stars

Champions Mpls. Patrick Henry 24-1

Coach of the Year- Ed Buckley, Ely

Jim McIntyre, Mpls. Patrick Henry, C

Dick Buckley, Ely, G

Don Olson, Mankato. F

Dick Laurence, Bemidji, F

Clayton Kermeen, Mpls. Patrick Henry, G

100 pts, 3 games, 33.3 ppg

Fun Fact McIntyre, now almost 6-10, was the first boy to lead the tournament in scoring two years, setting tournament records both times with 86 points in 1944 and 100 in 1945.

1946**First Round**

Austin 66 Roseau 39
 Mountain Lake 59 Tower-Soudan 46

Top Scorers

Dick Ravenhorst, Austin 19
 Ray Wall, Mountain Lake 18

Crosby-Ironton 17 7 15 8—47
 Lynd 16 12 20 10—58

Jim Malosky 19
 Duane Londgren 20

Stillwater 37 Mpls. Washburn 36

John Moonan, Washburn 17

Consolation Semi-Finals

Tower-Soudan 51 Roseau 46
 Mpls. Washburn 47 Crosby-Ironton 36

Stenfeldt Peterson, Tower-Soudan 27
 Jim Malosky, Crosby-Ironton 16

Semi-Finals

Austin 38 Mountain Lake 31

Ray Wall, Mountain Lake 13

Lynd 12 10 12 12—46
 Stillwater 14 8 13 5—39

Duane Londgren 17
 Frank Stewart 13

5th Place

Tower-Soudan 51 Mpls. Washburn 46

Don Avikainen, Tower-Soudan 20

3rd Place-

Mountain Lake 59 Stillwater 45

Ray Wall, Mountain Lake 19

Championship

Austin 63 Lynd 31

Dick Ravenhorst, Austin 24

The Stars**Champions** Austin 22-3**Coach of the Year** Chet Bisel, Lynd

Dick Ravenhorst, Austin, C

Ray Wall, Mountain Lake, C

Harper Richardson, Austin, F

Duane Londgren, Lynd, C

Jim Malosky, Crosby-Ironton, G

50 pts, 3 games, 16.7 ppg

Fun Facts Lynd astonished fans with the first modern fast break and the first behind-the-back pass by Casper Fisher. This was the highest scoring tournament ever with an average of 53-39, but this was more due to Austin's tremendous height than to Lynd's fast break.

1947**First Round**

Crosby-Ironton 15 5 11 5—36

St. Paul Marshall 8 10 11 2—31

Austin 19 8 7 9—43

Mpls. Marshall 13 12 9 17—51

Mountain Lake 51 Bemidji 39

Duluth Denfeld 15 9 8 12—44

Granite Falls 4 6 10 17—37

Top Scorers (Game)

Valentino 11

Robinson 11

Cliff Uher 23

Ray Wall, Mountain Lake 27

Paul Nace 12

Dave Hegna 11

Consolation Semi-Finals

Granite Falls 59 Bemidji 53

St. Paul Marshall 62 Austin 51

Dave Hegna, Granite Falls 24

Jim Burke, Marshall 18

Semi-Finals

Crosby-Ironton 9 18 6 7—40

Minneapolis Marshall 13 4 12 10—39

John Widmar 17

Jerry Ekberg, Marshall 18

Duluth Denfeld 30 Mountain Lake 29

Don Reimer, Mountain Lake 12

5th Place

Granite Falls 38 St. Paul Marshall 15

Dave Hegna, Granite Falls 15

3rd Place

Mountain Lake 39 Mpls. Marshall 37

Ray Wall, Mountain Lake 15

Championship

Crosby-Ironton 14 9 9 12—44

Duluth Denfeld 10 9 15 12—46

Rudy Monson, Denfeld 22

The Stars**Champions** Duluth Denfeld 23-3**W-L/Coach** Len Espeland, Granite Falls

Ray Wall, Mountain Lake, C

Paul Nace, Duluth Denfeld, G

56 pts, 3 games, 18.7 ppg

John Widmar, Crosby-Ironton, F
 Jerry Exberg, Mpls. Marshall, C
 Rudy Monson, Duluth Denfeld, C

Fun Fact Leon Combs and Curtis Russell of St. Paul Marshall were the second and third African-Americans to play in the Minnesota state tournament. Combs scored a basket to bring Marshall within 31-29 of Crosby-Ironton at the end of the 3rd quarter of their semi-final game, but it was not enough. Marshall then beat Austin and lost to Granite Falls to finish sixth.

1948

First Round

Crosby-Ironton 8 7 6 16—37
 Hopkins 10 19 12 10—51

Anoka 11 4 8 12—35
 Hibbing 11 7 11 8—37

Mountain Lake 40 Waseca 38
 Bemidji 43 Hutchinson 30

Consolation Semi-Finals

Crosby-Ironton 51 Anoka 36
 Waseca 38 Hutchinson 26

Semi-Finals

Hibbing 7 8 5 10—30
 Hopkins 15 7 12 8—42

Bemidji 8 15 11 6—40
 Mountain Lake 11 10 4 12—37

5th Place

Waseca 47 Crosby-Ironton 33

3rd Place

Hibbing 27 Mountain Lake 23

Championship

Bemidji 10 6 18 4—38
 Hopkins 11 7 4 7—29

The Stars

Champions Bemidji 28-3

Coach of the Year Russell "Butsie" Maetzold, Hopkins

Wesley Sabourin, Bemidji, C

Virgil Miller, Hopkins, F

Laurence Krause, Waseca, C

Milan Knezovich, Hibbing, C

Chuck Grover, Bemidji, G

Top Scorers

Don Jacobson 15

Ed Korsmo 12

Pete Castle 12

Milan Knezovich 20

Lawrence Krause, Waseca 18

Bob Wyttenhove, Hutchinson 14

Don Jacobson, CI 16

Pinky Yess, Waseca 13

Virgil Miller 18

Chuck Grover 17

Don Riemer 15

Lawrence Krause, Waseca 31

Milan Knezovich, Hibbing 11

Virgil Miller, Hopkins 15

57 pts, 3 games, 19 ppg

Fun Fact Sabourin, Krause, Knezovich and Anoka's Pete Castle were all 6-5, a first.

1949

First Round

Mankato 52 Brainerd 34
 Rochester 54 Dawson 46
 Mpls. Central 37 Hibbing 34
 St. Paul Humboldt 48 Bemidji 39

Top Scorers

Don Griffin, Mankato 18
 Jim Larson, Rochester 22
 Milan Knezovich, Hibbing 18
 Jim Fritsche, Humboldt 26

Consolation Semi-Finals

Dawson 63 Brainerd 43
 Hibbing 64 Bemidji 40

Bob Lee, Dawson 24
 Milan Knezovich, Hibbing 34

Semi-Finals

Mankato 18 9 6 9—42
 Rochester 12 7 7 8—34

Norman Ness 12
 Shorty Cochran, Rochester 13

St. Paul Humboldt 53 Minneapolis Central 47

Fritsche 23

5th Place

Hibbing 31 Dawson 30

Roger Beaman, Dawson 14

3rd Place

Rochester 66 Mpls. Central 55

Jim Larson, Rochester 21

Championship

Mankato 4 6 11 14—35
 St. Paul Humboldt 13 7 17 10—47

Ness 12
Jim Fritsche, Humboldt 21

The Stars

Champions St. Paul Humboldt 19-5

Coach of the Year Steve Ruzich, Dawson

Jim Fritsche, St. Paul Humboldt, C

70 pts, 3 games, 23.3 ppg

Milan Knezovich, Hibbing, F

Shorty Cochran, Rochester, G

Jim Larson, Rochester, C

Roger Beaman, Dawson, F

Fun Fact Fritsche was the highest scorer yet not named Jim McIntyre.

1950**First Round**

Rochester 4 12 10 10 8—44
 South St. Paul 5 3 15 13 2—38

Top Scorer

Jim Larson, Rochester 22

Bemidji 4 7 11 12—34
 Robbinsdale 12 10 14 12—48

Irwin St. John, Bemidji 12
 Don Dale, Robbinsdale 21

Duluth Central 57 Alexandria 49
 Canby 42 Mankato 32

John Stephan, Central 22
 Ron Smith, Canby 13

Consolation Semi-Finals

Bemidji 52 South St. Paul 39
 Alexandria 41 Mankato 38

St. John; Fladager, SSP 17
 Dennis Bergner, Alexandria 20

Semi-Finals

Robbinsdale 16 15 7 19—57
 Rochester 8 13 19 15—55

Dale 37
 Ray Lee 15

Canby 8 7 4 6—25
Duluth Central 10 4 10 14—38

Smith 10
Stephan, Bennett 10; Smith, Canby 10

5th Place

Bemidji 39 Alexandria 31

St. John 15

3rd Place

Rochester 37 Canby 34

Jim Larson, Rochester 13

Championship

Duluth Central 10 13 13 6—42
Robbinsdale 13 6 10 11—40

Stephan 15
Don Dale, Robbinsdale 22

The Stars

Champions Duluth Central 24-3

Coach of the Year Roger Isaacson, Canby

Don Dale, Robbinsdale, C

80 pts, 3 games, 26.7 ppg

Charles "Buzz" Bennett, Duluth Central, G

John Stephan, Duluth Central, C

Myles "Mickey" Fladager, South St. Paul, G

Irwin St. John, Bemidji, C

Fun Fact Don Dale is now the top scorer since McIntyre.

1951

First Round

Brainerd 66 East Grand Forks 54

Top Scorers

John Haaven, EGF 33

Canby 18 13 7 7—45
Hopkins 12 14 12 5—43

Ervin Mikkelson 19

Gilbert 67 Austin 56

Bill Simonovich, Gilbert 35

Mountain Lake 5 11 12 19—47
St. Paul Monroe 9 15 2 20—46

Maynard Meyers 19

Consolation

Hopkins 78 East Grand Forks 38

Dave Tschimperle, Hopkins 21

Austin 64 St. Paul Monroe 48

Gene Auck, Monroe 26

Semi-Finals

Brainerd 5 7 9 13—34
Canby 16 20 15 12—63

Ron Smith, Canby 25

Gilbert 15 11 6 12 2—46 (OT) Andy Snyder, Gilbert 21
Mountain Lake 44 9 16 13 6 0—44

5th Place

Hopkins 41 Austin 31

Dave Tschimperle, Hopkins 20

3rd Place

Brainerd 53 Mountain Lake 51

Alden Stoesz, Mountain Lake 23

Championship

Canby 6 17 15 14—52
 Gilbert 18 16 20 15—69

Dunphy, Mikkelson, Miller 11
 Tom Richardson, Gilbert 26

The Stars

Champions Gilbert 26-1

Coach of the Year Wayne Keto, Gilbert

Bill Simonovich, Gilbert, C

56 pts, 3 games, 18.7 ppg

Andy Snyder, Gilbert, G

Dave Tschimperle, Hopkins, F

57 pts, 3 games, 19 ppg

Ron Smith, Canby, F

Tom Richardson, Gilbert, F

Fun Fact Andy Snyder's three-quarter court shot at the end of the third period ended any doubt about the eventual winner of the final; and the first round match-up of Gilbert's Simonovich and Austin's Halldorson (6-10 and 6-8, respectively) matched the 2 tallest boys ever to meet. Siomonovich outscored Halldorson a remarkable 35-4.

1952

First Round

Appleton 13 14 23 6—56
 South St. Paul 12 21 19 8—60

Top Scorer

Roberts 21
 Tom Hammond 21

Halstad 21 18 11 6—56
 Virginia 16 16 12 11—55

Jim Akason 14
 Jack Stromberg 15

Hopkins 46 Mountain Lake 45

Maynard Meyers, Mountain Lake 16

Austin 19 11 17 23—70
 Crosby-Ironton 8 14 9 19—50

Don Rasmussen, Austin 19
 Callisto 14

Consolation Semi-Finals

Virginia 48 Appleton 40
 Mountain Lake 57 Crosby-Ironton 41

Dave Schneider, Appleton 22
 Maynard Meyers, Mountain Lake 25

Semi-Finals

Halstad 14 6 18 10—48
 South St. Paul 19 13 20 9—61

Akason 16
 Hammond, Kimball 16

Austin 14 11 5 4—34
 Hopkins 13 17 11 4—45

Dave Tschimperle 21

3rd Place

Halstad 60 Austin 58

Dayle Rasmussen, Austin 28

5th Place

Mountain Lake 45 Virginia 43

Franz, Mt. Lake; Sims, Stromberg, Virginia 12

Championship

Hopkins 10 14 10 8—42
 South St. Paul 9 7 12 1—29

Jerry Porter 16
 Jack Wade 8

The Stars

Champions Hopkins 25-1

Coach of the Year Bert Munson, Mountain Lake

Dave Tschimperle, Hopkins, C

Maynard Meyers, Mountain Lake, C
Tom Hammond, South St. Paul , F
Jerry Porter, Hopkins, G
Jim Akason, Halstad, F

52 pts, 3 games, 17.3 ppg

The all-tournament team was expanded to ten players but would remain as such only through 1956.

Fun Fact Bob Wagner was Hopkins' third pick for the all-tournament team, and he was the first African-American athlete ever to be so honored.

1953

First Round

Granite Falls 21 20 11 20—72
Moorhead 9 19 12 13—53

Top Scorers

Ted Grams 23
Grabinske 14

Hibbing 64 Madelia 45
Hopkins 59 Red Wing 47
Bemidji 75 Austin 73

Allan Rice 20
Dave Tschimperle, Hopkins 26
Bob McKay, Jerry Olson, Austin 23

Consolation Semi-Finals

Madelia 67 Moorhead 66
Red Wing 84 Austin 67

LeRoy German, Madelia 27
Ron Crimmins, Red Wing 22

Semi-Finals

Hibbing 55 Granite Falls 47
Hopkins 69 Bemidji 56

Rice 20
Jerry Porter, Hopkins 20

5th Place

Red Wing 77 Madelia 62

Bernie Raetz, Red Wing 28

3rd Place

Bemidji 65 Granite Falls 64

Shaskey, Bemidji; Larson, Granite Falls 18

Championship

Hopkins 58 Hibbing 49

Tschimperle 26

The Stars

Champions Hopkins 23-0

Coach of the Year Mario Retica, Hibbing

Dave Tschimperle, Hopkins, C

Bernie Raetz, Red Wing, G

Allan Rice, Hibbing, F

Omar Larson, Granite Falls, F

Jerry Porter, Hopkins, G

70 pts, 3 games, 23.3 ppg

Fun Facts Red Wing roared into the tournament with a 92-73 regional win over Braham. The 2 teams broke the previous regional record for points by both teams by more than 40 points. Austin gave up a record 75 points in the 1st round and a new record of 84 points the next day. It was just the second time that the average tournament score for both teams exceeded 100 points, and now the total was 65-53 or 118 points. In 17 years, the average winning score more than doubled from 30 points to 65.

1954

First Round

Renville 51 Hibbing 48

Bemidji 14 18 15 13—60
St. James 17 11 12 14—54

Austin 43 Willmar 40
Brainerd 56 Red Wing 55

Consolation Semi-Finals

Hibbing 77 St. James 54
Willmar 56 Red Wing 40

Semi-Finals

Bemidji 46 Renville 44 (OT)

Austin 11 20 10 15—56
Brainerd 15 12 12 18—57

5th Place

Willmar 69 Hibbing 65

3rd Place

Austin 59 Renville 43

Championship

Bemidji 13 14 14 6—47
Brainerd 19 17 8 5—49

The Stars

Champions Brainerd 23-3

Coach of the Year Fred Kellett, Brainerd

Bob Anderstrom, Willmar, C

Rod Skoog, Brainerd, G

Jack Whiting, Bemidji, F

Jon Jelacic, Brainerd, F

Jerry Olson, Austin, C

Top Scorers

Warren Peterson, Renville 25

Jack Whiting 19
Norm Anderson 13

Bob Anderstrom, Willmar 20
Wayne Deden, Red Wing 24

Warren Peterson, Hibbing 20
Anderstrom 19

Elmer Johnson, Bemidji 13
Jerry Olson, Austin 18

Bob Anderstrom, Willmar 33

Jerry Olson, Austin 19

Whiting 14
Rod Skoog, Brainerd 19

71 pts, 3 games, 23.7 ppg

Fun Fact 7 championship round games were decided by a total of 20 points (2.86 ppg), making it the closest tournament ever.

The Modern Era (Part 2), 1955-1970

1955

First Round

Minneapolis Washburn 71 Morris 50

New Prague 56 Esko 38

Bemidji 74 Ortonville 59

Austin 76 Fairmont 69 (OT)

Top Scorers

Conrad Freeman, Morris 19

Ron Johnson, New Prague 32

Dick Peterson, Ortonville 35 (16 of 18 FGA)

Jerry Olson, Austin 25

Consolation Semi-Finals

Esko 66 Morris 65

Harold Bergstedt, Esko 22

Fairmont 70 Ortonville 65

Tom Idstrom, Fairmont 24

Semi-Finals

Minneapolis Washburn 10 19 11 25—65
New Prague 11 14 5 18—48

Stu Hanson 27
Johnson 22

Austin 56 Bemidji 55

Olson 25

5th Place

Esko 66 Fairmont 52

Harold Bergstedt, Esko 28

3rd Place

Bemidji 70 New Prague 64

Ron Johnson, New Prague 48

Championship

Austin 19 8 15 16—58
Minneapolis Washburn 17 15 13 22—67

Olson 27

The Stars

Champions Minneapolis Washburn 22-1

Coach of the Year Clarence Johnson, Esko

Ron Johnson, New Prague, C

94 pts, 3 games, 31.3 ppg

Gordie Sundin, Mpls. Washburn, F

Jerry Olson, Austin, F

Dick Peterson, Ortonville, C

Harold Bergstedt, Esko, C

Fun Fact This was the first tournament to be televised. In the semi-final, Washburn took a 10-point lead and went into a stall, hoping to pull New Prague out of the then-popular zone defense. MSHSL executive Kermit Alexander, "sitting a few seats down on the scorer's table yelled" at Washburn coach Ray Ross, the *Minneapolis Tribune* reported, and "told him to get his boys to start moving." The stall, he thought, was not good TV. "How about that," simmered Ross after the game, "You can't even coach your own team...."

1956

First Round

Blue Earth 11 9 20 13—53
Glenwood 12 15 10 6—43

Top Scorers

George Dean 22-14 reb
Jerry Olson 13

Montevideo 20 23 10 13—66
Winona 10 22 13 25—70

Del McClure 27

New Prague 75 Bemidji 71
Minneapolis Roosevelt 79 Aurora 63

Ron Johnson, New Prague 34
Tom Nordland, Roosevelt 21

Consolation Semi-Finals

Glenwood 48 Montevideo 47
Bemidji 91 Aurora 79

McClure 20
Ed Berdice, Aurora 26

Semi-Finals

Blue Earth 62 Winona 57
Mpls. Roosevelt 70 New Prague 53

Abel, Blue Earth; Milbrandt, Winona 18
Johnson 27

5th Place

Bemidji 69 Glenwood 54

Corky Johnson, Dick Mayer, Bemidji 20

3rd Place

New Prague 77 Winona 54

Johnson 48

Championship

Mpls. Roosevelt 101 Blue Earth 54

Larry Exel, Roosevelt 23

The Stars**Champions** Mpls. Roosevelt 20-3**Coach of the Year** Bun Fortier, Bemidji

Ron Johnson, New Prague, C

109 pts, 3 games, 36.3 ppg

Larry Exel, Mpls. Roosevelt, F

George Dean, Blue Earth, F

Delbert McClure, Montevideo, C

Tom Nordland, Mpls. Roosevelt, F

Fun Facts Roosevelt's 101-point outburst has never been matched in s state title game. Bob Freund was Roosevelt's leading scorer over the 3 games, and yet he was the only Roosevelt starter who did not make all-tournament. Roosevelt had defeated Blue Earth 61-58 in the regular season. Roosevelt lost 3 times, twice to DeLaSalle.

1957**First Round**

Minneapolis Roosevelt 73 Bemidji 70 (OT)

Top Scorers

Ray Cronk, Bemidji 34

Fergus Falls 17 15 16 9—57

Hibbing 11 9 22 13—55

Cal Sabatini, Hibbing 21

Red Wing 63 Rochester 54

Roger Hagberg, Rochester 24

Walnut Grove 70 Pemberton 65

Jack Litfin, Walnut Grove 24

Consolation Semi-Finals

Hibbing 64 Bemidji 56

Sabatini 25

Rochester 66 Pemberton 65

Hagberg; Bjornson, Pemberton 23

Semi-Finals

Minneapolis Roosevelt 83 Fergus Falls 59

Tom Nordland, Roosevelt 31

Red Wing 88 Walnut Grove 74

Steve Malmar, Red Wing 25

5th Place

Hibbing 72 Rochester 71

Roger Hagberg, Rochester 35

3rd Place

Fergus Falls 78 Walnut Grove 48

Curt Reiman, Fergus Falls 27

Championship

Minneapolis Roosevelt 10 17 21 11—59

Tom Nordland, Roosevelt 31

Red Wing 12 11 13 15—51

The Stars**Champions** Minneapolis Roosevelt 27-0-1**Coach of the Year** Duane Baglien, Fergus Falls

Tom Nordland, Mpls. Roosevelt, G

84 pts, 3 games, 28 ppg

Ray Cronk, Bemidji, F

Steve Malmar, Red Wing, G
Cal Sabatini, Hibbing, G
Roger Hagberg, Rochester, C

82 pts, 27.3 ppg

The all-tournament team was expanded to 12 players and so it would remain through the end of the single class era.

Fun Fact Roosevelt was the fifth repeat champion. Their record has always been reported as 27-0, but they tied Duluth East 48-48 in a U of M Prelim game. No OT was played because it was time for the Gophers to take the floor.

1958

First Round

Austin 53 Cloquet 51
Willmar 66 Brownton 55
Brainerd 77 Bemidji 72
Mankato 71 Mora 69

Top Scorers

Dick Millen, Cloquet 22-21 reb
Dean Anderson, Willmar 26
Jim Brown, Brainerd 31
Dick Longworth, Mora 27

Consolation Semi-Finals

Bemidji 82 Mora 58
Cloquet 57 Brownton 50

Ray Cronk, Bemidji 32
Dick Millen, Cloquet 23

Semi-Finals

Austin 61 Willmar 56
Brainerd 59 Mankato 56

Tom Kezar, Austin 28
Herb Stanglund, Mankato 25

5th Place

Bemidji 59 Cloquet 57

Cronk 28; Millen 27

3rd Place

Willmar 70 Mankato 41

Dean Anderson, Willmar 20

Championship

Austin 68 Brainerd 63

John Emerson, Brainerd 29

The Stars

Champions Austin 20-3

Coach of the Year Ove Berven, Austin

Jim Brown, Brainerd, G

Tom Kezar, Austin, G

Ray Cronk, Bemidji, F

Dick Millen, Cloquet, C

John Emerson, Brainerd, C

86 pts, 3 games, 28.7 ppg

72 pts, 24.0 ppg

Fun Fact Austin was the second team, after Red Wing with 4, to win 3 state titles. Austin's titles came in 1935, 1946 and 1958, but the Packers never won the Big 9 and the state title in the same year.

1959

First Round

Wayzata 57 Mankato 51
Austin 62 Hawley 57
Carlton 65 Bemidji 58

Top Scorers

George Riley, Mankato 15
Tom Kezar, Austin 22
John Pierson, Carlton 30

North St. Paul 60 Granite Falls 52

Don Arlich, North St. Paul 20

Consolation Semi-Finals

Hawley 67 Mankato 64
Granite Falls 66 Bemidji 65

Dick Reidberger, Hawley 31
Jim Vickery, Bemidji 20

Semi-Finals

Wayzata 55 Austin 52
Carlton 50 North St. Paul 49

Kezar 20
Pierson 23

5th Place

Granite Falls 60 Hawley 56

Ron Henrickson, Hawley 26

3rd Place

Austin 70 North St. Paul 47

Clayton Reed, Austin 17

Championship

Wayzata 55 Carlton 41

Ron North, Carlton 15

The Stars

Champions Wayzata 23-4

Coach of the Year Dick Nielsen, Carlton

John Pierson, Carlton, C

66 pts, 3 games, 22 ppg

Fred North, Carlton, F

Tom Kezar, Austin, G

Don Mueller, Wayzata, G

Dean Sullivan, Wayzata, G

Fun Facts Carlton would have been the smallest school from the smallest town ever to win the Minnesota state high school championship had they won in the final. Wayzata's Bo Vanman was their leading scorer over their 3 games, yet he did not make the all-tournament team. Only Mueller and Sullivan made all-tournament for the champions. Vanman was the 4th player in history to lead the champions in scoring but not make all-tournament.

1960

First Round

Granite Falls 13 10 13 8—44
Melrose 8 18 10 6—42

Top Scorers

Hegna, Hemingson 13
Russell Sieben 14

Austin 16 16 7 16—55
Thief River Falls 7 16 2 16—41

Clayton Reed 20
Ron Hanson 16

Chisholm 15 9 12 18—54
Edgerton 20 14 15 16—65

Dropp, Skarich 13
Dean Veenhof 24

North St. Paul 8 12 16 15—51
Richfield 12 14 20 14—60

Larry Hansen 25
Bill Davis 20

Consolation Semi-Finals

Melrose 48 Thief River Falls 38
Chisholm 76 North St. Paul 63

Ron Hanson, Thief River Falls 17
Bob Dropp, Chisholm 20

Semi-Finals

Austin 13 19 14 21—67
Granite Falls 12 14 18 14—58

Lyle Hemingson 20

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| Edgerton | 14 | 16 | 14 | 12 | 7—63 | Darrell Kreun 21 |
| Richfield | 12 | 16 | 13 | 15 | 4—60 | Davis 28 |

5th Place

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3rd Place

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| Richfield 70 Granite Falls 50 | Bill Davis, Richfield 40 |
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Championship

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| Austin | 11 | 13 | 17 | 20—61 | Reed 21 |
| Edgerton | 17 | 19 | 18 | 18—72 | Veenhof 26 |

The Stars

Champions Edgerton 27-0

Coach of the Year Richie Olsen, Edgerton

Bill Davis, Richfield, C

88 pts, 3 games, 29.3 ppg

Dean Veenhof, Edgerton, F

Larry Hansen, North St. Paul, F

Clayton Reed, Austin, G

Darrell Kruen, Edgerton, G

Fun Fact Edgerton 82-of-116 free throws, both of which (FTA and FTM) were state tournament records for more than 40 years, though the MSHSL record book did not catch up to that fact also for more than 40 years. They are of course the smallest school from the smallest town ever to win the single-class title.

1961

First Round

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| Duluth Central 74 Danube 52 |
| Sauk Centre 54 Mahtomedi 40 |
| Winona 71 Royalton 51 |
| Bemidji 76 Edgerton 67 |

Top Scorers

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| Bob Bruggers, Danube 28 |
| Mike Patterson, Mahtomedi 17 |
| John Grell, Royalton 22 |
| Larry Higgins, Bemidji 26 |

Consolation Semi-Finals

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| Mahtomedi 70 Danube 59 |
| Edgerton 66 Royalton 58 |

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| Patterson; Zeske, Danube 20 |
| Darrell Kreun, Edgerton 29 |

Semi-Finals

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| Duluth Central | 18 | 18 | 20 | 19—75 |
| Sauk Centre | 9 | 16 | 10 | 18—53 |

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| Chet Anderson 26 |
| Mark 14 |

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| Bemidji | 16 | 11 | 14 | 16—57 |
| Winona | 11 | 15 | 19 | 6—51 |

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| Jack Phelps 20 |
| Garrison 14 |

5th Place

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| Mahtomedi 51 Edgerton 49 |
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Patterson 21

3rd Place

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| Sauk Centre 66 Winona 60 |
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Bob Larson, Winona 20

Championship

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| Bemidji | 4 | 22 | 14 | 10—50 |
| Duluth Central | 10 | 14 | 15 | 12—51 |

Anderson 19

The Stars

Champions Duluth Central 27-0

Coach of the Year Bun Fortier, Bemidji

Terry Kunze, Duluth Central, G

Chet Anderson, Duluth Central, F

Mike Patterson, Mahtomedi, C

Larry Higgins, Bemidji, G

Roger Hanson, Duluth Central, G

67 pts, 3 games, 22.3 pp

Fun Fact Minneapolis Roosevelt was undefeated and co-favorite with Duluth Central when they were DQ from tournament play for using ineligible players. They were the last team ever to be DQ. Soon after, the rules were amended to ban the ineligible players but not their team.

1962

First Round

Ada 13 13 21 16—63
Danube 15 17 11 22—65

Top Scorers (Game)

Herb Hasz 31
Bob Bruggers 29

Crosby-Ironton 12 17 19 13 12—73
St. Louis Park 17 19 14 11 14—75

Arlo Knoll 27
Bob Ackland, Mark Zanna 17

Cloquet 19 11 8 18—56
South St. Paul 9 16 18 20—63

Dave Meisner 15
John McLagen 18

Lyle 11 13 5 8—37
Wells 14 17 6 7—44

John Block 15
Alan Redman 14

Consolation Semi-Finals

Ada 59 Crosby-Ironton 58
Cloquet 70 Lyle 46

Herb Hasz, Ada 25
Dave Meisner, Cloquet 16

Semi-Finals

Danube 15 21 14 12—62
St. Louis Park 14 17 17 18—66

Bruggers 36
Ackland 25

South St. Paul 21 14 13 24—72
Wells 15 12 11 15—53

McLagen 33
Redman 19

5th Place

Cloquet 79 Ada 49

Dennis Breitbarth, Cloquet 24

3rd Place

Wells 66 Danube 62

Redman 31

Championship

St. Louis Park 18 16 16 12—62
South St. Paul 12 14 15 16—57

Dennis Pladson 22

The Stars

Champions St. Louis Park 22-2

Coach of the Year Lloyd Holm, St. Louis Park

Bruce Ackland, St. Louis Park, G

Bob Bruggers, Danube, F

John McLagen, South St. Paul, F

Herb Hasz, Ada, G

93 pts, 3 games, 31 ppg

Alan Redman, Wells, G

Fun Fact Danube could have been Cinderella, with less than half the population of Edgerton, but Bruggers made just 10-of-23 FT in the 4-point loss to St. Louis Park.

1963

First Round

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| Austin | 12 | 17 | 16 | 16 | 2—63 (OT) | Miller 25 |
| Marshall | 21 | 21 | 12 | 7 | 4—65 | Terry Porter 25 |

Top Scorer

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| Anoka | 13 | 16 | 9 | 16—54 | Gerry Suman 20 |
| Bemidji | 15 | 14 | 5 | 24—48 | |

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| Bloomington | 14 | 15 | 21 | 17—67 | Bobby Kelly 17 |
| Cloquet | 23 | 14 | 24 | 26—87 | Dave Meisner 30, Mike Forrest 29 |

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| Sauk Centre | 16 | 21 | 18 | 9—64 | Joe Schmiesing 16 |
| Wells | 20 | 18 | 13 | 7—58 | Alan Redman 19 |

Consolation Semi-Finals

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| Bemidji 71 Austin 53 | Suman 24 |
| Bloomington 69 Wells 56 | Otterdahl, Bloomington; Redman 21 |

Semi-Finals

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| Anoka | 13 | 2 | 11 | 9—35 | Hayes 10 |
| Marshall | 14 | 19 | 21 | 7—61 | Porter 17 |

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| Cloquet | 18 | 20 | 20 | 29—87 | Forrest 24 |
| Sauk Centre | 22 | 13 | 20 | 26—81 | |

5th Place

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| Bloomington 43 Bemidji 42 | Gerry Suman, Bemidji 14 |
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3rd Place

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| Sauk Centre 56 Anoka 54 | Tom Trutna, Sauk Centre 15 |
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Championship

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|----------|----|----|----|-------|------------|
| Cloquet | 21 | 22 | 16 | 15—74 | Forrest 29 |
| Marshall | 22 | 21 | 18 | 14—75 | Porter 22 |

The Stars

Champions Marshall 25-1

Coach of the Year Glenn Mattke, Marshall

Mike Forrest, Cloquet, F

Terry Porter, Marshall, G

Dave Meisner, Cloquet, G

Gerry Suman, Bemidji, F

John "Yogi" Nefstead, Marshall, F

82 pts, 3 games, 27.3 ppg

Fun Fact Cloquet was the highest scoring team in tournament history to that time with 248 points (82.7 ppg).

1964

First Round

Proctor 64 Benson 63
 Luverne 65 Hutchinson 50
 Rochester 61 Anoka 54
 Edina 58 Bemidji 44

Consolation Semi-Finals

Hutchinson 57 Benson 52
 Bemidji 43 Anoka 42

Semi-Final

Luverne 80 Proctor 57
 Rochester 76 Edina 71 (OT)

5th Place

Bemidji 44 Hutchnson 38

3rd Place

Edina 85 Proctor 67

Championship

Luverne 72 Rochester 66

The Stars

Champions Luverne 20-5

Coach of the Year Ray Merry

Greg Thone, Luverne, G

Bryan Grohnke, Edina, F

Bob Laney, Proctor, C

Del Jessen, Luverne, F

John Beyer, Luverne, F

Top Scorers

Bob Laney, Proctor 33/32 reb

Greg Thone, Luverne 20

Dave Nelson, Rochester 21

Bryan Grohnke, Edina 23

Haugen, Hutchinson 21

John Dow, Bemidji 19

Del Jessen, Luverne 34/14 reb

Bryan Grohnke, Edina 29

Carl Moehring, Hutchinson 20

Bryan Grohnke, Edina 35

Greg Thone, Luverne 26

87 pts, 3 games, 29 ppg

Fun Fact The Southwest joined the Big 9 and Minneapolis conferences with back-to-back champs from different schools.

1965**First Round**

Minnnetonka 76 Franklin 54
 Bemidji 69 Henning 63 (OT)
 Faribault 60 Virginia 55
 Luverne 70 St. Paul Central 61

Consolation Semi-Finals

Henning 75 Franklin 65
 St. Paul Central 74 Virginia 57

Semi-Finals

Minnnetonka 67 Bemidji 57
 Faribault 57 Luverne 50

5th Place

St. Paul Central 68 Henning 64

3rd Place

Bemidji 72 Luverne 58

Top Scorers

Bucky Ives, Minnetonka 23

John Dow, Bemidji 26

Tom Weaver, Faribault 30

John Beyer, Luverne 23

D. Johnson, Franklin 25

LeRoy Gardner, St. P. Central 33

Paul Knight, Minnetonka 22

Tom Weaver, Faribault 26

Dick Peterson, Henning 20

John Dow, Bemidji 24

Championship

Minnetonka 71 Faribault 60

Tom Weaver, Faribault 23

The Stars

Champions Minnetonka 22-4

Coach of the Year Ron Eickhoff, Franklin

Tom Weaver, Faribault, C

79 pts, 3 games, 26.3 ppg

Jerry Marquardt, Minnetonka, G

Paul Knight, Minnetonka, C

LeRoy Gardner, St. Paul Central, C

John Dow, Bemidji, F

Fun Fact LeRoy Gardner, St. Paul Central, was just the second Black all-tournament honoree. He soon became the first ever Black Minnesotan to win a basketball scholarship at the University of Minnesota.

1966

First Round

Duluth East 68 Ada 61

Hutchinson 65 Mounds View 53

Henning 82 Blooming Prairie 69

Edina 60 Windom 59

Top Scorers

Dennis Falk, East 17

Tom Kunze, Mounds View 20

Bob Peterson, Henning 29

Rich Frost, Windom 22

Consolation Semi-Finals

Ada 64 Mounds View 58

Windom 71 Blooming Prairie 54

Doug Hanson, Ada 21

Steve Elness, Windom 20

Semi-Finals

Duluth East 76 Hutchinson 49

Edina 62 Henning 55 (3 OT)

Steve Dekoster, Hutchinson 20

Dick Peterson, Henning 25

5th Place

Windom 62 Ada 60

Bruce Johnson, Windom 20

3rd Place

Hutchinson 70 Henning 59

Dick Peterson, Henning 26

Championship

Edina 82 Duluth East 77 (OT)

Jeff Wells, East 23

The Stars

Champions Edina 26-0

Coach of the Year Dick Beetsch, Windom

Kurt Shellhas, Edina, F

Dick Peterson, Henning, F

71 pts, 3 games, 23.7

Bob Peterson, Henning, C

Jeff Wright, Edina, G

Jeff Wells, Duluth East, G

Fun Fact With a one-point win and 2 OT games, Edina had the closest shave of any champ ever. By way of comparison Brainerd coasted to the 1954 title with wins of 1, 1 and 2 points, all in regulation.

1967

First Round

Bemidji 19 12 14 11—56
Hayfield 16 11 10 16—53

Edina 23 22 27 14—86
St. Paul Central 5 18 10 22—55

Duluth Central 17 12 16 17—62
Luverne 14 18 13 13—58

Moorhead 7 31 17 17—72
Walnut Grove 20 23 10 15—68

Top Scorers

Sutton 14
Gary Frederickson 16

Bob Zender 25
Jim Hill 20

Mel Anderson 23
Getman 21

Tom Driscoll 26
Tom Masterson 31

Consolation Semi-Finals

St. Paul Central 83 Hayfield 79
Luverne 63 Walnut Grove 50

Hill 41
Masterson 24

Semi-Finals

Bemidji 12 15 8 16—51
Edina 15 13 18 18—64

Kurt Schellhas 17

Duluth Central 18 17 10 24—69
Moorhead 16 13 20 24—73

Jim Hart 28
Richard Isaman 25

5th Place

Luverne 69 St. Paul Central 66

Hill 33

3rd Place

Duluth Central 67 Bemidji 61

Hart 31

Championship

Edina 21 19 16 16—72
Moorhead 9 14 14 18—55

Zender 22
Isaman 21

The Stars

Champions Edina 27-0

Coach of the Year Shocky Strand, Moorhead

Jim Hill, St. Paul Central, G-F

94 pts, 3 games, 31.3

Bob Zender, Edina, C

Kurt Shellhas, Edina, F

Jay Kiedrowki, Edina, F

Jim Hart, Duluth Central, G

Fun Fact Edina was the 6th repeat champion and the 1st with consecutive undefeated championships.

1968

First Round

Edina 20 13 15 15—63
Hayfield 16 12 12 9—49

Top Scorers

Bob Zender 19
Ron Evjen 19

Duluth Central 14 15 18 23—70

Dick Pennington 24, Pearson 20

Granite Falls 9 19 15 12—55

Moorhead 28 37 18 24—107
St. Paul Highland Park 18 26 24 21—89

East Grand Forks 14 19 6 11—50
Mankato 7 23 16 25—71

Troland 29, Johnson 24, Driscoll 21, Hansen 20
Rick Bulka 29, Ward 24, Eha 20

Skyberg 18
Hendrickson 18

Consolation Semi-Finals

Hayfield 79 Granite Falls 69
St. P. Highland Pk 80 E. Grand Forks 61

Bill Gross, Hayfield 38
Bulka 29

Semi-Finals

Duluth Central 9 17 16 19—61
Edina 16 23 24 28—91

Zender 35, Bill Fiedler 27

Mankato 15 15 10 17—57
Moorhead 12 19 19 26—76

Greg Troland 25

5th Place

St. Paul Highland Park 73 Hayfield 66

Gross 26

3rd Place

Duluth Central 71 Mankato 55

Pennington 27

Championship

Edina 14 22 14 20—70
Moorhead 9 9 17 10—45

Zender 19

The Stars

Champions Edina 26-1

Coach of the Year Duane Baglien, Edina

Bob Zender, Edina, C

Bill Gross, Hayfield, F

Bill Fiedler, Edina, F

Mark Thoele, Edina, G

Greg Troland, Moorhead, G

81 pts, 3 games, 27 ppg

Fun Fact Edina was the 1st three-peat, Moorhead the 2nd back-to-back runner-up. With Moorhead's 107-point game and Edina's 91, the average score of 79-58 represents the highest average winning score and the highest for both teams ever. Only in 1970, 2008 and 2018 did the winners again average at least 70 points.

1969

First Round

Alexander Ramsey 9 14 13 4—40
Duluth Central 7 10 18 17—52

Top Scorers

Richie Pearson 19

Crosby-Ironton 16 14 11 24—65
Minneapolis South 18 12 16 13—59

Bob Taylor 21
Sheldon Anderson 25

Rochester JM 21 24 11 19—75
Wells 14 15 15 18—62

Dave Hollander 26

Bemidji 12 19 11 21—63

Tony Burke 20

Gaylord 11 16 13 8—56

Consolation Semi-Finals

Alexander Ramsey 74 Minneapolis South 66 Tim Grice, South 25
Wells 67 Gaylord 56 Steve Feist, Wells 25

Semi-Finals

Crosby-Ironton 17 7 13 8—45
Duluth Central 15 17 14 9—55 Bob Kunze 17

Bemidji 12 12 16 15—55
Rochester JM 16 20 14 15—65 Craig Jensen 21

5th Place

Wells 75 Alexander Ramsey 72 Rick Webb, Ramsey 42

3rd Place

Crosby-Ironton 54 Bemidji 47 Greg Beaumont, Bemidji 20

Championship

Duluth Central 16 7 11 8—42
Rochester JM 10 11 11 26—58 Jensen 25

The Stars

Champions Rochester John Marshall 23-1

Coach of the Year Al Wold, Rochester John Marshall

Craig Jensen, Rochester John Marshall, F 64 pts, 3 games, 21.3 ppg

Rick Webb, Alexander Ramsey, G

Richie Pearson, Duluth Central, F

Bob Taylor, Crosby-Ironton, C

Tom Sens, Rochester John Marshall, C

Fun Fact The #1, 2 and 3 teams in the state (Waseca, Duluth East, Moorhead) were all upset in district or regional play.

1970

First Round

Melrose 15 8 9 22—54
Sherburn 16 16 22 11—65

Kenyon 17 14 11 21—63
Marshall 16 23 15 20—74

Park Rapids 20 14 11 16—61
South St. Paul 24 27 21 25—97

Eveleth 9 7 7 12—35
Robbinsdale 10 14 10 17—51

Top Scorers

Butch Moening 16
Tom Mulso 29

Weisbecker 15
Wollin 17

Paul Gamm 26
Brian Peterson 36

Stan Krebs 10
Dennis Riley 17

Consolation Semi-Finals

Melrose 65 Kenyon 55 John Thelen, Melrose; Chuck Kjos, Kenyon 18
Park Rapids 67 Eveleth 54 Gamm 18

Semi-Finals

Marshall 18 15 10 17—60 Rick Manke 16

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|----------------|----------------|-------------------------|
| Sherburn | 20 21 20 10—71 | Jeff McCarron 37-24 reb |
| Robbinsdale | 9 17 10 18—54 | Riley 21 |
| South St. Paul | 20 13 15 20—68 | Peterson 17 |

5th Place

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| Melrose 63 Park Rapids 57 | John Thelen, Melrose 20 |
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3rd Place

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| Robbinsdale 69 Marshall 56 | Riley 27 |
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Championship

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|----------------|----------------|----------------|
| Sherburn | 16 26 12 24—78 | Mulso 39 |
| South St. Paul | 12 17 22 11—62 | Kurt Virgin 17 |

The Stars

Champions Sherburn 26-0

Coach of the Year Dennis Christopherson, Sherburn

Tom Mulso, Sherburn, F 83 pts, 3 games, 27.7 ppg

Jeff McCarron, Sherburn, F

Dennis Riley, Robbinsdale, C

Brian Peterson, South St. Paul, C

Paul Gamm, Park Rapids, G

Fun Fact #1-rated Red Wing was upset by Kenyon in the Region 1 final.

The Two-Class Era, 1971-1994

1971

Class A First Round

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| Albany | 17 5 14 13—49 |
| East Grand Forks | 18 12 14 19—63 |

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| Melrose | 13 17 19 21—70 |
| Two Harbors | 15 16 13 22—66 |

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|-----------|----------------|
| Red Wing | 19 25 14 14—72 |
| Rosemount | 15 19 22 13—69 |

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|----------|----------------|
| Luverne | 11 18 18 8—55 |
| Renville | 16 20 15 23—74 |

Top Scorers

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| Joe Hasbrouck 19 |
| Kurt Knoff 19 |

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| Butch Moening 20 |
| Scott McDonald 20 |

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| Steve Bombach 22 |
| Dale Giluison 23 |

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| Mike Ahrendt 18 |
| Doug Wertish, Larry Mulder 26 |

Class AA First Round

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|--------------------|----------------|-------------------|
| Duluth Central | 18 14 16 20—68 | Como Pontliana 26 |
| Hopkins Eisenhower | 11 16 13 14—54 | Rob Mason 16 |

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|-------------|----------------|------------------|
| Brainerd | 17 17 14 19—67 | Larry Bunnell 17 |
| Robbinsdale | 13 18 15 10—56 | Jeff Musjerd 16 |

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| Mankato | 18 20 20 18—76 | Jim Freeburg 27 |
| Minneapolis Central | 23 18 21 17—79 | Emanuel Rogers 33 |

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| Alexander Ramsey | 11 6 9 16—42 | Dan Carlson 22 |
|------------------|--------------|----------------|

North St. Paul 14 13 20 20—67 Ron Adams 16

Class A Semi-Finals

East Grand Forks 9 19 15 10—53 Knoff 17
Melrose 16 13 15 10—54 Ron Maus 17

Red Wing 28 19 12 17—76 Dan Meyers 33
Renville 16 17 21 11—65 Mulder 23

Class AA Semi-Finals

Brainerd 12 13 15 19—59 Wally Larson 14
Duluth Central 17 8 14 24—63 Pontliana 34

Minneapolis Central 22 10 10 16—58 Rogers 21
North St. Paul 13 24 12 20—69 Tom Bock 23, Jim Petrich 20

Class AA 3rd Place

Minneapolis Central 54 Brainerd 53 Rogers 26

Class A 3rd Place

East Grand Forks 80 Renville 77 Knoff 39

Class AA Championship

Duluth Central 10 15 14 15—54 Pontliana 18
North St. Paul 6 17 14 14—51 Petrich 22

Class A Championship

Melrose 22 11 9 22—64 John Thelen 23
Red Wing 9 14 16 14—53 Meyers 19

Overall Championship

Duluth Central 9 13 13 19—54 Pontliana 26
Melrose 13 14 10 6—43 Thelen 13

The Stars

Champions Duluth Central 23-1

Coach of the Year Del Schiffler, Melrose

Como Pontliana, Duluth Central, C

104 pts, 4 games, 26 ppg

Emanuel Rogers, Minneapolis Central, G

80 pts, 3 games, 26.7 ppg

John Thelen, Melrose, F

Kurt Knoff, East Grand Forks, F

75 pts, 25.0 ppg

Tom Bock, North St. Paul, G

The two-class era opened with a pair of twelve-man all-tournament teams, or a record total of 24 all-tournament honorees.

Fun Fact The MSHSL had debated the efficacy of a two-class tournament for 40 years. Now, finally, it would become a reality. The first two--class tournament set an all-time attendance record that still stands today with more than 140,000, but of course this was with twice as many games as in previous years.

1972

Class A First Round

St. James 7 15 20 15—57
St. Paul Murray 9 12 14 16—51

Top Scorers

Jim Chalin 21
Walter Johnson 17

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| Proctor | 13 | 13 | 12 | 14 | 7—59 | Terry Egerdahl 23 |
| Red Wing | 11 | 10 | 11 | 20 | 14—66 (OT) | Scott Broughton 22 |

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| Howard Lake 71 Renville 64 | Larry Mulder, Renville 32 |
| Melrose 69 Littlefork-Big Falls 45 | Randy Douvier, Melrose 28 |

Class AA First Round

| | | | | | |
|-------------------|----|----|----|-------|----------------|
| Austin | 13 | 18 | 23 | 15—69 | Jim Riles 24 |
| Minneapolis North | 16 | 7 | 15 | 14—52 | Kevin Smith 19 |

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|----------------|----|----|----|-------|--------------------|
| Brainerd | 12 | 16 | 5 | 9—42 | John Straka 13 |
| North St. Paul | 9 | 14 | 13 | 15—51 | John Hattenberg 18 |

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|---------------------|----|----|----|-------|-------------------|
| Bloomington Lincoln | 8 | 23 | 16 | 20—67 | Dan Houck 23 |
| White Bear Lake | 10 | 12 | 8 | 26—56 | Craig Tweedale 22 |

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| Duluth East | 11 | 17 | 17 | 16 | 2 | 0—63 | Dennis Lund 18 |
| Mounds View | 12 | 19 | 15 | 15 | 2 | 2—65 (2OT) | Mark Landsberger 26 |

Class A Semi-Finals

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|-----------|----|----|----|-------|----------------------------|
| Red Wing | 12 | 6 | 23 | 16—57 | Broughton, Terry Lynner 16 |
| St. James | 15 | 21 | 20 | 26—82 | Jeff Nessler 31 |

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|-------------|----|----|----|-------|---------------|
| Howard Lake | 16 | 17 | 8 | 17—58 | Dale Burau 15 |
| Melrose | 21 | 11 | 12 | 20—64 | Douvier 28 |

Class AA Semi-Finals

| | | | | | |
|----------------|----|----|----|-------|---------------------|
| Austin | 15 | 18 | 14 | 20—67 | Kal Kallenberger 31 |
| North St. Paul | 11 | 14 | 16 | 21—62 | Chuck Petrich 14 |

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|---------------------|----|----|----|-------|----------------|
| Bloomington Lincoln | 7 | 12 | 11 | 11—41 | Denny Toles 15 |
| Mounds View | 10 | 14 | 14 | 6—44 | Landsberger 17 |

Class AA 3rd Place

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| Lincoln 78 North St. Paul 62 | Houck 33 |
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Class A 3rd Place

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| Howard Lake 81 Red Wing 72 | Wayne Doering, Howard Lake 24 |
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Class AA Championship

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|-------------|----|----|----|-------|----------------|
| Austin | 15 | 15 | 11 | 13—54 | Riles 21 |
| Mounds View | 17 | 15 | 15 | 18—62 | Landsberger 24 |

Class A Championship

| | | | | | |
|-----------|----|----|----|-------|----------------|
| Melrose | 16 | 11 | 15 | 13—55 | Neil Thelen 15 |
| St. James | 18 | 14 | 15 | 10—57 | Chalin 19 |

Overall Championship

| | | | | | |
|-------------|----|----|----|-------|----------------|
| Mounds View | 10 | 15 | 14 | 13—52 | Landsberger 17 |
| St. James | 20 | 11 | 15 | 14—60 | Nessler 22 |

The Stars

Champions St. James 29-0

Coach of the Year Judge Veghlan, St. James

Mark Landsberger, Mounds View, C 84 pts, 4 games, 21 ppg

Jeff Nessler, St. James , G
 Kal Kallenberger, Austin, F`
 Randy Douvier, Melrose, C
 Jim Riles, Austin, G

80 pts, 4 games, 20 ppg
 70 pts, 3 games, 23.3 ppg

Fun Fact Jeff Nessler beat Melrose 57-55 in the Class A final with a half-court shot at the final buzzer.

1973

Class A First Round

Melrose 15 18 18 19—70
 Preston 6 12 6 20—44

Brooklyn Center 16 14 16 12—58
 Gaylord 14 12 8 14—48

Mound 10 15 12 21—58
 Windom 14 7 12 20—53

Chisholm 12 20 26 16—74
 Mahnomen 8 10 12 13—43

Class AA First Round

Edina West 12 11 14 12—49
 Richfield 14 19 10 21—64

Mounds View 12 18 8 14—52
 Rochester JM 20 12 14 17—63

Anoka 8 17 16 14—55
 Duluth East 8 9 8 17—42

St. Cloud Apollo 19 12 12 19—62
 St. Paul Park 10 23 10 8—51

Class AA Consolation Semi-Finals

Mounds View 43 Edina West 41
 St. Paul Park 61 Duluth East 56

Class A Consolation Semi-Finals

Preston 70 Gaylord 52
 Windom 76 Mahnomen 47

Class A Semi-Finals

Brooklyn Center 10 10 9 15—44
 Melrose 14 16 18 15—63

Chisholm 16 8 19 27—70
 Mound 8 10 13 13—44

Class AA Semi-Finals

Richfield 4 17 14 17—52
 Rochester JM 14 11 12 10—47

Anoka 18 8 16 17—59

Top Scorers

Mark Olberding 36
 Keil Anderson 11

Roger Smith 21
 Keith Dietz 12

John Luse 20
 Doug Miller 19

Tim Casey 22
 Denny Kjos 12

Jeff Beebe 18
 Brian Denman 21

Mark Landsberger, Brad Moen 14
 Dave Terhaar 20

Bryan Rohs 20
 Rockne Johnson 13

Gary Frericks, Randy Schlagel 14
 Glenn Borquin 18

Dale Schauer, Edina 17
 Borquin 30

Anderson 31
 Bruce Earlewine, Windom 28

Rocky Leukema 15
 Olberding 33

Mike Kochevar 23
 John Luse 12

Steve Bender 18
 Terhaar 16

Greg Kettler 21

St. Cloud Apollo 11 6 12 11—40 Brad Akason 16

Class AA 5th Place

Mounds View 76 St. Paul Park 54 Landsberger 31

Class AA 3rd Place

Rochester John Marshall 72 St. Cloud Apollo 66 Dean Ricter, JM 20

Class A 5th Place

Preston 71 Windom 63 Miller 33

Class A 3rd Place

Mound 62 Brooklyn Center 40 John Erickson. Mound 19

Class AA Championship

Anoka 8 22 12 16—58 Loren Erickson 18
Richfield 11 12 8 23—54 Bender 15

Class A Championship

Chisholm 13 17 10 13—53 Kochevar 24
Melrose 11 16 12 13—52 Olberding 24

Overall Championship

Anoka 15 8 19 21—63 Erickson 26
Chisholm 2 14 15 25—56 Casey 18

The Stars

Champions Anoka 25-2

Coch of the Year Bob McDonald, Chisholm

Mark Olberding, Melrose, C 93 pts, 3 games, 31 ppg

Loren Erickson, Anoka. C

Dave Terhaar, Rochester J. Marshall, F

Mike Kochevar, Chisholm, C

Tim Casey, Chisholm, G

Fun Facts Anoka had the tallest championship front line ever at 6-8, 6-8, 6-5. But, from a high of 78-59 in 1968, scoring plummeted. The average score in 1973 was 59-48. It was the 1st time since 1952 that the winners scored less than 60 points or the losers less than 50.

1974

Class AA First Round

Alexander Ramsey 12 15 10 16—53
Bemidji 7 28 12 18—65

Anoka 15 9 15 12—51
Rochester Mayo 13 16 12 11—52

Hopkins Lindbergh 12 12 17 13 2—56
Mpls. Washburn 12 12 14 16 4—58

Richfield 14 16 21 17—68
Willmar 11 5 9 17—52

Class A First Round

Thief River Falls 7 12 13 21—53 Wayne Peterson 18

Top Scorers

Dan Garry 19
Jack Vogel 18

Bob Foss 13
Mark Brandenburg 18

Bill Molzahn 16
Randy Williams 18

Brian Denman 25
Joel Jacobsen 19

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|-----------|----------------|--------------------------|
| Waseca | 14 15 16 15—60 | Gene Glynn 21 |
| Mound | 11 17 18 19—65 | Jerry Gibbs 27 |
| Simley | 18 14 6 11—49 | Pat Kavanagh 14 |
| Chisholm | 13 14 12 14—53 | Paul McDonald 18 |
| St. James | 12 12 14 9—47 | Mike Robbins 12 |
| Marshall | 16 10 11 7—44 | Dave Scheele 12 |
| Melrose | 17 12 10 19—58 | Mark Olberding 31-16 reb |

Class AA Consolation Semi-Final

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|---------------------------------|--------------------------|
| Anoka 65 Alexander Ramsey 48 | Jim Swanson, Anoka 21 |
| Hopkins Lindbergh 79 Willmar 52 | Kevin Tuck, Lindbergh 33 |

Class A Consolation Semi-Finals

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|--------------------------------|------------------------------|
| Simley 70 Thief River Falls 55 | Dallas Kemmer, TRF 25 |
| St. James 76 Marshall 53 | Brad Winschill, St. James 21 |

Class AA Semi-Finals

| | | |
|----------------------|----------------|-----------------------------|
| Bemidji | 14 14 18 20—66 | Vogel 20 |
| Rochester JM | 12 10 14 15—51 | Bob Barnes 14 |
| Richfield | 22 14 16 16—68 | Paul Meissner, Richfield 22 |
| Minneapolis Washburn | 19 12 14 11—56 | Williams 22 |

Class A Semi-Finals

| | | |
|----------|----------------|-----------------------|
| Mound | 12 10 15 10—47 | Bob Huff 19 |
| Waseca | 16 14 9 6—45 | Steve Cunningham 14 |
| Chisholm | 9 13 16 16—54 | Mike Koshmrl 14 |
| Melrose | 16 18 14 15—63 | Olberding, Melrose 25 |

Class AA 5th Place

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| Hopkins Lindbergh 58 Anoka 51 | Dick Malotky, Lindbergh 16 |
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Class AA 3rd Place

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| Minneapolis Washburn 60 Rochester Mayo 56 | Randy Williams, Washburn 22 |
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Class A 5th Place

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|------------------------|-------------------------|
| Simley 71 St. James 52 | Rich Zellmer, Simley 25 |
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Class A 3rd Place

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|-----------------------|-----------------------|
| Chisholm 53 Waseca 49 | Bob Pazera, Waseca 16 |
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Class A Championship

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| Melrose | 7 14 6 11—38 | Olberding 26-13 reb |
| Mound | 8 9 6 9—32 | Gibbs 11 |

Class AA Championship

| | | |
|-----------|---------------|-----------------|
| Bemidji | 10 20 8 14—52 | Vogel 16 |
| Richfield | 15 16 8 11—50 | Steve Bender 18 |

Overall Championship

| | | |
|---------|-----------------|------------------|
| Bemidji | 6 11 10 15--42 | Jack Schwartz 14 |
| Melrose | 13 14 12 19--58 | Olberding 30 |

The Stars

Champions Melrose 27-0

Coach of the Year Del Schiffler, Melrose

Mark Olberding, Melrose, C

112 pts, 4 games, 28 ppg

Jack Vogel, Bemidji, F

Brian Denman, Richfield, F

Kevin Tuck, Hopkins Lindbergh, G

Randy Williams, Mpls. Washburn, C

The official all-tournament team was reduced to 10 players in each class.

Fun Fact Olberding broke Ron Johnson's 18-year-old record for the most points in a tournament.

1975

Class AA First Round

Alexander Ramsey 10 11 10 12—43
Mankato West 15 12 17 11—55

Bloomington Jefferson 10 16 12 15—53
Robbinsdale 13 12 14 15—55

Hibbing 8 14 12 12—46
Little Falls 16 10 9 13—48

Robbinsdale Cooper 14 14 9 10—47
St. P. Highland Park 15 12 4 5—36

Top Scorers

Jim Northenscold 23

Tom Fix 21

John Retica 20

Dan Iskierka 22

Tom Morris 19

Class A First Round

Fulda 11 16 10 23—60
Mahnomen 6 12 12 15—45

Barnesville 10 11 12 8 8—49
St. Paul Mechanic Arts 10 12 6 13 9—50 (OT)

DeLaSalle 12 12 13 12—49
Waseca 13 9 14 9—45

Chisholm 22 15 11 18—66
New Ulm 15 9 13 18—55

Arvid Kramer 25-12 blks, Kevin Fury 21

Colin Solum 13

Elmer Bailey 23

Percy Wade 23-11 reb

Gene Glynn 16

Paul McDonald 24

Ken Hagg 24

Class AA Consolation Semi-Finals

Jefferson 46 Alexander Ramsey 39
Hibbing 68 St. Paul Highland Park 49

Steve Lingenfelter, Jefferson 14

Retica, Morris 23

Class A Consolation Semi-Final

Waseca 59 New Ulm 43
Barnesville 56 Mahnomen 48

Glynn 27

Frank Thompson, Mahnomen 14

Class AA Semi-Finals

Mankato West 13 19 10 10—52
Robbinsdale 16 18 17 15—66

Northenscold 18

Fix 22

Little Falls 16 14 14 14—58
Robbinsdale Cooper 8 20 16 9—53

Wachlorowicz, Cameron 19

Roy Hanson 17

Class A Semi-Finals

| | | | | | |
|------------------------|----|----|----|-------|------------------|
| Fulda | 10 | 9 | 6 | 8—33 | Kramer 16 |
| St. Paul Mechanic Arts | 8 | 14 | 4 | 8—34 | Bennie Hill 14 |
| Chisholm | 18 | 17 | 17 | 28—80 | Mike McDonald 26 |
| DeLaSalle | 10 | 17 | 10 | 36—73 | Wade 18 |

Class AA 5th Place

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|-----------------------|----|---------|----|-----------|
| Bloomington Jefferson | 59 | Hibbing | 35 | Retica 19 |
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Class AA 3rd Place

| | | | | |
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| Robbinsdale Cooper | 49 | Mankato West | 57 | Hanson 23-10 reb |
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Class A 5th Place

| | | | | |
|--------|----|-------------|----|----------|
| Waseca | 71 | Barnesville | 61 | Glynn 30 |
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Class A 3rd Place

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| Fulda | 70 | DeLaSalle | 43 | Kramer, Fulda 22-16 reb |
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Class AA Championship

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|--------------|----|----|---|-------|------------------------------|
| Little Falls | 15 | 13 | 8 | 18—54 | Frank Wachlorowicz 28-15 reb |
| Robbinsdale | 10 | 12 | 6 | 21—49 | Fix 22 |

Class A Championship

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|------------------------|----|---|----|-------|------------------|
| Chisholm | 16 | 6 | 8 | 11—41 | Paul McDonald 18 |
| St. Paul Mechanic Arts | 8 | 6 | 12 | 7—33 | Bailey 15 |

Overall Championship

| | | | | | |
|--------------|----|----|----|-------|------------------|
| Chisholm | 10 | 15 | 11 | 14—50 | Mike McDonald 13 |
| Little Falls | 12 | 13 | 7 | 22—54 | Doug Ploof 22 |

The Stars**Champions** Little Falls 26-1**Coach of the Year** Al Baumann, Little Falls

Frank Wachlorowicz, Little Falls, F 75 pts, 4 games, 18.75 ppg

Paul McDonald, Chisholm, C

Gene Glynn, Waseca, G 73 pts, 3 games, 24.3 ppg

John Retica, Hibbing, G

Tom Fix, Robbinsdale, C

Fun Fact The McDonalds are the first father-son combo (coach and star player[s]) to win a state title since George and Ray Lee of Thief River Falls in 1938.**1976****Class AA First Round**

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| Little Falls | 12 | 14 | 13 | 16—55 |
| Stillwater | 10 | 10 | 14 | 10—44 |

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| Hibbing | 13 | 16 | 22 | 13—64 |
| Minneapolis North | 12 | 6 | 7 | 16—41 |

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|-----------------------|----|----|----|-------|
| Bloomington Jefferson | 7 | 28 | 14 | 12—61 |
| Prior Lake | 13 | 14 | 8 | 16—51 |

Top Scorers

| | |
|----------------|----|
| Milo Backowski | 12 |
| Chris Engler | 14 |

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| Kevin McHale | 21 |
| Johnny Hunter | 20 |

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| Al Hutchison | 23 |
| Doug Pederson | 18 |

Cretin 20 11 6 22—58
New Prague 15 15 12 14—56

Dave Herzan 24
Ron Schoenecker 16

Consolation Semi-Finals

Stillwater 67 Mpls. North 59
Prior Lake 55 New Prague 50

Engler, Hunter 21
D. Pederson 23

Semi-Finals

Hibbing 10 8 8 15—41
Little Falls 7 12 16 4—39

McHale 16
Paul Cameron 11

Bloomington Jefferson 12 27 21 9—69
Cretin 16 15 10 10—51

Steve Lingenfelter 21
Herzan, Gary Kopp 18

5th Place

Prior Lake 87 Stillwater 54

Brian Pederson, Prior Lake 25

3rd Place

Little Falls 59 Cretin 48

Herzan 16

Championship

Bloomington Jefferson 14 11 12 23—60
Hibbing 14 18 6 13—51

Lingenfelter 26
McHale 21

Class A First Round

Breckenridge 14 10 11 19—54
Minneapolis Marshall-U 14 16 21 26—77

Brady Lipp 22
Rod Hargest 29

Windom 23 25 9 15—72
Winona Cotter 18 14 15 16—63

Dan Carpenter 27
Doug Luebbe 12

Mahnomen 16 10 12 13—51
Montevideo 14 14 15 10—53

Myron Kersting 16
Brad Olson 19

Mankato Wilson 16 10 18 14—58
Orr 6 22 14 14—56

Paul Biewen, Mike Westlund 14
Nate Dahlmann 23

Consolation Semi-Finals

Winona Cotter 62 Breckenridge 47
Orr 59 Mahnomen 52

Lipp 26
Dahlmann 14; Paul Muckenhirn, Jon Otto, Greg Stock, Mahnomen 14

Semi-Finals

Minneapolis Marshall-U 18 24 16 18—76
Windom 11 19 20 17—67

Ronnie Hadley 20
Carpenter 26

Mankato Wilson 8 16 21 19—64
Montevideo 18 11 12 7—48

Biewen 23
Olson 15

5th Place

Orr 44 Winona Cotter 43

Luebbe 19

3rd Place

Windom 64 Montevideo 59

Carpenter 19

Championship

Mankato Wilson 10 13 13 12 5—59 Biewen 21
Minneapolis Marshall-U 15 15 14 10 10—64 Ronnie Henderson 18

The Stars

Champions Mpls. Marshall-U 28-0 and Bloomington Jefferson 27-0

Coach of the Year Gene Biewen, Mankato Wilson

Kevin McHale, Hibbing, C

Steve Lingenfelter, Jefferson, C

Ronnie Henderson, Marshall-U. G

Doug Pederson, Prior Lake, C

Dan Carpenter, Windom

Top AA scorer 64 pts, 3 games, 21. 3 ppg

Top A scorer, 72 pts, 3 games, 24 ppg

Fun Fact It was thought that two undefeated teams had never played for a state title; Marshall-U and Jefferson would have done so had the overall title game not been discontinued. But, it later was discovered that Duluth Central and Waseca both had been unbeaten going into the 1918 final.

1977

Class AA First Round

Little Falls 74 Minneapolis Central 59
Duluth Central 68 Bloomington Kennedy 48
Prior Lake 52 St. Paul Highland Park 50
Stillwater 56 Rochester Mayo 55 (OT)

Top Scorers

Gary Wolters, Little Falls 34
Rich Perkins, Central 19
Randy Heise, Prior Lake 20
Chris Engler, Stillwater 22

Consolation Semi-Finals

Minneapolis Central 73 Highland Park 59
Rochester Mayo 60 Kennedy 53

Andra Griffin, Central 23
Berglen, Kennedy 18

Semi-Finals

Duluth Central 70 Stillwater 55
Prior Lake 66 Little Falls 53

Engler 33
Brian Pederson, Prior Lake 23-12 reb

5th Place

Minneapolis Central 82 Rochester Mayo 60

Griffin 33

3rd Place

Little Falls 74 Stillwater 59

Wolters 29

Championship

Prior Lake 52 Duluth Central 49

Pederson 18-23 reb

Class A First Round

Winona Cotter 70 Redwood Falls 35
Silver Bay 69 Minneapolis Marshall-U 66
Pelican Rapids 68 Wellcome Memorial 61
Glencoe 56 Twin Valley 41

Doug Luebbe, Cotter 23
Dave Trost, Silver Bay 26
Jim Knutson, Pelican Rapids 34
Claude Oppegaard, TV 18

Consolation Semi-Finals

Marshall-U 87 Wellcome Memorial 65
Redwood Falls 58 Twin Valley 56

Tim Wasinger, Wellcome 35
Tom Busack, RF 21

Semi-Finals

Winona Cotter 48 Glencoe 47
Pelican Rapids 54 Silver Bay 50

Mark Bambanek, Cotter 18
Knutson 20

5th Place

Minneapolis Marshall-U 82 Redwood Falls 60 Rodney Hargest, Marshall-U 23

3rd Place

Glencoe 63 Silver Bay 55

Scott Phifer, Glencoe 29

Championship

Winona Cotter 60 Pelican Rapids 47

Steve Nett, Cotter, Jim Knutson, PR 17

The Stars

Champions Winona Cotter 25-2 and Prior Lake 24-3

Coach of the Year John Nett, Winona Cotter

Chris Engler, Stillwater, C

Class AA co-leader 81 pts, 3 games, 27 ppg

Andra Griffin, Mpls. Central, F

Class AA co-leader 81 pts, 3 games, 27 ppg)

Gary Wolters, Little Falls, F

Class AA co-leader 81 pts, 3 games, 27 ppg)

Brian Pederson, Prior Lake, C

Steve Nett, Winona Cotter, F

Fun Facts Winona Cotter was the first private school ever to win an MSHSL title; John and Steve Nett are the third father-son combo to win a state title, just two years after the second one.

1978

Class AA First Round

Cambridge 16 11 12 5—44

Rosemount 6 7 11 23—47

Prior Lake 8 16 10 10—44

Tartan 11 16 8 8—43

Bemidji 13 26 9 10—58

St. Louis Park 18 9 21 11—59

Minneapolis Washburn 14 14 16 14—58

Woodbury 14 10 16 17—57

Top Scorers

Brian Nelson 12

Steve Oxborough, Rosemount 14

Doug Jones 20

Mark Balding, Kit Carson 12

Jimmy Jensen 30

Gary Rosengren 22

Dave Hart 16

Bruce Kaupa, Casey Ramm 20

Consolation Semi-Finals

Cambridge 64 Tartan 58

Paul Mickelson, Nelson, Cambridge; Carson,

Balding; 16 each

Bemidji 98 Woodbury 76

Jensen 50-22 reb

Semi-Finals

Prior Lake 8 12 6 15—41

Scott Eastman 15

Rosemount 8 8 2 7—25

Oxborough 8

Minneapolis Washburn 16 12 8 9—47

Lance Berwald 16

St. Louis Park 10 13 16 10—49

Bill Bosley 14

5th Place

Cambridge 69 Bemidji 61

Brian Nelson, Cambridge 23

3rd Place

Minneapolis Washburn 48 Rosemount 46

Dave Newlin, Rosemount 19

Championship

Prior Lake 14 8 15 7—44

Barry Hafermann 18

St. Louis Park 3 16 6 8—33

Jim Peterson 15

Class A First Round

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|---------------------|----|-----|----|-------|-------------------------------|
| Butterfield-Odin | 18 | 27 | 14 | 21—80 | Kyle Meyers 29 |
| Clara City | 11 | 19 | 11 | 11—52 | Randy Koenen, Brad Becker 12 |
| Glencoe | 11 | 6 | 15 | 10—42 | Paul Edwards, Rick Witthus 12 |
| Lake City | 12 | 13 | 12 | 11—48 | Randy Breuer, Lake City 18 |
| Howard Lake-Waverly | 16 | 18 | 17 | 16—67 | Ken Kutz 20 |
| McIntosh-Winger | 12 | 14 | 14 | 20—60 | Tim Rolf 28 |
| Breckenridge | 49 | Orr | 42 | | Tim Olson, Orr 24 |

Consolation Semi-Finals

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|-----------------|----|------------|----|------------|
| Glencoe | 74 | Clara City | 45 | Witthus 34 |
| McIntosh-Winger | 49 | Orr | 47 | Rolf 23 |

Semi-Finals

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| Butterfield-Odin | 6 | 11 | 8 | 7—32 | |
| Lake City | 12 | 9 | 11 | 17—49 | Breuer 36 |
| Breckenridge | 8 | 12 | 17 | 10—47 | Barry Ness 13 |
| Howard Lake | 10 | 8 | 4 | 10—32 | |

5th Place

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| Glencoe | 82 | McIntosh-Winger | 50 | Jerve, Glencoe 21 |
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3rd Place

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|------------------|----|---------------------|----|---|
| Butterfield-Odin | 74 | Howard Lake-Waverly | 66 | Brian Langeland 26, Brad Flater 12 as, both B-O |
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Championship

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|-----------|----|--------------|----|-----------------------------|
| Lake City | 60 | Breckenridge | 44 | Brady Lipp, Breckenridge 17 |
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The Stars

Champions W-L- Lake City 25-1 and Prior Lake 24-1

Coach of the Year Mike Jerabek, Prior Lake

Jimmy Jensen, Bemidji, C

Randy Breuer, Lake City, C

Doug Jones, Prior Lake, F

Bruce Kaupa, Woodbury, G

Kyle Meyers, Butterfield-Odin, F

Class AA leader 100 pts, 3 games, 33.3 ppg

Class A leader 68 pts, 3 games, 22.7 ppg

Fun Facts Jensen's 50 pt outburst set a new all-time record for most points in a tournament game. Flater set a tournament record with 26 assists. But Jensen's big game did not prevent scoring from dropping under 100 total points per game with an average of 52-43, the lowest since 1950.

1979

Class AA First Round

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| St. Louis Park | 16 | 16 | 12 | 11—55 |
| Winona | 14 | 6 | 8 | 13—41 |

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| Mounds View | 14 | 22 | 15 | 18—69 |
| St. Paul Central | 21 | 21 | 21 | 17—80 |

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| Brainerd | 8 | 11 | 16 | 20—55 |
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Top Scorers

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| Jim Peterson 22 |
| Mark Whetstone 13 |

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| Van Troup 22 |
| Dave Givens 26 |

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| Mike Brown 20 |
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|---------------------|----------------|--------------------------------|
| Duluth Central | 14 16 12 25—67 | Greg Downing 27 |
| Cold Spring Rocori | 16 20 20 32—88 | Ricky Bell 27, Todd Swanson 23 |
| Minneapolis Central | 16 14 21 24—75 | Pedro Perkins 31 |

Consolation Semi-Finals

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|------------------------------------|-----------------------------|
| Winona 55 Mounds View 49 | Troup 17 |
| Minneapolis Central 65 Brainerd 60 | Ron Falenschek, Brainerd 22 |

Semi-Finals

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|------------------|----------------|------------------|
| St. Louis Park | 18 21 7 17—63 | Dave Hennesey 30 |
| St. Paul Central | 13 17 21 15—66 | Ricky Suggs 17 |

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| Duluth Central | 15 16 10 24—65 | Greg Downing 22 |
| Cold Spring Rocori | 16 15 12 13—56 | Bell 15 |

5th Place

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| Minneapolis Central 64 Winona 56 | Wilburn, Central; McCleerey, Winona 24 |
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3rd Place

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| Rocori 64 St. Louis Park 48 | Bell 22 |
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Championship

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| Duluth Central 62 St. Paul Central 54 | Gary Madison, Duluth Central 22 |
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Class A First Round

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| Breckenridge | 7 8 1 9—35 | Anderson 10 |
| Warren | 5 11 8 15—39 | Robert Norman 12 |

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| Duluth Morgan Park | 8 8 10 13—39 | Carey 12 |
| Lake City | 21 19 15 22—77 | Randy Breuer 42 |

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| Danube | 12 10 25 19 6—72 | Ron Lippert 31 |
| Howard Lake-Waverly | 21 18 15 12 8—74 (OT) | Mark Wackler 26 |

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| Glencoe | 22 14 21 14—71 | Larry Witthus 17-15 reb |
| Mapleton | 17 10 11 14—52 | Starkey 16 |

Consolation Semi-Finals

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|--------------------------------|-----------------------------|
| Breckenridge 74 Morgan Park 48 | Greg Maack, Breckenridge 21 |
| Danube 67 Mapleton 58 | Starkey, Mapleton 21 |

Semi-Finals

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|-----------------------------------|----------------------------|
| Lake City 50 Warren 33 | Randy Breuer, Lake City 30 |
| Howard Lake-Waverly 53 Glencoe 49 | Larry Witthus, Glencoe 21 |

5th Place

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|---------------------------|------------------------|
| Danube 56 Breckenridge 55 | Ron Lippert, Danube 16 |
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3rd Place

| | |
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| Glencoe 57 Warren 49 | Larry Witthus, Glencoe 20 |
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Championship

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| Howard Lake-Waverly | 14 17 8 11—50 | Wackler 21 |
| Lake City | 13 16 17 17—63 | Breuer 41 |

The Stars

Champions Lake City 26-0 and Duluth Central 22-3

Coach of the Year Jim Hastings, Duluth Central

Randy Breuer, Lake City, C

113 pts, 3 games, 37.7 ppg, all-time record

Ricky Bell, Rocori, F

Greg Downing, Duluth Central, F

Class AA leader 67 pts, 3 games, 22.3 ppg

Gary Madison, Duluth Central, G

Larry Witthus, Glencoe, F

Fun Facts Duluth Central became the second team ever to win four state titles after Red Wing (1915-1933). Jim Hasting became the second coach to win three state titles after Duane Baglien. And Randy Breuer became the last boy ever to outscore an opponent all by himself.

1980

Class AA First Round

St. Louis Park 52 St. Paul Central 51

Minneapolis North 64 Stillwater 53

St. Cloud Tech 66 Rochester Mayo 62 (OT)

Duluth East 64 Mankato West 44

Top Scorers

Jim Peterson, SLP 17

Overton, North, Samuelson, St. 16

Anfenson, Tech 23

Brian Hansen, East 25

Consolation Semi-Finals

St. Paul Central 70 Stillwater 69

Rochester Mayo 75 Mankato West 62

Wandmacher, Stillwater 23

Hamlin, Mayo 24

Semi-Finals

Minneapolis North 58 St. Louis Park 53

St. Cloud Tech 61 Duluth East 55

John Anderson, SLP 28

Bob Bohlig, Tech 28

5th Place

Rochester Mayo 84 St. Paul Central 75

Ken Dahlberg, Mayo 28

3rd Place

St. Louis Park 69 Duluth East 64

Brian Hansen, East 33

Championship

Minneapolis North 60 St. Cloud Tech 53

Troy Smith, North 23

Class A First Round

Minneapolis Marshall-U 46 Windom 44

Bird Island-Lake Lillian 70 Danube 55

Kenyon 55 Morris 47

Lake of the Woods 54 Pine City 53 (OT)

David Gilreath, M-U 12

Barry Wohler, BI 23

Scott Nelson, Kenyon 20

John Koller, LW 22

Consolation Semi-Finals

Morris 59 Pine City 48

Windom 68 Danube 57

Kessler, Pine City 20

Jakel, Danube 23

Semi-Finals

Bird Island-Lake Lillian 54 Mpls. Marshall-U 52

Lake of the Woods 49 Kenyon 43

David Gilreath, M-U 23

Rahn Hagberg, Kenyon 22

5th Place

Kenyon 39 Mpls. Marshall-U 38

Rahn Hagberg, Kenyon 17

3rd Place

Windom 67 Morris 59

Taffe, Morris 20

Championship

Bird Island-Lk Lillian 78 Lk of Woods 74 (2 OT) John Koller, LW 33

The Stars

Champions Mpls. North 23-2 and Bird Island-Lake Lillian 23-3

Coach of the Year Tony Queen, Mpls. North

Redd Overton, Mpls. North, C

Brian Hansen, Duluth East, G

Class AA leader 80 pts, 3 games, 26.7 ppg

Barry Wohler, Bird Island-Lake Lillian, G

John Koller, Baudette Lake of the Woods, C

Class A leader 71 pts, 3 games, 23.7 ppg

Rickey Suggs, St. Paul Central, G

Fun Fact The Minneapolis City Conference, long (from the 1920s through the 1950s) recognized as Minnesota's toughest conference, won seven state titles from 1920 to 1957, but had made it to only one state final since then, and that came in 1976 in the small-school class. This was the first state title appearance among the large schools in 24 years, and Minneapolis North paid it off with a 60-53 win over St. Cloud Tech in the final.

1981

Class A First Round

Albany 14 13 12 14--53
Bird Island-Lake Lillian 11 23 12 10--56

Ruthton 16 10 20 18--64
Staples 8 12 8 12--40

Warren 4 13 9 13--39
Winona Cotter 12 15 11 16--54

Chisholm 19 13 19 22--73
Storden-Jeffers 10 14 23 15--62

Top Scorers

Tom Schneider 28

Chris Stensgaard 23

D. Carlson 16

Mark Wiltgen 16

Tom McDonald 25

Consolation Semi-Finals

Staples 55 Albany 51
Warren 51 Storden-Jeffers 49

Zenzen, Albany 16

Bob Lubarski, Warren 28

Semi-Finals

Bird Island-Lake Lillian 14 16 13 18--61
Ruthton 21 8 10 10--49

Barry Wohler 18

Stensgaard 18

Chisholm 18 4 12 12--46
Winona Cotter 12 18 9 9--48

Tom McDonald 18

Dennis Luebbe, Matt Czaplowski 15

5th Place

Staples 53 Warren 35

Craig Wolhowe, Staples 18

3rd Place

Chisholm 78 Ruthton 64

McDonald, Sentieri, Chisholm 24

Championship

Bird Island-Lake Lillian 5 16 15 8 0 5--49 (2OT) Wohler 28

Winona Cotter 13 10 15 6 0 3--47 Wiltgen 18

Class AA First Round

Austin 16 8 12 20—56
 Minneapolis North 15 16 5 12—48

Joe Longueville 18
 Redd Overton 21

Chaska 12 10 17 23—62
 Moorhead 9 12 9 23—53

Dave Dahlke 27-8 reb-3 stl

St. Paul Central 57 Duluth East 38
 Anoka 50 Bloomington Jefferson 36

Rick Smith, Central 19
 Greg Seiffert, Anoka 16

Consolation Semi-Finals

Duluth East 56 Bloomington Jefferson 37
 Minneapolis North 68 Moorhead 62

Brad Dudek, East 16
 Overton; Stephenson, Moorhead 25

Semi-Finals

Austin 18 10 16 13—57
 Chaska 16 11 17 8—52

Bruce Anderson 17
 Chuck Priess 15

Anoka 11 12 21 17—61
 St. Paul Central 9 10 6 20—45

Tryg Johnson 28-11 reb
 Hanson 17

5th Place

Mpls. North 61 Duluth East 49

Brad Dudek , East 23

3rd Place

St. Paul Central 57 Chaska 55

Luedloff, Chaska 20

Championship

Anoka 16 13 16 16—61
 Austin 16 9 14 14—53

Joel Silbernagel 23
 Lee Aase 20

The Stars

Champions Anoka 21-4 and Bird Island-Lake Lillian 16-10

Coach of the Year Jerry Wohler, Bird Island-Lake Lillian

Tryg Johnson, Anoka, C

Class AA leader 61 pts, 3 games, 20.3 ppg

Redd Overton, Mpls. North, F

Barry Wohler, Bird Island-Lake Lillian, G

Class A leader 67 pts, 3 games, 22.3 ppg

Tom McDonald, Chisholm, G

Joe Silbernagel, Anoka, F

Fun Fact Coach Jerry and son Barry Wohler were the fourth father-son combo to win a state title. Bird Island finished with the worst W-L record ever for a state champion, but that's because Barry Wohler missed eleven games with a hand injury.

1982

Class AA First Round

Duluth East 15 8 10 21—54
 Stillwater 4 7 14 8—33

Top Scorers

Brad Dudek 20
 Matt Mergens 21

Austin 15 13 13 15—56
 Chaska 16 16 12 14—58

Bruce Anderson 17
 Chuck Preiss 22

St. Cloud Tech 14 19 16 12—61
 St. Paul Central 7 10 8 16—41

Dave Imholte 16
 Von Sheppard 14

Bloomington Jefferson 10 12 12 26—60

Steve Hill 23

Minneapolis North 14 10 10 16—50 Harlan Hill 14

Consolation Semi-Finals

Minneapolis North 67 St. Paul Central 64 Paul Jackson, Central 24
Austin 65 Stillwater 59 Anderson 19

Semi-Finals

Chaska 16 14 15 13 6 4 2—70 Dave Dahlke 24
Duluth East 14 17 14 13 6 4 4—72 (3OT) Dudek 36

Bloomington Jefferson 14 14 9 9—46 John Lynch 11
St. Cloud Tech 6 16 12 9—43 Imholte 15

5th Place

Austin 69 Mpls. North 62 Anderson 24

3rd Place

Chaska 50 St. Cloud Tech 42 Dahlke 21

Championship

Bloomington Jefferson 10 16 11 22—59 Lynch 20
Duluth East 8 19 9 15—51

Class A First Round

Aitkin 10 12 5 9—36 John Buisman 11
Winona Cotter 15 10 14 13—52 John Holien 23

Montgomery-Lonsdale 16 12 14 6—48 Dan Choudek 20
Staples 17 8 13 8—46 Craig Wolhowe 12

Argyle 10 8 5 15—38 LaBine, Magnusson, Moe 8
Westbrook 10 10 12 11—43 Steve Elzenga 18

Chisholm 17 25 20 17--79 Tom McDonald 17
Ortonville 10 18 6 18—52 Olson, Rausch, Ross 14

Consolation Semi-Finals

Argyle 63 Ortonville 46 Jay LaBine 18
Staples 56 Aitkin 54 Wolhowe 19

Semi-Finals

Montgomery-Lonsdale 11 4 14 9—38 Choudek 16
Winona Cotter 9 12 6 17—44 Paul Wiczorek 14

Chisholm 16 20 19 9 8—72 (OT) Paul Sentieri 26
Westbrook 15 16 12 21 5—69 Tim Boeck 20

5th Place

Staples 60 Argyle 43 Wolhowe 20

3rd Place

Westbrook 50 Montgomery-Lonsdale 40 Elzenga 23

Championship

Chisholm 15 9 14 8—46 McDonald 15
Winona Cotter 14 12 11 11—48 Holien 15

The Stars

Champions Bloomington Jefferson 23-1 and Winona Cotter 23-2

Coach of the Year John Nett, Winona Cotter

John Lynch, Bloomington Jefferson, F

Brad Dudek, Duluth East, C

Class AA leader 74 pts, 3 games, 24.7 ppg

Dave Dahlke, Chaska, F

Tom McDonald, Chisholm, G

Steve Elzenga, Westbrook, G

Class A co-leader 59 pts, 3 games, 19.7 ppg

Fun Facts The McDonalds are the first family to place 3three brothers on the all-tournament team (Paul and Mike 1975, Tom 1982). Tom came into the tournament scoring 37.6 ppg and Chisholm 99.5 ppg. And, yet, Winona Cotter beat Chisholm for the second straight year and by the same score 48-46, and held McDonald to a total of 33 points in the 2 games.

1983

Class A First Round

Clara City 8 24 23 10—65

Littlefork-Big Falls 12 8 15 19—54

Lake City 4 6 6 6—22

Luverne 8 8 7 15—38

DeLaSalle 8 10 8 16—42

Staples 9 12 9 13—43

Barnum 11 13 15 19—58

Brooklyn Center 11 12 10 14—47

Top Scorers

Paul Arenholz 23

Jack Larson 18

Al Siewert 6

Gordie Hanson 11

Dave Johnson 12

Troy Bates, Paul Howard 12

Todd Lind 25

Engle, Pieper 10

Consolation Semi-Finals

Lake City 61 Littlefork-Big Falls 40

Brooklyn Center 63 DeLaSalle 61

Marc Augustine, Lake City 25

David Peterson, DLS 27

Semi-Finals

Clara City 8 18 6 11—43

Luverne 18 11 17 13—59

Koenen 12

Hanson 30

Barnum 12 20 14 10—56

Staples 17 8 13 15—53

Todd Lind 15

Dessman 14

5th Place

Brooklyn Center 43 Lake City 41

Tracy Martin, Brooklyn Ctr 16

3rd Place

Staples 55 Clara City 42

James Lee, Staples 18

Championship

Barnum 16 14 10 13—53

Luverne 11 11 12 13—47

Robby Peterson 18

Gordie Hanson 22

Class AA First Round

Chisago Lakes 10 10 13 12—45

Minneapolis North 7 16 13 7—43

Keith Hasselquist 23

Doug Carter 9

New Prague 8 15 7 12—42

Mark Gill 14

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|----------------|----------------|------------------------------|
| Woodbury | 20 11 13 15—59 | Bill Schiffler 17 |
| Edina | 12 12 8 15—47 | Rich Cohen, Rob Wassenaar 12 |
| Willmar | 7 14 13 17—51 | Paul VanDenEide18 |
| Coon Rapids | 16 19 12 5—52 | Tom Copa 22 |
| St. Cloud Tech | 4 12 2 15—33 | Nelson 10 |

Consolation Semi-Finals

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| Minneapolis North 78 | New Prague 66 | Bronson McNeal, North 29 |
| Edina 52 | St. Cloud Tech 45 (OT) | Raether, Edina 15 |

Semi-Finals

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|---------------|----------------|----------------|
| Chisago Lakes | 12 7 10 6—35 | Hasselquist 18 |
| Woodbury | 9 6 13 17—45 | Schiffler 13 |
| Coon Rapids | 16 14 11 18—59 | Copa 23 |
| Willmar | 13 9 13 15—50 | VanDen Eide 24 |

5th Place

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| Edina 49 | Minneapolis North 45 | Cohen 18 |
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3rd Place

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|------------------|------------|----------------|
| Chisago Lakes 58 | Willmar 55 | Hasselquist 31 |
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Championship

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| Coon Rapids | 13 6 14 13 4—50 | Copa 24 |
| Woodbury | 12 10 12 12 10—56 (OT) | Schiffler 18 |

The Stars

Champions Barnum 28-0 and Woodbury 24-0

Coach of the Year Del Schiffler, Woodbury

Tom Copa, Coon Rapid, C

Paul VanDenEide, Willmar, C

Keith Hasselquist, Chisago Lakes, C

Bill Schiffler, Woodbury, G

Gordie Hanson, Luverne, C

Class AA co-leader 72 pts, 3 games, 24 ppg

Class AA co-leader 72 pts, 3 games, 24 ppg

Class A scoring leader 63 pts, 3 games, 21 ppg

Fun Facts Woodbury and Coon Rapids were thought to be the first undefeated teams ever to meet for a state championship, but it was learned later that Duluth Central and Waseca were undefeated heading into the 1918 final. Total scoring was less than 100 points per game for the second time since 1950, but scoring now would begin to climb. Still, after the winners scored 70 points or more in 1968 and 1970, the winners would not do so again until 2008.

1984

Class AA First Round

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| Bloomington Kennedy | 13 14 13 14—54 |
| North Branch | 16 8 4 13—41 |

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| Fergus Falls | 12 14 12 16—54 |
| Minneapolis North | 14 12 12 22—60 |

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| White Bear Lake | 10 14 8 15—47 |
| Rochester JM | 6 9 9 14—38 |

Top Scorers

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| McCollow 16 |
| John Bandemer 17 |

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| Steve Thom 26 |
| Brett McNeal 22 |

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| Tom Nilsen 11 |
| Mike Glaeser 11 |

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| Mankato East | 14 | 6 | 10 | 12—42 | Haldorson 14 |
| St. Paul Central | 11 | 10 | 14 | 8—43 | Allan Lankford, Simmons 12 |

Consolation Semi-Finals

| | | |
|----------------------------|-----------------|-----------------------------|
| North Branch 51 | Fergus Falls 45 | Duncan, North Branch 14 |
| Rochester John Marshall 61 | Mankato East 49 | Paul Goetz, Rochester JM 18 |

Semi-Finals

| | | | | | |
|---------------------|----|----|----|-------|-------------------------------------|
| Bloomington Kennedy | 11 | 12 | 17 | 12—52 | Derek Schramm 20 |
| Minneapolis North | 7 | 20 | 14 | 18—59 | Doug Carter 20 |
| St. Paul Central | 4 | 13 | 12 | 8—37 | Gubbrud, Lankford, Thomas, Turner 6 |
| White Bear Lake | 10 | 17 | 10 | 21—58 | Joe Regnier 17 |

5th Place

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| Rochester John Marshall 66 | North Branch 46 | Goetz 20 |
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3rd Place

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|---------------------|----------------|------------|
| St. Paul Central 50 | Bl. Kennedy 49 | Schramm 18 |
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Championship

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|-----------------|----|----|----|-------|------------|
| Mpls. North | 16 | 14 | 10 | 7—47 | Carter 16 |
| White Bear Lake | 14 | 11 | 14 | 12—51 | Regnier 19 |

Class A First Round

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|-----------------|----|----|----|-------|-----------------|
| St. Anthony | 8 | 7 | 10 | 26—51 | Mike Howey 17 |
| Warren | 9 | 7 | 8 | 15—39 | Mike Turgeon 18 |
| Sanborn | 10 | 12 | 18 | 5—45 | Barry Cohrs 15 |
| Winona Cotter | 18 | 10 | 11 | 8—47 | Jim Glowacki 20 |
| Pelican Rapids | 12 | 11 | 17 | 6—46 | Pat Westby 20 |
| Wells-Easton | 11 | 12 | 12 | 9—44 | Dave Schultz 14 |
| Orr | 14 | 20 | 15 | 9—58 | Jack Cook 19 |
| St. John's Prep | 13 | 14 | 16 | 18—61 | Tulio Suarez 20 |

Consolation Semi-Finals

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| Warren 61 | Sanborn 44 | Podman, Warren 16 |
| Wells-Easton 55 | Orr 54 | Schultz, Wells 18 |

Semi-Finals

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|-----------------|----|----|----|-------|------------------|
| St. Anthony | 16 | 15 | 12 | 14—57 | Wilson 21 |
| Winona Cotter | 16 | 6 | 18 | 19—61 | Jim Galkowski 18 |
| Pelican Rapids | 8 | 20 | 18 | 13—59 | Westby 26 |
| St. John's Prep | 20 | 15 | 10 | 13—58 | Suarez 28 |

5th Place

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|-----------------|-----------|-----------------------|
| Wells-Easton 36 | Warren 34 | Myszkowski, Warren 13 |
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3rd Place

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| St. Anthony 73 | St. John's Prep 55 | Todd Beste, St. John's 23 |
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Championship

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| Pelican Rapids | 20 | 12 | 14 | 11—57 | Westby 22 |
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Winona Cotter 12 20 17 6—55 Galkowski 19

The Stars

Champions W-L- White Bear Lake 26-0 and Pelican Rapids 24-2

Coach of the Year Jim Galvin, White Bear Lake

Joe Regnier, White Bear Lake, C

Doug Carter, Mpls. North, F

Pat Westby, Pelican Rapids, G

Class A leader 68 pts, 3 games, 22.7 ppg

Brett McNeal, Mpls. North, G

Paul Goetz, Rochester John Marshall, F

Class AA leader 48 pts, 3 games, 16 ppg

Fun Fact White Bear Lake benefited from the closing of Mariner high school and the consolidation of the White Bear school district into one high school this very year. It had the unlikely total of nine returning starters at the beginning of the year.

1985

Class A First Round

DeLaSalle 10 17 8 15—50
Twin Valley 9 11 8 17—46

Top Scorers

Damon Dragotis 19
Opsahl 11

Cedar Mountain 10 11 7 16—44
Ceylon 11 16 7 19—53

Green 12
Richard Saggau 24

LeSueur 8 2 6 10—27
Winona Cotter 12 11 4 12—39

Bill Schaffer 8
Maly 9

Coleraine Greenway 10 18 18 16—62
Glenwood 17 9 8 25—59

Mike Petrich 24
Olson 21

Consolation Semi-Finals

Cedar Mt.-Morgan 55 Twin Valley 42
Glenwood 68 LeSueur 53

Gullingsrud, Twin V 16
Schaffer 22

Semi-Finals

Ceylon 11 11 13 16—51
DeLaSalle 14 19 11 18—62

Saggau 23
Dragotis 23

Coleraine Greenway 10 6 13 14—43
Winona Cotter 14 23 16 17—70

Petrich 26
Glowacki 25

5th Place

Glenwood 55 Cedar Mt.-Morgan 44

Olson 19

3rd Place

Coleraine Greenway 53 Ceylon 51

Fritz, Ceylon; Petrich 20

Championship

DeLaSalle 14 6 16 20—56
Winona Cotter 11 8 11 16—46

Dragotis 24
Glowacki 23

Class AA First Round

Minneapolis North 18 17 20 28—83
St. Thomas 16 9 13 16—54

Doug Carter 23
Tim Blumentritt 18

Duluth Central 16 18 11 14—59

Everett 19

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|-----------------------|----------------|-------------------|
| Rochester JM | 13 9 10 18—50 | Glaeser, Jurek 12 |
| Bemidji | 10 12 16 19—57 | Edlund 21 |
| Bloomington Jefferson | 17 22 19 17—75 | Shawn Day 28 |
| White Bear Lake | 13 11 15 16—55 | Joe Regnier 18 |
| Willmar | 10 10 14 13—47 | Mark Harvey 16 |

Consolation Semi-Finals

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|---------------|--------------------------|-------------------|
| St. Thomas 64 | Rochester J. Marshall 55 | Blumentritt 27 |
| Willmar 79 | Bemidji 45 | Sauer, Bemidji 18 |

Semi-Finals

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|-----------------------|----------------|-------------------------|
| Duluth Central | 8 17 15 20—60 | A. Jones 18 |
| Minneapolis North | 19 20 19 12—70 | Carter 17 |
| Bloomington Jefferson | 4 17 6 12—39 | Day, Hamilton 12 |
| White Bear Lake | 5 15 12 9—41 | Larry Ogden, Parker, 12 |

5th Place

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|---------------|------------|----------------|
| St. Thomas 65 | Willmar 63 | Blumentritt 19 |
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3rd Place

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|--------------|-------------------|-----------------------|
| Jefferson 57 | Duluth Central 38 | Zachary, Jefferson 18 |
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Championship

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|-------------------|----------------|------------|
| Minneapolis North | 19 17 11 15—62 | Carter 18 |
| White Bear Lake | 14 12 16 25—67 | Regnier 23 |

The Stars

Champions White Bear Lake 26-0 and DeLaSalle 26-2

Coach of the Year Corwin Schmidt, Ceylon

Larry Ogden, White Bear Lake, G

Shawn Day, Bloomington Jefferson, C

Joe Regnier, White Bear Lake, C

Damon Dragotis, DeLaSalle, G

Brett McNeal, Mpls. North, G

Fun Fact For the second time, the same two teams played for a state title two straight years. White Bear Lake defeated Minneapolis North 51-47 and 67-62, coming from behind in the fourth quarter both times.

1986

Class AA First Round

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| Mounds View | 12 10 9 11—42 |
| St. Paul Central | 14 14 9 7—44 |

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| Bloomington Jefferson | 10 10 12 10—42 |
| Faribault | 6 14 8 12—40 |

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| Duluth Central | 15 16 8 20—59 |
| Fergus Falls | 6 17 8 18—49 |

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| Mankato East | 10 17 14 14—55 |
| Minneapolis North 59 | 12 9 17 21—59 |

Top Scorers

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| Steve Schlotthauer 20 |
| New 14 |

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| Berg, Lynch, Walker 10 |
| Bryan Larson 14 |

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| Tim Radosevich 20 |
| Mike Hilley 21 |

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| John Beeman 18 |
| Singleton 16 |

Consolation Semi-Finals

Faribault 62 Mounds View 50
 Mankato East 50 Fergus Falls 45

Bernie Vellan, Faribault 18
 Mark Tieszen, East 23

Semi-Finals

Bloomington Jefferson 14 15 8 22—59
 St. Paul Central 5 11 5 13—34

Kevin Lynch 15-12 reb-4 asts-3 stls-2 blks
 Troy Jackson 11

Duluth Central 13 13 12 13—51
 Minneapolis North 19 4 21 6—50

Radosevich 20
 Banister 15

5th Place

Faribault 56 Mankato East 55

Combs, Faribault; Halstead, East 16

3rd Place

St. Paul Central 49 Mpls. North 48

Jackson 14

Championship

Bloomington Jefferson 9 17 10 16—52
 Duluth Central 14 11 15 11—51

Flick, John Walker 12
 Radosevich 16

Class A First Round

Eveleth 9 29 20 8—46
 Peterson 21 13 10 11—55

Bixby, Scheuring 18
 Jay Hildebrand 22

Edgerton SW Christian 16 13 6 10—45
 LeSueur 16 10 12 25—63

Schellhaus 14
 Scott Ruud 16

Norman County West 14 14 8 10—46
 Staples 10 9 18 18—55

Paul Thompson 18
 Matt Nelson 19

Springfield 24 8 14 25—71
 Watertown-Mayer 18 12 13 15—58

Tim Shively 20
 Ron Stern 25

Consolation Semi-Finals

Norman County West 76 Watertown-Mayer 59
 SW Christian 71 Eveleth 57

Thompson 30
 Scheuring 21

Semi-Finals

LeSueur 10 16 9 7—42
 Peterson 10 15 11 4—40

Dave Semmen 20

Springfield 18 8 8 16—50
 Staples 21 11 14 16—62

Troy Raitz 20
 Chad Walthall 19

5th Place

Norman County West 59 Edgerton SWC 57

Thompson 20

3rd Place

Peterson 70 Springfield 58

Skalet, Peterson 21

Championship

LeSueur 15 13 13 14—55
 Staples 4 10 15 14—43

Bill Schaefer 14
 Neisen 13

The Stars

Champions LeSueur 26-2 and Bloomington Jefferson 23-4

Coach of the Year Terry Highum. Peterson

Tim Radosevich, Duluth Central, F

Class AA leader 56 pts, 3 games, 18.7 ppg

Kevin Lynch, Bloomington Jefferson, F-G

Bill Schaefer, LeSueur, F

Paul Thompson, Norman County West, F

Class A leader 68 pts, 3 games, 22.7 ppg

Troy Jackson, St. Paul Central, G

Fun Facts Kevin Lynch joined brother John (1982) in winning a state title. All 10 senior boys are on Peterson's basketball team. 5 of LeSueur's top 8 players were sophomores.

1987

Class AA First Round

Moorhead 17 14 6 12—49
Rosemount 10 18 10 9—47

Blaine 8 15 15 20—58
Park Center 12 10 12 16—50

Bloomington Jefferson 14 15 13 17—59
Woodbury 8 6 16 8—38

Duluth East 10 26 17 10—63
Willmar 10 18 7 16—51

Top Scorers

Mike Bjelland 18
Kirkey 12

Jeff Wirtz 27
Metcalfe 20

Kevin Lynch 17
Aamodt 16

Chad Hanson 21
Harvey 14

Consolation Semi-Finals

Park Center 66 Rosemount 45

Woodbury 53 Willmar 41

Mike Polomny, Park C 28

Greg Schlafer, Woodbury 17

Semi-Finals

Moorhead 17 11 6 10 2 6 0 0 4—56 Bjelland 21-10 reb-5 blks
Blaine 17 12 5 10 2 6 0 0 10—62 (5OT) Arzdorf, Remme, Wirtz 14

Bloomington Jefferson 18 6 10 10—44

Dan Nerud 14

Duluth East 11 9 9 10—39

Dave Zollar 15

5th Place

Park Center 55 Woodbury 51

Polomny 28

3rd Place

Duluth East 63 Moorhead 52

Tim Drummond, East 26

Championship

Blaine 6 5 14 12—37

Tim Remme 20

Bloomington Jefferson 9 14 14 17—54

Tom Batta 14

Class A First Round

Crosby-Ironton 17 15 20 11—63

Mike Nagorski 25

Jackson 18 10 10 16—54

Wade Wacker 30

Hawley 22 16 12 14—64

Steve Molstre 24

Waseca 12 19 15 15—61

Monte Dufault 20

Aurora-Hoyt Lakes 8 11 9 19—47

Radtke 16

Norman County West 16 12 11 23—62 Dave Christianson 24

MN Valley Lutheran 15 16 16 14—61 Dave Begalka 29
Tracy-Milroy 16 21 12 10—59 Larson 19

Consolation Semi-Finals

Waseca 79 Jackson 57 Tramp, Waseca 30
Tracy-Milroy 66 Aurora-HL 59 Hatch, Tracy-Milroy 21

Semi-Finals

Crosby-Ironton 14 14 12 13—53 Nagorski 20
Hawley 15 10 20 7—52 Molstre 17

MN Valley Lutheran 10 8 8 11—37 Begalka, Jason Just 11
Norman County West 11 10 8 16—45 Troy Anderson 15

5th Place

Tracy-Milroy 71 Waseca 62 Greg Vilt, Waseca 23

3rd Place

Minnesota Valley Luth. 52 Hawley 51 Begalka 33

Championship

Crosby-Ironton 8 10 12 28—58 Nagorski 25
Norman County West 10 17 18 25—70 Troy Anderson 23

The Stars

Champions Bloomington Jefferson 26-0 and Norman County West 26-2

Coach of the Year Jack Evens, Jefferson

Kevin Lynch, Bloomington Jefferson, F-G

Dave Zollar, Duluth East, F

Dave Begalka, Minnesota Valley Lutheran, C Class A leader 73 pts, 3 g, 24.3 ppg

Mike Polomny, Park Center, F

Class AA leader 70 pts, 3 g, 23.3 ppg

Mike Bjelland, Moorhead, C

Fun Fact The Moorhead-Park Center five OT semi remains the longest game in tournament history.

1988

Class A First Round

Bertha-Hewitt 11 15 10 11—47
Russell-Tyler-Ruthton 24 11 13 21—69

Crookston 18 15 20 9—62
Waseca 14 17 15 13—59

DeLa Salle 27 18 19 22—86
LeSueur 15 22 14 22—73

Bigfork 24 20 18 15 6—83
Edgerton SW Christian 12 20 24 21 4—81

Top Scorers

Paul King 16
Jeff Brosz 17

Steele Senske 24
Monte Dufault 20

Brian Forrest 30
Scott Ruud 22

Scott Chiabotti 28
Scott Spronk 30

Consolation Semi-Finals

LeSueur 86 Edgerton SW Christian 55 Erik Allen, LeSueur 37
Waseca 95 Bertha-Hewitt 69 Dufault 32

Semi-Finals

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|-----------------------|----|----|---|----|-----------|---------------|
| Crookston | 9 | 15 | 6 | 10 | 5—45 | Bob Holder 16 |
| Russell-Tyler-Ruthton | 13 | 8 | 8 | 11 | 8—48 (OT) | Brosz 18 |

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|-----------|----|----|----|-------|------------------|
| Bigfork | 16 | 21 | 9 | 9—55 | Chad Lovdahl 17 |
| DeLaSalle | 18 | 16 | 22 | 24—80 | John Dahlager 30 |

5th Place

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| LeSueur 96 Waseca 74 | Allen, Narveson, LeSueur 30 |
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3rd Place

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| Crookston 69 Bigfork 66 (OT) | Senske 21 |
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Championship

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|-----------------------|----|----|----|-------|----------------|
| DeLaSalle | 12 | 13 | 16 | 17—58 | Sam Anim 14 |
| Russell-Tyler-Ruthton | 2 | 10 | 12 | 12—36 | Troy Bouman 13 |

Class AA First Round

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|--------------------|----|----|----|----|-----------|----------------------|
| Cold Spring Rocori | 18 | 15 | 9 | 16 | 5—63 (OT) | Craig Ehrlichmann 18 |
| Willmar | 18 | 18 | 13 | 9 | 2—60 | Pat Dorsey 22 |

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|--------------------|---|----|---|-------|-------------------|
| Cloquet | 9 | 10 | 8 | 16—43 | Mark Lindquist 11 |
| St. Thomas Academy | 9 | 15 | 6 | 12—42 | Matt Brzica 16 |

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|-----------------------|---|----|----|-------|------------------|
| Forest Lake | 9 | 7 | 13 | 12—41 | Peterson 13 |
| Robbinsdale Armstrong | 7 | 15 | 17 | 17—56 | Jason Johnsen 19 |

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|--------------|----|----|----|-------|----------------------------|
| Apple Valley | 13 | 11 | 22 | 16—62 | Bob Martin 25-8 reb-5 blks |
| Osseo | 5 | 28 | 14 | 20—67 | Jeff Jones 15 |

Consolation Semi-Finals

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|----------------------------------|-----------------------------------|
| Apple Valley 66 Forest Lake 59 | Mark Hanneman, AV ; Carter, FL 19 |
| Willmar 64 St. Thomas Academy 49 | Jon Holloway, St. Thomas 19 |

Semi-Finals

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|--------------------|----|----|----|-------|------------------|
| Cloquet | 14 | 19 | 5 | 12—50 | Tim Giacomini 23 |
| Cold Spring Rocori | 16 | 14 | 12 | 20—62 | Jeff Voit 21 |

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|-----------------------|----|----|----|-------|---------------------------------|
| Osseo | 18 | 14 | 14 | 18—64 | Jones, Stewart Cramer, Osseo 20 |
| Robbinsdale Armstrong | 15 | 12 | 14 | 24—65 | Jason Johnsen 15 |

5th Place

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|----------------------------|-----------|
| Apple Valley 67 Willmar 59 | Martin 21 |
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3rd Place

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| Osseo 70 Cloquet 51 | Jones 25 |
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Championship

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| Cold Spring Rocori 66 Robbinsdale Armstrong 56 | Voit 21 |
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The Stars

Champions Cold Spring Rocori 26-0 and DeLaSalle 26-1

Coach of the Year Bob Brink, Rocori

Jeff Voit, Cold Spring Rocori, F

Erik Allen, LeSueur, C

Class A leader 85 pts, 3 games, 28.3 ppg

Brian Forrest, DeLaSalle, F
 Jason Johnsen, Robbinsdale Armstrong, G
 Jeff Jones, Osseo, F

Class AA leader 60 pts, 3 games, 20 ppg

Fun Fact Two years ago LeSueur won the Class A title by giving up a stingy 43 ppg. This year they won fifth place with a tournament record of 255 points or 85 points per game. Coincidentally, 1988 was the first year for the three-point shot at the state tournament. The average team made about 3-of-10.

1989

Class AA First Round

Eden Prairie 4 9 7 17—37
 Owatonna 8 14 14 10—46

Top Scorers

Agrimson 12
 Chad Kolander 15-17 reb-4 blks

Minneapolis South 15 13 14 18—60
 Robbinsdale Armstrong 19 22 20 25—86

Edwards 22
 Jason Johnsen 31

Hibbing 16 12 15 20 3—66
 Stillwater 15 20 18 10 6—69 (OT)

Grahek 21
 Daren Danielson 32-13 reb

St. Paul Central 76 Cold Spring Rocori 75

Juriad Hughes, Central 30

Consolation Semi-Finals

Eden Prairie 74 Hibbing 65
 Minneapolis South 65 Cold Spring Rocori 52

Agrimson 28
 Wilson, South 16

Semi-Finals

Robbinsdale Armstrong 24 15 11 17—67
 St. Paul Central 12 26 13 15—66

Mike Moen 22
 David Hollman 25

Owatonna 13 11 8 13—45
 Stillwater 9 11 13 10—43

Kolander 19
 Danielson, Koenig 13

5th Place

Minneapolis South 54 Eden Prairie 30

Seawright, Edwards, South 12

3rd Place

Stillwater 89 St. Paul Central 81

Juriad Hughes, Central 26

Championship

Owatonna 9 4 14 13 5—45 (OT)
 Robbinsdale Armstrong 12 12 9 7 3—43

Kolander 13
 Johnsen 15

Class A First Round

Pipestone 10 19 9 12—50
 Warren 14 11 13 21—59

Mike Ossenfort 16
 Trevor Monroe 23

Crosby-Ironton 8 13 8 17—46
 Rushford 24 16 16 12—68

Glenz 12
Dana Grimsrud 25

Rush City 15 4 6 18—43
 Russell-Tyler-Ruthton 19 14 20 10—63

Wright 13
 Lee Rood 18

Mankato Loyola 13 26 10 10—59
 Staples-Motley 17 19 16 15—67

Jason Palmquist 22
 Arden Beachy 17

Consolation Semi-Finals

Pipestone 63 Crosby-Ironton 59
 Rush City 64 Mankato Loyola 63

Ossenfort 21
 Craig Mell, Rush City 25

Semi-Finals

Rushford 28 12 24 7—71
 Warren 6 11 11 18—46

Grimsrud 19
 Monroe 10

Russell-Tyler-Ruthton 10 13 14 13—50
 Staples-Motley 5 7 19 12—43

Todd Bouman 17
 Colin Beachy 12

5th Place

Pipestone 53 Rush City 50

Ossenfort 24

3rd Place

Staples-Motley 85 Warren 68

Salthe, Staples 25

Championship

Rushford 13 22 8 21—64
 Russell-Tyler-Ruthton 11 5 17 19—52

Grimsrud 20
 Troy Bouman 17

The Stars

Champions Owatonna 25-1 and Rushford 26-2

Coach of the Year Len Olson, Owatonna

Chad Kohlander, Owatonna, C

Dana Grimsrud, Rushford, G

Class A leader 64 pts, 3 games, 21.3 ppg

Jason Johnsen, Robbinsdale Armstrong, F-G

Juriad Hughes, St. Paul Central, G

Class AA leader 80 pts, 3 games, 26.7 ppg

Daren Danielson, Stillwater, C

Fun Fact RTR became the third team to lose back-to-back title games to different opponents after Red Wing (1940-1941) and Melrose (1972-1973).

1990**Class AA First Round**

Cretin-Derham Hall 12 11 17 14—54
 Minneapolis North 9 14 14 23—60

Top Scorers

Devine 23
 David Dennis 25

Bloomington Jefferson 11 14 11 12—48
 Fergus Falls 14 13 9 13—49

Brent Irvin 16
 Dan Sternberg 20

Chaska 16 19 22 19—76
 St. Francis 23 12 16 10—61

Nate Streed 27
 Larson, Roepke 18

Mounds View 8 24 11 16—59
 Owatonna 17 13 17 25—72

Ben Ruth 23
 Mike Broich 26-18 reb

Consolation Semi-Finals

Bloomington Jefferson 63 Cretin-Derham 54
 St. Francis 70 Mounds View 67

John Tauer, Cretin 22
 Jim Abbas, St. Francis 22

Semi-Finals

Fergus Falls 16 15 8 9—48
 Minneapolis North 19 8 7 15—49

Sternberg 17
 Dennis 10

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|----------|---|----|----|------|-----------------------|
| Chaska | 8 | 12 | 12 | 2—34 | Jeff Kunze, Streed 10 |
| Owatonna | 9 | 10 | 8 | 8—35 | Chad Kolander 16 |

5th Place

Bloomington Jefferson 68 St. Francis 47 Irvin 19

3rd Place

Chaska 72 Fergus Falls 60 Kunze 24

Championship

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| Mpls. North | 5 | 4 | 8 | 9—26 | Walker 6 |
| Owatonna | 12 | 22 | 20 | 18—72 | Kolander 24 |

Class A First Round

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|-----------------------|----|----|----|-------|-------------------|
| DeLaSalle | 14 | 14 | 19 | 19—66 | Charles Maddox 19 |
| Russell-Tyler-Ruthton | 19 | 21 | 6 | 7—53 | Todd Bouman 17 |

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|----------------|----|----|----|-------|------------------------------|
| Lake City | 14 | 16 | 11 | 19—60 | Tony Heise, Brent Meincke 17 |
| Staples-Motley | 7 | 8 | 10 | 22—47 | Salthe 17 |

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|----------------|----|----|----|-------|--|
| East Central | 13 | 14 | 10 | 16—53 | Chad Germann 36 |
| Mankato Loyola | 21 | 12 | 20 | 19—72 | Johnson 22; Dan Ward 20-10 reb-11 asts |

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|----------|----|----|----|-------|------------------|
| Fairmont | 19 | 26 | 16 | 15—76 | Brad Hestad 12 |
| Mahnomen | 7 | 12 | 15 | 13—47 | Chris Neumann 18 |

Consolation Semi-Finals

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|-----------------------------|------------|
| Staples-Motley 58 RTR 42 | Bouman 18 |
| Mahnomen 72 East Central 70 | Neumann 29 |

Semi-Finals

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|-----------|----|----|----|-------|-------------------|
| DeLaSalle | 10 | 6 | 10 | 10—36 | Gerrell Clardy 12 |
| Lake City | 8 | 13 | 6 | 19—46 | Heise 17 |

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|----------------|----|----|----|----|-----------|-------------------|
| Fairmont | 12 | 23 | 13 | 20 | 4—72 | Jorgenson 14 |
| Mankato Loyola | 17 | 14 | 20 | 17 | 7—75 (OT) | Eric Holmstrom 26 |

5th Place

Staples-Motley 74 Mahnomen 55 Neumann 20

3rd Place

Fairmont 72 DeLaSalle 69 Clardy 21

Championship

| | | | | | |
|----------------|----|----|----|-------|----------------------|
| Lake City | 12 | 19 | 7 | 14—52 | Brett Stolzenburg 16 |
| Mankato Loyola | 12 | 9 | 17 | 13—51 | Ward 21 |

The Stars

Champions Lake City 26-2 and Owatonna 23-2

Coach of the Year Jerry Snyder, Lake City

Chad Kohlander, Owatonna, C

Mike Broich, Owatonna, F

Class AA leader 60 pts, 3 games, 20 ppg

Tony Heise, Lake City, G

Dan Ward, Mankato Loyola, G

Dan Sternberg, Fergus Falls, F

Fun Fact Owatonna's 72-26 win over Minneapolis North was one point short of the biggest title game margin ever—when Roosevelt “blue” out Blue Earth 101-54 in the final of 1956. This time the Minneapolis City Conference was on the other end.

1991

Class A First Round

Rushford-Peterson 16 15 10 20—61
Westbrook-Walnut Gr. 11 19 17 16—63

Argyle 12 20 4 15—51
Dawson-Boyd 14 14 13 15—56

Becker 10 17 12 23—62
Long Prairie 7 11 9 17—44

Chisholm 16 16 13 14—59
Gibbon-Fairfax-Win. 22 6 4 19—51

Top Scorers

Jason Dahl 19
Juhl Erickson, Troy Steen 16

Jason Yutzenka 13
Jeff Anderson 18

Jeremy Karpinskie 23
Dave Ruda 14

Joel McDonald 26
Stephen Gilles 24

Consolation Semi-Finals

Long Prairie 57 Gibbon-Fairfax-Win. 47
Argyle 63 Rushford-Peterson 61

Gilles 27
Yutzenka 29

Semi-Finals

Becker 10 11 20 15—56
Chisholm 24 20 22 20—86

Justin Hegna 23
Ted Krize 36

Dawson-Boyd 16 16 13 21—66
Westbrook-Walnut Gr. 16 22 21 21—80

Jeff Nordgaard 27
Jason Bakke 24

5th Place

Long Prairie 56 Argyle 52

Yutzenka 32

3rd Place

Dawson-Boyd 75 Becker 73

Nordgaard 34

Championship

Chisholm 19 17 18 23—77
Westbrook-Walnut Gr. 19 19 12 11—61

McDonald 30
Erickson 24

Class AA First Round

Cambridge 13 10 13 8—44
Minneapolis Roosevelt 19 8 17 22—66

Chris Lovrein 16
Tex Phillips 26

Mounds View 12 14 9 13—48
Brainerd 8 15 12 8—43

Dusty Becker, Jason Eckmann 15
Matt Pecarich 12

Cretin-Derham Hall 18 26 11 21—76
Owatonna 10 18 20 24—72

Arvesta Kelly 23
Mark Randall 41

Edina 19 3 17 17—56
Mankato West 16 18 10 18—62

Rich Frandeen 16
Pat Coleman 23

Consolation Semi-Finals

Brainerd 74 Cambridge 41

Bryan Gustafson, Brainerd 17

Edina 82 Owatonna 59

Frandeen 21

Semi-Finals

Minneapolis Roosevelt 13 12 2 13—40
Mounds View 13 7 15 4—39

Wayne Charles 12
Mark Hronski 15

Cretin-Derham Hall 18 14 17 14—63
Mankato West 11 17 11 14—53

Johnny Tauer 21
Pat Coleman 21

5th Place

Edina 91 Brainerd 89 (2OT)

Kyle Smith, Brainerd 26

3rd Place

Mankato West 56 Mounds View 49

Jason Eckmann, MView 27

Championship

Cretin-Derham Hall 18 13 16 12 15—74 (OT)
Mpls. Roosevelt 16 13 13 17 3—62

Tauer 25
Phillips 29

The Stars

Champions Chisholm 29-1 and Cretin-Derham Hall 27-1

Cpach of the Year Len Horyza, Cretin-Derham Hall

Johnny Tauer, Cretin-Derham Hall, F

Tex Phillips, Mpls. Roosevelt, F

Mark Randall, Owatonna

Joel McDonald, Chisholm, G-F

Jeff Nordgaard, Dawson-Boyd, F

Class AA leader 60 pts, 2 games, 30.0 ppg

Class A leader 86 pts, 3 games, 28.7 ppg

Fun Fact Joel is the third McDonald brother to win a state title and the fourth to win all-tournament honors, both firsts.

1992

Class AA First Round

Duluth Central 2 20 16 15—53
Eden Prairie 10 8 10 12—40

Top Scorers

Dave Berntson, Todd Hanson 14
Jay Helmick 18

Anoka 10 12 17 17—56
Rochester JM 19 15 13 8—55

Dan Novotny 18
Mark Swenson 19

Cretin-Derham Hall 13 8 20 22—63
Chaska 17 12 13 10—52

Arvesta Kelly 31
Jason Pelowski 17

Minneapolis South 9 22 7 23—61
Moorhead 23 13 17 18—71

Patrick Williams 19
Corey Zimmerman 30

Consolation Semi-Finals

Rochester John Marshall 52 Eden Prairie 45
Chaska 82 Mpls. South 53

Swenson 26
Nathan Pelowski, Chaska 24

Semi-Finals

Anoka 13 12 11 13—49
Duluth Central 9 6 8 12—35

Bryan Doughty 16
Todd Hanson 11

Cretin-Derham Hall 18 26 19 19—82
Moorhead 22 17 13 17—60

Kelly 22
Zimmerman 21

5th Place

Chaska 67 Rochester JM 62

Swenson 22

3rd Place

Duluth Central 60 Moorhead 59

Hanson 20

Championship

Anoka 16 11 10 13—50

Doughty, Aaron Hatanpaa 12

Cretin-Derham Hall 10 14 15 8—47

Kelly 14

Class A First Round

Chisholm 5 8 11 7—31

David Lacoce 17

Cold Spring Rocori 7 20 17 17—61

Dan McMahon 20

Clearbrook 13 8 20 20—61

Jeff Brunsberg 27

DeLaSalle 21 24 25 10—80

Darren Dearing 26

Austin Pacelli 8 21 8 16—55

Jacob Nelson 16

Lac Qui Parle Valley 8 16 11 16—51

Bobby Beck 24

Gibbon-Fairfax-Win. 9 9 14 10 5—47

Stephen Gilles 16

Minnewaska 5 14 15 8 7—49 (OT)

Doug Larson 17

Consolation Semi-Finals

Chisholm 76 Clearbrook-Gonvick-Trail 71

Lacoce, Thompson, Chisholm 22

Gibbon-Fairfax-Winthrop 71 Lac Qui Parle 50

Jamie Pelzel, GFW 21

Semi-Finals

Cold Spring Rocori 16 17 8 12—53

McMahon 16

DeLaSalle 24 10 9 11—54

Dearing, Adrian Patterson 19

Austin Pacelli 12 13 17 18—60

Steve Rogne 25

Minnewaska 8 11 15 18—52

Ryan Shea 16

5th Place

Gibbon-Fairfax-Winthrop 64 Chisholm 45

Gilles 22

3rd Place

Cold Spring Rocori 54 Minnewaska 48

Larson 17

Championship

Austin Pacelli 18 17 12 21—68

Rogne 29

DeLaSalle 10 10 19 23—62

Dearing 20

The Stars**Champions** Anoka 25-3 and Austin Pacelli 19-11**Coach of the Year** Dave Tank, Anoka

Arvesta Kelly, Cretin-Derham Hall, F

Class AA co-leader 67 pts, 3 games, 22.3 ppg

Mark Swenson, Rochester John Marshall, G

Class AA co-leader 67 pts, 3 games, 22.3 ppg

Steve Rogne, Austin Pacelli, G

Class A leader 66 pts, 3 games, 22 ppg

Jacob Nelson, Austin Pacell, C

Corey Zimmerman, Moorhead, C

Fun Fact In the first five years of the three-point shot, teams made an average of 3.5 threes and 32 percent. Scoring in the last five years before the three-pointer averaged 55-47. In the first five

years of the three-pointer, scoring averaged 62-52, for an increase of twelve points. Three-pointers accounted for seven of that twelve-point increase. The other five points were accounted for by a slightly faster pace and slightly higher two-point shooting percentages.

1993

Class AA First Round

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|--------------------|----|----|----|-------|
| Cretin-Derham Hall | 19 | 11 | 11 | 23—65 |
| Totino Grace | 6 | 17 | 13 | 11—47 |

Top Scorers

| | |
|---------------|----|
| Arvesta Kelly | 23 |
| Daniel Oliva | 29 |

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|-----------|----|----|----|-------|
| Elk River | 4 | 14 | 24 | 15—57 |
| Hopkins | 10 | 11 | 14 | 10—46 |

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|-------------------|----|
| Skip Schaeftbauer | 31 |
| Justin White | 16 |

| | | | | |
|----------------|----|----|---|-------|
| Duluth Central | 13 | 21 | 9 | 14—57 |
| Rochester JM | 8 | 10 | 4 | 23—45 |

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|-----------------|----|
| Erik Reinertsen | 17 |
| Brent Solheim | 14 |

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|--------|----|----|----|-------|
| Anoka | 10 | 13 | 13 | 17—53 |
| Chaska | 15 | 13 | 6 | 12—46 |

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|---------------|----|
| Bryan Doughty | 21 |
| Nate Pelowski | 20 |

Semi-Finals

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|--------------------|----|----|----|----|---|-------------|--------------------|----|
| Cretin-Derham Hall | 12 | 19 | 9 | 15 | 5 | 12—72 (2OT) | Jeff Ellens, Kelly | 19 |
| Elk River | 11 | 14 | 14 | 16 | 5 | 9—69 | Schaeftbauer | 34 |

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|----------------|----|----|----|-------|
| Anoka | 14 | 15 | 16 | 21—66 |
| Duluth Central | 8 | 15 | 14 | 17—54 |

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|-------------|----|
| Matt Adler | 18 |
| Todd Hanson | 16 |

Consolation Semi-Finals

| | | | |
|-------------------------|----|--------------|----|
| Rochester John Marshall | 52 | Chaska | 49 |
| Hopkins | 78 | Totino-Grace | 62 |

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|------------------------|----|
| Pelowski | 27 |
| Tim Schilling, Hopkins | 22 |

5th Place

| | | | |
|---------|----|--------------|----|
| Hopkins | 67 | Rochester JM | 55 |
|---------|----|--------------|----|

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|----------------------|----|
| Marc Joseph, Hopkins | 17 |
|----------------------|----|

3rd Place

| | | | |
|-----------|----|----------------|---------|
| Elk River | 72 | Duluth Central | 65 (ot) |
|-----------|----|----------------|---------|

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|----------------------|----|
| Todd Hanson, Central | 28 |
|----------------------|----|

Championship

| | | | | |
|--------------------|----|----|----|-------|
| Anoka | 8 | 9 | 12 | 15—44 |
| Cretin-Derham Hall | 11 | 10 | 17 | 18—56 |

| | |
|------------------|----|
| Matt Adler | 12 |
| Jarvis Archibald | 14 |

Class A First Round

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|-----------------|----|----|----|-------|
| Maple River | 11 | 17 | 20 | 10—58 |
| Storden-Jeffers | 13 | 13 | 6 | 14—46 |

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|----------------|----|
| Chad Ostermann | 24 |
| Luke Minion | 14 |

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|--------------------|----|----|----|-------|
| Clearbrook-Gonvick | 16 | 12 | 18 | 17—63 |
| Delano | 14 | 18 | 12 | 17—61 |

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|--------------------|----|
| Dylan Goudge | 15 |
| Paul Ludwig | 19 |

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|----------------|----|----|----|------|
| Crosby-Ironton | 12 | 14 | 16 | 9—51 |
| Pelican Rapids | 11 | 11 | 17 | 9—48 |

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|---------------|----|
| Jamie Hakes | 12 |
| Brian Hovland | 18 |

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|---------------------|----|----|----|-------|
| DeLaSalle | 11 | 11 | 17 | 7—46 |
| Faribault Bethlehem | 16 | 9 | 12 | 15—52 |

| | |
|------------------|----|
| Lamarr Westberry | 10 |
| Jim Lovrien | 20 |

Consolation Semi-Finals

| | | | |
|-----------|----|-----------------|----|
| Delano | 77 | Storden-Jeffers | 58 |
| DeLaSalle | 49 | Pelican Rapids | 47 |

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|-----------|----|
| Ludwig | 30 |
| Westberry | 24 |

Semi-Finals

| | | | | | |
|--------------------|----|----|----|-------|------------------------------|
| Clearbrook-Gonvick | 15 | 16 | 17 | 4—52 | Chris Schmitz 13 |
| Maple River | 14 | 8 | 13 | 19—54 | Ostermann, Mark Lancaster 17 |

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|---------------------|----|----|----|-------|-------------------------|
| Crosby-Ironton | 7 | 10 | 17 | 6—40 | Bruce Holmwig 11 |
| Faribault Bethlehem | 11 | 9 | 17 | 15—52 | Lovrien, Tim Schlaak 16 |

5th Place

| | | |
|--------------|----------------|-----------|
| DeLaSalle 66 | Delano 65 (OT) | Ludwig 32 |
|--------------|----------------|-----------|

3rd Place

| | | |
|-------------------|-----------------------|----------|
| Crosby-Ironton 65 | Clearbrook-Gonvick 57 | Hakes 22 |
|-------------------|-----------------------|----------|

Championship

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|---------------------|---|----|---|-------|--------------|
| Faribault Bethlehem | 8 | 8 | 4 | 9—29 | Schlaak 14 |
| Maple River | 8 | 10 | 5 | 10—33 | Lancaster 12 |

The Stars

Champions Maple River 29-1 and Cretin-Derham Hall 28-1

Coach of the Year /Len Horyza, Cretin-Derham Hall

Skip Schaeferbauer, Elk River, G Class AA leader 84 pts, 3 games, 28 ppg

Jarvis Archibald, Cretin-Derham Hall, C

Arvesta Kelly, Cretin-Derham Hall, F

Paul Ludwig, Delano, G

Class A leader 81 pts, 3 games, 27.0 ppg

Chad Ostermann, Maple River, G

Fun Fact Cretin's win over Anoka marks the first time two teams have met for a state title in consecutive years with a change in the result (a different winner) the second year.

1994

Class A First Round

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|---------------------|----|----|----|-------|
| Bigfork | 7 | 11 | 9 | 9—36 |
| Faribault Bethlehem | 14 | 12 | 14 | 11—51 |

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|---------------|----|----|----|-------|
| Climax/Fisher | 11 | 11 | 16 | 9—47 |
| Morris Area | 21 | 12 | 10 | 18—61 |

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| New London-Spicer | 16 | 13 | 7 | 19—55 |
| Westbrook-Walnut Gr. | 12 | 15 | 22 | 19—68 |

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|-------------|----|----|---|-------|
| Maple River | 19 | 19 | 9 | 9—56 |
| St. Agnes | 13 | 24 | 9 | 17—63 |

Consolation Semi-Finals

New London-Spicer 63 Maple River 60

Bigfork 70 Climax/Fisher 35

Top Scorers

Jeremy Cole 10

J.J. Korman 12

Chuck Durkin, Chris Hoff 14

Zach Witt 16

Jeff Miller 20

Nate LeBoutillier 21

Aaron Staloch 15

Kamani Lloyd 16

Jeff Miller, NLS 19

Neil Chiabotti , Bigfork 18

Semi-Finals

| | | | | | |
|---------------------|----|----|----|-------|------------------------|
| Faribault Bethlehem | 11 | 5 | 15 | 11—42 | Korman, Jim Lovrein 15 |
| Morris Area | 15 | 12 | 9 | 14—50 | Kevin Loge 16 |

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|-----------|----|----|----|-------|-------------------|
| St. Agnes | 18 | 12 | 18 | 18—66 | Lester Jackson 19 |
|-----------|----|----|----|-------|-------------------|

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|----------------------|----|---|----|-------|-----------------|
| Westbrook-Walnut Gr. | 18 | 6 | 14 | 15—53 | Jeff DeBates 21 |
|----------------------|----|---|----|-------|-----------------|

5th Place

Bigfork 66 New London-Spicer 57

Ryan Giehler, Bigfork 26

3rd Place

Faribault Bethlehem 53 Westbrook-Wal. Gr. 33 Korman 19

ChampionshipMorris Area 22 11 15 23—71
St. Agnes 12 24 24 18—78Loge 24
Jackson 20**Class AA First Round**Moorhead 71 Forest Lake 60
Mpls. Washburn 72 Worthington 71
Mounds View 48 Cretin-Derham Hall 43
Hopkins 67 Apple Valley 59Aaron Wilborn, Forest L 26
Mark Hagemann, Worthington 26
Chad Bey, Mounds V 16
Justin White, Hopkins 32**Consolation Semi-Finals**Cretin-Derham H. 70 Apple Valley 59
Forest Lake 74 Worthington 59Kevin Conn, Apple V 28
Todd Peopard, Forest L 20**Semi-Finals**Minneapolis Washburn 16 14 15 24—69
Moorhead 14 11 12 22—59Akeem Carpenter 18
Sean Greenwaldt 20Hopkins 14 11 18 20—63
Mounds View 15 10 13 13—51James Ware 19
Chad Bey 16**5th Place**

Forest Lake 69 Cretin-Derham Hall 57

Ryan Poepard, Forest L 24

3rd Place

Mounds View 80 Moorhead 76

Greenwaldt 33

ChampionshipHopkins 15 18 17 15—65
Mpls. Washburn 18 15 20 13—66Matt Arnold 15
Byron Suttles 17**The Stars****Champions** Mpls. Washburn 28-1 and St. Agnes 25-5**Coach of the Year** Louis Boone, Jr., Mpls. Washburn

Byron Suttles, Mpls. Washburn, G

Myron Jackson, St. Agnes, G

Class A leader 54 pts, 3 games, 18 ppg

Kevin Loge, Morris Area, C

Adrian Patterson, Mpls. Washburn, F

Sean Greenwaldt, Moorhead, C

Fun Fact 1994 was the first of only three times that a Minneapolis and St. Paul team won boys MSHSL titles in the same year—Minneapolis Washburn and St. Agnes in 1994, DeLaSalle and St. Paul Highland Park in 1999, and Cretin-Derham Hall and Minnehaha in 2018.**The Sweet Sixteen, 1995-1996****1995**

Sweet Sixteen First Round

Caledonia 13 9 25 16—63
 Staples-Motley 16 14 13 26—69

Cold Spring Rocori 12 18 15 13—58
 Lakeville 15 14 14 15—60

Redwood Valley 16 10 13 14—53
 St. Agnes 17 7 15 25—64

Chisholm 20 19 11 15—65
 Fertile-Beltrami 12 12 16 11—51

Cretin-Derham Hall 10 15 8 15—48
 Robbinsdale Armstrong 20 6 8 7—41

Minneapolis North 23 16 22 23—84
 White Bear Lake 16 16 15 17—64

New London-Spicer 20 17 13 23—73
 St. Peter 17 6 12 11—46

Duluth East 14 12 17 12—55
 Monticello 14 12 12 11—47

Quarter-Finals

Lakeville 14 19 9 23—65
 Staples-Motley 25 17 21 19—82

Chisholm 58 St. Agnes 56 (OT)
 Mpls. North 51 Cretin-Derham Hall 48

Duluth East 14 8 15 24—61
 New London-Spicer 12 7 5 21—45

Consolation Semi-Finals

New London-Spicer 64 Cretin-Derham Hall 60
 St. Agnes 67 Lakeville 66 (OT)

Semi-Finals

Chisholm 12 12 9 11—44
 Staples-Motley 3 18 15 10—46

Duluth East 10 9 10 12—41
 Minneapolis North 13 13 9 13—48

5th Place

New London-Spicer 82 St. Agnes 70

3rd Place

Duluth East 64 Chisholm 47

Championship

Minneapolis North 15 11 16 12—54
 Staples-Motley 23 8 10 11—52

Top Scorers

Matt Woods 15
 Blaine Joerger 24

Joe Hemmesch 22
 Tim Hamer 16

Seth Breitreutz 15
 Kamani Lloyd 24

Paul Ciochetto 26
 Jeff Gullickson 16

Tim Rosga 16
 Retzlaff 13

Jabbar Washington 25
 Anderson 14

Jamie Swenson 17
 Aaron Loken 14

Willie Adamczak, Chris Martin 12
 Nate Holmstadt 29

Hamer 19
 Blaine Joerger 31

Lloyd 21
 Washington 20

Josh Quigley 25
 Swenson 14

Swenson 19
 Larry Cobb, St. Agnes 20

Ciochetto 20
 Joerger 17

Quigley 17
 Ozzie Lockhart 14

Nathan Goracke, NLS 25

Andy Strommen, East 22

Khalid El-Amin 17
 Blaine Joerger 28

The Stars

Champions Minneapolis North 30-0

Coach of the Year Lynn Peterson, Staples-Motley

Khalid El-Amin, Minneapolis North, G

Blaine Joerger, Staples-Motley, F

100 pts, 4 games, 25 ppg

Josh Quigley, Duluth East, C

Jabbar Washington, Minneapolis North, F

Kamani Lloyd, St. Agnes, G

Fun Fact Class A teams won three of the first four games with AA teams, before losing the last two. So, the two classes tied with three wins each.

1996

Sweet Sixteen First Round

MACCRAY 9 8 17 14—48
Staples-Motley 12 12 14 17—55

Top Scorers

Chad Koenen, Scott Koenen 12
Erik Kelly 27

Cold Spring Rocori 20 8 10 18 2 11—69 (2OT)
Monticello 20 13 15 8 2 9—67

Kip Sparby 38
Troy Bigalke 23

Duluth East 7 6 10 27 6—56
St. Thomas Academy 9 10 19 12 12—62 (OT)

Jon Osterlund 19
Javier Collins 25-10 reb

Minneapolis North 21 16 18 18—73
Rochester Mayo 16 11 10 18—53

Kerek Taylor 18
Mike Restovich 18

Cromwell 11 15 13 16—55
Janesville-Wal.-Pem. 14 17 20 16—67

Ryan Olesiak 22
Josh Ziemke 23-13 reb

Caledonia 9 16 10 14—49
Fertile-Beltrami 17 8 14 19—58

Chad Burmester 15
Ryan Solie 16

Minnehaha Academy 17 7 11 27—62
N. London-Spicer 16 14 7 14—51

Marc Johnson 29
Nathan Goracke 21

Blaine 8 16 17 7—48
Eden Prairie 11 20 11 13—55

Joe Dykhoff 13
Ryan Iverson 13

Quarter-Finals

Minneapolis North 22 13 16 16—67
St. Thomas Academy 16 16 11 22—65

Khalid El-Amin 41
Paul Kniesl 22

Rocori 14 12 16 15—57
Staples-Motley 15 16 21 18—70

Mike Voit 25
Chris Heier 28-11 reb

Fertile-Beltrami 14 6 18 20—58
Janesville-Wal.-Pem. 10 8 15 19—52

Aaron Thompson 18
Ziemke 19-13 reb

Eden Prairie 14 10 10 16—50
Minnehaha Academy 16 9 15 15—55

Iverson, Toatley 11
Johnson 19

Consolation Semi-Finals

Rocori 74 St. Thomas 72
Eden Prairie 66 Janesville-WP 51

Javier Collins, St. Thomas 26
Ryan Iverson, EP 20

Semi-Finals

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|-------------------|----|----|----|-------|-------------|
| Minneapolis North | 16 | 21 | 6 | 19—62 | El-Amin 21 |
| Staples- Motley | 14 | 9 | 9 | 9—41 | Heier 20 |
| Fertile-Beltrami | 11 | 14 | 13 | 23—61 | Thompson 21 |
| Minnehaha Academy | 15 | 13 | 14 | 16—58 | Johnson 15 |

5th Place

| | | |
|-----------------|-----------|------------|
| Eden Prairie 66 | Rocori 51 | Iverson 17 |
|-----------------|-----------|------------|

3rd Place

| | | |
|-------------------|--------------|----------|
| Staples-Motley 74 | Minnehaha 60 | Kelly 33 |
|-------------------|--------------|----------|

Championship

| | | | | | |
|-------------------|----|----|----|-------|----------------------|
| Fertile-Beltrami | 5 | 15 | 10 | 17—47 | Greg North 17 |
| Minneapolis North | 14 | 24 | 24 | 18—80 | Jabbar Washington 28 |

The Stars

Champions Minneapolis North 29-1

Coach of the Year Neil Steffes, Fertile-Beltrami

Khalid El-Amin, Minneapolis North, G

Javiar Collins, St. Thomas, C

Jabbar Washington, Minneapolis North, F

Mark Johnson, Minnehaha, F

Kip Sparby, Cold Spring Rocori, G 95 pts, 4 games, 23.75 ppg

Fun Fact Class A won the first two games vs. AA teams, before losing the last three. In two years of Sweet Sixteen basketball, the big schools won six games against small-school opponents while the small schools won five times against the bigs.

The Four-Class Era (Part 1), 1997-2009

1997

Class AAAA Quarter-Final

| | | | | |
|------------|----|---|----|-------|
| Roseville | 18 | 9 | 9 | 13—49 |
| Stillwater | 13 | 8 | 19 | 12—52 |

Top Scorers

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|----------------|
| Joe Snowden 18 |
| Ted Swanson 17 |

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|--------------|----|----|----|-------|
| Elk River | 16 | 10 | 17 | 17—60 |
| Grand Rapids | 6 | 11 | 10 | 27—54 |

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|----------------------------|
| Tyler Grupa, Jake Maros 14 |
| Dusty Rychart 29 |

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|-------------------|----|----|----|-------|
| Minneapolis North | 12 | 22 | 18 | 21—73 |
| Rochester Mayo | 12 | 12 | 14 | 21—59 |

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|--------------------------|
| Khalid El-Amin 35 |
| Martin Coon 16 |

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|-------------|----|----|----|-------|
| Hopkins | 16 | 17 | 19 | 15—67 |
| Park Center | 10 | 15 | 15 | 20—60 |

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|-----------------|
| Jared Nuness 29 |
| Joe LaBounty 15 |

Semi-Finals

| | | | | |
|-------------------|----|----|----|-------|
| Hopkins | 11 | 6 | 8 | 23—48 |
| Minneapolis North | 12 | 16 | 13 | 18—59 |

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|-----------------|
| Jared Nuness 12 |
| El-Amin 23 |

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|------------|----|----|----|-------|
| Elk River | 4 | 14 | 11 | 19—48 |
| Stillwater | 19 | 18 | 11 | 17—65 |

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|---------------|
| Maros 14 |
| Drew Carty 20 |

3rd Place

Elk River 68 Hopkins 53

Jared Nuness, Hopkins 30

ChampionshipMpls. North 21 12 13 15—61
Stillwater 6 16 14 17—53El-Amin 26
Swanson 20**Class AAA Quarter-Final**Mpls. Roosevelt 11 9 16 20—56
Monticello 12 9 11 10—42Antonio Fondren 22
Troy Bigalke 15Chisago Lakes 7 13 14 4—38
Simley 15 13 16 21—65Brant Larson 17
Endo Aranbarri 22Marshall 8 6 16 19—49
New Prague 17 20 13 13—63Matt Davis 19
Corey Sheplee 20Alexandria 17 17 6 16—56
Cloquet 12 7 8 16—43Ryan Nodlund 18
Steve Battaglia 16**Semi-Finals**Alexandria 19 6 13 12—50
Simley 17 9 13 12—51Nodlund 23
Brian Silk 23Minneapolis Roosevelt 15 7 10 25—57
New Prague 18 21 12 21—72Stacy Barrett, Donnie Groce 12
Brian Giesen 20-19 reb**3rd Place**

Minneapolis Roosevelt 60 Alexandria 57

Joe Mitchell, Roosevelt 19

ChampionshipNew Prague 13 8 12 14—47
Simley 16 20 9 16—61Giesen 20
Matt Stangl 26**Class AA Quarter-Final**Caledonia 20 20 17 14—71
Janesville-Wal.-Pem. 18 15 13 20—66Aaron Middendorf 21
Travis Hinze 23DeLaSalle 6 8 21 22—57
Redwood Valley 13 16 9 11—49Ben Johnson 25
David Homan 15Albany 15 15 14 13—57
Glencoe-Silver Lake 15 9 9 19—52Chris Nordmann 16
Jerad Huepenbecker 18

Staples-Motley 71 Crosby-Ironton 57

Dan Otteson, Staples-Motley 29

Semi-FinalsAlbany 12 4 13 15—44
Caledonia 19 23 11 12—65Neil Austin 14
Middendorf 22DeLaSalle 6 15 15 8 15 4—63 (2OT) Johnson 31
Staples-Motley 5 9 14 16 15 2—61 Erik Kelly 31**3rd Place**

Staples-Motley 78 Albany 53

Chris Heier, Staples-Motley 23/12 reb

Championship

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|-----------|----|----|----|-------|----------------------------|----|
| Caledonia | 29 | 6 | 25 | 9—69 | Middendorf | 45 |
| DeLaSalle | 4 | 13 | 11 | 19—47 | Johnson, Manos Kalaitzakis | 16 |

Class A Quarter-Final

| | | | | | | |
|--------------------|----|----|----|-------|-----------------------|----|
| Trinity | 14 | 16 | 20 | 14—64 | Mark Buri | 15 |
| Wabasso | 17 | 30 | 23 | 29—99 | Bob Moore | 32 |
| Cherry | 9 | 12 | 15 | 26—62 | Darin Miller | 19 |
| Red Lake | 11 | 16 | 10 | 28—65 | Gerald Kingbird | 22 |
| Hancock | 6 | 13 | 18 | 25—62 | Justin Thielke | 23 |
| Norman County West | 12 | 12 | 5 | 19—48 | Scott Hemberger | 18 |
| MN Valley Lutheran | 11 | 22 | 10 | 23—66 | Brandon Meyer | 22 |
| Rushford-Peterson | 10 | 16 | 20 | 16—62 | Ashley Johnson | 17 |

Semi-Finals

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|--------------------|----|----|----|-------|-------------|------------------|----|
| Hancock | 29 | 13 | 25 | 11—78 | Thielke | 22 | |
| MN Valley Lutheran | 11 | 12 | 12 | 11—46 | Meyer | 19 | |
| Wabasso | 29 | 24 | 28 | 24 | 12—117 (OT) | Derrick Jenniges | 31 |
| Red Lake | 23 | 24 | 15 | 43 | 8—113 | Kingbird | 37 |

3rd Place

| | | | | | |
|---------------------------|----|----------|----|-------|----|
| Minnesota Valley Lutheran | 97 | Red Lake | 60 | Meyer | 30 |
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Championship

| | | | | | | |
|---------|----|----|----|-------|---------|----|
| Hancock | 13 | 24 | 12 | 11—60 | Thielke | 24 |
| Wabasso | 25 | 10 | 13 | 10—58 | Moore | 16 |

The Stars

Champions Caledonia 29-0 Hancock 26-2 Minneapolis North 25-3 Simley 25-3

Coach of the Year Robin Ingram, Mpls. North

Khalid El-Amin, Mpls. North, G Class AAAA leader 84 pts, 3 games, 28 ppg

Aaron Middendorf, Caledonia, F Class AA leader 88 pts, 3 games, 29.3 ppg

Jared Nuness, Hopkins, G

Bobby Moore, Wabasso, G Class A leader 77 pts, 3 games, 25.67 ppg

Gerald Kingbird, Red Lake, G

All-tournament teams throughout the four-class era have consisted of 10 boys from each class.

Fun Facts Wabasso's 117-113 OT win over Red Lake was a sensation, setting records for most points by a winning team, a losing team and by both teams in a game; most field goals, most field goal attempts and most 3-point field goals; and most points in a quarter, 43 by Red Lake in its 4th quarter rally. Gerald Kingbird scored 13 points in the final minute for Red Lake. There were also 47 turnovers, but the MSHSL does not keep track of what it calls "negative records." Wabasso's 274 points in 3 games was also a new tournament record. Finally, Staples-Motley set a record by shooting 75.8 percent (25 of 33) from the field in its 71-57 quarter-final win over Crosby-Ironton.

1998

Class AAAA Quarter-Final

| | | | | |
|-------------------|----|----|----|-------|
| Minneapolis North | 17 | 11 | 10 | 17—55 |
| Mounds View | 11 | 17 | 16 | 10—54 |

Top Scorers

| | |
|--------------|----|
| Kerek Taylor | 17 |
| Nick Horvath | 22 |

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|--------------------------------|----|-------------------|----|-------|------------------------|
| Elk River | 13 | 17 | 13 | 22—65 | Chris Stimmler 22 |
| Minnetonka | 16 | 12 | 14 | 26—68 | Shane Schilling 22 |
| Eden Prairie | 15 | 20 | 15 | 26—76 | Ryan Iverson 20 |
| Moorhead | 17 | 16 | 18 | 15—66 | Mike Hagen 27 |
| Eagan | 18 | 13 | 18 | 25—74 | Kyle Stirminger 20 |
| Tartan | 11 | 19 | 12 | 17—59 | Jake Sullivan 27 |
| Semi-Finals | | | | | |
| Minneapolis North | 9 | 12 | 13 | 19—53 | Jerome Hubbard 26 |
| Minnetonka | 11 | 14 | 16 | 14—55 | Jake Kuppe 15 |
| Eagan | 19 | 17 | 19 | 23—78 | Anthony Scott 21 |
| Eden Prairie | 9 | 16 | 11 | 23—59 | Iverson 16 |
| 3rd Place | | | | | |
| Eden Prairie | 70 | Minneapolis North | 67 | | Chris Hartshorn, EP 25 |
| Championship | | | | | |
| Eagan | 12 | 11 | 18 | 16—57 | Scott 21 |
| Minnetonka | 17 | 17 | 15 | 16—65 | Schilling 26 |
| Class AAA Quarter-Final | | | | | |
| Totino-Grace | 16 | 15 | 19 | 21—71 | Darius Lane 30 |
| Worthington | 15 | 12 | 10 | 10—47 | Meyer 12 |
| Cloquet | 11 | 14 | 9 | 13—47 | Johnson 13 |
| Minneapolis Henry | 14 | 19 | 23 | 16—72 | Joe Shallenberger 16 |
| Monticello | 18 | 7 | 15 | 12—52 | Joel Przybilla 23 |
| Rocori | 12 | 21 | 10 | 4—47 | Dan Hondl 14 |
| Faribault | 9 | 8 | 12 | 11—40 | Brent Peroutka 11 |
| St. Thomas Academy | 8 | 14 | 12 | 19—53 | Ben Pearson 14 |
| Semi-Finals | | | | | |
| Monticello | 12 | 18 | 7 | 10—47 | Przybilla 19 |
| St. Thomas Academy | 20 | 12 | 9 | 18—59 | Pearson 25 |
| Minneapolis Henry | 9 | 15 | 12 | 24—60 | Mike Pettis 18 |
| Totino-Grace | 14 | 10 | 15 | 16—55 | Lane 30 |
| 3rd Place | | | | | |
| Totino-Grace | 66 | Monticello | 50 | | Lane 28 |
| Championship | | | | | |
| Minneapolis Henry | 12 | 12 | 16 | 9—49 | Pettis 13 |
| St. Thomas Academy | 12 | 14 | 17 | 17—60 | Kevin Fitzgerald 13 |
| Class AA Quarter-Final | | | | | |
| Kenyon-Wanamingo | 14 | 12 | 13 | 16—55 | Hans Sviggum 18 |
| Redwood Valley | 8 | 9 | 11 | 19—47 | Josh Preusse 19-12 reb |
| Long Prairie-Grey Eagle | 10 | 7 | 21 | 13—51 | John Drevlow 14 |

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|--------------------|----|----|----|-------|-----------------|
| Sauk Centre | 17 | 6 | 10 | 11—44 | Aaron Wills 18 |
| DeLaSalle | 15 | 9 | 13 | 20—57 | Ben Johnson 26 |
| Martin County West | 8 | 13 | 9 | 13—43 | Tony Taylor 27 |
| Crosby-Ironton | 13 | 14 | 23 | 19—69 | Reid Kuschel 27 |
| Sibley East | 15 | 25 | 10 | 24—74 | Chad Henke 24 |

Semi-Finals

| | | | | | |
|-------------------------|----|----|----|-------|------------|
| Kenyon-Wanamingo | 14 | 13 | 14 | 9—50 | Sviggum 13 |
| Long Prairie-Grey Eagle | 13 | 17 | 10 | 13—53 | Drevlow 14 |
| DeLaSalle | 18 | 20 | 17 | 20—75 | Johnson 25 |
| Sibley East | 10 | 10 | 14 | 10—44 | Sauter 12 |

3rd Place

Sibley East 65 Kenyon-Wanamingo 50 Lucas Uecker, Sibley East 18

Championship

| | | | | | |
|-------------------------|----|----|----|-------|------------------------|
| DeLaSalle | 12 | 12 | 18 | 11—52 | Johnson 35 |
| Long Prairie-Grey Eagle | 14 | 12 | 20 | 6—51 | Drevlow, Sam Poegel 13 |

Class A Quarter-Final

| | | | | | |
|-----------------------|----|----|----|--------------|-----------------------------|
| Central MN Christian | 6 | 9 | 18 | 12—45 | Ryks 13 |
| Rushford-Peterson | 20 | 11 | 11 | 16—58 | Jamie Carrier 17 |
| Norman County East | 15 | 20 | 16 | 13 5—69 (OT) | John Gullingsrud 26 |
| Red Lake | 14 | 18 | 17 | 15 1—65 | Gerald Kingbird 22 |
| Maple Lake | 7 | 10 | 13 | 18—48 | Jason Manuel 10 |
| Sleepy Eye St. Mary's | 16 | 14 | 17 | 23—70 | Judd Walter 22-13 reb |
| Carlton | 11 | 21 | 14 | 19—65 | Tim Moench, Sam Pearsall 20 |
| Hancock | 8 | 13 | 11 | 20—52 | Ryan Jepma, Tony Thielke 20 |

Semi-Finals

| | | | | | |
|-----------------------|----|----|----|-------|------------------|
| Norman County East | 16 | 12 | 10 | 19—57 | Gullingsrud 20 |
| Rushford-Peterson | 16 | 11 | 13 | 14—54 | Carrier 28 |
| Carlton | 10 | 12 | 19 | 22—63 | Pearsall 21 |
| Sleepy Eye St. Mary's | 12 | 14 | 12 | 9—47 | Walter 15-14 reb |

3rd Place

Rushford-Peterson 64 Sleepy Eye St. Mary's 47 Jamie Carrier, RP 18

Championship

| | | | | | |
|--------------------|----|----|----|-------|---------------------|
| Carlton | 17 | 4 | 15 | 12—48 | Pearsall, Wilson 12 |
| Norman County East | 17 | 12 | 21 | 25—75 | Kyle Olson 16 |

The Stars

Champions W-L- Norman County East (Twin Valley) 27-2 Minnetonka 25-2 DeLaSalle 24-3 St. Thomas Academy 22-6

Coach of the Year John Hedstrom, Minnetonka

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| Darius Lane, Totino Grace, F | Class AAA leader 88 pts, 3 games, 29.3 ppg |
| Shane Schilling, Minnetonka, F | Class AAAA leader 62 pts, 3 games, 20.7 ppg |
| Ben Johnson, DeLaSalle, F-G | Class AA leader 86 pts, 3 games, 28.7 ppg |

Ben Pearson, St. Thomas, F
 Anthony Scott, Eagan, G

Fun Fact When the two-class tournament was adopted in 1971 it was because small town teams could no longer compete with the powerhouses of the Lake Conference, who had won eight single class titles from 1952 to 1968. Ironically, no Lake Conference other than Bloomington Jefferson won another title until Minnetonka in 1998. Minnetonka's title marked the beginning of another period of dominance by Lake and/or former Lake Conference schools over the following 20 years.

1999

Class AAAA Quarter-Final

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|-------------|----|----|----|-------|
| Eagan | 10 | 12 | 11 | 19—52 |
| Mounds View | 14 | 23 | 14 | 19—70 |

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|-------------------|----|----|----|-------|
| Minneapolis North | 20 | 11 | 17 | 13—61 |
| Tartan | 12 | 13 | 6 | 22—53 |

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|------------|----|----|----|-------|
| Minnetonka | 29 | 20 | 16 | 20—85 |
| Moorhead | 12 | 15 | 18 | 20—65 |

| | | | | |
|-------------|----|----|----|-------|
| Forest Lake | 13 | 13 | 15 | 18—59 |
| Hopkins | 11 | 22 | 11 | 20—64 |

Top Scorers

Chad Virgin 23
Nick Horvath 28

Tedkye Bellfield 16
 Jake Sullivan 26

Shane Schilling 26
 Johnson 16

Hegseth 20
 Jeff Mailhot 23

Semi-Finals

| | | | | |
|-------------------|----|----|----|-------|
| Minneapolis North | 12 | 11 | 6 | 22—51 |
| Mounds View | 22 | 7 | 11 | 21—61 |

Bellfield 16
 Horvath 18-14 reb

| | | | | |
|------------|----|----|----|-------|
| Hopkins | 9 | 14 | 13 | 16—52 |
| Minnetonka | 13 | 10 | 18 | 22—63 |

Mike DeWane 11
 Schilling 26

3rd Place

Hopkins 63 Minneapolis North 47

Lamar Wright, North 15

Championship

| | | | | |
|-------------|----|----|----|-------|
| Minnetonka | 14 | 21 | 15 | 14—64 |
| Mounds View | 12 | 25 | 12 | 20—69 |

Adam Boone 26
 Horvath 31

Class AAA Quarter-Final

| | | | | |
|----------------|----|----|----|-------|
| North St. Paul | 15 | 20 | 18 | 18—71 |
| Red Wing | 15 | 11 | 13 | 14—53 |

Josh Klem 18
 Riegelman 16

| | | | | |
|------------------------|----|----|----|-------|
| Mankato East | 19 | 12 | 10 | 26—67 |
| St. Paul Highland Park | 14 | 21 | 20 | 25—80 |

Ben Kaus 20
 Moe Hargrow, Mark Wingo 19

| | | | | | |
|-------------------|----|----|----|----|-----------|
| Minneapolis Henry | 19 | 4 | 12 | 16 | 6—57 |
| Rocori | 7 | 12 | 12 | 20 | 9—60 (OT) |

Marcus Jackson 19
 Jason Kron 28

| | | | | |
|-------------|----|----|----|-------|
| Monticello | 17 | 15 | 14 | 18—64 |
| St. Francis | 6 | 16 | 10 | 20—52 |

Shawn McGuire 18
 Corey Guenther 19

Semi-Finals

| | | | | |
|------------------------|----|----|----|-------|
| North St. Paul | 12 | 5 | 13 | 24—54 |
| St. Paul Highland Park | 20 | 13 | 10 | 28—71 |

Bergstrom 15
 Thomas Miley 18

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|------------|---|---|---|-------|
| Monticello | 9 | 8 | 9 | 12—38 |
|------------|---|---|---|-------|

McGuire 10

Rocori 18 15 17 18—68 Steve Kron, Neil Thelen, Rocori 17

3rd Place

North St. Paul 64 Monticello 61 Shawn McGuire 18/10 reb

Championship

Rocori 14 6 15 13—48 Jason Kron 21-11 reb
St. Paul Highland Park 19 11 8 18—56 Wingo 17

Class AA Quarter-Final

DeLaSalle 14 10 13 12—49 Ben Johnson 22
Rochester Lourdes 12 11 6 3—32 Good 10

Belle Plaine 18 14 13 13 12—70 (OT) Daron Anderson 24
Belview-Danube-SH 10 16 19 13 5—63 Ryan Hebrink, Phil Westby 16

Long Prairie-Grey Eagle 11 9 14 11—45 Steve Ruda 20
Watertown-Mayer 11 13 11 21—56 Wade Hokenson 15

Crosby-Ironton 9 13 11 13—46 Reid Kuschel 21
St. Cloud Cathedral 14 11 11 22—58 Matt Meyer 15

Semi-Finals

Belle Plaine 11 16 10 23—60 Drew Carlson 30
DeLaSalle 15 18 14 17—64 Johnson 32

St. Cloud Cathedral 12 6 23 17—58 Meyer 16
Watertown-Mayer 24 16 30 17—87 Derek Boll 22

3rd Place

Belle Plaine 76 St. Cloud Cathedral 63 Daron Anderson, Belle Plaine 27

Championship

DeLaSalle 17 10 10 13—50 Johnson 15
Watertown-Mayer 13 10 5 12—44 Dustin Eggers 13

Class A Quarter-Final

Bethany 10 12 18 12—52 B. Wiersma 17
Rushford-Peterson 17 23 22 10—72 Jeff O'Donnell, Brad Gorder 22

Southwest MN Christian 18 12 17 19—66 Tyler Schelhaas 19
New Ulm Cathedral 6 5 16 15—42 Will Moeller 11

Fergus Falls Hillcrest 16 8 13 31—68 Nick Hanson 23
Red Lake 13 8 14 16—51 Delwyn Holthusen 23-14 reb

Barnesville 14 11 10 12—47 Jerger 16
Carlton 14 11 13 11—49 Joe Bahen 20

Semi-Finals

Southwest MN Christian 13 15 10 19—57 Cody Kuipers 16
Rushford-Peterson 14 14 8 13—49 Neil Anderson 15

Carlton 9 12 8 21—50 Sam Pearsall 12
Fergus Falls Hillcrest 11 18 15 18—62 Hanson 22

3rd Place

Carlton 61 Rushford-Peterson 48

O'Donnell 17

Championship

Fergus Falls Hillcrest 19 8 14 9—50

Dan Scheid 21

Southwest MN Christian 18 10 14 21—63

Robbie Holleman 15 Kuipers 15-11 reb

The Stars**Champions W-L-** Edgerton Southwest Christian 27-1 St. Paul Highland Park 27-2 DeLaSalle 24-3 Mounds View 24-3**Coach of the Year** Ziggy Kauls, Mounds View

Nick Horvath, Mounds View, C

Class AAAA leader 77 pts, 3 games, 25.7 ppg

Ben Johnson, DeLaSalle, G

Class AA leader 69 pts, 3 games, 23 ppg

Shane Schilling, Minnetonka, F

Jason Kron, Rocori, F

Class AAA leader 61 pts, 3 games, 20.3 ppg

Mark Wingo, St. Paul Highland Park

Fun Fact Mark Wingo of St. Paul Highland Park was the leading scorer for the AAA state champion, yet he was left off of the all-tournament team. As such, he was the fifth player to experience such a snub. His predecessors were Matt Turk, Aurora (1923); Harry Franz, Mountain Lake (1939); Bob Freund, Minneapolis Roosevelt (1956) and Bo Vanman, Wayzata (1959).

2000**Class AAAA Quarter-Final****Top Scorers**

Apple Valley 10 12 12 24—58

Kyle George 19

St. Paul Central 11 10 10 21—52

Ellis 16

Bloomington Jefferson 14 14 17 18—63

Anderson 15

Tartan 16 19 21 19—75

Jake Sullivan 28

Maple Grove 12 12 10 22—56

Brent Lawson 16

White Bear Lake 12 12 15 13—52

Jeff Halbert 23

Moorhead 12 16 20 16—63

Steve Grosen 22

St. Francis 14 9 12 14—49

Nick Byl, Corey Guenther 12

Semi-Finals

Apple Valley 12 12 21 11—56

Matt Smruga 15

Tartan 19 15 18 28—80

Sullivan 26

Maple Grove 23 16 21 14—74

Lawson 27

Moorhead 14 16 18 10—58

Sven Grosen 15

3rd Place

Moorhead 60 Apple Valley 55

Birmingham, M 21 Smruga, AV 20

Championship

Maple Grove 12 11 14 14—51

Brent Lawson 19

Tartan 11 13 20 18—62

Jake Sullivan 28

Class AAA Quarter-Final

Mankato East 23 8 9 13 8—61 (OT)

Ben Kaus 29

Red Wing 13 7 14 19 4—57

Jed Riegelman 19

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|--------------------|----|----|----|-------|--------------------------|
| St. Thomas Academy | 16 | 16 | 7 | 24—63 | Vern Simmons 16 |
| Shakopee | 8 | 8 | 13 | 18—47 | Theis 14 |
| Minneapolis Henry | 19 | 19 | 26 | 23—87 | Tony Travis 18 |
| Totino-Grace | 10 | 4 | 19 | 15—48 | Nick Schader 13 |
| Alexandria | 10 | 7 | 30 | 24—71 | Andrew Beliveau 21 |
| Cloquet | 20 | 16 | 15 | 25—76 | Mike Johnson, Cloquet 31 |

Semi-Finals

| | | | | | |
|--------------------|----|----|----|-------|------------------------|
| Cloquet | 7 | 8 | 16 | 15—46 | Mike Johnson 25-12 reb |
| Minneapolis Henry | 15 | 22 | 18 | 20—75 | Greg Patton 17 |
| Mankato East | 20 | 18 | 14 | 16—68 | Bryan Wolle 25 |
| St. Thomas Academy | 12 | 27 | 9 | 22—70 | Vern Simmons 17 |

3rd Place

| | |
|----------------------------|--------------------------|
| Cloquet 88 Mankato East 76 | Mike Johnson, Cloquet 41 |
|----------------------------|--------------------------|

Championship

| | | | | | |
|--------------------|----|----|----|-------|----------------|
| Minneapolis Henry | 11 | 10 | 17 | 21—59 | Tony Travis 14 |
| St. Thomas Academy | 3 | 23 | 5 | 14—42 | Joe Thomas 14 |

Class AA Quarter-Final

| | | | | | |
|-------------------------|----|----|----|-------|--|
| DeLaSalle | 16 | 12 | 10 | 15—55 | Alan Anderson 15 |
| Redwood Valley | 10 | 15 | 11 | 16—52 | Aaron Busack 20 |
| Rochester Lourdes | 13 | 13 | 8 | 15—49 | Dan Bresnahan 16 |
| Waterville-Ely.-Morris. | 12 | 13 | 4 | 21—50 | Gabe Hauer 25 |
| Litchfield | 18 | 16 | 22 | 28—84 | Alex Carlson, John Carlson, Mike Patten 19 |
| St. Cloud Cathedral | 10 | 8 | 6 | 17—41 | Karn 11 |
| International Falls | 3 | 14 | 7 | 10—34 | Geoff Dowty 14 |
| Staples-Motley | 15 | 19 | 16 | 18—68 | Dustin Hjelmeland 22 |

Semi-Finals

| | | | | | |
|-------------------------|----|----|----|-------|----------------------------------|
| DeLaSalle | 16 | 8 | 4 | 18—46 | Alan Anderson 18 |
| Waterville-Ely.-Morris. | 15 | 9 | 13 | 14—51 | Gabe Hauer 21 |
| Litchfield | 13 | 15 | 17 | 14—59 | Alex Carlson 23 |
| Staples-Motley | 10 | 10 | 11 | 14—45 | Dustin Hjelmeland, Tim Rutten 12 |

3rd Place

| | |
|--------------------------------|------------------------|
| DeLaSalle 63 Staples-Motley 48 | Dominique Sims, DLS 17 |
|--------------------------------|------------------------|

Championship

| | | | | | |
|-------------------------|----|----|---|-------|-----------|
| Litchfield | 3 | 15 | 7 | 17—42 | Patten 16 |
| Waterville-Ely.-Morris. | 11 | 4 | 8 | 5—28 | Hauer 12 |

Class A Quarter-Final

| | | | | | |
|------------------------|----|----|----|-------|--------------------|
| LeCenter | 8 | 4 | 12 | 18—42 | A. Schmidt 11 |
| Rushford-Peterson | 13 | 13 | 14 | 17—57 | Josh Rasmussen 17 |
| Mayer Lutheran | 8 | 5 | 12 | 20—45 | Brinkman 14 |
| Southwest MN Christian | 14 | 9 | 12 | 24—59 | Robbie Holleman 29 |

| | | | | | |
|------------|----|----|----|-------|--------------------------------|
| Hawley | 9 | 15 | 8 | 10—42 | Passanante 11 |
| Ortonville | 13 | 13 | 16 | 7—49 | Jordan Botker, Ross Wiegman 10 |

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|--------------------|----|----|----|-------|--------------------|
| Mountain Iron-Buhl | 15 | 11 | 21 | 20—67 | Lee Cvar 27 |
| Win-E-Mac | 15 | 22 | 19 | 25—81 | Stephen Bradley 35 |

Semi-Finals

| | | | | | |
|------------------------|----|----|----|-------|-------------------|
| Southwest MN Christian | 12 | 12 | 11 | 16—51 | Holleman 21 |
| Rushford-Peterson | 8 | 4 | 13 | 12—37 | Jeff O'Donnell 12 |

| | | | | | |
|------------|----|----|----|-------|-------------------|
| Ortonville | 13 | 9 | 15 | 30—67 | Pete Ross 16 |
| Win-E-Mac | 12 | 20 | 17 | 21—70 | Matt Tradewell 20 |

3rd Place

| | | |
|----------------------|---------------|---------------------------------|
| Rushford-Peterson 54 | Ortonville 43 | Adam Thorson, Rushford-Pete. 17 |
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Championship

| | | | | | |
|------------------------|----|----|----|-------|---------------|
| Southwest MN Christian | 20 | 20 | 15 | 17—72 | Mike Pater 17 |
| Win-E-Mac | 9 | 15 | 8 | 29—61 | Bradley 29 |

The Stars

Champions Litchfield 29-0 Minneapolis Patrick Henry 28-1 Edgerton Southwest Christian 27-1 Tartan 26-1

Coach of the Year John Carlson, Litchfield

Jake Sullivan, Tartan, G

Mike Johnson, Cloquet, F

Alex Carlson, Litchfield, G

Gabe Hauer, Waterville-EM, F

Steven Bradley, Win-E-Mac, F

Class AAAA leader 82 pts, 3 games, 27.3 ppg

Class AAA leader 97 pts, 3 games, 32.3 ppg

Class AA leader 58 pts, 3 games, 19.3 ppg

Class A leader 80 pts, 3 games, 26.7 ppg

Fun Facts Litchfield clobbered Tartan 74-49 in a holiday tournament game, so 2000 was one of those rare years in which the Class AAAA champion was not the state's best team. Just as Minnetonka's 1998 title kicked off another era of dominance by western suburbs, Mounds View's 1999 title followed by Tartan's Class AAAA title in 2000 marked the end of an era of dominance by the eastern suburbs. Beginning with Mounds View's previous title in 1972 and continuing with Anoka titles in 1973 and 1981, and additional titles by Woodbury in 1983, and by White Bear in 1984 and 1985. Perhaps this was the end of the eastern suburban era, but between 1985 and 1999, Cretin won a pair of titles, St. Agnes one and St. Paul Highland one title. Then Mounds View and Tartan won those titles in 1999 and 2000. This surely was the end, as the years after 2000 have seen as total of 43 state titles won by Minneapolis and western suburban schools and just 3 (St. Thomas 2007, St. Paul Johnson 2010 and Cretin 2018) in the east.

2001

Class AAAA Quarter-Final

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|-------------|----|---|----|-------|
| Duluth East | 18 | 8 | 12 | 13—51 |
| Irondale | 9 | 6 | 13 | 9—37 |

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|--------|----|----|----|-------|
| Eagan | 13 | 13 | 9 | 19—54 |
| Tartan | 17 | 15 | 18 | 20—70 |

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|-----------------------|----|----|----|-------|
| Bloomington Jefferson | 9 | 8 | 18 | 15—47 |
| Cretin-Derham Hall | 18 | 12 | 18 | 15—63 |

Top Scorers

Rick Rickert 27-12 reb
Alex Skaja 16

Harlson 16
Erik Crawford 25

Brown 15
Joe Mauer 26-10 reb

| | | |
|-----------|----------------|-----------------|
| Elk River | 8 21 15 17—61 | Matt Annen 18 |
| Osseo | 20 17 22 23—82 | Kennan Jones 22 |

Semi-Finals

| | | |
|-------------|----------------|-------------|
| Duluth East | 13 15 18 18—58 | Rickert 37 |
| Tartan | 11 15 12 18—56 | Crawford 20 |

| | | |
|--------------------|----------------|---------------|
| Cretin-Derham Hall | 20 29 12 21—82 | Mauer 25 |
| Osseo | 21 18 25 24—88 | Bryan Foss 29 |

3rd Place

Cretin-Derham Hall 88 Tartan 85 (3OT) Crawford, Tartan 37; Mauer, Cretin 31

Championship

| | | |
|-------------|----------------|------------|
| Duluth East | 11 14 13 10—48 | Rickert 26 |
| Osseo | 18 14 14 27—73 | Jones 25 |

Class AAA Quarter-Final

| | | |
|--------------|----------------|-----------------------|
| North Branch | 16 3 16 15—50 | Johnson 19 |
| Rocori | 17 16 16 21—70 | Neil Thomes 29-12 reb |

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|--------------------|----------------|----------------|
| Red Wing | 14 11 12 13—50 | Goetz 12 |
| St. Thomas Academy | 13 15 19 20—67 | Carl Spande 22 |

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|----------|----------------|--------------|
| Marshall | 16 28 16 6—56 | Bredeson 16 |
| Shakopee | 10 17 23 19—69 | Tim Theis 21 |

| | | |
|-------------------|----------------|-----------------|
| Duluth Denfeld | 17 14 13 11—55 | Sean Seaman 25 |
| Minneapolis Henry | 15 19 10 22—66 | Zerek Knight 22 |

Semi-Finals

| | | |
|--------------------|--------------------|-------------------|
| Rocori | 15 6 12 6 6—45 | Willenbring 15 |
| St. Thomas Academy | 19 7 8 5 9—48 (OT) | Mike Dahlstrom 15 |

| | | |
|-------------------|----------------|-----------------|
| Minneapolis Henry | 18 19 15 15—67 | Terry Pettis 15 |
| Shakopee | 8 14 8 22—52 | Theis 15 |

3rd Place

Rocori 47 Shakopee 39 Theis, Shakopee 17

Championship

| | | |
|--------------------|----------------|-----------------|
| Minneapolis Henry | 24 17 18 15—74 | Zerek Knight 15 |
| St. Thomas Academy | 13 19 18 11—61 | Carl Spande 20 |

Class AA Quarter-Final

| | | |
|------------------|----------------|--------------|
| Kenyon-Wanamingo | 14 10 15 15—54 | Joe Evert 13 |
| Minnewaska Area | 11 2 10 9—32 | Hoeper 9 |

| | | |
|----------------|---------------|----------------|
| Becker | 8 2 7 14—31 | Posthumus 18 |
| Staples-Motley | 10 8 17 21—56 | Jeff Brever 19 |

| | | |
|-----------|---------------|-----------------|
| DeLaSalle | 3 11 8 14—36 | Penny 9 |
| Hayfield | 6 15 13 15—49 | Aaron Tempel 13 |

Glencoe-Silver Lake 66 Pine River-Backus 61 Nic Adrian, Glencoe 20

Semi-Finals

Kenyon-Wanamingo 47 Staples-Motley 28
 Hayfield 42 Glencoe-Silver Lake 41

Brett Lurken, Kenyon 20
 Jon Severson, Hayfield 14

3rd Place

Staples-Motley 48 Glencoe-Silver Lake 42

Jon Adrian, Glencoe 19

Championship

Hayfield 7 7 8 8—30
 Kenyon-Wanamingo 16 12 10 15—53

Korey Holtan 12
 Brett Lurken 17

Class A Quarter-Final

Cass Lake-Bena 13 18 15 14—60
 Fertile-Beltrami 7 13 6 17—43

Roman Brown 16
 Dustin Neibauer 19

Southwest MN Christian 8 16 7 17—48
 Rushford-Peterson 12 8 11 7—38

Jeff Schaap 11
 Josh Rasmussen 13

Christ's Household 19 11 18 12—60
 Mankato Loyola 12 13 12 12—49

Isaac Bratzel 22
 Truc Ho 15

Ely 6 11 9 7—33
 Fergus Falls Hillcrest 8 11 14 11—44

Peterson 14-13 reb
 Nick Hanson 14-10 reb

Semi-Finals

Cass Lake-Bena 7 14 8 14—43
 Southwest MN Christian 15 12 13 16—56

Brown 17
 Schaap 18-15 reb

Christ's Household 9 14 14 20—57
 Hillcrest Lutheran 13 8 22 9—52

James Sarbacker 16
 Rogness 19

3rd Place

Hillcrest Lutheran 65 Cass Lake-Bena 58

Brown 22

Championship

Christ's Household 12 11 15 17—55
 Southwest MN Christian 15 19 14 17—65

Neal Harms 17
 Schaap 22-14 reb

The Stars

Champions Osseo 30-1 Mpls. Patrick Henry 28-2 Kenyon-Wanamingo 28-3 Edgerton Southwest Christian 25-4

Coach of the Year Larry McKenzie, Mpls. Patrick Henry

Rick Rickert, Duluth East, C

Class AAAA leader 90 pts, 3 games, 30 ppg

Zach Kiekow, Osseo, G

Erik Crawford, Tartan, F

Joe Mauer, Cretin-Derham Hall, G

Zerek Knight, Mpls. Henry, F

Fun Fact Like 2000 champion Minneapolis Patrick Henry, Osseo's 2001 state champion also lost just one game, and that one loss was to nationally #1 rated Oak Hill, Virginia.

2002**Class AAAA Quarter-Final**

Bloomington Jefferson 10 15 7 18—50

Top Scorers

Brian Sykora 23

| | | |
|--------------------------------------|----------------------------------|-------------------------------------|
| Rochester Century | 6 11 12 16—45 | Brown 16 |
| Minneapolis North Tartan | 12 15 11 16—54 15 10 9 8—42 | Burgess 16 Will Turner 17 |
| Hopkins Moorhead | 28 9 16 13—66 16 13 20 9—58 | Darren Clarke 27 Behrens 21 |
| Mounds View Osseo | 11 11 13 7—42 13 7 13 11—44 | Alex Weaver 14 Bryan Foss 12 |
| Semi-Finals | | |
| Bloomington Jefferson Mpls. North | 6 20 12 11—49 14 10 7 6—37 | Sykora 20 Burgess 9 |
| Hopkins Osseo | 13 19 21 18—71 12 11 15 20—58 | Kris Humphries 30-18 reb Foss 24 |

3rd Place

Mpls. North 65 Osseo 59
Bryan Foss, Osseo 21

Championship

Bloomington Jefferson 12 8 8 12—40
Hopkins 15 9 10 20—54
Sykora 15
Humphries 20

Class AAA Quarter-Final

| | | |
|---------------------------------|----------------------------------|--|
| Red Wing Shakopee | 8 24 22 35—57 7 6 6 25—44 | Tait Plaas 13 S. Theis 13 |
| Hill-Murray Waseca | 15 11 12 8—46 7 13 14 15—49 | Travis Whipple 16 Jeff Roemhildt 14 |
| Alexandria Minneapolis Henry | 12 17 10 17—56 16 17 22 21—76 | Eckhoff 13 Terry Pettis 27 |
| Fridley Grand Rapids | 15 5 10 17—47 6 18 23 17—64 | Shelby 14 Eric Webb 21 |

Semi-Finals

| | | |
|-----------------------------|----------------------------------|---------------------------------|
| Red Wing Waseca | 19 20 16 16—71 10 16 11 22—59 | Aaron Motz 17 Roemhildt 22 |
| Grand Rapids Mpls. Henry | 10 8 15 13—46 14 22 25 14—75 | Flood 9 Lawrence McKenzie 21 |

3rd Place

Grand Rapids 81 Waseca 70
Eric Webb, Grand Rapids 27

Championship

Minneapolis Henry 17 13 14 17—61
Red Wing 11 21 4 8—44
McKenzie 12
Plaas 12

Class AA Quarter-Final

| | | |
|--------------------------------|----------------------------------|---------------------------------|
| Holy Angels Lewiston-Altura | 13 17 17 14—61 10 21 17 22—70 | Boerboom 14 David Zellman 36 |
|--------------------------------|----------------------------------|---------------------------------|

| | | | | | |
|----------------|----|----|----|-------|------------------|
| Redwood Valley | 13 | 7 | 16 | 15—51 | Aaron Busack 13 |
| Waterville-EM | 14 | 16 | 3 | 10—43 | John Kunelius 21 |

| | | | | | |
|------------|---|---|----|-------|---------------------|
| Bagley | 6 | 8 | 11 | 15—40 | Matt Hoie 14-12 reb |
| Litchfield | 8 | 9 | 8 | 22—47 | Patten 11 |

| | | | | | |
|-------------------------|----|---|----|-------|--------------------|
| Duluth Marshall | 8 | 6 | 14 | 8—36 | Dan Baumgartner 15 |
| Long Prairie-Grey Eagle | 12 | 6 | 15 | 20—53 | Matt Siegle 13 |

Semi-Finals

| | | | | | |
|-----------------|----|----|----|-------|------------|
| Lewiston-Altura | 10 | 20 | 8 | 12—50 | Zellman 18 |
| Redwood Valley | 4 | 11 | 16 | 12—43 | Busack 16 |

| | | | | | |
|-------------------------|---|----|----|-------|----------------------------|
| Litchfield | 8 | 12 | 11 | 12—43 | John Carlson, Hans Hoeg 12 |
| Long Prairie-Grey Eagle | 0 | 6 | 12 | 7—25 | Siegle 13 |

3rd Place

Redwood Valley 48 Long Prairie-Gr. Eagle 34 Yrjo, RV; Siegle, LP 14

Championship

| | | | | | |
|-----------------|----|----|----|-------|------------|
| Lewiston-Altura | 12 | 13 | 3 | 23—51 | Zellman 20 |
| Litchfield | 12 | 14 | 10 | 25—62 | Euerle 19 |

Class A Quarter-Final

| | | | | | |
|-----------------------|----|----|----|------|-------------------|
| Faribault Bethlehem | 19 | 16 | 9 | 7—51 | Angell 15 |
| Howard Lake-Wav.-Win. | 16 | 16 | 12 | 9—53 | Derek Swedberg 17 |

| | | | | | |
|------------------------|----|----|----|-------|----------------|
| Mankato Loyola | 20 | 5 | 16 | 20—51 | Truc Ho 14 |
| Southwest MN Christian | 12 | 12 | 12 | 20—57 | Jeff Schaap 14 |

| | | | | | |
|------------|----|----|----|-------|------------------|
| Ortonville | 14 | 14 | 13 | 24—65 | Nate Thompson 19 |
| Red Lake | 17 | 11 | 11 | 15—54 | Nadeau 17 |

| | | | | | |
|-------------|----|----|----|-------|----------------|
| Cook County | 10 | 9 | 10 | 10—39 | Donek 13 |
| Pillager | 11 | 14 | 9 | 18—52 | Lee Roberts 21 |

Semi-Finals

| | | | | | |
|------------------------|----|----|----|-------|-----------------|
| Howard Lake-Wav.-Win. | 10 | 8 | 13 | 21—52 | Wynnemer 15 |
| Southwest MN Christian | 6 | 19 | 16 | 16—57 | Ross Reitsma 16 |

| | | | | | |
|------------|----|----|----|-------|--|
| Ortonville | 8 | 14 | 14 | 25—61 | T. Rademacher, P. Ross, N. Thompson 15 |
| Pillager | 12 | 14 | 11 | 15—52 | Roberts 18 |

3rd Place

Howard Lk.-Waverly-Winsted 52 Pillager 47 Brad Wynnemer, HLWW 16

Championship

| | | | | | |
|------------------------|----|----|----|-------|---------------|
| Ortonville | 16 | 10 | 24 | 6—56 | Ross 19 |
| Southwest MN Christian | 5 | 20 | 15 | 26—66 | Dan DeWitt 21 |

The Stars

Champions W-L- Litchfield 30-2 Hopkins 28-2 Edgerton Southwest Christian 27-2 Mpls. Patrick Henry 29-4

Coach of the Year Larry McKenzie, Mpls. Patrick Henry

Kris Humphries, Hopkins, F

David Zellman, Lewiston-Altura, G

Class AAAA leader 67 pts, 3 games, 23.3 ppg

Class AA leader 74 pts, 3 games, 24.7 ppg

Lawrence McKenzie, Mpls. Henry, G
 Brian Sykora, Bloomington Jefferson, C
 John Carlson, Litchfield, F

Fun Facts Southwest Minnesota Christian was the first team to four-peat in the MSHSL tournament. DeLaSalle and Minnehaha each did it in the now-defunct Catholic and Independent tournaments.

2003

Class AAAA Quarter-Final

Hopkins 11 16 16 21—64
 Mounds View 13 13 7 12—45

Minneapolis North 18 8 16 14—56
 Rochester JM 5 15 11 10—41

Elk River 19 11 19 17—66
 Osseo 20 17 18 16—71

Eden Prairie 14 14 10 23—61
 Tartan 15 20 11 17—63

Top Scorers

Kris Humphries 27
 Bobby Harris 10

Burgess 13
 Longar Longar 23

Matt Annen 27
 Jesse Becker 23

Nuness 18
 Urule Igbavboa 23

Semi-Finals

Hopkins 7 17 17 16—57
 Mpls. North 13 15 19 23—70

Humphries 25
 Kammron Taylor 26

Osseo 20 9 8 11—48
 Tartan 8 8 13 17—46

Lonnie Robinson 16-12 reb
 Igbavboa 14

3rd Place

Hopkins 77 Tartan 50

D. Clarke, K. Humphries, Hopkins 20

Championship

Minneapolis North 14 23 14 11 4 16—82 (2OT)
 Osseo 20 17 15 10 4 7—73

James Davis 26
 Ryan Meissner 16

Class AAA Quarter-Finals

Minneapolis Henry 15 29 15 17—76
 Totino-Grace 19 12 10 14—55

Lawrence McKenzie 19
 Pat Wotta 23

Red Wing 59 Mankato East 48

Grand Rapids 17 20 21 10—68
 Sauk Rapids-Rice 16 20 20 15—71

Eric Webb 31
 Jeff Hille 23

St. Paul Como Park 9 4 4 16—33
 Shakopee 0 3 8 11—22

Andre Smith 12
 Scott Theis 14

Semi-Finals

Minneapolis Henry 23 15 6 15—59
 Red Wing 8 17 7 22—54

Walter Power 17
 Pat Herzog 15

St. Paul Como Park 10 12 15 8—45
 Sauk Rapids-Rice 15 14 6 13—48

Smith 22
 John Botz, Hille 15

3rd Place

| | | |
|-----------------------|-------------|----------|
| St. Paul Como Park 50 | Red Wing 38 | Smith 20 |
|-----------------------|-------------|----------|

Championship

| | | |
|-------------------|---------------|---------------------------|
| Minneapolis Henry | 21 15 25 8—69 | McKenzie, Calvin Walls 20 |
| Sauk Rapids-Rice | 18 16 13 8—55 | Hille 21 |

Class AA Quarter-Final

| | | |
|-----------------|-----------------------|---------------------|
| Litchfield | 15 19 13 15—62 | Hans Hoeg 23 |
| Milaca | 2 14 12 13—41 | Eri Bergstrom 12 |
| St. James | 15 14 11 16 5—61 | Tyler Kaus 22 |
| Zumbota-Mazeppa | 10 15 17 14 7—63 (OT) | Josh Hinsch 23 |
| DeLaSalle | 18 10 10 14—52 | Jadee Jones 18 |
| Pipestone | 12 16 10 12—50 | Scott Vanderpoel 18 |
| Esko | 15 19 18 17—69 | Erickson 17 |
| Pelican Rapids | 6 10 18 8—44 | Casey Restad 20 |

Semi-Finals

| | | |
|-------------------|----------------|--------------------------|
| Litchfield | 15 12 18 15—60 | Joe Patten 19 |
| Zumbrotta-Mazeppa | 10 11 9 14—44 | Hinsch 16 |
| DeLaSalle | 16 6 15 10—47 | Jones, Richard Rucker 15 |
| Esko | 2 10 13 13—38 | Limitainen 11 |

3rd Place

| | | |
|----------------------|---------|--------------------------------------|
| Zumbrotta-Mazeppa 60 | Esko 45 | G. Erickson, Esko; T. McAthie, ZM 19 |
|----------------------|---------|--------------------------------------|

Championship

| | | |
|------------|----------------|-----------------|
| DeLaSalle | 7 9 5 12—33 | Jones 12 |
| Litchfield | 17 13 10 11—51 | John Carlson 20 |

Class A Quarter-Finals

| | | |
|--------------------|---------------------------|---------------------------------|
| Hancock | 11 12 14 7 10—54 (OT) | Berget 15 |
| Ulen-Hitterdal | 10 14 12 8 7—51 | Jordan Grafsgaard 16 |
| Mankato Loyola | 18 18 16 17—69 | Truc Ho 26 |
| Trinity | 12 26 11 3—52 | Favero, Ficker 13 |
| Ellsworth | 14 10 15 18 4 15—76 (2OT) | Curt Schilling 34 |
| New Life | 17 10 15 15 4 5—66 | Holmgren 18 |
| Cook County | 14 8 10 14—46 | Corey Hudler 16 |
| Red Lake | 14 14 12 24—64 | Bailey 13 |
| Semi-Finals | | |
| Hancock | 9 8 10 22—49 | Stettner 14 |
| Mankato Loyola | 15 25 16 18—74 | Tyler Westman 26 |
| Ellsworth | 10 13 12 23—58 | Schilling 21 |
| Red Lake | 16 9 7 19—51 | Dominick Johnson 24-6 reb-5 ast |

3rd Place

| | | |
|------------|-------------|---|
| Hancock 58 | Red Lake 41 | W. Stettner, Hancock; D. Johnson, RL 15 |
|------------|-------------|---|

Championship

| | | | | | |
|----------------|----|----|----|-------|----------------|
| Ellsworth | 6 | 21 | 6 | 22—55 | Dylan Kvale 19 |
| Mankato Loyola | 11 | 16 | 12 | 26—65 | Westman 27 |

The Stars

Champions Mankato Loyola 32-0 Litchfield 30-2 Minneapolis North 28-3 Minneapolis Henry 26-6

Coach of the Year Bret McNeal, Minneapolis North

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|---|--|
| Kris Humphries, Hopkins, F | Class AAAA leader 72 points, 3 games, 24 ppg |
| Tyler Westman, Mankato Loyola, F | Class A leader 75 points, 3 games, 25 ppg |
| Kammron Taylor, Mpls. North, G | |
| Lawrence McKenzie, Mpls. Patrick Henry, G | |
| John Carlson, Litchfield, C | |

Fun Fact Minneapolis Henry won the city title despite a 26-6 record, but they had just two losses to Minnesota teams. They were rated #2 in AAA, while city runner-up North was rated #2 in AAAA, but with a 75-66 win over #1 Hopkins in January.

2004

Class AAAA Quarter-Final

| | | | | |
|--------|----|----|----|-------|
| Blaine | 9 | 9 | 8 | 16—42 |
| Chaska | 17 | 10 | 14 | 17—58 |

Top Scorers

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|-----------------------|
| Moore 12 |
| Spencer Tollackson 24 |

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|-----------------------|----|----|----|-------|
| Robbinsdale Armstrong | 11 | 12 | 21 | 12—56 |
| St. Paul Johnson | 19 | 14 | 20 | 22—75 |

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|-------------------------|
| Everette Pedescleaux 27 |
| Walter Haynes 24 |

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|------------|----|----|----|-------|
| Burnsville | 11 | 14 | 16 | 15—56 |
| Tartan | 17 | 14 | 7 | 14—52 |

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|------------------------|
| Ryan Amaroso 16 |
| Eric Coleman 18-11 reb |

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|-----------|----|----|----|-------|
| Elk River | 13 | 6 | 16 | 14—49 |
| Lakeville | 12 | 13 | 14 | 19—58 |

| |
|--------------|
| P.J. Stoe 22 |
| Flavin 15 |

Semi-Finals

| | | | | |
|------------------|----|----|----|-------|
| Chaska | 17 | 24 | 19 | 19—79 |
| St. Paul Johnson | 12 | 13 | 11 | 11—47 |

| |
|---------------|
| Tollackson 20 |
| Haynes 20 |

| | | | | |
|------------|----|----|----|-------|
| Burnsville | 16 | 11 | 20 | 15—62 |
| Lakeville | 10 | 13 | 9 | 14—46 |

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|----------------|
| Amoroso 27 |
| Kyle Zweber 13 |

3rd Place

Lakeville 66 St. Paul Johnson 61

Haynes 18-21 reb; Zweber 18

Championship

| | | | | | |
|------------|----|----|----|-------|-------------------|
| Burnsville | 7 | 16 | 14 | 20—57 | Amoroso 24-10 reb |
| Chaska | 14 | 23 | 11 | 23—71 | Jason Theis 21 |

Class AAA Quarter-Finals

| | | | | |
|----------------|----|----|----|-------|
| Duluth Denfeld | 9 | 11 | 11 | 18—49 |
| Mankato West | 14 | 12 | 12 | 19—57 |

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| Lien 15 |
| Andy Wills 24-8 reb |

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|------------|---|----|----|-------|
| Monticello | 6 | 14 | 14 | 18—52 |
| Shakopee | 8 | 17 | 12 | 7—44 |

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|----------------------|
| Cory Laugen 19 |
| Jamal Abu-Shamala 15 |

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|------------------|----|----|---|-------|
| Holy Angels | 13 | 14 | 7 | 11—45 |
| Spring Lake Park | 13 | 9 | 4 | 14—40 |

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|-------------------|
| Phillips 15 |
| Neil Stenstrom 16 |

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|--------------|----|----|----|-------|--------------|----|
| Red Wing | 20 | 18 | 16 | 19—73 | Dan Folkerds | 18 |
| Fergus Falls | 11 | 3 | 10 | 21—45 | Josh Mohagen | 13 |

Semi-Finals

| | | | | | | |
|--------------|----|----|----|-------|---------------|----|
| Mankato West | 13 | 22 | 19 | 20—74 | Scott Nessler | 27 |
| Monticello | 10 | 9 | 19 | 22—60 | Bigalke | 22 |

| | | | | | | |
|-------------|----|----|----|-------|----------------|----|
| Holy Angels | 9 | 9 | 13 | 21—52 | Flannery, King | 12 |
| Red Wing | 12 | 14 | 13 | 17—56 | Derek Stumpf | 19 |

3rd Place

| | | | | | |
|-------------|----|------------|----|--------|----|
| Holy Angels | 43 | Monticello | 42 | Laugen | 18 |
|-------------|----|------------|----|--------|----|

Championship

| | | | | | | |
|--------------|----|----|----|-------|----------------|----|
| Mankato West | 1 | 11 | 19 | 19—50 | Lewis Radcliff | 11 |
| Red Wing | 15 | 11 | 8 | 8—42 | Pat Herzog | 19 |

Class AA Quarter-Final

| | | | | | | |
|--------------------|----|----|----|-------|----------------|----|
| Martin County West | 15 | 10 | 16 | 22—63 | Zach Krumweide | 19 |
| Pequot Lakes | 10 | 12 | 11 | 10—43 | Nelson | 12 |

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|-----------|----|----|----|-------|------------|----|
| Annandale | 12 | 15 | 11 | 17—55 | Tyler Haag | 29 |
| Concordia | 15 | 19 | 13 | 15—62 | Wilson | 18 |

| | | | | | | |
|--------|----|----|----|-------|----------------|----|
| Braham | 9 | 19 | 15 | 11—54 | Isaiah Dahlman | 20 |
| Morris | 13 | 2 | 5 | 9—29 | Winkelman | 14 |

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|-------------------------|----|----|----|-------|---------------|----|
| Dilworth-Glyndon-Felton | 13 | 11 | 16 | 12—52 | Jake Driscoll | 20 |
| Plainview | 12 | 12 | 13 | 14—51 | Kolb, McHone | 11 |

Semi-Finals

| | | | | | | |
|--------------------|---|----|----|-------|--------------|----|
| Concordia | 8 | 8 | 7 | 9—32 | Wilson | 10 |
| Martin County West | 9 | 14 | 17 | 23—63 | Jayden Grupe | 17 |

| | | | | | | |
|-------------------------|----|----|----|-------|--------------|----|
| Braham | 19 | 20 | 16 | 21—76 | Josh Vaughan | 23 |
| Dilworth-Glyndon-Felton | 17 | 14 | 14 | 21—66 | Adam Holte | 19 |

3rd Place

| | | | | | |
|-------------------------|----|-----------|----|------------------------------|----|
| Dilworth-Glyndon-Felton | 55 | Concordia | 47 | Holte; Josh Towle, Concordia | 17 |
|-------------------------|----|-----------|----|------------------------------|----|

Championship

| | | | | | | |
|--------------------|----|----|----|-------|----------------|----|
| Braham | 21 | 18 | 26 | 8—73 | Isaiah Dahlman | 34 |
| Martin County West | 14 | 8 | 15 | 10—47 | Stuart Fuller | 19 |

Class A Quarter-Finals

| | | | | | | | | | |
|-------------------|----|----|----|----|---|---|------------|-----------------|----|
| Mankato Loyola | 13 | 11 | 9 | 13 | 0 | 5 | 5—56 | Bret Brielmaier | 24 |
| Nashwauk-Keewatin | 11 | 14 | 12 | 9 | 0 | 5 | 9—60 (3OT) | Nick Jensrud | 22 |

| | | | | | | |
|---------------|----|----|----|-------|-----------|----|
| Bertha-Hewitt | 13 | 12 | 9 | 18—52 | K. Zirbes | 15 |
| New Life | 5 | 15 | 11 | 17—48 | M. Nylin | 15 |

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|-----------------------|----|----|----|-------|--------------|----|
| Russell-Tyler-Ruthton | 6 | 12 | 25 | 17—60 | Brett Newton | 21 |
| Ulen-Hitterdal | 21 | 10 | 5 | 16—52 | Graafsgard | 18 |

| | | | | | | |
|----------------|----|---|----|-------|--------------|----|
| Climax-Fischer | 6 | 4 | 9 | 18—37 | Wentzel | 13 |
| Goodhue | 14 | 9 | 18 | 12—53 | Ben O'Connor | 14 |

Semi-Finals

| | | | | | | | |
|-------------------|----|----|---|----|------------|---------|----|
| Bertha-Hewitt | 13 | 12 | 7 | 4 | 10—46 | Denny | 12 |
| Nashwauk-Keewatin | 12 | 8 | 5 | 11 | 13—49 (OT) | Jensrud | 18 |

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|-----------------------|----|---|----|-------|-------------|----|
| Goodhue | 12 | 5 | 9 | 24—50 | Corey Ryan | 22 |
| Russell-Tyler-Ruthton | 14 | 9 | 13 | 16—52 | Kyle Minett | 18 |

3rd Place

| | | | | |
|------------|---------------|----|------|----|
| Goodhue 64 | Bertha-Hewitt | 31 | Ryan | 21 |
|------------|---------------|----|------|----|

Championship

| | | | | | | |
|-----------------------|----|----|----|-------|----------------|----|
| Nashwauk-Keewatin | 2 | 9 | 12 | 6—29 | J.J. Smokrvich | 12 |
| Russell-Tyler-Ruthton | 13 | 18 | 10 | 18—59 | Minett | 18 |

The Stars

Champions Braham 31-2 Chaska 30-2 Mankato West 24-4 Russell-Tyler-Ruthton 23-6

Coach of the Year Bob Vaughan, Braham

Spencer Tollackson, Chaska, F

Ryan Amoroso, Burnsville, C

Class AAAA leader 67 points, 3 g, 22.3 ppg

Isaiah Dahlman, Braham, F

Class AA leader 75 points, 3 games, 25 ppg

Walter Haynes, St. Paul Johnson, G

Kyle Minett, Russell-Tyler-Ruthton, F

Fun Fact All 4 champions won their first state title. For Mankato West, it was not only their first title, but also the first for a Mankato public school after 27 tournament appearances (17 for Mankato HS, five for East, one for Mankato Wilson, and this was West's fourth). Of course, Loyola beat West to the punch by one year.

2005

Class AAAA Quarter-Final

| | | | | | | | |
|------------|----|----|----|---|-----------|------------------|----|
| Eastview | 15 | 12 | 10 | 5 | 8—50 (OT) | Zach Johnson | 12 |
| Stillwater | 14 | 12 | 12 | 4 | 5—47 | Kevin Gullickson | 14 |

Top Scorers

| | | | | | | |
|-------------|----|----|----|------|---------------------|----|
| Eagan | 12 | 6 | 10 | 2—30 | Matt Koalik | 8 |
| Mounds View | 9 | 15 | 12 | 9—45 | Travis Busch | 20 |

| | | | | | | |
|-------------|----|----|----|-------|-----------------|----|
| Hopkins | 17 | 19 | 24 | 14—74 | Blake Hoffarber | 17 |
| Maple Grove | 14 | 8 | 17 | 18—57 | Mike Lochner | 17 |

| | | | | | | |
|---------------|----|----|----|-------|-----------------|----|
| Champlin Park | 1 | 7 | 18 | 7—33 | Nick Otterson | 13 |
| Tartan | 11 | 11 | 11 | 15—48 | Urule Igbavb=oa | 15 |

Semi-Finals

| | | | | | | |
|-------------|----|----|---|-------|--------------|----|
| Eastview | 10 | 11 | 6 | 9—36 | Zach Johnson | 17 |
| Mounds View | 13 | 6 | 4 | 10—33 | Busch | 19 |

| | | | | | | |
|---------|----|----|----|-------|--------------|----|
| Hopkins | 14 | 10 | 17 | 19—60 | Andrew Henke | 13 |
| Tartan | 12 | 13 | 5 | 25—55 | Abe Kpaka | 22 |

3rd Place

| | | | | |
|----------------|--------|----|-------|----|
| Mounds View 69 | Tartan | 60 | Busch | 35 |
|----------------|--------|----|-------|----|

Championship

| | | | | | | | | |
|----------|----|----|----|----|---|------|-------------|----|
| Eastview | 10 | 12 | 12 | 15 | 9 | 2—60 | Darren Kent | 20 |
|----------|----|----|----|----|---|------|-------------|----|

Hopkins 16 21 6 6 9 13—71 (2OT) Blake Hofferber 25

Class AAA Quarter-Finals

Andover 15 13 14 10 5—57 Alex Moses 17
Monticello 15 9 18 10 4—56 Cory Laugen 20

Albert Lea 10 10 12 7—39 Coryey Dieser, Parker Skophammer 10
Shakopee 7 12 13 10—42 Eric Carlson, Jamal Abu-Shamala 12

Mankato East 10 9 17 21—57 Chop Tang 20
Rocori 14 11 13 11—49 David Sauer 16

Grand Rapids 14 9 19 11—53 Jake Magner 16
Richfield 20 22 13 18—73 Travis Brown 26

Semi-Finals

Andover 13 18 10 10—51 Steve Discher 13
Shakopee 11 19 20 19—69 Jamal Abu-Shamala 21

Mankato East 10 21 4 11—46 Mitch Goossen 12
Richfield 17 25 5 9—56 Ray Brown 18

3rd Place

Mankato East 61 Andover 58 Steve Discher, Andover 18

Championship

Richfield 11 15 4 16—46 Ray Brown 15
Shakopee 15 14 9 19—57 Abu-Shamala 24-13 reb

Class AA Quarter-Final

Braham 21 9 10 22—62 **Isaiah Dahlman** 30
DeLaSalle 14 9 13 12—48 Travis Bledsoe 20

Chatfield 3 11 17 7—38 Nick Bernard 12
Rockford 14 9 19 21—63 Nathan Maher 11

Belle Plaine 9 16 11 20—56 Aaron Sellnow 16
Crookston 22 17 12 17—68 Andy Hughes 18

Luverne 8 14 14 18—54 Jared Pick 15
Moose Lake/Willow R. 7 11 7 17—42 Darrin Coil 13

Semi-Finals

Braham 18 23 27 11—79 Isaiah Dahlman 27
Rockford 14 9 16 14—53 Kyle Seiler 16

Crookston 18 14 8 6—46 Andy Hughes 14
Luverne 8 9 5 13—35 Brandon Deragisch 10

3rd Place

Luverne 60 Rockford 55 Jeremy Ungerecht, Rockford 19

Championship

Braham 22 14 14 13—63 Isaiah Dahlman 31
Crookston 10 13 7 9—39 Jack Coauette, Grant Willhite 12

Class A Quarter-Finals

Cass Lake-Bena 16 23 13 22—74 Bill Brown 25
St. Agnes 15 18 14 20—67 Justin Samuelson 26

Battle Lake 9 10 12 10—41 Jason Speer 16
Rushford-Peterson 13 10 12 15—50 Tyler Drinkall 12

Marshall County Central 9 9 11 17 7 11—64 (2OT) **Jay Maurstad 28**
Sleepy Eye St. Mary's 17 6 11 12 7 9—62 Matt Gangelhoff 25

Mountain Iron-Buhl 16 12 7 8—43 D.J. Winfield 16
Russell-Tyler-Ruthton 18 12 20 16—66 Brett Newton 27

Semi-Finals

Cass Lake-Bena 15 6 7 12—40 Brown 12
Rushford-Peterson 14 11 17 16—58 Matt Ulrich 14

Marshall County Centra 7 12 5 20—44 Maurstad 23
Russell-Tyler-Ruthton 11 13 16 12—52 Kyle Minett 14

3rd Place

Cass Lake-Bena 69 Marshall Co. Central 60 Jay Maurstad, MCC 37

Championship

Rushford-Peterson 17 5 19 14—55 Alex Mirau 17
Russell-Tyler-Ruthton 12 14 14 18—58 Kyle Minett 23

The Stars

Champions Braham 33-0 Hopkins 31-1 Shakopee 31-1 Russell-Tyler-Ruthton 28-3

Coach of the Year Mark Gerber, Eastview

Blake Hoffarber, Hopkins, G

Isaiah Dahlman, Braham, F

Travis Busch, Mounds View, F

Jamal Abu-Shamala, Shakopee, G

Jay Maurstad, Marshall County Central, G

Class AA leader 88 points, 3 games, 29.3 ppg

Class AAAA leader 74 points, 3 g, 24.7 ppg

Class AAA leader 56 points, 3 games, 18.7 ppg

Class A leader 88 points, 3 games, 29.3 ppg

Fun Fact Hopkins' Blake Hoffarber made a shot at the buzzer at the end of the first OT while seated on the three-point line, that sent the game into a second OT. With that kind of luck, Hopkins could not and did not lose. It was called the "butt shot." It won an ESPY as the play of the year, and Hoffarber was called upon to recreate the shot on the *Today Show*. He made that one, too.

2006

Class AAAA Quarter-Final

Woodbury 75 Ek River 67
Robbinsdale Cooper 66 Richfield 60 (OT)
St. Paul Johnson 87 Andover 64
Hopkins 49 Lakeville North 32

Top Scorers

Tyler Macomber, Elk River 29
Santino Clay, Richfield 29
Sammy Ricks, Johnson 26
Ben Flavin, Lakeville North 18

Semi-Finals

Elk River 33 26—59
Robbinsdale Cooper 29 33—62

Tyler Macomber 24
Dennis Williamson 21

Hopkins 31 35—66
St. Paul Johnson 17 31—48

Dan Vandevieren 18-20 reb
Freddy Coleman, Jeff Clark-Neal 13

3rd Place

Elk River 72 St. Paul Johnson 64

Dominic Dowd, Elk River 20

Championship

Hopkins 38 31—69

Blake Hoffarber 19

Robbinsdale Cooper 29 24—53

Mason Jefferson, Williamson 13

Class AAA Quarter-Finals

St. Thomas 57 Rocori 51 (overtime)

D. Hicks, St.T; J. Stommes, Rocori 16

DeLaSalle 61 Totino-Grace 36

C. Rundles, DLS 12; B. Cassidy, TG 12

Duluth East 81 Monticello 57

Cory Johnson, Duluth East 28

Waconia 50 Lakeville South 46

Greg Turbes, Lakeville South 16

Semi-Finals

DeLaSalle 24 39—63

Jamar Diggs 19

St. Thomas 15 29—44

Bryce Webster 19

Duluth East 38 34—72

Cory Johnson 30

Waconia 25 36—61

Brent Dunkelberger 15

3rd Place

St. Thomas 66 Waconia 61

Bryce Webster, St. Thomas 27-6 reb

Championship

DeLaSalle 26 39—65

Cameron Rundles 18

Duluth East 25 22—47

Johnson 17

Class AA Quarter-Final

Pelican Rapids 72 Benson 50

Nathan Shulstad, Pelican Rapids 21

Braham 76 New London-Spicer 52

Isaiah Dahlman, Braham 36/11 reb/3 stl

Breck 65 Pequot Lakes 57

Marcus Hill, Breck 23

Dover-Eyota 90 Maple River 64

Travis Meiners, DE 30

Semi-Finals

Braham 31 33—64

Isaiah Dahlman 20

Pelican Rapids 32 22—54

Taylor Huseby 22-14 reb

Breck 38 20—58

Jordan McMichael 26

Dover-Eyota 27 29—56

Matt Biehn 20

3rd Place

Pelican Rapids 53 Dover-Eyota 45

Travis Meiners, DE 16-4 stl

Championship

Braham 33 39—72

Noah Dahlman 21

Breck 22 31—53

Marcus Hill 16

Class A Quarter-Final

Ellsworth 39 35—74

Cody Schilling 21

Stephen-Argyle Central 24 38—62

Matt Gratzek 18

New York Mills 32 22—54

Ted Rud 24

Osakis 34 28—62

Wade Lang 19

AlBrook 36 48—84

Cory Mountain 51

Maranatha 45 46—91
 Rushford-Peterson 20 26—46
 Sleepy Eye St. M. 16 27—43

David Hanson 26
 Matt Ulrich 15-7 reb
 Bryan Milliard 14

Semi-Finals

Ellsworth 37 33—70
 Osakis 35 28—63

Schilling 32-13 reb
 Lang 20

Maranatha 24 26—50
 Rushford-Peterson 26 25—51

Alex Thomas 23
 Drinkall 15

3rd Place

Osakis 85 Maranatha 74

Wade Lang, Osakis 26

Championship

Ellsworth 15 37—52
 Rushford-Peterson 29 26—55

Schilling 34-7 reb
 Drinkall 22

The Stars

Champions Braham 31-2 Hopkins 30-2 DeLaSalle 27-5 Rushford-Peterson 23-9

Coach of the Year Tom Vix, Rushford-Peterson

Blake Hoffarber, Hopkins, G

Cody Schilling, Ellsworth, G

Class A leader, 87 points, 3 games, 29 ppg

Cameron Rundles, DeLaSalle, G

Isaiah Dahlman, Braham, G-F

Class AA leader, 73 points, 3 games, 24.3 ppg

Dan Vandervieren, Hopkins, C

Fun Fact Hopkins is the first school to repeat twice (1952-1953 and 2005-2006).

2007

Class AAAA Quarter-Final

Buffalo 49 33—82
 St. Paul Johnson 20 41—61

Top Scorers

Karl Olson 22
 Dion Suggs 22

Lakeville South 40 41—81
 Woodbury 26 31—57

Brady Soule 21
 Max Hintz 19

Apple Valley 30 38—68
 Bloomington Jefferson 36 30—66

Steve McGuigan 31-7 stl
 Cole Aldrich 32-21 reb

Andover 27 23—50
 Robbinsdale Armstrong 25 38—63

Schmidt 14
 Carter Biewen 22

Semi-Finals

Buffalo 21 29—50
 Lakeville South 17 31—48

Darren Olmscheid, E. Olson 11
 Brett Sorenson, Greg Turbes 15

Apple Valley 30 37—67
 Robbinsdale Armstrong 38 32—70

McGuigan 25
 Kaitz 21

3rd Place

Apple Valley 91 Lakeville South 69

Aaron Ford, AV; Brady Soule, South 26

Championship

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| Buffalo | 27 | 40—67 | Olmscheid 25 |
| Robbinsdale Armstrong | 30 | 35—65 | Alex Rubin 22 |

Class AAA Quarter-Finals

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|-------------------------|----|-------|-------------------|
| Rocori | 35 | 32—67 | Justin Stommes 16 |
| St. Michael-Albertville | 21 | 31—52 | Riley Kessler 22 |

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| St. Thomas | 19 | 35—54 | Nate Birr 15 |
| Winona | 19 | 7—26 | Peterson 6 |

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| Spring Lake Park | 23 | 22 | 12—57 (OT) | Tim Merritt 16 |
| Waconia | 26 | 19 | 10—55 | Joe Drapcho 20 |

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| Benilde-St. Margaret's | 27 | 41—68 | Armond Battle 20 |
| Duluth Central | 17 | 25—42 | Jordan Taylor 15 |

Semi-Finals

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|------------|----|-------|---------------|
| Rocori | 20 | 31—51 | Stommes 19 |
| St. Thomas | 22 | 32—54 | J.T. Korte 13 |

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|------------------------|----|----|---|-------------|------------------|
| Benilde-St. Margaret's | 28 | 26 | 2 | 15—71 (2OT) | Taylor 24-14 reb |
| Spring Lake Park | 23 | 31 | 2 | 7—63 | Krueger 18 |

3rd Place

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| Rocori 61 Spring Lake Park 44 | Justin Stommes, Rocori 15 |
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Championship

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|------------------------|----|-------|-----------|
| Benilde-St. Margaret's | 20 | 20—40 | Taylor 15 |
| St. Thomas | 23 | 33—56 | Birr 16 |

Class AA Quarter-Final

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|-------------|----|-------|-----------------|
| Bagley | 31 | 23—54 | Brodie Camp 21 |
| Holy Family | 26 | 32—58 | Matt Quamman 18 |

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| Luverne | 25 | 36—61 | Derek Boeve 24 |
| Plainview-Elgin-Millville | 24 | 33—57 | Flies 16 |

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|-------------|----|-------|------------------------|
| Braham | 33 | 26—59 | Noah Dahlman 20-15 reb |
| Maple River | 33 | 35—68 | Paul Larson 13 |

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| Gibbon-Fairfax-Win. | 22 | 18—40 | Sallstrom 19 |
| Pequot Lakes | 29 | 28—57 | Jesse Fisher 26-12 reb |

Semi-Finals

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|-------------|----|-------|---|
| Holy Family | 29 | 29—58 | Quamman 18, Trent Johnson 16-9 reb-8 asts |
| Luverne | 30 | 12—42 | Andrew DeBoer 14 |

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| Maple River | 32 | 29—61 | Larson 12 |
| Pequot Lakes | 21 | 23—44 | Tucker Sheley 21 |

3rd Place

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| Pequot Lakes 67 Luverne 52 | Derek Boeve, Luverne 23-9 reb |
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Championship

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|-------------|----|----|-----------|---------------------------------------|
| Holy Family | 34 | 18 | 8—60 (OT) | Johnson 16-10 reb-10 blk-6 ast-5 stl; |
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Maple River 27 25 5--57 Seth Anderson 15

Class A Quarter-Final

Badger-Greenbush-MR 11 35—46
St. Bernard's 32 32—64

Creviston 19
Chad Jones 22

Ellsworth 33 27 17—77 (OT)
Rushford-Peterson 23 37 6—66

Cody Schilling 33-6 ast-4 blk
Matt Ulrich 23

Cass Lake-Bena 29 27—46
Lester Prairie 15 28—43

Brady Fairbanks 20
Kley 19

Barnum 21 30—51
Bertha-Hewitt 19 26—45

Willie Carlson 21
Rolli 16

Semi-Finals

Ellsworth 85 St. Bernard's 73

Cody Schilling, Ellsworth 35-11 reb-10 ast

Barnum 20 28—48
Cass Lake-Bena 34 27—61

Carlson 18
Joel Salscheider 26-9 reb

3rd Place

St. Bernard's 67 Barnum 44

Willie Carlson, Barnum 18

Championship

Cass Lake-Bena 37 36—73
Ellsworth 74

Travis Huesers 19
Aaron Van Der Stoep, Ellsworth 32

The Stars

Champions Ellsworth 32-1 St. Thomas 30-2 Buffalo 28-3 Holy Family 25-7

Coach of the Year Nick Guida, Buffalo

Cody Schilling, Ellsworth, G
Steve McGuigan, Apple Valley, G
Cole Aldrich, Bloomington Jefferson, C
Trent Johnson, Holy Family, C
Darren Olmscheid, Buffalo, F

Class A leader, 96 points, 3 games, 32 ppg
Class AAAA leader, 78 points, 3 games, 26 ppg
Class AAAA leader, 32 points, 1 game, 32 ppg

Fun Facts Rocori lost a heartbreaker to St. Thomas for the third time in seven years. In 2001, St. Thomas scored five points in the last 47 seconds of regulation to force OT, then won 48-45. In 2006, St. Thomas again needed OT to defeat Rocori, this time in the first round, 59-51. In 2007, Rocori led 51-46 with just 12 seconds left when J.B. Korte hit a three, then scored off a steal of Rocori's in-bound pass. Rocori made 1-of-2 FT to lead 52-51, then Korte made a three at the final buzzer for the win.

Winning teams averaged 70-points per game for the first time since 1970. The tradeoff is blowouts. The 16-point margin this year ties for third highest ever.

2008

Class AAAA Quarter-Final

Minnetonka 66 Bloomington Kennedy 59
St. Cloud Tech 79 Cambridge-Isanti 68
Henry Sibley 68 Rochester Mayo 58
Robbinsdale Cooper 54 Burnsville 52

Top Scorers

Anthony Tucker, Minnetonka 27
Chad Mathson, Cambridge 23
Peter Leslie, Sibley 19
R. Williams, Cooper; T. Clark, Burnsville 17

Semi-Finals

Minnetonka 83 St. Cloud Tech 59
Henry Sibley 68 Robbinsdale Cooper 52

Anthony Tucker, Minnetonka 28
Rodney Williams, Cooper 26

3rd Place

St. Cloud Tech 84 Robbinsdale Cooper 71

Nate Wolters, Tech 22

Championship

Minnetonka 68 Henry Sibley 59

Anthony Tucker, Minnetonka 27

Class AAA Quarter-Final

Benilde-St. M. 76 St. Paul Como Park 62
Mpls. Patrick Henry 72 St. Michael-A. 60
St. Thomas 59 Little Falls 44
Willmar 63 Grand Rapids 42

Jordan Taylor, Benilde 43
Theo Rothstein, St. M-A 25
A.Schneider, St. T 18
Casey Sussenguth, Willmar 23

Semi-Finals

Benilde-St.M. 100 Mpls. Patrick Henry 70
St. Thomas 56 Willmar 35

Armond Battle, Benilde-St.M. 21
Casey Sussenguth, Willmar 22

3rd Place

Willmar 64 Mpls. Patrick Henry 63

Casey Sussenguth, Willmar 20

Championship

Benilde-St. Margaret's 58 St. Thomas 52

Alex Schneider, St. Thomas 27/12 reb

Class AA Quarter-Final

St. Bernard's 74 LaCrescent 69
Crosby-Ironton 73 Rockford 59
Maple River 64 Montevideo 53
New London-Spicer 98 Braham 61

Ian Anderson, LaCrescent 28
Derek Swanhorst, CI 27
Logan Drager, Maple River 19/8 reb
Skylar Wachter, NLS 21

Semi-Finals

Crosby-Ironton 73 St. Bernard's 59
New London-Spicer 50 Maple River 49

J. Jett, St. B 22/11 reb, B. Tesdahl, CI 22
Seth Anderson, Maple River 22

3rd Place

Maple River 66 St. Bernard's 50

Seth Anderson, Maple River 17

Championship

New London-Spicer 59 Crosby-Ironton 51

Skylar Wachtar, NLS 19

Class A Quarter-Final

Minnesota Transitions 77 Janesville-WP 32
Cass Lake-Bena 79 Bertha-Hewitt 61
Ellsworth 59 Grenada-Huntley-E. Chain 41
Norman County East 59 Chisholm 42

Virgil Baker, MTC 20/10 reb
Marcus Riewer, BH 27
Cody Schilling, Ellsworth 23
David Varriano, NCE 18

Semi-Finals

Minnesota Transitions 87 Cass Lake-Bena 77
Ellsworth 66 Norman County East 52

Virgil Baker, MTC 26
Cody Schilling, Ellsworth 30

3rd Place

Cass Lake-Bena 78 Norman County East 65

Martin Wind, CLB 33

Championship

Ellsworth 81 Minnesota Transitions 63

V. Baker, MTC 34; C. Schilling, Ellsworth 31

The Stars

Champions New London-Spicer 33-1 Ellsworth 31-2 Benilde-St. Margaret's 29-3
Minnetonka 28-3

Coach of the Year Tim Anderson, Maple River

Jordan Taylor, Benilde-St. Margaret's, G

Anthony Tucker, Minnetonka, G

Cody Schilling, Ellsworth, G

Skylar Wachter, New London-Spicer, G

Bryce Tesdahl, Crosby-Ironton, G

Class AAA leader 82 pts, 3 games, 27.3ppg

Class AAAA leader 79 pts, 3 games, 26.3 ppg

Class A leader 84 pts, 3 games, 28 ppg

30 assists

Fun Facts Cody Schilling surpassed Isaiah Dahlman as MN's all-time top scorer in the first round of the tournament and finished with 3,428 points. In 2007, he broke 86-year-old FT records by making 40-of-45 FT. Schilling is also the first and still the only boy to lead the tournament in scoring three times. Meanwhile, Jordan Taylor's 43 points tied for the third most in tournament history in a championship round game behind Cory Mountain (51 in 2006) and Aaron Middendorf (45 in 2007). Taylor edged Schilling for the Mr. Basketball Award.

2009

Class AAAA Quarter-Final

Hopkins 68 Blaine 26

St. Cloud Tech 40 Winona 39

Bloomington Jefferson 69 Henry Sibley 56

Osseo 54 Apple Valley 46

Top Scorers

Mike Broghammer, Hopkins 12

Nate Wolters, St. Cloud Tech 17

Mike Brusewitz, Sibley 21/16 reb

Varmah Sonie, Apple Valley 16

Semi-Finals

Hopkins 55 St. Cloud Tech 36

Osseo 59 Bloomington Jefferson 51

Wolters 17

Sam Dower, Osseo 20/10 reb

3rd Place

St. Cloud Tech 59 Bloomington Jefferson 55

Wolters 27-10 reb-4 stl

Championship

Hopkins 69 Osseo 59

Royce White, Hopkins 20

Class AAA Quarter-Final

Mankato West 20 29—49

New Prague 23 14—37

Rogers 26 39—65

Spring Lake Park 39 44—83

Grand Rapids 37 23—60

Minneapolis Washburn 36 36—72

Derrick Cattrysse 15

Danny Geiger 18

Max Wessel 20

Shaun Jensen 29

Jared Sutherland 16

RaShede Hageman, Cedric Martin 18

St. Paul Johnson 88 Little Falls 72

Ronnie Kornbaum, Little Falls 24-10 reb

Semi-Finals

Mankato West 72 Spring Lake Park 70

Minneapolis Washburn 91 St. Paul Johnson 66

Trey Scott, SLP 24

Dylan Hale, Washburn 25

3rd Place

St. Paul Johnson 86 Spring Lake Park 77

Jensen 34

Championship

Minneapolis Washburn 58 Mankato West 45 Martin 23

Class AA Quarter-Final

Plainview-Elgin-Millville 57 Virginia 33
St. Bernard's 67 Triton 48

Cole Olstad, PEM 21
Jordair Jett 16-10 reb, Mike Weah 16

New London-Spicer 28 28—56
Pelican Rapids 36 35—71

Jay Moten 15
Jan-Erik Lundberg 20

Howard Lake-Wav.-W. 15 32—47
Montevideo 24 21—45

Nash Faulk 14
Eric Brandon 16

Semi-Finals

Plainview-EM 31 30—61
St. Bernard's 26 42—68

Olstad 32
Jett 26-8 asts

Pelican Rapids 72 Howard Lake-WW 50

Tydan Storresten, Pelican Rapids 27

3rd Place

Plainview-EM 70 Howard Lake-WW 52

Faulk 25

Championship

Pelican Rapids 80 St. Bernard's 68

Storresten, Pelican Rapids 34

Class A Quarter-Final

Chisholm 14 29—43
Faribault Bethlehem 18 23—41

Brian Arola 18
Drew Matthews, Chris Palmer 14

Grenada-Huntley-EC 37 27—64
Minnesota Transitions 33 28—61

Tim Garry 20
Kevin Noreen 23-16 reb

Ada-Borup 48 34—82
Cass Lake-Bena 30 14—44

Yuri Johnson 27
Martin Wind 16

Ellsworth 27 32—59
Sebeka 18 28—46

Tom Nolte 17
Alex Brockpahler 14

Semi-Finals

Grenada-HEC 60 Chisholm 46
Ellsworth 62 Ada-Borup 53

T. Nawrocki, GHEC 21/14 reb, Garry 21
Adam Van Der Stoep, Ellsworth 22

3rd Place

Ada-Borup 60 Chisholm 58

Taylor Skoglund, Chisholm 21/10 reb

Championship

Ellsworth 28 23 3—54
Grenada-Huntley-EC 18 33 11—62

Nolte 16
Garry 25

The Stars

Champions Pelican Rapids 33-0 Hopkins 31-0 Grenada-Huntley-East Chain 29-0 Mpls. Washburn 26-5

Coach of the Year Robbin Celander, Granada-Huntley-East Chain

Tydan Storresten, Pelican Rapids, G
Shaun Jensen, Spring Lake Park, G
Nate Wolters, St. Cloud Tech, G
Jordair Jett, St. Bernard's, G

Class AA leader 76 pts, 3 games, 25.3 ppg
Class AAA leader 85 pts, 3 games, 28.3 ppg
Class AAAA leader 61 pts, 3 games, 20.3 ppg

Tim Garry, Grenada-Huntley-East Chain, C Class A leader 66 points, 3 games, 22.0 ppg

Fun Facts Hopkins finished 31-0 and is regarded as MN's greatest team ever. "We would have won anyway," said coach Ken Novak, Jr., but then Mr. Basketball Royce White transferred to Hopkins after being expelled from DeLaSalle for undisclosed reasons at the beginning of the season

The Four-Class Era (Part 2), 2010-2023

2010

Class AAAA Quarter-Final

Hopkins 75 Forest Lake 51
Sibley 50 Eastview 47
Eden Prairie 61 Owatonna 46
St. Cloud Tech 55 Champlin Park 51

Top Scorers

Joe Coleman, Hopkins 24/12 reb
Frank Veldman, Eastview 17
Brant Soderberg, Eden Prairie 15
Alex Hanks, St. Cloud Tech 20

Semi-Finals

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|----------------|----|--------------|----|-------------|----------------|-------------|----|
| Henry Sibley | 35 | 34 | 7 | 6—82 | Jordan Jackson | 25 | |
| Hopkins | 29 | 40 | 7 | 14—90 (2OT) | Coleman | 25 | |
| St. Cloud Tech | 62 | Eden Prairie | 58 | (2 OT) | Scott Nystrom, | St. C. Tech | 23 |

3rd Place

Sibley 62 Eden Prairie 53 Jackson 26

Championship

Hopkins 76 St. Cloud Tech 56 Coleman 21

Class AAA Quarter-Final

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|------------------|----|-------|-----------------|----|
| Hutchinson | 24 | 13—37 | Adam Hjelter | 9 |
| St. Paul Johnson | 40 | 40—80 | Marcus Marshall | 17 |

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| Orono | 23 | 34—57 | Jordan Smith | 30 |
| Winona | 34 | 36—70 | Alec Brown | 35-12 reb |

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| DeLaSalle | 38 | 28—66 | Jalen Jaspers | 26 |
| Little Falls | 22 | 39—61 | Dan Kornbaum | 18-13 reb |

Grand Rapids 70 Benilde-St. Margaret's 61 Eric Stark, Grand Rapids 21

Semi-Finals

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| St. Paul Johnson | 80 | Winona | 55 | J. Pluff, Johnson | 20; M. Blacklock, | Winona | 20 |
| Grand Rapids | 57 | DeLaSalle | 53 | (2OT) | Stark | 20-5 ast-5 reb | |

3rd Place

Winona 48 DeLaSalle 32 Brown 20

Championship

St. Paul Johnson 59 Grand Rapids 55 Estan Tyler, Johnson 20-7 reb

Class AA Quarter-Final

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| Plainview-Elgin-Millville | 45 | Jordan | 42 | Yuriy Malashenko, | Jordan | 16-19 reb |
| Crosby-Ironton | 72 | Minnehaha Academy | 67 | Mark Hoge, | CI | 35 |

Braham 60 Sibley East 59 (OT)
New London-Spicer 78 Windom 60

Marshall Bjorklund, Sibley E 33-23 reb
Aaron Jenny, NLS 27

Semi-Finals

Crosby-Ironton 51 Plainview-Elgin-Millville 48 (OT) Cole Olstad, PEM 24/11 reb
New London-Spicer 76 Braham 67 Tyler Vaughan, Braham 25

3rd Place

Plainview-Elgin-Millville 83 Braham 51 Olstad 32

Championship

New London-Spicer 62 Crosby-Ironton 52 Hoge 27

Class A Quarter-Final

Rushford-Peterson 33 38—71 Blake Lea 18
Springfield 43 20—63 Jordan Milbrath 18

Cass Lake-Bena 16 31—47 Tyler Trosen 19
Minnesota Transitions 31 38—69 Kevin Noreen 22

Mesabi East 20 31—51 Travis Whiting 16
Sebeka 40 35—75 Joey Cuperus 22

Ellsworth 58 Fergus Falls Hillcrest Academy 53 Casey Schilling, Ellsworth 24

Semi-Finals

Minnesota Transitions 56 Rushford-Pete. 49 Nick Thompson, RP 20
Sebeka 61 Ellsworth 60 Schilling 21

3rd Place

Ellsworth 70 Rushford-Peterson 62 Blake Ollaf, RP 24

Championship

Minnesota Transitions 61 Sebeka 52 Noreen 24-15 reb-9 blk

The Stars

Champions W-L- St. Paul Johnson 32-0 New London-Spicer 32-2 Hopkins 30-2 Minnesota Transitions 30-3

Coach of the Year Vern Simmons, St. Paul Johnson

Estan Tyler, St. Paul Johnson, G

Joe Coleman, Hopkins, F

Alec Brown, Winona, C

Kevin Noreen, Minnesota Transitions, F

Mark Hoge, Crosby-Ironton, G

Class AAAA leader 70 pts, 3 games, 23.3 ppg

Class AAA leader 70 pts, 3 games, 23.3 ppg

Class A leader 63 pts, 3 games, 21 ppg

Class AA leader 81 pts, 3 games, 27 ppg

Fun Fact St. Paul Johnson defeated Hopkins 86-78 in the Augsburg Holiday Tournament, the only loss of the year for either team.

2011

Class AAAA Quarter-Final

Hopkins 40 31—71
Owatonna 29 28—57

Cretin-Derham Hall 33 35—68

Top Scorers

Vaughn Thada 24

Taylor Montero 23-13 reb

Duluth East 25 24—49

Eden Prairie 79 Lakeville South 75
Osseo 72 Maple Grove 60

Alex Richter, Lakeville South 33
Terez Van Pelt, Osseo 28

Semi-Finals

Hopkins 75 Cretin-Derham Hall 56
Eden Prairie 67 Osseo 56

Joe Coleman, Hopkins 29
Dylan Stewart, Eden Prairie 24

3rd Place

Osseo 61 Cretin-Derham Hall 57

Joey Sonnenfeld, Osseo 23-9 reb

Championship

Hopkins 64 Eden Prairie 52

Coleman 22-8 reb

Class AAA Quarter-Final

New Prague 83 St. Paul Johnson 77

Marcus Marshall, Johnson 24

Columbia Heights 40 37—77
Marshall 30 29—59

Zach Lofton 25
Collin Hoover 20

Grand Rapids 18 34—52
Waconia 37 25—62

Austin Pohlen 14
Wylie Ferron 16

Orono 23 37 7—67 (OT)
St. Cloud Apollo 33 27 2—62

Jordan Smith 29
Simon Krych 17-14 reb

Semi-Finals

Columbia Heights 57 New Prague 50
Orono 50 Waconia 48

Lofton 31
Smith 22

3rd Place

Waconia 58 New Prague 53

Bronson Scheff, Waconia 15

Championship

Orono 85 Columbia Heights 76

Brady Wohler, Orono 23

Class AA Quarter-Final

Rochester Lourdes 45 Long Prairie-GE 37

Shane McGrath, Lourdes; Duane Miller, LP 15

Perham 38 19—57
Virginia 14 26—40

Jordan Cresap 19
Cavan Stackpool 12

Redwood Valley def. Minnehaha Academy

Waterville-Ely.-Morris. 23 38—61
Zimmerman 33 25—58

Tate Harmon 23

Semi-Finals

Rochester Lourdes 48 Redwood Valley 42
Perham 45 Waterville-Elysian-Morristown 41

Alex Kapraun, Lourdes 20
Conrad Masburg, Waterville-EM 17

3rd Place

Waterville-Ely.-Morristown 67 Redwood V. 64

Michael Busack, RV 25/14 reb

Championship

Perham 45 Rochester Lourdes 37

Nick Tobkin, Perham 15

Class A Quarter-Final

Belgrade-Brooten-Elros 31 39—70
Goodhue 22 32—54

Kevin Kuefler 22
Ashton Erie 23-9 reb

MACCRAY 25 36—61
Maranatha 22 30—52

Seth Hinrichs 21-15 reb
Darian Pittman 19

Springfield 30 33—63
Upsala 27 26—53

Cody Milbrath 20-9 reb
Jacob Voss 15

Chisholm 26 25—51
Fosston 18 21—39

Adam Vake 19-12 reb

Semi-Finals

Belgrade-Brooten-Elrosa 86 MACCRAY 69
Springfield 63 Chisholm 55

Kuefler 25
Alex Fink, Springfield 21-12 reb

3rd Place

MACCRAY 72 Chisholm 53

Hinrichs 21-12 reb

Championship

Springfield 70 Belgrade-Brooten-Elrose 58

Jesse Keiper, Springfield 25

The Stars

Champions W-L- Hopkins 31-1 Perham 31-1 Springfield 26-3 Orono 28-4

Coach of the Year Dave Cresap, Perham

Joe Coleman, Hopkins, F

Class AAAA leader 71 pts, 3 games, 23.7 ppg

Jordan Smith, Orono, G

Kevin Kuefler, Belgrade-Brooten-Elrosa, F

Class A leader 69 pts, 3 games, 23 ppg

Zach Lofton, Columbia Heights, F

Class AAA and overall leader 75 pts, 25.0 ppg

Michael Busack, Redwood Valley, F

Class AA leader 61 points, 3 games, 20.3 ppg

Lofton initially was listed among Class AAA all-tournament selections, but he left the floor after his team lost the final to Orono. As he was not on the floor to receive his all-tournament award, he was deleted from the all-tournament team.

Fun Fact Perham junior Zach Gabbard suffered cardiac arrest on the court on January 20 and was still hospitalized as the state tournament got underway on March 23. But, unknown to his teammates, Gabbard traveled to Williams Arena for Perham's 1st round game with Virginia. His teammates found out that he was in the arena only when his name and number were called in the pre-game introductions.

2012

Class A Quarter-Finals

Belgrade-Brooten-Elrosa 85 Lakeview Chr 76
Mt. Lake-Butterfield-Odin 73 Browerville 61
Southwest Minnesota Christian 59 Fosston 41
Rushford-Peterson 74 Prairie Seeds 68

Brian Goodwin, BBE 25
Beau Herrig, Mt. Lake 30-15 reb
Zach Huisken, SWMC 15-14 reb
Nick Thompson, RP 34

Semi-Finals

Belgrade-Belgrade-El. 36 20—56
Mountain Lake-BO 31 5—36

Connor Goodwin 18-13 reb
Herrig 12-9 reb

Southwest MN Christian 22 24—46
Rushford-Peterson 28 16—44

Andrew Top 11
Thompson 20-10 reb

3rd Place

Rushford-Peterson 75 Mountain Lake-Butterfield-Odin 48

Championship

Belgrade-Belgrade-E. 30 24—54
Southwest MN Christian 26 19—45

B. Goodwin 29
Huisken 17-16 reb

Class AA Quarter-Finals

Perham 51 Worthington 47
Litchfield 51 Watertown-Mayer 40
Plainview-Elgin-Millville 69 St. Peter 65
Braham 81 St. Croix Lutheran 78

Mitch Weg, Worthington 24
Nate Krach, WM 18-12 reb
Beau Nelson, PEM 18
Tyler Vaughan, Braham 34-12 reb-7 asts

Semi-Finals

Litchfield 21 12—33
Perham 20 11—31

Zach Kinny, Dylan Koll 8
Jordan Bruhn 9-8 reb

Plainview-EM 40 44—84
Braham 24 43—67

Cory Speer 22
Vaughan 34-10 reb

3rd Place

Perham 52 Braham 46

Schumacher, Perham 16
Vaughn, Braham 16-8 reb-6 asst-4 stl

Championship

Plainview-EM 24 31—55
Litchfield 20 19—39

Nelson 21-6 reb
Kinny 13

Class AAA Quarter-Finals

Minneapolis Washburn 52 Rocori 49
St. Paul Johnson 71 Austin 66
DeLaSalle 65 Detroit Lakes 46
Grand Rapids 62 Mankato East 49

Mac Mueller, Rocori 18
Joe Aase, Austin 25-9 reb
Jarvis Johnson, DLS 22-9 reb
Austin Pohlen, GR 33-5 asts

Semi-Finals

St. Paul Johnson 30 36—66
Minneapolis Washburn 39 36--75

Marcus Marshall 31
Joseph Doty 21-9 reb

Grand Rapids 20 24—44
DeLaSalle 26 41—67

Alex Illikainen 20
Luke Scott 20

3rd Place

St. Paul Johnson 75 Grand Rapids 63

Marshall 30

Championship

DeLaSalle 34 17 6—57 (OT)
Minneapolis Washburn 33 18 5—56

Reid Travis 20-18 reb
Doty 21-10 reb

Class AAAA Quarter-Finals

Hopkins 82 Woodbury 75
Osseo 62 Duluth East 51
Lakeville North 61 Moorhead 55
Eden Prairie 75 Eastview 68

Siyani Chambers, Hopkins 25
D.J. Hebert, Osseo 18
Aaron Lien, Moorhead 15
Grant Schafer, Eden Pr 41

Semi-Finals

Osseo 28 32 4 13 10—87 Ian Theisen 21-13 reb
Hopkins 32 28 4 13 9—86 Chambers 31

Eden Prairie 27 14—41 Sander Mohn 15
Lakeville North 20 38—58 Tyler Flack 14-11 reb

3rd Place

Hopkins 77 Eden Prairie 65 Mohn 22

Championship

Osseo 23 26—49 Hebert 13
Lakeville North 16 31—47 Flack 12-7 reb

The Stars

Champions W-L- Belgrade-Broten-Elrosa 33-0 Osseo 30-2 Plainville-Elgin-Millville 27-6 DeLaSalle 26-6

Coach of the Year Dave Montbriand, Belgrade-Broten-Elrosa

Siyani Chambers, Hopkins, G Class AAAA leader, 56 points, 18.7 ppg
Marcus Marshall, St. Paul Johnson, G Class AAA and overall leader, 84 pts, 28.0 ppg
Tyler Vaughan, Braham, G Class AA leader, 82 points, 27.3 ppg
Reid Travis, DeLaSalle, F
D. J. Hebert, Osseo, F

Fun Fact Hopkins lost to Osseo 87-86 in 3OT for their first state tournament loss after 17 straight wins (third place in 2003; state titles in 2005-06, 2009-10-11; QF win in 2012; and missed the tournament in 2004-07-08.). It took 3 OT and one of the weirdest games ever, statistically, to do it. Hopkins scored 33 points on 11 3s; Osseo went 0-for-12 from long range. Siyani Chambers of Hopkins set a record with 22 FT in the one game. But, Osseo scored 62 points in the paint and outrebounded Hopkins 56-31. Neither team scored in the first OT, then both scored 13 in the second.

2013

Class A Quarter-Finals

Maranatha 61 Mountain Lake 44 Carter Kirk, Mountain Lake 20
Rushford-Peterson 72 Lakeview Christian 54 Anders Broman, Lakeview 34
Upsala 71 Battle Lake 60 Christian Pekarek, Upsala 25
Southwest MN Christian 68 Walker-Hack.-A. 38 Leighton Sampson, SWC 17

Semi-Finals

Maranatha 20 41—61 Isaiah Hanson 18
Rushford-Peterson 18 28—46 Seth Thompson 20

Southwest MN Christian 32 39—71 Sampson 33-12 reb
Upsala 29 33—62 Pekarek 22

3rd Place

Rushford-Peterson 50 Upsala 38 Cole Kingsley, RP 10

Championship

Southwest MN Christian 34 47—81 Dominic Nibbelink 29-7 asts
Maranatha 37 36—73 Hanson 24-8 reb

Class AA Quarter-Finals

Minnehaha 53 Perham 41
Annandale 56 Byron 42
Litchfield 64 Redwood Valley 55 (2OT)
Esko 60 Hayfield 54

Semi-Finals

Annandale 32 47—79
Minnehaha 42 49—91

Esko 21 26—47
Litchfield 32 40—72

3rd Place

Annandale 59 Esko 58

Championship

Minnehaha 30 26—56
Litchfield 29 25—54

Class AAA Quarter-Finals

DeLaSalle 70 Sartell-St. Stephen 55
St. Paul Johnson 64 Delano 54

Austin 59 Blake 56
Marshall 69 Grand Rapids 52

Semi-Finals

St. Paul Johnson 24 35—59
DeLaSalle 47 39—86

Marshall 30 26 9—65
Austin 28 28 12—68

3rd Place

Marshall 71 St. Paul Johnson 62

Championship

DeLaSalle 28 22—50
Austin 17 16—33

Class AAAA

Apple Valley 81 Brainerd 67
Eden Prairie 70 Woodbury 59
Park Center 74 Lakeville North 72 (OT)
Edina 99 Andover 61

Eden Prairie 22 33—55
Apple Valley 30 32—62

Park Center 37 29—66
Edina 22 22—44

Edina 84 Eden Prairie 49

Park Center 25 32—57
Apple Valley 32 42—74

Tyler Glines, Perham 15-8 reb
Jack Nelson, Byron 17
Alec Koster, Redwood 27
Kory Deadrick, Esko 30

Brett Asenmacher 24
Kahari Carter 29

Casey Staninger 11
Zach Whitchurch 22

Matt Miller, Annandale 27-10 reb

Marcellous Hazzard 14
Riley Pater 16

Reid Travis, DeLaSalle 23-16 reb-4 blks
Quashingm Smith-Pugh, Johnson 20-15 reb;
D. Pulis, Delano 20
Joe Aase, Austin 20-8 reb
Alex Illikainen, Gr Rapids 31

Smith-Pugh 18
Travis 30-12 reb, Luke Scott 30-4 asts

Tanner Bukowski 16
Zach Wessels 20

Riley Sharbono, Marshall 18

Travis 17
Tom Aase 14-6 reb

Tyus Jones, Dennis Austin, Apple Valley 19
Andre Wallace, Eden Prairie 20
Quintin Hooker, Park C 29-10 reb
Graham Woodward, Edina 40-7 asts-3 stls

Jack Cottrell 15
Jones 23-5 asts-6 stls

Isaiah McKay 16
Woodward 17

Woodward 29-6 reb-8 asts

Hooker 18-9 reb
Jones 28-11 reb-5 asts-18-of-18 FT

The Stars

Champions W-L- Apple Valley 31-1 DeLaSalle 30-1 Southwest Minnesota Christian 30-1 Minnehaha 26-6

Coach of the Year Zach Goring, Apple Valley

Tyus Jones, Apple Valley, PG

Reid Travis, DeLaSalle, F

Class AAA leader, 80 pts., 26.7 ppg

Graham Woodward, Edina, G

Class AAAA leader, 86 pts, 28.7 ppg

Quintin Hooker, Park Center, G

Quashingm Smith-Pugh, St. Paul Johnson, F

Fun Facts Class AAAA winning teams averaged 75 points, the second most ever in any class. Twenty-five years after the introduction of the three-pointer, teams doubled the number of threes made in 1998 to 10.5 in 2013, but still made just 33 percent. The real revolution was in two-pointers, where teams were now shooting 53 percent.

2014

Class A Quarter-Finals

Belgrade-Brooten-Elrosa 85 Park Christian 50

Fond du Lac Ojibwe 85 Canby 82 (3OT)

Maranatha 95 Red Lake 67

Rushford-Pete. 71 Atwater-Cosmos-Grove C. 63 Cole Kingsley, RP; G. Eisenbacher, ACGC 18

Brian Goodwin, BBE 35-5 stls

Michael Slaba, Canby 35-6 asts

Jeremiah Hanson, Maranatha 31

Semi-Finals

Fond du Lac Ojibwe 32 26—58

Belgrade-BE 45 31—76

Davonte Williamson 18

Goodwin 25-4 asts

Maranatha 19 32—51

Rushford-Peterson 29 24—53

Josh Goldschmidt 13

Austin O'Hare 14

3rd Place

Maranatha 103 Fond du lac Ojubwe 87

Goldschmidt 45

Championship

Rushford-Peterson 25 15—40

Belgrade-BE 21 31—52

Alex Vix 12

Goodwin 24-10 reb

Class AA Quarter-Finals

Annandale 76 New London-Spicer 70

Caledonia 73 St. Paul Academy 53

Fairmont 58 St. Peter 54

Chase Knickerbocker, Annandale 23-9 reb

Austin Bauer, Caledonia 28-5 asts

Tom Steidler, St. Peter 19

East Grand Forks 26 25 3—54

Esko 25 26 6—57

Jim Warmack 24-11 reb

Kory Deadrick 24-14 reb

Semi-Finals

Caledonia 30 46—76

Annandale 43 38—81

Kyle Sorenson 24-13 reb

Knickerbocker 24

Fairmont 27 16—43

Esko 23 33—56

Josh Eversman 15

Deadrick 21-14 reb

3rd Place

Caledonia 79 Fairmont 65

Bauer 21

Championship

Esko 22 38—60
Annandale 18 23—41

Marc Peterson 16
Matt Miller 10-6 reb

Class AAA Quarter-Finals

DeLaSalle 38 43—81
St. Paul Central 17 31—48

Sacar Anim 21
Rayeon Williams 11

Marshall 26 46—72
Orono 35 42—77

Riley Sharbono 22
Cole Hennings 23

Alexandria 21 29—50
Austin 29 32—61

John Vogeler 13
Zach Wessels 23

Cloquet 21 20—41
Holy Family 34 29—63

Dillon Johnson 15
Justin Dahl 15-10 reb

Semi-Finals

Orono 19 22—41
DeLaSalle 30 37—67

Hennings 20
Reid Travis 27-12 reb

Holy Family 20 22—42
Austin 38 32—70

Dahl 8-9 rebounds
Ajuda Nywesh 21

3rd Place

Holy Family 56 Orono 35

Brent Hedges, HF 13

Championship

Austin 20 20—40
DeLaSalle 33 27—60

Nywesh 24
Travis 16

Class AAAA Quarter-Finals

Hopkins 70 Tartan 58
Shakopee 54 Osseo 51

Lakeville North 59 Buffalo 47
Cretin-Derham Hall 69 St. Francis 53

Kamali Chambers, Hopkins 22
Steffon Mitchell, Shakopee 18-8 reb
Ian Theisen, Osseo 18-11 reb.
J.P. Macura, Lakeville N 23
Donnell Gresham, Cretin 20-9 reb-6 ast

Semi-Finals

Hopkins 22 19 5 3—49
Shakopee 19 22 5 0—46

Jacob Wright 23
Tyler Weiss 19

Lakeville North 30 25—55
Cretin-Derham Hall 32 20—52

Macura 31
Gresham 20-9 reb, Sam Neumann 20

3rd Place

Shakopee 62 Cretin-Derham Hall 56

Weiss 22-15 reb, Joe Rosga, Cretin 22

Championship

Lakeville North 36 48—84
Hopkins 41 41—82

Macura 43
Chambers 24

The Stars

Champions W-L- Belgrade-Broten-Elrosa 31-1 Esko 29-3 DeLaSalle 26-3 Lakeville North 27-5

Coach of the Year John Oxtan, Lakeville North

J.P. Macura, Lakeville North, G

Class AAAA leader, 97 points, 32.3 ppg

Reid Travis, DeLaSalle, F
Brian Goodwin, Belgrade-Brooten-Elrosa, G
Kamali Chambers, Hopkins, G
Kory Deadrick, Esko, C

Class AAA leader 63 points, 3 games, 21.0 ppg
Class A leader, 83 points, 28 ppg
Class A leader 63 points, 3 games, 21.0 ppg

Fun Fact Cretin upset Apple Valley in the Section 3AAAA final, thus depriving Tyus Jones and the Eagles of the opportunity to defend their state title, and depriving basketball fans of one last chance to see Tyus in action. The result was a magical night for Lakeville North and J.P. Macura in the state final, when Macura scored 43 points and brought the Panthers from behind to beat Hopkins in the final minute.

2015

Class A Quarter-Finals

Rushford-Peterson 105 Fond du Lac Ojibwe 58 Charlie Krambeer, RP 33-6 asts-4 stls
Central Minnesota Christian 56 Nevis 47 Griffin Chase, Nevis 20-6 reb-4 stls
Maranatha 59 Red Lake 55 Jake Meyen, Maranatha 21
Battle Lake 83 Atwater-Cosmos-Grove City 66 Alex Hendricks, ACGC 24

Semi-Finals

Central MN Christian 15 24—39 Austin Bulthuis 19
Rushford-Peterson 28 34—62 Noah Carlson 16-5 asts-7 stls
Battle Lake 34 35—69 Petric Van Erp 29-12 reb-3 blks
Maranatha 34 40—74 Jeremiah Hanson 30-10 reb

3rd Place

Central Minnesota Christian 57 Battle Lake 55 Tony Ukkelberg, Battle L 17-5 asts

Championship

Maranatha 18 26—44 Hanson 21
Rushford-Peterson 23 28—51 Alex Vix 23

Class AA Quarter-Finals

St. Croix Lutheran 37 Esko 35 Trenton Krueger, SCL 18
Caledonia 72 Annandale 66 Chase Knickerbocker, Annandale 24-8 reb
Melrose 81 Redwood Valley 66 Sam Pendleton, RWV 31-4 stls
Maple River 78 Breckenridge 72 Jeff Lewis, Maple R 25

Semi-Finals

Melrose 25 30—55 Dillon Haider 19
St. Croix Lutheran 13 27—40 Ade Lamu 18-9 reb
Maple River 19 39—58 Jonah Breiter 18-6 reb
Caledonia 40 34—74 Owen King 18

3rd Place

St. Croix Lutheran 78 Maple River 67 Aage Rovney, SCL 37

Championship

Melrose 31 32—63 Drake Meyer 24
Caledonia 24 27—51 Bauer, Burg, Lampert 9

Class AAA

DeLaSalle 70 Albany 60 **Sacar Anim**, DLS 22
Mankato East 65 New Prague 60 Gorg Alhag, East 16

St. Paul Johnson 59 Hermantown 56
Waconia 73 Orono 68

Thomas Madison, Hermantown 20
Cole Hemmings, Orono 21

DeLaSalle 37 37—74
Mankato East 22 18—40

Anim 27
Alhag 8-5 asts

Waconia 23 39—62
St. Paul Johnson 36 33—69

Josh Rands 16
Jason Mobley 15-6 reb-4 asts

3rd Place

Waconia 79 Mankato East 65

Alhag 24-5 asts

Championship

St. Paul Johnson 22 42—64
DeLaSalle 32 50—82

Mobley 19
Anim 32-10 reb

Class AAAA Quarter-Finals

Champlin Park 90 St. Francis 47
Shakopee 64 Roseville 53
Apple Valley 70 St. Michael-Albertville 57
Lakeville North 65 Hopkins 61

Johnson, Wright, Champlin; Moreno, St. Fr. 17
S. Mitchell, Shak.; K. Critchley, Roseville 19
Jason Greenwaldt, St. MA 21
Carter Brooks, LN; Ishmail El-Amin, Hopkins 17

Semi-Finals

Shakopee 31 26—57
Champlin Park 26 39—65

Steffon Mitchell 25-8 reb
J.T. Gibson 18

Lakeville North 18 40—58
Apple Valley 27 40—67

Brooks 13-7 reb
Gary Trent, Jr. 19

3rd Place

Shakopee 77 Lakeville North 64

Mitchell 22-8 reb

Championship

Apple Valley 31 33—64
Champlin Park 27 34—61

Trent 15
Marty Hill, Champlin 19-9 reb

The Stars

Champions W-L- Rushford-Peterson 32-1 Apple Valley 30-2 DeLaSalle 26-4 Melrose 29-5

Coach of the Year Tom Vix, Rushford-Peterson

Sacar Anim, DeLaSalle, G

Class AAA leader, 81 points, 27 ppg

Steffon Mitchell, Shakopee, F

Class AAAA leader, 66 points, 22 ppg

Gary Trent, Apple Valley, F

J.T. Gibson, Champlin Park, G

Jeremiah Hanson, Maranatha, F

Class AA leader, 69 pts, 23 ppg

Fun Fact DeLaSalle joined Southwest Minnesota Christian and Minneapolis Patrick Henry as a 4-peat state champion. Before the Islanders were done, however, they had won 6 in a row (2012-2017) and 7 of 8 (2019) for an all-time high of 12 MSHSL state titles, not even counting 10 Catholic state titles before the private schools joined the MSHSL in 1975.

2016

Class A Quarter-Finals

Minneapolis North 80 St. Clair 27
Red Lake 66 Browerville 52
Central M Christian 50 Mountain Iron-Buhl 32

Mitchell Weber, St. Clair 15
Kendall Whitefeather, Red L 18
Jaydon Holmes, MIB 14

Goodhue 54 Lake Park-Audubon 29

Jesse Bergh, LPA 15

Semi-Finals

Red Lake 37 24—61
Minneapolis North 49 33—82

Will Morrison 19
Jamil Jackson 21-9 reb

Goodhue 26 15—41
Central MN Christian 20 18—38

Jacob McNamara 14-9 reb
Taylor Stagter, CMC 11

3rd Place

Central Minnesota Christian 79 Red Lake 45

Stagter 31

Championship

Goodhue 26 19—45
Minneapolis North 25 43—68

Ben Opsahl 12
Isaac Johnson 18-11 reb

Class AA Quarter-Finals

St. Croix Lutheran 86 Dilworth-Glyndon-F. 51
Jackson County Central 79 Caledonia 74
Braham 67 Maple River 58
Annandale 52 Esko 40

Aage Rovney, SCL 29
Jacob Christopher, JCC 27
Chris Olson, Braham 23
Jarod Wilken, Annandale 19

Semi-Finals

Braham 39 47—86
St. Croix Lutheran 33 44—77

Olson 24-10 reb
Ade Murkey 26-12 reb-4 asts

Jackson Co. Central 39 34—63
Annandale 23 23—46

Brody Behrends 20-8 reb-7 blks
Alex Hohenstein 12

3rd Place

St. Croix Lutheran 81 Annandale 45

Rovney 27

Championship

Jackson Co. Central 29 61—90
Braham 50 46—96

Colton Timmer 21
Olson 33-9 reb

Class AAA Quarter-Finals

DeLaSalle 65 Fridley 52
Monticello 60 Chisago Lakes 55
Red Wing 73 Simley 51
Fergus Falls 70 Waseca 63

Teathloch Pal, Fridley 27-14 reb-4 asts-5 blks
Dylan Wood, Chisago 17
Ben Munson, Red Wing 21
Nathan Rund, Matthew Monke, Fergus 22

Semi-Finals

Monticello 20 25—45
DeLaSalle 25 34—59

Matt Todd 16
Goanar Mar 20-7 reb

Fergus Falls 37 21—58
Red Wing 29 26—55

Rund 23
Munson 17

3rd Place

Red Wing 75 Monticello 59

Travis Toivonen 22-11 reb-6 asts; Todd 22

Championship

Fergus Falls 25 40—65
DeLaSalle 37 42—79

Harrison Christenson 22
Gabe Kalscheur 27-7 reb

Class AAAA

Osseo 85 Eden Prairie 73
 Lakeville North 60 Maple Grove 49
 Hopkins 74 North St. Paul 42
 Apple Valley 77 Blaine 57

Brady Rudrud, Eden Pr 30-6 reb-4 asts
 Nate Reuvers, Lakeville M 19-14 reb
 Xavier Johnson, Hopkins 20
 Gary Trent, Apple V 23

Semi-Finals

Lakeville North 32 28—60
 Osseo 28 28—56

Reuvers 17-9 reb
 Allen Anderson 19

Apple Valley 33 27—60
 Hopkins 34 50—84

Trent 23
 Johnson 24

3rd Place

Apple Valley 93 Osseo 82

Cameron Kirksey, Apple V 26-8 reb

Championship

Lakeville North 23 32—55
 Hopkins 23 41—64

Reuvers 16-3 blks
 Amir Coffey 19

The Stars

Champions W-L- Hopkins 31-1 Braham 31-2 DeLaSalle 24-4 Minneapolis North 29-5

Coach of the Year Ken Novak, Jr., Hopkins

Amir Coffey, Hopkins, F

Nate Reuvers, Lakeville North, F

Gary Trent, Apple Valley, F

Class AAAA leader, 68 pts, 22.7 ppg

Isaac Johnson, Minneapolis North, G

Xavier Johnson, Hopkins, G

Fun Fact Minneapolis North broke Stillwater's 102-year old record of a 29-point average margin (40-11) by a state champion. North won 3 games by an average of 77-44.

2017**Class A Quarter-Finals**

Minneapolis North 93 Red Lake 46

Odell Wilson, North 21-11 reb

Springfield 73 Nevis 65

Michael Landquist, Nevis 24

Goodhue 57 Lake Park-Audubon 37

Jesse Bergh, LPA 17-9 reb

North Woods 54 Central Minnesota Christian 51 C. Goggleye won it with half-court 3 at the buzzer

Semi-Finals

Springfield 32 24—56

Isaac Fink, Springfield 18

Minneapolis North 56 44—100

Isaac Johnson, North 29-10 reb

North Woods 26 25—51

Tate Olson 20

Goodhue 24 25—49

Jacob McNamara 16-11 reb

Consolation

Red Lake 52 Nevis 43

Griffin Chase, Nevis 20

Central MN Christian 68 Lake Park-Audubon 49

Mitch Hall, LPA 23

Red Lake 56 Central Minnesota Christian 55

Ethan Brouwer, CMC 21

3rd Place

Goodhue 51 Springfield 47

Ben Opsahl, Goodhue 19-7 reb

Championship

North Woods 21 28—49
Minneapolis North 48 48—96

Olson 14-5 reb
Johnson 28-9 reb

Class AA Quarter-Finals

Minnehaha 77 Lake City 63
St. Cloud Cath. 70 New Richland-HEG 59 (OT)
Annandale 66 Jackson County Central 61
Crosby-Ironton 64 Breckenridge 50

Jalen Suggs, Minnehaha 27-12 reb
Michael Schaefer, SCC 33
Jacob Christopher, JCC 33
Trey Jacobs, CI 26

Semi-Finals

Annandale 25 19—44
Minnehaha 29 47—76

Jarod Wilken 13
Suggs 23-6 reb-4 asts

Crosby-Ironton 25 28—53
St. Cloud Cathedral 17 25—42

Noah Gindorff 19-14 reb
Schaefer 15

Consolation

Lake City 62 Jackson County Central 41
New Richland-HEG 65 Breckenridge 47
New Richland-HEG 77 Lake City 66

Mitch Marien, Lake C 16
Oakley Baker, NRHEG 22-4 stls
Baker 40

3rd Place

Annandale 68 St. Cloud Cathedral 60

A.J. Hinz, Annandale 20

Championship

Crosby-Ironton 17 19—36
Minnehaha 23 24—47

Gindorff 19
Suggs 22

Class AAA Quarter-Finals

DeLaSalle 55 Big Lake 47
Columbia Heights 77 Fergus Falls 74
Austin 55 St. Thomas 49
Marshall 83 Grand Rapids 64

Gabe Kalscheur, DLS 23-10 reb
W. Matthews 19-14 reb, Q. Hardrict 19, CH
Sam Vascellero, St. T. 24-13 reb
Jake Skelly, Gr Rapids 33

Semi-Finals

Columbia Heights 30 30—60
DeLaSalle 42 46—86

Quentin Hardrict 17
Goanar Mar 20-15 reb

Marshall 20 33—53
Austin 33 40—73

Trey Lance 14
Duoth Gach 29

Consolation

Fergus Falls 65 Big Lake 51
St. Thomas 80 Grand Rapids 77
Fergus Falls 71 St. Thomas 42

Elijah Colbeck, Fergus 22
Vascellero 28-5 stls-3 blks
Colbeck 18-8 reb, Matthew Monk 18, Fergus

3rd Place

Marshall 83 Columbia Heights 37

Weston Magrath, Marshall 20-10 reb

Championship

Austin 23 21—44
DeLaSalle 31 41—72

Both Gach 14
Mar 28-11 reb

Class AAAA Quarter-Finals

Champlin Park 53 Chaska 50
Wayzata 69 Lakeville North 66

McKinley Wright, CP 30-8 reb
Baumgartner, Wayzata; Reuvers, LN 19-8 reb

Maple Grove 73 Andover 50
Apple Valley 76 Cretin-Derham Hall 67

Brad Davison, MG 22-9 reb-10 asts
Tre Jones, Apple V 34-12 reb

Semi-Finals

Wayzata 34 28—62
Champlin Park 31 39—70

Ryan Lindberg 21-8 reb
Wright 21-5 asts

Apple Valley 34 43—77
Maple Grove 30 24—54

Jones 19-13 reb-10 asts
Tywhom Pickford 23-8 reb

Consolation

Lakeville North 64 Chaska 46
Cretin-Derham Hall 89 Andover 80 (2 OT)
Cretin-Derham Hall 71 Lakeville North 61

Ethan Igbanugo, Lakeville N 19
Logan Rezac, Andover 35-8 reb
Nate Reuvers 41-12 reb

3rd Place

Wayzata 70 Maple Grove 66

Davison 24-8 reb-9 asts

Championship

Apple Valley 25 35—60
Champlin Park 27 27—54

Jones 24-18 reb-5 asts
Marcus Hill 15

The Stars

Champions W-L- Minneapolis North 32-2 Apple Valley 30-2 DeLaSalle 27-3 Minnehaha 26-5
Coach of the Year Larry McKenzie, Minneapolis North

Tre Jones, Apple Valley, G
Isaac Johnson, Minneapolis North, G
Jalen Suggs, Minnehaha, G
McKinley Wright, Champlin Park, G
Goanar Mar, DeLaSalle, F

Class AAAA leader, 77 points, 25.7 ppg
Class A leader, 78 points, 25.3 ppg

Class AAA leader 62 points, 3 games, 20.7 ppg

Fun Facts For the second straight year, Minneapolis North set a tournament record for the largest average margin of victory, with an eye-popping average margin of 96-50. North's 289 points is also a tournament record, along with its 116 FG and 146 rebounds. Led by North's performance, the average Class A score was 75-50. The 75 points ties for the second most ever in any class, while the 25 point average margin of victory is the biggest margin ever in any class.

2018

Class A Quarter-Finals

Mayer Lutheran 71 Mahnomen-Waubun 40
Russell-Tyler-Ruthon 87 Hinkley-Finlayson 70
North Woods 74 Heritage Christian 36
Cass Lake-Bena 63 Rushford-Peterson 61 (OT)

Baden Noenning, Mayer L 17-8 reb
Garrett Kern, RTR 26
Cade Goggleye, N Woods 23-8 asts
Ben Ansell, RP 17

Semi-Finals

Russell-Tyler-Ruthon 30 19—49
Mayer Lutheran 15 23—38

Carter Hanson 18-16 reb
Noenning 15-11 reb

Cass Lake-Bena 17 30—47
North Woods 33 34—67

Noah DeLapaz 16-9 reb
Goggleye 23

3rd Place

Mayer Lutheran 67 Cass Lake-Bena 51

DeLapaz 25-4 asts

Championship

Russell-Tyler-Ruthton 31 28—59
North Woods 33 22—55

Class AA Quarter-Finals

Minnehaha 65 Jordan 45
St. Cloud Cathedral 64 Esko 60 (3OT)
Brooklyn Center 63 Breckenridge 48
Caledonia 80 Minnewaska 41

Semi-Finals

Minnehaha 42 35—77
St. Cloud Cathedral 24 27—51

Caledonia 33 40--73
Brooklyn Center 32 35—67

3rd Place

St. Cloud Cathedral 75 Brooklyn Center 70

Championship

Caledonia 31 29—60
Minnehaha 43 30—73

Class AAA

DeLaSalle 90 Hermantown 63
Columbia Heights 75 St. Thomas 62
Austin 64 Sauk Rapids-Rice 55
Delano 79 Mankato East 64

Semi-Finals

Columbia Heights 31 40—71
DeLaSalle 29 40—69

Delano 39 41—80
Austin 30 38—68

3rd Place

DeLaSalle 82 Austin 61

Championship

Delano 20 45—65
Columbia Heights 33 28—61

Class AAAA Quarter-Finals

Cretin-Derham Hall 70 Wayzata 48
Eden Prairie 65 Osseo 38
Apple Valley 67 Forest Lake 60
Lakeville North 89 Maple Grove 71

Semi-Finals

Eden Prairie 25 31—56
Cretin-Derham Hall 31 29—60

Lakeville North 27 18—45
Apple Valley 29 29—58

Westin Kirk 18-8 reb
Tate Olson, NW 15

Eric Tiedman, Jordan 20
Nick Schaefer, SCC; Quinn Fischer, Esko 18
Lu'Cye Patterson, Bklyn C 25
Martin Morem, Caledonia 18

Jalen Suggs 25-9 reb-4 asts
Mitch Plombon 20

Morem 25
Patterson 29

Schaefer 25-10 rebounds

Owen King 22
Suggs 27-5 reb-8 asts

Gabe Kalscheur, DLS 21-6 reb-6 asts
Deundra Roberson, Col Hts 24
Moses Issa, Austin 20
Calvin Wishart, Delano 35-12 reb-6 asts

Wendell Matthews 20-11 reb
Tyrell Terry 24

Wishart 29-19 reb-7 asts-4 stls
Duoth Gach 17

Kalscheur 29-11 reb

Keegan O'Neil 30-12 reb
Matthews 21-11 reb

Daniel Oturu, CDH 24-9 reb-8 blks
Connor Christensen, Eden Pr 22-11 reb
Tre Jones, Apple V 22
Tyler Wahl, Lakeville N 25-7 reb-5 asts

Austin Andrews 16
Oturu 24-12 reb-5 blks

Wahl 19-10 reb-5 asts
Jones 16-11 reb-7 asts

3rd Place

Lakeville North 63 Eden Prairie 52 Wahl 18-14 reb-5 asts

Championship

Apple Valley 41 37—78 Jones 35-6 reb-5 asts
Cretin-Derham Hall 40 39—79 Jaeden King 19

The Stars

Champions W-L- Russell-Tyler-Ruthton 33-1 Cretin-Derham Hall 30-2 Minnehaha 28-4
Delano 21-11

Coach of the Year Willie Braziel, Columbia Heights

Calvin Wishart, Delano, G Class AAA leader, 83 points, 27.7 ppg

Daniel Oturu, Cretin-Derham Hall, C

Tre Jones, Apple Valley, G Class AAAA leader, 73 points, 24.3 ppg

Tyler Wahl, Lakeville North, G

Wendell Matthews, Columbia Heights, F

Fun Facts Daniel Oturu became the sixth player to lead a state champion in scoring but to be left off the all-tournament team. He was called for a technical foul for throwing Apple Valley's Tre Jones to the floor late in the first half. Apple Valley got a free throw out of the deal, and Oturu had to sit out six crucial minutes of the second half with four fouls, one of them being the T. The media voted Oturu to the all-tournament team but the MSHSL deleted his name from the list, apparently because of the technical foul. But, when asked, the MSHSL said that it was a media decision.

Meanwhile, Cretin guard Ryan Larson was the first boy known to win state championships with two different schools—Braham in 2016 and Cretin in 2018. It was he who passed the ball to Oturu for the game-winning basket.

2019

Class A Quarter-Finals

Spring Grove 78 Springfield 67 Isaac Fink, Springfield 30-6 reb-7 asts
Henning 63 Christ's Household of Faith 56 Sam Fisher, Henning 20-6 asts-6 stl
Ada-Borup 49 Cromwell-Wright 39 Mason Miller, Ada 19-17 reb
North Woods 56 Westbrook-Walnut Grove 39 Trevor Morrison, N Woods 20-10 reb

Semi-Finals

Spring Grove 16 18—34 Caden Grinde 11
Henning 37 30—67 Parker Frakl 15-9 reb, Fisher 15-8 asts

North Woods 38 19—57 Morrison 20-10 reb
Ada-Borup 29 26—55 Miller 18

Consolation

Springfield 95 Christ's Household of Faith 73 Decker Scheffler, Springfield 25-13 reb-9 asts
Westbrook-Walnut Gr. 70 Cromwell-Wright 57 Ethan Mischke, WWG 25
Springfield 91 Westbrook-Walnut Grove 61 Fink 35-11 reb

3rd Place

Spring Grove 72 Ada-Borup 68 Alex Folz, Spring Grove 29-6 asts

Championship

Henning 36 31—67 Fisher 22-7 reb
North Woods 17 25—42 Morrison 11-12 reb

Class AA

Minnehaha 78 St. Peter 47
Lake City 60 Melrose 44
Minneapolis North 61 Esko 53
Perham 73 Redwood Valley 58

Semi-Finals

Lake City 24 28—52
Minnehaha 43 39—82

Perham 15 31—46
Minneapolis North 31 31—62

Consolation

Melrose 58 St. Peter 53
Esko 66 Redwood Valley 56
Melrose 66 Esko 57

3rd Place

Lake City 51 Perham 47

Championship

Minneapolis North 15 37—52
Minnehaha 30 39—69

Class AAA

DeLaSalle 76 Bemidji 45
Princeton 68 Mahtomedi 63
Waseca 82 Holy Angels 62
Austin 68 Monticello 52

Semi-Finals

DeLaSalle 42 51—93
Princeton 30 24—54

Austin 34 35—69
Waseca 36 43—79

Consolation

Mahtomedi 87 Bemidji 49
Holy Angels 71 Monticello 65
Holy Angels 80 Mahtomedi 73

3rd Place

Austin 88 Princeton 76

Championship

Waseca 21 35—56
DeLaSalle 25 38—63

Class AAAA

Park Center 77 Maple Grove 56
Lakeville North 73 Eden Prairie 48
Hopkins 86 Cambridge-Isanti 53
East Ridge 78 Eastview 41

Jalen Suggs, Minnehaha 21-11 reb-10 asts
Nathan Heise, LC 18-7 reb-4 asts
Willie Wilson, North 17
Cole Woodford, Redwood 23

Reid Gastner 21
Suggs 24-11 reb-7 asts

Josh Jeziorski 15-8 reb
Nasir El-Amin, North 13

Grant Moscho, Melrose 17
Trevor Spindler, Esko 32
Preston Keaveny, Melrose 27

Heise 23

El-Amin 17
Suggs, Prince Aligbe 20

Jamison Battle, DLS 21
J'Vonne Hadley, Mahtomedi 32-16 reb-5 asts
Malik Willingham, Waseca 22-11 reb-6 asts
Medi Obang, Austin 16-7 stls

Battle 28
Adam Williams 21

Obang 25
Ryan Dufault 30

Hadley 30-6 reb-6 asts-5 stls
Emmett Johnson, Holy A 20
Matt Banovetz, Holy A 27

Obang 35-5 stls

Willingham 21-8 asts
Battle 26

Khari Broadway, Park C 19-7 reb
Tommy Jensen, Lakeville N 23
Zeke Nnaji, Hopkins 25-9 reb
Courtney Brown, E Ridge 18-10 reb

Semi-Finals

Lakeville North 31 16—47
Park Center 14 31—45

Jensen 16
Emmanuel Tamba 16-9 stls

East Ridge 24 23—47
Hopkins 26 45—71

C. Brown 13
Nnaji 23-10 reb

Consolation

Eden Prairie 77 Maple Grove 74
Eastview 85 Cambridge-Isanti 78
Eden Prairie 76 Eastview 65

Drake Dobbs, Eden Pr 20-5 asts
Steven Crowl, Eastview 28
Dobbs 25

3rd Place

Park Center 61 East Ridge 59

Kendall Brown, E Ridge 18-7 reb-5 asts

Lakeville North 17 23—40
Hopkins 24 31—55

Tyler Wahl 19-17 reb
Kerwin Walton 17

The Stars

Champions W-L- Henning 31-1 Minnehaha 29-2 Hopkins 27-4 DeLaSalle 27-5

Coach of the Year Randy Misegades, Henning

Jalen Suggs, Minnehaha, G Class AAA leader 65 points, 3 games, 21.7 ppg

Zeke Nnaji, Hopkins, C

Jamison Battle, DeLaSalle, F

Sam Fisher, Henning, G

Medi Obang, Austin, G Class AAA leader 82 points, 3 games, 27.3 ppg

Fun Facts At 67-54, the 2010s are the second highest-scoring decade after the 1960s. 19 points (in 2019) is the second widest average margin ever after 1968 (79-58).

2020

Not-So-Fun Facts The 2020 boys state tournament was cancelled about one week prior to its scheduled commencement. Section tournaments were well underway. Half of the 32 section champions had already been crowned, while another 32 teams awaited a section final game that never came.

Here are the 48 teams that were still standing when the 2020 state tournament was called off. Those in boldface had already won a sectional title. The rest ended their seasons as section finalists, though the favorite in those section finals is also designated by *italic type*. The numerical rating is the QRF rating of each team at the time the season was called off.

| Class AAAA | Class AAA | Class AA | Class A |
|---|--|---|--|
| 1. <i>Eden Prairie 28-0</i> 2. Cretin 25-4 4. <i>Eastview 24-4</i> 5. <i>Park Center 23-5</i> 6. <i>Shakopee 23-5</i> 7. Hopkins 24-5 9. <i>Lakeville S 21-7</i> 10. <i>Spring Lk Pk 23-5</i> 11. Maple Grove 23-5 13. <i>Lakeville N 17-11</i> | 1. Minnehaha 25-3 3. DeLaSalle 24-5 6. <i>Austin 23-5</i> 7. Delano 25-4 8. Marshall 28-2 9. St. C. Apollo 21-8 10. Princeton 25-4 13. Richfield 23-6 27. <i>Albert Lea 13-13</i> | 1. <i>Mpls. North 21-8</i> 2. <i>Fergus Falls 25-4</i> 4. <i>Perham 28-0</i> 6. <i>Waseca 25-5</i> 7. Caledonia 28-1 10. <i>Blake 22-6</i> 12. <i>Melrose 23-6</i> 13. <i>Esko 21-7</i> 15. <i>Mora 22-7</i> 18. Jackson CC 20-7 | 2. <i>Ada-Borup 27-1</i> 3. Henning 29-1 5. <i>Springfield 26-3</i> 6. <i>New Ulm Cath. 26-3</i> 8. Blooming Pr. 25-3 9. SW MN Chr. 29-0 10. <i>CHOF 22-6</i> 11. <i>Nash-Kee 25-4</i> 14. <i>North Woods 23-6</i> 15. <i>Cass LB 22-7</i> |

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|---|--|---|---|
| 15. Cambridge 24-4 23. Roch. Mayo 22-6 | | 25. Pierz 21-8 27. Concordia 20-8 29. Jordan 21-7 40. Cristo Rey 15-13 | 16. Legacy Chr. 24-4 17. Nevis 24-4 43. Hinckley-F. 14-14 |
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But while there was no state tournament, there were stars. Had there been a state tournament, here are the teams and players and coach who would have distinguished themselves.

The Stars

Champions W-L- Eden Prairie 28-0 Henning 29-1 Caledonia 28-1 Minnehaha 25-3

Coach of the Year David Flom, Eden Prairie

Jalen Suggs, Minnehaha, G

Drake Dobbs, Eden Prairie, G

Steven Crowl, Eastview, C

Noah King, Caledonia, G

Chet Holmgren, Minnehaha, C

2021

Class A Quarter-Finals

| | | |
|-------------------------------|-------------------------|---|
| Badger-Greenbush-Middle R. 58 | Deer River 52 | Kobey Dallager, BGMR 25-8 reb. |
| Hancock 57 | Nevis 50 | Matt Thompson, Hancock 29 |
| Hayfield 62 | Legacy Christian 43 | Isaac Matti 18 |
| Sleepy Eye St. M. 86 | Central MN Christian 73 | Easton Fritcher 12-29 reb, Hayfield Trent Steffensmeier, SM; Case Mulder, CMC 30 |

Semi-Finals

| | | | |
|----------------------|----|-------|---|
| Hancock | 29 | 36—65 | Thompson 20-19 reb-3 blk |
| Sleepy E. St. Mary's | 34 | 19—53 | Kaleb Wait, SESM 19-4 stl |
| Hayfield | 38 | 41—79 | Ethan Slaathaug, Hayfield 34-4 ast; Fritcher 15 reb |
| Badger-Greenbush-MR | 26 | 27—53 | Dallager 14 |

Championship

| | | | |
|----------|----|-------|--------------|
| Hayfield | 39 | 22—61 | Slaathaug 20 |
| Hancock | 31 | 29—60 | Thompson 18 |

Class AA Quarter-Finals

| | | |
|----------------------|--------------------------|------------------------------|
| Fergus Falls 47 | Annandale 44 | Chance Fazio, Fergus 16 |
| Caledonia 81 | St. Croix Prep 52 | Jackson Koepke, Caledonia 22 |
| Minneapolis North 71 | Moose Lake-Willow R. 40 | Mason Olson, Moose Lake 19 |
| Waseca 83 | Morris/Chokio-Alberta 58 | Andrew Morgan, Waseca 26 |

Semi-Finals

| | | | |
|-------------------|----|-------|----------------------------------|
| Caledonia | 30 | 30—60 | Austin Klug 14-8 reb-4 ast-4 stl |
| Minneapolis North | 21 | 34—55 | Davon Townley 19-10 reb |
| Fergus Falls | 30 | 28—58 | Fazio 20-15 reb-4 blk |
| Waseca | 44 | 28—72 | Morgan 24-11 reb-3 blk |

Championship

| | | | |
|-----------|----|-------|-----------------|
| Caledonia | 27 | 22—49 | Klug 25 |
| Waseca | 29 | 22—51 | Ryan Dufault 23 |

Class AAA Quarter-Finals

| | | |
|---------------|---------------|----------------------------|
| Alexandria 75 | Monticello 53 | Colton Roderick, Alex 21 |
| DeLaSalle 92 | Hibbing 72 | Cade Haskins, DeLaSalle 32 |

Minnehaha 75 Byron 63
Richfield 67 Mankato West 63

Jake Braaten, Byron 29
LaMar Grayson, Richfield 29

Semi-Finals

Richfield 29 35—64
Alexandria 23 43—66

Grayson 22
Kobe Jensen 15-7 reb-5 blk

DeLaSalle 19 39—58
Minnehaha 38 41—79

Nasir Whitlock 16
Chet Holmgren 25-16 reb

Championship

Alexandria 20 9—29
Minnehaha 36 44—80

Erik Hedstrom 10
Hercy Miller 24

Class AAAA Quarter-Finals

Cretin-Derham Hall 41 Rosemount 40
Maple Grove 70 Champlin Park 61 (OT)
Shakopee 62 Owatonna 49
Wayzata 78 Duluth East 69

Caleb Siwek, Rosemount 15
Francis Nwaokorie, Champlin 31
Cade McGraw, Shakopee 17
Eddie Beeninga, Wayzata 26

Semi-Finals

Maple Grove 16 26—42
Cretin-Derham Hall 29 25—54

Jon Haakenson 11
Tre Holloman 18-4 asts-3 stls

Wayzata 38 34—72
Shakopee 16 27—43

Drew Berkland 17
Mick Wherley 12

Championship

Cretin-Derham Hall 28 33—61
Wayzata 35 40—75

Holloman 20
Berkland 20

The Stars

Champions W-L- Waseca 23-1 Minnehaha 20-1 Wayzata 19-2 Hayfield 21-4

Coach of the Year Seth Anderson, Waseca

Chet Holmgren, Minnehaha, C

Tre Holloman, Cretin-Derham Hall, G

Austin Klug, Caledonia, G

Ethan Slaathaug, Hayfield, F

Drew Berkland, Wayzata, F

Fun Facts Minnehaha's 51-point win over Alexandria in the Class AAA final is the largest margin in any of the 204 championship games held from 1913 to 2019 and again in 2021. This was Minnehaha's 16th state title—eleven in the old MISL and now five in the MSHSL—but it is the very first time that Minnehaha has ever been rated as Minnesota's #1 team overall.

2022

Class A Quarter-Finals

Hayfield 66 Russell-Tyler-Ruthton 49
Cherry 68 Nevis 57
Belgrade-Brooten-E. 70 Sleepy Eye St. M. 63
New Life 64 Sacred Heart 58

Ethan Pack, Hayfield 25
Isaac Asuma, Cherry 31-17 reb
Kaden Pieper, BBE 24
Kollin Kaemingk 20, Maxwell Briggs 5 stls, N Life

Semi-Finals

Hayfield 32 40—72
Cherry 26 35—61

Pack 19
Asuma 36

Belgrade-Broten-E. 27 28—55
New Life 24 29—53

Pieper, Luke Dingmann 15
Kaemingk 23

Consolation

Russell-Tyler-Ruthton 74 Nevis 71
Sacred Heart 69 Sleepy Eye St. Mary's 52
Sacred Heart 63 RTR 54

JohnPaul Benson, Nevis 21
Kobe Tomkinson, Sacred Heart 33
Tomkinson 18

3rd Place

New Life 75 Cherry 50

Kaemingk 30; Erick Reader, New Life 17 reb

Championship

Hayfield 21 30—51
Belgrade-Broten-E. 29 20—49

Isaac Matti 27
Ashton Dingmann 20

Class AA Quarter-Finals

Minneapolis North 74 Glencoe-Silver Lake 69
Morris/Chokio Alberta 71 Minnehaha 67
Caledonia 51 Perham 40
Annandale 55 Pequot Lakes 40

Mitchel Jaskowiak, Glencoe-SL 37
Prince Aligbe, Minnehaha 36
Eli King, Caledonia 17
Eli Laposky, Pequot 17

Semi-Finals

Minneapolis North 43 28—71
Morris/Chokio Alberta 37 26—63

Demeiko Anderson 19, Jacob Butler 18 reb
Jackson Loge, Morris 37-8 blks

Annandale 20 42—62
Caledonia 26 29—55

Carson Gagnon 30
King 24

Consolation

Minnehaha 77 Glencoe-Silver Lake 67
Pequot Lakes 58 Perham 38
Minnehaha 79 Pequot Lakes 56

Aligbe 29
Laposky 23
Aligbe 32

3rd Place

Caledonia 74 Morris/Chokio Alberta 58

King 35-8 stls

Championship

Minneapolis North 23 26—49
Annandale 30 30—60

Anderson, Willie Wilson 14
Hawkin Miller 18

Class AAA Quarter-Finals

Totino-Grace 83 Hermantown 50
Mankato East 68 Mound-Westonka 55
Princeton 73 Austin 63
DeLaSalle 69 St. Cloud Tech 57

Taison Chatman, TGrace 19
BJ Omot, Mankato E 25-5 stls
Haydn Stay, Princeton 23-16 reb
Kyle Johnson, DLS 19

Semi-Finals

Totino-Grace 33 44—77
Mankato East 14 25—39

Patrick Bath 27, Chatman 9 asts
Omot 9

DeLaSalle 35 42—77
Princeton 26 39—65

Nasir Whitlock 28
Stay 33

Consolation

Mound-Westonka 64 Hermantown 59

Blake Schmitz, Hermantown 24

St. Cloud Tech 68 Austin 63
Mound-Westonka 65 St. Cloud Tech 61

Tameron Ferguson, St. C. T. 26
Donald Ferguson, St. C. T. 20

3rd Place

Mankato East 77 Princeton 74

Stay 32

Championship

Totino-Grace 26 24—50
DeLaSalle 29 15—44

Chatman 15
Whitlock 18

Class AAAA

Park Center 74 Andover 60
Eastview 67 Eden Prairie 51
Cretin-Derham Hall 52 Owatonna 51
Wayzata 71 Moorhead 28

Braeden Carrington, Park C 16
Jamal Ambrose, Eastview 20
Tre Holloman, Cretin; Evan Dushek, Owatonna 17
Myles Barnette, Wayz; Adam Jenkins, Moorhd 13

Semi-Finals

Park Center 22 32—54
Eastview 13 26—39

Carrington 13
Ambrose 13

Cretin-Derham Hall 21 27—48
Wayzata 19 40—59

Holloman 21
Hayden Tibbits, Eastview 23

Consolation

Andover 78 Eden Prairie 65
Owatonna 63 Moorhead 45
Andover 72 Owatonna 69

Sam Musungu, Andover 33
Brayden Williams, Owatonna 26-9 stls
Ben Kopetzki, Andover 29; Williams 11 asts

3rd Place

Cretin-Derham Hall 103 Eastview 95 (2OT)

Ambrose 43, Holloman 42

Championship

Park Center 28 30—58
Wayzata 21 32—53

Cody Pennebaker 23
Tibbits 13

The Stars

Champions W-L- Park Center 31-1 Hayfield 32-2 Annandale 31-2 Totino-Grace 25-6

Coch of the Year James Ware, Park Center

Tre Holloman, Cretin-Derham Hall, G

Class AAAA leader, 80 pts, 26.7 ppg

Taison Chatman, Totino-Grace, G

Class AA leader, 97 pts, 32.3 ppg

Prince Aligbe, Minnehaha, F

Jamal Ambrose, Eastview, C

Class AAA leader, 88 pts, 29.3 ppg

Haydn Stay, Princeton, F

Fun Fact Jamal Ambrose of Eastview and Holloman are the first players ever to score 40+ points in the same game, and Cretin's Donavhan Cain just missed with 39. Owatonna, Princeton and Annandale all made our final overall top 10. It is the 1st time since 2015 that 3 teams from outside the metro area did so.

2023

Class A Quarter-Finals

Russell-Tyler-Ruthton 39 41—80
Nevis 18 44—62

Aidan Wichmann 24
Alex Lester 20

Border West 28 27—55

Clint Determan 19

Cherry 34 34—68

Sacred Heart 15 31—46
New Life 29 33—62

Mankato Loyola 14 24—38
Spring Grove 17 22—39

Semi-Finals

Russell-Tyler-Ruthton 24 37—61
Cherry 27 30—57

New Life 18 33—51
Spring Grove 18 17—35

Consolation

Nevis 63 Border West 55
Sacred Heart 59 Mankato Loyola 58
Nevis 62 Sacred Heart 47

3rd Place

Spring Grove 68 Cherry 43

Championship

Russell-Tyler-Ruthton 38 21—59
New Life 22 27—49

Class AA Quarter-Finals

Eden Valley-Watkins 16 36—52
Holy Family 37 43—80

Minnehaha 34 19—53
Maple River 23 25—48

Pequot Lakes 18 35—53
Albany 27 42—69

Dilworth-Glyndon-Felton 24 39—63
Plainview-Elgin-Millville 25 36—61

Semi-Finals

Holy Family 35 29 4—72
Minnehaha 29 39 8—76

Albany 34 45—79
Dilworth-Glyndon-Felton 27 37—64

Consolation

Maple River 59 Eden Valley-Watkins 32
Pequot Lakes 51 Plainview-Elgin-Millville 42
Pequot Lakes 50 Maple River 43

3rd Place

Holy Family 86 Dilworth-Glyndon-Felton 79

Noah Sundquist 30

Erick Reader 14-12 reb.

Elijah Solum 16

Wichmann 23
Isaac Asuma 21

Austin Woolf 13
Jaxon Strinmoen 15

Wichmann 18-7 reb-6 asts-3 stls
Max Briggs 17-4 asts

Noah Stommes 11-12 reb.
Boden Kapke 26-15 reb.;
Collin Mulholland 25-11 reb.-13 blk.

Jerome Williams 26
Hayden Niebuhr 19

Grant Loge 23
Scott Hondl 20-12 reb.

Owen Leach 28-12 reb.
Kaiden Peters 16

Kapke 27-13 reb., Mulholland 20-15 reb.
Lorenzo Levy 27

Tysen Gerads 31
Leach 30-13

Loge 13
Aeron Stevens, PEM 27

Mulholland 33; Leach 30

Championship

Minnehaha 31 34—65
 Albany 39 33—72

Rolyns Aligbe 20-7 reb-3 stls
 Gerads 19

Class AAA Quarter-Finals

Totino-Grace 48 38--86
 St. Francis 17 19--36

Patrick Bath 23
 Matthew Bothun 16

Alexandria 27 35—62
 Mankato East 23 34—57

Grayson Grove 20-10 reb.
 Brogan Madson 16

Hermantown 27 55—82
 Orono 39 45—84

Abraham Soumis 34-12 reb.
 Isaiah Hagen 35

Stewartville 23 43—66
 DeLaSalle 35 36—71

T. Malone, H. Tschetter, P. Wangen 14
 P.J. Pounds 20

Semi-Finals

Totino-Grace 33 37—70
 Alexandria 38 21—59

Tommy Humphries 16
 Grove 21

Orono 31 30—61
 DeLaSalle 36 31—67

Hagen 23
 Nasir Whitlock 27

Consolation

St. Francis 79 Mankato East 73
 Stewartville 85 Hermantown 67
 Stewartville 56 St. Francis 55

3rd Place

Alexandria 23 40—63
 Orono 24 43—67

Hagen 22

Championship

Totino-Grace 19 31—50
 DeLaSalle 20 26—46

Taison Chatman 20-12 reb-4 asts
 Whitlock 19-5 reb-4 asts

Class AAAA

Andover 32 40—72
 Park Center 50 42—92

Ben Kopetzki 22
 Casmir Chavis 18-11 asts.

Eastview 34 38—72
 Minnetonka 28 40—68

Dylan Omweno 25
 Andrew Stefonowicz 22

Buffalo 23 36—59
 Lakeville North 40 47—87

Mason Dahl 21
 Nolan Winter 25-17 reb.

White Bear Lake 25 36—61
 Wayzata 38 43—81

Jack Janicki 16
 Hayden Tibbitts 17

Semi-Finals

Park Center 26 35—61
 Eastview 23 33—56

Chavis 21
 Jon Mekonnen 19

Lakeville North 31 46—77

Winter 24-12 reb., Hudson Vaith 24

Wayzata 44 35—79 Jackson McAndrew 28

Consolation

Andover 95 Minnetonka 77

Kopetzki 32

White Bear Lake 66 Buffalo 62

White Bear Lake 68 Andover 64

Wyatt Hawks, WB 24; Kopetzki 24

3rd Place

Eastview 23 47—70

Elias Batala, Omweno 18

Lakeville North 40 43—83

Winter 21-9 reb.

Championship

Park Center 32 34 5—71

C.J. O'Hara 21-10 reb

Wayzata 36 30 9—75 (OT)

McAndrew 25-9 reb-3 blks

The Stars

Champions W-L- Albany 32-1 Russell-Tyler-Ruthton 31-1 Wayzata 27-4 Totino Grace 24-9

Coach of the Year Cory Schlagel, Albany

Jackson McAndrew, Wayzata, PF

Casmir Chavis, Park Center, PG

Colin Mulholland, Holy Family, 6-11, C

Tysen Gerads, Albany, G

Nolan Winter, Lakeville North, C

Fun Fact Jackson Fowlkes, 6-7 junior forward for Park Center, became the third player ever to win boys all-tournament honors coming off the bench. He was the Pirates second-leading scorer with 37 points and added ten rebounds, four assists, one steal and two blocked shots. This feat was achieved previously by Loren Stadum, Thief River Falls, in 1938 and Mike Weah, St. Bernard's, in 2009.