

# Five Players in Double Figures as Trojans Down Eagles

Balanced scoring is always a key to success, as five players scored in double figures to lift Cedarville to an 89-68 Eastern Upper Peninsula Conference (EUPC) win over Engadine Tuesday, December 20.

Sophomore Jordan Duncan scored 21 points that included three treys to lead the Trojans offense. Jordan Sweeney added 20 points, four steals, and three assists, Cory Wellnitz chipped in 17 points and five rebounds, Matt Hansen notched 12 points, six boards, and two assists, Justin Baker tallied 11 points and three assists, Nathan Smith charted six points, three steals, and three rebounds, and Jason Duncan marked two points and five rebounds.

"I was pleased with the way we played and that everyone contributed," said Trojans Coach Dave Duncan. "The balanced scoring is a key to any team's success."

Scott Butkovich scored 19 points and five rebounds and David Derusha added 19 points, five boards, and three assists to lead the Eagles. Stefen Albright chipped in six points and six assists, Grayson Hood notched six points and five boards, Jacob Swider tallied four points and four



Jordan Duncan  
Cedarville

rebounds, Doug Fulton charted four points, Sung Hart and Brad Visser marked three each, and Todd Midgyett and Kris Kerbersky both counted two.

"We are better than we played," said Eagles Coach Elmer Albright. "We just have to come ready to play each game."

Cedarville, 4-0 on the season and 1-0 in the EUPC, scored 20 points or more in each quarter that included a 24-17 advantage after the first eight minutes and



David Derusha  
Engadine

increased the lead to 46-32 at half-time, with a 22-15 margin in the second quarter, as Duncan and Sweeney scored 13 points each for Cedarville and Butkovich recorded 16 for Engadine, which fell to 1-4 overall and 0-1 in the league.

The Trojans outscored the Eagles 43-36 in the second half as five players scored six or more points, led by Wellnitz with 12 points, while Derusha notched 12 for Engadine.

### Trojans Win JV Game

Cedarville won the junior varsity game 63-45 as C.J. Paquin scored 20, Sheldon Tassier added 17, and Kevin Thompson chipped in 10 for the Trojans, while J.J. Troyer tallied 13 and Nathan Butkovich charted 10 for the Eagles.

# Panthers Down Big Bay de Noc; Raiders Fall to Cardinals

### Shooting Percentage Lifts Panthers to Non-League Win Over Big Bay de Noc

Pickford shot 61 percent from the field and 68 percent from the free throw line during a 59-35 non-conference win over Big Bay de Noc Tuesday, December 20.

Matt Romatz scored 19 points with 10 rebounds, eight blocked shots, three steals, and three assists, Kip Cline added 12 points and two steals, and Richie Boal chipped in 10 points, eight boards, and five assists to lead the Panthers.

Pat Savoie notched six points and six rebounds, Jon Clegg tallied four points, four rebounds, and two assists, Jon Snider charted four points, three rebounds,

and two assists, and Clayton Peffers marked four points.

"I was very pleased with our overall shooting and play," said Panthers Coach Vance Barber.

Pickford led 10-6 after the first eight minutes and turned the tide with a 14-9 advantage in the second quarter for a 24-15 halftime margin as Cline and Romatz scored eight points each.

"Big Bay triple-teamed Matt, but that allowed the other players



Richie Boal

to step up," added the coach. The Black Bears held a 14-13 scoring edge in the third quarter before Pickford outscored Big Bay de Noc 22-6 in the final quarter to pull away for the victory.

"In the second half we played much better and did the right things, but our shooting percentage from the field and free throw line was a big key," the coach said.

Pickford, 3-2 overall, is off until after the holiday break, when they battle Engadine at home and Cedarville on the road.

### Raiders Fall to Cards in Non-League Contest

The first half was the downfall for DeTour as the Raiders dropped a 58-49 home non-conference decision to Onaway Tuesday, December 20.

Nathan Klamerus scored 17 points with 16 rebounds, Tom

Munro added 13, Craig Wasnich chipped in 12, Andy Doyle notched five, and Jordan Hartman tallied two for the Raiders.

The Cardinals led 17-9 after the first eight minutes and increased the margin to 30-19 after outscoring DeTour 13-10 in the second quarter.

Both teams scored 11 points in the third quarter before the Raiders closed out the game with a 19-17 advantage in the final period.

DeTour, 2-2 on the season, is off until consecutive road games with Boyne Falls and Big Bay de Noc after the holiday break.



Craig Wasnich

# St. Ignace Youth Hockey Results

### SQUIRTS

First National Bank of St. Ignace 6

Boyer Area Panthers 4  
Little Bear East Arena  
Sunday, December 11

Goals by St. Ignace: Kyle Winkelman (2), Dane Mortensen (2), Curtis St. Louis (2); Boyer Area: Aaron Clark (2), Ben Schwartzfisher, Nick Trombley.

Assists by St. Ignace: Chris Dumas (4), Eric Schebel; Boyer Area: Ben Schwartzfisher (2), Will Snedden, Aaron Clark.

### MIDGET "B"

Mackinaw Midget B 2  
Gaylord 2  
Mackinaw Ice Arena  
Thursday, December 15

Goals by Mackinaw: Ryan Schlappi, Ryan Madigan; Gaylord: Jonathon Harding, Jared Kujawa.

Coaches Comments: Mackinaw goalie - Jason Zulski; Gaylord goalie - Jordan Klemish.

### BANTAMS

Mackinaw Bantams 3  
Gladwin 3

Mackinaw Ice Arena  
Saturday, December 17

Goals by Mackinaw: Brad Sayles (2), Tim Vieau.

Assists by Mackinaw: Matthew Reppenhagen, Tyler Sliva, Brad Sayles, Cory Deisler, Train Provost.

Coaches Comments: Ray Schuh was in net.

Mackinaw Bantams 5, Sault 4  
Little Bear East Arena  
Sunday, December 18

Goals by Mackinaw: Sean Hill (2), Ronnie France, Sean Hill, Brad Sayles; Soo: Doug Leonhardt (4).

Assists by Mackinaw: Brad Sayles (2), Ronnie France (3), Matthew Reppenhagen; Soo: Adam Nowak (2), Kyle Waters.

Coaches Comments: Ray Schuh was in net for Mackinaw, Taylor Bumstead was in net for the Soo.

# Bulldogs Home Winning Streak Ends at 42 Games

Visiting teams playing at the Harris Kahl Gymnasium at Rudyard High School have struggled dating back to the 2001-02 season, and 42 games later, the home winning streak ended as Sault High handed the Bulldogs a 71-53 Straits Area Conference (SAC) setback Tuesday, December 20.

Trent Salo scored a game high of 21 points for Rudyard, but was the only player in double figures for the Bulldogs and Coach Grant Ross.

Dan Bartley added eight points and 11 rebounds, Jeff Briggs chipped in six, Owen McGrath and Aaron Bertram both notched four, Adam Ireland and Jordan Gaskin tallied three each, and Zura Dolly and Travis Clegg charted two apiece.

Andy Pancheri scored 20 points, Rob Guimond marked 17, and Eddie James counted 13 for the Blue Devils.

Sault High led from the first eight minutes after taking a 15-9 lead and outscored Rudyard 24-15 in the second quarter for a 39-24 halftime advantage.

Rudyard, 3-2 overall and 1-2 in the SAC, held a 11-7 scoring edge in the third quarter before the Blue Devils closed out the game with a 25-18 margin in the final period.



Trent Salo



Mark Shaw (32) of Maplewood Baptist drives to the hoop for two points during the first half of the game on Mackinac Island.

## On-Camera Communication Workshop Set

A communications workshop for professionals is planned for Wednesday, January 11, from 1 p.m. to 5 p.m. in Marquette. The session will teach participants to be comfortable giving on-camera presentations, media relations, and public speaking.

It is offered as part of Great Lakes Center for Youth Development's workshop series for Upper Peninsula businesses and non-profit agencies.

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