

1984-1985 Season

## VARSITY BASKETBALL



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# Early Season Will Be Struggle for Vikings

FLINTON — Inexperience and lack of depth, plus the loss of its top returning scorer because of a stress fracture, may hamper the Glendale High School boys basketball team early in the 1984-85 season, according to first-year coach Mike Hayes.

"Senior point guard Tom Murray is the only returning starter back from last year's team," said Hayes, an elementary coach for 12 seasons in the Altoona School District prior to taking the position vacated by Tom Terza's resignation last spring.



**MIKE HAYES**  
...Rookie coach

Murray was 13th on the area scoring list with 259 points for an 11.3 average in his junior season.

"We were counting on Tom to be our starting point guard, but he suffered a stress fracture of the left foot and could be lost anywhere from two to six weeks."

Murray's injury, according to Hayes, casts a shadow of doubt on the Vikings season.

"It will hurt us a lot," said Hayes, who inherits two lettermen from last year's squad which finished with a 7-16 record. "I'm just hoping we can be competitive and put some people in the stands.

"We want to be a running team and we want to capitalize on the fast break," said Hayes, an elementary teacher in the Altoona School District. "That's my style of basketball, run and gun.

"Defensively, you name it and we'll play it. We'll use anything from a man-to-man to a 3-2 zone to a 1-3-1 trap."

Hayes, also served one season as an assistant coach for the Altoona Area High girls basketball program, has adopted a wait-and-see attitude. "We really haven't set any goals for this season.

Glendale's probable starting lineup, minus Murray, will consist of senior lettermen Roger Renninger (5 points) and senior John Soucek on the wings, senior Bob Greenaway (7) and junior Kevin Swauger (6) inside and junior Jeff Hewitt (2) at point guard.

Hayes adds that sophomores Rich Laing and Don Johnston will be his top two reserves.

"We don't have much depth," Hayes said. "The inside play of Greenaway and Swauger will be one of our strong points, as

will the overall speed of our guards.

"Our outside shooting will be one of our weak spots until Murray returns," he said. "We don't have very good size, either."

The Vikings will open their regular season on the road Friday against Juniata Valley.

Glendale's Moshannon Valley League opener will come on Dec. 18, when the Vikings host rival Harmony.

The seniors on the 1983-84 Glendale team were Progressland's six-

th-leading scorer Rick Holes (277 points, 12.0 average), Bill Noel (190, 8.3), Dave Lloyd (164, 7.1), Dan Kutch (105, 4.6), Jeff Noel (51, 2.3) and Mike Weakland (3).

Assisting Hayes with the varsity is Cambria Heights High School graduate Mike Strasser.

## ROSTER

### Seniors

Bob Greenaway, 5-10½; Tom Murray, 5-10½; Roger Renninger, 5-11; John Soucek, 5-8.

### Juniors

Jeff Hewitt, 5-6; Kevin Swauger, 6-2.

### Sophomores

Mike Brungo, 5-8; Paul Haduck, 5-9; Don Johnston, 5-8; Jim Kovaloski, 5-11; Rich Laing, 6-0; Bob Mooney, 5-10; Mark Peterson, 5-11.

### Freshmen

Tom Nash, 5-9; Joe Neving, 5-8; Dave Burmeister, 5-9; Larry Custek, 5-9.

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## SCHEDULE

### December

7—at Juniata Valley  
10—Blacklick Valley  
14—Bellwood-Antis  
18—Harmony\*

20—at Curwensville\*

### January

4—at Clearfield St. Francis\*  
7—Moshannon Valley\*  
9—at Williamsburg  
14—DuBois Central\*  
18—at West Branch\*  
21—Clearfield St. Francis\*  
23—at Blacklick Valley  
29—at Harmony\*  
31—Curwensville\*

### February

4—at Moshannon Valley\*  
6—Williamsburg  
8—at Bellwood-Antis  
12—at DuBois Central Christian\*  
15—West Branch\*

\*—Moshannon Valley League games



PHOTO BY CASEY JONES

**RETURNING LETTERMEN** for the Glendale High School boys basketball team are Roger Renninger, left, and Tom Murray.

December 8, 1984: Glendale 22 at Juniata Valley 84

# Green Hornets Run Up 84-22 Tally Against Vikes

ALEXANDRIA — Henry Marche pumped in 25 points, while teammates Mike Smith and Tony Payne contributed 11 each last night as Juniata Valley pounded Glendale 84-22 in non-league boys basketball action.

The Green Hornets, who held a commanding 35-14 lead at halftime, outscored the Vikings 49-8 in the second half.

In fact, rookie coach Mike Hayes' Glendale squad failed to score in the fourth quarter.

Sophomore Rich Laing came off the bench to net six points to lead the Vikings.

Juniata Valley won the junior varsity game 53-41.

No other details were reported.

Glendale will host Blacklick Valley in another non-league game Tuesday.

### GLENDALE—22

Renninger 2 1-4 5, Soucek 0 0-2 0, Greenaway 0 1-2 1, Swauger 2 0-1 4, Hewitt 2 0-0 4, Laing 3 0-1 6, Haduck 0 0-1 0, Cusick 1 0-0 2. TOTALS: 10 2-11 22.

### JUNIATA VALLEY—84

Mitchell 1 1-3 3, Hollingshead 3 4-5 10, Marche 12 1-3 25, Smith 5 1-3 11, Payne 4 3-4 11, Culp 1 3-4 5, Morder 1 0-2 2, Claar 2 0-0 4, Gensimore 1 2-2 4, Mizzi 2 3-5 7, Rhinehart 1 0-0 2. TOTALS: 33 18-33 84.

### Score by Quarters

Glendale	8	6	8	0—22
Juniata Valley	15	20	22	27—84

December 10, 1984: Blacklick 62 at Glendale 32

# Blacklick Valley Downs Glendale Boys 62-32

FLINTON — Dale Ellis scored 16 points and paced four players in double figures as the visiting Blacklick Valley High School cagers coasted to an easy 62-32 victory over non-league foe Glendale last night.

The loss was the second straight for coach Mike Hayes' Vikings, who bowed 84-22 to Juniata Valley Friday.

"Inexperience is killing us," Hayes said. "We are commit-

ting too many turnovers. Most of those turnovers are coming because our players are trying to make ridiculous passes rather than easy ones. We've also been getting hammered on the boards."

Blacklick Valley leapt to a 19-7 lead after one quarter and 28-15 advantage at the intermission. The visitors outscored the Vikings 34-17 in the second half.

Kevin Swauger sparked Glendale with 20 points.

"I saw some definite improvement out there tonight," Hayes said, "but we still have a long way to go. Swauger really played a strong game for us underneath the basket."

Blacklick Valley won the preliminary game 33-30 despite a 16-point effort by Glendale's Dave Burmeister.

Glendale will host non-league

foe Bellwood-Antis Friday.

### BLACKLICK VALLEY—62

Kotelnicki 4 1-2 9, McMullen 5 1-3 11, Sheesley 3 0-0 6, Ellis 8 0-0 16, Zamboni 4 4-6 12, Wesner 2 0-2 4, Bracken 1 0-0 2, Fuller 1 0-0 2. TOTALS: 28 6-13 62.

### GLENDALE—32

Greenaway 1 0-0 2, Renninger 0 4-5 4, Soucek 1 0-0 2, Hewitt 1 0-0 2, Swauger 9 2-4 20, Cusick 1 0-0 2, Laing 0 0-0 0, Burmeister 0 0-0 0, Haduck 0 0-0 0, Johnston 0 0-0 0. TOTALS: 13 6-9 32.

### Score by Quarters

Blacklick Valley	19	9	15	19—62
Glendale	7	9	9	8—32

## December 14, 1984: Bellwood 55 at Glendale 43

FLINTON — Glendale High School's boys basketball team showed some improvement in last night's non-league match-up with Bellwood-Antis, but it

wasn't enough as the Vikings lost their third game of the year by a score of 55-43.

"We just weren't able to control their big scorers," Glendale head coach Mike Hayes said. "Steve Miller (21 points) and Mike Abbott (19) accounted for 40 of their 55 points. When we stayed in a zone defense, it worked well for us.

"We still need some work on our man-to-man coverage, but we have improved quite a bit," Hayes added. "I think we played our best overall game tonight."

The Vikings made it a close game throughout the first half, trailing the Blue Devils 22-21 at the intermission.

The Blue Devils put the game out of reach in the second half, outscoring the hosts 33-22.

Kevin Swauger took scoring honors for the Vikes with 16 points, and

Roger Renninger chipped in with 13.

Bellwood-Antis won the junior varsity contest 44-22.

Glendale hosts Harmony Tuesday in its Moshannon Valley League opener.

**BELLWOOD-ANTIS—55**  
Abbott 8 3-6 19, Miller 10 1-7 21, McCaulley 5 1-2 11, Delgrosso 1 0-0 2, Burch 1 0-2 2. **TOTALS: 25 5-17 55.**

**GLENDALE—43**  
Greenaway 1 1-2 3, Renninger 6 1-3 13, Soucek 1 0-1 2, Swauger 6 4-9 16, Hewitt 1 1-4 3, Laing 2 2-4 6. **TOTALS: 17 9-23 43.**

**Score by Quarters**  
B-A 16 6 12 21—55  
Glendale 11 10 6 16—43

## December 18, 1984: Harmony 52 at Glendale 51

# Owls Nip Vikes on Jones' Shot

FLINTON — Brian Jones hit a layup with five seconds remaining in overtime to lift the Harmony High School cagers to a thrilling 52-51 triumph over Glendale in a Moshannon Valley League game last night.

Jones and Mark Coble paced the Owls' offense with 12 points each, while John Soucek had 20 and Kevin Swauger 11 for Glendale.

Harmony, 1-1 in the loop and 2-3 overall, held an 11-10 lead after one quarter and a 25-20 bulge at the intermission.

Glendale, 0-1 in the loop and 0-4 overall, outscored the visitors 13-4 in the third quarter to grab a 33-29 advantage, but coach Mike Bodnar's Owls rebounded to outscore coach Mike Hayes' Vikings 17-13 in the final period to send the game

to overtime.

Glendale won the junior varsity game 39-38 in double overtime.

**HARMONY—52**  
Jones 6 0-1 12, Clark 4 0-0 8, Kitchen 2 4-5 8, Coble 5 2-3 12, Westover 1 0-0 2, Morris 2 0-0 4, Griffin 2 2-2 6. **TOTALS: 22 8-11 52.**

**GLENDALE—51**  
Renninger 4 1-2 9, Soucek 9 2-5 20, Greenaway 1 0-1 2, Swauger 5 1-2 11, Hewitt 0 2-4 2, Laing 3 1-2 7. **TOTALS: 22 7-14 51.**

**Score by Quarters**  
Harmony 11 14 4 17 6—52  
Glendale 10 10 13 13 5—51

December 20, 1984: Glendale 37 at Curwensville 68

## Tide Trips Vikes 68-37

CURWENSVILLE — The Curwensville Area High School basketball team reeled off a 23-5 scoring spurt in the second quarter to blow open a close game, and the Golden Tide went on to drub Glendale 68-37 in a Moshannon Valley League game in Patton Hall last night.

The win evens Curwensville's league record at 1-1 and improves its overall mark to 3-2 overall.

Coach Mike Hayes' Glendale squad slipped to 0-2 in the MVL and 0-5 overall.

Dan Stricek, who scored eight points off of steals in the fourth quarter, led the Golden Tide offense with 16 points. Bill Billotte added 14 and Darrin Anderson 10.

Bob Greenaway's nine were high for Glendale.

Coach Vic Gearhart's Golden Tide, which held a 35-12 lead at halftime, outscored the Vikings

33-23 in the second half.

Coach Vic Gearhart's Curwensville squad will host non-league foe Clearfield tomorrow night in Patton Hall, while Glendale is off until a Jan. 4 visit to Glynn Hall for an MVL game with Clearfield St. Francis.

Greg Ireland scored 15 points, Steve Schall 11 and Brad Sheeder 10 as Curwensville won the junior varsity contest 57-47. Larry Cusick had 14 and Dave Burmeister 13 to lead Glendale.

### GLENDALE—37

Greenaway 4 1-2 9, Renninger 3 1-4 7, Soucek 2 0-3 4, Hewitt 2 0-1 4, Laing 3 2-4 8, Burmeister 2 1-2 5, Cusick 0 0-0 0, Johnston 0 0-0 0, Peterson 0 0-0 0. TOTALS: 16 5-16 37.

### CURWENSVILLE—68

Stricek 7 2-2 16, Anderson 5 0-1 10, Harzinski 1 1-2 3, Bloom 2 2-2 6, Billotte 7 0-0 14, Irwin 0 4-4 4, Schall 1 2-2 4, Davis 1 0-3 2, Sheeder 1 0-2 2, Hoyle 0 0-0 0, Ireland 3 1-2 7, Warren 0 0-1 0. TOTALS: 28 12-21 68.

### Score by Quarters

Glendale	7	5	13	12—37
Curwensville	12	23	20	13—68

Officials—Yount, Lias.

January 4, 1985: Glendale 56 at St. Francis (Clearfield) 67

## Wright's 32 Points Lead Ponies Past Vikes 67-56

Danny Wright scored a season-high 32 points last night to spark the Clearfield St. Francis High School boys basketball team to a 67-56 win over visiting Glendale in a Moshannon Valley League contest in Glynn Hall.

"Danny played a super game and he really did a good job of handling the ball as well as the offense," said St. Francis coach Dennis Crotzer, whose team upped its league mark to 2-1 and overall slate to 2-6. "The win was an important one for us because it was a league game. I was worried at the start of the game because we seemed to come out flat.

"But then we got things

together and we played good pressure defense in the second half," he added. "The only thing that disappointed me was our delay game at the end of the game. We need to be more patient."

The Vikings, who slipped to 0-3 in the league and 0-6 overall, held a 12-6 lead after one quarter, but they saw that lead disintegrate in the second period and ended up tied with the Ponies 21-21 at halftime.

The second half belonged to St. Francis, the Ponies outscoring the Vikings 46-35. Hayes Wilson netted 11 markers and Andy Sorbera 10 to back up Wright's 32.

Tom Murray, playing for the first time this

season, led Glendale with 14 points, while Roger Renninger netted 12 and Kevin Swauger 10.

Glendale won the junior varsity game 45-29.

Glendale will host Moshannon Valley Monday in an MVL contest, while St. Francis travels to Johnsonburg for a non-league scrap.

### GLENDALE—56

Renninger 5 2-4 12, Soucek 2 0-0 4, Greenaway 2 2-4 6, Swauger 3 4-9 10, Hewitt 4 0-0 8, Laing 0 0-0 0, Haduck 0 0-0 0, Cusick 0 0-0 0, D. Burmeister 0 0-0 0, Johnston 0 0-0 0, Murray 5 4-7 14, J. Burmeister 1 0-1 2. TOTALS: 22 12-25 56.

### ST. FRANCIS—67

D. Wright 13 6-9 32, Moore 3 0-0 6, Sorbera 5 0-0 10, Wilson 3 5-7 11, Murphy 1 0-0 2, J. Wright 0 3-4 3, Catalano 1 1-2 3. TOTALS: 26 15-22 67.

Glendale	12	9	16	19—56
St. Francis	6	15	18	28—67

January 8 1985: MoValley 53 at Glendale 41

# MVL Basketball:

## Knights Defeat Vikings 53-41 for 3-0 Record

FLINTON — Relying on solid defense, the Moshannon Valley High School boys basketball team downed Glendale 53-41 last night to remain unbeaten in Moshannon Valley League play.

The Black Knights are 3-0 in the league and 3-6 overall, while the Vikings are 0-4 and 0-7.

"We played really good defense early in the game and made them shoot from the perimeter," noted Mo Valley coach Tom Boito.

The Knights, behind Chris Syktich's 21 points and Allan Higgins' 16, romped to a 29-15 halftime lead, but saw the Vikes cut into that margin in the third quarter, outscoring the visitors 13-6.

"We came out and had that lapse again," Boito lamented. "We seem to do that every game. But we took a few timeouts and straightened it out."

Viking Tom Murray took scoring honors with 23 points.

The Knights won the

battle of the boards by an impressive 61-27 margin, as Syktich hauled down 24 rebounds, John Kitko 11 and Jerry Hagan 10.

"We were rebounding really well in the second half," Boito recalled.

"They were shooting from the right, and Chris Syktich was rebounding from the left, grabbing everything.

"I was really pleased with the way the kids played. This was a big win because we hadn't won on the road yet this

year.

"The kids did things I hadn't seen them do. They looked like a basketball team.

"We had a lot of fans there, and I thank them for their support."

The Knights connected on 22 of 54 shots from the field (41 percent), while the Vikings could manage to can only 16 of 63 (25 percent).

Glendale took the jayvee encounter 43-33.

Tomorrow both squads engage in tough non-

league tussles, as Mo Valley hosts Northern Cambria and Glendale visits Williamsburg.

**MOSHANNON VALLEY—53**  
Haines 2 1-3 5, Higgins 6 4-10 16, Kitko 4 0-0 8, Hagan 1 0-1 2, C. Syktich 9 3-4 21, Srock 0 0-0 0, Cervenak 0 1-2 1, Donley 0 0-0 0, Davis 0 0-0 0, J. Syktich 0 0-0 0. **TOTALS: 22-9-22 53.**

**GLENDALE—41**  
Swauger 1 3-6 5, Greenaway 0 0-0 0, Hewitt 0 2-3 2, Soucek 4 0-4 8, Renninger 0 1-2 1, J. Burmeister 0 0-0 0, Murray 10 3-7 23, Laing 1 0-0 2. **TOTALS: 16-9-22 41.**

**Score By Quarters**  
Moshannon Valley 16 13 6 18  
Glendale 8 5 13 13  
Officials: Bradley, Abbott

January 14, 1985: Dubios Central 90 at Glendale 43

# Cardinals Defeat Vikings by 90-43

FLINTON — The Glendale Vikings' hard-luck season continued last night.

Tom Woika fired in 21 points, while teammates Mike Fitzpatrick added 16 and Bob Rossi 10 as the DuBois Central High School cagers breezed to a 90-43 win over the Vikings in a Moshannon Valley League game.

The win raised the Cardinals' MVL slate to 5-0, while Glendale slipped to 0-4 in the league and 0-9 overall.

DuBois Central, 9-2 overall, raced to a 20-6 lead after one quarter

and a 38-18 bulge at the intermission. The visitors outscored Glendale 51-25 in the second half.

DuBois Central won the junior varsity game 52-41.

**DUBOIS CENTRAL—90**  
Rossi 3 4-6 10, Fitzpatrick 8 0-0 16, Woika 10 1-3 21, Bartasavich 2 2-2 6, Tarcon 2 0-0 4, Lyle 3 0-1 6, Kopp 6 1-1 13, Frank 3 0-0 6, DiGillarmo 1 0-0 2, Fye 2 0-1 4, Baronick 1 0-0 2. **TOTALS: 41 8-14 90.**

**GLENDALE—43**  
Greenaway 0 1-2 1, Renninger 2 0-0 4, Murray 3 0-0 6, Swauger 3 1-2 7, Hewitt 3 1-2 7, Soucek 2 0-2 4, J. Burmeister 3 1-2 7, Laing 3 0-0 6, D. Burmeister 0 0-2 0, Johnston 0 1-2 1. **TOTALS: 19 5-14 43.**

D. Central 20 18 29 23—90  
Glendale 6 12 12 13—43

January 18 1985: Glendale 53 at West Branch 47

# Vikings Top Warriors 53-47, First Victory Under Hayes

ALLPORT — The Glendale High School boys basketball finally presented rookie coach Mike Hayes with his first victory last night.

After 10 consecutive losses, the Vikings broke into the win column by outscoring West Branch 35-18 in the middle two periods to prevail 53-47 in the Moshannon Valley League game.

The decision moved Glendale to 1-5 in the MVL and 1-10 overall and the Warriors to 2-4 and 3-9.

"We just went from one extreme to the other," observed West Branch coach Ernie Majeski. "Tuesday (in the Warriors' surprise win over Moshannon Valley) we shot about 50 percent. Tonight we shot 27 percent.

"Our shooting was extremely poor, and our turnovers killed us. It was a pretty ragged game."

Tom Murray led the way for coach Mike Hayes' Vikings, pumping in 20 points, half of them from the foul line on a 10-for-14 performance. Rich Laing, who had scored 12 points in the junior varsity game, pumped in 17 in the varsity contest. Overall, Glendale canned 17 of 51 shots from

the field for 33 percent.

Gannon Hubler paced the Warriors with 19 points and 16 rebounds, while John Downey added 10 points.

The Warriors pulled down 36 rebounds to 29 for the Vikes, who got 13 from Kevin Swauger.

Glendale won the jayvee game 32-30. Dave Burmeister added 10 points to Laing's 12, while Jon Laich and Mike Ransdorf canned 10 each for the Warriors.

Monday, the Viking hosts Clearfield St. Francis in an MVL game and Tuesday West Branch travels to the Penn State-DuBois campus to meet league-leading DuBois Central.

## GLENDALE—53

Greenaway 0 0-0 0, Murray 5 10-14 20, Renninger 3 1-1 7, Hewitt 0 0-0 0, Swauger 3 3-9 9, J. Burmeister 0 0-0 0, D. Burmeister 0 0-0 0, Laing 6 5-8 17. TOTALS: 17 19-32 53.

## WEST BRANCH—47

Baronak 3 2-2 8, Bumbarger 0 0-1 0, English 3 0-0 6, Hubler 7 5-9 19, Lynchia 0 0-0 0, Coval 1 0-0 2, Warholc 0 2-2 2, Luther 0 0-0 0, Downey 4 2-2 10. TOTALS: 18 11-16 47.

## Score By Quarters

Glendale	6	22	13	12—53
West Branch	12	13	6	16—47

Officials: Pallo, McGarvey.

January 17, 1985: Northern Cambria 75 at Glendale 64

# Vikings Bow 75-64 To Colts

FLINTON — Tom Kelly pumped in 26 points and Greg Yuhus added 16 more as the Northern Cambria High School cagers kept Glendale winless with a 75-64 triumph in a non-league game that was recently added to the Vikings' schedule.

The loss was Glendale's 10th.

The Colts (9-2) streaked to a 16-11 advantage after one quarter and led 35-26 at the intermission.

The second half was almost even, Northern Cambria outscoring Glendale 40-38, but it was a case of too little, too late for coach Mike Hayes' Vikings.

Roger Renninger netted 20 points and Kevin Swauger 17 to spark Glendale. Rich Laing flipped in 11.

Northern Cambria's jayvees won 48-38.

Glendale will travel to Allport tomorrow to meet West Branch in a Moshannon Valley League game.

## NORTHERN CAMBRIA—75

Kelly 11 4-8 26, Yuhus 7 2-6 16, Pawlowski 5 1-4 11, Zernick 4 0-2 8, Dunchak 3 4-4 10, Britton 2 0-0 4. TOTALS: 32 11-24 75.

## GLENDALE—64

Murray 1 3-4 5, Renninger 8 4-6 20, Swauger 7 3-6 17, Hewitt 1 0-0 2, J. Burmeister 3 2-2 8, Laing 5 1-2 11, D. Burmeister 0 1-2 1. TOTALS: 25 14-22 64.

## Score by Quarters

N. Cambria	16	19	20	20—75
Glendale	11	15	15	23—64

Danny Wright of Clearfield St. Francis is the top boys scorer in Progressland as the scholastic high school basketball season nears the halfway point.

Wright, who has netted 92 field goals and 41 free throws for 225 points, is scoring at an 18.8 clip, more than two points better than runner-up Dan Stricek of Curwensville, who is scoring at a 16.4 norm.

Rounding out the top five are Chris Syktich of Moshannon Valley, Tom Murray of Glendale and Bob Clark of Harmony.

The second five consists of Clearfield's Ron Baum and Dwayne Adams, Purchase Line's Randy Stiles, Allan Higgins of Moshannon Valley and Scott Miller of Philipsburg-Osceola.

Player, Team	FG	FM-FA	Pts.	Avg.
Danny Wright, CSF	92	41-58	225	18.8
Dan Stricek, Cur	65	50-70	180	16.4
Chris Syktich, MV	90	31-59	211	16.2
Tom Murray, Gl	34	25-41	93	15.5
Bob Clark, H	74	30-56	178	14.8
Ron Baum, Cl	68	24-37	160	14.5
Dwayne Adams, Cl	56	17-31	129	14.3
Randy Stiles, PL	39	18-24	96	13.7
Allan Higgins, MV	59	53-82	171	13.1
Scott Miller, P-O	63	27-43	153	12.8

January 29, 1985: Harmony 50 at Glendale 44

## Owls Down Vikings 50-44

FLINTON — Strong quarter 10-8, but Glendale tied it up 20-20 at the intermission. The third quarter proved to be the killer for Glendale, as Harmony forged out to a 35-29 lead and kept it that way thru the remainder of the contest.

Kitchen scored 16 points and Jones added 12 for the Owls, who improved their record to 4-3 and 1-11 overall, got a game-high 23 points from Tom Murray.

Harmony plays a key MVL makeup game at

Curwensville tonight, while Glendale gets a crack at the Tide at home Thursday.

### GLENDALE—44

Renninger 2-1-2 5, Soucek 0 0-1 0, Greenaway 0 0-0 0, Swauger 3 1-5 7, Hewitt 0 0-0 0, Laing 0 0-0 0, Murray 9 5-10 23, Burmeister 4 1-4 9. TOTALS: 18 8-22 44.

### HARMONY—50

Jones 6 0-1 12, Kitchen 6 4-4 16, Coble 3 4-4 10, Westover 0 0-0 0, Morris 2 3-5 7, Griffin 2 1-2 5. TOTALS: 19 12-19 50.

### Score By Quarters

Glendale	8	12	9	15—44
Harmony	10	10	15	15—50

Officials: Dixon, Reetegloe.



January 31, 1985: Curwensville 57 at Glendale 49

# Curwensville defeats Glendale

FLINTON — Curwensville's Dan Stricek scored 18 points to lead the Golden Tide to a 57-49 Moshannon Valley League victory over Glendale Thursday night.

Curwensville outscored Glendale in three of the four quarters, including the first two for a 24-17 halftime lead.

Also in double figures for the Tide were Darrin Anderson and Bill Billotte (12 each) and Sherman Bloom (11).

## Area boys

Kevin Swauger (14) and Tom Murray (13) led Glendale.

The win raised Curwensville's overall record to 9-5 and its MVL record to 6-2, moving it to within 1½ games of first-place DuBois Central Christian. Glendale dropped to 1-11 and 1-7.

Curwensville (57): Stricek 9 0-5 18, Anderson 6 0-3 12, Harzinski 2 0-0 4, Bloom 3 5-10 11, Billotte 6 0-3 12. Totals—26 5-21 57.

Glendale (49): Greenaway 1 0-0 2, Renninger 4 0-0 8, Murray 5 3-4 13, Swauger 7 0-0 14, J. Burmeister 1 1-3 3, Laing 3 3-4 9. Totals—22 7-11 49.

### Score by quarters:

Curwensville.....	10	14	15	18	57
Glendale.....	6	11	19	13	49
JV: Curwensville	43-39				

February 4, 1985: Glendale 64 at MoValley 60

# Vikings Jolt Knights 64-60 for Second Victory

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AMESVILLE — Both the Glendale and Moshannon Valley cagers knew before the start of last night's Moshannon Valley League schoolboy tussle that a win was badly needed.

The Vikings won the battle of backyard rivals 64-60 to for only their second win of the season.

The loss could prove costly in the MVL race for the Black Knights, who are still in the playoff hunt, but now have a tough road to hoe.

Instead of being a solid third in the circuit, Mo Valley finds itself tied for fourth place with West Branch and Clearfield St. Francis at 3-5, a half-game behind Harmony.

The first quarter opened with the hosts getting off to a 6-0 lead before the Vikings' Kevin Swauger and Tom Murray used some key shooting to knot the score.

The squads traded

baskets, and a long jump shot by Mo Valley guard Allan Higgins at the buzzer left them deadlocked at 12-12 after eight minutes.

The second period was much the same, although some key foul shooting by Glendale's Jack Burmeister and Murray gave the Vikings a 28-23 lead late in the first half.

Mo Valley guard Eddie Haines canned two jump shots near the end of the half to cut the Vikings' edge to 28-27 at intermission.

In the third quarter, the Vikings were able to counter just about every shot the Black Knights would make, and used three late buckets by Murray, Kevin Swauger and Bob Greenaway to improve their lead to 46-38 going to the final period.

The Vikings slowly increased their lead to as much as 11 points, 52-41, before the Black Knights put on a late rally.

Mo Valley senior standout Chris Syktich

took the initiative into his own hands and scored three quick baskets, one a crowd-pleasing slam dunk, to cut the spread to 52-47.

The Knights kept chipping away and closed to within four at 53-49 with 1:20 to go, only to miss a wide-open layup after a key steal by Higgins.

On the transition play, Greenaway made a layup to give the Vikings a 57-51 lead.

Mo Valley wasn't finished yet as it cut the lead to 59-58 on a foul shot by Jerry Hagan and a tap-in by Syktich with 27 seconds remaining.

Murray saved the Vikings with three key foul shots down the stretch to preserve a hard-earned victory.

The winners were led in scoring by Murray's 21 points, Swauger's 17 and Greenaway's 11.

Syktich, who played a steady game, paced Mo Valley with a game-high 23 markers, while Higgins chipped in with 11.

The Black Knights had a decided rebounding advantage, 53-40, with Syktich garnering 20 caroms.

The hosts outshot the Vikings 46 percent (20-for-43) to 37 percent (23-for-62), but still saw their overall record dip to 3-13.

Viking coach Mike Hayes was happy with his squad's second win against 12 losses. Glendale is 2-7 in the loop.

"Our kids did a whale of a job. Every player contributed to the win in some way," Hayes said.

Black Knight coach Tom Boito is starting to think someone has a voodoo of sorts on him and his team.

"Every team gets up for us," Boito said. "It seems our opponents play their best games against us."

"Basically, except for the outcome, the game went the way I anticipated it to go. I was disappointed with our offensive performance."

The junior varsity

contest was a real barnburner as Mo Valley prevailed 43-41. Jody Murawski scored 12 and Joe Syktich 11 for Mo Valley. Dave Burmeister's 18 and Rich Laing's 11 paced the Vikings.

The road doesn't get any easier for the Black Knights as they travel to the Gateway City Friday to play league frontrunner DuBois Central at the Penn State-DuBois Campus gymnasium.

Meanwhile, the Vikings entertain powerful Williamsburg in a non-league scrap tomorrow night.

GLENDALE—64  
Greenaway 5 1-2 11, Murray 6 9-15 21, Renninger 2 2-3 6, Hewitt 0 0-0 0, Swauger 7 3-4 17, J. Burmeister 1 3-6 5, Laing 2 0-1 4. TOTALS: 23 18-31 64.

MOSHANNON VALLEY—60  
Hagan 1 5-7 7, Higgins 3 4-8 10, Klitko 2 4-6 8, Srock 1 0-0 2, C. Syktich 8 7-11 23, Cervenak 1 0-0 2, Donley 0 0-0 0, Haines 4 0-0 8. TOTALS: 20 20-32 60.

Score by Quarters  
Glendale 12 16 18 18—64  
Mo Valley 12 15 11 22—60  
Officials—Riddle, Rishel.

## February 7, 1985: Glendale 43 at Williamsburg 70 Pirates Scuttle Vikes 70-43

**WILLIAMSBURG** — The Williamsburg Blue Pirates showed the Glendale Vikings last night exactly why they are currently ranked fourth in The Pittsburgh Post-Gazette's schoolboy basketball Class AA poll. The Blue Pirates, behind Christian Appleman's 21 points, which put him over 1,000-point plateau for his career, and Scott Branter's 14, which left him five points shy of a 1,000, defeated the

Vikings 70-43 in a non-league game to improve their record to 15-2.

Coach Mike Hayes' Vikings, meanwhile, fell to 2-13.

Williamsburg started slowly, leading 18-10 after one quarter and 31-22 at the half, but the hosts got their offense rolling in the second half and out-scored Glendale 39-21.

Tom Murray and Kevin Swauger led Glendale by netting 10 points apiece.

Williamsburg prevailed 53-32 in the junior

varsity contest.

Glendale travels to Bellwood-Antis tomorrow

### GLENDALE—43

Greenaway 1 0-0 2, Renninger 2 1-2 5, Murray 5 0-0 10, Swauger 4 2-3 10, Hewitt 2 0-0 4, J. Burmeister 4 0-2 8, Laing 2 0-0 4. TOTALS: 20 3-7 43.

### WILLIAMSBURG—70

Brantner 6 2-2 14, Appleman 9 3-4 21, Baker 5 0-0 10, Rhule 6 0-0 12, Bowmaster 3 1-1 7, Keithly 1 2-2 4, Isenberg 1 0-2 2. TOTALS: 31 8-11 70.

Glendale	10	12	12	9—43
Williamsburg	18	13	16	23—70

Officials—Heim, Rickens.

## February 8, 1985: Glendale 69 at Bellwood 75

### Vikes Fall to Blue Devils

**BELLWOOD** — Despite the fact that Tom Murray and Kevin Swauger combined for 52 points, the Glendale Vikings still came out on the short end of a 75-69 score against non-league boys basketball foe Bellwood-Antis last night.

Murray scored a season-high 31 points, while Swauger tallied 21 for the Vikings, who dropped 2-14 overall.

Bellwood-Antis, 10-6, was led by Danny DelGrosso's 23 points and Steve Miller's 20. Mark Abbott and Ed Kensinger added 10 each.

The hosts streaked to a 20-7 lead after one quarter and a 41-24 lead at halftime.

However, coach Mike Hayes' team played a strong second half, outscoring the Blue Devils 45-34.

Bellwood-Antis also won the junior varsity game 41-29.

Glendale will travel to the Gateway City Tuesday for a Moshannon Valley League game against once-beaten DuBois Central.

### GLENDALE—69

Greenaway 0 0-0 0, Renninger 2 1-2 5, Murray 15 1-4 31, Swauger 10 1-4 21, J. Burmeister 2 1-2 5, Laing 0 3-4 3, Soucek 2 0-3 4, Hewitt 0 0-0 0. TOTALS: 31 7-19 69.

### BELLWOOD-ANTIS—75

Abbott 5 0-0 10, Miller 9 2-4 20, DelGrosso 11 1-2 23, McCauley 4 1-2 9, Burch 1 0-0 2, Kensinger 5 0-0 10, Partner 0 1-2 1. TOTALS: 35 5-10 75.

Glendale	7	17	17	28—69
B-Antis	20	21	15	19—75

## February 11, 1985: Glendale 37 at Blacklick Valley 59

### Blacklick Tumbles Glendale

NANTY GLO — P.J. Bracken fired in 23 points and Les Sheesley added 11 to spark the Blacklick Valley High School cagers to a 59-37 win over Glendale in a non-league schoolboy makeup game last night.

The win sets Blacklick Valley's record at 12-6, while coach Mike Hayes' Vikings slipped to 2-15.

The hosts led 14-4 after one quarter, 32-14 at the intermission and 46-20 after three periods.

Tom Murray's nine points were high for the losers.

Blacklick Valley won the junior varsity game 42-22.

The Vikings will return to Moshannon Valley League action tomorrow at DuBois Central.

#### GLENDALE—37

Greenaway 10-0 2, Renninger 10-0 2, Murray 4 1-2 9, Swauger 12-5 4, Hewitt 2 1-2 5, J. Burmeister 3 0-0 6, Laing 2 1-2 5, D. Burmeister 2 0-0 4. TOTALS: 16 5-11 37.

#### BLACKLICK VALLEY—59

Kotelnicki 3 0-1 6, McMullen 3 0-0 6, Bracken 11 1-2 23, Sheesley 3 5-6 11, Ellis 2 0-0 4, Simendinger 2 0-2 4, Evans 1 3-4 5. TOTALS: 25 9-15 59.

#### Score by Quarters

Glendale	4	10	6	17—37
Blacklick	14	18	14	13—59

## February 14, 1985: West Branch 57 at Glendale 66

### Murray's 28 Points Pace Vikes

FLINTON — Tom Murray pumped in 28 points as the Glendale High School cagers snapped a four-game losing streak with a 66-57 victory over West Branch in a Moshannon Valley League tilt last night.

Coach Mike Hayes' Vikings, 3-8 in the circuit and 3-16 overall, also got 14 points from Rich Laing and 11 more from Kevin Swauger. Roger Renninger hauled down 10 rebounds.

West Branch, coached by Ernie Majeski, closed league play at 4-8. Gannon Hubler's 22 points and 18 rebounds paced the Warriors, who are 5-14 overall.

A.J. Coval scored 14 points for the Warriors,

while Brian Lynch netted 11 and also grabbed 16 missed shots.

The Warriors held an 11-10 advantage after one quarter, but the Vikings outscored the visitors 13-12 in the second stanza to deadlock the contest at 23-23 at intermission.

The third quarter proved to be pivotal as Glendale outscored West Branch 24-15. Each team tallied 19 points in the final period.

West Branch shot 27 percent from the floor (24-for-86), while Glendale shot 36 percent (27-for-71). The Warriors won the rebound battle 48-35.

Dave Burmeister tallied 17 points as Glendale won the junior

varsity game 44-35.

Both teams will bring down the curtain on their seasons tomorrow night as Glendale hosts Clearfield St. Francis in an MVL makeup tilt and West Branch entertains non-league foe Juniata Valley in a makeup game that has been moved up from Feb. 22.

#### WEST BRANCH—57

Hubler 8 6-10 22, Lynch 5 1-3 11, Baronak 2 1-3 5, Coval 7 0-2 14, English 0 0-2 0, Warholc 2 1-3 5, Downey 0 0-2 0, Bumbarger 0 0-0 0. TOTALS: 24 9-25 57.

#### GLENDALE—66

Greenaway 21-1 5, Renninger 12-4 4, Murray 12 4-8 28, Swauger 5 1-2 11, Laing 5 4-6 14, Hewitt 0 0-1 0, J. Burmeister 2 0-0 4, Soucek 0 0-2 0. TOTALS: 27 12-24 66.

#### Score by Quarters

West Branch	11	12	15	19—57
Glendale	10	13	24	19—66

Officials—Zimmerman, Wagner.

February 16, 1985: St. Francis (Clearfield) 48 at Glendale 75

# Vikes Finish on Upbeat, Top Ponies 75-48

FLINTON — Tom Murray poured in 20 points and Kevin Swauger tallied 15 more to power the Glendale High School boys basketball team to a 75-48 victory over Clearfield St. Francis in a Moshannon Valley League makeup contest Saturday.

Coach Mike Hayes'

team finished at 4-8 in the loop and 4-16 overall. Coach Dennis Crotzer's Ponies, who qualified for the league playoffs which begin Thursday, finished third at 5-7 and are 5-15. Glendale streaked to a 24-12 bulge after one quarter and led 42-24 at the intermission.

The Vikings, who also got 12 points from Jack

Burmeister and 11 more from John Soucek, out-scored the Ponies 33-24 in the second half.

Danny Wright with 11 points and Hayes Wilson with 10 were high for St. Francis, which made only eight of 24 free throws.

### ST. FRANCIS—48

D. Wright 4 3-8 11, Sorbera 4 1-3 9, Wilson 4 2-4 10, Moore 3 0-0 6, J. Wright 1 1-2 3, Murphy 0 0-2 0, Catalano 2 0-0 4, Anderson 1 0-1 2,

Hess 1 1-2 3, G. Ryan 0 0-0 0, Cook 0 0-0 0, P. Ryan 0 0-0 0. TOTALS: 20 8-24 48.

### GLENDALE—75

Greenaway 1 0-0 2, J. Burmeister 5 2-2 12, Murray 10 0-0 20, Renninger 4 1-3 9, Soucek 5 1-2 11, Swauger 7 1-2 15, Laing 3 0-2 6, Hewitt 0 0-0 0, D. Burmeister 0 0-0 0, Nash 0 0-0 0, Johnston 0 0-0 0, Nevling 0 0-0 0. TOTALS: 35 5-11 75.

### Score by Quarters

St. Francis	12	12	10	14—48
Glendale	24	18	18	15—75

Officials—Zimmerman, Young.

<b>Players</b>	<b>Points</b>
Kevin Swauger	203
Roger Renninger	128
Rich Laing	116
Jack Burmeister	84
John Soucek	61
Bob Greenaway	48
Jeff Hewitt	45
Tom Murray	24
Dave Burmeister	5
Larry Cusick	4
Don Johnston	1