

2007-2008 Season



Front row: Caleb McGarvey, Lucas Westover, Sam Yingling, and Ty Stockhouse
Middle row: Vance Kimberly, Brett Hulthen, Tyler Jenny, Ethan Hulthen, and Brock Kauffman
Last row: Coach Mazerko, Ethan Cree, Pat Baum, Brad O'Donnell, and Coach Stockhouse

Glendale boys basketball hopes for a fresh start this season

By Josh Mlot
Sports Writer

FLINTON — For the Glendale boys basketball team, last season was not what it had hoped for, even in the eyes of its head coach.

"Last year we were 5-19 — not very successful," head coach Gregg Mazenko said.

Although they don't waste any time viewing the past year through rose-colored glasses, this is a new start and a new season. With six returning letterwinners and four returning starters, the Vikings are looking to put up a better performance this year and compete for a league title.

While there is a lot of experience returning, Glendale will have to find a way to replace Gary Walstrom Jr. — an important contributor and leader lost to graduation — and it won't be easy.

"We'll miss his rebounding, his toughness in the middle and his defense," Mazenko said.

Finding that replacement may prove difficult, and the Vikings may have to look for other ways

to beat opponents. Lacking the ability to bang on the boards, Glendale will try to use speed to create matchup problems.

"Our strengths should be athleticism and quickness. We're not real tall, so we're not going to be able to just dribble down the floor, dump into a big man and have them score," Mazenko said.

"Rebounding is going to be an issue for us as well, so we're going to have to rely on our quickness and athleticism to pull us through."

Seniors Brett Hullihen, Ethan Hullihen, Sam Yingling and Brock Kauffman along with junior Vance Kimberly and sophomore Brad O'Donnell all figure to play key roles this year. The Vikings will also look for contributions from freshmen newcomers Tyler Jenny and Ethan Cree.

Yingling returns as the team's leading scorer, averaging 17.4 points per game last season. Kimberly and Kauffman were also important offensive contributors with 8.3 and 7.7 points per game, respectively.

The Vikings will need to find a

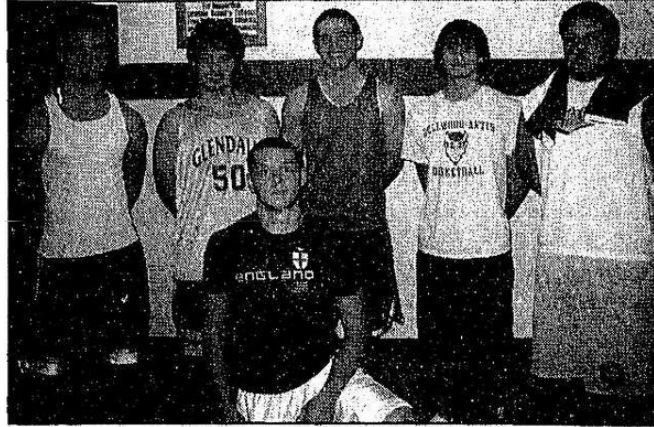


Photo by Josh Mlot

Super Six — The Glendale boys basketball team returns six letterwinners for the 2007-2008 season. Front row is Brad O'Donnell. Back row, from left, are Brock Kauffman, Ethan Hullihen, Brett Hullihen, Sam Yingling and Vance Kimberly.

way to fill a leadership void if they hope to rise to the top of both the Moshannon Valley League and Juniata Valley League. Nobody has grabbed a hold of the reins yet, but Mazenko believes there are numerous candidates.

"I think we have a handful of players who could fill a leadership role," he said.

"We have five seniors, four of which I've coached since they were freshmen. I'm looking for all four of those players to step up. I don't think they have yet, but I think they all need to fill that role and can fill that role."

If players do step up, Glendale may be able to achieve its goals as it focuses on being in the mix for an MVL championship.

"I think there are a number of teams that are going to compete for the Mo Valley League championship. It's wide open this year, more so than any other year. I think the other coaches would probably agree with that," Mazenko said.

"I think we should be right in the thick of things towards the end of the year, and hopefully

we'll be competing for the league title.

The Vikings open their season next Friday against Penns Manor at the Harmony Tip-Off Tournament.

Roster

Seniors

Pat Baum, *Brett Hullihen, *Ethan Hullihen, *Brock Kauffman, *Sam Yingling.

Juniors

*Vance Kimberly.

Sophomores

*Brad O'Donnell.

Freshmen

Ethan Cree, Tyler Jenny, Caleb McGary, Ty Stackhouse, Lucas Westover.

*Denotes returning letterwinners.

Schedule

November

30—vs. Penns Manor at Harmony Tip-Off Tournament, 6 p.m.

December

1—at Harmony Tip-Off Tournament, TBA; 3—at Bellwood-Antis; 5—at Curwensville; 8—Bishop Carroll; 10—West Branch; 12—at Harmony; 14—at Southern Huntingdon; 17—Claysburg-Kimmel; 19—at Moshannon Valley; 21—Juniata Valley; 29—at Bishop Carroll.

January

4—Williamsburg; 7—Mount Union; 10—Bellwood-Antis; 14—Curwensville; 16—at West Branch; 18—Southern Huntingdon; 21—at Claysburg-Kimmel; 23—Moshannon Valley; 28—at Juniata Valley; 31—at Williamsburg.

February

4—at Mount Union; 6—Harmony.
All varsity games begin at 7:30 p.m. unless noted.

November 30, 2007: Glendale 68 vs Penns Manor 66 (Harmony Tourn.)

Penns Manor—66

Alsop 3 0-0 6, Gray 6 1-2 17, Lester 4 2-2 10, Rhea 6 5-7 20, Gillo 2 2-2 6, Palmer 1 0-0 2, Bash 0 0-0 0, Holby 2 1-1 5. Totals: 26 11-14 66.

Glendale—68

Yingling 3 2-4 9, Kimberly 5 0-0 10, E. Hullihen 2 0-0 6, Kauffman 6 0-0 15, B. Hullihen 3 0-1 7, O'Donnell 4 1-2 9, Cree 1 3-4 5, Jenny 3 0-1 7. Totals: 27 6-12 68.

Three-pointers: Rhea 3; Kauffman 3, E. Hullihen 2, Yingling, B. Hullihen, Jenny.

Score by Quarters

Penns Manor	16	14	13	23—66
Glendale	15	19	19	15—68

December 1, 2007: Glendale 74 at Harmony 86 (Harmony Tourn.)

Glendale—74

Kauffman 8 0-0 18, Yingling 6 0-0 14, Kimberly 3 2-6 9, E. Hullihen 0 0-2 0, B. Hullihen 5 1-1 13, O'Donnell 2 0-0 4, Cree 2 2-2 6, Jenny 3 4-6 10. Totals: 29 9-17 74.

Harmony—86

Priester 4 0-0 9, Brothers 1 0-0 2, Rydborn 10 3-5 23, Peace 7 0-1 14, Schneider 9 5-6 26, Norris 4 0-0 8, Griffin 2 0-2 4, Welteroth 0 0-0 0, Young 0 0-0 0. Totals: 37 8-14 86.

Three-pointers: Kauffman 2, Yingling 2, B. Hullihen 2, Kimberly; Schneider 3, Priester.

Score by Quarters

Glendale	13	16	18	27—74
Harmony	21	18	16	31—86

December 3, 2007: Glendale 47 at Curwensville 64

Glendale—47

Yingling 3 2-2 8, B. Hullihen 0 0-2 0, Kauffman 2 0-0 4, E. Hullihen 2 1-2 6, Kimberly 2 3-4 7, Jenny 2 0-0 4, Cree 8 2-4 18. Totals: 19 8-14 47.

Curwensville—64

R. Gardner 4 0-0 8, McGary 2 1-2 6, Kalgren 8 0-1 17, Palmer 3 0-0 6, Dixon 6 1-1 13, S. Gardner 5 1-2 12, Greslick 0 2-2 2, Johns 0 0-0 0. Totals: 28 5-8 64.

Three-pointers: E. Hullihen; McGary, Kalgren, S. Gardner.

Score by Quarter

Glendale	10	15	13	9—47
Curwensville	17	14	18	15—64

December 8, 2007: Bishop Carroll 78 at Glendale 59

Bishop Carroll78
Glendale59

FLINTON — Led by Victor Tranquillo's 25 points, Bishop Carroll placed three players in double figures to pick up its first win of the season, a non-league decision over Glendale.

Luke Paronish added 17 points and 17 boards for Carroll, which led 40-29 at halftime. Matt Repko chipped in with 10 points for BC (1-1). Sam Yingling's 22 points were tops for the Vikings (1-3).

BISHOP CARROLL (78): Tranquillo 8 4-4 25, Wilson 1 0-0 3, Repko 3 1-2 10, Panick 4 2-6 10, Paronish 7 3-4 17, Springer 2 0-0 4, Shrift 0 3-6 3, Greene 1 1-2 3, Gueguen 0 1-2 1, Hogue 1 0-0 2. Totals — 27 15-26 78.

GLENDAL (59): Yingling 8 3-5 22, B. Hullihen 3 2-4 9, Kauffman 4 3-4 12, E. Hullihen 1 1-2 4, Kimberly 1 0-0 2, Cree 2 0-0 4, Jenny 2 2-3 6. Totals — 21 11-18 59.

SCORE BY QUARTERS

Bishop Carroll17 23 13 25 — 78
 Glendale14 15 11 17 — 59

3-point goals: Glendale 6 (Yingling 3, B. Hullihen 1, Kauffman 1, E. Hullihen); Bishop Carroll 9 (Tranquillo 5, Wilson, Repko 3)

Records: Glendale (1-3); Bishop Carroll (1-1).

JV: Bishop Carroll, 34-25, High scorers — Moschgot, BC, 13; Jenny, G, 11.

December 10, 2007: West Branch 63 at Glendale 75

West Branch—63

Husted 0 0-0 0, Ferguson 5 0-0 10, Lidgett 2 1-6 5, Zimmerman 7 1-2 20, Dotts 6 2-4 17, Beveridge 3 2-2 11, Bisko 0 0-0 0, Wesesky 0 0-0 0, McCracken 0 0-0 0. Totals: 23 6-14 63.

Glendale—75

Jenny 2 4-5 8, Kimberly 8 0-0 18, B. Hullihen 2 4-7 9, Kauffman 3 1-2 8, Yingling 7 5-6 21, E. Hullihen 3 0-0 9, Cree 1 0-1 2, Westover 0 0-0 0. Totals: 26 14-21 75.

Three-pointers: Zimmerman 5, Dotts 3, Beveridge 3; E. Hullihen 3, Kimberly 2, Yingling 2, B. Hullihen, Kauffman.

Score by Quarters

West Branch 16 11 10 26—63
 Glendale 16 13 21 25—75

December 12, 2007: Glendale 72 at Harmony 99

Glendale—72

Yingling 4 0-0 9, Kauffman 8 0-0 19, B. Hullihen 0 0-0 0, Kimberly 3 2-4 10, Jenny 4 2-6 10, E. Hullihen 4 2-3 13, Cree 4 0-1 8, Westover 1 1-4 3, Stackhouse 0 0-0 0, Baum 0 0-0 0, McGary 0 0-0 0. Totals: 28 7-18 72.

Harmony—99

Priester 9 5-6 23, Schneider 7 2-3 16, Rydbom 10 1-1 22, Brothers 4 0-0 8, Norris 8 2-3 18, Griffin 2 0-0 4, Peace 2 0-0 4, Welteroth 2 0-0 4, Young 0 0-0 0, Gee 0 0-0 0, Hutton 0 0-0 0, Smith 0 0-0 0. Totals: 44 10-13 99.

Three-pointers: Kauffman 3, E. Hullihen 3, Kimberly 2, Yingling; Rydbom.

Score by Quarters

Glendale 8 14 18 32—72
 Harmony 17 28 26 28—99

December 14, 2007: Glendale 57 at Southern Huntingdon 31

Glendale tops Rockets

T H R E E SPRINGS — The Glendale boys basketball team defeated host Southern Huntingdon, 57-31, on Friday evening.



Yingling

Sam Yingling led the Vikings with 21 points, while Brock Kauffman added 14.

Glendale improved to 3-4 overall with the victory. The Vikes host Claysburg-Kimmel on Monday.

In junior varsity action, the Rockets won 36-22. Ty Stackhouse paced Glendale with

eight points.

Glendale—57

Yingling 9 2-2 21, B. Hullihen 2 0-0 4, Kauffman 6 1-1 14, E. Hullihen 0 3-4 3, Kimberly 1 0-0 3, Cree 1 3-4 5, Jenny 2 0-1 4, Stackhouse 0 0-1 0, Westover 1 1-2 3, Baum 0 0-0 0, McGary 0 0-0 0. Totals: 22 10-15 57.

Southern Huntingdon—31

Goshorn 1 0-2 3, Hockenberry 0 0-2 0, Jones 4 0-0 9, Cornelius 1 0-0 3, Grubb 0 1-2 1, Gibbons 0 0-0 0, Fisch 1 0-0 2, Gissinger 1 0-0 2, Walters 0 0-0 0, Long 5 0-0 11. Totals: 13 1-6 31.

Three-pointers: Yingling, Kauffman, Kimberly; Goshorn, Jones, Cornelius, Long.

Score by Quarters

Glendale	18	11	15	13—57
So. Huntingdon	6	5	7	13—31

December 17, 2007: Claysburg 59 at Glendale 65

Glendale boys upend Claysburg-Kimmel

FLINTON — The Glendale boys basketball team defeated Claysburg-Kimmel, 65-59, on Monday evening in a Juniata Valley League matchup.



Kauffman

The Vikes led 24-10 after the first quarter and never looked back.

Sam Yingling led the Vikings with 17 points, including three treys. Teammate Brock Kauffman had 16 points and eight assists.

Vance Kimberly and Tyler Jenny each had 11 points.

The Vikings improved to 4-4 overall and 2-0 in the JVL.

Glendale also won the junior

varsity game, 32-27. Ethan Cree had 12 points to pace the Vikings.

Glendale travels to Moshannon Valley on Wednesday.

Claysburg-Kimmel—59

Burkett 3 0-0 7, Blair 1 0-0 2, Brown 7 5-5 22, Diehl 7 0-0 14, Eades 1 2-2 4, Kittle 2 1-2 5, Claycomb 1 0-0 3, Dehoff 1 0-0 2. Totals: 23 8-9 59.

Glendale—65

Yingling 6 2-4 17, B. Hullihen 2 3-6 8, Kauffman 5 4-9 16, E. Hullihen 1 0-2 2, Kimberly 4 1-4 11, Cree 0 0-2 0, Jenny 5 1-2 11. Totals: 23 11-35 65.

Three-pointers: Brown 3, Burkett, Claycomb; Yingling 3, Kauffman 2, Kimberly 2, B. Hullihen.

Score by Quarters

Claysburg-Kimmel	10	19	8	22—59
Glendale	24	12	18	11—65

December 19, 2007: Glendale 42 at MoValley 48

Glendale—42

Yingling 2 3-5 7, B. Hullihen 1 1-2 3, Kauffman 5 5-5 16, Kimberly 4 0-0 9, Jenny 0 0-2 0, Cree 3 0-0 7, E. Hullihen 0 0-0 0. Totals: 15 9-14 42.

Moshannon Valley—48

Dudurich 3 1-1 7, Morrioni 3 1-2 7, Neff 1 2-4 4, Rowley 8 0-1 19, Moyer 4 0-0 8, S. Henry 1 0-0 3, J. Gmerek 0 0-0 0. Totals 20 4-7 48.

Three-pointers: Kauffman, Kimberly, Cree; Rowley 3, S. Henry.

Score by Quarters

Glendale	13	11	12	6—42
Moshannon Valley	15	5	16	12—48

December 21, 2007: Juniata Valley 29 at Glendale 65

Glendale bounces JV

FLINTON — The Glendale boys basketball team led Juniata Valley 31-9 at the end of the first quarter, and cruised to a 65-29 victory on Friday evening.

Sam Yingling led the Vikings with 20 points, while Brock Kauffman added 15. Ethan Hullihen and Tyler Jenny each netted 11 points in the win.

"It was a crazy fast start for us," said Glendale head coach Gregg Mazenko. "We didn't shoot well against Mo Valley and lost, but it really makes a difference when you are putting the ball in the basket."

The Vikings improved to 5-5 overall. Glendale travels to

Bishop Carroll on Dec. 29.

In junior varsity, the Hornets were victorious 49-43. Hullihen led the Vikings with 12 points.

Juniata Valley—29

Peterson 1 5-5 7, DeVore 2 0-1 4, Kennedy 1 1-2 3, Espy 1 0-0 3, Oldham 2 0-0 4, Carper 1 0-0 3, Pilch 2 0-0 5, Ruiz 0 0-2 0. Totals: 10 6-11 29.

Glendale—65

Yingling 7 4-6 20, B. Hullihen 0 0-2 0, Kauffman 7 1-2 15, E. Hullihen 3 3-3 11, Kimberly 2 1-2 6, Jenny 2 7-8 11, Westover 1 0-0 2. Totals: 22 6-24 65.

Three-pointers: Espy, Carper, Pilch; Yingling 2, E. Hullihen 2, Kimberly.

Score by Quarters

Juniata Valley	9	6	7	7-29
Glendale	31	22	12	0-65

December 29, 2007: Glendale 62 at Bishop Carroll 68

Carroll edges Glendale

EBENSBURG — Victor Tranquillo scored a game-high 31 points to lead Bishop Carroll to a 68-62 win over Glendale in a regular season game.

Sam Yingling led Glendale with 24.

GLENDALE (62): Yingling 8 3-4 24, B. Hullihen 5 0-0 11, Kauffman 3 0-0 6, E. Hullihen 1 0-0 2, Kimberly 2 4-6 9, Dree 1 0-0 2, Jenny 3 2-2 8. Totals — 23 9-12 62.

BISHOP CARROLL (68): Tranquillo 10 8-11 31, Wilson 2 2-2 8, Paronish 5 1-2 11, Springer 3 0-0 6, Shrift 3 0-0 8, Green 1 0-0 2. Totals — 24 11-15 68.

SCORE BY QUARTERS

Glendale	10	21	11	20	— 62
Bishop Carroll	9	21	13	25	— 68

3-point goals: Glendale 7 (Yingling 5, B. Hullihen, Kimberly); Bishop Carroll 7 (Tranquillo 3, Wilson 2, Shrift 2).

Records: Glendale (5-6); Bishop Carroll (6-2).

JV: Bishop Carroll, 32-30. High scorers — Dree, Jenny and Kimberly, G, 6; Moschgist, BC, 10.

January 4, 2008: Williamsburg 39 at Glendale 55

Glendale thumps Williamsburg

FLINTON — The Glendale boys basketball team handed Williamsburg its first Juniata Valley League loss on Friday with a 55-39 victory.

The Vikings (6-7 overall, 5-2 JVL) were led by Sam Yingling's 19 points and Ethan Cree finished with 13. Brock Kauffman also pitched in 11 points.

Glendale hosts Mount Union on Monday.

In jayvee action, Williamsburg topped Glendale 46-39. Cree led the Vikings with

14 points.

Williamsburg—39

Miller 1 0-0 3, Greaser 1 0-0 3, Harker 1 0-1 2, Yeager 3 2-7 8, Lee 5 2-3 17, Rusich 3 0-0 6, Faye 0 0-0 0, Detwiler 0 0-0 0, Dowey 0 0-0 0. Totals 14 4-11 39.

Glendale—55

Yingling 8 2-4 19, B. Hullihen 0 2-2 2, Kauffman 5 1-1 11, O'Donnell 2 0-0 4, Cree 4 4-4 13, Jenny 2 2-2 6, Kimberly 0 0-0 0. Totals: 21 11-13 55.

Three-pointers: Lee 5, Miller, Greaser; Yingling, Cree.

Score by Quarters

Williamsburg	8	12	14	5-39
Glendale	9	14	14	18-55

January 7, 2008: Mt. Union 31 at Glendale 46

Glendale trips up Mt. Union

FLINTON — The Glendale boys basketball team defeated visiting Mount Union, 46-31, in a Juniata Valley League contest on Monday evening.

Sam Yingling led the Vikings with 18 points, while Vance Kimberly added 12.

Glendale improved to 7-7 overall and 6-2 in the JVL. The Vikings host Bellwood-Antis on Thursday.

In the junior varsity contest, the Trojans won, 35-27. Brad O'Donnell led Glendale with 12 points.

Mount Union—31

Sentman 2 0-0 4, O'Leary 0 2-3 2, Rogers 1 0-0 2, Loner 1 0-0 2, Clemens 3 2-2 8, C. Hollibaugh 3 1-2 8, Barcelona 1 0-0 2, Goodlink 1 1-2 3. Totals: 12 6-9 31.

Glendale—46

Yingling 7 2-2 18, Kauffman 4 1-3 9, Kimberly 4 3-4 12, Jenny 2 3-3 7, O'Donnell 0 0-0 0, B. Hullihen 0 0-0 0, Cree 0 0-0 0, Westover 0 0-0 0, Baum 0 0-0 0, Stackhouse 0 0-0 0, McGary 0 0-0 0. Totals: 17 9-12 46.

Three-pointers: C. Hollibaugh; Yingling 2, Kimberly.

Score by Quarters

Mount Union	8	11	8	4—31
Glendale	13	19	11	3—46

January 10, 2008: Bellwood 56 at Glendale 48

Vikings fall to Bellwood-Antis

FLINTON — The Glendale boys basketball team fell to visiting Bellwood-Antis on Thursday evening, 56-48.

Brock Kauffman paced the Vikings with 15 points, while Vance Kimberly added 10.

Glendale fell to 7-8 overall and 6-3 in the Juniata Valley League.

In jayvee action, the Vikes were 39-37 winners. Brad O'Donnell had 14 points to lead Glendale.

Bellwood-Antis—56

Hatch 7 2-2 22, B. DeGol 3 1-5 7, Miller 2 1-2 5, Wertz 7 3-4 17, N. DeGol 0 3-4 3, Plummer 1 0-0 2. Totals: 20 10-17 56.

Glendale—48

Yingling 3 2-2 9, E. Hullihen 0 1-2 1, Kauffman 4 5-6 15, O'Donnell 2 0-0 4, Kimberly 3 2-2 10, Jenny 4 1-2 9, Westover 0 0-0 0, Baum 0 0-0 0. Totals: 16 11-14 48.

Three-pointers: Hatch 6; Kauffman 2, Kimberly 2, Yingling.

Score by Quarters

Bellwood-Antis	14	9	12	21—56
Glendale	16	4	8	20—48

January 14, 2008: Curwensville 65 at Glendale 74

Curwensville—65

Kalgren 4 4-7 13, R. Gardner 0 0-0 0, McGary 9 2-2 23, Palmer 5 2-2 12, Dixon 2 0-0 4, S. Gardner 3 4-4 10, Greslick 1 1-2 3. Totals: 24 13-17 65.

Glendale—74

Jenny 6 5-7 18, Kimberly 3 1-2 8, B. Hullihen 4 1-2 10, Kauffman 5 2-2 14, Yingling 7 6-8 22, O'Donnell 1 0-0 2, Westover 0 0-0 0. Totals: 26 15-21 74.

Three-pointers: McGary 3, Kalgren; Kauffman 2, Yingling 2, Jenny, Kimberly, B. Hullihen.

Score by Quarters

Curwensville	16	19	12	18—65
Glendale	17	20	15	22—74

January 16, 2008: Glendale 77 at West Branch 64

Glendale—77

Yingling 11 2-2 27, Kauffman 10 3-4 23, Kimberly 6 2-7 15, Hullihen 2 0-0 5, Jenny 2 1-2 5, O'Donnell 1 0-0 2, Baum 0 0-0 0. Totals: 32 8-15 77.

West Branch—64

Ferguson 6 2-6 14, Husted 1 0-0 2, Lidgett 5 0-0 10, Dotts 8 0-0 20, Beveridge 4 0-0 12, Bisko 0 0-0 0, Wesesky 2 0-1 6. Totals: 26 2-7 64.

Three-pointers: Dotts 4, Beveridge 4, Wesesky 2; Yingling 3, Kimberly, Hullihen.

Score by Quarters

Glendale	16	21	17	23—77
West Branch	14	17	11	22—64

January 18, 2008: Southern Huntingdon 60 at Glendale 79

Yingling reaches 1,000-point milestone in victory over Rockets

By Josh Mlot
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FLINTON — Until Friday night, Glendale High School had four boys basketball players score 1,000 career points in its history. Now it has five — welcome to the club, Sam Yingling.

Going into the night needing only seven points to reach the milestone, Yingling scored point number 1,000 in the first quarter, on his way to 15. The Vikings had even more reason to celebrate, as they charged to a 79-60 victory over visiting Southern Huntingdon.

Anticipation was high for Yingling's big moment, but the crowd didn't have to wait long as Brock Kauffman dished the ball off to Yingling for the landmark layup with a minute left in the first. The game stopped momentarily in recognition of the achievement, as Yingling was congratulated by his friends and family, with an especially long embrace for his father.

"It's taken a lot and I've put in a lot of work," Yingling said. "My biggest influence is my dad, who used to coach at (Bellwood-

Antis). He's the one that pushed me through it a lot.

"My teammates have helped me through everything, and they helped calm me down before the game. I was real nervous."

There was little reason to be nervous, though, for a player who has accomplished so much on the court.

"(Sam is) a very smart player," Glendale head coach Gregg Mazenko said. "Obviously he's going to get his points, and on any given night he's capable of putting up 20 or 30 points. The nice thing about Sam is that he's not just a point scorer. He's a smart player. He runs the floor very well and he plays defense very well. It's nice to have someone that's not just one-dimensional."

With the awards ceremony out of the way, the Vikings turned their focus to the opponent on the floor.

After getting down early, Glendale fought back and grabbed a one-point lead to end the first quarter. From there the Vikings controlled the scoreboard for the rest of the game.

"In the first quarter

(Southern Huntingdon) scored 22 points on us," Mazenko said. "They really hurt our zone, so we were forced to go man and play a pressure style defense, and we cut their point total in half. That was predicated on ball pressure."

That defensive pressure caused fits for the Trojans in the second quarter, leading to 10 turnovers in the frame as Glendale held the visitors to only nine points. Brett Hullihen led the charge with five steals on the evening.

Kauffman was on fire early in the game, and helped open up the lead with 16 first-half points, on his way to a team-leading 21 points in the game. He also pulled down 10 boards.

"Brock had the hot hand early on—pretty much everything he touched turned to gold," Mazenko said.

A 12-4 second-quarter run by Glendale broke open a close game and the home team went into the locker room with a 42-31 halftime lead.

The Trojans came out in the second half looking to turn things around, and before long had pulled within four points of the lead.

"In the third quarter, overall, I thought we needed to be a little more patient," Mazenko said. "We were settling for quick, long jumpshots when we had a nice lead. (Southern Huntingdon) fought back all the way within (six), partly because we took quick shots and they got the rebounds. After we were a little more patient we got layups, which is what we were looking for."

What Southern Huntingdon wanted was to find big man Logan Booper in the paint, and find him they did. Booper seemed nearly unstoppable under the basket, going for 26 points and 14 rebounds.

"Booper, he's as good as any big man we've played this year. He really gave us problems," Mazenko said. "He was very physical and he had quick feet whenever they got the basketball in to him. That translated into points for them."

Glendale answered with a much smaller, yet just as dangerous, Vance Kimberly, who dropped down 14 of his 20 points in the second half and grabbed six rebounds. Freshman Tyler Jenny stepped up to help him, scoring 12 second-half points on his way to 15 points and nine rebounds.

The big second-half performances, along with solid free-throw shooting down the stretch, pushed the advantage to 79-60 as time ran out.

Things looked to be tougher for the Vikings as the game started, with Southern Huntingdon getting out to a 4-1 lead. Two quick treys by Kauffman and Hullihen tied things up at six, though, and things went back and forth from there. Despite the break in action, Yingling's big bucket with one minute left in the period seemed to swing the momentum, and a Jenny lay-in with 10 seconds on the clock handed the Vikings a 23-22 lead.

A Kauffman jumper opened up the second stanza and set Glendale off on a 12-4 run that helped keep the Vikings on top for the rest of the night. A buzzer-beating layup by Kauffman closed the first half with the score at 42-31.

Kimberly and Jenny scored the first 19 points of the third quarter for Glendale, and Kimberly scored a three-point play with a layup and a foul shot at 2:12 to give the Vikings a 19-point lead.

The Trojans eked closer though, and used some momentum to transition into a fourth quarter that quickly saw them cut the lead to six with a Booper layup.

Glendale responded immediately, and a circus-worthy pass from Hullihen to Kimberly for a layup was followed by a running jumper by Kauffman to break open a 12-point gap with 4:07 left in the game.

The Vikings spent the closing minutes of the contest knocking down shots from the charity stripe, with Jenny and Yingling stepping up to each go 3-of-4 from the line in the final eight minutes.

With another victory under its belt and Yingling's milestone in the books, Glendale (10-8 overall, 8-3 Juniata Valley League) still has much to achieve through the second half of the season.

"I want to try to get a Juniata Valley League title," Yingling said. "(Glendale) has never won one. We're still in the running (for the JVL title), so I want to get that. (We also want) to get to the playoffs. We didn't get to the playoffs last year, (but) we have a good team this year and I think we can do it."

Yingling joins the company of Jim Tiesi (1968), Dave Burmeister (1988), Steve Sinclair (1994) and Shawn Krestar (2003) in Glendale's 1,000-point club.

After winning five of their last six games, the Vikings will look to continue their positive momentum when they step on the court at Claysburg on Monday.

Southern Huntingdon—60

Grissinger 7 2-8 19, Hockenberry 4 0-0 8, Jones 2 1-2 7, Long 0 0-0 0, Booper 13 0-2 28, Goshorn 0 0-0 0, Fish 0 0-0 0, Stake 0 0-0, Grubb 0 0-0 0, Gibbons 0 0-0 0. Totals: 26 3-12 60.

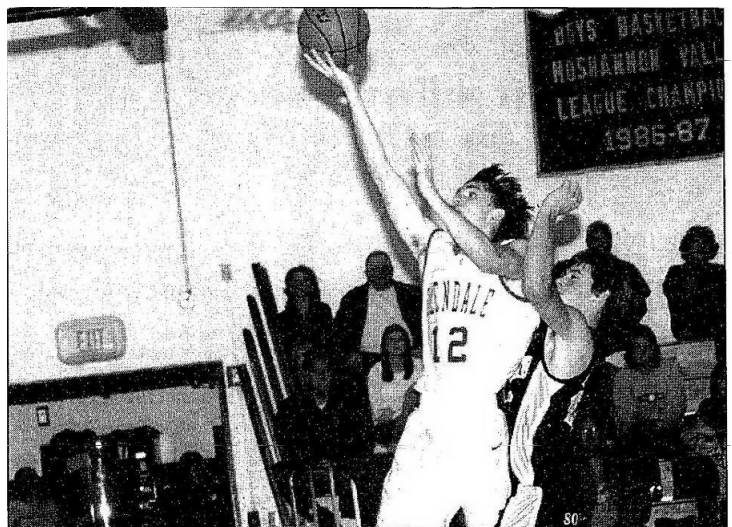
Glendale—79

Jenny 5 5-7 15, Kimberly 9 1-1 20, B. Hullihen 23-4-8, Kauffman 10 1-2-21, Yingling 5 4-5 15, O'Donnell 0 0-0 0, Cree 0 0-0 0, Stackhouse 0 0-0 0, Baum 0 0-0 0, Westover 0 0-0 0, McGary 0 0-0 0. Totals: 31 14-19 79.

Three-pointers: Grissinger 3, Jones 2; Kimberly, B. Hullihen, Yingling.

Score by Quarters

South. Huntingdon	22	9	20	9—60
Glendale	23	19	21	16—79



Glendale's Sam Yingling drives to the hoop past a Southern Huntingdon defender for his 1,000th career point. Yingling scored 15 points in the 79-60 victory, while becoming only the fifth Viking in school history to reach the milestone.

Photo by Jim Butler

January 21, 2008: Glendale 61 at Claysburg 37

Vikings collar Bulldogs, 61-37

CLAYSBURG — The Glendale boys basketball team took to the road on Monday evening, defeating Claysburg-Kimmel by a score of 61-37.

The Vikings (11-8 overall, 9-3 Juniata Valley League) were led by senior Sam Yingling with 22 points and freshman Tyler Jenny with 13 points.

Glendale will take to the court again on Wednesday, hosting Moshannon Valley.

In jayvee action, the Vikings topped Claysburg-Kimmel, 28-25.

Jenny scored 11 in the game.

Glendale—61

Yingling 9 3-4 22, Hullihen 2 0-0 5, Kauffman 2 0-0 4, O'Donnell 2 2-2 6, Kimberly 4 0-0 8, Cree 0 1-2 1, Jenny 4 5-5 13, Westover 1 0-0 2, Baum 0 0-0 0, Stackhouse 0 0-0 0, McGary 0 0-0 0. Totals: 24 11-13 61.

Claysburg-Kimmel—37

Burkett 2 0-0 4, Blair 3 1-2 8, Brown 5 0-0 11, Diehl 3 0-1 6, Eacles 2 0-0 4, Walter 1 0-0 2. Totals: 17 1-3 37.

Three-pointers: Yingling, Hullihen; Blair, Brown.

Score by Quarters

Glendale	14	12	21	14—61
C-K	7	4	12	14—37

January 23, 2008: MoValley 38 at Glendale 54

Kauffman's defense helps Glendale get past Mo Valley

By Josh Mlot
Sports Writer

FLINTON — In a culture obsessed with statistics, sometimes the stat sheet falls short in telling the whole story.

That was the case Wednesday night, as the Glendale boys basketball team toppled visiting Moshannon Valley in a 54-38 win.

What didn't show up on paper was Glendale's textbook execution of the box-and-one defense, with an outstanding defensive effort by Brock Kauffman, who manned up on Moshannon Valley sharp-shooter Tom Rowley and held him to only 12 points.

"As soon as we got into the locker room we just stood and clapped for Brock," Glendale head coach Gregg Mazenko said. "It's good that our guys recognize what kind of effort that takes to guard somebody in a box-and-one for 32 minutes. He showed a lot of heart tonight. He was very diligent and didn't slack off, so that says a lot about Brock."

The Black Knights hung with Glendale for the first quarter, taking a 14-12 lead into the second stanza, but the Vikings quickly took the lead over and then dominated in the second half.

"(Glendale) did a good job (in the box-and-one)," Moshannon Valley head coach Darin Ricciotti said. "We had some opportunities, we just didn't knock them down to force them out of that (defense). That's what you have to do when they get in those types of defenses.

"We didn't get back real well on defense either. We gave up a lot of breaks, and you can't win that way against good teams."

The Vikings set up their half-court offense in the second half, and some excellent passing helped the home team break out on an 11-3 run in the third, taking a double-digit lead into the final period of play.

"We stretched (Mo Valley) out

a little bit in transition and got them worried about that, and that made it easier to set up our halfcourt offense," Mazenko said.

"Brett Hullihen is very good at seeing guys backdoor. Some of the passes he made tonight just made me shake my head in a good way."

Mo Valley got more bad news only minutes into the fourth quarter, as Tyler Neff went down with an injury that forced him out of the game. With one less outside threat, the Knights struggled to make any sort of comeback bid, as Glendale held them to only four points in the final eight minutes.

"(Neff) does a very good job," Ricciotti said. "His scoring is down a little bit this year, but he's very valuable to us at the point. He does a pretty good job defensively, and we miss him when he's not on the floor."

Things started out badly for the Black Knights, with turnovers on three of their first four possessions of the game, but Rowley put the ball through the hoop for the first bucket of the night. Yingling, who led the Vikings with 16 points, quickly responded with a layup and a foul shot, but Moshannon Valley fought back and managed to cling to a two-point lead after one frame.

The advantage didn't last long, as Tyler Jenny hit a turnaround jumper thirty seconds in to the second, tying the game at 14-14. Jenny then took over the second quarter, scoring eight in the frame, and his reverse layup with 1:40 to go in the half gave Glendale a 31-26 lead going into the locker room. Jenny scored 14 points on the night, despite sitting out the third quarter with foul trouble.

"(Tyler) is just an all-around, solid player," Mazenko said. "I think he's second or third in just about every category we track. It's nice to be able to get that quality production from a freshman."

The third quarter mirrored much of the second, as the Vikings continued to build on their lead. Yingling kissed the ball up-and-in to get things started, and Glendale was looking

down at a 14-point gap by the time Kauffman stole the ball, hit a layup and drew the foul for the three-point play with thirty seconds to go in the stanza. Kauffman contributed 10 points and grabbed seven rebounds on the evening.

Rowley layed the ball in with time running down in the third, making the score 45-34 heading into the last frame.

Glendale went on a 7-0 run to start the fourth, broken only by two free throws from Moshannon Valley's Jason Gmerek. Gmerek had nine points and three assists for the Knights.

"Jason is continuing to get better," Ricciotti said. "We need some valuable minutes from him, and he's giving that to us."

Brandon Morrone hit a bucket for the Knights with 3:01 remaining the game, ending all scoring for the night and leaving the final at 54-38 while the benches for both teams finished things off.

Moshannon Valley (5-12 overall, 1-5 MVL and 5-7 JVL) will step back on the court Friday, when it hosts Tyrone.

Glendale (12-8 overall, 4-3 MVL and 10-3 JVL) will try to stay hot when it travels to Juniata Valley on Monday.

In jayvee action Moshannon Valley got the better of Glendale, 35-28. Jason Gmerek led the Knights with 17 points, and Ethan Cree led the Vikings with 10.

Moshannon Valley—38

Rowley 4 2-3 12, Neff 2 0-2 6, Morrone 2 2-2 6, Moyer 1 1-2 3, Dudurich 1 0-0 2, J. Gmerek 2 4-4 9, S. Henry 0 0-0 0, N. Gmerek 0 0-0 0, Curry 0 0-0 0, Kasubick 0 0-0 0, B. Henry 0 0-0 0. Totals: 12 9-13 38.

Glendale—54

Jenny 6 2-2 14, Kimberly 1 0-0 2, Hullihen 3 1-2 8, Kauffman 4 2-3 10, Yingling 8 1-2 18, O'Donnell 1 0-0 2, Cree 0 0-0 0, Westover 0 0-0 0, McGary 0 0-0 0, Stackhouse 0 0-0 0. Totals: 23 6-9 54.

Three-pointers: Rowley 2, Neff 2, J. Gmerek; Hullihen, Yingling.

Score by Quarters

Mo Valley	14	12	8	4—38
Glendale	12	19	14	9—54

January 28, 2008: Glendale 76 at Juniata Valley 75

Glendale ekes past Hornets

ALEXANDRIA — The Glendale boys basketball team eked out a 76-75 victory over host Juniata Valley on Monday evening.



Brock Kauffman led the Vikings with 20 points, while Sam Yingling and Vance Kimberly each had 19 points.

Tyler Jenny added 11 points in the win.

Glendale improved to 13-8 overall and 11-3 in the Juniata Valley League. The Vikings trav-

el to Williamsburg on Thursday. The Hornets won the junior varsity game, 47-36. Jenny had 12 points to pace Glendale.

Glendale—76

Yingling 8 1-2 9, HULLIHEN 2 0-2 5, KAUFFMAN 9 0-0 20, KIMBERLY 8 2-7 19, O'DONNELL 1 0-0 2, JENNY 5 1-4 11, CREE 0 0-0 0. Totals: 31 4-15 76.

Juniata Valley—75

PETERSON 7 1-2 15, DEVORE 4 2-2 10, ESPY 10 3-4 24, OLDHAM 0 4-4 4, BOYD 2 0-1 4, CARPER 4 0-0 12, RUIZ 2 1-1 6. Totals: 29 11-14 75.

Three-pointers: Yingling 2, Kauffman 2, HULLIHEN, KIMBERLY; CARPER 4, RUIZ, ESPY.

Score by Quarters

Glendale	19	20	12	23	76
Juniata Valley	19	17	18	21	75

January 31, 2008: Glendale 52 at Williamsburg 50

Glendale downs Williamsburg

WILLIAMSBURG — The Glendale boys basketball team downed host Williamsburg, 52-50, Thursday night to up its overall record to 14-8.

The Vikings improved to 12-3 in the Juniata Valley League, while Williamsburg fell to 13-3 in JVL play.

Sam Yingling led Glendale with 15 points. Vance Kimberly added 11 points and Brock Kauffman scored 10.



Yingling

The Blue Pirates won the jayvee game, 38-34. Brad O'Donnell scored 15 in the loss.

Glendale is back in action Monday at Mount Union.

Glendale—52

Yingling 7 0-3 15, HULLIHEN 2 3-3 7, KAUFFMAN 5 0-1 10, KIMBERLY 5 0-0 11, O'DONNELL 1 0-0 2, JENNY 0 7-12 7, CREE 0 0-0 0. Totals: 20 10-19 52.

Williamsburg—50

MILLER 3 0-0 7, GREASER 5 0-0 13, FAY 3 0-0 7, YEAGER 3 2-2 9, DETWILER 0 1-2 1, DEMIRBAS 3 0-0 7, RUSICH 3 0-0 6. Totals: 20 3-4 50.

Three-pointers: Yingling, Kimberly; Miller, Greaser 3, Fay, Yeager, Demirbas.

Score by Quarters

Glendale	10	17	11	14	52
Williamsburg	10	16	12	12	50

February 2, 2008: Glendale 64 at Bellwood 72

GLENDALE (64): Yingling 10 3-4 25, B. HULLIHEN 2 2-3 6, KAUFFMAN 5 5-7 17, KIMBERLY 1 0-0 2, CREE 3 4-6 10, JENNY 2 0-2 4, WESTOVER 0 0-0 0. Totals — 23 15-22 64.

BELLWOOD-ANTIS (72): Hatch 5 1-2 16, Gray 3 1-2 7, B. DeGol 4 0-3 9, Miller 2 0-2 4, Wertz 8 5-11 22, N. DeGol 3 3-3 10, Wolfe 1 0-0 2, Plummer 1 0-0 2, Doyle 0 0-0 0, Manning 0 0-0 0. Totals — 27 11-23 72.

SCORE BY QUARTERS

Glendale	20	13	10	21	64
Bellwood-Antis	8	22	22	16	72

3-point goals: Glendale 3 (Yingling 2, Kauffman); Bellwood-Antis 7 (Hatch 5, B. DeGol, N. DeGol).

Records: Glendale (5-7; 4-2 JVL); Bellwood-Antis (4-4; 4-1 JVL).

JV: Bellwood-Antis, 39-32. High scorers — Luke Westover, G, 10; Nate Plummer and Zach Dionis, BA, 9.

February 4, 2008: Glendale 60 at Mt. Union 63

Glendale downed by MU

MOUNT UNION — The Glendale boys basketball dropped a 63-60 decision to host Mount Union on Monday.

The Trojans led 37-28 after three quarters, before the Vikings outscored them 32-26 in the fourth to just fall short.

Sam Yingling scored 22 points for the Vikings, while Vance Kimberly and Tyler Jenny each netted 10.

There was no jayvee game. Glendale fell to 14-9 with the loss and returns to action Wednesday, playing host to

Harmony.

Glendale—60

Yingling 8 0-0 22, Hullihen 1 1-1 3, Kauffman 3 2-4 9, Kimberly 3 3-3 10, O'Donnell 2 0-1 4, Cree 1 0-0 2, Jenny 3 4-5 10. Totals: 21 10-14 60.

Mount Union—63

Sentman 5 3-4 13, Rogers 1 1-2 3, Russell 2 0-0 4, Loner 2 5-6 9, Clemens 3 7-8 15, Hollibaugh 5 3-4 13, Goodling 3 0-0 6. Totals: 21 19-24 63.

Three-pointers: Yingling 6, Kauffman, Kimberly; Clemens.

Score by Quarters

Glendale	11	9	6	32—60
Mount Union	8	13	16	26—63

February 6, 2008: Harmony 83 at Glendale 72

Harmony—83

Brothers 2 1-2 5, Rydbom 13 1-6 27, Priester 2 2-2 6, Schneider 7 2-3 17, Norris 6 3-4 15, Griffin 1 0-0 2, Welteroth 5 0-0 10, Gee 0 0-0 0, Wright 0 1-2 1, Young 0 0-0 0. Totals: 36 10-19 83.

Glendale—72

Kimberly 3 1-2 7, Baum 0 0-0 0, Hullihen 2 0-0 6, Kauffman 4 0-0 8, Yingling 11 3-4 28, Jenny 2 5-7 9, O'Donnell 2 0-0 4, Cree 3 2-3 8, Westover 0 0-0 0, McGary 0 0-0 0, Stackhouse 1 0-0 2. Totals: 28 11-16 72.

Three-pointers: Schneider; Yingling 3, Hullihen 2.

Score by Quarters

Harmony	21	25	14	23—83
Glendale	7	21	25	19—72

February 14, 2008: Glendale 55 vs Blacklick Valley 25 (D6 Playoffs)

Blacklick Valley—25

Mackanick 1 0-2 2, McDermott 0 0-0 0, Holby 3 1-2 7, Vanfossen 3 0-0 9, Helse 1 0-0 2, Worthington 0 3-4 3, Fyack 0 0-0 0, Lash 0 0-0 0, Bugosh 0 0-0 0, Michlena 0 0-0 0, Chapa 0 0-0 0, Paul 1 0-0 2. Totals: 9 4-8 25.

Glendale—55

Yingling 6 3-4 17, Hullihen 0 1-2 1, Kauffman 4 1-2 9, Kimberly 4 0-0 8, Jenny 2 5-9 9, Cree 2 0-0 4, O'Donnell 3 1-2 7, Westover 0 0-0 0, Stackhouse 0 0-0 0, McGary 0 0-0 0, Baum 0 0-0 0. Totals 21 11-19 55.

Three-pointers: Vanfossen 3; Yingling 2.

Score by Quarters

Blacklick Valley	2	4	5	14—25
Glendale	18	12	9	16—55

February 16, 2008: Glendale 57 vs Harmony 61 (D6 Playoffs)

Glendale—57

Hullihen 3 0-0 8, Jenny 5 2-3 13, Kauffman 3 1-3 7, Kimberly 5 6-8 19, Yingling 2 2-2 6, Cree 1 0-1 2, O'Donnell 1 0-0 2. Totals: 20 11-17 57.

Harmony—61

Priester 9 2-3 20, Rydbom 3 4-6 10, Norris 3 3-5 9, Brothers 2 2-2 6, Schneider 7 2-2 16, Welteroth 0 0-0 0. Totals: 24 13-18 61.

Three-pointers: Kimberly 3, Hullihen 2, Jenny.

Score by Quarters

Glendale	11	11	11	24—57
Harmony	10	13	15	23—61

Juniata Valley League all-stars announced

By Josh Mlot
Sports Writer

ALTOONA — Monday marked the final Juniata Valley League basketball banquet, and the league went out in style with several Progressland athletes receiving postseason accolades.

Two boys players won individual awards for the 2007-08 season.

Glendale senior Sam Yingling was named Outstanding Player after leading the Vikings in scoring playing key roles on the defensive end and as a leader.

Moshannon Valley junior Tom Rowley was named Scoring Champion, with 337 points for an average of 21.6 points per game in league play.

All three area teams had representatives on the JVL All-Star team for both the boys and the girls.

On the girls side, West Branch senior Kari Larson, who reached her 1,000th career point this season, was named a first team All-Star.

Fellow Lady Warrior

Rebecca Kephart, a sophomore, was a third-teamer. Glendale junior Samantha Noel received a spot on the second team.

Moshannon Valley was represented by senior Jordan Cook on the second team, junior Kierstin Elder on the third team and sophomore Vanessa Rowley received honorable mention.

Area boys dominated the first team, with Yingling, Rowley and West Branch's Tyler Ferguson (junior) and Chris Dotts (senior) taking four of the six spots.

The second team was home to two seniors — Brock Kauffman of Glendale and Ethan Lidgett of West Branch. Glendale junior Vance Kimberly and Mo Valley junior Tyler Neff earned third-team slots, and Glendale freshman Tyler Jenny was given honorable mention.

JVL director Tom Straightiff was also honored for his work, as he steps down from his position.

The league will be disintegrated next season as the teams move to form the ICC.



Sam Yingling
Glendale
First Team

Sam Yingling, Glendale — Yingling might not be the flashiest individual on or off the court, but his play drew plenty of attention.

His 17.5 ppg are what most people noticed first, but it was the senior's unheralded contributions on the defensive end and as a leader in the locker room that were so valuable for the Vikings.

Yingling's 1.6 steals per game and smart play were irreplaceable, even while he was knocking down shots. He also shot 71.4 percent from the charity stripe.

Yingling often showed up when it mattered most, scoring 21 and 27 in two big wins over rival West Branch, and had a season-high of 28 in the regular season finale against rival Harmony. He also had a three-game streak of 20-point performances heading into the new year, and almost matched the feat in mid-January.

Consecutive 22- and 27-point outputs were followed by a 15-point game against Southern Huntingdon, but Yingling reached the 1,000-point milestone against the Rockets.

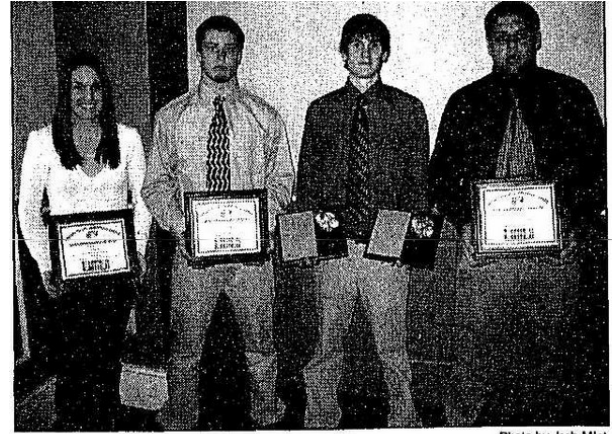


Photo by Josh Mlot

Glendale's Juniata Valley League All-Stars show off their new hardware at the JVL banquet on Monday. From left are Samantha Noel (second team), Brock Kauffman (second team), Sam Yingling (first team) and Vance Kimberly (third team). Yingling was also named the league's Outstanding Player for 2007-08. Not pictured is Tyler Jenny, who received honorable mention.

Moshannon Valley League	
Team	W-L
Harmony	7-1
Glendale	4-4
Curwensville	4-4
West Branch	3-5
Moshannon Valley	2-8

2007-08 Boys Basketball Honor Roll

First Team		
Chris Dotts	West Branch	Senior
Tyler Ferguson	West Branch	Junior
Tom Rowley	Moshannon Valley	Junior
Cody Rydbom	Harmony	Senior
Matt Shiner	Clearfield	Junior
Sam Yingling	Glendale	Senior

Second Team		
David Kaigren	Curwensville	Junior
Brock Kauffman	Glendale	Senior
J.D. Mason	Phillipsburg-Osceola	Senior
Jeremy Priester	Harmony	Junior
Joey Schneider	Harmony	Junior

Honorable Mention		
Matt Curtis	Phillipsburg-Osceola	Senior
Parker Herrington	Clearfield	Junior
Todd Hryn	Clearfield	Senior
Tyler Jenny	Glendale	Freshman
Josh Kurka	Purchase Line	Senior
Ethan Lidgett	West Branch	Senior
Adam McAfoos	Purchase Line	Senior
Ben McGary	Curwensville	Junior
Tyler Neff	Moshannon Valley	Junior
Cameron Norris	Harmony	Freshman

Player of the Year
Tyler Ferguson, West Branch
Coach of the Year
Forrest Campman, Clearfield

Players	Points	Three's
Sam Yingling	444	47
Brock Kauffman	320	22
Vance Kimberly	245	23
Tyler Jenny	229	3
Brett Hullihen	138	17
Ethan Cree	97	2
Ethan Hullihen	57	12
Brad O'Donnell	54	0
Lucas Westover	10	0
Ty Stackhouse	2	0