

1990-1991 Season

GIRLS VARSITY BASKETBALL



ROW 1: Sherri Frisco, Amy Kephart, Karen Sinclair, Angie Kauffman, Connie Jasper. **ROW 2:** Nichole Smith, Jen Wagner, Koteas, Jeannie Terza. **ROW 3:** Brenda Braniff, Coach Nardozza, Coach Bloom, Jamie Bloom - Manager, Danielle Wilkinson

GIRLS J.V. BASKETBALL



ROW 1: Renee Smyers, Julie Wagner, Amy Callahan. **ROW 2:** Angie Kauffman, Connie Jasper. **ROW 3:** Mr. John Nardoza Coach, Debbie Oshall, Amy Kephart, Danielle Wilkinson, Jeannie Terza, Denise Oshall.

FLINTON — One of the most important items in the transformation from a mediocre basketball team to a good team is an attitude reversal, and if the Glendale Lady Vikings are to make a name for themselves, this will be the first order of business.

"We certainly have some quality on this team," noted coach Andy Bloom, who returns as coach after a three-year stint a few years back. "And we can play ball. We scrimaged Bishop Guilfoyle last week and I felt pretty good about it. But we absolutely have to approach this season with a positive attitude."

The Lady Vikings lost only two letterwinners from last year's 9-14 squad. Gone are Lisa

Callahan and Jenny Keith, while four more return for the Lady Vikes. Senior Brenda Braniff is joined by juniors Sherri Frisco and Jen Wagner, plus sophomore Jen Koteas to give Glendale some quality in the starting lineup. Braniff provides some height for the Blue and Gold, while Frisco "might be the best player Glendale's ever had. She just needs to realize that," offered Bloom.

Team speed appears to be Glendale's calling card, so the Lady Vikings will look to run with the ball. Glendale features good shooting and offensive balance, as well. Defensively, the Lady Vikes can dial up a good press, again utilizing their speed.

The down side, for now, will be

experience. Braniff is the only senior on the roster, and for the Lady Vikes to be effective, the underclassmen will have to mature early. A good start is a must, therefore.

"If we could pick up four wins before the Christmas tournament, it would be great," concluded Bloom. "We must get off to a good start."

The Lady Vikings will again play in the Moshannon Valley league this season, before adding the Juniata Valley League to the schedule in 1991-92. "DuBois Central returns the most talent of any team in the Mo Valley League," opined Bloom, "so you have to look at them as the favorite. But we don't plan on backing down."

Assisting Bloom will be John Nardoza, who also runs the junior high program.

The Lady Vikings will open up tomorrow night at home against Northern Cambria.

ROSTER
Seniors

Brenda Braniff 5-11

Juniors

Sherri Frisco 5-4, Karen Sinclair 5-4, Nicole Smith 5-8, Jen Wagner 5-8

Sophomores

Connie Jasper 5-2, Jen Koteas 5-7, Amy Kephart 5-4, Jeannie Terza 5-5, Danielle Wilkinson 5-8

Freshmen

Amy Callahan 5-8, Angie Kauffman 5-4, Denise Oshall 5-7, Debbie Oshall 5-7, Renee Snyers 5-3, Julie Wagner 5-4

SCHEDULE

December

- 7—Northern Cambria
- 10—at Juniata Valley
- 13—Southern Huntingdon
- 14—at Bellwood
- 17—at Harmony*
- 19—Williamsburg
- 27-28—Williamsburg Tournament.

January

- 4—Curwensville*
- 8—at Moshannon Valley*
- 11—Bishop Carroll
- 14—at DuBois Central*
- 17—at West Branch
- 21—Cambria Heights
- 23—Juniata Valley

- 25—Bellwood
- 26—at Southern Huntingdon
- 29—Harmony*.

February

- 1—at Curwensville*
- 4—Moshannon Valley*
- 8—at Bishop Carroll
- 11—DuBois Central*
- 14—West Branch*
- 18—at Central Cambria.



Glendale letterwinners — New Glendale girls' basketball Coach Andy Bloom inherits four letterwinners for this season. Returnees are, kneeling, from left: Sherri Frisco and Jen Koteas; and standing, Jen Wagner and Brenda Braniff.

December 7, 1990: Northern Cambria 26 at Glendale 53

Glendale routs Northern Cambria

FLINTON — Glendale and coach Andy Bloom, who returned after a four-year absence, started the season on a winning note by routing Northern Cambria, 53-26 Friday night.

Sherri Frisco paced Glendale with 16 points, followed by Jen Wagner with 14. Heather Rake led Northern Cambria with nine.

NORTHERN CAMBRIA (26): Holtz 2 3-6 7, Kline 0 0-0 0, Rake 4 0-0 9, Sharey 1 0-3 2, Bisko 2 2-7 6, Britton 0 1-2 1, Litavish 0 0-0 0, Buterbaugh 0 0-0 0, Monborne 0 0-0 0, Pardee 0 1-2 1, Nagle 0 0-0 0. Totals — 9 7-20 26.

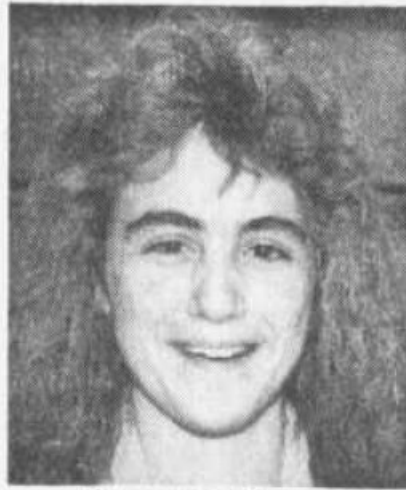
GLENDALE (53): Braniff 1 0-1 2, Frisco 8 0-0 16, Sinclair 3 0-0 6, Smith 3 0-0 6, Wagner 5 4-8 14, Jasper 1 0-1 2, Kephart 0 0-0 0, Koteas 3 0-0 6, Terza 0 0-0 0, Wilkinson 0 1-2 1, Kauffman 0 0-0 0. Totals — 24 5-12 53.

SCORE BY QUARTERS

Northern Cambria.....	7	6	5	8	— 26
Glendale.....	15	16	9	13	— 53

3-point goals: Northern Cambria 1 (Rake).

JV: Glendale, 30-24.



Sherri Frisco

December 10, 1990: Glendale 41 at Juniata Valley 36

ALEXANDRIA — Glendale rallied from a five-point deficit in the fourth quarter last night to down Juniata Valley 41-36 in girls' basketball action.

Coach Andy Bloom stays perfect on the young season with a 2-0 record. The Lady Vikings will be back in action Friday on the road at Bellwood-Antis.

Glendale held an 8-6 lead after one quarter, but Juniata Valley outscored the Lady Vikings 12-6 in the second quarter to take an 18-14 lead into the locker room.

The Lady Green Hornets outscored the Vikings 10-8 in the third stanza, but the Vikings rallied for an 18-8 fourth-quarter advantage to pull out the win.

Sherri Frisco paced a balanced Glendale attack with 11 points while Brenda Braniff added 10.

Bert Miller was the top scorer for the losers with 10.

Glendale — 41

Braniff 5 0-1 10; Frisco 3 5-8 11; Sinclair 2 0-0 4; Smith 3 1-6 7; Wagner 2 1-2 5; Jasper 0 0-0 0; Kephart 1 0-0 2; Koteas 1 0-1 2; Terza 0 0-0 0; Wilkinson 0 0-0 0; Kauffman 0 0-0 0. TOTALS: 17 7-21 41.

Juniata Valley — 36

Klotz 2 0-0 5; Briggs 2 3-7 7; Files 4 0-0 8; Evans 2 2-2 6; Miller 5 0-1 10; Broadbent 0 0-0 0; S.Davis 0 0-0 0; Howe 0 0-0 0; McMahon 0 0-0 0; T.Davis 0 0-2 0; Sheelsey 0 0-0 0; Hawthorn 0 0-0 0. TOTALS: 14 5-15 36.

Three Pointers: Klotz.

Score By Quarters

Glendale	8	6	8	18	— 41
Juniata Valley	6	12	10	8	— 36

December 13, 1990: Southern Huntingdon 56 at Glendale 62

FLINTON — Jen Koteas led Glendale to its third victory without a loss, scoring 19 points in a 62-56 win over Southern Huntingdon Thursday night. Jen Wagner had 14 points for Glendale and Nicole Smith added 10.

SOUTHERN HUNTINGDON (56): Varner 3 5-13 11, Yohn 7 0-1 16, McMath 7 0-2 14, Markey 3 3-5 9, Flood 2 2-5 6, Piper 0 0-0 0, Rhodes 0 0-1 0, Cornelius 0 0-0 0, Whitsel 0 0-0 0, Peterson 0 0-0 0, Maynard 0 0-0 0, Berrier 0 0-0 0, Hoffman 0 0-0 0, Seibot 0 0-0 0. Totals — 22 10-27 56.

GLENDALE (62): Braniff 3 1-1 7, Frisco 3 2-4 8, Sinclair 1 0-0 2, Smith 5 0-1 10, Wagner 7 0-0 14, Jasper 0 0-0 0, Kephart 1 0-0 2, Koteas 9 1-2 19, Terza 0 0-0 0, Wilkinson 0 0-0 0, Kauffman 0 0-0 0. Totals — 29 5-7 62.

SCORE BY QUARTERS

Southern Huntingdon.....	20	15	12	9	— 56
Glendale.....	23	17	14	8	— 62

3-point goals: Southern Huntingdon 2 (Yohn 2).

JV: Glendale, 30-22.

December 14, 1990: Glendale 44 at Bellwood 77

BELLWOOD — Jennifer Hunter exploded for a Bellwood-Antis school-record 36 points to lead the Lady Blue Devils to a 77-44 rout of visiting Glendale Friday night.

Hunter shot 13 of 21 from the field to break the previous record, held by Kathy Geis (35 points).

"Jennifer is a very good offensive player," Bellwood-Antis Coach Terri Harpster said. "She spotted up for the shots and hit them. She's certainly a high-percentage shooter."

Also hitting double figures for Bellwood (4-0) were Christi Bush with 13 points and Kristin Smith chipped in 11.

For Glendale (3-1), Sherri Frisco was the only player in double digits, with 18 points.

GLENDALE (44): Braniff 3 0-0 7, Frisco 7 4-6 18, Sinclair 0 0-0 0, Smith 1 1-2 3, Wagner 4 0-0 8, Koteas 3 0-0 8. Totals — 18 5-8 44.

BELLWOOD-ANTIS (77): Bush 6 0-2 13, Wagner 1 4-6 6, Hunter 13 8-10 36, Smith 5 1-4 11, Gummo 2 5-7 9, Endress 0 0-0 0, R. Miller 0 0-0 0, Johnson 1 0-2 2, Kimberly 0 0-1 0. Totals — 28 18-32 77.

SCORE BY QUARTERS

Glendale	7	16	11	10	— 44
Bellwood-Antis	26	13	19	17	— 77

3-point goals: Glendale 3 (Braniff, Koteas); Bellwood-Antis 3 (Bush, Hunter 2).

JV: Bellwood, 32-28.

December 17, 1990: Glendale 58 at Harmony 42

By Todd Irwin
Sports Writer

WESTOVER — As last night's girls' basketball game between Glendale and Harmony unfolded, the Lady Vikings must have felt they were in the pre-game shoot around again.

Time after time they would get the ball back via the offensive rebound, 19 of them in all, for second and third shots. When the Lady Owls would get the ball back, the Lady Vikings would take offense to it and steal it. All of this resulted in a 58-42 win for Glendale.

"We were tough on the boards," Lady Vikings' coach Andy Bloom said. "I think we dominated the boards pretty well. We really did get a lot of

second shots. We did a really good job on the offensive boards on second shots."

"You can't expect to win if you don't shoot," Lady Owls' coach Eileen Adamo said. "I don't feel that we shot enough. We need shooting from all team members, just not one or two."

Three players scored in double figures for the Lady Vikings (4-1). Jen Wagner led all scorers with 17 on seven field goals. Teammates Nicole Smith and Jennifer Koteas knocked in 11 and 10 points respectively.

Yvonne Beltowski, the Lady Owls' go-to shooter, was hobbled with sore legs, but still managed to score 13 points. Jackie Einsig played every minute and scored 10 points for the Lady Owls.

"She (Beltowski) did a good job," Adamo said. "She has some problems with her legs right now. Jackie's a hustler, an all-around hustler. Jackie gives 100 percent offensively and defensively."

The Lady Vikings went on an 8-2 run to start the game. After Sherri Frisco hit a jumper and Smith scored from the inside, Beltowski got her team on the board with a basket. Koteas and Smith canned jump shots from the outside.

When Beth Baker scored for the Lady Owls (0-3) to make the score 8-4, that would be the closest they would come to Glendale as the Lady Vikings went on a 10-4 run to end the first quarter.

Harmony stayed with Glendale in the second quarter, falling behind by 14 and then going into the locker room down by 10, 31-21. The Lady Vikings were beginning to get those second and third shots thanks to the inside play of the 5-11 Brenda Braniff and the 5-8 Wagner.

"I think that's the best game they've had together," Bloom said. "They each had good individual games, so I think this is the best one."

The third quarter is when the Lady Vikes pulled away. Wagner hit two free throws and scored in the paint. After that it was off to the races as the Lady Vikings turned their fast break up a notch.

They led by 20, 47-27, at the end of the third quarter as they went

on a 16-6 run. In the middle of the run Koteas, Kara Sinclair and Smith all scored on the fast break.

The fourth quarter turned into a free throw shooting contest. The Lady Vikings went up 56-33 late in the final stanza after Danielle Wilkinson grabbed a rebound and scored. The Lady Owls' Shelley McMurray ended the scoring at 58-42.

"We just had a lot of shots," Bloom said. "But Harmony plays us tough. They keep scrapping and they keep coming at you all the time. It's just a hard place to play in."

Glendale won the junior varsity game 33-13. Wilkinson was the high scorer for the jayvees with seven points. McMurray knocked in five for the Lady Owls.

The Lady Vikings will be back in action tomorrow when they host Williamsburg. The Lady Owls have a long layoff as they won't play until Jan. 3 when they travel to Penns Manor.

Glendale—58

Frisco 2 0-0 5, Smith 5 1-1 11, Koteas 5 0-0 10, Wagner 7 3-6 17, Kephart 1 0-2 2, Braniff 2 2-3 6, Sinclair 2 0-0 4, Verza 0 1-2 1, Wilkinson 1 0-0 2, Kauffman 0 0-1 0, Jasper 0 0-0 0. TOTALS: 25 7-15 58.

Harmony—42

Beltowski 3 7-11 13, Baker 2 2-2 6, Einsig 4 2-7 10, Mazenko 2 1-2 5, McMurray 3 2-3 8, Pry 0 0-0 0. TOTALS: 14 14-25 42.

Three-pointers: Frisco
Score by Quarters
Glendale 18 13 16 11—58
Harmony 8 13 6 15—42

December 19, 1990: Williamsburg 60 at Glendale 50

Williamsburg60
 Glendale.....50

FLINTON — Williamsburg improved its record to 4-0 as Amy Hoy poured in 20 points and Janell Loose added 17 to lead the Lady Blue Pirates over Glendale.

Jen Wagner led Glendale (4-2) with 16 points and Jennifer Koteas added 10.

WILLIAMSBURG (60): Houck 3 3-4 9, Hoy 8 3-5 20, Loose 6 5-6 17, Hostler 2 0-1 4, Leidy 5 0-2 10, Verbonitz 0 0-0 0, Wyland 0 0-0 0, Irvine 0 0-0 0, Burket 0 0-0 0, Dunn 0 0-0 0, Bookhammer 0 0-0 0. Totals — 24 11-18 60.

GLENDALE (50): Braniff 1 2-3 4, Frisco 3 1-2 7, Sinclair 2 0-0 4, Smith 2 1-2 5, Wagner 8 0-0 16, Jasper 0 0-0 0, Kephart 0 0-0 0, Koteas 5 0-2 10, Terza 0 0-0 0, Wilkinson 2 0-1 4, Kaultman 0 0-0 0. Totals — 23 4-9 50.

SCORE BY QUARTERS

Williamsburg	16	17	22	5	60
Glendale	12	15	10	13	50

JV: Glendale, 24-20.

December 27, 1990: Glendale 47 vs Tyrone 48 (Williamsburg Tourn.)

Tyrone48
 Glendale.....47

WILLIAMSBURG — Melissa Morrow's layup with seven seconds remaining gave Tyrone a 48-47 victory over Glendale at the Williamsburg Christmas Tournament.

Morrow's shot was set up by a steal by Jendi Haverstein.

Val Harris led Tyrone (3-3) with 17 points, including three 3-pointers and Rachel Deigrosso tossed in 10 points.

Jen Wagner of Glendale (4-3) was the game's high scorer with 21 and Jen Koteas added 14.

Tyrone will play Williamsburg for the championship at 8 p.m. tonight.

GLENDALE (47): Braniff 2 1-2 5, Frisco 0 4-4 4, Sinclair 0 1-2 1, Wagner 9 3-4 21, Koteas 6 1-4 14, Smith 1 0-0 2. Totals — 18 10-16 47.

TYRONE (48): C. Hiergeist 3 0-1 6, Harris 6 2-2 17, Deigrosso 5 0-3 10, Haverstein 2 2-2 6, Noel 0 5-12 5, Roseberry 0 0-0 0, Morrow 2 0-0 4. Totals — 18 9-20 48.

SCORE BY QUARTERS

Glendale	9	9	14	15	47
Tyrone	16	12	6	12	48

3-point goals: Glendale 1 (Koteas 1); Tyrone 3 (Harris 3).

December 28, 1990: Glendale 46 vs Juniata Valley 38 (Williams. Tourn.)

Glendale.....46
 Juniata Valley.....38

WILLIAMSBURG — Jen Wagner scored nine and Jen Koteas added 12 as Glendale won its consolation matchup with Juniata Valley, 46-38, at the Williamsburg Christmas Tournament.

Becky Briggs led the way for Juniata Valley (3-5) with 17. Glendale is now 5-3.

GLENDALE (46): Braniff 1 0-1 2, Frisco 4 0-2 9, Sinclair 0 0-0 0, Smith 4 1-1 9, Wagner 7 0-0 14, Jasper 0 0-0 0, Kephart 0 0-0 0, Koteas 4 2-2 12, Terza 0 0-0 0, Wilkinson 0 0-0 0, Kaultman 0 0-0 0. Totals — 20 3-6 46.

JUNIATA VALLEY (38): Klotz 1 0-0 2, Briggs 6 4-8 17, Evans 3 2-2 8, Miller 2 2-2 6, Broadbent 0 0-0 0, Fyles 2 1-2 5, Howe 0 0-0 0, Davis 0 0-0 0, McMaron 0 0-0 0, Davis 0 0-0 0, Sheesley 0 0-0 0, Hawthorne 0 0-0 0, Hoyt 0 0-0 0. Totals — 14 9-16 38.

SCORE BY QUARTERS

Glendale	19	10	11	6	46
Juniata Valley	10	15	5	8	38

3-point goals: Glendale 3 (Frisco 1, Koteas 2); Juniata Valley 1 (Briggs 1).

January 4, 1991: Curwensville 38 at Glendale 61

Glendale.....61
 Curwensville38

FLINTON — Jen Koteas hit for 19 points and Nicole Smith added 13 as Glendale improved its record to 6-3 with an easy win.

Jen Wagner grabbed nine rebounds and Sherri Frisco dished out seven assists for the victors. Stacey Wood scored 12 points to lead Curwensville.

CURWENSVILLE (38): Harnic 0 1-3 1, Simcox 0 0-0 0, Shevock 0 0-0 0, Stephenson 0 0-0 0, Haney 0 0-0 0, Barrett 3 1-5 7, Wood 4 3-6 12, McFadden 4 1-4 9, Mallon 0 0-0 0, Domlay 3 0-2 9, Thomas 0 0-0 0. Totals — 13 6-21 38.

GLENDALE (61): Braniff 0 2-2 2, Frisco 3 0-0 6, Sinclair 1 0-0 2, Smith 5 3-5 13, Wagner 4 0-2 8, Jasper 0 0-0 0, Kephart 1 0-0 2, Koteas 9 1-2 19, Terza 3 0-0 6, Wilkinson 1 0-0 2, Kauffman 0 1-2 1. Totals — 27 7-13 61.

SCORE BY QUARTERS

Curwensville	6	12	11	9	38
Glendale	14	13	18	16	61

3-point goals: Curwensville 2 (Wood, Domlay).

JV: No game.

January 8, 1991: Glendale 62 at MoValley 50

Glendale.....62
Moshannon Valley.....50

AMESVILLE — Glendale defeated Moshannon Valley, despite a 27-point performance by Mo Valley's Cheryl Cervenak.

Cervenak also pulled down 15 rebounds for Mo Valley (2-4).

Sherri Frisco poured in 18 points for Glendale (7-3), and Brenda Braniff contributed 12.

GLENDALÉ (62): Braniff 4 4-6 12, Frisco 6 6-9 18, Sinclair 4 0-1 8, Smith 0 1-2 1, Wagner 4 4-7 12, Koteas 4 2-4 11, Totals — 22 17-29 62.

MOSHANNON VALLEY (50): Webb 1 2-2 4, Ricciotti 2 2-7 6, Myers 2 0-0 4, Speerstra 1 0-0 2, Archer 1 3-5 5, Fleming 1 0-5 2, Cervenak 12 3-5 27, Totals — 20 10-23 50.

SCORE BY QUARTERS

Glendale..... 8 19 16 19 — 62
Moshannon Valley.....10 17 7 16 — 50

3-point goals: Glendale 1 (Koteas 1); Moshannon Valley 0.

JV: Glendale, 31-20.

January 12, 1991: Bishop Carroll 51 at Glendale 57 OT

Glendale.....57
Bishop Carroll.....51

FLINTON — Jen Koteas scored 17 points and dished out six assists to lead Glendale to an overtime victory over Bishop Carroll.

BISHOP CARROLL (51): Lattemer 3 5-11 11, Kotlar 8 1-2 17, Myers 0 0-0 0, Byrne 1 1-7 3, Olsavsky 6 6-7 18, Shuffy 0 0-0 0, Gungloff 1 0-0 2, Leiden 0 0-0 0, McCabe 0 0-0 0, Muldoon 0 0-0 0, Watt 0 0-0 0, Ruzzi 0 0-0 0, Glass 0 0-0 0, Kazmer 0 0-0 0, Itle 0 0-0 0, Nagle 0 0-0 0, Totals — 19 13-27 51.

GLENDALÉ (57): Braniff 3 0-0 6, Frisco 6 2-6 15, Sinclair 0 0-2 0, Smith 3 1-2 7, Wagner 2 4-4 8, Jasper 0 0-0 0, Kephart 0 0-0 0, Koteas 5 6-9 17, Terza 1 2-3 4, Wilkinson 0 0-0 0, Kauffman 0 0-0 0, Totals — 18 15-26 57.

SCORE BY QUARTERS

Bishop Carroll.....9 12 12 14 4 — 51
Glendale.....16 8 10 13 10 — 57

3-point goals: Bishop Carroll (none); Glendale 2 (Frisco, Koteas).

JV: Bishop Carroll, 26-20.

January 14, 1991: Glendale 54 at Dubois Central 76

DuBois Central Christian....76
Glendale.....54

DUBOIS — Glendale fell victim to DuBois Central Christian's 49-point second half, which dropped the Lady Vikings to 8-4 on the season.

Nicole Smith led Glendale with 15 points, while Jen Koteas added 13, Jen Wagner 12 and Sherri Frisco 10.

DuBois Central, which outscored Glendale 49-31 in the second half, was paced by Kelly Sekula's 24 points, Nancy Babarsky's 20 points and Sonya Stankovich's 18 points.

GLENDALÉ (54): Braniff 0 0-1 0, Frisco 4 2-2 10, Smith 5 5-7 15, Wagner 5 2-4 12, Jasper 0 0-0 0, Kephart 0 0-0 0, Koteas 5 3-5 13, Terza 0 0-0 0, Wilkinson 1 2-4 4, Kauffman 0 0-0 0, Totals — 20 14-23 54.

DUBOIS CENTRAL CHRISTIAN (76): Babarsky 10 0-3 20, Stankovich 7 4-7 18, Taylor 1 6-9 8, Sekula 11 2-5 24, Buskirk 2 2-3 6, Slosky 0 0-3 0, Matts 0 0-0 0, Farly 0 0-0 0, Roseman 0 0-0 0, Senancik 0 0-0 0, Totals — 31 14-30 76.

SCORE BY QUARTERS

Glendale.....10 13 12 19 — 54
DuBois Central Christian....18 9 21 28 — 76

3-point goals: None.

JV: Glendale, 30-23.

January 21, 1991: Cambria Heights 55 at Glendale 40

FLINTON — Glendale managed just two points in the first quarter and never recovered in a 55-40 loss to Cambria Heights last night in girls' basketball action.

Cambria Heights grabbed a 7-2 lead after the first quarter. Glendale battled the Lady Highlanders to a 13-13 deadlock in the second quarter, but still trailed 20-15 at the intermission.

The Highlanders extended their lead to 33-24 by outscoring the Lady Vikings 13-9.

In the fourth quarter, CH put the game out of reach by rolling up a 22-16 advantage in the quarter.

Lisa Campbell led the winners with 17 while Laura Ropp added 14 and Amy Cicero a dozen.

Sherri Frisco was the bright spot for the Lady Vikings, tossing

in 15 points, including a three-pointer, while Jen Koteas hit for 13.

No other Lady Viking player had over four points.

In the jayvee contest, Glendale was a 33-23 loser despite seven points each from Jeannie Terza and Danielle Wilkinson.

Glendale will be back in action Wednesday when it hosts Juniata Valley

Cambria Heights—55

Campbell 6 5-8 17; Gunther 0 0-2 0; Hoover 1 3-6 5; Cicero 5 2-3 12; Ropp 6 2-3 14; Bollinger 0 1-2 1; A. Yahner 1 2-4 4; N. Yahner 1 0-0 2. TOTALS: 19 14-28 55.

Glendale—40

Braniff 0 0-0 0; Frisco 4 5-8 15; Sinclair 1 0-0 2; Smith 2 0-3 4; Julie Wagner 1 0-0 2; Koteas 5 3-5 13; Wilkinson 1 2-3 4; Kephart 0 0-0 0; Jasper 0 0-0 0; Terza 0 0-0 0; Hoffman 0 0-0 0; Smyers 0 0-0 0. TOTALS: 14 10-21 40.

Three-pointers: Frisco.

Score By Quarters

Cambria Heights	7	13	13	22—55
Glendale	2	13	9	16—40

January 23, 1991: Juniata Valley 44 at Glendale 52

FLINTON — Glendale overcame a slow start to rack up a 52-44 win over Juniata Valley in girls' basketball action last night on the Lady Vikings' home hardwood.

With the win, the Lady Vikings improve to 9-5 on the season.

The Lady Green Hornets jumped out to a 15-3 lead after the first period and appeared to be in control.

But appearances can be deceptive, as the Lady Vikes proved in the second period, outscoring Juniata Valley 15-2 to take an 18-17 lead at the intermission.

Glendale used a 12-10 advantage in the third session to take a 30-27 lead into the final eight minutes.

That's when the Lady Vikes got their offense in gear, outscoring the Lady Hornets 22-17 in the fourth period to hold on for the win.

Sherri Frisco was the top gun for Glendale, hitting for 25 points, including a pair of three-pointers.

Brenda Braniff also broke out of a recent slump by lighting up the scoreboard for 13 points.

Frisco had four steals to go with her 25 points and Jen Koteas also had four thefts.

Braniff pulled down 14 rebounds to pace the Lady Viking inside effort.

Becky Briggs led Juniata Valley in a losing effort with 13 tallies while teammate Sara Miller hit for a dozen.

Glendale will try to stay on the winning track Friday night when it hosts Bellwood-Antis.

Juniata Valley—44

Klotz 2 0-0 6; Briggs 6 1-1 13; Files 1 0-0 2; Evans 3 3-1 9; Miller 4 3-5 12; Broadbent 0 2-2 2. TOTALS: 16 9-15 44.

Glendale—52

Braniff 6 1-3 13; Frisco 9 5-10 25; Sinclair 2 1-4 5; Smith 0 5-8 5; Julie Wagner 0 0-0 0; Jasper 0 0-0 0; Kephart 0 0-0 0; Koteas 2 0-0 4; Terza 0 0-0 0; Kaufman 0 0-1 0; Smyers 0 0-0 0. TOTALS: 19 12-26 52.

Three-Pointers: Klotz 2, Miller, Frisco 2.

Score By Quarters

Juniata Valley	15	2	10	17—44
Glendale	3	15	12	22—52

January 25, 1991: Bellwood 64 at Glendale 62

FLINTON — Bellwood-Antis fought off a second half Glendale run last night to hang on for a 64-62 victory in scholastic girls' basketball.

"The kids really played like a team tonight," commented Lady Viking Coach Andy Bloom, noting that he was not terribly upset with the loss. "The teamwork was outstanding."

Both teams boast good records as the Lady Devils improved theirs to 10-4 with the win while the Lady Vikings post a 10-6 mark on the season.

Bellwood came out to take an 18-12 lead after eight minutes and then upped its advantage to 35-26 at the half.

"We were down by nine points at halftime and Bellwood-Antis came out and ran it up to about 20 in the third quarter," Coach Bloom said.

Glendale turned it on and came back scoring 21 points in the period and cutting the Lady Devils' lead to 54-47.

In the fourth quarter, the Lady Vikings made another bid at the lead but the tough Bellwood team would not be denied the victory, holding off Glendale for the two-point decision.

Coach Bloom stressed that the team-play brought the Lady Vikings into the game. "The kids really fought back. We played well. We played together."

Bellwood received the bulk of its scoring from Jen Hunter, who tickled the twine for a game-high 27 points, while Glendale's balanced attack placed four players in double-digits including Sherri Frisco (19), Nicole Smith (16), Jen Koteas (13) and Brenda Braniff (10).

Other bright spots for the Lady Vikings included a 12-17 night from the foul line, six assists from Frisco and nine rebounds each from Smith and Koteas.

Glendale also netted four three-pointers, two from Frisco and one apiece from Braniff and Koteas.

In the junior varsity contest, Bellwood claimed a 38-25 victory while Glendale's Jean Terza scored eight points and Amy Kephart added six for the loss.

Glendale will try to get back on the winning track today as they venture to Southern Huntingdon to take on the Lady Rockets.

Bellwood—64
Bush 2 0-2 4; Wagner 3 0-1 6; Hunter 10 5-6 27; Smith 4 0-1 8; Gummo 3 2-5 8; Miller 0 0-0 0; Endress 1 0-0 2; Johnson 3 3-4 9; Russian 0 0-0 0; Kelly 0 0-0 0; Mayhue 0 0-0 0; TOTALS: 24 10-19 64.

Glendale—62
Braniff 4 1-2 10; Frisco 5 7-11 19; Sinclair 2 0-0 4; Smith 6 4-4 16; Wagner 0 0-0 0; Jasper 0 0-0 0; Kephart 0 0-0 0; Koteas 6 0-0 13; Terza 0 0-0 0; Kaufman 0 0-0 0; Smyers 0 0-0 0; Wilkinson 0 0-0 0; TOTALS: 19 12-17 62.

Three-pointers: Hunter 2, Frisco 2, Koteas, Braniff.

	Score By Quarters			
Bellwood	18	17	19	10—64
Glendale	12	14	21	15—62

January 26, 1991: Glendale 49 at Southern Huntingdon 40

ORBISONIA — Glendale pulled away in the fourth quarter Saturday night for a 49-40 win over Southern Huntingdon in girls' basketball action.

With the win, Coach Andy Bloom's Lady Vikings improve to 11-6.

Things were tight for most of the game. The teams battled to a 12-12 deadlock after the first eight minutes.

Glendale grabbed the lead, although a small one, with a 13-12 advantage in the second period. That gave the Lady Vikes a 25-24 edge heading into the locker room.

The game continued to be a nail-biter in the third stanza as each team hit for eight points to make the score 33-32 heading into the decisive eight minutes.

Issued the challenge, Glendale was more than up to it, running off a 16-8 advantage the rest of

the way to pull away for the win.

Glendale's Sherri Frisco continued on her recent hot streak, hitting for 21 points including a three-pointer.

Jen Koteas added 13 lightings for Glendale while Brenda Braniff stayed hot with 11 points and 15 rebounds for the Lady Vikes.

Mary Markey led Southern Huntingdon with 19.

Glendale will hit the hardwood again Tuesday when it hosts Moshannon Valley League rival Harmony.

Glendale—49
Braniff 5 1-2 11; Frisco 8 4-6 21; Sinclair 0 0-0 2; Smith 2 0-1 4; Koteas 5 3-8 13; Terza 0 0-0 0; Kaufman 0 0-1 0; TOTALS: 20 8-20 49.

So. Huntingdon—40
Varner 0 0-0 0; Yohn 2 4-6 8; Markey 6 7-13 19; Flood 2 0-0 4; Piper 1 1-3 3; Rhodes 3 0-2 6; TOTALS: 14 12-24 40.

Three-Pointers: Frisco.
Score By Quarters

Glendale	12	13	8	16—49
So. Hunt	12	12	8	8—40

January 29, 1991: Harmony 43 at Glendale 53

By Bob Bupp
Sports Writer

FLINTON — "Routine" was the keyword Tuesday as Glendale's girls did just what they had to do to beat Harmony—but what the Lady Owls didn't do might have been just as important.

Harmony had its chances in the third quarter, but couldn't sink its shots in the paint, and couldn't shake loose sharpshooter Yvonne Beltowski for her smooth one-handers.

Squandering its second-half opportunities proved costly for Harmony, as Glendale rolled in for its third straight win, 53-43, improving its overall record to 12-6 and its Moshannon Valley League log to 5-1. Winners at Harmony last month by 58-43, the Lady Vikes' second win over Harmony this season helps them hold on to second place in the Mo Valley League behind DuBois Central Christian.

Harmony falls to 1-6 in league play and 2-10 in all games.

"They hung real tough, they played us hard," said Glendale coach Andy Bloom, "We played just well enough to win. We couldn't shake them, but we played tough when we had to."

Jen Koteas and Sherri Frisco sparked a 15-3 Glendale first-quarter rally with true outside shooting and all-around hustle, and the Lady Vikes made their early margin stand up the rest of the way. Koteas paced the winners with 19 and Frisco added 11, seven in the opening period.

Harmony cut the Glendale edge to as little as six, but the Lady Vikes slowly pulled away to lead by as many as 14 points in the final quarter. After a 4-2 deficit and a 6-6 tie, Glendale led all the way.

"We played real inconsistent," explained Bloom, "but Harmony had something to do with that. We seemed a little bit out of sync—we weren't real smooth."

After being stymied by the Glendale defense in the first quarter, Harmony rode Beltowski's hot shooting in the second period to stay close to the Lady Vikes. The Lady Owls ran their own fast break after halftime, and did some good of-

fensive rebounding, too—but the ball just wouldn't fall.

"It was real disappointing," said Harmony coach Eileen Adamo, "we missed so many layups. And Yvonne didn't seem to shoot in the second half; she had the shots, but she didn't take them."

Glendale didn't pass up its shots. Firing away from the outside, Frisco, Koteas, Brenda Braniff, and Karen Sinclair paced the Lady Viking long-range attack that produced 10 outside baskets, mostly in the first half.

"Shooting those outside shots wasn't our plan," explained Bloom, "They were giving us the outside shots, so we took them. We didn't shoot particularly well—about 35 percent—but normally I would be pleased with us taking those shots."

Sophomore Koteas played her usual enthusiastic all-around game, while junior point-guard Frisco added a number of assists on slick passes to the inside. Junior starter Jen Wagner sat out the game.

Beltowski, the Lady Owls' leading scorer, tallied 16, including all eight of the Harmony's second-quarter points, and six in the last quarter. Jackie Einsig backed up Beltowski with nine points and Beth Baker added eight.

"We have three of our five starters either sick or recovering from the flu bug," said Adamo, "They played fairly decent, considering they didn't feel well."

Glendale also took the jayvee game, 50-15, with Angie Kauffman scoring 12 and Amy Kephart 10. Jolene Miles paced Harmony with six.

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Both teams take to the road for their next game, with Glendale traveling to Curwensville on Friday and Harmony motoring to DuBois to face DuBois Central.

Harmony—43

Beltowski 7 2-3 16, McMurray 2 0-0 4, Baker 2 2-2 6, Einsig 3 3-4 9, Mazenko 4 0-2 8, O'Shell 0 0-0 0, Miles 0 0-0 0. Totals 18 7-11 43.

Glendale—53

Braniff 3 0-0 6, Frisco 3 4-4 11, Sinclair 2 0-0 4, Smith 4 1-3 9, Koteas 8 3-5 19, Terza 1 0-3 2, Kaufman 1 0-0 2. Totals 22 8-15 53.

Three-pointers: Glendale—Frisco.

Score by Quarters

Harmony	8	8	11	16—43
Glendale	15	9	12	17—53

February 1, 1991: Glendale 76 at Curwensville 48

Glendale.....	76
Curwensville.....	48

CURWENSVILLE — Jennifer Koteas netted 24 points, collected nine steals and seven assists to power Glendale past Curwensville.

GLENDALE (76): Braniff 4 0-0 8, Frisco 8 1-1 17, Sinclair 3 1-2 7, Smith 2 0-0 4, Je. Wagner 4 2-2 10, Kephart 1 0-0 2, Koteas 10 3-4 24, Terza 0 0-0 0, Wilkinson 1 0-2 2, Kauffman 0 0-0 0, Smyers 0 0-0 0, Jasper 1 0-0 2, Ju. Wagner 0 0-0 0. Totals — 33 8-11 76.

CURWENSVILLE (48): Harmic 1 0-1 2, Simcox 0 0-0 0, Shezock 0 0-0 0, Stephenson 1 0-0 2, Haney 0 0-0 0, Barrett 0 0-2 0, Wood 4 0-3 9, McFadden 8 2-2 18, Mallon 0 1-2 1, Thomas 0 0-0 0, Dominy 5 3-5 16. Totals — 16 8-15 48.

SCORE BY QUARTERS

Glendale.....	14	22	27	13	— 76
Curwensville.....	12	12	14	10	— 48

3-point goals: Glendale 1 (Koteas); Curwensville 2 (Dominy, Wood).

February 4, 1991: MoValley 36 at Glendale 44

Glendale.....	44
Moshannon Valley.....	36

FLINTON — Jen Wagner scored 13 points and had eight rebounds to lead Glendale (14-6) over Moshannon Valley.

Sherri Frisco added 12 points and four assists, while Brenda Braniff had six blocks.

Cheryl Cervenak led Mo Valley with 12 points and Gina Webb added 10.

MOSHANNON VALLEY (36): Cox 0 0-0 0, H. Ricciotti 1 2-3 4, Speerstra 2 1-2 5, K. Ricciotti 0 0-0 0, Cervenak 6 0-5 12, Webb 4 1-6 10, Thompson 0 0-0 0, Archer 0 0-0 0, Fleming 0 1-5 1, Myers 2 0-0 4. Totals — 14 5-21 36.
GLENDALE (44): Braniff 0 1-4 1, Frisco 5 2-2 12, Sinclair 2 2-4 6, Smith 3 0-0 6, Je. Wagner 4 5-6 13, Ju. Wagner 0 0-0 0, Jasper 0 0-0 0, Kephart 0 0-0 0, Koteas 2 2-2 6, Terza 0 0-0 0, Kauffman 0 0-0 0, Smyers 0 0-0 0, Wilkinson 0 0-0 0. Totals — 15 12-18 44.

SCORE BY QUARTERS

Moshannon Valley.....	10	6	8	12	— 36
Glendale.....	10	11	15	8	— 44

3-point goals: Moshannon Valley 1 (Webb). JV: Glendale, 25-17.

February 8, 1991: Glendale 42 at Bishop Carroll 51

EBENSBURG — The Glendale girls' basketball team stayed close with Bishop Carroll last night in Ebensburg, but a big third quarter lifted the Lady Huskies over Glendale 51-42.

With the loss, the Lady Vikings fell to 14-7 on the season.

With the Lady Vikings leading 22-17 at the half, the Lady Huskies revved the engine up and outscored the visitors 17-4 in the third quarter. Glendale needed a big fourth quarter, but Bishop Carroll won the fourth 17-16.

Leading the way for the Glendale was Jen Koteas, who pumped in 13 points. Lady Viking Jen Wagner helped her teammate out with 11 points of her own. Koteas also knocked down a three-pointer.

Bishop Carroll had a one-two punch as it had two players combine for 30 points. Glendale had two more field goals than BC, 17-15, but the big difference was when BC converted 21 of 34 free throws.

Glendale was 7-12 from the charity stripe.

The Lady Vikings started out well as they outscored the home team 13-8. But before the teams went into the locker room, the two deadlocked at 9-9 in the second quarter. That was the last time the Lady Vikings would have the lead in the game.

Glendale did win the junior varsity contest by the score of 32-28, getting 12 points from Jeanie Terza. The Lady Vikings will be back in action on Monday as it plays host to a powerful DuBois Central Christian team.

Glendale—42
 Braniff 1 0-0 2, Frisco 3 2-3 8, Sinclair 1 0-2 2, Smith 0 1-2 1, Jen Wagner 4 3-3 11, Jasper 0 0-0 0, Kephart 1 1-2 3, Koteas 6 0-0 13, Terza 0 0-0 0, Wilkinson 1 0-0 2, Kauffman 0 0-0 0, Julie Wagner 0 0-0 0, Smyers 0 0-0 0. **TOTALS: 17 7-12 51.**

Bishop Carroll—51
 Latterner 3 7-10 13, Myers 7 3-5 17, Gongeloff 1 2-5 4, McCabe 0 0-0 0, Leiden 1 3-6 5, Kollar 1 1-2 3, Shetty 0 0-0 0, Muldoon 1 3-4 5, Ruzzi 1 0-0 2, Watt 0 2-2 2, Kazemer 0 0-0 0, Ille 0 0-0 0, Nagle 0 0-0 0. **TOTALS: 15 21-34 51.**

Three-pointers: Koteas.
Score By Quarters

Glendale	13	9	4	16	— 42
BC	8	9	17	17	— 51

February 11, 1991: Dubios Central 54 at Glendale 48

By John Brennan
Sports Writer

FLINTON — DuBois Central Christian has been rolling through the Moshannon Valley League, but last night, Glendale

tried to put a stop to the Lady Cardinal dominance.

Despite a great effort, the Lady Vikings came up on the losing end of a 54-48 final that had Glendale fans on the edge of their



Step aside — Glendale junior Sherri Frisco drives past DuBois Central defender Kim Taylor last night in Moshannon Valley League girls' hoops action. Frisco tallied nine points for the Lady Vikings but the Lady Cardinals held on to a slim lead throughout the final minutes of the game for the narrow 54-48 victory.

seats the entire game.

"The girls did a real super job tonight," noted Glendale Coach Andy Bloom. "They have nothing to be down about."

And rightly so, as the Lady Cardinals now hold 19-1 and 4-0 season and league records while his Lady Vikes go to 14-8 and 3-1 with the loss.

DuBois Central got on the board first, establishing its inside dominance as Kim Taylor hit on a short jumpshot. Glendale then made its intentions clear as Karen Sinclair grabbed a rebound and made the quick outlet pass to Sherri Frisco who laid it in to tie the score early in the game.

The Lady Vikings stuck with the fastbreak offense and Frisco hit Jen Koteas for a layup and Brenda Braniff scored on a put-back the next time down the court to put Glendale on top 6-2.

Glendale jumped out to a 12-7 lead with a little over 1:00 in the period, but DuBois Central got a three-point play from Sonya Stankavich and a layup from Nancy Babarsky to tie the score 12-12 at the end of the quarter.

The Lady Cardinals then came out of the huddle and scored the first nine points of the second period to take a 21-12 advantage.

Coach Bloom then called for a man-to-man defense, which shut down the DuBois Central scoring machine while it got the Lady Vikes heated up on their offensive end of the floor.

"We came out in a two-three defense to try to take away their inside game and force them to score from the outside," commented Coach Bloom. "It was effective to some extent but when they got up, we switched to the man defense and the kids played it real well."

His team also started scoring as a result of aggressive play at the defensive end of the court. Down 21-14 with about 1:00 left in the half, Koteas blocked a DuBois Central shot and made the outlet to Frisco who got fouled. Frisco made both ends of the one and one to cut the score to 21-16.

Then Koteas grabbed a defensive rebound and got it to Frisco again for a layup.

Glendale then cut the lead to 21-20 just before the halftime buzzer as Frisco passed the ball

off to Jen Wagner on another fastbreak.

The momentum kept flowing in the Lady Vikings' direction after the intermission as Koteas captured the lead for her team on a layup and Sinclair put them up by three with a long jumpshot.

The Lady Cardinals then caught on fire as Babarsky tossed up her running jumper from all over the court, scoring 10 of her 16 points in the period to give DuBois Central a 40-34 advantage going into the final quarter.

The Lady Vikings knew that they would have to play a tough final eight minutes to defeat the Lady Cardinals and Glendale's Jen Wagner got them off to a good start. She hit the first two shots of the period to cut the deficit to 40-38.

Every time DuBois Central would build a slim lead the Lady Vikes would make it even closer. Lady Cardinal Sonya Stankavich single-handedly kept her team in front, tallying 10 of her game high 27 points in the period to help her team narrowly escape the Glendale upset attempt.

"She's a real good athlete," noted Coach Bloom. "We played her as well as we could. We just don't match up with her size inside."

Another factor in the game was the absence of usual Glendale starter Nicole Smith.

"Nicole twisted her ankle on Friday," added Coach Bloom. "The last time we played them she had a real nice game. We missed her tonight."

The Lady Vikes received a team-high 14 points from Koteas while Wagner added 11 in a losing effort.

Glendale captured the junior varsity contest, 30-22, behind a 10-point effort from Jean Terza.

The Lady Vikes hit the hardwood again on Thursday when they host the Lady Warriors from West Branch. Since there will be a double-header, tip-off for the girls' game will be at 6 p.m.

DuBois Central—51

Sekula 3 4 2; Babarsky 7 2 2 16; Stankavich 11 5 7 27; Taylor 1 0 1 8; Matts 0 0 0 0; Slesky 0 0 0 0; Huskirk 0 1 2 1; TOTALS: 21 8-12 51.

Glendale—48

Braniff 3 6 0 9; Jen Wagner 5 1 2 11; Koteas 4 6 0 14; Frisco 3 3 1 9; Sinclair 2 0 0 4; Wilkinson 0 0 1 0; Terza 0 6 0 0; Kephart 0 0 0 0; Kaufman 2 0 0 4; TOTALS: 19 18-11 48.

Score By Quarters

DuBois Central	12	9	19	14
Glendale	12	8	11	11

February 17, 1991: West Branch 30 at Glendale 59

FLINTON — The Glendale girls' basketball team jumped out to a big first quarter lead on West Branch on Saturday in Flinton to cruise to a 59-30 win over the Lady Warriors.

With the win, the Lady Vikings upped their record to 15-8 overall and 4-1 in the Moshannon Valley League. With the loss, the Lady Warriors fell to 5-16 overall and 2-2 in the league.

Leading the way for the Lady Vikings was Jen Wagner, who knocked down eight field goals, one more than West Branch, scored 17 points and pulled down 17 rebounds.

Teammate Brenda Braniff, who canned two three-pointers, chipped in with 16 points for the Lady Vikings. Sherri Frisco also contributed with six assists.

Pacing the Lady Warriors were Georgette Williams, who knocked down eight points, and Michelle Merrow, who scored six points.

The Lady Vikings jumped out to a 20-9 first quarter lead, a lead the Lady Warriors found to be

insurmountable. It was a little bit closer in the second quarter as Glendale outscored West Branch 12-8.

Coming out of the locker room with a 32-17 lead, the Lady Vikings didn't let up as they owned a 13-7 margin in the third quarter. And then they wrapped up the game with a 14-6 fourth quarter.

Both teams will finish the regular season tomorrow. Glendale will hit the road to take on Central Cambria. The game was supposed to have been played tonight, but it was rescheduled.

West Branch has the unenviable task of playing DuBois Central Christian on the road.

West Branch — 30

Welker 1 0-0 2; Smolko 1 1-4 3; Williams 1 6-10 8; Merrow 2 2-4 6; Quick 0 4-6 4; Mann 0 2-2 2; DePalma 2 1-4 5. TOTALS: 7 16-30 30.

Glendale — 59

Braniff 6 2-4 16; Frisco 1 2-4 4; Sinclair 1 0-0 2; Jen Wagner 8 1-4 17; Jasper 0 2-2 2; Kephart 0 2-2 2; Koteas 4 0-0 8; Terza 1 3-4 5; Kauffman 1 0-0 2; Smyers 0 1-2 1; Julie Wagner 0 0-0 0; Wilkinson 0 0-0 0; Callahan 0 0-0 0. TOTALS: 22 13-20 59.

Three-Pointers: Braniff 2.

Score By Quarters

West Branch	9	8	7	6-30
Glendale	20	12	13	14-59

February 8, 1991: Glendale 42 at Bishop Carroll 51

EBENSBURG — It's coming down to "Crunch Time" for the District 6 girls' basketball teams, and one of the hottest squads at this time appears to be the Glendale Lady Vikings.

Last night, Coach Andy Bloom's Vikes put on a strong rally in the fourth quarter to pull out a 62-58 win over Central Cambria.

With the victory, Glendale moves to 16-8 and appears to be playing its best basketball of the season.

Bloom said he is confident his girls are ready for next Wednesday's D-6 playoff game against Blacklick Valley, which will also be played at Central Cambria beginning at 6 p.m.

"I think we're ready for the playoffs. We played real well offensively tonight and we passed the ball well," Bloom said.

The game was tight most of the way. The Lady Red Devils held a 14-13 lead after one quarter, but Glendale rallied for an 18-13 advantage in the second quarter to grab a 31-27 lead heading into the intermission.

Glendale slumped slightly in the third quarter as Central outscored them 14-8 to take a 41-39 lead into the final eight minutes.

But, as all good teams do, the Lady Vikings fought back to outscore the hosts 23-17 in the final stanza to secure the win.

Jen Wagner provided the inside punch for the Glendale attack with 24 points. Sherri Frisco added 14, Jen Koteas 11 and Brenda Braniff 10.

Wagner also pulled down 10 rebounds while Koteas snared 11 caroms.

Koteas and Frisco also did a nice job of dishing off the roundball, handing out six assists apiece.

Kelly Cordoro paced the losers with 22 points while Ann Frank added 21.

Glendale's jayvees wrapped up a very successful season last night with a 42-23 win over the Red Devils.

Jeanie Terza paced the Lady Vikings with 12 points while Amy Kephart added 10.

The win helped Glendale close the season at 15-5.

Glendale — 62

Braniff 3 4-4 10; Frisco 7 1-6 15; Sinclair 0 0-4 0; Wagner 10 4-8 24; Kephart 0 2-2 2; Koteas 4 3-5 11; Terza 0 0-0 0; Wilkinson 0 0-0 0; Kauffman 0 0-0 0. TOTALS: 24 14-29 62.

Central Cambria — 58

Cordoro 8 5-9 22; Frank 8 5-5 21; Ranck 4 1-5 9; Groke 2 0-3 4; Meintel 1 0-0 2; DeRubis 0 0-4 0; Bolvin 0 0-0 0. TOTALS: 23 11-26 58.

Three-Pointers: Cordoro.

Score By Quarters

Glendale	13	18	8	23-62
C. Cambria	14	13	14	17-58

February 27, 1991: Glendale 49 vs Blacklick Valley 46 (D6 Playoffs)

Glendale advances by downing Blacklick

By Bob Bulp
Sports Writer

EBENSBURG — It was "do or die" — and the Glendale girls "did".

Down at the half and faced with a quick exit from the District 6-AA playoffs, the Lady Vikes made it happen with an extra-effort second half Wednesday, edging Blacklick Valley, 49-46.

"The kids really wanted it," said Glendale coach Andy Bloom, "and they got it, and that's the bottom line. When it got down to nitty-gritty time, they did the job."

The win matches the Lady Vikings, now 17-8, with the tournament's top seed, Ferndale (20-4), in a Friday game at a yet-undetermined site and time.

Blacklick Valley, fourth-seeded in the AA bracket, finishes at 15-8.

Sherri Frisco and Jen Wagner each scored five fourth-quarter points, and Jen Koteas and Nicole Smith also contributed key last-period baskets as the Lady Vikes held off Blacklick's one-man gang, Christina Siuniak. A 5-10 sophomore lefthander, Siuniak scored 10 for Blacklick in the last eight minutes, including its last eight points.

Despite Glendale's strong second-half, Blacklick was still even with the Lady Vikes when Siuniak hit a long jumper and a putback to cap a 6-0 streak and forge a 42-42 tie at the 1:40 mark of the last quarter. Fouled while grabbing one of her many rebounds, Wagner canned a pair of free throws to put the Lady Vikes back on top, and Koteas extended the margin by weaving her way through the entire Blacklick defense for a driving layup and a 46-42 Glendale lead.

Siuniak hit another jumper with 35 seconds left, and then still another 18 seconds later, but Frisco dropped in three of four pressure free throws in the last 29 seconds to keep Glendale on top.

Frisco, the Vikes' junior point guard, sank eight-of-ten second half free throws, many earned on

fearless drives into the paint.

The Glendale comeback started immediately after intermission, when the Lady Vikes came out with fire in their eyes. Starting with tighter man-to-man defense on the Blacklick end of the court, and continuing with a quicker, more organized attack on the offensive side, Glendale outhustled and outfought the losers throughout the last two quarters.

"We had breakdowns on defense," said Bloom. "We played man-to-man the whole game — we matched up pretty well with them — but the lefthander (Siuniak) really gave us fits. I really expected to hold her down more, but she's just a good athlete."

Brenda Braniff, whose long bombs wouldn't fall in the first half, canned two from way out, Frisco sank five of six free throws, and Wagner knocked down a couple of buckets in some heavy traffic in the paint as Glendale ripped off a 17-6 third-quarter run to take the lead.

"Brenda really got hot," said Bloom, "She can hit those threes, but I don't think they knew it — she was a surprise to them."

The visiting Vikings from Nanty Glo crawled back into the lead, but Smith hit a short jumper off an offensive rebound for Glendale, and Frisco fired in a long bomb for a six-point Lady Vike lead.

The first half was Blacklick's game. Down 11-5 in the opening quarter, the losers erupted for a 15-1 run and a 20-12 edge, hitting from inside and out while clamping down tightly on the Glendale offense. Both teams blew offensive chances on turnovers—Glendale lost possession seven times in the first quarter alone—and on missed shots.

Koteas saved the Lady Vikes with two late-second-quarter drives, giving her 10 points in the half, but Siuniak stuck a jumper for a 24-18 Blacklick halftime lead.

"We kind of went flat after we got off to a good start," explained Bloom, "The kids were real uptight — they were tighter than a spring — and I don't know why."

"We didn't get much out of our offense in the first half," he continued, "although (Jen) Koteas made some real nice moves to the basket. But we were still down only by six at the half."

"I guess we're lucky there's a halftime in a basketball game."

Frisco scored 14 for Glendale, with Koteas and Wagner adding 13 each, while Siuniak's 22 for Blacklick made her the game's high-scorer.

As expected, Blacklick attacked the Lady Viking man-to-man defense inside, driving to the basket on every opportunity. The Blacklick defense was too

much for Glendale in the opening quarters, when the Lady Vikes scored mostly on fast breaks, transition shots, and putbacks. The outside shots were there, but Glendale could not make them.

Frisco sparked the Glendale comeback with all-out hustle on defense, and Koteas and Wagner held their own under the boards against the taller Blacklick front-line. No one but Siuniak

could provide consistent offense for the losers.

Blacklick Valley—9:
Warynovich 2 1-3, Williamson 2 1-2, Rankle 4 2-4 10, Siuniak 10 2-22, Zamboni 1 0-2, McMullen 0 0-0. Totals 17 5-91.

Glendale—19:
Braniff 3 0-7, Frisco 2 9-12 11, Sinclair 3 3-9 3, Smith 1 0-3 2, Koteas 5 1-1 13, Wagner 5 5-5 13, Kephart 0 0-0, Wilkinson 0 0-0. Totals 17 13-20 49.

Three-pointers: Blacklick Valley—none; Glendale—Braniff, Frisco.

Blacklick Valley 12 12 8 11-16
Glendale 11 7 15 16-49



UNSTOPPABLE — Glendale sophomore Jen Koteas drives through the Blacklick Valley defense for a key basket to give the Lady Vikings a 46-42 lead Wednesday at Ebsenburg. Koteas scored 13 points in a 49-46 Glendale win that keeps them alive in the District 6-AA playoffs.

March 1, 1991: Glendale 51 vs Ferndale 70 (D6 Playoffs)

Ferndale wears down Glendale

By Buck Frank

Mirror Sports Staff

EBENSBURG — One point separated Glendale from Ferndale with four minutes left in the District 6, Class A girls semifinal game Friday.

But Ferndale then took complete control, going on a 21-3 run in the last four minutes to post a 70-51 victory over the Lady Vikings at Central Cambria High School and earn a spot in the championship game.

"I smashed a clip board at half-time to get my players' attention," Ferndale coach Don Joswick said. "We decided to press in the second half because I thought we were a little bit deeper than Glendale. I think we took them out of their offense, and it finally started to pay off late in the game."

Ferndale, playing its first playoff game after receiving a first-round bye, will play Williamsburg for the championship Wednesday at a site to be determined. Glendale must win the consolation game Wednesday against Homer-Center to advance to the PIAA state playoffs.

Ferndale led 16-14 after one quarter, but Glendale took its first lead with 5:24 left in the half at 18-16. Sherri Frisco's jumper at the buzzer gave Glendale a 29-24 halftime advantage.

"In the first half, we were playing the kind of game we wanted," Glendale coach Andy Bloom said. "We were moving the ball well and not taking too many bad shots."

"Getting a first-round bye is no reward," Joswick said. "We hadn't played since February 18, and I think it really killed us, especially early in the game."

Karla Irvin and Stephanie Troyan combined on consecutive 3-pointers to put Ferndale back on top early in the third quarter. Glendale didn't make a field goal in the third period until the 1:34 mark, but still held on for a 38-37 lead heading to the fourth.

"The third quarter really killed us," Bloom said. "We knew they were going to press us, and we were able to get some open shots off of their press, but we just didn't make our shots. The third quarter changed the whole complexity of the game."

The lead changed hands several times in the fourth quarter until the four-minute mark when Ferndale stole the game by hitting seven of its last eight shots from the field. Troyan led the Lady Jackets with 26 points, and Irvin added 19, all coming in the second half.

"Karla Irvin held us in there when nobody else was playing well," Joswick said. "Troyan wasn't having a typical night for her, and Irvin hit some key shots — the kind you say, 'don't shoot, don't shoot; great shot.'"

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GAME NOTES: Ferndale committed 22 turnovers, and Glendale had 21 ... Ferndale shot 47 percent (27 of 58) from the field, while Glendale was 33 percent (19 of 57) ... Glendale dropped to 17-9, while Ferndale, the top seed in Class A, improved to 21-4.

GLENDALE (51): Wagner 5 2-5 12, Sinclair 0 0-0 0, Braniff 0 3-4 3, Koteas 5 0-0 10, Frisco 6 6-11 20, Smith 3 0-0 6, Wilkinson 0 0-2 0, Terza 0 0-0 0, Kechart 0 0-0 0, Kaufman 0 0-0 0. Totals — 19 11-22 51.

FERNDALE (70): Troyan 11 2-4 26, Gray 2 4-4 8, Schalles 2 2-4 6, Milnarchik 2 3-4 7, Irvin 8 2-2 19, Hillegass 1 0-2 2, Garanich 1 0-2 2. Totals — 27 13-22 70.

SCORE BY QUARTERS

Glendale	14	15	9	13	— 51
Ferndale	16	8	13	33	— 70

3-point goals: Glendale 2 (Frisco 2); Ferndale 3 (Troyan 2, Irvin).

Officials: Bill Straesser, Pat Duffy, John Duffy.

March 6, 1991: Glendale 41 at Homer Center 37 (D6 Playoffs)

Strangling defense earns Lady Vikes spot in inter-districts

By Bob Bupp
Sports Writer

EBENSBURG — Just like coaches often say, defense will be there even when the shots won't fall.

And there it was Wednesday for Glendale, as the Lady Vikings strangled Homer-Center with a rugged 2-3 zone defense for a 44-37 District 6-A consolation win that sends them on to inter-district play next week.

The offenses took much of the night off on both ends of the court, but Glendale forged a stronger attack and neutralized the Lady Wildcats' inside height advantage and outside shooting to lead virtually all the way.

With its third-place finish, Glendale, now 18-9, qualifies to face the District 9-A champion Tuesday, at a site and time yet to be determined, in the opening round of inter-district play. DuBois Central Christian (23-2) plays Couderport (22-3) for the District 9-A title Friday.

"This is another big step for our team," said Glendale coach Andy Bloom, "We're doing what we're trying to do—we're in the inter-districts now.

"We were pretty sluggish in the first half; we weren't settled down at all," he continued, "but it's a long season, and our kids had played their guts out on Friday (in the loss to district-champion Ferndale). It was hard for them to accept that loss."

Defense was so dominant that only one girl—Homer-Center's point guard Carrie Yancy scored in double figures (11 points). The Lady Wildcats could manage

only a single field goal in the first quarter, which ended with Glendale up by 4-3.

"We played a real good 2-3," said Bloom about his defense, "We really cut down their outside game, and that's basically what they have."

"They're primarily a right-handed team, and we kind of shut that down."

Homer-Center led only briefly by a single point, as the Lady Vikes gradually pulled away to lead by three at the half, five at the three-quarter mark, and as much as a dozen in the last period.

"Offensively we tried to force some things that weren't there," said Bloom about the Lady Vikes' 19-point first half. "We tried to do some things to make it happen a little fast. We just weren't patient."

The third quarter was another slow period on offense for Glendale, but Sherri Frisco fired in seven final-quarter points and Brenda Braniff added four as the Lady Vikings got it going toward the end. "We were more patient and did a better job," explained Bloom, "We hit some key shots when our people got squared up to take the shot."

The Lady Vikings ran the fast break every chance they had, often beating Homer-Center down the court, although seldom converting their opportunities, especially in the first half.

"We're a lot better team when we can push the ball upcourt," explained Bloom, "I thought we did a good job of hitting the boards and kicking it out on the

break . . . In the second half we started looking around a little bit more, and we had some real nice passes for layups."

Glendale burned the losers with two key mini-rallies in the final period, first taking a five-point lead to 12 with a 7-0 run keyed by Frisco. First the Lady Viking point guard passed to Braniff for a fast-break layup, and then canned a three-pointer from the left wing, which she immediately followed up with an outside jumper from the right side.

When the Lady Wildcats cut it back to seven, Karen Sinclair dished out back-to-back transition-game assists to Jen Wagner and Jen Koteas to push the Glendale lead back to 11.

Frisco hurt her finger late in the game, sitting out the final few minutes when Homer-Center pressed to cut the final margin under double figures. "We think she just stoved her index finger, and hopefully will be ready for the next game on Tuesday," said Bloom after the game, "We missed her a lot when they pressed; she and Jen Koteas are our primary ball-handlers."

Glendale had no double-digit scorers, but six Lady Vikings scored at least six points, led by Frisco's nine and eight each by Wagner and Koteas.

Homer-Center, now 15-10, is eliminated from the playoffs with the loss.

Homer-Center—37

Yancy 13-11 11, Costello 10-3 8, Cochran 0-0-0, Ronderbush 11-2 9, Hubbert 2-0-2 4, Irvin 0-0-0, Miller 2-1-2 5, Totals 165-2037.

Glendale—41

Koteas 10-0-8, Frisco 10-0-9, Wagner 10-2-8, Braniff 2-2-3 6, Smith 15-6 7, Kephart 0-0-0, Kauffman 0-0-0, Sinclair 3-0-6, Wilkinson 0-0-0, Totals 187-11 11.

Three-pointers: Glendale—Frisco.

Score by Quarters

Homer-Center	3	13	6	15—37
Glendale	1	15	8	17—41

March 12, 1991: Glendale 55 vs Coudersport 62 (D6 Playoffs)

Glendale defeated

KANE — Glendale's second trip in 20 years to the PIAA, Class A state playoffs was short-lived.

Coudersport finished strong to eliminate the Lady Vikings 62-55 Tuesday night at Kane High School.

Tied 33-33 at halftime, Coudersport outscored Glendale 29-22 in the second half.

"They made some nice shots down the stretch that really hurt us," Glendale coach Andy Bloom said. "We played well, but sometimes you need a little luck and we didn't have any tonight."

Glendale, which finished in third place in the District 6 tournament, ended the season with an 18-10 record.

Glendale's Sherri Frisco poured in a game-high 35 points, while teammate Jen Wagner contributed eight points.

"Sherri had a great floor game, a great shooting game — it was her best overall game of the season," Bloom said.

Frisco scored all 18 of Glendale's points in the second quarter to pull the Lady Vikings even with Coudersport at halftime.

Coudersport, the District 9 champion, improved its record to 24-3. Regina Lynch led Coudersport with 18 points, while Tonya Boyd added 16.

COUDERSPORT (62): Lynch 8 2-3 18, Bunzell 4 0-1 8, Boyd 7 2-6 16, Ramsey 3 2-7 8, Stimaker 2 0-0 4, Boscia 1 3-3 5, Fantaskey 1 1-1 3. Totals — 26 10-21 62.

GLENDALE (55): Sinclair 3 0-0 6, Frisco 13 6-9 35, Koteles 2 0-0 5, Jen Wagner 2 4-5 8, Wilkinson 0 1-2 1. Totals — 20 11-16 55.

SCORE BY QUARTERS

Coudersport.....	20	13	10	19	— 62
Glendale	15	18	8	14	— 55

3-point goals: Glendale (4) Frisco 3, Koteles 1.

Players	Points	Three's
Sherri Frisco	370	18
Jennifer Koteas	327	11
Jennifer Wagner	266	0
Brenda Braniff	165	5
Nicole Smith	155	0
Karen Sinclair	97	0
Danielle Wilkinson	22	0
Jeannie Terza	20	0
Amy Kephart	17	0
Angie Kauffman	9	0
Connie Jasper	6	0
Julie Wagner	2	0
Shelby Smyers	1	0
Totals	1457	34