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The West's #7 George Royce, Chelsea, holds as #97 Todd Carter, Carmen-Ainsworth, connects on the only field goal completion of the 2004 All Star Game. The East's #1 Barré Mackie, Grosse Pointe University Liggett, barely missed the block.

Wow!! What A Year And What An All Star Game

By Larry Rueger, All Star Chair

The 24th All Star Game played on July 24th and held at the "Big House", was a huge success. The hard work of Chuck Ritter and the Officials at U of M are to be congratulated and thanked by us all for their hospitality and work that they contributed to the 2004 All Star Game.

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Extra Points



Look for the Following in a Separate Mailing

Regional Coach of the Year Ballot

Nomination Forms for:

Academic All State

2005 All Star Nomination

Assistant Coach of the Year

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Brad Grayvold, Norway

The
Michigan High School
Football Coaches
Association

2005
All Star Coaches
East

Head Coach

Bob Czarnecki, Trenton

Steve McGhee, Detroit Crockett

Tab Kellepourey, Novi

Gene Skidmore, Wyandotte Roosevelt

West**Head Coach**

Fred Davis, Johannesburg-Lewiston

1st Assistant

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Battle Creek Pennfield**Newsletter is NOT Forwarded**

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MHSFCA
Meetings &
Important Dates

Board of Directors Fall Meeting

Doherty Hotel, Clare

10:00 a.m. • 3 December 2004

All Star Selection Meeting

West - MSU/East - Allen Park HS

7/8 January 2004

33rd Winners Circle Clinic

McCamly Plaza, Battle Creek

27-29 January 2004

52nd Coach of the Year Clinic

Soaring Eagle Hotel, Mt. Pleasant

4-5 March 2004

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 Bob Scheloske, South Lyon '03

**NEWSLETTER****Encourages
Contributors**

Over the past years several of Michigan's best coaches have sent materials for the Newsletter. We encourage you to join that group.

*Deadline for Submissions
for December Newsletter
— November 15 —*

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Notes**Lost and Found**

A Michigan High School Coaches Hall of Fame ring was found in Florida. Elsie Bixel notified the MHSFCA of the find in late July, 2004. The ring is dated 1983. Contact Elsie at 17300 Campbell Road Comins, MI 48616. Her e-mail is wbdixie@aol.com.

Thank You - Terry Rose Scholarship

This letter is to extend my deep appreciation for the \$1000 Terry Rose Scholarship you awarded me in April. The check was a big surprise for me and couldn't have come at a better time. I am finishing up my four years of eligibility in NCAA Division I women's softball. At the same time I am signing up for spring and summer classes to catch up on courses that I couldn't fit in due to the demands of college sports.

My career plans are to finish my degree next year in Health and Physical Education and hope to secure a teaching and coaching position in Michigan. (Keep me in mind next spring when you are hiring.)

My father, who sent my name in for the drawing, has coached high school football for 8 years. He had a lot of success at Coopersville High School and now as principal and head coach at Ovid-Elsi. I have thanked him already and asked not to deduct this from his contribution to my education! I hope to follow his example and have the same kind of rapport and impact on kids as he has had. Sports and coaching has been a big part of our family. With all five of us kids being three sport athletes our lives growing up centered around sports schedules.

To everyone in your organization please extend my thanks.

Sincerely,

Jacqueline Goosen, Wright State University

Thank You - MHSFCA Competitive Scholarship

I am writing this letter to thank you for the scholarship. It will undoubtedly aid me in the pursuit of my goals at Saginaw State University. I appreciate the opportunity that the Michigan High School Football Coaches Association offers. High school athletics, especially football, have taught me the value of hard work and determination and so much more.

Sincerely,

Andrew C. Brace

National Coach of the Year - Albert Fracassa

Al Fracassa, Birmingham Brother Rice, was named 2004 National Coach of the Year by the National High School Athletic Coaches Association at ceremonies in Las Vegas in June. Unfortunately, Al was not able to be at the ceremonies due to bypass surgery. We understand his recovery went well and include our best wishes along with our congratulations

Power of Influence Award

The MHSFCA has nominated Dave Lawrence for the American Football Coaches Association's *Power of Influence Award*.

Dave has been very instrumental in promoting positive activities outside the playing field for high school football teams. Some of these activities include reading and tutoring for elementary students, community clean-up projects and school improvement programs. For the last ten years he has been the director of our association's Leadership Conference. This program gives young football players instruction on how to handle team problems and how to be a positive team leader.

Thank You All - Star Visit

I am writing to express Sparrow Health System's thanks for arranging a visit to our dialysis unit by the All Star football team. The patients and staff were thrilled and the visit provided some excitement and happiness in the unit. The team members and the coaches were kind and fun. Some of the patients threw footballs with the team members.

The team's visit was definitely a highlight for Sparrow Health System's Dialysis Unit.

Pam Lieby, Interim Director SHS Dialysis Units

In Memorium Ernest E. Hoffman

Jan. 22, 1949 - Aug 28, 2004

"Success lies not in never failing, but rising every time you fall."

"Seize the day, what you do today is important because you are spending a day of your life for it. Let it be something good."

Ernie Hoffman

Ernie Hoffman was a dedicated, committed, and loyal coach. He will always be remembered as a loving and caring husband and father. His wife Marge was his biggest and most loyal fan and supporter. His son, Scott always looked to him for guidance and wisdom. Ernie passed on his parenting, teaching, and coaching passions to Scott, who is a teacher and football coach at SMCC H. S.

1978 MHSFCA Regional Coach of the Year

1992 MHSFCA East All-Star Coach

Regional Director MHSFCA

Coached Football, Basketball and Track

Running Back, Dundee H. S. 1964-65 under Coach Tom Moshimer

(contributed to 35 game winning streak. Best in school history.)

Middle School teacher for 33 years

1970 Mt Pleasant H. S. assistant coach

1971-1974 Deckerville M.S. & H.S. assistant coach

1975-1985 Dundee H.S. Head Football Coach

1986 Monroe H.S. assistant coach

1987-1992 Dundee H.S. assistant coach

1994-2001 Monroe H.S. assistant coach

FRASER Award Nomination

Due December 1

Designed to recognize coaches who distinguish themselves through community service, the FRASER Award will be presented at the MHSFCA clinic luncheon. In addition to the plaque awarded to the winning coach, the MHSFCA will award a \$500 grant to the elementary school designated by the recipient. The grant will be used for the purchase of books for students in the school who would not otherwise have access to reading materials.

Funding for this award is generated by the FRASER Award Golf Outing sponsored by the MHSFCA in conjunction with All Star Game Weekend.

Send nominations to:

Noel Dean, Fraser Award Committee Chair

4135 Bedaki Ave. NW

Lowell, MI 49331

Nominations must be received by December 1.

Include:

- Name, school affiliation, phone and address of nominee
- Formal letter of recommendation from a school administrator
- Documentation of qualifying activities

Garland Resort Offer to MHSFCA Members

from Fred Davis, Johannesburg-Lewiston



Garland would like to take this opportunity to invite members of the MHSFCA to visit our facility this upcoming season. Garland is the only AAA four-diamond resort in the northeastern part of the state. Garland has long been known for its special Northern Michigan ambiance. Frequent glimpses of whitetail deer, wild turkey, fox, nesting bald eagles, and other woodland game are all part of the Garland experience.

When it comes to golf, Garland Resort's four courses overflow with beauty, diversity and wildlife, making the golf experience much like a relaxing nature walk. The following rates are available to all association members and their spouses. All rates are subject to availability. Members can make reservations by calling 877-4GARLAND.

Greens Fee Pricing:

Monday - Thursday only. Cart included in price.

Swampfire.....\$35	Regular Rate:.....\$75
Monarch.....\$35	.....\$75
Reflections.....\$35	.....\$75
Fountains.....\$55	.....\$100

Room and Golf Packages: Per person per night (does not include tax).

Midweek Rates

Sunday - Thursday: ...\$129

Regular Rate: ...\$215

Weekend Rates

Friday & Saturday:.....\$159

Regular Rate: ...\$246

Please note that with a one-night stay you receive 36 holes of golf with cart. When you stay more than one night, you receive unlimited golf with cart.

Restrictions: You must be a member of the MHSFCA, inform Garland at the time of the reservation of your membership and present your membership card at registration. Reservations can be made no more than 14 days in advance of your visit.

Lost Your MHSFCA Membership Card?

Contact Membership Chair, Jim Clawson, 21681 Thorofare, Grosse Ile, MI 48138



2005 All Star Game Nominations

(Nomination Forms will be mailed separately)

Game Date July 24, 2005

Class AA, A schools may nominate three (3) players

Class BB, B schools may nominate two (2) players

Class CC, C & DD, D schools may nominate one (1) player

**Only one player per school may be selected to play in the All Star Game.*

When nominating players for the All Star Game coaches should consider the following guidelines:

1. Only nominate players that you feel have the ability to play with the best in the state.
2. A player's "character" is vitally important. Only nominate players who will reflect positively on your school and on your community.
3. Check with players to be sure that if selected they will play in the game... before nominating them.
4. Do NOT nominate players who are considering the service academies (Army, Air Force, Navy, Coast Guard). The academies do not allow cadets to participate in the game.

If you have a player(s) deserving of this honor please take the time to fill out the nomination form (mailed in a separate package) and return it to Larry Rueger before December 1.

SPECIAL NOTE:

Players selected to play in the All Star Game will be required to submit all materials relative to participation (physicals, program materials, information sheets, etc., by **MARCH 15** or they may be replaced by the first alternate at their position.

Michigan High School Football Coaches Association

Duties of Regional Directors

- I. The Board of Directors shall be responsible for the management of the affairs, funds and property of the association.
- II. Promote membership in his region:
 - A. Secure total membership count for region from the secretary at the Spring meeting, along with the delinquent members' cards.
 - B. Mail letters to delinquent members urging re-enrollment.
- III. Represent the interests of the association and his region at all association meetings in the: Spring, Summer, Fall and Winter, for two years.
 - A. At the Spring meeting, assume the duties relating to the committee assignment(s) made by the president. Be prepared to do whatever is necessary to make the Hall of Fame Banquet a success.
 - B. At the Summer meetings, continue committee work and bring names of honorary membership for nomination. Be available to help with whatever needs to be done to make the M.H.S.F.C.A. All-Star Game and/or the leadership conference successful.
 - C. At the Fall meeting, come prepared with Coach of the Year responsibilities completed.
- IV. Write a letter of congratulations to any coach from your region receiving a Regional Coach of the Year award
- V. Make sure each honored coach is in attendance at the January clinic for his presentation.
- D. Prior to the January meeting, if running for re-election, be sure your name has been properly placed on the ballot. If not seeking re-election, encourage at least two coaches from your region to write to the secretary-treasurer, to have their names placed on the ballot.
- E. At the Winter meeting, come prepared to assume at least one clinic responsibility. Bring a gift for a door prize.
- IV. Serve as an active member of whatever committee you were appointed to by the president.
- V. Report to your region all urgent business transacted or discussed as soon as possible. Keep a record of all expenses incurred in such cases of necessary communication and submit to the secretary-treasurer for reimbursement.
- VI. Be ethical in all your football relationships so as to be a model to the coaches in your region.

See Pages 6-7 for Regional Directors Election Information

MHSFCA Re-Districting in 2005

Since deciding to change from using the MEA regional organization for our regional representation to one based on leagues (January meeting 2004), the board of directors at the summer meeting of 2004 agreed to an implementation plan that is fair to present directors and future directors. The present elected directors will remain in their positions but will be placed in the regions that are represented by the leagues that their schools are in currently.

Elections will be held at our January 2005 meeting for those regions that will have no representation after the redistricting and in regions where there will be only one director. The following year, January 2006, the regional director positions in the even numbered regions will be voted on with two being selected. In January of 2007 the odd numbered regional director positions will be voted on again with two being selected.

It was felt by the Board of Directors that this process would best aid in the transition from the use of MEA based regions to the regions based on league affiliation. The board of directors also hoped that this plan might encourage some coaches to get more involved with the organization as we have added two more regions and four more directors.

Below you will find the list of regions and how the present directors will fill them. Also, you should note the regions that have only one or no directors. In those regions we encourage coaches to run for regional director in January 2005. If you are interested in running you should contact Larry Merx (734) 439-0049 or lmerx@nkfm.org to have your name placed on the ballot for the January election. If you have questions about the redistricting plan, contact Dave Woodcock, 6355 Livingston Ct., Hudsonville, MI 49426, 616-662-1454, e-mail daveandparm@aol.com.

New Regions with Current Director/s

If a region shows less than two directors, new regional directors will be elected in the January 2005 election at Battle Creek so that both slots are filled.

Region 1 (Next election, 2007)

1. Melvin Bennett - Rudyard
2. Brad Grayvold - Norway

Region 2 (Next election, 2006)

1. Fred Davis -
Johannesburg-Lewiston
2. Matt Prisk - Traverse City West
3. Matt Stapleton - Frankfort

Region 3 (Next election, 2007)

1. Joe Colletta - Muskegon Oakridge
2. Steve Wilson - Fruitport
3. Gus Kapolka - Manistee

Region 4 (Next election, 2006)

1. Al Doty - Pinnconning
2. Kelly Luplow - Clare

Region 5 (Next election, 2007)

1. Brett Foerster - Saginaw Heritage
2. Jerry Parker - Flint Carmen-Ainsworth

Region 6 (Next election, 2006)

1. Ralph Munger - Rockford
2. Noel Dean - Lowell

Region 7 (Elect 1, 2005)

1. Scot Shaw - Three Rivers
- 2.

Region 8 (Next election, 2006)

1. Al Slammer - Battle Creek Central
2. Ed Greeman - Battle Creek
Harper Creek
3. Dave Lawrence - Mattawan

Region 9 (Next election, 2007)

1. Rob Zimmerman - DeWitt
2. Jack Wallace - Fowlerville

Region 10 (Elect 2, 2005)

- 1.
- 2.

Region 11 (Elect 2, 2005)

- 1.
- 2.

Region 12 (Elect 1, 2005)

1. Bill Brown - Deckerville
- 2.

Region 13 (Elect 1, 2005)

1. Chuck Apap - Walled Lake
Central
- 2.

Region 14 (Next election, 2006)

1. Eric Redmond - Carleton Airport
2. Steve Robb - Milan
3. Rod Baker - Wyndotte
4. Tom Hoover - Allen Park

Region 15 (Elect 2, 2005)

- 1.
- 2.

Region 16 (Next election, 2006)

1. Drake Wilkins - Detroit Denby
2. Eric Smith - Detroit McKenzie

Region 17 (Elect 1, 2005)

1. Gary Griffith - Troy
- 2.

Region 18 (Next election, 2006)

1. Ray Barr - Fraser
2. Jim Venia - Marysville

Re-alignment of MHSFCA Regions

Region 1 (42)

Great Western
West-Pac
Straights Area
Mid-Peninsula
Eastern U.P.
Great Northern U.P.
Wolverine Football Conference

Region 2 (37)

Ski Valley
North Star
Northwest
Big North
Lake Michigan
Benzie Central

Region 3 (29)

West Michigan Conference
Western Waterways Central
Western Waterways East
Western Waterways West
Highland Conference
Mid State Athletic Conference North
Muskegon Catholic Central
Muskegon Heights

Region 4 (38)

Tri Valley West
Northeast Michigan Conference
Central State Activities Association
Jack Pine Conference
Mid State Athletic Conference South*
Saginaw Buena Vista
Saginaw Novell
Whitmore-Prescott

Region 5 (39)

Saginaw Valley
Big 9
Mid Michigan Athletic
Flint Beecher
Flint Northwestern
Mt. Pleasant

Region 6 (49)

OK Conference all divisions
Grand Rapids City

Region 7 (40)

Wolverine B
Lakeland Athletic Conference
Red Arrow Conference
St Joseph Valley Conference
Southwestern Athletic Conference North
Southwestern Athletic Conference South

Region 8 (32)

Kalamazoo Valley Athletic Association
Big 8 Conference
South Western Michigan Conference East
South Western Michigan Conference West
South Western Michigan Conference Central
Burr Oak

Region 9 (37)

Capital Area Activities Conference I
Capital Area Activities Conference II
Capital Area Activities Conference III
Central Michigan Athletic Conference
Southern Michigan Athletic Association
Lumen Christi
St. Johns

Region 10 (34)

Tri-River Athletic Conference
South Central Athletic Conference
Cascades Conference
Tri County Conference
Lenawee County Athletic Association

Region 11 (21)

Genesee Area Conference Red
Genesee Area Conference Blue
Flint Metro League

Region 12 (39)

Blue Water Area Conference
Greater Thumb Conference West
Greater Thumb Conference East
Tri Valley Conference East
North Central Thumb League
North Branch Wesleyan

Region 13 (31)

Western Lakes Act. West
Western Lakes Act. Lakes
Kensington Valley Conference
Southeastern Conference Red
Southeastern Conference White
Ann Arbor Huron

Region 14 (35)

Mega Conferences all divisions
Huron League
Summit Academy

Region 15 (23)

Catholic League all divisions
Detroit Country Day

Region 16 (24)

Detroit Public School League all divisions

Region 17 (40)

Metro Conference
Oakland Activities Association all divisions

Region 18 (36)

Macomb Area Conference all divisions
New Haven
Madison Heights Lamphere
Madison Heights Madison

*Mid State Athletic Conference South was originally proposed for Region 3. It has been moved to Region 4.

Wow!! What A Year And What An All Star Game

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The week preceding the game went very well also. There is much more to the game than just game day. The following coaches give up eight days or more of their time each year to make our game a success: Jim Taylor, Loren Willey, Craig Healy, Jack Schugars, Tim Parker, Melvin Bennett, Tony Ceccacci, Dick McGinness, Jim Buttson, Keith Froelich, Gus Kapolka, Ed Grennan, Larry Merx, Chuck Ritter, and Don Lessner. The majority of these guys stayed at the dorm for the entire week helping in any way that they could. Each of us owes them a great big thank you. Most of these guys have been doing this for at least 10 years. We need some young, new blood to give us a hand. 2005 would be a great year to get involved a little. Being our 25th year, it should be very exciting.

Michigan State University did another fabulous job for us. We have been at the University for all 24 years.

Another person that needs some recognition is Dr. Tom Jamieson. Dr. Tom has been our All Star Doctor for all 24 years. All we ever need to do is get on the phone and he is available to us. He is a true MHSFCA and All Star Game Friend.

The kids and the coaching staffs did a great job again. Both the kids from each squad and the coaches mixed like a football family and still were competitive as hell on the field.

Again, thanks to everyone, including the coaches who nominated their athletes, for another great year and lets all get involved for the big celebration and game in 2005.



All Star Chair, Larry Rueger, coordinates player introductions as the teams emerge from the tunnel at Michigan Stadium.

Series Results

East 13 – West 11

1981	EAST	6	West	3
1982	WEST	25	East	22
1983	EAST	17	West	10
1984	EAST	24	West	10
1985	WEST	14	East	0
1986	EAST	24	West	14
1987	WEST	9	East	7
1988	WEST	17	East	10
1989	EAST	31	West	26
1990	EAST	7	West	6
1991	WEST	15	East	12
1992	WEST	20	East	0
1993	EAST	29	West	6
1994	WEST	20	East	0
1995	EAST	10	West	9
1996	EAST	20	West	12
1997	WEST	28	East	19
1998	EAST	20	West	15
1999	WEST	35	East	9
2000	WEST	28	East	17
2001	EAST	38	West	14
2002	EAST	28	West	7
2003	EAST	12	West	6
2004	WEST	45	East	14

Observations: Most games won in a row - three (East 2001, 02, 03). The West has never been shut out, the East has been shut out three times: 1985, 1992, 1994.

2004 Score By Quarters

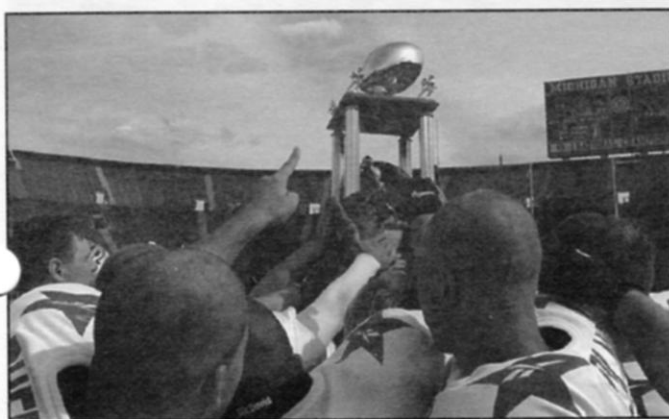
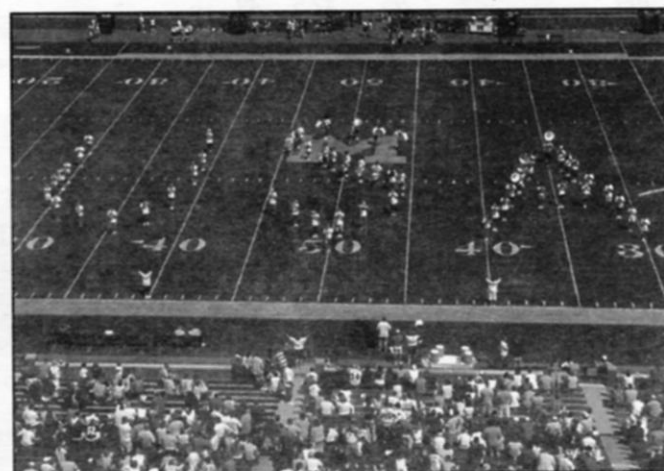
	<u>1st</u>	<u>2nd</u>	<u>3rd</u>	<u>4th</u>	<u>Total</u>
East	0	0	0	14	14
West	14	17	14	0	45

Scoring Summary

	W	E
1st West: 9:37 Wiles, 31 yd run Carter Kick		
6 plays, 80 yards TOP 2:23	7	0
West: 7:32 McCoy 2 yd run Carter Kick		
4 plays, 25 yards TOP 1:18	14	0
2nd West: 8:17 Wiles 25 yd run Carter Kick		
11 plays, 80 yards TOP 4:30	21	0
West: 4:48 McAllister 28 yard run Carter Kick		
4 plays, 37 yards TOP 2:07	28	0
West: 0:00 Carter 29 yd Field Goal		
8 plays, 72 yards TOP 1:17	31	0
3rd West: 1:20 Werkema 1 yd run Carter Kick		
1 play, 1 yard TOP 0:03	38	0
West 0:33 Thompson 31 yd interception return Carter Kick	45	0
4th East: Gute 5 yd pass from Reedy Gibson Kick		
9 plays, 73 yards TOP 2:53	45	7
East: Thomas 73 yd pass from Pickens Gibson Kick		
3 plays, 73 yards TOP 0:17	45	14

Final Team Stats

	West	East
FIRST DOWNS	16	16
Rushing	12	4
Passing	3	11
Penalty	1	1
RUSHING ATTEMPTS	44	20
Yards Gained	322	50
Yards Lost	4	42
Net Yards Rushing	318	8
PASSES ATTEMPTED	5	50
Completed	3	23
Had Intercepted	0	4
Yards Passing	61	323
TOTAL PLAYS	49	70
TOTAL NET YARDS	379	331
Average Gain/Play	7.7	4.7
Sacks By Number-Yards	5-41	0-0
Fumbles-Number Lost	0-0	1-1
Penalties Number-Yards	4-38	7-36
Number Punts-Yards	3-105	2-95
Average Per Punt	35.0	47.5
Punt Returns Number-Yards	1-2	2-25
KO Returns Number-Yards	0-0	4-119
Interceptions Number-Yards	4-78	0-0
Fumble Returns Number-Yards	0-0	0-0
Possession Time	21:25	26:35
Third Down Conversions	6 of 10	4 of 15
Fourth Down Conversions	1 of 1	2 of 4
Red Zone Scores-Chances	4-4	1-2



Top: The West Team takes the field to start the second half.

Middle: Rochester Adams Cheer Team, State Runners-Up in Class A competition was one of the several state competition finalists to perform at the All Star Game.

Bottom: The All Star Band performs at half-time.

Left: The All Star Trophy is held high by West Team members following the game.

All Star 2004 Offensive Stats

East

Rushing	No	Gain	Loss	Net	TD	Lg	Avg
Buck	1	15	0	15	0	15	15
Smitherman	4	10	0	10	0	6	2.5
Reedy	1	4	0	4	0	4	4
Ritter	1	2	0	2	0	2	2
Collins	3	2	1	1	0	2	0.66
Elmore	1	0	0	0	0	0	0
Gutc	1	0	0	0	0	0	0
Pickens	8	17	41	-24	0	9	-2.66
Totals	20	50	42	8	0	15	0.4

Passing	Att	Cmp	Int	Yds	TD	Lg
Reedy	32	16	2	211	1	38
Pickens	17	7	1	112	1	73
Smitherman	1	0	1	0	0	0
Totals	50	23	4	323	2	73

Receiving	No.	Yds	Td	Lg
Thomas	5	177	1	73
Graham	5	37	0	11
Frye	5	35	0	10
Collins	2	20	0	12
Buck	2	11	0	7
Gutc	2	10	1	5
Holuk	1	21	0	21
White	1	12	0	12
Totals	23	323	2	73

Punting	No.	Yds	Avg	Lg
Ritter	2	95	47.5	49
Totals	2	95	47.5	49

	Punts			Kickoffs			Intercepts		
All Returns	No	Yds	Lg	No	Yds	Lg	No	Yds	Lg
Thomas	1	17	17	4	119	39	0		
Elmore	1	8	8	0	0	0	0		
Totals	2	25	17	4	119	39	0		

Field Goal Attempts	No	Yds	Result
Gibson	1	49	Missed

Fumbles:

East 1

West none

West

Rushing	No	Gain	Loss	Net	TD	Lg	Avg
Wiles	14	124	2	122	2	31	8.7
Trevino	4	77	0	77	0	30	19.2
McAllister	3	31	0	31	1	28	10.3
Van Erden	2	19	0	19	0	13	9.5
Raycraft	6	19	0	19	0	5	3.2
Werkema	3	13	0	13	1	8	4.3
Lark	2	12	0	12	0	8	6.0
Kelly	4	11	1	10	0	4	2.5
Beauchamp	1	8	0	8	0	8	8.0
Rufener	2	4	0	4	0	3	2.0
McCoy	3	4	1	3	1	2	1.0
Totals	44	322	4	318	5	31	7.2

Passing	Att	Cmp	Int	Yds	TD	Lg
Royce	4	3	0	61	0	24
Trevino	1	0	0	0	0	0
Totals	5	3	0	61	0	24

Receiving	No.	Yds	Td	Lg
Mathews	2	47	0	24
Fondren	1	14	0	14
Totals	3	61	0	24

Punting	No.	Yds	Avg	Lg
Beauchamp	3	105	35.0	41
Totals	3	105	35.0	41

	Punts			Kickoffs			Intercepts		
All Returns	No	Yds	Lg	No	Yds	Lg	No	Yds	Lg
Jones	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	37	37
Thompson	1	2	2	0	0	0	3	41	31
Totals	1	2	2	0	0	0	4	78	37

Field Goal Attempts	No	Yds	Result
Carter	1	29	Good

The 2004 All Star Game Officials: Ron Swatek, Field Judge; James Wickman, Linesman; Jim Ticknor, Referee; Kirk Spangler, Umpire; Shawn Smally, Field Judge; and Gary Blackford, Back Judge.



All Star 2004 Defensive Stats

East

# Player	Solo	Ast	Tot	Ttl/yds	Ff	Fr-yd	Intc	BrUp	Blkd	Sack/yds	Qh
9 Thompson	3	5	5.5	1.0/2	.	.	.	.	.	/	.
54 Hughes	.	8	4.0	1.0/2	.	.	.	.	.	/	.
15 Washington	3	.	3.0	.	.	.	.	.	.	/	.
55 Maki	2	2	3.0	.	.	.	.	.	.	/	.
33 Hay	2	3	3.5	.	.	.	.	.	.	/	.
42 Brown	1	4	3.0	.	.	.	.	.	.	/	.
51 Pohl	.	6	3.0	.	.	.	.	.	.	/	.
26 Roland	2	1	2.5	.	.	.	.	.	.	/	.
1 Mackie	2	.	2.0	.	.	.	.	.	.	/	.
57 Theobald	1	3	2.5	.	.	.	.	.	.	/	.
25 Gendron	1	1	1.5	.	.	.	.	.	.	/	.
4 Pickens	1	.	1.0	.	.	.	.	.	.	/	.
7 Skeltis	1	1	1.5	.	.	.	.	.	.	/	.
24 Martin	1	1	1.5	.	.	.	.	.	.	/	.
21 Matthews	1	.	1.0	.	.	.	.	.	.	/	.
10 White	1	.	1.0	.	.	.	.	.	.	/	.
30 Urbin	.	2	1.0	.	.	.	.	.	.	/	.
86 Wilkins	.	3	1.5	0.5/0	.	.	.	.	.	/	.
50 Bobowski	.	2	1.0	.	.	.	.	.	.	/	.
99 Gholston	.	1	0.5	.	.	.	.	.	.	/	1
89 Ligrow	.	1	0.5	0.5/0	.	.	.	.	.	/	.
58 Ittayem	.	1	0.5	.	.	.	.	.	.	/	.
66 Malarney	.	1	0.5	.	.	.	.	.	.	/	.

West

# Player	Solo	Ast	Tot	Ttl/yds	Ff	Fr-yd	Intc	BrUp	Blkd	Sack/yds	Qh
3 Thompson	4	1	4.5	.	.	.	3-41	2	.	/	.
10 Steinbrecher	3	2	4.0	.	.	1-0	.	.	.	/	.
22 McCullogh	2	4	4.0	1.5/13	.	.	.	.	.	1.5/13	.
40 Jones	2	5	4.5	.	.	.	1-37	.	.	/	.
4 Douglass	3	.	3.0	.	.	.	.	.	.	/	.
6 Smith	2	2	3.0	.	.	.	.	1	.	/	.
45 Winston	2	3	3.5	.	.	.	.	.	.	/	1
99 Ball	1	5	3.5	0.5/0	.	.	.	.	.	/	.
81 Mathews	1	2	2.0	2.0/10	.	.	.	.	.	2.0/10	.
25 Perry	1	.	1.0	.	.	.	.	.	.	/	.
17 Marcy	1	.	1.0	.	.	.	.	1	.	/	.
20 McClenney	1	1	1.5	.	.	.	.	1	.	/	.
24 LeBlanc	1	1	1.5	.	.	.	.	.	.	/	1
44 McCoy	1	.	1.0	.	.	.	.	.	.	/	.
67 Harter	1	1	1.5	.	.	.	.	.	.	/	.
2 Luce	1	.	1.0	.	.	.	.	.	.	/	.
79 Carlson	.	2	1.0	0.5/1	.	.	.	.	.	/	.
78 Schuyler	.	1	0.5	.	.	.	.	.	.	/	.
91 Hunt	.	1	0.5	.	.	.	.	.	.	/	.
5 Lawrence	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	/	.
60 Gagnon	.	1	0.5	0.5/0	.	.	.	.	.	0.5/0	1

2004 All Star Football Game Final Roster



WEST

Head Coach

John Shillito

East Kentwood

1st Assistant

Tim Baker

Constantine

Assistant

Gregg Hoogland

East Kentwood

Assistant

Jeff Keller

East Grand Rapids

Assistant

Joe Reddinger

North Dickinson

Assistant

Ken Rimmer

Constantine

#	Name	Pos	Ht	Wt	HS Coach	HS, Class
1	Eddie McAllister	WR	5'8"	170	Mike Holmes	Muskegon Catholic, C
2	Patrick McCulloch III	DL	5'10"	230	Irv Sigler	Grandville, A
3	Nicolas Thompson	DB	5'11"	170	Scot Shaw	Three Rivers, B
4	Tyler Douglass	DB	5'8"	150	Jack Wallace	Fowlerville, B
5	David Lawrence	DB	6'1"	202	Dave Lawrence	Mattawan, A
6	Dustin Smith	DB	5'10"	185	Chris Myers	Hamilton, B
7	George Royce	QB	6'1"	190	Brad Bush	Chelsea, A
8	Brek Trevino	QB	6'2"	185	Dave Durham	Hudsonville, A
9	Kyle Raycraft	FB	6'	210	Roger E. Bearss	Frankenmuth, B
10	Travis Steinbrecher	DB	6'2"	170	Joe Reddinger	North Dickinson, D
11	Jason Kelly	TB	6'	185	Jim Eurick	Bay City Western, A
16	Doug Van Eerden	WR	6'3"	195	Brad Mockabee	Grand Rapids Christian, A
17	Trevor Marcy	DB	6'1"	185	Jim Ahern	Ithaca, C
20	Michael McClenney	DB	5'10"	175	Al Slamer	Battle Creek Central, A
21	Chad Beauchamp	P	5'10"	190	Brad Grayvold	Norway, C
22	Dan Luce	DB	5'11"	185	Dusty Fairfield	Ravenna, C
24	Shaun LeBlanc	OLB	6'4"	200	Kevin W. Langs	Climax-Scotts, D
25	Jason Perry	WR	6'	150	Ryan Irwin	Vandercook Lake, C
27	Jay Wiles	TB	6'1"	205	Dan Flynn	Escanaba, A
32	Brett Lark	DB	6'	180	Randy Lark	Alma, B
33	Jordan Coulter	TB	6'	195	Jerry VanVavel	Mason, A
34	Andy Werkema	TB	6'	180	Larry Ledlow	Schoolcraft, C
40	Brad Jones	ILB	6'4"	212	Jeff Smith	East Lansing, A
44	Chris McCoy	FB	5'9"	210	Tim St. Aubin	Tawas, B
45	Marcus Winston	ILB	6'2"	225	Dan Boggan	Lansing J.W. Sexton, A
51	Paul Simeri	ILB	5'9"	198	David Hills	Boyne City, C
60	Garret Gagnon	DL	6'	240	Brett A Foerster	Saginaw Heritage, A
67	Derek Harter	DL	6'1"	240	Pat Maloney	Rudyard, C
68	Ryan McDonald	G	6'5"	260	Jim Caserta	Holland West Ottawa, A
69	Apollo Braganini	T	6'4"	285	Nick Koenigsknecht	Battle Creek Pennfield, B
71	Cody Back	C	6'4"	255	Ron Reardon	Sturgis, B
72	Steve Sims	DL	6'2"	270	Pete Schermerhorn	Portage Northern, A
73	Tom Thornton	G	6'3"	235	Bob Buckel	Flushing, A
74	Alex Mitchell	T	6'5"	305	Morley Fraser	Bay City Central, A
75	Blake Botek	C	6'3"	325	Pat O'Keefe	Grand Ledge, A
76	Andrew Hartline	G	6'5"	270	Denny Dock	Stevensville Lakeshore, B
77	Jake Visser	T	6'2"	245	Jim Merman	Coopersville, B
78	Kyle Schuyler	DL	6'	288	Mike Glennie	Saline, A
79	Luke Carlson	OLB	6'4"	225	Jeff Olson	Ishpeming, C
80	Kellen Davis	TE	6'5"	220	Bill Kohn	Adrian, A
81	Jonn Mathews	OLB	6'2"	215	Dave Schwartz	Essexville Garber, B
82	Joe Fondren	WR	6'2"	185	Dennis Reinhart	Montrose Hill McCloy, B
91	Josh Hunt	TE	6'5"	255	Herb Brogan	Jackson Lumen Christi, B
97	Todd Carter	K	6'	180	Jerry Parker	Flint Carmen-Ainsworth, A
99	Jon Ball	FB	6'	215	Tim A. Baker	Constantine, C



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EAST

24th Annual
Michigan High School
ALL STAR
Football Game



#	Name	Pos	Ht	Wt	HS Coach	HS, Class
1	Barré Mackie	DB	5'8"	170	Tracy Sewell	Grosse Pointe University Liggett, D
2	Dan Elmore	WR	6'2"	205	Bob Czarnecki	Trenton, A
3	Jeff Ritter	P	6'	185	Eric Redmond	Carlton Airport, B
4	Doug Pickens	QB	6'	183	Albert Fracassa	Birmingham Brother Rice, A
5	Larry Gibson	K	6'	195	Brian Flint	Riverview, B
6	Joshua Frye	WR	6'4"	200	Cedric Dortch	Highland Park, C
7	Nick Skeltis	DB	6'2"	190	Bob Lantzy	Utica Eisenhower, A
8	Devin Thomas	WR	6'2"	195	Tim Baechler	Plymouth Canton, A
9	John Thompson	ILB	6'3"	230	Tim Hopkins	Detroit Crockett Tech, B
10	Anthony White	WR	6'1"	170	James Ferguson	Detroit Urban Lutheran, D
11	Justin Williams	WR	6'3"	190	Dave Mifsud	Dearborn, A
15	Antoine Washington	DB	5'11"	180	Drake Wilkins	Detroit Denby Tech, A
17	Dennis Reedy	QB	6'3"	195	Bob Scheloske	South Lyon, A
20	Brandon Emeott	ILB	6'	190	Ala Boydston	Caro, B
21	Darran Matthews	DB	6'	205	Robert Snell	Redford Thurston, A
22	Matt Smitherman	TB	5'8"	172	Chuck Gordon	Westland John Glenn, A
24	Kenny Smith	DB	6'2"	215	Werner Blakely	St. Katherine Drexel, D
25	Dan Gendron	DB	5'8"	150	Marc Cisco	Monroe Jefferson, B
26	Bryan Roland	DB	5'10"	175	Scott Merchant	University of Detroit Jesuit, A
27	Jim Collins	TB	5'11"	190	Mike Smith	Lapeer West, A
30	Anthony Urbin	ILB	6'1"	210	Butch Wagner	Sterling Heights Henry Ford II, A
33	Greg Hay	DB	6'2"	210	Mike Zdebski	Walled Lake Western, A
36	Travis Gutc	FB	6'	205	Brad Bays	Sandusky, C
42	Wendell Brown	ILB	6'1"	215	James Reynolds Jr.	Detroit Martin Luther King II, A
43	Josh Buck	FB	6'	230	Tab Kellepourey	Novi, A
50	John Bobrowski	OLB	6'3"	233	Rodney Baker	Wyandotte Roosevelt, A
51	Jonathon Pohl	OLB	6'1"	190	Dan MacLean	Detroit Country Day, B
53	Greg Egbuogu	T	6'3"	295	Bob LaPointe	Belleville, A
54	DeMarko Hughes	DL	6'4"	295	Eric L. Smith	Detroit Mackenzie, A
55	Stephen Maki	G	6'5"	250	Ray Barr	Fraser, A
57	Patrick Theobald	DL	6'1"	220	Bill Brown	Deckerville, C
64	Steve Hudson	G	6'2"	255	Jack Giarmo	Monroe St. Marys Catholic Central, C
65	Zack Malarney	DL	5'10"	175	Bob Staskieicz	Marine City, B
66	Brian Grabowski	G	6'3"	250	Glenn Nuss	Richmond, B
67	Jordan Summers	C	6'2"	275	Mike Carr	Mt. Clemens Chippewa Valley, A
68	Towfeek Ittayem	DL	6'4"	273	Jeff Stergalas	Dearborn Fordson, A
71	Frank Lietke	T	6'3"	270	Chuck Apap	Walled Lake Central, A
72	Trent Varva	G	6'3"	320	Chris Bell	Lake Orion, A
79	Brandon Walker	T	6'4"	310	Keith Stephens	Oak Park, A
86	Carvel Wilkins	DL	6'1"	240	Terry M. Powers	Royal Oak Kimball, A
87	Darren Holuk	TE	6'4"	219	Jim Scarcelli	Mt. Clemens Clintondale, B
88	Ryan Northup	DL	6'4"	260	Rick Bye	Sterling Heights Stevenson, A
89	Chris Ligrow	TE	6'6"	240	Pete Coll	Center Line, B
99	Vernon Gholston	OLB	6'4"	240	Thomas Wicher	Detroit Cass Tech, A

Head Coach
Rod Baker
Wyandotte Roosevelt

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Dave Potter
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From the MHSCA's Executive Vice President, Jack Johnson

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- May use years at the varsity, junior varsity, or junior high/middle school level
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The West's #7 George Royce, Chelsea, holds as #97 Todd Carter, Carmen-Ainsworth, connects on the only field goal completion of the 2004 All Star Game. The East's #1 Barré Mackie, Grosse Pointe University Liggett, barely missed the block.

Wow!! What A Year And What An All Star Game

By Larry Rueger, All Star Chair

The 24th All Star Game played on July 24th and held at the "Big House", was a huge success. The hard work of Chuck Ritter and the Officials at U of M are to be congratulated and thanked by us all for their hospitality and work that they contributed to the 2004 All Star Game.

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