



Farmington's Sue Carruthers grabs a rebound in Tuesday's clash with North Farmington. (Staff photo by Randy Bors) \*

## Mercy runners advance

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Ann Arbor Pioneer won the girls' regional with 58 team points, and Redford Union was second with 72. West Bloomfield finished fourth with 140.

PIONEER'S BOYS' team won the boys' regional with 63 points. West Bloomfield was second with 88 points, Adrian had 176 and Northville 203.

Coach Gerald Young's Farmington boys team placed fifth with 215 points. North Farmington landed 16th with

351 in the 22-team field.

Farmington's finishers included Eric Leidlein (25th in 18.31), Bill Anglin (49th, 16.54), Steve Medonis (55th, 17.00) and Bill Atkinson (79th, 17.24).

North's top five runners were Rich Fruitman (47th, 16.50), Joe Phillips (56th, 16.55), Bruce Rose (73rd, 17.10), Doug McEwen (81st, 17.20) and Dave Hooper (94th, 17.33).

The girls' state meet begins at 10:30 a.m., and the boys' race is set for noon on Saturday.

## Mercy tops Marian

By C.J. RISAK

One of these days, North Farmington's girls' basketball team is going to catch someone by surprise. And when it does, the Raiders will have their first basketball win in over two years.

North has been improving, little by little, with each game this year. The cagers still don't have anything in the win column to show for it, but they are playing better.

The Raiders were beaten by cross-town rival Farmington 50-27 Tuesday. And while the score indicates it was anything but a close contest, one should remember that Farmington rattled North 83-26 in their first meeting this season.

This was not one of our better games," Farmington assistant coach Diane Schwartz said after the game. That should serve as notice for the remaining North opponents — one of

these days, the Raiders are going to ambush somebody.

Farmington has been surging lately, too, and the Falcons improvement is registering on the win column. The victory over North was their third in a row and the fourth in five games.

Schwartz has been the coach for those five games, taking over for the ailing Bob Lekovich, who was hospitalized for a gall bladder operation three weeks ago. It still hasn't been determined when Lekovich will be able to return.

DESPITE FARMINGTON'S off performance, the Falcons still managed to dominate throughout the contest with North. Guard Sue Carruthers pumped in six of her eight points in the first quarter and the Falcons had a 19-5 lead at the end of the period.

North closed the margin slightly, outscoring the taller Falcons 9-7 in the

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# Farmington cagers batter North

second quarter, but Farmington put the game on ice with a 16-3 scoring advantage in the third period.

Kelley Wallace had eight points in the quarter and Stacey Green popped in six.

Wallace and Green paced Farmington's scoring with 10 points apiece, as 10 Falcons scored in the game. North's Meg Henrich captured game scoring honors with 11 points.

Farmington, now 8-5 on the season, travels to Milford Lakeland Thursday for an Inter Lakes League game. North enters Redford Thurston at 7:30 p.m. Thursday.

MERCY 75 —  
BIRMINGHAM MARIAN 43

Hot-shooting Our Lady of Mercy put together its best offensive performance of the season in routing Birmingham Marian 75-43 Tuesday at Marian.

The game was never in doubt as, Mercy held a nine-point lead, 19-10, after one quarter and a 15-point advantage, 37-22, at the intermission. The Marlinns never let up, outscoring Marian 38-21 in the final two quarters.

"It certainly was our best offensive game of the year," Mercy coach Larry Baker said. "We ran the ball extremely well."

"I think we were riding the crest of our last game."

Mercy last played Harper Woods Regina in the Pontiac Silverdome. The Marlinns rallied from an early deficit to beat Regina and avenge an earlier loss.

Cagers ranked —  
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State of Michigan  
ON

**TUESDAY, NOVEMBER 6, 1979**

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