

Brooks leads Mercy to another hoop victory

Marshelle Brooks continues to impress with her early-season play for the Farmington Hills Mercy girls basketball team.

The senior forward scored 17 points and grabbed 12 rebounds Thursday to lead the Marlins past visiting South Lyon 68-54.

Brooks, averaging 18.4 points in three games, had nine in the second quarter when Mercy outscored the Lions 23-8 to lead 32-16 at halftime.

The Marlins led 49-27 after three quarters before South Lyon posted a 27-19 advantage in the finale. Mercy sank 11 of 13 free throws in the last period.

Senior guard Katie Heffernan scored 13 points and was 8-of-9 shooting free throws in the fourth quarter.

Three players scored in double figures for RU (3-1): Wendy Malecki with 19, Rachel Cook 12 and Jamie Zalek 11.

Kerry Richards had 11 points to lead the Raiders (1-1). Danielle Leborde and Carley Perkins scored nine each and Carrie May eight. They also had 11 rebounds and Perkins 10.

"In the second half, it was a combination of RU executing better and Perkins picking up her fourth foul early in the third quarter," North coach Lance Davis said. "They scored baskets inside and took advantage."

Falcons are runners-up

Farmington finished second in the Troy Tournament, losing 55-39 to Troy Athens in the final Thursday.

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Chiefs edge Mustangs with late score

beat, and the weakside help was not there," Marian coach Mary Lillie-Cicerone said. "They made the play and we had a breakdown on defense."

Gray, a 6-foot-1 center who was a likely option on the last play, scored 18 points to lead the Chiefs while Alyson Noun added 13.

Marian center Tara Walsh had a game-high 19 points — 15 coming in the second half when the Mustangs rallied from an 11-point halftime deficit. Stephanie Storen had nine and Judy Stuart seven.

Gray gave Canton a 27-14 lead to start the third quarter but spent most of it on the bench in foul trouble.

The Mustangs, forcing Canton into nine of its 30 turnovers in that quarter, rallied and cut the difference to 31-29. A running three-pointer by Noun with :03 remaining kept the Chiefs in front by five.

"We wanted to pick up the tempo," Lillie-Cicerone said. "We did a good job on the press and got some turnovers. We didn't capitalize on a lot, but we did what we wanted to do and got back in the game."

"Offensively, (Gray being out) slowed us down," Blohm said. "That coupled with their pressure defense turned the game around."

"Marian is a good pressure team, and they make you do things you don't want to do. They showed us some things we have to do if we want to be a better basketball team."

Walsh scored 10 points in the final quarter and put Marian in front 37-36. But Gray returned with six minutes to play and helped the Chiefs regain the lead, 46-43. Walsh netted the next four points before a Gray free throw knotted the total at 47 with :15 left.

"At times we played great basketball and other times we broke down," Blohm said. "But to this

team's credit every time we got knocked down we got right back up."

Canton managed to lead 10-9 in the first quarter despite 12 turnovers. The Chiefs scored 10 unanswered points in the second with help from Jori Welchman and Lisa Nicastri off the bench, and led 24-13.

The Mustangs shot only 20 percent in the first half and 40 (16-of-40) overall.

"The turnovers were big, but Marian's pressure was good," Blohm said. "They just got in our faces and pushed us all over the court. It was really good defense."

"I can only say they played great defense, but I can think of a lot of layups we missed," Lillie-Cicerone said.

THE WEEK AHEAD

PREP FOOTBALL
Friday, Sept. 11
Cantonville at Oak Hills, 7 p.m.
Ionia vs. Oak Hills (C.J. High), 7 p.m.
Liv. Church at Westland Green, 7:30 p.m.
Liv. Franklin at Liv. Stevenson, 7:30 p.m.
Farm. Harmon at Phy. Salem, 7:30 p.m.
Rumok at Garden City, 7:30 p.m.
West. Kettering at Redford Union, 7:30 p.m.
Wayne Memorial at Monroe, 7:30 p.m.
Phy. Canton at N. Farmington, 1 p.m.
Liv. Western at Farmington, 1 p.m.
Alden Park at Oak Hills, 7 p.m.
Hawthorn at Oak Hills, 7 p.m.
St. Agatha at Central Lake, 1 p.m.
Redford CC vs. Windsor (Don) Berwan at Liv. Clarenceville, 7:30 p.m.

BOYS SOCCER
Tuesday, Sept. 8
Taylor Kennedy at Garden City, 4 p.m.
Redford Union at Taylor Center, 4 p.m.
Liv. Franklin at N. Farmington, 5:30 p.m.
Northville at Liv. Church, 7 p.m.
Phy. Salem at Liv. Stevenson, 7 p.m.
Farm. Harmon at Phy. Canton, 7 p.m.
Farmington at Rochester, 7 p.m.

Wednesday, Sept. 9
Red. Thurston at Trenton, 4 p.m.
Redford CC vs. Don. Esdel Ford at Bell Creek Park, 4 p.m.
Hamtramck at Liv. Westland, 4:30 p.m.

Thursday, Sept. 10
Huron Valley at A.P. Inter-City, 4 p.m.
Warren Greenbush at Liv. Westland, 4:30 p.m.
Phy. Canton at Farmington, 5:30 p.m.
Liv. Stevenson at W.L. Central, 7 p.m.
N. Farmington at Phy. Salem, 7 p.m.
Garden City at D.H. Greenwood, 7 p.m.

Friday, Sept. 11
U.D. Jesuit at Red. Thurston, 4 p.m.
Redford CC vs. H.W. Notre Dame at Bell Creek Park, 4 p.m.
Phy. Christian vs. Alden Park Inter-City at Hines Park (Riverside), 4:30 p.m.
Liv. Franklin at Farm. Harmon, 5:30 p.m.

Saturday, Sept. 12
Liv. Church at Rock. Adams, noon.
Bum. Seaholm at Liv. Stevenson, noon.
Phy. Canton at Troy Athens, 1 p.m.
Farm. Harmon at W. Bloomfield, 1 p.m.

MEETS SOCCER
Wednesday, Sept. 9
St. Clair (Ont.) at Schoolcraft, 8 p.m.

Thursday, Sept. 10
Schoolcraft at Liv. Church (Ont.), 1 p.m.

WOMEN'S COLLEGE SOCCER
Tuesday, Sept. 8
Calvin College at Schoolcraft, 4 p.m.

Wednesday, Sept. 9
Schoolcraft at Eastern Michigan, 3 p.m.

WOMEN'S COLLEGE VOLLEYBALL
Friday-Saturday, Sept. 11-12
Madison at U.S. International Tourney
Schoolcraft at Lake Michigan Tourney.

Redford bowler wins grand prize

Tension was in the air last Sunday as seven bowlers went for the grand prize of "one year of mortgage payments" in the finals of the Summer League Recession Relief Tournament at Livonia's Merri-Bowl Lanes.

Each one was already a winner since they bowled in a summer league and won their semifinal match at their own participating bowling center the week prior. Each of these finalists had already won one month's house payment or rent.

The competitors had their cheering section and everybody bowled well. The end result was quite exciting, however, for Jim Duff of Redford Township, who bowled 112 pins over averaged to win the match. Duff, who had just returned to bowling this year after a knee injury in '86 had him sidelined, was in the groove with wife Sandy cheering him on.

He rolled his way to the championship and one full year's house payments. It was certainly a thrill for the Duffs as tears of joy were quite visible. Duff bowls at Beech Lanes in Redford Township.

Other winners in the finals were Gary Rollins, Satellite Bowl; Debra Flapply, Plum Hollow in Southfield; Dick Natone, Bonanza Lanes; Frank Smith, Ark Sterling; Ernestine Norris, Bronco Lanes; and Kim Broadwater.

Confusion reigns in the youth bowling action and I am not talking about the weather. There are two sanctioning bodies for the youth bowlers in this area and where they bowl will determine pretty much which association they will be bowling under.

The Young American Bowling Alliance is the incumbent group and they are part of a nation-wide organization for sanctioning the youth leagues. Now along comes the Bowling Congress of America of Southeast Michigan with an altogether new sanctioning body called the Michigan Bowling Awards Program.

The purpose of the new group is to institute a new system of awards which will be quicker and simplify the administration of it. Most of the bowling centers will be MBAP, some will continue with the YABA and some houses will actually work through both of them. The YABA will still be the governing body for the very popular youth traveling leagues which have been so very successful in bringing up the better young bowlers throughout the years.

It will not make much difference to the bowlers, but they will become

familiar with whichever system they are competing under. According to Scott Bennett, executive director of the BCA, the MBAP was formed by the bowling center association in response to the growing need for a youth bowling program that would be responsive to youth bowlers and the bowling centers which they patronize.

The program is staffed and operated by the BCA of Michigan and builds on the strong tradition of rewarding bowling participants for their achievements."

Junior Achievement's 7th Annual Bowling Classic is coming up soon and now is the time to register for it. The JA of southeastern Michigan is asking local businesses and organizations to put together one or more teams to bowl at any one of seven locations during the event which will take place on select Saturdays and Sundays in October and November.

You don't have to be a great bowler to win prizes and have a good time. The intent is to help generate funds that allow Junior Achievement to provide after-school and in-school programs to nearly the very popular youth traveling leagues in southeastern Michigan. To sign up or for information, call Junior Achievement at 255-3900.

SPORTS SHORTS

Items for the Sports Roundup should be submitted by 5 p.m. Tuesday (for Thursday issue) and 5 p.m. Friday (for Monday issue).

GYMNASTICS CLASS

The Farmington Area YMCA will start gymnastics classes Monday, Sept. 14. The classes are open to the beginner through advanced team members, for pre-schoolers to teenagers. For information call Tom Wylie (553-4020).

HOOP LEAGUES

Women's and men's over-30 basketball leagues are being organized by the Farmington Area YMCA. Games will be played on Sundays and the cost is \$350 per team. Call 553-4020 for information.

PRE-SCHOOL CLASS

Farmington Area YMCA is starting a program to give children ages 3 to 5 the opportunity to learn about movement, basic health and fitness. Classes start the week of Sept. 14. Call 553-4020 for registration details.

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Wed. 8:30 am
Wed. 12:30 pm
Thurs. 9:30 am

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Sun. (All) 3:30 pm
Sun. (All) 6:30 pm
Mon. 5:30 pm
Wed. 9:30 pm
Thurs. 5:30 pm
Fri. 6:30 pm
Fri. 9:30 pm
Sat. (All) 6:30 pm

WOMEN'S EVENINGS
Wed. 6:15 pm
Thurs. 7:45 pm
Thurs. 9:15 pm

MEN'S
Tues. 7:35 pm
Tues. 9:30 pm
Wed. 6:15 pm
Thurs. 6:30 pm
Fri. 6:30 pm

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