percent from the field.

"Izz was one in a million because of her attitude," Lodywood cooch Andrea Gorski seld, "It will be hard toleigh her because of her defensive presence and her leadership, She was a big reason for us going to the regional final."

Kelly Jaskot, sanfor, fallem: A four-year starter and an attivitial. As efection, Jaskot provided Salem with leadership at the point as well as a deep-shooting threat. She led the Rocks with 35 here-pointers and was seacond on the team in scoring, averaging 11.3 points

o game. Jaskot also led Salem in assists (4.1

per game) and steals (2.6). She grabbed 4.3 rebounds and had 1.0 blocks a game. "She had so much experience, being a four-year starter," said Thomann. "She had three-point ability and had a willingness to take the tough shots. And she was a great assist player — she made it easier for others to score."

At present, Jaskot is talking to both At present, Jaskot is talking to both University of Detroit Mercy and Ferris State about playing. Mary Lou Liebzu, senior, Salem: This

was a pivotal year for Liebau. Her junior year had started with great promise, but an injury ended it after just a few games.

The senior forward, an all-WLAA choice, took advantage of her final year by leading the Rocks in scoring, with a 14.0 percage, and in rebounding, with a 14.0 percage, and in rebounding, with a 10.5 percage. She bit 44 percent of her floor shots, everaged 1.3 blocks a game and was second on the team in steals with a 2.3 percage.

"She was a tremendous inside-out pleyer," said fhomann. "MayLou had a nice three-point shot and she was great taking it to the rim. She created a lot of math-up problems. The senior forward, an all-WLAA

"She was also a tremendous rebound-er, and she made big shots in key

games."

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The 5-foct-7 guad averaged 15 points per game, shooting 33 percent from the 1007, 75 percent at the line and 35 percent from the 1007, 75 percent at the line and 35 percent from the 1007, 75 percent from 1

model."
Ruth Sventickas, Junior, Ladywood:
The 6-foot forward led the 14-9 Blazers
averaging 13 points and five rebounds
per game. She shot 50 percent from the
field and 74 percent from the free throw

line.
Sventickas, a two-year starter, also made the All-Catholic League squad.
"Ruth was our best defensive player,"
Gorski said. "She could can guard any player or any position on the court. She

ALL-AREA SECOND TEAM

Deanns DeRoo, senior, Churchilli: The 5-8 forward was a three-year varsity storter for the Changers who scored 788 points during her celeen werraged 14-2 points per game and hit the 300-point main. She made 43 percent of her field goal attempts (93-fox-217) and 78 per cent of her free throws (14-4-fox-147). DeRoo also sweraged 7.1 exhaust 19-10-10 per game and had a total of 59 stoels. "Deann was a tough player to stop," Churchill first-year cosch Rod Wilmids said. "She battled had every night and provided leadership on the floor. "She made players around her better, Defanskely, she was our toughest player. She often guarded bigger people in the post." Maggie Condent, junior, Harrison: A three-year varsity player, Condent also played a key role in her team's success. The 5-foot-11 post player averaged 11 points and eight rebounds per game. She elso blocked 25 shots and made 37 percent of her field goals.

"What made her valuable is that she's strong on the blocks and can play out of the high post," Mantyle seld. "She become a much better passer at the perimeter. We were real comfortable with her inbounding the ball against full-court pressure, which is tough for a lot of post players to do.

"Her leadership and commitment, along with Ayan, gave us something to build on. That was the foundation for our success this year."

Withney Johnson, junior, Mercy; Johnson was the leading scorer on a good team with a balance of ability and no

ALL-AREA GIRL'S BASKETBALL TEAM

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"She enticipates well," coach Kristin Mright-Guinn said. Her bread and butter is getting the steal and going down mright-Guinn said. Her bread and butter is getting the steal and going down the floor for a layou.

"In a fast break situation, she's hard to catch; she's quick as lightning. Defensively, she has a sense for knowing when the ball will be passed and when to step in."

Kristen Lake, junior, Centon: Lake provided the Chiefs with a low-post presense that was so formidable as any in the WLA.

The 5-10 center was excaptional in positioning herself near the basket and accreaining off the defender, then pivoting for a shot or dishing out for a jumper. She finished the season as Control's teading scorer and rebounder, averaging 10 points and 7.5 rebounds a

game.
"She's a really strong kid," said Canton coach Bob Blohm. "What she improved most was her strength down low and her ability to seal off the defender. She held on to the ball, made a read and reacted. If she got double-teammed, she could get the ball out of theire. She was a good passer."

She was also an sit-Western Division selection. Conton finished the season at 14-8.

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was a four-year varsity player who did a lot of things for Jim Zabawaski's young Sparten team. The guard averaged 15

points, five assists and four steals.

"She was a four-year varsity player and team captain," said Zabawaski. *She provided a lot of leadership for ou team who had 10 players who never played before and she did a lot of things by way of drills and showing the girls how to do things right."

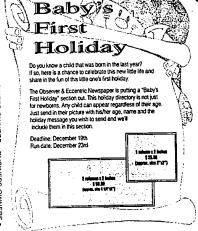
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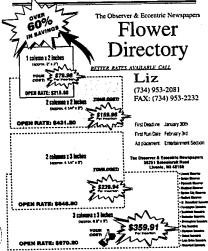




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