

Cranbrook, OLSM triumph

Brother Rice downs Ferndale

Birmingham Brother Rice bowed out Ferndale 70-62 behind a 32-point effort by senior guard Kevin Smith, Jan. 11 in Ferndale.

Smith, who averages about 29 points per game, also had nine assists in the game. His running mate at guard, Tim Schearer, scored 18 points and had eight assists.

Mark Hayden also hit double figures for Rice, scoring 10 points.

The lone victory lifts Brother Rice to a 9-4 record. Ferndale is 4-5 on the season.

Brother Rice was out-rebounded by a 32-23 margin in the game. Mike Henry led the Warrior effort on the boards with seven rebounds.

Ossie Cobb and Paul Jackson led Ferndale with 12 and 17 points respectively.

Brother Rice hosts Bishop Borgess, 8 p.m. Jan. 14 in Birmingham in a Catholic League game.

CRANBROOK—LUTHERAN NORTH

With one second remaining in the game, John Harbeck connected on both ends of a one-and-one free throw situation to lift Cranbrook from defeat to an 82-81 victory over Lutheran North, Jan. 11.

Harbeck had come off the bench, as what coach Dan Hazen described as a team effort, to score 13 points and clinch victory with his dramatic free throw shooting.

Wally Hadzel also was a substitute who scored 11 points. Cranbrook was paced by Al Bush's game-high 23 points. Doug McVey added 12 to the Cranbrook cause.

With time down seven at the half, coach Hazen said, "They came out and went up by 10 right away. We changed our defense and went from a man-to-man to a full court zone press, scored 21 points and got back into the game quick."

Hazen gave Bush a lot of credit for

"carrying the load for us inside" when Cranbrook's big man, Tony Wirkensson, was forced to sit out much of the game with foul trouble.

The victory leaves Cranbrook with a 3-4 record overall and a 23 mark in Metro Conference play. The Cranes have won their last two conference games. Lutheran North is 1-7 overall and 0-6 in the league.

Other league teams are used to the suspense ending of the Lutheran North game. The Cranes have had two overtime games and three one-point decisions this season.

Cranbrook returns to Metro Conference action 8 p.m. Jan. 14 when the Cranes play host to Lutheran West.

ST. MARY-ST. FLORIAN

Orchard Lake St. Mary defeated St. Florian 54-40, Jan. 11 at Hamtramck.

For Orchard Lake's Eagles, it was the fifth victory in six outings and completed the first half of the Catholic League Second Division West sea-

son with a 4-1 league mark.

The Eaglets led all the way over St. Florian's Lancers, who suffered their fourth league defeat without a victory and their eighth defeat in nine outings.

Orchard Lake was again led in scoring by Jim Paciorek with a dazzling 36-point performance, including 14 field goals of 22 attempts and two free throws.

Gregg Williamson had 11 points, giving Orchard Lake's guard duo, Paciorek and Williamson, more points than the entire St. Florian squad, 41-40.

The Eaglets out-rebounded the Lancers 52-49, with Paciorek grabbing 17 rebounds.

The Eaglets had 25 of 57 field goals for 44 percent, while the Lancers made 20 of 60 attempts for a cool 34 percent.

The Eaglets next outing is a non-league game against traditional rival Waterford Our Lady of the Lakes, 8 p.m. Jan. 14 at Waterford.

Tourney settled

Gill Schmidt of Ypsilanti won the Men's Class A title in the inaugural Winter Racquetball Tournament held last weekend in Racquetball Courts of Farmington. Schmidt defeated Tom Browder of Brighton, 18-21, 21-8, 11-6, in the finals.

Hazel Park's Kathy Williams, the only woman to enter the men's class, defeated Jim Hurst of Detroit for third place in Class A. Dean Snyder of Farmington defeated John McElroy of Detroit, 21-17, 21-18, in the consolation finals.

In the Men's Class B finals, Robert Lipin of Huntington Woods defeated Len Schwartz of Royal Oak, 21-12, 21-16. Harley Davis of Lansing took third

place by beating Gary Doty of Lansing, 21-14, 12-21, 11-10. In the consolation finals, Eldon Van Sybork of Milford whipped Jim Mramor of Detroit, 21-3, 21-4.

Pat Kriese of Detroit won the Women's Open title; taking a three-set decision over Irene Schmitz of Southfield, 21-15, 15-21, 11-0. Linda Hukka of Troy downed Kathy Zale of Detroit, 21-14, 21-20, for third place. Linda Sleep of Southfield won the consolation finals with a 21-16, 21-17 victory over Sarah Bentley of Farmington.

Some 160 men and women entered the tournament. Trophies were awarded to the first four finishers in each of the three skill divisions.

Holiday Inn pucksters keep pace

Unbeaten Southfield Holiday Inn is leading the eight-team Over 30 Hockey League thanks to player-coach Ray Tremblay. Last Thursday, Tremblay scored a goal and assisted on another to help Holiday Inn defeat Roger Penske Chevrolet, 3-1, at the Southfield Civic Center Arena.

Tremblay and teammate Gary Bean each scored an unassisted goal, and Bob Singer scored from Tremblay and Bean. Penske's lone goal came from Larry Dunn with the assist

going to Bill Weltzman. The victory lifted Holiday Inn to 19-3 this season, while Penske fell deeper in the Over 30 cellar with a 2-2 mark.

In another league game last Thursday, second-place Sawyer-Fuller Funeral Home upped its record to 8-2 with a 3-1 victory over Concourse Camera. Wally Murner scored a pair of goals for Sawyer-Fuller, while teammate Dave Snyder added an unassisted tally. Paul Kazole scored for Concourse, which dropped to 3-8-2.

Third-place Suburban Sports Center edged Spartan Concrete, 4-3, as Rob Breuer scored two goals. Jim Gudern and Greg Van Conant each added a goal for the winners, now 6-3-2.

Charlie Drake and Bob Tarnow each scored a goal, and goalie Jim Clement played a strong game to pace Northland Heating to a 2-1 victory over Star Lincoln-Mercury. Gary Mosey and Ray Brunett were given assists on Tarnow's goal.

OVER 30 STANDINGS

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Southfield Holiday Inn	19	3	
Sawyer-Fuller Funeral Home	8	2	
Suburban Sports Center	6	3	
Spartan Concrete	4	4	
Northland Heating	3	5	
Star Lincoln-Mercury	2	6	
Concourse Camera	1	8	
Roger Penske Chevrolet	0	9	

GAMES COMING UP
THURSDAY (Jan. 13) — Concourse Camera vs. Spartan Concrete, 8:30 p.m.; Sawyer-Fuller, 8:30 p.m.; Northland Heating vs. Southfield, 10 p.m.; 10 p.m.; Roger Penske vs. Star Lincoln-Mercury, 10 p.m.; Friday (Jan. 14) — Suburban Sports Center vs. Roger Penske Chevrolet, 8 p.m. at the Southfield Civic Center Arena, 34000 Evergreen.

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