#### Marian coasts to victory over Seaholm in district

BY MARTY BUDNER

Birmingham Marian won an-other Class A district girls bas-ketball championship Friday eve-

ing.

The only difference this year was head coach Mary Lillie-Cicerone wasn't around to see it.

Lillie-Ci-cerone was relaxing at home after the birth of her second child (an 8-pound, 1-ounce boy named Russell David) early Wednesday, a few hours after ceaching in a district semifinal victory over Birmingham Givvea. So this year it was up to assistant coach Andrea Fron to accept the district championship trophy.

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amouthly as the Mustangs handled Birmingham Seaholm for the district title.

Marian had the situation under control from the opening tip and raced to an easy 57-19 victory over the Maples at Berkley High School. It marked Marian's fifth consecutive district title and 11th in the past 12 years.

The Mustangs (14-7) plays at 6 today in a regional semifinal game against Catholic League for Form, assuming Lillie-Cleerone is not back, definitely will have a tougher job against the Mariins than ahe did against the young Maples. Although she was nervous, Fron did enjoy her varsity coaching debut.

"It feels great, but I was really nervous," and Fron, who has been coachings with Lillie-Cicerone the past eight years.

"You just never know. Even if a team should beat another team, you just don't know because that's what the state tournament is all about. I just kept trying to calm myself down.

And what was the toughest part of being head coach?

"The toughest part was trying to yell like Mary, because I'm not a yeller," she said. "But seriously, our (coaching) styles are different. I know exactly how she likes to coach, and I'm not good at her

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Marian's style on the court is pressure defense, and that was evident against Seaholm right away.

The Mustangs reced to a 10-0 lead before the first quarter was half over. Senior Erin Hall lofted in a 10-footer at the 331 mark of the opening quarter to finally put the Maples on the board.

By the end of the quarter, however, Marian was up 18-4. The Mustangs used a 11-5 second-quarter scoring margin to make it a 29-9 game at halftime.

Things were going so well for Marian that one of its leading scorers — Julie Storen — attempted just four shots in the first half and missed them all. She was held scoreless, but the Mustangs still enjoyed the 20-point halftime advantage.

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And really, by that time, the game was over.

"I thought if we played a great game we would have a chance," said Seaholm head coach Steve Sheckell, who won his first post-season game as a varsity coach Wednesday.

"But their pressure just got to us in the first half," he said. "I thought we'd be able to handle it, but we couldn't. They are a good team and I was real impressed with them."

The Mustangs enjoyed a bal-anced scoring offense, as 13 of their 14 players scored. Junior guard Brandi Bentley paced the offense with 10 points. Sabrina Kassab and Storen scored seven points seven.

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# St. Mary's going to Dome after 13-7 win

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STATY WHITE

George Porritt isn't known for
emotional outbursts. The head
coach of the Orchard Lake St.
Mary's football team is usually
reserved and even tempered in
both victory and defest.

But following St. Mary's thrilling 13-7 win Saturday over No. 2ranked Montrose in a Class CC
semifinal at Saginaw Valley State
University, Porritt couldn't contain himself any longer.

As he led the Engiets off the
field, Porritt was literally jumping
forjoy.

"There's a lot of emotion out here today," Porritt said. "We best a great football team."

beat a great (sotball team.

Porritt had plenty of reason to be happy. The victory vaulted the top-ranked Eaglets (12-0) into the state championship game at 5 pm. Saturday in the Silverdome against Constantine (12-0).

"We're finally going to the Tur-key Bowl," said St. Mary's assist-ant coach Marty Malatin Sr.

"We're thrilled to be going (to the state finals). That was one of our goals from the beginning of the season." Porritt said.

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But St. Mary's first trip to the
finals since the Eaglets won the
state championship in 1977
wann't a sure thing until senior
Joe Cadwell secured the victory
with an interception at the Fams'
30-yard-line with :46 left in the
rame.

39-yard-line with :46 left in the game.

And it was only fitting that the Eaglets defense came up big in the end. After all, it was 5t. Mary's hard-litting defense which kept the potent Rams in check.

St. Mary's turned the ball over on the second play of the game and Montrose took advantage of the miscue. The Rams marched 30 yards in five plays and took an early lead on a 1-yard TD run by senior quarterback Bob Klopf, After that drive, however, the Rams managed just 124 yards the rest of

the day.

Sophomore defensive end Torrance Craddish came up with back-to-back sacks midway through the second quarter after Montrose had marched to the Eaglet's 23-yard-line. His second sack, for an 11-yard loss on fourth-and-11, gave St. Mary's the ball at the Rama's 38.

The Eaglet marched 62 yards in nine plays on the ensuing drive and scored on a 6-yard touthdown pass from senior quarterback Diallo Johnson to sonlor wide receiver Darryl Adams.

Adams made a spectacular div-ing catch in the corner of the end zone to put St. Mary's on the scoreboard. Mike Godeshian kicked the extra point to tie the game at 7-7 with 2:35 left in the first half.

Unfortunately for the Eageta, the win didn't come without a theiry price trained to their price and their price and their price and their price and did not return and senior line-backer Scott Stewart was taken to the hospital in the third quarter with an apparent broken leg. "Scott said he wanted one thing from us and that was to win they game," senior linebacker David; Bowens said. "I told him we were going to win it for him."

St. Mary's finished with 301 yards of offense including 214 on the ground. Johnson completed seven of 15 passes for 71 yards... Adams was on the receiving end, of six of those passes for 60 yards.

"I thought we had a great game-plan," said Montrose coach Tonyplan," said Montrose coach Tony-Anneso. "You're not going to to-tally control athletes like that. If" Saginaw Valley State got five of-those kids to come here they do the national champs. That's how-good they are."

## Late TD pass nips Glenn, 13-12

BY BRAD EMONS

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STAT WAITE
Westland John Glenn's final
minute of the 1994 football season
certainly will be remembered as
the most painful.
Bay City Central denied the
Rockets their second straight trip
to the Pontiac Silverdome when
quarterback Jason Kokaly proved
he could find a needle in a haystack, tossing a 10-yard, gameshinning touchdown pass to Eric
Lee with only 53 seconds remaining.
Charles Zanotti booted the alllimportant extra point to give the

Important extra point to give the Wolves the state Class AA semifinal victory before an estimated 4,500 fans Saturday at Lansing

nal victory before an estimated 4,500 fans Saturdya at Lansing Everett High. Bay City Central and Troy (both 11-1) will play for the covet-decrown at 1 p.m. Saturday in the Silverdome. The game-vinning play came on third down-and-goal. Kokaly was chased toward side-line but stayed in bounds and fired a pass directly on a line. Lee, icaning toward the sideline but stayed in bounds and fired a pass directly on a line. Lee, icaning toward the sideline himself, was able to keep both feet in play as he cradled the catch surrounded by a maze Glenn defenders. "I had a good angle on that play and 1 can't believe how close Mike Kidder (of Glenn) came to tipping it," Glenn coach Chuck Gordon said. "I don't know how the ball got in there." the ball got in there.

Kokaly, mobbed by teammates and friendly fans afterwards, admitted he never saw Lee's grab.

"I didn't hink I completed it," he said. "I knew I was close to being out of bounds so I had to get rid of it. I saw a lot of people from Glenn there."

The Rockets carried a 12-0 leadinto the final quarter but found themselves on their heels following a Kokaly 26-yard Tpl pass to Ken Chase with 9-43 remaining. Zanotti, however, missed the extra point, as the deficit was narrowed to 12-6.

Glenn then fumbled away the ensuing kickoff but held on fourth-and-3 at its own 5 when suphomore linebacker Matt Griglio stacked up Bay City halfbact Jake Tudor short of the first down marker (with 4:27 ieth).

But the Rockets couldn't possess the clock, failing to convert first down.

Forced to punt, Glenn's Jason Grosby uncorked a clutch 48-yarder. The punt was returned to the Glenn 46.

Kokaly ran 17 yards on first down, and then completed two clutch passes, a 12-yarder to Chase and a 14-yarder to Lee, setting up the game-winner.

"We needed a first down, and on the one throw, they had pressure on us," Gordon said "Even with the one throw, they had pressure on us," Gordon said "The Wolves) turned up their defenses anoth when they needed to."

Glenn's defense was just as

## Hawks

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ball in our hands, we can go down-and score.

"I thought Terry had a good game plan, and they did a nice job" with the passing game. Instead of going for it all, they were eating it-up in chunks."

Mozdzierz caught seven passes for 33 yards, Webster four for 91 and Issist five for 61. Harrison held Kimball to just 85 yards rushing, 33 by Jeremy Davis, Har-rison quarterback Kevin Bam-benek was 1-of-3 passing for 8 yards.

"We saw on film they played a little deeper and didn't give up the big one," Powers said. "We don't throw a lot to the tight end (Webster), and he made some great catches today.

"I thought our defense was a little better than that. If we held them under 21 points, we felt we-would win."

Harrison will play Grand Rapids Forest Hills Central, an upset winner over No. 1-ranked Midland, for the state championship, at 1 p.m. Friday in the Silver:

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