

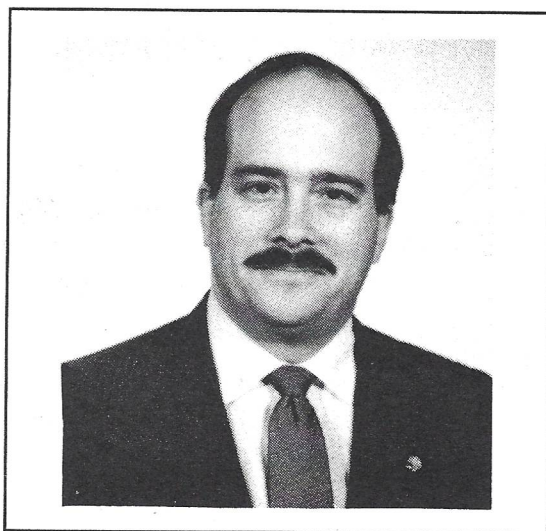


FOUNDED 1955

**1991
I.S.A.
HALL OF FAME
& ALL-STATE
BANQUET**

WEDNESDAY, MAY 22ND





Welcome to the 1991 ISA Water Polo Hall of Fame and Awards Banquet

As Chairman of this year's ISA Water Polo High School League, please allow me to welcome you to our 6th annual Hall of Fame Awards Banquet for boys and girls. As another State Championship has ended, it is now time to honor those individuals who excelled in this great sport, both past and present, at this banquet.

Many people were involved in making this organization a success this year. Special thank you's go to my staff of Rich Norman, Russell Curry, and Jack Wagner who performed there duties to perfection. A big thank you to Perry Korbakis who recruited, help train, and inspired our line of officials who did an excellent job. A pat "on the back" to Tom Nystrom, my Hall of Fame Committee Chairman and last, but not least, Tom Quirk, who headed the "State Tournameant" Committee.

The ISA Water Polo League wants to especially thank Ditka's City Lights for being our gracious host this year. The audio-visual equipment hopes to add a new "flair" to his year's big event. So smile, we're taping you tonight.

So sit back, relax, and enjoy this year's banquet. We're glad you are here. Enjoy yourself and thank's for making 1991 a year to remember!!!

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read "Rick March". The signature is fluid and cursive, with a large initial "R" and "M".

Rick March,
ISA Water Polo Chairman



I.S.A. WATER POLO Banquet Program

6:00 p.m. ARRIVAL
6:30 p.m. DINNER
7:40 p.m. OPENING COMMENTS BY RICK MARSH
8:00 p.m. PRESENTATION OF AWARDS

- * Team Awards
- * Hall of Fame Inductions for 1991
- * Senior Scholastic Water Polo Awards for 1991
(Boys and Girls)
- * Coaches of the Year for 1991
- * All-State Boys Team
- * All-State Girls Team
- * Phil Stelnicki Award for 1991



I.S.A. WATER POLO HALL OF FAME

1986 INDUCTEES

Paul Akers
Andrew Barry
Ralph Budelman
Russ Curry
Harold Dash
Ralph Erickson
Al Gamble
Werner Gerhard
Donald Good
Sam Greller
Robert Grosseth

Andy Haberman
Ken Hahn
H. Jamison Handy
George Iverson
Art Koblish
Sam Koolstra
William Koolstra
Sheldon "Fats" Lake
Jim Lock
Francis McDermott
Michael McDermott

Perry McGillivary
John J. Miller
Jim Mulcrone
Richard Norman
Larry O'Connell
Joseph A. Pecoraro
Gary Radville
Phil Steinicki
Vern Tittle
Art Van Aman
Bill Walztoni
Hal White

1987 INDUCTEES

George "Butch" Kastner
Linda Kerner

Tom Nystrom
Albert Paterson

James Radcliffe
Bruce Wimer

1988 INDUCTEES

Ann Gonia-Kersting

Mike Martin

Dave Musich

1989 INDUCTEES

Mary Meyering O'Connor

Tom Barry

Jim Runkle

1990 INDUCTEES

Dan O'Brien

Br. Lindemen

Ken Wollin

1991 INDUCTEES

Frank Connors Mike Shanahan William Hale Thompson Mike Valmis



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SENIOR SCHOLASTIC Water Polo Award

For the last 4 years, senior water polo players are chosen as Senior Player of the Year. Each coach has the opportunity to choose two players they feel exemplify both fine athletes as well as contributors to our community. From the names submitted, coaches and referees selected one girl and one boy they felt met the requirements of the award. The athletes are chosen according to the following:

- * G.P.A.: 3.2 or above
- * dedication to water polo
- * activities involved in at school
both athletic and extracurricular)
- * honors received
- * community involvement

PAST RECIPIENTS

- 1987** KIM NICHOLAS, Oak Park & MATT HIMMELMAN, Br. Rice
1988 KATHERINE CHRISTMAS, Oak Park & WALTER KELLY, Fenwick
1989 KATE MASUR, Oak Park & DAN DUNLEAVY, Mt. Carmel
1990 MARIA NATSIS, Lyons Township & BRIAN SCHILF, Fenwick

The individuals on the following two pages were nominated by their coaches to be recipients of Illinois State Water Polo Senior of the Year 1991:



SENIOR SCHOLASTIC Water Polo Award

BOYS

Tom Warta - St. Patrick's

G.P.A. - 3.7
Ranks 17 in class of 240
Honor Roll all 4 years
Member of National Honor Society &
Who's Who in America
Member swimming & water polo teams
Voted to All-State first team, last two years
Voted most valuable player
Volunteer swimming instructor & lifeguard

Joshua Wright - Fenwick

3.85 G. P. A.
National Honor Society
Illinois State Scholar
4 year letterman swimmer
4 year water polo
Latin Club
French Club
Shallow Goalie - 56% save percentage
2 year starter

P. J. Murphy - Brother Rice

DIVING HIGH SCHOOL
All-American: 1989, 90, 91
All-State: 1989, 90, 91
Catholic League: 1988 - 2nd
1989, 90, 91 - 1st
Sectional: 1988 - 3rd
1989, 90, 91 - 1st
State: 1991 1988 - 32nd, Team Captain
1989 - 6th
1990 - 2nd
1991 - 3rd

M. U. P. - 1990, 91

EIK's Club Athlete of the Year - 1991

U.S. DIVING

J. O. Regional Champion - 1990

J. O. Zone Finalist & National Qualifier

J. O. National Finalist 1986 - 12th 1M

1988 - 12th 3M, 10th 1M

SCHOLARSHIPS

U. of Arkansas - Athletic (Diving)

WATER POLO

Member of 1988 & 1989 State Champion
Water Polo Teams

Member of 1989 Fresh-Shoph Catholic League
Champion Water Polo Team

Member of 1990 & 1991 - 2nd Place Catholic
League Water Polo Team

Member of 1990 & 1991 State Runner-Up
Water Polo Team

EXTRA-CURRICULAR

Volunteer Diving Coach - O.L.P.D., C.P.D.

Br. Rice Food Drive - 1988, 89, 90

Br. Rice Sophomore Religions Retreat
1991 Leader

Volunteer Lifeguard - Freshman Overnights
8th Grade Open Swim - Br. Rice

Open House Volunteers - Biology Dept., Physics Dept.

Darren Heydanek - Stevenson

4.2 G. P. A.
Rank 18 out of 455
ACT - 35; SAT - 1490
National Merit Finalist
National Honor Society - 3 years
Member of 1991 State Champion Math Team
Editor of Statesman-school newspaper
Semi-Finalist-Pres. Scholars Program
Illinois State Scholar
Quillard Scroll-Literary Honor Society
Mu Alpha Theta-Math Honor Society
All-Academic Team-N. Surb. Conference Swimming
2nd Leading Scorer
Captain
2-M Player
18/24 Sprints won (75%)
State Champion-Placed all 4 years, top 6

SENIOR SCHOLASTIC Water Polo Award

GIRLS

Chris O'Connor - Lyons Tnsp

Class Rank - 7/719, 97%
G.P.A. - 4.+
ACTIVITIES
Diving team - 4 Years
Gymnastics - 4 Years
Water Polo - 2 Years
National Honors Society - 2 Years
Mu Alpha Theta - 1 Year
Illinois State Scholar - 1991
Latin Honors Society - 2 Years
Latin Club - 3 Years
Math Team - 1 Year
Prose & Poetry Contests - Award Winner 1987, 1989

Kristin Murphy - Lyons Tnsp

Class Rank 15/719
4.0 on 4 point scale
Secretary of Class: 9, 10, 11, 12
Tri-M Music Honor Society: 10, 11, 12 Secretary: 12
Chamber Orchestra: 9, 10, 11, 12
President of Orchestra: 12
National Honor Society Vice President: 12
Scolastic Bowl: 11
Science Olympiad: 11, 12
Menagerie (Literary Magazine): 9, 10, 11, 12,
Prose Editor of Menagerie: 12
Girls Swiom Team: 9, 10, 11, 12
Girls Water Polo Team: 9, 10, 11, 12
Cheerleading: 12
District Musician: 11, 12
All-State Musician: 12
Outstanding award at state science competition: 9, 10, 11

Julie Sievert - Oak Park

G.P.A. 3.643
4 Year Polo Player, 1991 Captain
School & Community Work
4 Year Volunteer for Misericordia Children's Home
4 Year Varsity Swimmer
Member of Cum Laude Society, Honor Society
Seven Semester Honor Roll Member

Stacey Mahler - Oak Park

Seven Semester 3.472 G.P.A.
Co-Captain of Polo Team
3-Year Varsity Swimmer
Active School & Community Worker
Tireless Worker for Misericordia Children's Home

Joyce Lee - Carl Sandburg

Ranks #3 on class of 495
National Merit Semi-Finalist
Museum of Science & Industry Outstanding Young Scientist (Finalist)
Member of Junior Engineering Technical Society
Member of Carl Sandburg High School Academic Bowl
Who's Who Among American High School Students for 1989 & 1990
1990 National Science Olympiad
2nd Place Biology Team in State - 2nd Place Chemistry Team in State - 8th Place Chemistry Team in Nation
1990 National Science Merit Award Winner
Accepted at Brown University



COACH OF THE YEAR

Boys

JIM CALIENDO - Fenwick

Girls

**TOM ALLEN &
JOHN WEBER**

Lyons Township

PHIL STELNICKI AWARD

JIM LOCK

**Oak Park - River Forest
High School**

**The ISA Water Polo staff
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in our ad book.**

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Boys All-State

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1991 Player Of The Year - Brian Pendergast

FIRST TEAM

PLAYER	YEAR	H. S.
Brian Pendergast	Sophmore	Fenwick
Tom Warta	Senior	St. Patrick
Osbaldo Ramirez	Senior	Bro. Rice
Ryan Shanahan	Junior	McHenry
John Stassen	Junior	Latin Sch.
Tim Dragas	Senior	Fenwick
(G) Carl Bernacchi	Senior	Fenwick
Victor Gonzales	Senior	Bro. Rice
Marty Doherty	Senior	St. Patrick
Greg Osterheus	Senior	St. Viator

SECOND TEAM

PLAYER	YEAR	H. S.
Kevin McCormick	Junior	Brother Rice
Jonah Ellin	Senior	Oak Park
Noah Isackson	Junior	Latin School
Andy Sorenson	Senior	St. Patrick
Steve Vongluekiat	Fresh.	Fenwick
Jason Glus	Junior	McHenry
Steve Greczek	Junior	Fenwick
Sean McGarry	Junior	Loyla Acad.
Sean Keener	Senior	Loyola Acad.
(G) Matt Glennie	Junior	Oak Park

HONORABLE MENTION

PLAYER	YEAR	H.S.
Mike Lynch	Freshman	Fenwick
Bret Reynolds	Senior	Oak Park
(G) Robert Olesky	Junior	St. Patrick
Chris Nykiel	Junior	Bro. Rice
Jon Newman	Sophmore	Oak Park
P. J. Murphy	Senior	Bro. Rice
Jon Manthe	Junior	Latin School
Dan Murphy	Junior	Bro. Rice
Kevin Kehoe	Sophmore	St. Patrick
Chris Jensen	Junior	Fenwick

(G)= Goalie

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Girls All-State

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1991 Player Of The Year - Susan Staube

FIRST TEAM

PLAYER	YEAR	H. S.
Alison Begg	Senior	Lyons Tnsp
Jennifer Behrens	Senior	C. Sandberg
Betty Blahnik	Senior	Hinsdale S.
Jenny Dukstein	Sophmore	Oak Park
Kirsten Heyer	Senior	Lyons Tnsp
Stacy Mahler	Senior	Oak Park
Kara Rakowski	Senior	Stevenson
Julie Siebert	Senior	Oak Park
Susan Staube	Senior	Lyons Tnsp
(G) Melanie Watt	Senior	Hinsdale S.
Jane Zika	Junior	Lyons Tnsp

SECOND TEAM

PLAYER	YEAR	H. S.
Debbie Fish	Senior	C. Sandburg
Jennifer Freeze	Junior	Hinsdale S.
(G) Erin Gibbs	Junior	Oak Park
Kristyn Kempa	Junior	Hinsdale S.
Meg Martin	Junior	Oak Park
(G) Jennifer Wendt	Junior	Lyons Tnsp
Jessica Winski	Junior	Oak Park
Dana Wits	Senior	Stevenson
Ann Marie Zielonka	Junior	Lyons Tnsp

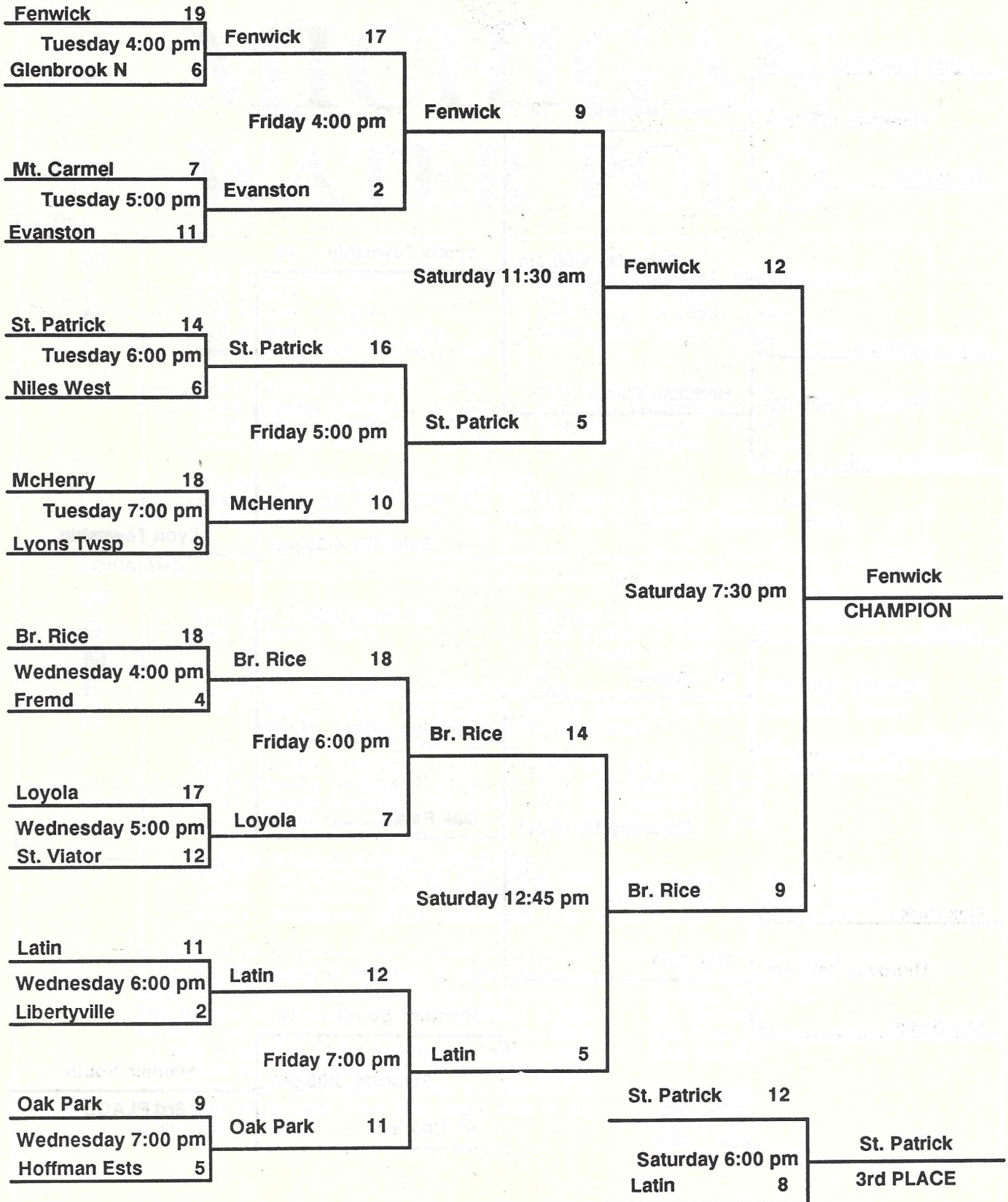
HONORABLE MENTION

PLAYER	YEAR	H.S.
Michelle Bewick	Junior	Stevenson
Faith Bollinger	Junior	St. Charles
Val Creedon	Junior	Oak Park
(G) Dorie Hermann	Junior	Oak Park
Kristen Murphy	Senior	Lyons Tnsp
Chris O'Connor	Senior	Lyons Tnsp
Linda Robinet	Junior	Oak Park
Cassie Rubly	Junior	Hinsdale S.
Katie Suhullian	Senior	Stevenson
Gretchen Ver Dorn	Senior	St. Charles

(G)= Goalie

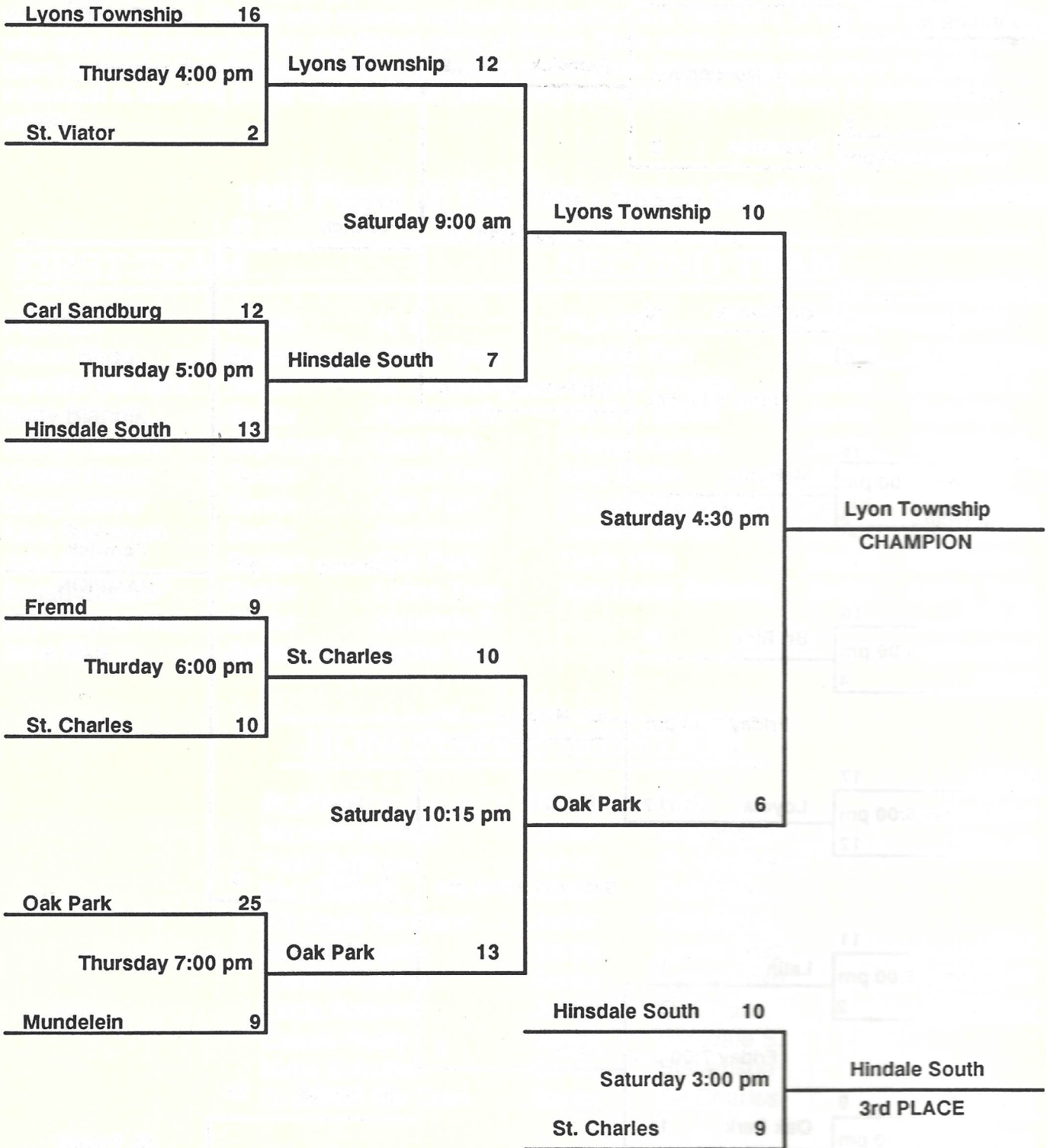
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1991 I.S.A. Water Polo State Tournament for Boys



Team on top of each bracket will be Home Team (wear dark hats).

1991 I.S.A. Water Polo State Tournament for Girls



MICHIGAN WATER POLO

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Big Ten Championships

1st Place - 1989
2nd Place - 1987
3rd Place - 1988, 1990
Tournament MVP - 1988, 1989

1987 Season Record: 16-9
1988 Season Record: 16-9
1989 Season Record: 20-7
1990 Season Record: 13-13-1

Midwest Regional Championships

1st Place - 1989
2nd Place - 1988, 1990
Tournament MVP - 1988, 1989

Big Ten Record: 6-4
Big Ten Record: 7-3
Big Ten Record: 11-0
Big Ten Record: 7-6-1

United States Olympic Festival

1989: Devich selected for North Men's team - 4th Place
1990: Devich selected for North Men's team - Bronze Medal

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Big Ten Championships

1st Place - 1991

Eastern Regional Championships

3rd Place - 1990
5th Place - 1989

National Collegiate Championships

8th Place - 1990; Grierson, Quinn chosen to All-American Team;
Ruskin named Academic All-American.

1988 Season Record: 1-7
1989 Season Record: 9-5
1990 Season Record: 12-11-1
1991 Season Record: 17-4

Big Ten Record: 1-1 (1st Season)
Big Ten Record: 2-0
Big Ten Record: 4-0
Big Ten Record: 9-0

United States Olympic Festival

1989: Grierson, Wyels selected for North team - Silver Medal
1990: Grierson, Quinn selected for North team - Bronze Medal
1991: Barnard, Quinn selected for North team - July 10th-21st

The University of Michigan is widely known as one of the outstanding academic institutions in the country. This tradition of excellence has been established in both the men's and women's water polo programs. Our teams are fully competitive, intercollegiate teams who compete against both collegiate varsity and club teams throughout the midwest, east, and Canada. If you are interested in information on Michigan Water Polo, please write or call at any time.

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