



Solon Boys Basketball



Twinsburg (A) Friday, Feb. 19

Weekly Review

What an unbelievable week of ups and downs for our varsity team. We went from the devastating loss to Brush last Friday to a great come-from-behind win against Hudson on Saturday. I was extremely proud of our resilience in bouncing back after such a disappointment.

Then, Tuesday night turned into a pivotal evening for our season. After taking care of business against Cuyahoga Falls, we were excited to see both Brush and Twinsburg lose in league games. This allowed us to get within one game of the conference leaders again. We need to win our final two regular season games, and then have Brush lose one more game for us to win a league title.

It was nice to see the JV team get revenge for a loss to Cuyahoga Falls earlier in the season as well as another convincing victory for the Freshmen on Tuesday. All three teams are looking forward to the challenge at Twinsburg on Friday!

Go Comets!
Coach Fisher

End of Season Notes

- Next week's regular season finale against Stow will be Parents' Night. You should have received information via e-mail as well as a note sent home with all players.
- The JV season will conclude with next week's game at Stow while the Freshmen will play in a season-ending tournament at Hudson starting March 1.
- Information on the varsity tournament schedule is on page two of this newsletter.
- Reminder— No player may try out for an AAU team until the conclusion of the player's high school season. Any questions, call Coach Fisher.



Twinsburg Game Notes

Twinsburg Preview:

The Tigers are having an outstanding season, and present many challenges. The Tigers are probably the best defensive team we've played all year as they are long and athletic, but also extremely well-coached. They mainly play halfcourt man-to-man defensively, and they do it very well.

Offensively, they run motion as well as any team we play this year. The key for us will be to force them to make jump shots, and limit their shots in the paint including offensive rebounds.

In our first game, we got off to a very slow start and never were able to recover. We are excited for the challenge, and are confident that we will give a great effort on Friday evening.

Probable Twinsburg Starters

#35	Jonathan Harris	6'8	F
#13	Bryan Sims	5'10	G
#33	Doug Talentino	6'3	C
#21	Darius Washington	6'2	F
#15	Josh Edmundson	6'2	G

Notes on Twinsburg-Solon

- Twinsburg is 14-3 overall and 5-2 in the NOC River Division. The Tigers lost against Stow on Tuesday, and are in a tie with Brush atop the league standings. Solon and Stow are one game behind the leaders.
- This will be the ninth game of the season that Solon has played against teams ranked in the Plain Dealer's Top 25.
- Harris is the Tigers' leading scorer at 19 points per game. He has committed to play basketball for Miami (OH) next year collegiately.
- Twinsburg gained the number one seed at the Copley district tournament.



Tournament Preview

Last Sunday, the district tournament drawing was conducted, and the Comets received the number 5 seed at the Euclid district. We will play Mayfield in a first-round matchup on Tuesday, March 2 at 6:30 p.m. The winner of that game will face the number four seed, Shaw, at 8:00 on Friday night, March 5.

The top seed, Mentor, and the third-seeded Lakeside squads are on the opposite side of the bracket. The number two seed, Brush, is on the same side of the bracket as Solon and would be a potential opponent in the district semifinal.

You can find all the brackets online at www.ohsaa.org.

Solon vs. Hudson

Player	GP/GS	FGM	FGA	FG%	3FGM	3FGA	3FG%	FTM	FTA	FT%	PTS	PPG	OREB	DREB	TREB	TO	AST	STL	CH	BLK
Goodwater	1.. 1	4	13	31	1	5	20	6	8	75	15		1	5	6	3	1	0	2	2
Voigt	1.. 1	0	2	0	0	2	0	0	0	0	0		0	0	0	1	1	2	0	0
Waldon	1.. 1	8	13	62	2	3	67	2	2	100	20		0	2	2	2	3	2	0	1
Baldwin	1.. 1	2	2	100	0	0	0	0	0	0	4		2	1	3	2	0	0	0	0
Lojewski	1.. 0	0	2	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0		1	1	2	0	0	0	0	0
Payton	1.. 0	1	2	50	0	0	0	0	0	0	2		1	1	2	0	0	1	0	0
Cromity	1.. 0	2	5	40	0	2	0	0	1	0	4		1	1	2	0	1	1	0	0
Thompson	1.. 0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0		0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Hicks	1.. 1	1	9	11	1	7	14	0	0	0	3		1	1	2	1	2	3	0	0
O'Brien	1.. 0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0		0	1	1	0	0	0	0	0
Miller	0.. 0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0		0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Giterman	0.. 0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0		0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Jackson	1.. 0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0		0	2	2	1	2	0	0	0
Marshall	0.. 0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0		0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
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TEAM		18	49	37%	4	20	20%	8	11	73%	48		7	17	24	10	10	9	2	3
Opponent		16	38	42%	1	7	14%	13	16	81%	46		8	23	31	18		-	-	-

Solon Boys Basketball Individual Statistics (17 games)

No.	Player	GP/GS	FGM	FGA	FG%	3FGM	3FGA	3FG%	FTM	FTA	FT%	PTS	PPG	OREB	DREB	RPG	TO	AST	STL	CH	BLK
0	Goodwater	17.. 17	78	175	45	15	40	38	41	65	63	212	12.5	47	73	7.1	46	16	12	2	16
5	Voigt	16.. 14	17	51	33	7	28	25	14	17	81	55	3.4	7	31	2.4	22	32	20	6	0
11	Waldon	15.. 15	77	193	40	17	46	37	50	70	71	221	14.7	6	34	2.7	42	38	28	2	4
22	Baldwin	17.. 17	26	52	50	0	0	0	43	63	68	95	5.6	35	45	4.7	15	15	8	0	17
23	Lojewski	17.. 11	23	76	30	7	31	23	11	19	58	64	3.8	44	34	4.6	21	20	17	0	7
24	Payton	17.. 0	26	47	55	0	0	0	6	19	32	58	3.4	18	26	2.6	13	1	2	1	9
32	Cromity	17.. 0	31	81	38	6	27	22	8	12	67	76	4.5	7	25	1.9	28	15	11	0	3
44	Thompson	14.. 0	9	16	56	0	0	0	1	2	50	19	1.6	7	11	1.3	5	3	3	0	0
3	Hicks	16.. 9	39	126	31	23	78	29	19	30	63	120	7.5	10	21	1.9	10	21	11	1	0
24	O'Brien	17.. 0	16	51	31	5	27	19	3	5	60	40	2.7	7	22	1.7	5	6	5	1	5
2	Miller	6.. 0	0	7	0	0	5	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	3	0.5	5	3	2	0	0
12	Giterman	7.. 0	2	10	20	1	3	33	0	0	0	5	0.8	1	2	0.8	0	0	1	0	0
33	Jackson	14.. 2	14	41	34	4	16	25	2	5	40	38	2.7	17	12	2.1	13	8	11	0	1
34	Marshall	6.. 0	2	5	40	0	2	0	2	2	100	8	1.3	0	0	0	2	3	5	0	0
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	TEAM		363	937	39%	85	303	28%	200	309	65%	1011	59.5	231	358	34.6	228	181	137	13	63
	Opponent		355	848	42%	71	243	29%	194	318	61%	976	57.4	170	338	29.9	254	-	-	-	-

Team Rosters

Varsity

Name	Grade	Ht.	Pos.	Uniform #
David Goodwater	12	6'5	F	0
Steve Miller	12	5'10	G	2
Kevin Hicks	12	5'11	G	3
Jake Voigt	12	6'0	G	5
D.J. Waldon	12	5'10	G	11
Alex Giterman	11	5'11	G	12
Darryl Baldwin	12	6'7	C	22
Matt Lojewski	12	6'2	F	23
DeAndre Payton	11	6'3	F	24
Chris Cromity	11	6'4	G	32
Christian Jackson	11	5'11	G	33
Brandon Marshall	11	5'11	G	34
Matt Thompson	11	6'2	F	44
Liam O'Brien	11	6'4	F	50

Junior Varsity

Cameron Bell	10	5'10	G	3
Patrick Kramer	10	6'0	F	4
Nate Brillhart	10	6'0	G	10
Emmitt Mosely	10	5'7	G	12
Stephon Fields	10	6'2	F	23
Tres Barksdale	10	6'1	F	24
Caleb Pallay	10	6'0	F	32
A.J. Johnson	10	5'9	G	33
Tyran Doss	10	5'9	G	34
Tyler Elwing	10	5'9	G	40
Brennan Williams	10	6'1	F	44
Kareem Oldham	10	6'2	F	50
Denzell Davis	10	6'1	F	52

Freshmen

Darian Hicks	9	5'11	G	12
Hari Fair	9	5'10	G	20
George Berry	9	5'10	G	24
Brendan Gallagher	9	5'11	F	30
Kegan King	9	5'11	F	32
Tyler Bentley	9	5'5	G	34
Brad Cisar	9	6'3	C	40
Drew Barksdale	9	5'11	F	42
Ryan Pastor	9	6'3	C	50