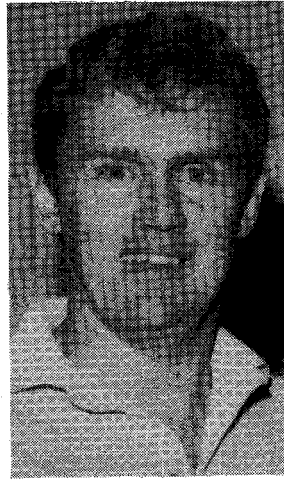




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Michigan Christian College



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COLLEGE COACH OF THE YEAR

Bob Taylor (Oakland University)

We are proud to announce this year's College Coaches of the Year. They are Rick Bloodworth of Lake Michigan College (Women's Basketball), and Garth Pleasant of Michigan Christian College (Men's Coach). Both had excellent seasons last year and will be honored at the Hall of Fame Banquet on November 4, 1989 at the Lansing Holiday Inn West (formerly the Lansing Hilton).

Garth Pleasant led the Michigan Christian College Warriors to the National Little College Athletic Association National Championship this past March in Madison, Wisconsin. It was the sixth straight year that Pleasant has led the Warriors to a 20 plus win season. Coach Pleasant's teams are known for their intense style of play, their dedication to the game, their execution of fundamentals, and their positive mental attitude.

Rick Bloodworth has coached the Lake Michigan College team for 2 years. During that time he was undefeated in League play during both years!! They were also Michigan Community College State Champions both years!! In 1988-89 they were Region XXII Champions (includes Indiana and Ohio), and topped their season off with a win in the first game at the National Tournament.