

## **2009 BCAM All-Star Games Recap August 1, 2009**

### **Girls C-D**

In the first game of the day, the woman's C-D Black team got off to a great start behind the guard play of Jasmine Thomas (Flint Hamady- Michigan State) and Elizabeth Hamlet (McBain - Oakland U). The Black team led 38-19 at halftime and won easily 79-45. Post player Rachel Sheffer (Watervliet - University of Michigan) took over the game in the 2<sup>nd</sup> half as the Black team continued to dominate. Sheffer took home the MVP award for the Black squad with 19 pts, 14 rbds and 7 blocks. The White team was led by Cedarville sharpshooter Jessica Duncan (Sienna Heights) with 11 points, including three 3-pointers. Duncan garnered the MVP for the White.

Scoring: WHITE TEAM: Amber vanWieren (Fennville) 7, Abbie Richardson (Napolean) 6, Ashley Root (New Lothrop) 0, Kayla Lefler (Mio-Ausable) 2, Ashley Slade (Kingsley) 0, Gabbi Simon (Portland St. Pats) 7, Lindsey Gifford (Napoleon) 2, Kayla Wolter (St. Joseph Catholic) 0, Tarra Caverly (Hale) 4, Jessica Duncan (Cedarville) 11, Megan Loveberry (Quincy) 0, Amanda Coveyou (St. Ignace) 6

BLACK TEAM: Michelle Edwards (Central Lake) 5, Katherine Benchley (Coleman) 3, Connaught Blood (Hillsdale Academy) 2, Amanda Ison (Allen Park Inter-City Bapt.) 2, Taylor Watters (Ishpeming Westwood) 10, April Emerson (Morley Stanwood) 4, Jasmine Thomas (Flint Hamady) 12, Rachel Sheffer (Watervliet) 14, Elizabeth Hamlet (McBain) 19, Ashley Bauman (Manistee Catholic Central) 6, Sarah DeCeuninck (Dryden) 2

### **Girls A-B**

The fans were treated to some great basketball in the girls' class A-B game. The game featured Miss Basketball Jenny Ryan (Saginaw Nouvel-University of Michigan). Ryan won the MVP award for the Black team and led them in scoring with 16 pts. The Black team started the game with a 9-0 run behind the play of Maria Blazejewski (Benzie Central - Lake Superior State) and the hot shooting of Dori Lansbach (Traverse City Central - North Florida) and led 30-29 at the half. However, the White team came roaring back behind the play of Jasmine Kennedy (Grosse Point North - Saginaw Valley) and Briauna Taylor (Livonia Franklin-Grand Valley State). Taylor was too much for the Black team in the 2<sup>nd</sup> half and she won the MVP award for the White team and led them with 15 pts and 10 rbds. The White team ended up with a 71-61 victory in a great showcase of girls' high school talent.

Scoring: WHITE TEAM: Chelsea Davis (Salem) 6, Carissa Verkaik (Holland Christian) 14, Shelby Carter (Byron Center) 4, Jasmine Kennedy (Grosse Pointe North) 10, Becca McHenry (Fraser) 6, Stephanie Mitchell (Roscommon) 1, Paige Sickmiller (Romeo) 7, Lauren Stodola (Jenison) 4, Briauna Taylor (Livonia Franklin) 15, Lauren Malinowski (Dearborn Divine Child) 2, Jasmine Woods (Holt) 2  
BLACK TEAM: Jenny Ryan (Saginaw Nouvel) 16, Morgan Albert (Brighton) 2, Dori Lansbach (Traverse City Central) 14, Michelle Lindsey (Birmingham Marion) 0, Caitlyn Szczypka (Livonia Ladywood) 3, Amelia Davis (Bedford) 0, Katelyn Cousins (Gr. Rapids Forest Hills Central) 3, Emily Nielsen (Marshall) 0, Talisha Bridges (Kalamazoo Loy-Norrix) 4, Maria Blazejewski (Benzie Central) 11, Grace Herzog (Flint Powers) 4, Hannah Sabol (Warren Regina) 2