



## State Basketball Tournament History

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### COMMITTEE CHAIRS

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**Terrific Kids**  
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**Guests:** Prospective member Jamie Roth, guest of the club.

**Key Club:** Parker Key clubbers were Stephen Sedwick, Jenna Milad and Kyleigh Thorn.

**Students of the Month:** Jason Fritz introduced Shamie Lazor and Steve Schendt from Craig. Also with us were Casey Simons and Barb Kinateder from Parker.

**Notable Returnees:** It was good to see our newest honorary member, Rollie Strommen, back with us. Also Penny Cook Petranek came to the meeting Andy told her she could only turn in her Pancake Day money at the meeting (I guess he was taking another day off from the shop).

### Announcements:

The Kiwanis after 5 event for new members and anyone else who can attend, which was announced last week has been postponed. Instead, you are urged to attend the FJI Business after 5 on 3/30 at the Boys & Girls Club. The Kiwanis mixer will be rescheduled for early April, at Edward Jones Investments, 2100 West Court St. We should have a good time ... and there will be beer.

The K-kids clubs will be conducting their annual helmet day at the end of March, stay tuned for the exact date/time.

Andy announced that today was the drop-dead date to turn in your tickets to Pancake Day. Now sign up to work the event!

The Bloodmobile will be here 3/27/06 - 3/29/06. Please consider signing up to donate blood.

### Ace of Hearts Drawing:

David Fleig "stole" the DA's ticket and was successful in picking the 4 of spades from the deck! The pot now stands at \$792.00.

### Happy Dollars:

Pres. Kevin happy that Parker girls' team, with his niece Catie, will play at the State girls' basketball tournament tonight! Merlin Kantor donated a dollar on behalf of Kevin Apfel who was traveling to the Ukraine to pick up his adopted daughter and son! Jason Fritz happy that his wife is expecting their first child! Get

your sleep while you can Jason! Don Chapin happy about the K-news article about Jamin Arn. Secretary Ed happy to advise about the blog for Kevin Apfel's trip to the Ukraine. That address is <http://spaces.msn.com/jkapfel/> Penny Cook happy to be back - \$10 for missed meetings! Jamin Arn happy to announce second club beginning Cartridge for Kids program in Iron Mountain!

### Our Program:

**Dave Wedeward**, sports editor for the Janesville Gazette spoke to the club about the history of the Wisconsin boys and girls basketball tournaments. If you missed the meeting, don't get involved in a trivia contest with Dave, as he has an incredible memory for basketball trivia. For example, Dave spoke of



the Parker girls under coach Tom Klawitter, who has won 13 Big 8 championships and 12 trips to the State tournament. Dave spoke of going to his first State tournament game in 1955 with his father, and he has not missed a tournament since. Some highlights included watching Pat Richter (former UW AD) score 50 points in a semi-final game at Craig, which record remains to this day! The "shot heard round the State" about the final dramatic shot by Beloit Memorial's Lamont Weaver which tied the game and permitted Beloit the opportunity to win the State Championship in overtime in 1969. The 1971 Parker boys team that went 21 for 21 from the free-throw line and shot 62% from the floor to defeat Milwaukee King for the championship.

**Thanks to David O'Leary for taking the notes. Members having information for future newsletters can email [editor@janesvillekiwanis.org](mailto:editor@janesvillekiwanis.org).**

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