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Climax-Scotts over LMC Lakers Climax-Scotts over LMC Lakers Mendon over Eau Claire Michigan over Michigan State Central over Western Bowling Green over East. Mich. **Detroit over Dallas** Chicago over San Francisco Tiebreaker Detroit/Dallas



Joe Jason 52-28 Q92.1 FM Radio

GR West Catholic over Coloma Berrien Springs over Allendale **Buchanan over Union City** Lakeshore over Sturgis

Mendon over Eau Claire Michigan over Michigan State Central over Western Bowling Green over East. Mich. **Dallas over Detroit** Chicago over San Francisco Tiebreaker Detroit/Dallas



Chris Leach 51-29 Guy's Marina

GR West Catholic over Coloma Berrien Springs over Allendale Union City over Buchanan Lakeshore over Sturgis

Climax-Scotts over LMC Lakers Mendon over Eau Claire Michigan over Michigan State Central over Western Bowling Green over East. Mich. **Dallas over Detroit** Chicago over San Francisco

Tiebreaker Detroit/Dallas 38 pts. 42 pts.



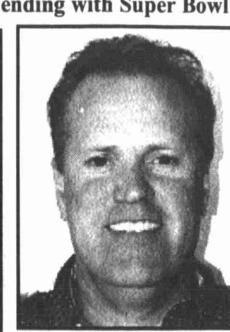
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Rób Bunn 50-30 **Brookfield Chrysler Dodge** 



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Lakeshore over Sturgis Mendon over Eau Claire Michigan over Michigan State Central over Western Bowling Green over East. Mich. **Detroit over Dallas** 

Chicago over San Francisco Tiebreaker Detroit/Dallas 43 pts.

a 31-30 game going into the final

They fell to Lawrence 53-27 and

Marcellus 53-41 in conference ac-

Krystin Weberg all scored four

cut the gap to 36-32 after three

quarters before being outscored 17-

Krista Travor had 12 points.

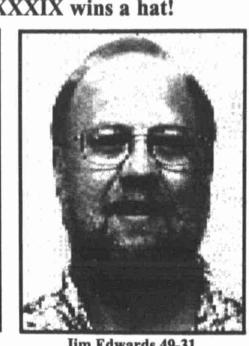
Sammy Kimp had 11 points,

Krystin Weberg had six points, and

The Lady Indians will play in the

See PRESS BOX

Kacey Darling added five points.



Jim Edwards 49-31 Nancy's Furniture

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San Francisco over Chicago Tiebreaker Detroit/Dallas 48 pts.

pits!

In the

By Sue Openneer

Three in a row for

Johnson; points race

takes unusual turn

For a second week in a row.

immie Johnson didn't celebrate hi

victory in the usual fashion.

Instead, he took the checkered flag

at the finish line and honored 10

members of the Hendricks' team

who died in a plane crash before

last Sunday's race, with a reverse

With only five laps to go in the

race. Johnson had to hold off the

was clearly the dominant car in

Sunday's Bass Pro Shops MBNA

500. He led a race-high 227 laps

and moved into fourth place in the

the final 17 laps.

standings. Johnson held the lead for

Johnson is the first driver to win

nree straight races in a season

ince his teammate, Jeff Gordon,

von four in a row in 1998. Johnson

imped two spots in the race for the

championship. He is now in second

place, only 59 points behind Kurt

Seven out of the 10 championship

during the race. The first to retire to

the garage area was Kurt Busch. He

developed engine problems early in

the race and his teammate. Matt

enseth, would join him in the

arage area just 14 laps later with

blems in Sunday's race as well.

e fell from second to fourth place

the standings when he finished in

34th place. He was 24 laps down.

Dale Jr. was running third with 16

laps to go in the race when he came

nto contact with Carl Edwards.

The #8 Budweiser Chevrolet took a

wild spin after the "tap" and

lammed into the inside wall. He

ould also retire to the garage area

with heavy damage. His chance of

Jeff Gordon had his share

he same problem.

ntenders ran into major problems

hard-charging Mark Martin. Martin

#### View from the Press Box

Armchair QBs

college and professional football last weekend, it is amazing that our participants came out of this with as good a record as they did.

Greg Borr holds on to first place with a 9-2 weekly mark. That still keeps him in first place by two games over his nearest competition. That competition is still Joe Jason who is hot on his heels. Joe went 10-1 for the best weekly record. He also gained one game on Greg as However, the offense just could well. The only game that Joe missed was the Lakeshore game. Not bad,

Third place still belongs to Chris Leach. Chris went a very respectable 9-2 for the week and is just two games behind Joe. She is definitely n the thick of things.

Rob Bunn moves up to fourth place this week as he went 8-3. Rob is now just two games behind Chris, so he can keep climbing with more solid performances. Fifth place is occupied by Nancy Huffman this week. Nancy went 6-

5 to fall from fourth place to fifth as a result. She is now two games be-Jim Edwards stays in sixth place this week with a 6-5 record. Jim got hurt by the high school games as he

picked Coloma, Lakeshore, and Lake Michigan Catholic to win. He can still move up, though, as Nancy s just one game ahead of him. There are some good games this week, so let's see what happens.

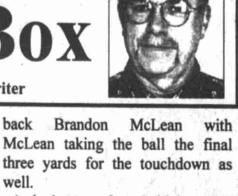
#### Comets come up short against West Catholic

The Coloma Comet varsity football team was in the game all of the way, but in the end the Comets fell to Grand Rapids West Catholic by a 13-8 score in the first round of the MHSAA football playoffs.

prised the Falcons with the way they hit, as the Coloma defense held Catholic to just a field goal in each of the first and second quarters to make it a 6-0 game at halftime. The longer Coloma stayed with these guys, the more the Comets felt that they could play with them as

West Catholic scored the first touchdown of the game in the third quarter to make it a 13-0 game before the Comet offense finally got

Nelson's



A bad snap forced kicker C.J. in for the 2-point conversion. That made it a 13-8 game and that is the The Comet defense stopped West

Red Zone when it blocked an attempted field goal and got the ball not do anything with it and time ran

One of West Catholic's field goals and its only touchdown came after back Brian Rogers fumbled at about midfield when Coloma was driving

and the other on a Jermain Murphy mishandling of a punt that the Fal-Comet coach Mark Eddy said he thought his team gave the Grand Rapids City League champions all they wanted. "We also had our op-

portunities but just could not capitalize on them," he stated. Red Zone four different times over last week as the Lady Panthers beat the course of the game and came away with two field goals and one in SAC action.

ing threat came in the first half first-quarter lead and held a 29-15 title when they marched down to the halftime advantage. They really West Catholic 26-yard line before broke it open in the third quarter Class "C" District at Bloomingdale turning it over on downs to end the with a 15-5 run and never looked the week after next. The Lady Pan- ans were down 10-9 after one quar-

on 19 carries. Lawrence Jackson Sarah Sheffer had 15 points and the 17th, at 8:00. carried the ball four times for 21 eight rebounds; Katelyn Bryce had vards and had three catches for 32 14 points, five rebounds, four steals, played on Friday night, Nov. 19. vards, C.J. Myers had four carries and five assists: while Shannon for 24 yards and his 2-point conver- McLaughlin added six points and sion run, while Jermain Murphy had five steals.

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On their only touchdown drive of the game, the Comets moved down the field behind the running of full-

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COLOMA'S BRANDON McLEAN (#30)...rambles up field after getting blocks from Paul Grenon (#71) and Lawrence Jackson (#25) in last Friday night's playoff game against Grand Rapids West Catholic. McLean was the Comets' leading ground gainer and scored their only touchdown in the 13-8 loss.

West Catholic will now host Ber- cure the win. rien Springs this week for the Divi- Kim Gear had 17 points and 16 sion 5, Region 3, District 1 champi- rebounds; Sarah Sheffer had

#### Watervliet girls win two

The Watervliet girls varsity basketball team notched two more wins Marcellus 53-27 and Decatur 44-29

Coloma's only other serious scoragainst Marcellus, they took a 20-12 should be for the South Division Bethany Smith, Krista Travor, and

In the Decatur game, things were a Coach Eddy also pointed out that little sloppy as Watervliet held a 7-1 he is pleased with what these kids lead after one quarter and 16-7 at have accomplished this season, con- the half. The Lady Panthers then sidering the number of kids they went on to outscore the Lady Raiders 28-22 in the second half to se-

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steals: Katelyn Bryce had four Kimmy Smith and Kacey Darling chelle Ditchie had three points: Travor added four points. while Kathreen Cooper and Shannon McLaughlin each added two

The Lady Panthers will have In the Lawrence game, the Lady In their first game of the week, rence on Thursday, Nov. 4, for what

thers have drawn a first-round bye ter and 28-19 at the half. They then Coloma rushed for 157 yards, with Kim Gear had 18 points, four as- and will play the Bloomingdale-Brandon McLean gaining 79 yards sists, four steals, and five rebounds; Gobles winner on Wednesday night,

> The championship game will be Hartford girls

#### down Grace The Hartford girls varsity basketweek in a nonconference affair. This game was close all of the way, with Grace taking a 9-5 first-

Both teams scored 10 points apiece in the third quarter to make it

quarter lead and hanging on to a 21-

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#### gaining ground on leader Kurt Continued on page 14 Busch would have to wait another week. He fell to fifth place in the standings and is 98 points out of Ryan Newman won his eighth Coloma pole of the season. He finished 17th in Sunday's race, two laps down. **Wrestling Club** e is seventh in the standings. NASCAR heads to Phoenix registration nternational Speedway for the Checker Auto Parts 500 on Sunday. The race will air on NBC and

November 6 Coloma Wrestling Club is holding | coverage is scheduled to begin at a registration on Saturday, November 6, for Folkstyle and Freestyle Dale Jr. Wrestling. The CWC welcomes child and adult wrestlers 4 years old The registration will be held at the

Coloma High School gymnasium from 9:00 a.m. until 12:00 noon. The registration cost for folkstyle s \$25, for freestyle is \$45, or \$55 to Please bring a copy of each wrestler's birth certificate to the registra-If you have any questions, contact

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