

2026 STATE BOYS BASKETBALL

Tentative Starting Line-ups - Division 1

WISCONSIN LUTHERAN (28-0)

Coach Ryan Walz

No.	Name	Hgt.	Gr.	Pos.
1	Kager Knueppel	6-10	11	G
2	Riley Walz	6-0	11	G
23	Zavier Zens	6-7	12	G
32	Jamail Sewell	6-8	11	F
34	Kinston Knueppel	6-7	10	F

APPLETON NORTH

(24-4)

Coach Christopher Kellett

No.	Name	Hgt.	Gr.	Pos.
1	Will Sweeney	5-10	12	G
2	Matthew Rosplochowski	6-2	10	G
4	Nathan Ramus	6-2	12	G
5	Grant Hardy	6-4	12	G
14	Ben Zdzieblowski	6-6	12	F

DE PERE

(25-3)

Coach Brian Winchester

No.	Name	Hgt.	Gr.	Pos.
3	Noah Maniscalco	6-0	12	G
10	Jack Bookter	5-11	12	G
11	Will Krueger	6-5	11	G
22	Isaac Herlache	6-2	12	G
34	Bennett Reimer	6-4	12	F

MADISON MEMORIAL

(26-2)

Coach Steve Collins

No.	Name	Hgt.	Gr.	Pos.
4	Caleb Liggon	6-5	12	F
5	Cole Slack	6-5	12	F
11	Andrew Braun	6-2	12	G
15	LaVonte Johnson	6-2	9	F
22	Anthony Miller	6-2	12	G

Tentative Starting Line-ups - Division 2

SLINGER

(24-4)

Coach Alex Lavine

No.	Name	Hgt.	Gr.	Pos.
1	Joey Kohnen	6-5	10	F
2	Colton Mantz	6-4	12	F
3	Jack Kohnen	6-6	11	F
5	Bryson Fogle	6-0	12	G
22	Brett Palm	5-11	12	G

MCFARLAND

(23-5)

Coach Jeff Meinholdt

No.	Name	Hgt.	Gr.	Pos.
4	Braydon Fischer	6-0	10	G
5	Garrett Crull	6-4	11	G
20	Eli Krueger	6-9	11	F
30	Kam Meinholdt	5-7	11	G
33	Ben Bosold	6-2	12	F

WEST SALEM

(24-4)

Coach Shane Schmeling

No.	Name	Hgt.	Gr.	Pos.
0	Tyson Labus	6-6	12	F
1	Spencer Kammel	6-3	12	F
2	Will Schmidt	6-1	12	G
21	Nathan Dillaber	6-0	12	G
24	Drew McConkey	6-3	11	F

WHITEFISH BAY

(22-6)

Coach Ryan Fiet

No.	Name	Hgt.	Gr.	Pos.
2	Mace Miskel	5-11	10	G
3	Marcus Webb	6-1	12	G
4	Jack Broderson	6-2	11	G
5	Matthew Schoenfeldt	6-3	12	F
13	Colin Julien	6-3	11	F

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Tentative Starting Line-ups - Division 3

SEYMOUR

(27-1)

Coach Bobby Kuchta

No.	Name	Hgt.	Gr.	Pos.
1	Xavier Salzman	6-0	12	G
5	Sam Geyso	6-0	12	G
23	Kyler Marks	6-4	12	F
24	Jordan Krause	6-0	10	G
32	Isaac Feske	6-3	11	F

ST CROIX CENTRAL

(19-9)

Coach Matt Bailey

No.	Name	Hgt.	Gr.	Pos.
1	Braiden Rasmussen	6-0	12	G
3	Chayton Gottfredsen	6-3	12	G
4	Matyas Larson	6-4	12	G
23	Aaron Siler	6-0	11	PG
35	Tanner Grinnell	6-9	12	C

LAKE MILLS

(26-2)

Coach Steve Hicklin

No.	Name	Hgt.	Gr.	Pos.
1	Tyler Wollin	6-3	11	G
3	Nolan Kolkovich	6-3	12	F
4	Collin Christian	6-2	11	F
11	Ashton Winger	6-3	12	F
23	Brady Benish	6-1	12	G

RACINE ST CATHERINE'S

(22-4)

Coach Ryan Thompson

No.	Name	Hgt.	Gr.	Pos.
0	Ac Contreras Ward	6-3	12	F
2	Lamont Hamilton	6-0	12	PG
3	EJ Vinson	5-10	12	PG
4	Antoine Ozier	5-11	12	SG
12	Richard Watson	6-0	12	SF

Tentative Starting Line-ups - Division 4

BONDUEL

(25-3)

Coach Duke Copp

No.	Name	Hgt.	Gr.	Pos.
1	Quinn Wesenberg	6-3	11	G
14	Griffin Uelmen	5-9	12	G
21	Carter Moesch	6-2	11	G
5	Ryan Westrich	6-6	12	C
15	Jack Zernicke	6-1	11	G

CAMBRIDGE

(19-9)

Coach Alex Ranney

No.	Name	Hgt.	Gr.	Pos.
1	Jett Horton	6-1	12	G
3	Ian Nelles	6-0	10	G
4	Evan Harbort	6-4	10	F
5	Cal Nottestad	6-5	12	F
12	Cash Cunningham	6-0	10	G

MILWAUKEE JUNEAU

(26-1)

Coach Torre Johnson

No.	Name	Hgt.	Gr.	Pos.
1	Dooney Johnson	6-6	11	G
3	Takis Tyler	6-0	12	G
11	Jaden Hardiman	6-5	12	F
4	Jasan Dennis	6-0	12	G
24	Jaidyn Ceballos	6-1	11	F

REGIS

(23-5)

Coach Connor Miller

No.	Name	Hgt.	Gr.	Pos.
0	DJ Cooper	6-0	10	PG
21	Blake Risler	6-4	12	SG
24	Bennett Risler	6-3	9	SG
20	Joey Brahmer	6-3	11	F
34	Ben Balts	6-3	11	C

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Tentative Starting Line-ups - Division 5

REEDSVILLE

(26-3)

Coach Ron Prochnow

No.	Name	Hgt.	Gr.	Pos.
0	Will Taddy	6-1	12	G
3	Arden Strenn	6-3	12	F
4	Ben Prochnow	5-10	12	G
5	Zach Prochnow	5-11	10	G
45	Jack Schwahn	6-0	12	F

SHEBOYGAN LUTHERAN

(23-6)

Coach Nick Verhagen

No.	Name	Hgt.	Gr.	Pos.
2	Mccoey Michael	5-10	10	PG
3	Brennen Hackbarth	6-5	12	F
5	James Schulze	6-4	11	F
11	Oliver Leibham	5-11	11	PG
24	Ben Verhagen	6-2	11	SG

PRENTICE

(25-3)

Coach Adam Blomberg

No.	Name	Hgt.	Gr.	Pos.
0	Matti Heikkinen	5-3	11	F
3	Heston Hueckman	5-10	12	G
21	Hagan Isaacson	6-1	11	G
30	Aidan Hause	6-4	12	C
33	Evan Lord	6-3	12	F

SOUTHWESTERN

(23-6)

Coach Clinton Nemitz

No.	Name	Hgt.	Gr.	Pos.
0	Remi Lawrence	5-10	12	G
1	Aiden Keleher	6-0	12	G
2	Carsen Splinter	5-11	11	G
22	Cayden DeMuth	6-2	12	F
34	Drew Martin	6-0	12	F

WIAA 2026 STATE BOYS BASKETBALL - PLAYER INFORMATION

DIVISION 1

WISCONSIN LUTHERAN:

Zavier Zens: Committed to Northern Iowa for basketball. 2026 Wisconsin Mr. Basketball Finalist (as of this submission). Two-time Woodland West Conference Player of the Year (2026 and 2025). 2025 Beach Ball Classic MVP. 2025 WBCA D1 First Team All-State. 2024 Woodland West Second Team All-Conference. 1570 career points, third on school's all-time scoring list behind Kon Knueppel '24 (1978) and Flavien Davis '09 (1615). 304 career assists, third on school's all-time assists list behind Kon Knueppel '24 (398) and Prentice Young '23 (347). 149 career three-point makes, second in school history behind Kon Knueppel '24 (229). Cousin of the Knueppel family (Kager, Kinston, Kash on current roster; Kon with Charlotte Hornets).

Kager Knueppel: Offers from Wisconsin, Purdue, DePaul, Butler, and Toledo for basketball. Two-time Woodland West First Team All-Conference (2026 and 2025). 2025 WBCA D1 Honorable Mention All-State. Brother of 2024 Mr. Basketball Kon Knueppel (now with Charlotte Hornets), and Kinston and Kash (on current roster). Cousin of Xavier Zens.

Kinston Knueppel: 2026 Woodland West Second Team All-Conference. Brother of 2024 Mr. Basketball Kon Knueppel (now with Charlotte Hornets), and Kager and Kash (on current roster). Cousin of Xavier Zens.

Riley Walz: 2026 Woodland West Second Team All-Conference. Son of head coach Ryan Walz.

Jamail Sewell: Football offers from Minnesota, Eastern Michigan, Western Michigan, Liberty, and Toledo.

Head Coach Ryan Walz: Four state championships (2025, 2024, 2014, 2009), one state runner-up (2013), 12 conference championships. 2025 WBCA State Coach of the Year, 2024 AP State Coach of the Year. One of only three head coaches in program history (Glenn Raasch 1956-1987, Dale Walz (Ryan's father) 1988-2009). Became program's all-time wins leader in February, surpassing Glenn Raasch, who won 363 games in 32 seasons. Brother of Kettle Moraine Lutheran girls head coach Jason Walz. Father of #2 Riley Walz.

APPLETON NORTH:

Grant Hardy was unanimous first team all conference and Academic All State. Grant plans to play basketball at Winona State next year.

Nathan Ramus was First team all conference, All defensive team in the FVA and Academic All State. He plans to play basketball at Northern Michigan next year.

Will Sweeney was First Team All Conference in the FVA this season. He is undecided on next year, but plans to play basketball somewhere.

Matt Rosplochowski was voted 2nd team all conference in the FVA.

-We had 12 athletes receive Academic All State Recognition.

DE PERE:

Will Krueger - POY FRCC / 1st Team - Offers from Michigan Tech and Lake Superior State

Noah Maniscalco - 1st Team FRCC - Deciding between UWEC, Lawrence, and Lake Forest

Jack Bookter - 2nd Team FRCC / All Defensive team

Isaac Herlache - HM FRCC

Bennett Reimer - All Defensive Team

Silas Cohen - HM FRCC

MADISON MEMORIAL:

1st Team all Conference Anthony Miller

2nd Team all Conference Andrew Braun and Caleb Liggon

HM Ezra Liggon

Anthony is the all time leading 3 point shooter in

Liggon brothers are identical twins, MLB prospects playing baseball at Bradley

Brayden Banyai baseball at UW-Milwaukee

Anthony Miller became a 1000 point scorer during the tournament

DIVISION 2

SLINGER:

#1 Joey Kohnen - 2nd team all conference, multiple high D1 offers.

#2 Colton Mantz - UW Superior basketball commit.

#3 Jack Kohnen - 1st team all conference, conference player of the year, multiple high D1 offers.

#5 Bryson Fogle - Honorable mention all conference.

#22 Brett Palm - Honorable mention conference.

MCFARLAND:

Eli Krueger: Badger Small All Conference 1st Team, Badger Small Conference All Defensive Team

Garrett Crull: Badger Small All Conference 1st Team

Kam Meinholdt: Badger Small All Conference Honorable Mention

Braydon Fischer: Badger Small All Conference Honorable Mention

WEST SALEM:

Drew McConkey- 1st team All-Conference, Player of the Year, All-Conference Quarterback, All four McConkey Kids have played in WIAA State tournaments, CJ Basketball-2022, Brett Football-2022 Basketball-2022 and 2023, Anna Basketball 2023, Drew Basketball 2024 and 2026

Tyson Labus 1st Team All-Conference Played on 2024 State Team, UW-Superior Commit
Spencer Kammel HM All-Conference Played on 2024 State Team
Nathan Dillaber 2nd Team All-Conference, Played on 2024 State Team
Elliot Corcoran HM All-Conference
Tavaryies Henderson- Brother played on 2023, 2024 State Team

Assistant Coach Tucker Wildes played on Royall State Basketball teams

Shane Schmeling- Won a State Title as Bangors Girls Head Coach in 1997. Also took the Onalaska girls team to state in the covid year when the D-2 piece was in LaCrosse in 2021.

WHITEFISH BAY:

Marcus Webb: 3 Year Starter, 3 Time All-Conference; 2nd Team All-Conference (25-26 Season) 1000 Point Scorer

Colin Julien: 3 Year Varsity Player, 1st Team All-Conference (25-26 Season)

Mace Miskel: 2nd Year Varsity Player, Honorable Mention All-Conference (25-26 Season)

Jack Brodersen: 3 Year Starter

DIVISION 3**SEYMOUR:**

Kyler Marks - 1st Team All Bay Conference/Bay Conference Player of the Year
Isaac Feske - 2nd Team All Bay Conference
Jordan Krause - 2nd Team All Bay Conference
Xavier Salzman - Bay Conference Defensive Player of the Year
Sam Geysso - Bay Conference All Defensive 1st Team

ST CROIX CENTRAL:

Tanner Grinnell- 2nd team All Conference (2024-25 & 2025-26)
Matyas Larson- 2nd team All Conference (2025-26) All Conference Honorable Mention (2024-25)
Braiden Rasmussen- All Conference Honorable Mention (2025-26)

LAKE MILLS:

Capitol North Player of the year - Tyler Wollin
1st Team All-Conference - Tyler Wollin
1st Team All-Conference - Brady Benish
2nd Team All-Conference - Collin Christian
HM All conference - Ashton Winger

Brady Benish is Attending Dubuque University

RACINE ST CATHERINE'S:

2024 D4 Football State Champions
Football player - Ac Contreras Ward 2x All State Defensive Ed
Football player - Lamont Hamilton University of Minnesota Commit Defensive Back
All State WR and DB, All State Basketball Junior year, Metro Classic Multiple 1st Teamer, All Defensive Player, This year Surpassed 2000 pts this season, holds the St. Catherine's All time leading Scoring Record as a Junior and as a Senior now is the Racine County All Time leading Scorer
Football player - EJ Vinson QB for the State Champion FB team, All State QB Metro Classic MVP, St Catherine's All Time Passing TD and Single Season Passing yards Leader, 2x SC Offensive MVP
Antoine Ozier

DIVISION 4**BONDUEL:**

Quinn Wesenberg - 2-time 1st team all-conference (CWC East), 1,207 career points, 42-0 conference record first 3 seasons, intends to play college basketball.
Griffin Uelmen - had career high 26 points in sectional final win over Marathon, Hon Mention all-conference this season, past state qualifier in cross country & track.
Carter Moesch - 2nd team all-conference this season, 42-0 conference record first 3 seasons, 40% career 3-point shooter, intends to play college football.
Ryan Westrich - all-time leading scorer & rebounder in school history, 2-time 1st team all-conference (CWC East), team MVP junior season, all-state honorable mention JR year, all-state tournament team 2024-25, will play football at Western Michigan next year, 98-14 overall record in 4 seasons as a varsity starter

CAMBRIDGE:

Conference Awards 2026- First Team- Cal Nottestad Second Team- Jett Horton, Evan Harbort Honorable Mention- Oscar Brown, Cash Cunningham

Conference Awards 2025- First Team- Jett Horton Honorable Mention- Cal Nottestad

MILWAUKEE JUNEAU:

Dooney Johnson – Two-time Wisconsin All-State selection and two-time Milwaukee City Conference Player of the Year. Two-time Regional Champion and the Milwaukee Juneau 's all-time leading scorer with over 2,000 career points. Committed to play Division I basketball at Gonzaga University

Takis Tyler – Four-time First Team All-Conference selection and two-time Regional Champion. One of the most decorated players in program history and the second all-time leading scorer in Milwaukee Juneau history.

Jaden Hardiman – First Team All-Conference selection and two-time Regional Champion. A relentless presence in the paint and the all-time leading re-bouncer in Milwaukee Juneau basketball history.

REGIS:

DJ Cooper - 1st team all conference

Blake Risler - POY and 1st team all conference. Going to play at d3 St Johns in Minnesota, single game scoring record of 56 in our regional final game. Closing in on 800 points this year alone and nearing 2k for his career.

Bennett Risler - 2nd team all conference

Joey Brahmer - Honorable Mention all conference

DIVISION 5**REEDSVILLE:**

Ben Prochnow POY Big East North 2026, 3 Time 1st team all conference , career scoring leader with 1759 points, career assists leader with 829 assists. College Bound Player but undecided where.

Arden Strenn 2026 1st team all conference, 2025 honorable mention all conference, 1145 career points scored.

Jack Schwahn, 2026 honorable mention all conference, school record 10 3 point shots made in a game vs Chilton.

SHEBOYGAN LUTHERAN:

Hackbarth, 1500+ Career Points Scored (7th in Program History), 600+ Career Rebounds (5th in Program History) 1st Team All Conference, Captin, Playing Basketball at St Norberts next season.

O Leibham, 900+ Career Points Scored, 2nd Team All Conference, Captain

M Michael, 2nd Team All Conference, Captain

PRENTICE:

Evan Lord - First Team All Conference, Channel 7 All-Star

Aidan Hause - First Team All Conference

Hardy Hueckman - Second Team All Conference

Matti Heikkinen - Honorable Mention All Conference

Heston Hueckman - Marawood Conference All-Defensive Team

Hagan Isaacson - Honorable Mention All Conference

SOUTHWESTERN:

Aiden Keleher: 3-time 1st-team SWAL all-conference. WBCA Academic All-State. 2024-25 WBCA All-State honorable mention.

Became the 6th member of Southwestern's 1,000 point club in the first game of the season this year. Southwestern High School's all-time scoring leader. Prior to the state tournament games, Aiden has 1,417 career points.

Carsen Splinter: 2025-26 1st-team SWAL all-conference. Prior to the state tournament games, Carsen is 51 points away from joining the 1,000 point club at Southwestern.

Cayden DeMuth: 2025-26 Honorable Mention SWAL all-conference.