

Legends of Leipsic

Dale Chamberlain **1954 – 1956 930 Points**

Dale played in an era when there were few local individual awards to win other than recognition in the PCL.

Dale began his varsity basketball career at Leipsic in 1954 when he scored 221 points.

Leipsic, 22-4, won the Putnam County Tournament, the Sectional and District Tournament, but lost in the Regionals to Delphos St. Johns, 61-53.

In 1955, he scored 315 points.

The Vikings, 17-6, won the PCL and the Putnam County Tournament, but lost in the Sectionals to Cory Rawson, 77-54.

In 1956, Dale scored 394 points and was named 1st Team All-PCL.

Leipsic, 21-4, won the Putnam County Tournament and Sectionals, but lost to Troy Luckey in the Districts, 81-59.

For his career, Dale scored 930 points. During his tenure, Leipsic was 60-14.

Ken Kuhlman **1954 – 1956 939 Points**

Ken played in an era when there were few local individual awards to win other than recognition in the PCL.

Ken began his varsity basketball career at Leipsic in 1954 when he scored 108 points.

Leipsic, 22-4, won the Putnam County Tournament, the Sectional and District Tournament, but lost in the Regionals to Delphos St. Johns, 61-53.

In 1955, he scored 337 points. Ken was named to the 1st Team-All Putnam County Tournament.

The Vikings, 17-6, won the PCL and the Putnam County Tournament, but lost in the Sectionals to Cory Rawson, 77-54.

In 1956, Ken scored 494 points and was named 1st Team All-PCL.

Leipsic, 21-4, won the Putnam County Tournament and Sectionals, but lost to Troy Luckey in the Districts, 81-59.

For his career, Ken scored 939 points. During his tenure, Leipsic was 60-14.

Denny Haselman **1960 – 1962 852 Points**

Denny played in an era when there were few local individual awards to win other than recognition in the PCL.

He started his varsity basketball career at Leipsic in 1960 when he scored 48 points.

Leipsic, 24-3, won a PCL, Putnam County Tournament, Sectional and District Championship, but lost in the Regionals to New Bremen, 71-51.

In 1961 he scored 401 points and was named 1st Team All-PCL.

The Vikings, 10-13, placed 3rd in the Putnam County Tournament, but lost to Crestview in the Sectionals, 60-50.

In 1962, Denny scored 403 points. He was named 1st Team All-PCL and PCL Player of the Year.

For his career, Denny scored 852 points. During his tenure, Leipsic was 43-25.

Stan Haselman **1967 – 1970 1,057 Points**

First Leipsic Player to Score 1,000 Points

Stan played in an era when there were few local individual awards to win other than recognition in the PCL.

In 1967, Stan started his varsity basketball career at Leipsic when he scored 113 points.

In 1968, he scored 233 points.

1969, Stan scored 305 points.

In 1970, he scored 406 points. Stan was named 1st Team All-PCL.

For his career, Stan scored 1,057 points.

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Duane Niese

1973 – 1976 1,240 Points

Duane Niese began his high school varsity basketball career at Leipsic in 1973 when he scored 124 points with 59 rebounds.

In 1974, Duane scored 378 points with 266 rebounds. He was named 1st Team All-PCL and 1st Team All-BVC.

In 1975, Duane scored 394 points with 181 rebounds. He was named 1st Team All-PCL, 1st Team All-BVC and Honorable Mention Northwestern Ohio.

In 1976, Duane scored 344 points with 176 rebounds. He was named 2nd Team All-PCL, 1st Team All-BVC and Honorable Mention Northwestern Ohio.

For his career, Duane scored 1,240 points with 682 rebounds.

Tom Brown

1980 – 1982 1,032 Points

In 1980, Tom started his high school basketball career at Leipsic when he scored 196 points.

In 1981, Tom scored 401 points with 259 rebounds. He was named 1st Team All-PCL, 1st Team All-BVC, 2nd Team District 8 and Special Mention Northwestern Ohio.

Leipsic, 13-9, won a Sectional Championship, but lost to Ottoville in the Districts, 54-52.

In 1982, Tom had his best season when he scored 435 points with 272 rebounds. He was named 1st Team All-PCL, PCL Player of the Year, 1st Team All-BVC, BVC Player of the Year, 1st Team District 8, 1st Team Northwestern Ohio and 2nd Team All-Ohio.

The Vikings, 18-3, won the PCL and BVC Titles, but were upset in the Sectionals to Miller City when Leipsic lost 64-55.

For his career, Tom scored 1,032 points with 560 rebounds. During his tenure, Leipsic was 40-23.

Nick Kreinbrink

1995 – 1997 1,353 Points

Nick Kreinbrink began his varsity high school basketball career at Leipsic High School in 1995 by scoring 359 points with 187 rebounds. He was named 1st Team All-PCL, 2nd Team All-BVC and Honorable Mention Northwestern Ohio.

In 1996, Nick scored 537 points with 294 rebounds. He was named 1st Team All-PCL, 1st Team All-BVC, 2nd Team District 8 and 2nd Team Northwestern Ohio.

Leipsic, 15-8, won a Sectional Championship, but lost to Kalida in the District Finals, 56-54.

In 1997, Nick scored 457 points with 307 rebounds. He was named 1st Team All-PCL, PCL Player of the Year, 1st Team All-BVC, BVC Player of the Year, 1st District 8, 1st Team Northwestern Ohio and 2nd Team All-Ohio.

Leipsic, 23-2, won a PCL, BVC, Sectional and District Championship, but lost to Lincolnview in the Regional Finals, 69-62.

For his career, Nick scored 1,353 points with 790 rebounds. During his tenure, Leipsic was 51-19.

After high school graduation, Nick went to Northwestern University where he participated in football and baseball.

Liam Nadler

2008 – 2011 1,045 Points

In 2008, Liam started his high school varsity basketball career at Leipsic when he scored 60 points with 25 rebounds.

In 2009, Liam scored 341 points with 207 rebounds.

Leipsic, 10-13, won a Sectional Championship, but lost to Pettisville in the Districts, 59-46.

In 2010, Liam scored 299 points with 197 rebounds. He was named 2nd Team All-BVC.

In 2011, Liam had his best season when he scored 345 points with 205 rebounds. He was named 1st Team All-PCL, 1st Team All-BVC and 1st Team District 8.

Leipsic, 16-7, won a Sectional Championship, but lost to McComb in the Districts, 49-48.

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For his career, Liam scored 1,045 points with 634 rebounds. During his last three years, Leipsic was 38-30.

Devin Mangas **2010 – 2013 1,087 Points**

In 2010, Devin started his high school varsity basketball career at Leipsic when he scored 31 points with 6 rebounds, 6 steals and 2 assists.

In 2011, Devin scored 180 points with 22 rebounds, 23 steals and 25 assists.

Leipsic, 16-7, won a Sectional Championship, but lost in the Districts to McComb, 49-48.

In 2012, Devin scored 336 points with 76 rebounds, 39 steals and 57 assists. He was named 2nd Team All-PCL, 2nd Team All-BVC and Honorable Mention Northwestern Ohio.

Leipsic, 16-5, won a PCL Championship.

In 2013, Devin had his best season when he scored 540 points with 106 rebounds, 71 steals and 76 assists. He was named 1st Team All-PCL, PCL Player of the Year, 1st Team All-BVC, 1st Team District 8 and 2nd Team Northwestern Ohio.

Leipsic, 25-5, won a PCL, Sectional, District and Regional Championship. The Vikings lost to Villa-Angela St. Joseph's in the State Championship game 87-63.

For his career, Devin scored 1,087 points with 214 rebounds, 139 steals and 160 assists. During his tenure, Leipsic was 69-27.

Zach Kuhlman **2011 – 2014 1,131 Points**

Zach began his varsity basketball career at Leipsic in 2011 when he scored just 4 points with 1 rebound. However, this was just the beginning.

Leipsic, 16-7, won a Sectional Championship, but lost in the Districts to McComb, 49-48.

In 2012, Zach scored 257 points with 39 rebounds, 32 steals and 25 assists. He was named 3rd Team All-BVC. Leipsic, 16-5, won a PCL Championship.

In 2013, he scored 402 points with 70 rebounds, 43 steals and 30 assists. He was named 2nd Team All-PCL, 2nd Team All-BVC, 1st Team District 8 and Special Mention Northwestern Ohio.

The Vikings, 25-5, won a PCL, Sectional, District and Regional Championship, but lost to Villa Angela St. Joseph 87-63 in the State Finals.

In 2014, Zach had his best season when he scored 468 points with 98 rebounds, 55 steals and 66 assists. He was named 1st Team All-PCL, PCL Player of the Year, 1st Team All-BVC, 1st Team District 8, 1st Team Northwestern Ohio and 3rd Team All-Ohio.

For his career, Zach scored 1,131 points with 208 rebounds, 130 steals and 121 assists. During his tenure, Leipsic was 53-22.

Jordan Brown **2014 – 2016 1,039**

Jordan began his varsity basketball career at Leipsic in 2014 when he scored 262 points with 186 rebounds, 21 steals and 24 assists. He was named 3rd Team All-BVC.

In 2015, Jordan scored 323 points with 200 rebounds, 45 steals and 34 assists. He was named 1st Team All-PCL, 2nd Team All-BVC and Honorable Mention Northwestern Ohio.

The Vikings, 13-12, won a Sectional Championship, but lost in the Districts to Delphos St. Johns, 63-41.

In 2016, he had his best season when he scored 454 points with 302 rebounds, 51 steals and 51 assists. Jordan was named 1st Team All-PCL, PCL Player of the Year, 1st Team All-BVC, 1st Team District 8, 1st Team Northwestern Ohio and 3rd Team All-Ohio.

Leipsic, 20-5, won a BVC and Sectional Championship, but lost to Crestview in the Districts, 61-54.

For his career, Jordan scored 1,039 points with 688 rebounds, 117 steals and 109 assists. During his tenure, Leipsic was 47-29.

Mason Brandt **2019 – 2022 1,376**

LEIPSIC'S #1 SCORER

Mason began his varsity high school career at Leipsic in 2019 when he scored 33 points with 11 rebounds, 7 steals and 11 assists.

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In 2020, he scored 299 points with 110 rebounds, 26 steals and 64 assists. Mason was named 2nd Team All-PCL and 2nd Team All-BVC.

In 2021, Mason scored 403 points with 171 rebounds, 40 steals and 116 assists. He was named 1st Team All-PCL, 1st Team All-BVC, 2nd Team District 8 and 3rd Team Northwestern Ohio.

In 2022, he scored 641 points with 203 rebounds, 47 steals and 99 assists. Mason was name 1st Team All-PCL and Player of the Year, 1st Team All-NWC and Player of the Year, 1st Team District 8 and Player of the Year, 1st Team Northwestern Ohio and 2nd Team All-Ohio.

Leipsic won a PCL Championship along with Ottoville and Pandora-Gilboa.

For his career, Mason scored 1,376 points with 495 rebounds, 120 steals and 290 assists. During his tenure, the Vikings were 52-41.