

Dexter Dunken, All-Stater Coming to Ottawa-Glandorf?

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It was announced Tuesday, April 1, that 6-8 sophomore, Dexter Dunken, from Seneca Falls, New York is transferring to Ottawa-Glandorf High School this coming fall.

The basketball phenomenon was all-state this past season, averaged an unbelievable 34.5 points, 19 rebounds, six assists and five blocked shots per game. He played every position for the Seneca Runnin' Rebels.

The reason for his moving to Ottawa is that his father, Darnell Dunken, is being transferred to the Philips ECG Plant here from the Philips plant in Seneca Falls.

In one game this past year, Dunken scored 67 points which included 26 of 27 field goal performance with nine slam dunks, one of those a double 360.

The Dunkens are expected to move to Ottawa following the end of the current school year.

If you haven't caught on yet, this was an APRIL FOOLS JOKE that Sport's Editor, Chris Benson, pulled on the readers of the Putnam County Sentinel on April 1, 1975.