

1939 High School Boys' Basketball Putnam County League Tournament

Ottawa Public 22			
Thur, Feb 16, 8:00, Game 2	Ottawa SPPS 23	Sat, Feb 18, 7:00, Game 8	Palmer 25
Ottawa SPPS 23	Palmer 26		
Pandora 34		Fri, Feb 24, 7:30, Game 12	Glandorf 17
Fri, Feb 17, 8:00, Game 5	Pandora 24		
Crawfis College 22	Sat, Feb 18, 8:00, Game 9	Glandorf 53	
	Glandorf 49		
Vaughnsville 21			
Fri, Feb 17, 10:00, Game 7	Leipsic 34	Sat, Feb 25, 10:00, Game 17	LEIPSIC
Leipsic 25	Sat, Feb 18, 10:00, Game 11	Leipsic 20	
	Columbus Grove 22	Fri, Feb 24, 9:30, Game 14	Leipsic 23
	Ottoville 26		
	Sat, Feb 18, 9:00, Game 10	Continental 18	
	Continental 31		
		Palmer 24	
		Sat, Feb 25, 8:00, Game 15	Continental
		Continental 28	

Site - Leipsic
Tournament Manager - A. E. Shively
Officials - Robert Hipp & Robert Oldfather
Timer - Earl Shaffer
Scorer - John R. White

Phones will be available at the Putnam County Tournament for the first time. Fans who couldn't make it to the game could call the operator, ask for the 'Leipsic Gym' and get tournament updates.

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Pandora 37			
Thur, Feb 15, 8:00, Game 2	Pandora 27		
Fort Jennings 21	Fri, Feb 16, 10:00, Game 8	Pandora 30	
	Palmer 26		
Glandorf 0		Fri, Feb 23, 7:30, Game 12	Ottoville 30
Thur, Feb 15, 10:00, Game 4	Blanchard 12		
Blanchard 2	Sat, Feb 17, 7:30, Game 9	Ottoville 46	
	Ottoville 61		
Continental 32			
Fri, Feb 16, 7:00, Game 5	Vaughnsville 51	Sat, Feb 24, 9:30, Game 17	VAUGHNSVILLE
Vaughnsville 42	Sat, Feb 17, 8:30, Game 10	Vaughnsville 47	
	Columbus Grove 18	Fri, Feb 23, 9:30, Game 14	Vaughnsville 42
Leipsic 33			
Fri, Feb 16, 8:00, Game 6	Ottawa Public 40	Ottawa Public 38	
Ottawa Public 35	Sat, Feb 17, 9:30, Game 11		
	Ottawa SPPS 13		
		Pandora 38	
		Sat, Feb 24, 7:30, Game 15	Ottawa Public
		Ottawa Public 44	

Site - Ottawa
Tournament Manager - C. J. Rasmus
Officials - Jack Lehman & Harris Lamb

From 1924 through 1940, the Putnam County Tournament for boys' and girls' basketball was held in Ottawa or Leipsic. From 1924-1930 and 1940, the tournament was in Ottawa and from 1931-1939, in Leipsic. Columbus Grove's gym was used for the girls' finals for some years from 1933 on. The Leipsic gym was very busy with the Putnam County Tournament and the District Tournament which was sometimes held in Leipsic beginning in 1933. This was also the last year for girls' basketball. It started back up in the 1960's, but didn't get back to as it is today until 1976.