

Putnam County Basketball 1953 - 1962

Boys' All PCL and PCLT Teams

1954 PCLT		1955 PCLT		1956 PCL	
1st Team Tom Lanwehr Dan Stechschulte Bill Warren Bill Schlagbaum Elmer Meyer	School Ottawa SPPS Kalida Leipsic Ottoville Miller City	1st Team Norm Liebrecht Leo Morman Larry Johnson Ken Kuhlman Joe Stechschulte	School Miller City Miller City Leipsic Leipsic Glandorf	1st Team Norm Liebrecht Dale Chamberlain Ken Kuhlman Ray Johnston Jim Fanger	School Miller City Leipsic Leipsic Continental Kalida
2nd Team Dale Jenkins Tom Reichenbach John Miller Francis Friend Bob Perkey Fred Russell	School Columbus Grove Pandora Gilboa Ottoville Continental Ottawa Public Leipsic	1957 PCL		2nd Team Jerry Meuleman Tom Recker Jack Callahan Ken Vennekotter William Selhorst	School Vaughnsville Kalida Columbus Grove Miller City Columbus Grove
1958 PCL		1st Team Ken Vennekotter Elmer Lammers Dave Brennen Vince Schimmoeller Ron VonderEmbse	School Miller City Miller City Ottawa Public Fort Jennings Kalida	1960 PCL	
2nd Team Denny Luebrecht Jim Fischer Gerald Gross Jerry Pohlman Gene Nartker	School Fort Jennings Glandorf Leipsic Ottoville Kalida	2nd Team Dave Brennen Ray Johnston Dave Laudick Ron VonderEmbse	School Ottawa Public Continental Ottawa SPPS Kalida	1st Team Gerry Schomaeker Bob Wyant Bill Giffin Duane Deken Larry Burkhart	School Ottawa SPPS Leipsic Ottawa Public Kalida Miller City
1959 PCL		2nd Team		2nd Team	
1st Team Ken Heckman Gerry Schomaeker Roger Schumaker Ken Kern Jim Schmidebush	School Glandorf Ottawa SPPS Ottawa SPPS Miller City Kalida	Ted Ruhe Bob Wittler Roger Schlagbaum Gene Deatrick Bob Wyant	School Ottawa SPPS Fort Jennings Ottoville Continental Leipsic	Gerald Grant Mike Walls Don Schlagbaum Dick Mangas Jim Laudick	School Continental Continental Ottoville Leipsic Kalida
Player of the Year		Player of the Year		Player of the Year	
Ken Vennekotter Miller City	Ken Heckman Glandorf		Gerry Schomaeker Ottawa SPPS		Charles Violet Leipsic
Coach of the Year		Coaches of the Year		Coach of the Year	
Cot Marquette Miller City	Willard Kellog Ottawa SPPS Bob Mumaugh Continental	Dennis Hazelman Leipsic Gerald Grant Continental John Steffen Miller City Paul Etter Pandora-Gilboa Bill Goecke Glandorf		Charles Violet Leipsic	
1961 PCL		1958 PCL		1962 PCL	
1st Team Jerry Stechschulte Gerald Grant Dennis Hazelman Mel Verhoff Tom Niese	School Columbus Grove Continental Leipsic Glandorf Kalida	1958 was the first year that the selection process for picking an All-PCL Team, Player of the Year and Coach of the Year was used with only the coaches voting. This method is still used today. This process was first thought to have started in 1951, but the selection method was still done differently each year until 1958.		1st Team Dennis Hazelman Gerald Grant John Steffen Paul Etter Bill Goecke	School Leipsic Continental Miller City Pandora-Gilboa Glandorf
2nd Team John Steffen Jack Nienberg Ken Schroeder Bob Moening Lynn Darbyshire Francis Martin	School Miller City Glandorf Fort Jennings Ottawa Public Columbus Grove Ottawa SPPS	2nd Team Don Lammers Gary Compton Gene VonLehmden Jim Williams Bill Fischer		School Miller City Ottawa Fort Jennings Kalida Glandorf	
Player of the Year		Player of the Year		Player of the Year	
Jerry Stechschulte Columbus Grove	Dennis Hazelman Leipsic		Dennis Hazelman Leipsic		Jim Knox Pandora-Gilboa
Coach of the Year		Coach of the Year		Coach of the Year	
Tom Weber Glandorf	Jim Knox Pandora-Gilboa		Jim Knox Pandora-Gilboa		Jim Knox Pandora-Gilboa