



Bishop Luers High School

Home of the Knights

Girls' Basketball – State Champions Again!

Meet the Coaches...

Coach Denny Renier, 22 years at Bishop Luers as Head JV and Assistant Varsity Coach, revitalized our girls' basketball program when he stepped up to Head Coach. In his first two years leading the program, Denny has led the Lady Knights to a state runner-up finish in 2010 and to **our 6th State Championship this past year!!** That's a State record!! Our girls also won the tough SAC Conference Title in 2011 and carved out a **fantastic 24-2 overall record!** Coach Renier has been on the bench for all 6 state titles and 2 state runner-ups. There is no feeling like winning an Indiana State Basketball Championship!!!

Assistant Coaches are **Kevin Roberts, Mike Stoffel, Tom O'Brien, Phil Schultheis, Dave Schultheis, Bernie Lohmuller, Stu Oberley, Linda Luegring and Dan Wyss.** Most of the coaches have been with our program for many years. Tom O'Brien (in his 20th year), Phil Schultheis and Dave Schultheis run the spring **Luers Jr. High Basketball development program (LJB).** Our goal in the LJB program is not about winning at that Jr. High level, but rather **it is to develop the girls to become the best basketball players they can be by the time they enter high school!!** The other goal is to make it a **fun experience** for the girls. Another extension of our Jr. Development program is the **Sunday Open Gyms** for all 5th through 8th grade girls who would like to improve their basketball skills. There they will receive invaluable teaching from Bishop Luers' actual coaches, meet new girls and have a lot of fun at our infamous Luers Open Gyms!



Sam Hoffman - Journal Gazette

IF YOU HAVE ANY QUESTIONS ABOUT THE BASKETBALL PROGRAM, PLEASE CALL OR EMAIL COACH O'BRIEN AT 747-2909/494-8100
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Lady Knights Sparkling History...

Since 1999 the Lady Knights have been crowned state champs six times. Head coaches Gary Andrews (1999, 2000, 2001 State Titles) and Teri Rosinski (2002, 2006 State Titles) led the charge back then, with Coach Renier assisting. Coach Renier (2011 state title) returned to the stage and clinched yet another Lady Knight State Title! Our Prep Sports/21 Alive Basketball "**Players of the Year**" from Bishop Luers include: Stephanie Gerardot, Rachel King, Brierra Young, Amanda Pedro, Megan Dossen and Markee Martin. Six winners from Bishop Luers in 12 years!! Other top players include Sara Shaefer (IHSAA Mental Attitude Award Winner), Emily Loomis, Jennie Moppert, Jessica Hathaway, Michelle Hamlin, Marie Kaufmann and Kelsey Wyss. Top Luers players in earlier days include: Nancy Rehm, Angie Harris, Sara Stroncsek, Amy Parrett, Kely Sandels, Janet Libbing and Kate Murphy.



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