

## IN BRIEF

### 5 Berrien Springs lifters make state

Five Berrien Springs High School athletes have qualified for the MHSPLA state championships, which will be held March 7.

Finishing in first place were Matt Smith, Phillip Paca, Steven Spenner and Jessica Forraht. Finishing second was Terrence Crawford.

The five qualified at a regional meet in Edwardsburg on Saturday.

### Area girls earn All-State indoor track

Five area girls earned All-State status at the Michigan Indoor Track state finals, held Saturday at Central Michigan University.

Lakeshore's Abby Bansen finished fourth in the triple jump, with a leap of 32-feet-7 1/4.

The 3200 relay team of Kelsey Ramirez (Lakeshore), Aubrey Ritchey (Edwardsburg), Summer Lennartz (St. Joseph) and Gabby Tivolacci (Watervliet) also was All-State, placing eighth with a time of 10:19.

### LMC women beat Grand Rapids

Lexi Hobbs had 14 points and 17 rebounds, and teammate Lacorsica Metts added 17 points, seven rebounds and seven assists as the Lake Michigan College women's basketball team defeated Grand Rapids Community College 77-54 on Monday.

Kaitelyn Smith added 13 points and seven rebounds for LMC (14-1 MCCA West, 23-4), which closes out the regular season Wednesday at Kellogg Community College.

### LMC men beat Grand Rapids

Ken Coates had 19 points and T.J. Scott added

a double-double with 13 points and 10 rebounds as Lake Michigan College men's basketball team defeated Grand Rapids Community College 84-71 on Monday.

Roy Napier added 15 points and five assists for LMC (8-7 MCCA West, 16-12), which led by as many as 20 points in the second half.

### No. 21 MSU women roll past Minnesota

EAST LANSING (AP) — Tori Jankoska scored 16 of her 21 points in the first half, including four 3-pointers, as No. 21 Michigan State beat Minnesota 75-61 on Monday.

Michigan State got out to a 16-point first half lead, after making 6 of 9 3-pointers, and led by double-digits for the first 16 minutes of the second half.

The Spartans (19-8, 11-3 Big Ten) are now tied in the conference loss column with No. 16 Nebraska and No. 8 Penn State.

Michigan State's leading scorer, freshman Aerial Powers, fouled out with 8:59 left in the second half, and finished with seven points.

### Pistons can't get past Golden State

AUBURN HILLS, Mich. (AP) — Stephen Curry had 19 points, nine assists and eight rebounds, and the Golden State Warriors clamped down on the Detroit Pistons in the second half of a 104-96 victory Monday night.

Klay Thompson scored 19 points for Golden State, which has won four in a row.

The Pistons have lost five of seven since firing Maurice Cheeks and replacing him with interim coach John Loyer.

The Warriors were still without David Lee, who has been dealing with a stomach flu.