

Girls basketball claims regional title and goes to State

Sierra John makes her way down the court in a game against Southwest Valley. The Lady Bulldogs defeated the SW Valley Timberwolves 62-40.



McKenzie Jackson goes up for a lay-up while playing Stanton in the regional finals. Jackson had her best game against I-35 where she scored 14 points.



Kara Streebin gets ready to make a move against a Southwest Valley opponent. Streebin has played basketball all four years of high school.



The Lady Bulldogs made it state at Wells Fargo this year with a record of 17-7. The team got fourth in the POI Conference and first in the region.

The girls started off the season a little rough with a loss to the Stanton Viqueens, but then improved themselves by winning eight games in a row. The rest of the season was a little bumpy before they hit the regional finals. They beat South Page, Lamoni and Murray, going on to play Stanton for the second and last time, defeating them for a great victory.

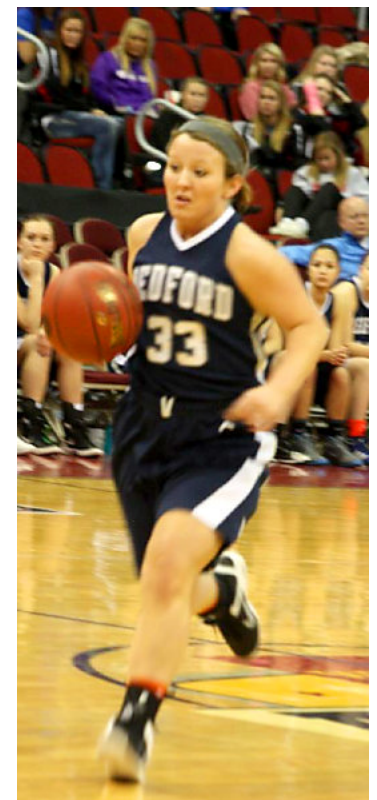
Five girls were above 30% on their 2-point average throughout the season, including Madison Walston at 41% and Emily Weed at 36%. Weed had the most assists on the team with 69. Fallyn Beemer led the team with 100 steals, and she also broke the 3-point record recently held by Ashley Wiederin and Savanna Thornton with eight 3-pointers in a game. Walston and Beemer were both first team POI selections. Weed was second-team POI selection.

Scores Us Them

	Us	Them
Stanton	39	49
Nishnabotna	61	25
Griswold	54	30
Lenox	58	32
Southwest Valley	62	40
Mount Ayr	49	43
Clarke	51	42
East Union	67	47
Lenox	72	47
Southeast Warren	49	52
Pleasantville	59	36
Nodaway Valley	65	52
Shenandoah	41	57
Martensdale	47	52
Southwest Valley	56	49
I-35	40	45
Mount Ayr	51	35
Central Decatur	55	61
Wayne	46	35
Nodaway Valley	31	46
South Page	55	31
Lamoni	57	33
Murray	59	54
Stanton	56	51
Newell-Fonda	37	73



The team celebrates after winning the regional final game against Stanton. They defeated the Viqueens with the score 56-51.



Ashlyn Spencer runs the ball down the court at the State Basketball Tournament.



Emily Weed runs through the tunnel for the starting lineup. Weed earned the Ashley Nally Award at the end of the season.

The team celebrates after a victory against the Stanton Viqueens. Winning the game advanced them to state.



Girls Basketball Team: First row: Kennedy Weed, Sierra John, Fallyn Beemer, Calyn Matheny and Kelly Weed. Second Row: Rachel Armstrong, Emily Weed, Ashlyn Spencer and Destanie Rucker. Third Row: Elissa O'Dell, Charissa Mogler, Palen Stream, Loryn Dillon, Kara Streebin, Madison Walston, Michaela Mogler, Callyn Bonde, McKenzie Jackson, Courtney King and Mally Jenkins. Back Row: Coach Kenny Weed, Coach Jeremy Nally and Coach Chris Koehler.



Madison Walston goes up for the rebound after a shot against Stanton. Walston earned First Team All Conference at the end of the season and played in the State Tournament three out of four years of high school.



McKenzie Jackson, number 22, throws the ball to Emily Weed, number 10, assisting her in her lay-up.

Fallyn Beemer drains a three to bring the team ahead of the Stanton Viqueens. Beemer broke the school's record for most three pointers in a game with eight.



Callyn Bonde steals the ball away from a Stanton opponent. Callyn started varsity this basketball season.

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