

Hall Of Fame

Imagine for a few moments all the players from the last 32 years were available as Y11 students at the same time. I have often considered what our "Fantasy Basketball Squad" might look like and have put together some illustrious combinations of players below. As with any such exercise there are bound to be contentious selections and as soon as I have published this I am likely to remember some glaring omission.

However, at the risk of offending anyone here are my selections. It is worth noting that many players did not have the opportunity to play in competitive matches, so where I could not decide who to select, the decision has gone in favour of the players who proved their ability in games against other schools. Also, the decisions are based on how good each player was in Y11, not how good they became in subsequent years when matched against slightly younger players in training.

All Time Best Boteler Basketball Players In Zone Defence Formation

Anthony Higham 82

Chris Lynskey 81

Paul Grady 81

Paul Manuel 84

Nigel Walsh 98

James Griffiths 06

Morrison Kirk 09

John Ellis 96

James Shaw 02

Neil Skelland 82

Derek Flannery 81

Neal Theunissen 03

Adam Walsh 99

Paul Cooke 94

Mark Brown 08

Lee Turner 81

Paul Screawn 81

Dave Hewitt 96

Rob Tam 92

Nick Caddick 84

Earl Francis 06

Rob Morris 08

Sam Wernham 08

Alan Sau 03

Sean Morris 06

Top Five Players In Specialist Positions

Man To Man & Box And One Defenders

Paul Screawn

Calum McAlinden 06

Danny Craven 09

Alan Sau Dave Heathwood 03

3 Point Shooters

Chris Lynskey

Earl Francis

Darryl Cox 08

Paul Manuel

Neal Theunissen

Jump Shooters

Derek Flannery

Neil Skelland

Nick Caddick

Rob Morris

Morrison Kirk

Defensive Rebounders

Chris Lynskey

Paul Manuel

Nigel Walsh

James Griffiths

James Allen o6

Offensive Rebounders

Anthony Higham

Adam Walsh

John Ellis

Mark Brown Danny Inman 02

Point Guards

Dave Hewitt

Sam Wernham

Paul Screawn

Alan Sau Earl Francis

Individual Basketball Honours

2005 Player Of The Year Earl Francis

2005 Priestley College Player Of The Year Alan Sau

2006 Y11 Players Of The Year Earl Francis Sean Morris Sam Sinclair-Smith

2006 Y10 Player Of The Year Chris Yarwood

2006 Y9 Player Of The Year James Griffiths

2006 Outstanding Contribution To Basketball Trophy Earl Francis

2006 Priestley College Player Of The Year Anthony O'Keefe

2007 Y11 Player Of The Year Chris Yarwood

2007 Y10 Player Of The Year Mark Brown

2007 Outstanding Contribution To Basketball Trophy Sam Wernham

2007 Priestley College Player Of The Year Ben Bennett

2008 Y11 Players Of The Year Mark Brown Josh Campher Ben Connelly

James Griffiths Rob Morris Sam Wernham

2008 Y10 Players Of The Year Morrison Kirk Louis Haughton

2008 Y9 Player Of The Year Josh Turner

2008 Outstanding Contribution To Basketball Trophy Rob Morris

2008 Priestley College Player Of The Year Danny Conroy

2009 Y11 Player Of The Year Morrison Kirk

2009 Y10 Player Of The Year Tom Bate

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