

20th Annual Padua Holiday Hockey Tournament

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FINAL PRELIMINARY STANDINGS—EAST DIVISION

PLACE	TEAM	WINS	LOSSES	TIES	PER WON	PTS	DIFF*
1E	SAINT IGNATIUS	2	1	0	6.0	10.0	5
	ST. EDWARD	2	1	0	6.0	10.0	3
3E	UNIVERSITY SCHOOL	2	1	0	5.0	9.0	1
4E	LAKE CATHOLIC	1	2	0	4.0	6.0	-4
5E	PADUA FRANCISCAN	1	2	0	2.5	4.5	-4
6E	HOLY NAME	0	2	1	3.0	4.0	-6

FINAL PRELIMINARY STANDINGS—WEST DIVISION

PLACE	TEAM	WINS	LOSSES	TIES	PER WON	PTS	DIFF*
1W	TOLEDO ST. FRANCIS	2	1	0	7.0	11.0	6
2W	FINDLAY	2	1	0	6.0	10.0	4
3W	OLENTANGY LIBERTY	2	1	0	3.5	7.5	2
4W	ST. CHARLES	1	1	1	4.0	7.0	-2
5W	SYLVANIA NORTHVIEW	1	2	0	4.0	6.0	-2
6W	TOLEDO ST. JOHN'S	1	2	0	3.0	5.0	-3

* 1st tie-breaker (max. 4 per game)



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Tournament Results

FRIDAY, DECEMBER 16

4:00 p.m. West Rink

Toledo St. John's	0	0	0	-	0	(0.5)
Padua Franciscan	0	2	1	-	3	(4.5)

5:00 p.m. East Rink

Toledo St. Francis	4	5	1	-	10	(5.0)
Lake Catholic	0	0	0	-	0	(0.0)

6:00 p.m. West Rink

Findlay	1	1	1	-	3	(0.0)
Saint Ignatius	3	3	3	-	9	(5.0)

7:00 p.m. East Rink

Olentangy Liberty	0	2	0	-	2	(1.0)
St. Edward	1	2	0	-	3	(4.0)

9:00 p.m. East Rink

Sylvania Northview	0	0	0	-	0	(1.0)
University School	0	0	1	-	1	(4.0)

9:40 p.m. West Rink

St. Charles	0	1	1	-	2	(2.5)
Holy Name	1	0	1	-	2	(2.5)

SATURDAY, DECEMBER 17

7:20 a.m. West Rink

Padua Franciscan	0	1	0	-	1	(0.0)
Findlay	3	6	2	-	11	(5.0)

7:40 a.m. East Rink

Lake Catholic	1	0	1	-	2	(4.0)
Toledo St. John's	0	1	0	-	1	(1.0)

9:10 a.m. West Rink

University School	0	4	0	-	4	(3.5)
Toledo St. Francis	1	2	0	-	3	(1.5)

9:30 p.m. East Rink

Holy Name	2	1	0	-	3	(1.5)
Olentangy Liberty	2	0	3	-	5	(3.5)

11:00 a.m. West Rink

Saint Ignatius	1	4	2	-	7	(4.5)
St. Charles	0	0	2	-	2	(0.5)

11:20 a.m. East Rink

St. Edward	3	3	1	-	7	(5.0)
Sylvania Northview	0	0	0	-	0	(0.0)

SATURDAY, DECEMBER 17 (continued)

3:00 p.m. East Rink

Sylvania Northview	1	2	1	-	4	(5.0)
Padua Franciscan	0	1	0	-	1	(0.0)

5:00 p.m. East Rink

Findlay	3	2	1	-	6	(5.0)
Holy Name	2	0	0	-	2	(0.0)

5:00 p.m. West Rink

Toledo St. Francis	2	3	1	-	6	(4.5)
Saint Ignatius	0	2	1	-	3	(0.5)

7:00 p.m. West Rink

Toledo St. John's	3	0	0	-	3	(3.5)
University School	1	0	1	-	2	(1.5)

8:40 p.m. East Rink

St. Charles	0	2	0	-	2	(4.0)
St. Edward	0	0	0	-	0	(1.0)

9:00 p.m. West Rink

Olentangy Liberty	0	3	0	-	3	(3.0)
Lake Catholic	1	0	1	-	2	(2.0)

SUNDAY, DECEMBER 18 (consolation round)

Consolation Game—7:30 a.m. East Rink

Holy Name	2	1	3	-	6
Toledo St. John's	1	1	1	-	2

Consolation Game—7:50 a.m. West Rink

Padua Franciscan	1	0	0	-	1
Findlay	3	3	1	-	7

Consolation Game—9:20 a.m. East Rink

St. Edward	2	2	2	-	6
Sylvania Northview	2	0	0	-	2

Consolation Game—9:40 a.m. West Rink

Lake Catholic	1	1	0	-	2
Olentangy Liberty	0	4	2	-	6

Consolation Game—11:10 a.m. East Rink

University School	1	0	0	-	1
St. Charles	1	1	1	-	3

Championship Game—3:30 p.m. West Rink

Saint Ignatius	3	2	2	-	7
Toledo St. Francis	1	0	2	-	3

Game Summaries

—FRIDAY, DECEMBER 16—

PADUA FRANCISCAN 3, TOLEDO ST. JOHN'S 0—The tournament host Padua Franciscan Bruins opened play with a 3-0 win over Toledo St. John's behind a 30-save shutout effort from senior **Lynsey Wallace**. Following a scoreless first period, Padua's **Joe Onorato** broke the ice 2:39 into the second. The senior added another goal just 1:36 later to give Padua a two-goal lead. Sophomore **Ryan Kisel** and freshman **Carson Smith** both drew assists on each of Onorato's goals. Another sophomore, **Jimi McAdams**, added the final Bruins goal in the third period. All three Padua goals came on the power play. Wallace stopped all 14 shots she faced in the first period as the Bruins were out-shot, 14-9. Junior **Cole Kaestner** made 25 saves for the Titans. Padua collected four and a half of a possible five points in the tournament standings. St. John's earned a half point for one tied period.

TOLEDO ST. FRANCIS 10, LAKE CATHOLIC 0—The two-time defending tournament champs from Toledo St. Francis got their title defense off to an impressive start with a 10-0 rout of Lake Catholic. Junior **Gabe Barrow** and seniors **Kevin Hack** and **Warren Natyshak** all scored two goals apiece. Hack and Natyshak added three assists apiece. Junior **Nick Daly** also had three helpers in the game and sophomore **Jacob Coward** handled all eight shots he faced for the shutout. The Knights earned all five points in the tournament standings.

SAINT IGNATIUS 9, FINDLAY 3—The defending OHSAA state champions from Saint Ignatius out-scored the Findlay Trojans 3-1 in every period for a 9-3 win in their tournament opener. Senior **Connor Koehnke** was all over the ice for the Wildcats, scoring four goals and assisting on a fifth. He scored two goals eight seconds apart late in the first period, the first one breaking a 1-1 tie, and the second giving Saint Ignatius a two-goal lead at the first intermission. Senior Seth Whitney scored twice in the second period and added a pair of assists in the game for the Wildcats. **Brandon Armstrong** scored twice for Findlay and **Cameron Armstrong** figured in all three Trojans scores with a goal and two assists. Findlay starting goaltender **Storm Woodward** made 19 saves over the first two periods before giving way to Nick Kuhlman for the final period. **Ryan Von Keyersling** went the distance for Saint Ignatius, making 10 saves. The Wildcats picked up all five tournament standings points.

ST. EDWARD 3, OLENTANGY LIBERTY 2—Senior **Danny McGuire** scored all three goals for the St. Edward Eagles as they posted a 3-2 win over the Patriots of Olentangy Liberty. McGuire scored the only goal of the first period and gave the Eagles a 2-0 lead at 5:52 of the second. **Matt Taura** cut the deficit in half at 10:11 of the second only to see McGuire restore the two-goal lead just 53 seconds later. **Kevin Springfield's** goal with just 25 seconds left in the frame sent St. Edward into the third period clinging to a one-goal lead which they protected all through a scoreless third period behind the play of **Jacob Ward** (14 saves). St. Edward picks up four points in the tournament standings while Olentangy Liberty claims one (half a point for each tied period).

UNIVERSITY SCHOOL 1, SYLVANIA NORTHVIEW 0—University School senior **Jackson Polish** (31 saves) and Sylvania Northview senior **Johnny Rady** (28 saves) battled save for save for the first 39:05 of game time as the Preppers and Wildcats went back and forth in a scoreless tie. U.S. senior **Rory Kelly's** tally at 9:05 of the third period was the only goal of the game in a 1-0 Preppers win. Sophomore **Henry Saada** drew the only assist on Kelly's goal. University School gained four points in the tournament standings to Northview's one.

HOLY NAME 2, ST. CHARLES 2—Twice Holy Name senior **Sean Bauchens** gave the Green Wave a one-goal lead, and twice the St. Charles Cardinals evened the score as the two teams played to a 2-2 tie in the final game of the tournament's first day. Bauchens's first goal came in the opening period and senior defenseman **Doc Crimmel** tied it up for St. Charles with 2:01 left in the second period. Bauchens put the Namer back in front just 21 seconds into the final period and it stayed that way until senior forward **Darryl Falter** knotted things back up, 2-2 with just 2:53 left in the game. Holy Name junior **Anna Cvitkovich** made 42 saves in the game—32 of them through the first two periods. St. Charles junior **Ben Carey** made 29 saves for the Cardinals.

Game Summaries

—SATURDAY, DECEMBER 17—
(early games)

FINDLAY 11, PADUA 1—The Findlay Trojans kicked off the second day of the tournament with an 11-1 win over the Padua Franciscan Bruins. **Brandon Armstrong's** eight points (4-4-8), sparked a Trojans attack that lit the lamp six times in the second period to blow the game open. Armstrong now has six goals and 10 points in the first two games of the tournament. **C. J. Frost** scored three times for Findlay and **G Storm Woodward** made 14 saves. Freshman **Nick Harris** (14 saves) and sophomore **R. J. Schuette** (11 saves) split the game for Padua and **Joe Onoroto** scored Padua's goal. The Trojans secured all five points in the tournament standings.

LAKE CATHOLIC 2, TOLEDO ST. JOHN'S 1—Sophomore **Jacob Schmitt** gave the Lake Catholic a one-goal lead early in the third period and the Cougars held Toledo St. John's off the board for the final 12:28 to secure a 2-1 win over the Titans. Sophomore **Robbie Kish** made 11 of his 25 saves in the third period to preserve the victory. Senior **Logan Walnsh** scored the other Lake Catholic goal early in the first period. Senior **Zane Intagliata** kept Toledo St. John's in the game with 32 saves and freshman **Matthew LaCourse** tallied the Titan's goal. Lake Catholic collected four points in the tournament standings, Toledo St. John's secured one point for winning the second period.

UNIVERSITY SCHOOL 4, TOLEDO ST. FRANCIS 3—The University School Preppers scored four unanswered goals in the second period—three of them in a span of 3:17—to take a 4-1 lead over Toledo St. Francis, then held on for a 4-3 win over the Knights. Four different skaters scored for U.S., including senior **Rory Kelly's** game-winner. Senior **Tommy Nook** picked up a pair of assists and **Jackson Polish** made 38 saves for the Preppers. Senior **Kevin Hack** had a goal and an assist for the Knights and junior **Nick Daly** dished out a pair of assists. Sophomore **Jacob Coward** made 13 saves for Toledo St. Francis, which picked up a point and a half in the tournament standings. The Knights stay alive in their attempt to win the tournament for a third straight time. They will face off with Saint Ignatius at 5:00 on the West Rink in a re-match of the 2015 tournament title game. University School claimed three and a half points to stay within striking distance of East Division leader Saint Ignatius.

SAINT IGNATIUS 7, ST. CHARLES 2—The Saint Ignatius Wildcats took a big step towards returning to the championship game with a 7-2 win over St. Charles, handing the Cardinals their first loss of the season. The second period started with the Wildcats leading, 1-0, but they broke the game open with four unanswered goals to start the second period—three of them in a span of 6:49. Senior **Chris Renfrew** and junior **Bain Kurtz** each scored a pair of goals in the game for Saint Ignatius. Kurtz also had an assist. Wildcats goaltender **Nick Bernstein** made 27 saves, including all 14 shots he faced in the second period. The Wildcats claimed four and a half points in the tournament standings, putting them into the top spot in the East Division heading into their match-up with Toledo St. Francis in their late game (5:00 p.m. West Rink).

OLENTANGY LIBERTY 5, HOLY NAME 3—Olentangy Liberty scored three unanswered goals in the third period to come back from 2-1 and 3-2 deficits and defeat Holy Name, 5-3. **Ron Ambrosia** set up **Ian Gilbertsen** for the tying goal early in the third period, then Gilbertsen returned the favor, assisting on Ambrosia's winning goal with 5:20 remaining. Liberty goaltender **Logan Senhauser** made 30 saves in the game—including all 11 shots he faced in the third period as the Patriots came back. Holy Name's sophomore goaltender **Ross Conforto** made 23 saves and senior **Sean Bauchens** scored twice for the Green Wave—the second coming on the power play. With the win, and three and a half points in the tournament standings, Olentangy Liberty stays in range of the top spot in the West Division heading into their late game against Lake Catholic (9:00 p.m./West Rink).

ST. EDWARD 7, SYLVANIA NORTHVIEW 0—A 7-0 win over Sylvania Northview puts the St. Edward Eagles just a half-point behind Saint Ignatius going into the final round of preliminary games Saturday night. Senior **Danny McGuire** scored a goal in each period for his second hat trick in two tournament games. He also had two assists. Senior **Curtis Szelesta** scored twice for the Eagles and junior **Andrew Stewart** needed to make just eight saves to record the shutout.

Game Summaries

—SATURDAY, DECEMBER 17—
(late games)

SYLVANIA NORTHVIEW 4, PADUA FRANCISCAN 1—Junior goaltender **Mason Snyder** stopped 34 of 35 shots as Sylvania Northview swept all five possible points with a 4-1 win over Padua Franciscan. The win catapulted the Wildcats all the way into the second spot in the West Division. They were mathematically unable to qualify for the top spot and a berth in the championship game going in but, with the win, could still play for third place tomorrow if they get some help in the later games. Padua dropped their second game in a row after winning their opener. Four different players lit the lamp for the Wildcats and **Joe Onorato** found the net in the third straight tournament game for the Bruins.

TOLEDO ST. FRANCIS 6, SAINT IGNATIUS 3—In a re-match of last year's tournament championship game, and the 2016 state semifinal, Toledo St. Francis doubled up Saint Ignatius, 6-3. St. Francis sophomore goaltender **Jacob Coward**, who allowed four goals on 17 shots in the Knights' 4-3 loss to University School earlier in the day, rebounded with a 34-save performance as St. Francis secured a spot in Sunday's championship game and a chance to go after a third straight tournament title. Junior **Matthew Snyder** scored twice and picked up an assist for the Knights. His first goal, early in the second period, gave the St. Francis a 3-0 lead. Saint Ignatius battled back, out-shooting St. Francis, 13-4, in the third period, but they were not able to get closer than two goals down the rest of the game. Sophomore **Benny Savarino** made 27 saves for the Wildcats, who remain in the top spot in the East Division but are in danger of being passed by St. Edward and/or University School based on the results of later games.

FINDLAY 6, HOLY NAME 2—Findlay led, 3-2, after a wild first period and settled down for a 6-2 win over Holy Name. With the win, the Trojans move into second place in the West Division. **Brandon Armstrong** gave Findlay a 1-0 lead with his seventh goal of the tournament at 5:40 of the first period. Just 18 seconds after **C. J. Frost** gave the Trojans a two-goal lead, Armstrong struck again to make it 3-0 Findlay with 2:06 left in the period. Holy Name responded, however, and scored two quick goals—with 1:19 and 45 seconds remaining in the period—to get back within a goal by the first intermission. Sophomore **Sebastiano Layne** and senior **Sean Bauchens** were the goal scorers for the Green Wave. Armstrong put the game away for the Trojans, scoring goals the second and third periods to give him 10 in the tournament. He added a pair of assists to give him 16 points (10-6-16) in three games.

TOLEDO ST. JOHN'S 3, UNIVERSITY SCHOOL 2—The Titans of Toledo St. John's handed University School their first loss of the tournament and, in the process, denied the Preppers a shot at qualifying for Sunday's championship game. The Titans scored three times in the first period with their first two goals coming off the stick of **Nate Koszycki**. The junior broke the ice 1:52 into the game and, after junior defenseman **Trip Gorman** tied the game for U. S., Koszycki put the Titans in front again. Senior **Alex Morrison** gave St. John's a two-goal lead before the end of the first period. The Preppers held an 11-8 advantage in shots on goal through a scoreless second period. Sophomore **Henry Saada** scored for U. S. in the third period, but the Preppers could not get the equalizer past St. John's junior **Cole Kaestner**, who finished the game with 24 saves. Sophomore **Critter Coughlin** made 19 saves for U. S.

ST. CHARLES 2, ST. EDWARD 0—St. Charles junior goaltender **Jacob Badger** stopped all 30 shots he faced—23 over the final two periods—as the Cardinals denied St. Edward a spot in Sunday's championship game with a 2-0 win over the Eagles. The only two goals of the game came nine seconds apart early in the second period. Seniors **Alex Brennan** and **Connor Kannally** lit the lamp for St. Charles, giving them their first win of the tournament and placing them fourth in the West Division. St. Edward, which got 15 saves from junior **Jacob Ward**, finished in a tie with Saint Ignatius for the top spot in the East Division, but lost the tie-breaker.

OLENTANGY LIBERTY 3, LAKE CATHOLIC 2—The Patriots of Olentangy Liberty scored three goals in the second period in a 3-2 win over Lake Catholic. **Matt Taura**, **Tyler Buckerfield** and **Sam Turner** were the Liberty goal scorers and **David Dew** made 20 saves for the Patriots. Sophomore **C. J. Will** gave Lake a 1-0 lead in the first period and classmate **Jacob Schmitt** got the Cougars within a goal when he scored with 2:27 left in the third period. Another sophomore, **Robbie Kish**, made 21 saves for Lake Catholic.

Game Summaries—Consolation Games

—SUNDAY, DECEMBER 18—
(consolation games)

HOLY NAME 6, TOLEDO ST. JOHN'S 3—Senior **Sean Bauchens** scored twice and sophomore **Ross Conforto** made 22 saves as Holy Name defeated Toledo St. John's, 6-3, for their first win of the tournament. Bauchens scored seven goals in the tournament for the Green Wave. Senior **Alex Morrison** scored twice and junior **Cole Kaestner** made 30 saves for the Titans.

FINDLAY 7, PADUA FRANCISCAN 1—Findlay's **Brandon Armstrong** continued his assault on the Padua Holiday Hockey Tournament, scoring a hat trick in the first period and finishing the game with five goals in a 7-1 Trojans win mover tournament host Padua Franciscan. Armstrong finishes the tournament with 15 goals and 21 points in four games. Freshman **Carson Smith** scored for the Bruins.

UNIVERSITY SCHOOL 3, ST. CHARLES 1—University School scored a goal in each period and senior **Jackson Polish** made 32 saves as the Preppers finished off the 2016 tournament with a 3-1 win over the St. Charles Cardinals. Sophomore **Henry Saada** and seniors **Tommy Nook** and **J. D. Clemens** scored for University School. The St. Charles goal came from junior **Colin Hobart** and Cardinals junior goalie **Ben Carey** made 31 saves.

ST. EDWARD 6, SYLVANIA NORTHVIEW 2—Senior **Danny McGuire** scored his third hat trick in four tournament games to lead the St. Edward Eagles to a 6-2 win over Sylvania Northview. Senior **Curtis Szelesta** scored a pair of goals and junior **Andrew Stewart** made 15 saves for the Eagles, who finished with a 3-1-0 mark at the tournament. Northview goals were scored by sophomores **Jake Ruehle** and **Trevor Klee**. Wildcats' junior netminder **Mason Snyder** made 33 saves—24 of them over the final two periods as the Eagles attack gained steam.

OLENTANGY LIBERTY 6, LAKE CATHOLIC 2—**Kent Stadulis** scored a hat trick to lead the Olentangy Liberty Patriots to a 6-2 win over the Lake Catholic Cougars in a re-match of Liberty's 3-2 win on Saturday night. Stadulis scored a goal in each period, completing the hat trick with 27 seconds left in the game. With the game tied, 1-1, midway through the second period, the Patriots broke the game open with three goals in a span of 1:45. **Logan Senhauser** finished the game with 25 saves for the Patriots, who finish the tournament with a mark of 3-1-0. Lake went 1-3-0, dropping their last to games to Liberty.

2016 PADUA HOLIDAY HOCKEY TOURNAMENT—CHAMPIONSHIP GAME

—SUNDAY, DECEMBER 18—
(championship game)

SAINT IGNATIUS 7, TOLEDO ST. FRANCIS 3—Saint Ignatius ended the Toledo-area’s six-year grip on the Padua Holiday Hockey Tournament with a 7-3 win over Toledo St. Francis in the championship game.

The Wildcats scored early and often, building a 3-0 lead in the first period. Sophomore **Connor McGowan** and junior **Billy Baumann** found the net 27 seconds apart in the first five minutes of the game. Senior **Chris Revnew** gave Saint Ignatius a three-goal lead just over four minutes later.

Junior **Gabe Barrow** put the Knights on the board with 1:35 left in the frame, but Saint Ignatius went into the first intermission with plenty of momentum.

The Wildcats out-shot St. Francis, 17-11, in the second period and added two more goals—again in quick-strike fashion. This time it was Revnew and junior **Michael Eppich** lighting the lamp 35 seconds apart as the Wildcats build a four-goal lead.

Saint Ignatius sophomore **Ben Savarino** stopped all 11 shots he faced in the second period on his way to a 23-save performance for the Wildcats. St. Francis netminder, sophomore **Jacob Coward**, made 31 saves in the losing effort.

Senior **Kevin Hack** gave St. Francis a spark when he scored 13 seconds into the third period, getting the Knights within three goals, but that was the extent of the comeback. Saint Ignatius senior defenseman **Steven Neff** and senior forward **Benji Rechin** added to the Wildcats’ lead and St. Francis junior **Drew Caster** put one more in for the Knights to make the final 7-3.

These same two teams played for the championship last year with St. Francis winning, 5-1. Saint Ignatius got their revenge in the state semifinal, eliminating the Knights by the same 5-1 score. Toledo St. Francis won, 6-3, when they met in a preliminary round game yesterday. It is the first time that the Wildcats have won the prestigious in-season tournament. St. Francis won the event in 2014 & 2015.

GOALS

Saint Ignatius (7): McGowan, Baumann, Renfrew (2), Eppich, Neff, Rechin
Toledo St. Francis (3): Barrow, Hack, Caster

ASSISTS

Saint Ignatius (11): McCaffrey (3), Frebes, Neff (2), Revnew, Wiegandt, Gerard (2), Rechin
Toledo St. Francis (6): Mitchell, Kwapich, Natyshak, Storer (2), Ostrander

SAVES

Saint Ignatius: Ben Savarino (23)
Toledo St. Francis: Jacob Coward (31)