

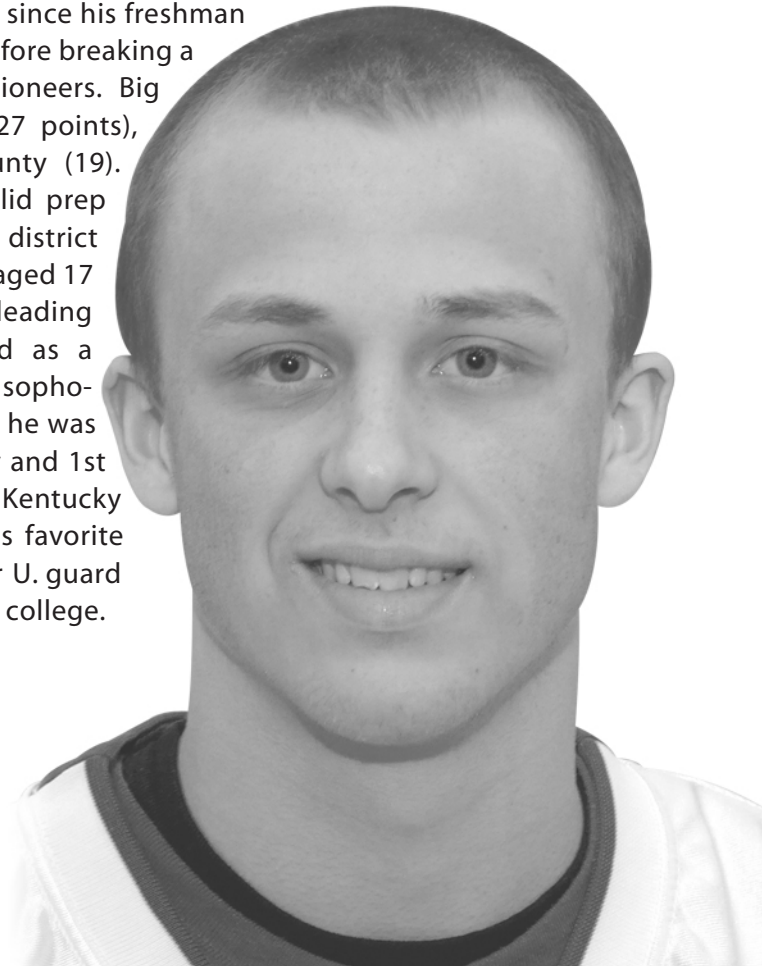
LaRosa's MVP of the Week

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## Michael Hester

Simon Kenton High School

This senior guard has been a Simon Kenton floor leader since his freshman year. He was averaging 17 points a game this season before breaking a bone in his foot, but he's now back on the floor for the Pioneers. Big games this year included games against St. Henry (27 points), Conner (26), Dixie Heights (23) and Campbell County (19). Michael has scored more than 1,000 points in his solid prep career. As a junior for the Pioneers (32nd district champs, 8th region runners-up) he averaged 17 points-5 assists a game and 4.3 steals (leading Northern Kentucky). He was named as a Northern Kentucky all-star as both a sophomore and junior. In addition, last year he was named 1st team all-Northern Kentucky and 1st team all-region. Michael plays for the Kentucky Shining Stars during the summer. His favorite athlete and most-like-to-meet is Xavier U. guard Johnny Wolf. He has not yet selected a college.



COACH'S QUOTE -- "Michael is a competitor and makes everyone around him much better. The best thing about him is that he is a great kid." --Trent Steiner, Basketball Coach



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SPORT(S): Basketball

GRADUATING YR.: 2007

BIRTHDATE: 10-25-88

HEIGHT/WEIGHT: 5'8" - 150 lbs.

RESIDENCE: Independence, KY

PARENTS: Mike & Missy

BIGGEST INFLUENCE: "My grandpa."

FUTURE GOAL: "Graduate college."



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