

TABC BASKETBALL RANKINGS (as of 2-1)

CLASS 3A GIRLS

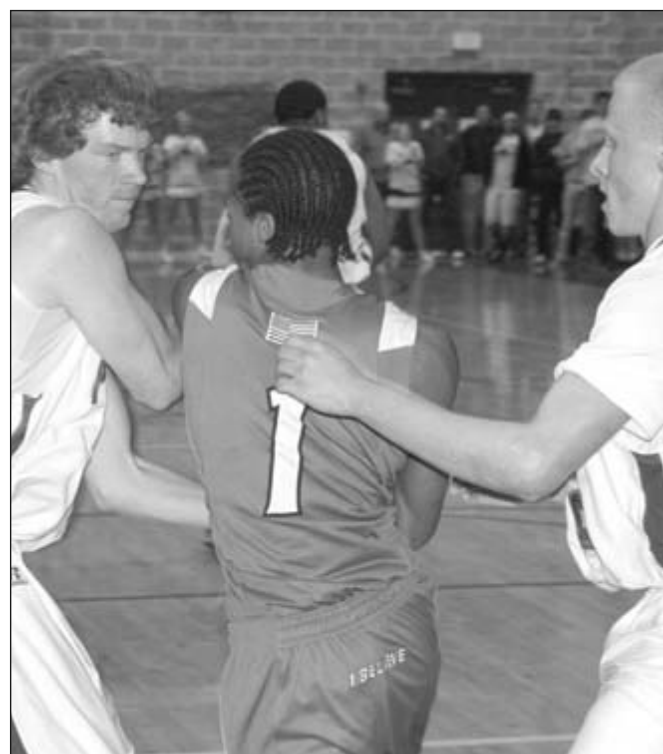
1. Levelland
2. Crandall
3. Madisonville
4. Hidalgo
5. Burnet
6. Navasota
7. Rudder
8. Abilene Wylie
9. Kennedale
10. Lytle
11. Seminole
12. Giddings
13. **BULLARD**
14. Gatesville
15. Stafford
16. LaVega
17. Lub-Cooper
18. Lorena
19. Brownsboro
20. Liberty-Eylau

CLASS 3A BOYS

1. Dal. -Madison
2. Cleveland
3. West Oso
4. Lub. Estacado
5. Silsbee
6. Liberty Hill
7. Crandall
8. Hardin Jefferson
9. Kennedale
10. Paris
11. Burkburnett
12. SA Houston
13. Navasota
14. Mexia
15. Lorena
16. LaVega
17. Somerset
18. Sweeney
19. WF Hirschi
20. Prosper

PRIVATE SCHOOL Small School Boys

1. **BROOK HILL**
2. KWood NE Christ.
3. The Canterbury School
4. Lub. Christian
5. FW-Lake Country
6. N Brans. Christian
7. Muenster Sacred Heart
8. Woodlands Christian
9. Hou.- St Thomas
10. Dal- Tyler Street



(Banner Staff Photos by Doc Smith)

Top left, Lance Anding scores with a double-pump scoop shot, and was fouled on the play. Anding made the old-fashioned 3-pointer in the win over Tatum. At right,

Ryan Wood (at left) reaches in to tie up Tatum's Marcus Williams while Anding (far right) is out of the referees sight, managing to tie Williams up from the back, too.

Panthers hand Tatum first league loss

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BULLARD – The Bullard Panthers gave Tatum their first district loss on Friday night, with a 79-57 win at Panther Gymnasium.

Bullard's Josiah Rosebury led all scorers in the game with 19 points, as the Panthers built a 36-30 lead at the half.

Rosebury scored 13 of his points in the third period, as the Panthers (19-9; 4-1) outscored Tatum 23-20, for a 59-50 advantage.

Panther guard, Daniel Howard added 15 points, while teammates, Marquez Franklin and Lance Anding added 13 points apiece, for Bullard.

A Rosebury jumper, at the 2:05 mark of the third quarter, pushed the Panthers to their first 10-point lead at 52-42. The senior guard, Rosebury then continued his assault, starting off the final stanza with five-straight points and a 64-50 lead.

Anding and Howard added two buckets each, as the Panthers pushed the lead to 72-51 at the four-minute mark left in the game.

Desmond Fite hit two 3-pointers

and scored 10 points for the Eagles (4-1).

Taft Rose and Conner Gurley scored 18 and 15 points respectively, to lead the junior varsity to a dominating 76-50 win.

Bullard's Chandler Clarke and Scott Lowrie scored eight points apiece, to lead the freshmen team to a 47-40 win, to improve to 3-2 in loop play.

Bullard plays at Chapel Hill next Fri. at 7 p.m., before returning to host Spring Hill on Feb. 9, as the Lady Panthers will honor Senior Night before the boys varsity game.

District 17-3A Boys Basketball Bullard 79, Tatum 57

Tatum 15 15 20 7 - 57
Bullard 17 19 23 20 - 79

TATUM – Malcolm Williams, 8; J.R. Watkins, 2; Brandon Woodard, 4; Desmond Fite, 10; Devin McIwain, 8; Dylan Starling, 6; Kendal Bell, 2; Quentin Pipken, 8; Kevin McIwain, 8.

BULLARD – Daniel Howard, 15; Koby Greene, 4; Josiah Rosebury, 19; Ryan Wood, 10; Marquez Franklin, 13; R.J. Horton, 1; Lance Anding 13.

THREE POINT GOALS – T: Williams (2), Fite (2), D. McIwain, (2). B: Anding (2), Rosebury, 1..

RECORDS – Bullard 19-9; 4-1. Tatum 4-1. **NEXT UP** – Bullard at Chapel Hill, Fri., 7:30 p.m.

Junior Varsity Game Bullard 76, Tatum 50

Tatum 10 13 9 14 - 50
Bullard 20 15 23 18 - 76

TATUM – Daven Reese, 6; Nate Pickett, 10; Jalen Overstreet, 17; Michael Orwalt, 2
BULLARD – Kirk Bryant, 5; David Heithoff, 3; Trey Lawson, 12; Conner Gurley, 15; Taft Rose, 18; Jacob Whatley, 6; Cale Pinion, 9.

THREE POINT GOALS – T: Garrett (2); B: Bryant (3), Bell, Gurley (2), Whatley (2), Whatley (2), Rose.

RECORDS – Bullard 22-4; 4-1 **NEXT UP** – Bullard at Chapel Hill, Fri., 5 p.m.

Freshmen Game Bullard 47, Tatum 40

Tatum 11 12 8 9 - 40
Bullard 14 6 13 14 - 47

TATUM – Stoker, 6; Whitaker, 15; Lucos, 17; Hughes, 2..

BULLARD – Chandler Clarke, 8; Conner Mebane, 2; Holden Bryant, 4; Jamie McClenney, 4; Hayden Bryant, 4; Alvey, 4; Corbin Howard, 13; Scott Lowrie, 8.

THREE POINT GOALS – T: Stoker (2), Whitaker. B: Hayden Bryant.

RECORDS – Bullard 12-8; 3-2 **NEXT UP** – Bullard at Chapel Hill, Fri., 4.

BULLARD AND JUCO HOOPS SCHEDULE

2-4 Bullard Middle School at Spring Hill bb

2-5 Bullard at Chapel Hill boys bb
Bullard at Chapel Hill girls bb

2-6 Lamar College at Lon Morris mens bb
Jacksonville College at San Jacinto mens bb
Jacksonville College at San Jacinto womens bb
TVCC at TJC mens bb
TVCC at TJC womens bb

2-9 Spring Hill at Bullard boys bb
Spring Hill at Bullard girls bb (Sr. Night)
Brook Hill girls bball
TAPPS bi-District bball vs. ???o

2-10 Lon Morris at Lee College mens bb
Angelina at Jacksonville College mens bb
Angelina at Jacksonville College womens bb
TJC at Paris mens bb
TJC at Paris womens bb

2-11 Bullard Middle School at Gilmer bb

2-12 Gilmer at Bullard boys bb

2-13 Brook Hill boys TAPPS Area playoffs TBA
Lamar College at TJC mens bb
Jacksonville College at Blinn mens bb
TJC at TVCC m/w bb

TJC at TVCC womens bb

2-16 Bullard at Tatum boys bb

Gilmer stuns Panthers with first loop setback

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GILMER – There are many different reasons a BHS basketball fan could argue for the downfall and upset loss to Gilmer, this past week.

Bottom line...you have to make shots when you are three feet from the basket, and the Bullard Panthers just could not buy a basket, in a 50-45 loss to the athletic Buckeyes.

The Buckeyes had a big third quarter, and Bullard never could catch up as the Buckeyes took their second league win, and the Panthers first setback.

Gilmer outscored Bullard 13-7 in the third period, to build a Buckeye lead they would not relinquish.

Daniel McLaren led Gilmer in scoring with 15 points, while Stump Godfrey added eight points in the win.

Josiah Rosebury led the Panthers with a game-high 17 points, scoring 13 in the first half, as Bullard led 28-26.

"We just had one of those nights shooting the ball, that it just wasn't falling for us," said first year head coach, Robert Sampson after the game. "We had more than our share of blown lay ups, easy follow baskets after offensive rebounds, and out 3-point shooting was way off the norm for us.

"It's an eye-opener for sure, but I told the guys to learn from it," Sampson said.

"Regardless of missed shots, we were out- rebounded

in the game, we let them get about as many breakaway baskets as our defense usually causes, so it was not any one particular thing, we just got our bad game behind us."

Do not by any means forget Gilmer is a very athletic team, as Tristen Holt was a rejecting, neglecting, nightmare in the paint, with numerous blocked shots, a few unnoticed goal-tends, but all seven of Holt's points; came on second shots in the paint.

The Bullard JV and coach John Lambreth continue to have a great season, chalking up a 21-4 season mark and a 3-1 district ledger, with a 49-37 win over the Buckeyes. Cale Pinion scored 18 points, while teammates Kirk Bryant and Conner Gurley, added 11 points apiece.

Playing the entire roster as always, head coach Heath Fults got 13 points from Chandler Clarke, and Cody Goode added 11 points in the freshmen, 37-32 win. The win evens the frosh league ledger, at 2-2.

The Panthers travel to play at Chapel Hill on Friday night, which should prove to be a barn-burner considering the first-round Panther win, highlighted with four technical fouls on Bullard.

District 17-3A Boys Basketball Boys Varsity Gilmer 50, Bullard 45

Bullard 16 12 7 10 - 45
Gilmer 19 9 13 11 - 50

BULLARD – Daniel Howard, 5; Lance Anding, 3; Koby Greene, 4;

Josiah Rosebury, 17; Marquez Franklin, 3; Scott Starwalt, 2. **GILMER** – Caleb Denton, 3; Daniel McLaren, 15; Tristen Holt, 7; Wesley Johnson, 3; Kavin Patton, 2; Tevin Godfrey, 6; Braylon Webb, 6; Stump Godfrey, 8.

THREE POINT GOALS – B: Rosebury. G: Denton, T. Holt, Johnson.

RECORDS – Bullard 19-9; 3-1. Gilmer **NEXT UP** – Bullard at Chapel Hill, Fri., 7:30 p.m.

Junior Varsity Game Bullard 49, Gilmer 37

Bullard 13 9 14 13 - 49
Gilmer 13 8 10 6 - 37

BULLARD – Kirk Bryant, 11; Jonathan Bell, 2; Trey Lawson, 2; Conner Gurley, 11; Taft Rose, 5; Cale Pinion, 18.

GILMER – Pollard, 11; T. Webb, 7; H. Morgan, 2; J. McMillan, 4; J. Goodrich, 9; M. Reid, 4.

THREE POINT GOALS – B: Bryant. G: Webb.

RECORDS – Bullard 21-4; 4-0. **NEXT UP** – Bullard at Chapel Hill, Fri., 5 p.m.

Freshmen Game Bullard 37, Gilmer 32

Bullard 16 9 7 5 - 37
Gilmer 4 6 3 19 - 32

BULLARD – Chandler Clarke, 13; Colton Mebane, 5; Jamie McClenney, 2; Cody Goode, 11; Corbin Howard, 2; Scott Lowrie, 4.

GILMER – Cheatham, 2; Bradshaw, 8; Morris, 2; Barnes, 1; Edwards, 8; Smith, 4; Goodrich, 7.

THREE POINT GOALS – B: Mebane. G: none. **RECORDS** – Bullard 12-8; 2-2.

No. 1 Guard slays Lions; Lady Guard comes up short but playoff bound

DALLAS – Brook Hill basketball is playoff-bound, and they celebrated such on Senior Night this past Tuesday, against All Saints.

This past Saturday, the Guard had to settle for a league split against Dallas Lutheran, as the boys remain untouched in district, and the girls slipped to 6-5 in league play, but are still playoff-bound.

Friday night, Mason Spradlin, Jeremy Chappelle, Zac Cool, Courtney Thomas, Erica Eden, Dara Udom, Jenny Anderson and Michelle Stephenson will be recognized along with their families, as they play their

final regular season game, in between contests.

BOYS GAME

Mason Spradlin scored 18 points, including a big shot, to put the Guard up five with less than three minutes to play, as Bullard Brook Hill held off Dallas Lutheran, 63-52 in the boys win.

The Guard (24-3, 11-0 TAPPS 4-3A) struggled shooting the ball, but pulled away, thanks to Spradlin's bucket and 17 points from Tyler Baker, including some late free throws.

Jeremy Chappelle had 10 points and eight rebounds, for first-place Brook Hill.

GIRLS GAME

It was not by any means basketball at its best, but the Dallas Lutheran Lady Lions held on for a 41-28 win over the Lady Guard, on Saturday.

The Lady Lions defense held Brook Hill to single digits in all four quarters, while jumping to a 34-1 half-time lead.

Caroline Klein scored 10 of her game-high points in that first half, as Lutheran took command.

Brook Hill buckets were too far in-between in the game, led by Jenny Anderson, with six-points.

BHS Tennis debut rained out with White Oak; Athen Tournery on tap

- Feb. 4-5 @ Athens Tournament
- Feb. 12 @ Jacksonville Tournament
- Feb. 18 @ Gladewater Tournament
- Feb. 25 @ Terrell Tournament

- Mar. 1 Grace Community @ BHS
- Mar. 19 @Van Tournament
- Mar. 29 @ Frankston Tournament
- April 8-9 District Tournament @ Gladewater