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Co-MVP/All-Parish Boys' Team

NOAH GUIDRY

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DEMARCUS JACK

ELTON HIGH SCHOOL

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Vivian Sketoe
Kali Hornsby

Honorable Mention:
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Brooke Daboval
Darrah Broussard

Newcomer of the Year: Katherine Leonards

LA Boys: All Parish First Team

MVP: Deonna Brister

Honorable Mention: Kenyon Boese

Newcomer of the Year: Ray Levi



2021 Boys'
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Girls:
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MVP:
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Coach of the Year:
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Ian Augustine
Koyden Lopez

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Cayden Hill

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Damarcus Jack/Co-MVP

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Gavin Moore	Lacassine High School
Will Green	Welsh High School
Ray Levi	Lake Arthur High School
Noah Guidry	Hathaway High School
Ja'Corien Palfrey	Jennings High School
Sherman Bellow	Elton High School
Ethan Corkran	Lacassine High School
Ian Augustine	Hathaway High School
Koyden Lopez	Hathaway High School
Xavier Ceasar	Elton High School

Co-Most Valuable Players: Damarcus Jack, Elton and Noah Guidry, Hathaway
Newcomer of the Year: Ray Levi, Lake Arthur High School
Coach of the Year: Eric Willis, Hathaway High School

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A photograph of a basketball player, Ian Augustine, in a yellow jersey with the number 3, captured mid-air while shooting a basketball. He is looking upwards towards the basket. The background shows a blurred crowd of spectators in bleachers.

IAN AUGUSTINE

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A circular logo for Hathaway Little Dribblers. It features a stylized basketball in the center with the words "HATHAWAY" and "LITTLE DRIBBLERS" around it.

NOAH GUIDRY	KOYDEN LOPEZ	IAN AUGUSTINE	CAYDEN HILL	CORTLIN YOUNG
A photograph of Noah Guidry in a white jersey, captured mid-air while shooting a basketball.	A photograph of Koyden Lopez in a white jersey, captured mid-air while dribbling a basketball.	A photograph of Ian Augustine in a white jersey, looking forward.	A photograph of Cayden Hill in a white jersey, captured mid-air while dribbling a basketball.	A photograph of Cortlin Young in a white jersey, captured mid-air while shooting a basketball.
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TEAM



Will Green

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BOYS' TEAM

Honorable Mention

Kenyon Boese
Trevor Etienne
Aaron Garcia
Cortlin Young
Jaden Ross
Donta Palfrey
Cayden Hill
Bub Willridge
LaTroy Pattum
Jermaine Artis
Caleb Chaisson

Lake Arthur High School
Jennings High School
Lacassine High School
Hathaway High School
Elton High School
Jennings High School
Hathaway High School
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Noah Guidry/Co-MVP

Claron

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Garcia

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Deonna Brister/MVP



Vanessa Duhe

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Chloey Guidry	Hathaway High School
Vici Woods	Elton High School
Sydney Cooley	Lacassine High School
Ariyon Artis	Welsh High School
Jillian Fontenot	Jennings High School
Vivian Sketoe	Lake Arthur High School
Kali Hornsby	Lake Arthur High School
Lamiyah Sanchez	Hathaway High School
Madison Suire	Hathaway High School
Mariah Lemoine	Elton High School
Vanessa Duhe	Lacassine High School
Anna Trahan	Jennings High School
Katherine Leonards	Lake Arthur High School

Most Valuable Player: Deonna Brister, Lake Arthur
Newcomer of the Year: Katherine Leonards, Lake Arthur
Coach of the Year: Vickie Sketoe, Lake Arthur

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Brea Baca-White
Krislyn Cormier
Nya Francis
Chaylee Beard
Niyah Breaux
Makeela Freeman
Bri Doucet
Darrah Broussard

Jennings High School
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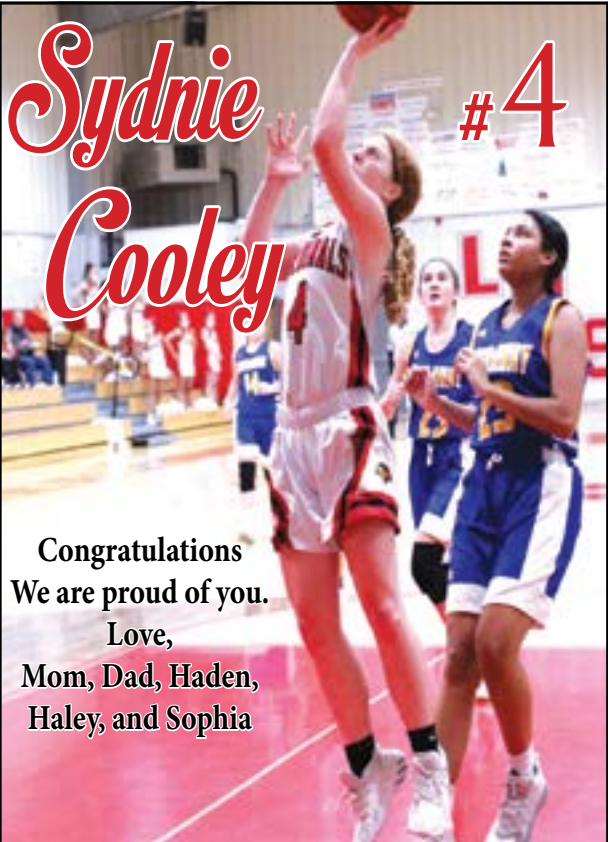
Anna Trahan

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MADISON SUIRE



FIRST TEAM

LAMIYAH SANCHEZ



FIRST TEAM

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Vanessa Duhe

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Ariyon Artis



Lamiyah Sanchez



Sydnie Cooley



Chloey Guidry



Mariah Lemoine



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Mom and Dad




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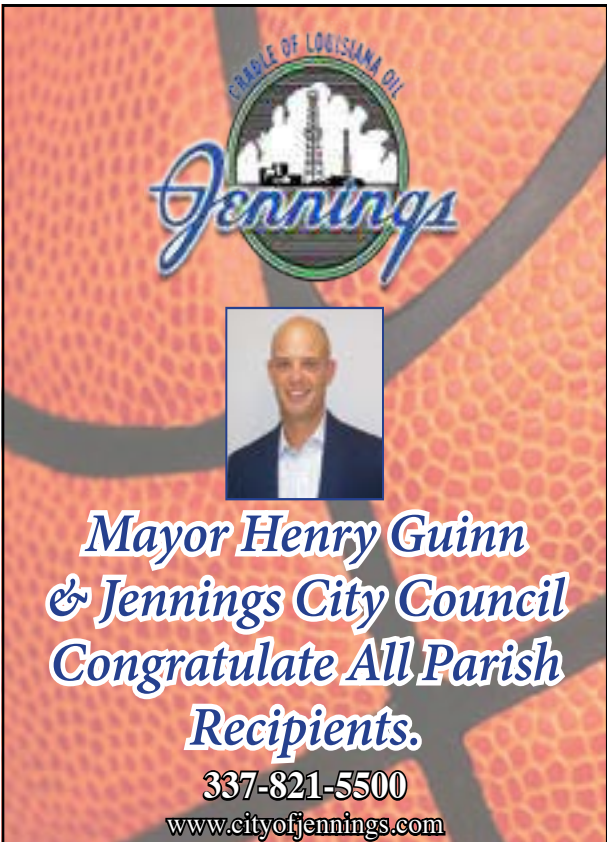
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Sweet Victory

Lady Tigers knock off Doyle to claim first state title in 45 years

HAMMOND – There's an old saying 'that good things come to those who wait.' The saying couldn't be more true for the Lake Arthur Lady Tigers, as they picked up their first Class 2A state championship in 45 years Friday night by edging the Doyle Lady Tigers 62-61 in arguably the most thrilling basketball game at the LHSAA's Marsh Madness Tournament held at Southeastern Louisiana University's Alumni Center.

For Lake Arthur Head Coach Vickie Sketoe, it was her first state title as a coach after making 10 appearances to the state tournament at Lake Arthur, Pickering and Lakeview.

"I just didn't want to set some record for becoming the first coach to come up empty-handed for the 11th time in the final four," laughed Sketoe after the game. "I'm happy, but I'm more excited for these girls, this school and this community. This is truly a great accomplishment for all of Lake Arthur."

"We told the kids at halftime after we built the big lead that Doyle wasn't going to go away," mentioned Sketoe. "They are a very good and a battle-tested team so we knew they were going to keep fighting. I just can't say how proud I am of my kids for fighting through everything to get this win."

Sketoe is also joined on the bench by her husband Fred as her assistant, and freshman guard Vivian, who plays an integral role in making the Lady Tigers go.

"This is also such a big moment for our family, as well as the school and town," added Sketoe. "To be able to share this with my daughter and husband is something I'll never

forget."

Lake Arthur senior Katherine Leonards was named the game's Most Valuable Player in the contest by nailing down 22 points, but shot a remarkable 6-of-10 from 3-point range during the contest. Leonards, who transferred in from Bell City, talked about her time as a Lady Tiger following the game.

"This ride for me was absolutely incredible, and I couldn't have asked for a better group of teammates to be able to share this with," said Leonards. "This was just an amazing experience for me to close my high school career with this run."

Deonna Brister, another senior who has dominated for the Lady Tigers all season, also had 18 points and seven blocked shots, and talked about the past heartbreaks and what this win means.

"We have had those losses before and it's not a good experience whatsoever," added Brister. "We just set our goals very high, worked hard and coach pushed us the entire way. Practices weren't always the most fun things in the world, but it got us ready to be where we are now. It's just such an incredible feeling."

Lake Arthur (31-4) had built a 12-9 lead midway through the first quarter, but came out swinging away in the back half of the first frame and into the second with a 16-0 run. Brister kick-started the stretch with back-to-back buckets, then Kali Hornsby and Leonards drilled back-to-back 3-pointers to make it 22-11. Right before the first quarter buzzer sounded, Vivian Sketoe sliced through the lane for a lay-up to give the Lady Tigers a 24-11 advantage after the first period. Brister and Leonards

each scored eight in the first for Lake Arthur, while Vivian Sketoe added five and Hornsby chipped in three. Presleigh Scott and Elise Jones each had four for Doyle in the first.

The Lady Tigers scored the first five points of the second frame when Hornsby buried another 3-ball, while Leonards hit a free throw to up the Lake Arthur lead to 28-11. However, Scott came back and scored the next six points for Doyle to cut the lead to 28-17.

Doyle chopped the lead to 10 at 31-21 midway through the second, however back-to-back lay-ups by Brister upped the Lady Tigers' lead back to 35-21. Moments later, Leonards drilled her second trifecta of the night to push the Lady Tiger lead to 38-25 going into the half.

"We pride ourselves on playing a very good schedule



Lake Arthur Lady Tigers

and some of the best teams in the state during the regular season," said Doyle Head Coach Samantha White. "But Lake Arthur was absolutely a great team. Our kids played extremely hard and fought back even after being down so many, but they just had an answer for everything. That was

one heck of a basketball team over there."

Lake Arthur came out of the locker room smoking, and after giving up an early basket to Doyle to make it 38-27, Leonards took over the game. The senior buried back-to-

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Heartbreak in Hammond

Fairview rallies to top Hathaway in Class B state championship

HAMMOND - For the second straight year, the Hathaway Lady Hornets' season ended in heartbreak in the finals of the Class B state championship at the hands of the Fairview Lady Panthers. Fairview rallied from a 10-point halftime deficit to claim a 55-51 win for its 11th state championship under Head Coach Kyle Jinks. The Lady Hornets end their magical season with a dazzling record of 23-4, and their second straight Class B runner-up finish.

"I'm tired of us being second. This one is definitely tougher than the loss last year," said Hathaway Head Coach Courtnee Young. "I think last year they just out-matched us and we were happy just to be there. I just feel like this year's loss hurts way more than the one last year."

The Lady Hornets had built a 10-point lead at 33-23 going into the half, however Fairview rallied to take a 45-43 lead with a big third period that saw the Lady Panthers out-score Hathaway 19-7.

"Missed layups were probably the deciding factor in this ballgame," added Young. "We

had a lot of chances and if we make half of the layups we had then we win the ball game.

We're not going to pretend like we are happy finishing second this year, but the bright side is that we return everybody but one senior. So, the future is still bright for us going forward."

Fairview (29-3) jumped out to an 8-2 lead to start the first quarter, however the Lady Hornets quickly responded with a Madison Suire bucket and 3-pointer to grab a 10-9 lead.

The Lady Panthers would extend their lead to 17-12 but Lamiyah Sanchez hit back-to-back buckets before the buzzer to make it 17-16 after one period of play.

The Lady Hornets used a big second stanza to build a 33-23 lead going into the half. Hathaway used a 13-0 run in the second on 3-balls from Sanchez and Chloey Guidry to swing the momentum in their favor.

"I think they out-rebounded us, out-played us and took it to us in the second quarter," said Kyle Jinks. "I think we came out in the second half

with a little more enthusiasm and knew we had to step up our game. I knew they (Hathaway) were a good basketball team, but they really took it to us and we needed to wake up."

The Lady Panthers came out in the third frame and flexed their muscles, outscoring Hathaway 19-7 to take a 45-43 lead into their final stanza. Game MVP Rylee Jinks made her presence felt in the third, scoring 10 of her game-high 19 by penetrating the lane and scoring at the rim.

"I knew we weren't shooting the ball very well from the outside so I needed to try and get to the rim and make things happen," said Rylee Jinks. "We needed to get some fire in us after the first half, so I just tried to give our team a boost and get us back in the game."

The two teams went back and forth in the fourth quarter, with Hathaway pulling within one at 46-45 on a Sanchez layup. But, Fairview had an answer for every Lady Hornet

bucket, and ultimately pulled away with the last four points of the ball game to claim the 55-51 win.

Fairview was able to contain Hathaway's Chloey Guidry and Madison Suire, hoisting them each to seven points for the contest.

"That was our plan coming in. We knew we needed to limit Chloey and Madison because they can really score the basketball," said Kyle Jinks. "We tried to deny them as much as we could and stay in their face the entire game. They just have a great basketball team and we were lucky to get out of here with a win. I told Coach Young after the game that we want to get out of Class B because I don't want to have to face them again." Young played for Kyle Jinks at Fairview where she was voted Miss basketball in the state of Louisiana.

"I love Coach Jinks and he will always be my coach," added Young. "I always say that if

I have to lose to anyone, it will be him. But, this one really hurts because I think we had a chance to win this game."

Sanchez led the Lady Hornets with 18 points and 18 rebounds, while Suire and Chloey Guidry both scored seven. Chaylee Beard popped in eight for the Hornets, while Brea Baca-White chipped in six and seventh-grader Sienna Guidry popped in five. Hathaway shot 7-of-27 from beyond the 3-point arc and 28 percent from the field in the game.

Rylee Jinks led the Lady Panthers with her 19 points and 12 rebounds, while Rylee Cloud had a great night with 18 of her own. CoCo Williams added 12 for Fairview in the win.

The Lady Panthers shot 9-of-43 from long distance, and 26 percent from the field for the contest.



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Hornets fall just short in semi-finals

No. 3 Hathaway nearly pulls off miraculous comeback

LAKE CHARLES – Trailing by 19 points with just under a minute left to go in the third quarter of their Class B semi-final contest with Simsboro, the No. 3 Hathaway Hornets (HHS) were faced with two options. Let the game get away and sulk, or scrap their way back into it and try to continue their magical run. HHS Head Coach Eric Willis' group of seniors decided they were going to ultimately fight back with tremendous passion, and nearly got the contest to a one possession game with 20 seconds left on the game clock. The Hornets strung together a 24-10 run to slash in to Simsboro's lead, however the dream fell short when the No. 2 Tigers hit two free throws in the final 15 seconds of the game to earn a 67-61 win.

Simsboro will now advance to play No. 1 Anacoco in the Class B State Championship contest on Friday. Anacoco blasted Hathaway's district mate J.S. Clark in the late game on

Tuesday by a score of 81-56.

"We just dug ourselves too big of a hole tonight that we couldn't get out of," said Willis after the contest. "Things kind of got away from us for about a two to three minute stretch there in the second quarter and into the third. It wasn't just us not playing like ourselves, there were some other reasons the game was going the way it did."

The Tigers will try once again to hoist the Class B trophy after falling in the finals in overtime a year ago. Simsboro Head Coach Josh Brown talked about Tuesday night's semi-final game, and had high praise for the Hornets.

"You have to give Hathaway a ton of credit for the way they fought. You could tell they had a lot of seniors who were not ready to go home yet," said Brown. "We really made some mistakes and didn't play great at the end, but that's a testament to them

(Hathaway) and their coaching staff. I'm glad we had the lead that we had before their run because we needed every bit of it tonight."

Willis touched on a couple of things that created Simsboro's double-digit lead throughout the third quarter, and explained what he saw that helped to turn the tide.

"We didn't shoot the ball very well tonight at all. We usually pride ourselves on making 3-pointers and being good shooters, but that wasn't the case tonight. I felt that towards the end of the year it kind of declined because of having games and practices cancelled. Then you throw in shooting in an arena and that can change things also," explained Willis. "We never got out of what we wanted to do offensively in the ball game, we just started getting foul calls when we drove the lane and penetrated. Those fouls weren't being called early in the game for some reason. But we missed too many lay-ups and free throws in the first half, and it was still just a seven-point game. I think we just got caught up in the hype of playing here. Simsboro is a very experienced

team and has played here the last four years. The bright lights didn't seem to bother them when it was all over."

The Hornets (22-6) opened the contest up by grabbing a 15-14 lead in a wild quarter of basketball. The Tigers (22-2) got out to an 8-5 lead at the 4:22 mark of the first period, but back-to-back buckets by senior Noah Guidry flipped things over to Hathaway at 9-8. After both teams swapped free throws, Guidry flipped in another bucket and Ian Augustine converted and "and 1" to put the Hornets up 15-10 with 1:30 left in the quarter. Simsboro would hit the last four points of the frame, leaving the Hornets with a 15-14 advantage going into the second period.

Hathaway came out and stretched their lead to 19-14 when Cameron Fuselier and Peyton Guillotte each tossed in a bucket. Hathaway's last lead of the night came with just over 3:30 left in the second quarter when Guidry converted a lay-up to make it 24-21. The Tigers closed the first half out by going on a 10-2 run to bring a 33-26 lead with them into the locker rooms. Guidry led the Hornets at the

break with 11 points and seven rebounds. Augustine had six in the first half, while Guillotte, Fuselier, Cortlin Young and Koyden Lopez all had two. Cayden Hill also dropped in a free throw for Hathaway in the first half.

Things began to go downhill for the Hornets in the third period, and were outscored 18-11 to trail 51-37 heading into the fourth quarter.

Guidry opened the period up with an early bucket to make it 33-28, however Simsboro went on a 9-0 run to stretch their advantage to 42-28. Guidry was able to knock down a pair of free throws with 4:22 remaining in the third to stop the bleeding, but Simsboro just kept burying shots. A 3-pointer by Nick Maryland with just over three minutes left in the third stanza gave the Tigers a 45-30 lead. Simsboro was able to score the next six points in the third to make it 51-32, however Hill drilled a 3-ball and Guidry got a put back right before the intermission to close the gap to 51-37.

The two teams went back-and-forth at each other for the first three

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minutes in the fourth quarter. Guillotte and Guidry both converted "and I's" in the opening two minutes, but Simsboro's Jamarian Cato seemed to have put the exclamation point on the game by throwing down a monster dunk with 5:10 left to play. That left the score at 62-45, but all it did was wake up the Hornets. Hathaway continued to answer back and force turnovers in the final four minutes of the ball game, slowly slicing the Tigers' lead into single digits. Guidry and Young both hit back-to-back buckets in the push, then Lopez drilled a long 3-ball with 1:27 left to make it 65-55. Following a Simsboro turnover, Guidry cut the Tiger lead to eight with 1:14 left at 65-57. A minute later, Hill converted another "and I" play to shrink the advantage to 65-60. Augustine would hit the front-end of a pair of free throws with 18 ticks left to make it 65-61, but two free throws by Simsboro iced things at 67-61.

Guidry led the Hornets with his 24 points and 17 rebounds. He also recorded four blocked shots and dished out two assists. Augustine also hit double figures with his 11 points and also ripped down seven boards. Hill had eight tallies and four rebounds, while Guillotte ended his evening with seven points. Lopez chipped in five points, hauled in six rebounds and handed out four assists. Young was able

to chip in four, while Fuselier added two.

Maryland led the Tigers with his 25-point outburst and seven steals. Cato ended his evening with 13 tallies and 10 rebounds. Jordan Crawford tacked on seven and Reggie Tyler added six.

Hathaway says goodbye to nine

seniors in Cayden Hill, Peyton Guillotte, Ian Augustine, Cameron Fuselier, Noah Guidry, Cortlin Young, Chris Naquin, Bryce Guillotte and Koyden Lopez.

"These seniors have meant so much to our team over their years. It's going to be very hard knowing they won't be here," finished Willis.

"I think that's what is making this so hard right now."

"Being able to be on only the third team to ever make it here is an awesome feeling," said Guidry after the game. "This is a moment that I'll never forget."

"Playing at Burton was special for us, and we all had said that our se-

nior year would be the one we would make it," said Augustine. "Us not making it to the championship game is tough. I think during the comeback we just all possibly realized we only had four minutes left to play in our career. We just laid it all on the line after that and hoped we could pull through."

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back 3-pointers to make it 44-27, sending the huge Lake Arthur following into a frenzy.

"Our guards always do an amazing job of driving, penetrating and kicking it out to us for three. Brooke (Daboval) and Vivian (Sketoe) did just that tonight," said Leonards. "They got into the lane, kicked it out and hit me right in the hands with every pass. That allowed me to set my feet and just get off good jumpers."

Daboval also got in on the 3-point barrage, burying one of her own to make it 47-29. Brister then hit another bucket to make it 49-31, then Hornsby buried a 3-ball to up the Lake Arthur lead to 52-31. Doyle began to answer by going on a 7-2 run to make it 53-40 heading into the final period of play.

Doyle continued to turn up the pressure in the fourth quarter, using a suffocating full-court press to force some Lake Arthur turnovers. Doyle extended their run to 20-2 to cut the

Lady Tigers' lead to 54-51 before Brister added a bucket to make it 56-51 at the 4:35 mark of the fourth.

Doyle quickly answered back by burying a huge 3-pointer to chop the lead to only two at 56-54.

However, the Lady Tigers answered right back with their two leading scorers of the evening hitting big shots. Leonards drained a trifecta to make it 59-54, then Brister dropped in two more to make it 61-54.

A jumper by Scott at the 2:29 mark drew an "and I" to chop the Lake Arthur lead to 61-57. Doyle had several chances in the next minute to cut it even more, however Brister took control down low and blocked three consecutive shots to deny Doyle. With 47 ticks left in the contest, Daboval buried 1-of-2 from the line, but got her own rebound on the back end to pull the ball out.

With 21 seconds left in the game and the Lady

Tigers clinging to a 62-57 lead, Kylee Savant tossed in a lay-up to make it 62-59. After forcing a turnover on a Lake Arthur out-of-bounds play, Scott was able to make a lay-up to make it 62-61. The only problem was, the final horn sounded right after the bucket to leave Lake Arthur with their first state title since 1976.

Leonards, the 2A Title Game MVP, led the Lady Tigers with her 22 points on 6-of-10 shooting behind the arc. Brister had another outstanding showing with her 18 tallies, seven rebounds and seven blocks. Hornsby knocked in 13 points of her own, including three 3-balls, and also pulled down nine boards. Sketoe finished with five points and dished out four assists, while Daboval chipped in four points and also handed out three assists.

Scott led Doyle with her 26 points and 20 rebounds, while Kylee Savant hit for 16 and KayKay Savant added 11.

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