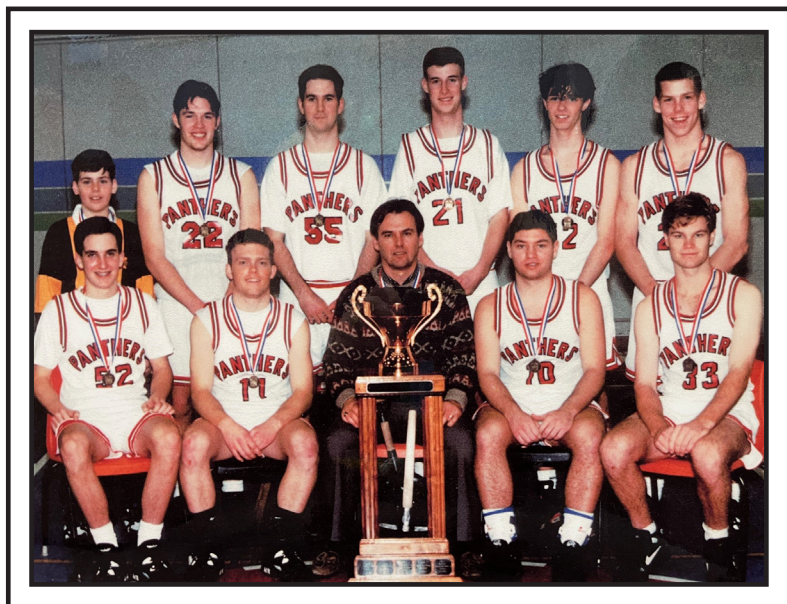


1995 PARIS DISTRICT HIGH SCHOOL PANTHERS SR. BOYS BASKETBALL TEAM

Winners of the New Waterford Coal Bowl Classic Tournament

The PDHS basketball team participated in the New Waterford Coal Bowl Classic Tournament, a nationally based, full-week format with in-school accommodations in New Waterford, Nova Scotia in early 1995. This nationally recognized, week-long tournament, which began in 1980, was created to celebrate both the history of coal mining and basketball, instilling a special pride in the community that resonated across Canada. Paris District High School was named champion of the Coal Bowl Classic after winning the championship game over Dr. John Hugh Gillis High School from Antigonish, Nova Scotia.

- Blair Goodman set a Coal Bowl tournament record of ten 3-point baskets in a game (8 in one half). Matt Kerr captured the tournament MVP honors.
- Goodman, Kerr and Mark Sutherland were named to the tournament all-star team.
- The Panthers went on to a 3rd place finish in Brant County regular season play and had a strong showing at the 1995 CWOSAA Championships.



Front Row (left to right): John Thompson, Dan Hammond,
Ross Enslev (coach), Blair Goodman, Bill England

Back Row (left to right): David Deveraux, Mark Sutherland,
Dave MacDonald, Matt Kerr, Adam Sleeth, Jason Rupert

Manager (absent) – Bill Lord

DEDICATED on SEPTEMBER 19, 2024