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Here's Our Lady of Good Counsel's fifth-sixth grade basketball team, gathered last week at the school:

Back row, from left: Irving Watson, Mike Phillips, Dan Cassidy, Robert Young, Mike Harris, Sergio Cruz, Chris Carey, and Mike Cropo.

Front row, from left:

Front row, from left: Coach Jim Costello, Gregory Hanley, Eric Watson, John Sidou, Mike Frail, Ernie Barcelo, John Dovi, and Coach Al Kurdt. (Photograph by Audrey Newcomb.)



Good Counsel team runs up 10-0 season

The fifth and sixth grade boys' basketball team at Our Lady of Good Counsel finished its regular season in the Catholic Youth Organization 5-6 Division with an unblemished 10-0 record.

As City/West went to press, the boys were competing in the Monroe County CYO Tournament at Greece

Arcadia High School, with semi-finals on March 18-19.

Good Counsel started the season with a convincing 40-13 win over St. John's of Greece and never relented after that. Their highest-scoring game was a 50-12 trouncing of Most Precious Blood. Some close calls which almost

put them in the defeat column were games against St. Charles Borromeo (28-25) and Mother of Sorrows (26-23).

Coach Albert Kurdt compiled regular season statistics for the boys, which revealed that Chris Carey was high scorer with 33 baskets and a 33.6 percent shooting average. High rebounder was Mike Harris with 78. Irving Watson and Sergio Cruz tied in the assist category, with eight apiece. Irving Watson led his team in steals, with 27.

The team had a 24.6 percent shooting average on the season, against opponents' 20.3 percent.