



Spartans projected starting line-up:

5 Bryn Forbes 6'3" G

Since transferring from Cleveland State, @B_nasty04 is now physically closer with his 2-year-old son.

10 Matt Costello 6'9" F

Once said his biggest challenge as a student athlete was that women weren't shy about approaching him.

14 Eron Harris 6'3" G

He played for Western Virginia from 2012-2014 and was a freshman when UM beat WVU in 2012.

23 Deyonta Davis 6'10" F

He's shooting a hot 63.6 FG% this season.

45 Denzel Valentine 6'5" G

His dad also played for MSU and it's pretty clear who Denzel inherited his tooth gap from.

HC Tom Izzo

He can play the accordion and has starred in two Dove commercials.

To comply with the Big Ten sportsmanship code, the "Bum of the Game" has been replaced by the "Player to Watch": **Eron Harris**

Good afternoon, Wolverines! Today our boys in Maize and Blue will be taking on the angry midget and his Michigan State Spartans! Despite claims that MSU is the state of Michigan's biggest basketball school, Michigan has gone 6-5 against the Spartans in their past 11 encounters. Michigan also leads the all-time series at 97-79! This is a big game to put on our NCAA resume so get excited, get rowdy, and get #CrislerLoud! Go Blue!

#SpartansWill Be Copycats: The MSU Football Twitter account tweeted "Who's got it better ... than Michigan State? Nobody" back on December 14. Since that tweet was posted, their basketball team has gone 6-4 in league play, their hockey team has won 2 of their last 10 games played prior to the weekend, and their football team lost 0-38 in the CFP semifinal. Better luck next time, Little Bro.

Spartans Trivia: Kyle Ahrens (#0) is averaging 4 minutes per game, after convincing Izzo to burn his redshirt. Javon Bess' (#2) Snapchat is "javonb". Alvin Ellis III (#3) was charged with alcohol-related offenses as well as public littering. "Tum Tum" Nairn Jr.'s (#11) real name is Lourawls. Marvin Clark Jr. (#15) follows quite a few Twitter accounts among the likes of @HotChicksAllDay and @GymGirlsDaily. Matt McQuaid (#20) has the worst baby-face you'll ever see. Colby Wollenman (#41) applied to the University of Michigan's Medical School.

The Rest of the Spartans: Conner George (#13), Kenny Goins (#25), Matt Van Dyk (#30), Gavin Schilling (#34), Greg Roy (#51).

Keep it classy, Rage: As one of college basketball's premiere student sections, it's important that we refrain from swearing or using other slurs throughout the game. The University of Michigan is an institution of class, and as a collective representative, we need to uphold this standard.

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Bounce in his Step: At 6'1", Derrick Walton Jr. is not tall in comparison to the average basketball player, but that doesn't stop him from reaching high. He currently leads the Wolverines with 5.8 rebounds per game. Along with that, he has the second and third highest assists and points per game, respectively. With those numbers, Derrick is everything you want in a point guard.

Coach's Infiniti Challenge: Remember to vote for Coach Beilein in the Coach's Challenge! This year, he is sponsoring the Chad Tough Foundation. The challenge continues until March 13th. Make sure you are voting daily, so that Coach Beilein can keep his lead! The voting information can be found on the Infiniti page of the ESPN website. Go Blue!

Remember: A maize Michigan shirt, a Michigan basketball jersey, or costume is required to sit in the bleachers.



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Cheers: Be steady and DON'T SPEED UP

Offense:

- Here we go Michigan, here we go!
(clap clap)
- Let's Go Michigan! (clap, clap, clap
clap clap)
- Go, Blue, Go! (clap clap clap)
- Let's Go Blue! (clap)
- Go Blue! (clap clap)

Defense:

- Popcorn (Jump up and down while screaming OHHHHH!!)
- Bounce! Bounce! Pass! (Yell "bounce" when the opposition dribbles, and "pass" when they pass)

"A"-BOMB: When Aubrey Dawkins hits a three, drop back in your seats as if a bomb has violently shaken Crisler Arena.

The Bacari Corner

A Tribute to coach Bacari Alexander and his Tweets:

Feb. 4: "Do not let the shadows of your past darken the doorstep of your future. Forgive and forget."

Feb. 4: "Experience is simply the name we give our mistakes."

Feb. 2: "Be LOUD AND PROUD! #WE100"