

## Boilermakers projected starting line-up.

3 Carsen Edwards 6'1" G

Refers to himself as #LaidBackShuga

11 P.J. Thompson 5'10" G

Used to get pedicures with former teammate Caleb Swanigan

12 Vincent Edwards 6'8" F

Posed for a "Step Brothers" themed picture with Carsen Edwards

31 Dakota Mathias 6'4" G

Tweets his support for the Golden State Warriors all the time

44 Isaac Haas 7'2" C

Must be hiding something, considering his Twitter is private

HC Matt Painter

College teammate of Glenn Robinson, GR3's father

To comply with the Big Ten sportsmanship code, the "Bum of the Game" has been replaced by the "Player to Watch": **Vincent Edwards**

Good evening Wolverines and welcome to Crisler! The team has been on quite the hot streak for the past month, and they're certainly going to need it to continue this week. Tonight it'll be the fifth ranked Purdue Boilermakers and this weekend Michigan will make the trip to East Lansing to face fourth ranked Michigan State. Tonight, make sure to get loud and help the team take down the highly questionably named Boilermakers!

**Big Men, Big Trouble:** Big men have been a staple for Matt Painter the last couple of years, and this year is no different. B1G Player of the Year Caleb Swanigan is gone, but 7-footer Isaac Haas has returned, and Purdue has added another in 7'3" Matt Haarms. This could be an issue for Purdue, however, as the 7 footers will have to defend the perimeter in order to win tonight.

**Trouble in Paradise:** Purdue has had a strong season, but they had one notable hiccup early on. Traveling to the Bahamas for their early-season tournament, Purdue dropped their first two games against Tennessee and Western Kentucky before defeating Arizona in the consolation game. Arizona, who entered that tournament #2 in the nation, also struggled in the Bahamas, but hadn't lost since, until this weekend. A bad omen for Purdue perhaps?

**Battle of B1G Champs:** Tonight's matchup features both the Big Ten Regular Season Champions from last year in Purdue and the 2017 Big Ten Tournament Champions, our Michigan Wolverines.

**The Rest of the Boilermakers:** Aaron Wheeler (#1), Ryan Cline (#14), Tommy Luce (#15), Nojel Eastern (#20), Jacquil Taylor (#23), Grady Eifert (#24), Matt Haarms (#32), Sasha Stefanovic (#55).

**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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**Heating Back Up:** Junior Moe Wagner had been struggling since his return from injury against Jacksonville on December 30th, but got back on track Saturday against Illinois. Wagner scored 14 points on 6/7 from the field and pulled down 7 rebounds as well. Wagner will be key this week as Michigan plays two top-5 opponents.

**Staying Hot:** Freshman Isaiah Livers kept his hot streak going, scoring 12 points against Illinois, including a pair of dunks and an alley-oop, to spark Michigan to a 79-69 win. Livers has helped provide the Wolverines with valuable depth as Big Ten play has restarted.

**Fair or Foul?:** Redshirt sophomore Charles Matthews only played 16 minutes against Illinois due to foul trouble, but was still able to make an impact. Despite not being on the floor for most of the game, Matthews scored 10 points on a perfect 4/4 from the field. Michigan will need Matthews on the floor as conference play continues.

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



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## Cheers and Chants

- Put your arms around those near you and sway to the beat during the pregame video and player introductions
- IbiIbiIbiIbiIbi (when Ibi Watson touches the ball or makes a play)
- Big Jon (when Jon Teske makes a play)
- During free throws, listen for the distracting noise and echo along
- Howl like a wolf when Charles Matthews has a great play
- Defense! (stomp, stomp)
- You Suck chant after a Michigan run causes an opponent timeout

**Moe Money, Moe Buckets:** Every time Moritz Wagner hits a three, rub your thumb and fingers together as if you were rubbing coins or bills together

**D-Bomb:** Every time Duncan Robinson hits a three, drop back in your seat as though a bomb has violently shaken Crisler

## The Alumni Corner

**Wolverines in the Pros:** Jamal Crawford keeps going strong, as he scored 10 points and had 3 assists in a 127-99 Timberwolves win over the Cleveland Cavaliers on Monday.

**Tweet of the Week:** "Can somebody name another food more overhyped than bacon?" – Stu Douglass (@SWD\_317), Class of 2012