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SUMMARY OF TEXAS HIGH SCHOOL COACHES ASSOCIATION (THSCA) ALL-STAR GAMES, 1946-2012

Introduction:

The Texas High School Coaches Association has held basketball all-star games since 1946. The site of the game has rotated among Texas cities just as the Coaches "School" which has been held in late July/early August in different cities since 1933. The players for the basketball all-star game are chosen each year by a Selection Committee of member coaches. Approximately 12 boys are selected each year with representatives from all five U.I.L. divisions (1A, 2A, 3A, 4A & 5A). The player rosters in the adjacent file reflect "early" program rosters as quite often changes have to be made as players drop out because of illness, injury, suspension, scheduling conflicts, etc. Thus some "late additions" (indicated by underlined name) are included in the all-star box scores but not in the program roster. The "college choices" by players are taken from pre-game program rosters and may not reflect their (later) actual choices. In some cases this author has added later (well known) college choices and even such notations as NFL and NBA. Names in blue indicate father/son combinations for coach/player. In the 64 years from 1946-2009 there have been 60 father/sons combinations of coach/player with the trend being more common in recent years (four such "combos" came in 2004 & 2009).

1946—in Corpus Christi at the Naval Station gym, Aug. 8. South defeated North, 34-33
South Coach=Ned Thompson of Pasadena & North Coach=Harry Hamilton of Jefferson
MVP—none selected though Bill Hickman of Houston Jeff Davis would have likely been the choice he was the leading scorer (15 pts) for the winning South team. Billy Turnbow of Perrin was the 2nd leading scorer with 11 points for the North. The Austin American-Statesman noted that the game was "a close one all the way with the score changing hands repeatedly." Bill Huffman of Pasadena "gladdened his coach's heart" with a FG that won the game in the last 39 seconds as he made a "crip shot" that put the South ahead and then watched as Bill Turnbow of Perrin missed a FT that would have tied the game.
Since the gym (the largest in Corpus Christi) seated only 1,000 the game was not open to the public but only to players, coaches and families. The following night the 12th annual all-star football game was played.

1947---in El Paso at the El Paso Coliseum, Aug. 7. North defeated South, 55-27
North Coach=Frosty Cox of Colorado & South Coach=Adolph Rupp of Kentucky
Jack Brown of Crozier Tech was the unanimous choice as MVP and scored 11 points. The 6'9" Marcus Freiberger of Greenville led the North with 13 points and Jewell McDowell added 10 points. John Dewitt of Waco led the South with 9 points and held the "giant" Freiberger to 13 points. Freiberger later played at the U. of Oklahoma and for the 1952 U.S. Olympic team.

The North jumped to a 37-20 lead as Brown and McDowell, according to the Austin American Statesman, “started peppering the basket from way out” after the South defenders “dropped back” on Freiberger in the post. The North led 46-24 after 3 qts.

Four players from this game (Jewel McDowell of Amarillo, Jack Brown of Crozier Tech, John DeWitt of Waco & Marcus Freiberger of Gainesville) were later elected to the TX H.S. Basketball Hall of Fame.

1948---in Abilene’s Rose Field House, Aug. 5. North defeated South, 36-31

North Coach=Claire Bee of Long Island U. & South Coach=Jack Gray of Texas

The North led by as many as 10 points & never got closer than 3 points.

Tommie Hancock, 5’8”, was the unanimous choice as MVP though he scored only 2 points. The leading scorer in the game was Crozier Tech’s 6’3” center, Bryan Miller, who scored 9 points. Leonard Childs of Houston Jeff Davis scored 8 and Denton’s 6’5” Walter Kearns had 6.

According to the Austin American Statesman, the North relied on Coach Claire Bee’s “bottle defense almost to perfection” and “bottled up” the South team. “Sparked by little Tommie Hancock of Prairie Valley, who chews tobacco while he plays, the North jumped into an early lead, then went into the famed defense taught them by the Long Island mentor.” The North utilized “three shorties” (the 5’8” Hancock; Gene Landrum of Abilene; and the 5’11” Maurice Campbell of Mt. Vernon) to “outhustle and often outjump the bewildered South team which enjoyed a big height advantage.”

One player from this game---Walter Davis of Nederland---was later elected to the TX H.S. Basketball Hall of Fame.

1949---in Beaumont, Aug. 4. The North swept two games played on the same day (afternoon & night) by scores of 33-23 & 42-36. The North Coach=Adolph Rupp of Kentucky and South Coach=Hank Iba of Oklahoma A&M.

According to the Austin American Statesman, O’Neal Weaver of Martin’s Mill “sparked a last-half flurry that brought the favored North victory” in the afternoon game and “was again he big gun of the North team” in the night game. Freddie Whillock of Cayuga was the leading scorer in the first game for the South with 16 points & had 2 points in the night game. The North’s Weaver had 9 in the first game and 10 in the second.

Whillock and Weaver were named the MVPs by sports writers. Leroy Miksch of Waelder with 5 & 8 points “was high in the voting.” Darrell Murphy of Shallowater scored 10 & 4 points.

One player from this game----O’Neal Weaver of Martin’s Mill---was later elected to the TX H.S. Basketball Hall of Fame.

1950---in Austin’s Gregory gym, Aug 3. North defeated South, 34-27

North Coach=Hank Iba of Oklahoma A&M & South Coach=Adolph Rupp of Kentucky

A record crowd of 4,368 watched the North relied “on height to score the victory” and took an early lead which reached 13 points, and was never relinquished. The MVP of the North team was 5’4” Joe Abbott of Canyon who scored only 7 points but (according to the Austin American Statesman) “his fine floor work and expert dribbling kept the Southerners baffled.” Jerry Norton of Texarkana was the MVP of the South and scored 9 points. Arthur Flinders of SA Jefferson scored 9 points for the South as did Jack Bell of Ft. Worth Poly.

Gilbert Ford of Amarillo and Norman Miksch of Waelder were later elected to the TX H.S. Basketball Hall of Fame.

1951---in San Antonio at Alamo Stadium Gym, Aug. 3. South defeated North, 60-55
North Coach=Cliff Wells of Tulane University & South Coach=Forrest Anderson of Bradley U.
Cayuga's Kelly Jim Duncan was voted the MVP and was the North's top scorer with 17 points followed by Tommy Hill of Houston Lamar with 10. Keith Lane of Borger led the South with 17 points followed by Lynn Hart of Gruver with 15 and Billy Word of El Paso Austin with 11. The game was close with the North taking the lead for good with a minute remaining in the 4th qt. The North deployed a "freeze" in the 4th qt. led by 5'7" Bill Skipping of Austin to ensure the victory. Bill Dalton of South San Antonio and Glenn Dyer of Sinton were the South's top rebounders the defensive stars were Dyer and James Everett of Cleveland. The South's L.G. ("Long Gone") Dupree was later an All-American running back at Baylor and played in the NFL. Kelly Jim Duncan of Cayuga was later elected to the TX H.S. Basketball Hall of Fame.

1952---in Ft. Worth at Will Rogers Coliseum, Aug. 7, North defeated South, 29-27
North Coach=Vadal Peterson of Utah & South Coach=Henry Iba of Oklahoma A&M
The game featured the fast-breaking offense of the North under Coach Peterson and the ball-control game of the South under Coach Hank Iba. The game broke a record for fewest aggregate points (56 points) and the South had a 9-7 halftime lead. However, FW Riverside's Wayman Buchanan made 4 FGs in the 4th qt. to lead the North to victory. Wayman Buchanan of FW Carter-Riverside made a FG with 28 seconds remaining to give the North the victory. Buchanan, a 6'3" F, had averaged 24 ppg on the season and scored 9 in the all-star game to lead the North. Charles Howard of Sherman, who also averaged 25 ppg on the season, led the South with 8 points. Buchanan was voted the MVP of the game. Larry Showalter of Dallas Adamson was later elected to the TX H.S. Basketball Hall of Fame.

1953---in Houston at Rice Fieldhouse, Aug. 6, South defeated the North, 54-53
North Coach=Everett Shelton of Wyoming & South Coach=Buster Brannon of Texas
The game featured a "scoring duel" between the North's Dick O'Neal (6'6") of FW Poly and the South's Ellis Olmstead of Galveston Ball with the 6'9" Olmstead leading all scorers with 14 points followed by O'Neal with 12 and 11 by James Swink of Rusk. O'Neal led with 11 rebounds followed by Olmstead with 10. Jerry Mallett of Beaumont S. Park made two FTs with 22 seconds left to give the South a 3 point lead which held up despite a long shot with 4 seconds left that cut the final margin to one point at 54-53. According to the Austin American Statesman, the 6'1" Swink, voted the MVP of the game, "entered the game unheralded at the start of the third quarter. Only minutes later, he had a large portion of the audience of 4,000 cheering him on." Swink was later an All-American half-back at TCU and finished 2nd in the Heisman Trophy in 1955. Two players in this game---Dick O'Neal of FW Poly and Jerry Mallett of Beaumont S. Park---were later elected to the TX H.S. Basketball Hall of Fame.

1954---in Dallas, Aug. 13, South defeated North, 61-60
North Coach=Dudley Moore, Duquesne U. & South Coach=Eddie Hickey of St. Louis U.

The South's Milton (Red) Williams of Big Sandy made a last second "hook shot" under the basket for the 1-point victory over the North which had led by as many as 9 points in the 4th qt. Bowie's 6'10" Temple Tucker made 2 FTs with 17 seconds left for a 61-60 lead before the game winner by Williams. Tucker led all scorers with 20 points followed by Pampa's Jim Bonds and Sweeny's Russell Boone with 19. Russell Boone of Sweeny was voted the MVP of the game. Tucker was later an All-American at Rice while Bond was an NAIA All-American at Pasadena College and is in the Texas and national hall of fames. He became the head of the world-wide Nazarene Church. Boone set a state tournament record in 1954 with 50 points in one game. A record 7 players from this game----King Hill of Brazosport-Freeport, Bill Eldridge of SA Alamo Heights, Kenneth Cleveland of Coleman, Temple Tucker of Bowie, Milton Williams of Big Sandy, Russell Boone of Sweeny & Jimmy Bond of Pampa----were later elected to the TX H.S. Basketball Hall of Fame.

1955---in San Antonio at Alamo Stadium Gym, Aug. 4, North defeated South, 67-53
North Coach=Phil Woolpert of San Francisco & South Coach=Milton Jowers of Southwest TX
The North scored 17 straight points in the 3d qt. (10 by Pampa's Jay McIlvain) to take a 41-31 lead and "the game was over for all practical purposes." Birdville's Ronnie Stevenson led the North scoring with 16 points followed by Pampa's Jay McIlvain with 13. Milby's W.A. Preston led the South scoring with 14. Other top scorers in the game were Victoria's Neil Swisher & Atlanta's John Fite with 12 each and Borger's Gerald Meyers with 10. E. Jay McIlvain of Pampa was voted the MVP of the game. Gerald Meyers was later All-SWC & coach & athletic director at Texas Tech.

Two players from this game---Gerald Meyers of Borger and Neil Swisher of Victoria---were later elected to the TX H.S. Basketball Hall of Fame.

1956---in Lubbock at Texas Tech's "new, two million dollar coliseum," Aug. 8, North defeated South, 81-43. North Coach=Doc Hayes of SMU & South Coach=Ken Loeffler of Texas A&M
The game set records for the highest score for one team, highest aggregate score, the widest margin of victory and attendance (6,800). The South was led by Avoca's 5'10" Max Williams who, according to the Austin American Statesman, was known as a "showboat" but "kept his fancy tricks fairly well concealed, concentrating on his fine jump shot and some brilliant set up passing." The South was hampered by the illness of 3 players (including Austin's Jay Arnette) who spent time during the week in the hospital. The North jumped out to a 16-1 lead behind Williams and Crozier Tech's A.C. Black and cruised to the 38-point victory. Williams led all scorers with 16 points while Pete Markle of Houston Austin led the South with 12 points. Other top scorers were R.A. Davalos of SA Edison, Junior Fitts of Tahoka and Gerald Copp of Krum with 10 each. Max Williams later starred at SMU and Jay Arnette played on the 1960 U.S. Olympic team. Max Williams of Avoca was voted the MVP of the game.

Four players from this game---A.C. Black of Dallas Crozier Tech, Max Williams of Avoca, Jay Arnett of Austin McCallum and Rudy Davalos of SA Edison---were later elected to the TX H.S. Basketball Hall of Fame.

1957---in Dallas at Moody Coliseum, Aug. 8, North defeated South, 43-42
North Coach=Clifton McNeely of Pampa & South Coach=Cotton Robinson of Buna

The North won the first overtime game in the history of the all-star game (1946-1957) when Pampa's Jerry Pope hit an 18-ft. jump shot with 38 seconds left in the OT. Merkel's Robert McLeod, "who played a strong defensive game," scored to tie the game for the North and force the OT. The 6'1" Pope led all scorers with 12 points (all on outside shots) while Steve Smith of Marlin led the South with 8 points. McLeod had 7 points for the North. Jerry Pope of Pampa was voted the MVP of the game. Robert McLeod, 2nd in the MVP voting, later played football and basketball at ACC and in the NFL. Pat Stanley of Buna was later elected to the TX H.S. Basketball Hall of Fame.

1958---in Houston at Rice Gym, Aug. 8, North defeated South, 53-49

North Coach=J.W. Black of Dallas Samuell & South Coach=George Carlisle of Clear Creek
The North's 4-pt victory over the South was led by Pampa's Bill Brown, "a dazzling ball handler and floorman," and two "rebounding giants," Jan Loudermilk of Big Spring and Bobby Bernard of Graham who had 12 & 11 rebounds and "stymied" the South inside game. Brown made 2 FTs in the final 46 seconds to "ice" the game and led all scorers with 12 points. David Warnell of Galena Park led the South with 10 points. Carroll Broussard of Port Arthur scored 9 for the South. Bill Brown of Pampa was voted the MVP of the game. Jan Loudermilk set a state record earlier in the season with 75 points in one game and was an All-American at SMU. Broussard was an All-American at TX A&M.

On Aug. 7, 2008, a 50th reunion of the 1958 North and South teams was held in San Antonio at the halftime of the 2008 all-star basketball game. The reunion, organized by all-stars James Barrum and Billy Wilbanks, included 10 of the 24 players from the 1958 game. Four players from this game---Carroll Broussard, Jan Loudermilk, Phil Reynolds & Billy Wilbanks---eventually were elected to the TX H.S. Basketball Hall of Fame. Also, South Coach George Carlisle later made the Hall of Fame.

1959---in Ft. Worth at Will Rogers Coliseum, Thursday, Aug. 6, North defeated South, 57-45

North Coach=Amos Turner of Grand Prairie & South Coach=Ford King of Big Sandy
The North's 12-point victory over the South was led by the "magnificent court generalship" of 6'2" James Thompson of Bowie and the North's fast-break offense and "rugged defense" which contained the 7' Lewis Qualls of Smiley. The North took the lead in the 3rd qt. and led by 42-37 at the end of the third and was never threatened in the final period. Thompson and Don Rosick of FW Poly led the North with 10 points and Jimmy Cobb of Buna led the South with 10 points. James Thompson of Bowie was voted the MVP of the game. Lewis Qualls of Smiley was later elected to the TX H.S. Basketball Hall of Fame.

1960---in Dallas at Moody Coliseum, Thur. Aug. 4, South defeated North, 68-58

North Coach=W.H. Kitchens of Hereford & South Coach=Gerald Cobb of Galena Park
The South broke a 5-year winning streak by the North with a 10-point victory led by 6'1" Rick Kaminsky of Houston Bellaire who led all scorers with 19 points and "set up many more with his expert ball-handling and maneuvering." The lead changed hands 12 times with the South taking its last lead with five minutes remaining. Dave Somerville of Dallas Jefferson led the North in scoring with 11 followed by George Scott of McAdoo. Other top scorers for the winning South team were Larry Phillips of Houston Jones (14), Bennie Lenox of Clear Creek (12).

Rick Kaminsky of Houston Bellaire was voted the MVP of the game and was committed to play at Yale—the only all-star going out-of-state. Lenox, one of TX's greatest H.S. scorers, became an All-American at TX A&M.

Three players from this game----Bobby McKinley of Bowie, Bennie Lenox of Clear Creek and Rick Kaminski of Houston Bellaire---were later elected to the TX H.S. Basketball Hall of Fame.

1961---in San Antonio at Alamo Stadium Gym, Wed., Aug. 9, North defeated South, 67-57
North Coach=O.W. Follis of Lamesa & South Coach=Hal Lambert of Spring Branch
The North's 10-pt. victory over the South was due to "almost complete mastery of the backboards" in the 2nd half by the "towering" North team led by 6'8" John Paul Fultz of Dallas Samuel. The Austin American Statesman reported that the South led early on outside shooting by S. San Antonio's Robert Zamora and Belton's Bill Ward ("a brilliant performer in defeat") but suffered a "second half collapse" in "long range shooting." Fultz and Steve Carter of Amarillo Palo Duro led the North in scoring with 15 points each while the South was led by Ward and Jay Baker of Aldine with 12 each and Zamora with 11. John Paul Fultz of Dallas Samuell was voted the MVP of the game.

Two players from this game---John Paul Fultz of Dallas Samuell and Larry Franks of Nacogdoches---were later elected to the TX H.S. Basketball Hall of Fame.

1962---in Lubbock at Municipal Coliseum, Friday, Aug. 10, North defeated South, 44-38
North Coach=John Ethridge of Amarillo & South Coach=Flash Walker of Brazosport
The North's 6-pt. victory over the South was led by the scoring and playmaking of the 5'11" John ("Dub") Malaise of Odessa & the rebounding of 6'7" Carroll Hooser of Richardson. Malaise led all scorers with 15 points and Hooser led with 13 rebounds. Other top scorers were Hooser with 8 points and Wayne Ballard of Houston Austin who led the South with 7 points. Dub Malaise of Odessa was voted the MVP of the game. Malaise later starred at Texas Tech and Hooser at SMU.

Two players from this game---Dub Malaise of Odessa and John Beasley of Linden-Kildare---were later elected to the TX H.S. Basketball Hall of Fame.

1963---in Houston at Sam Houston Coliseum, Thursday, Aug. 8, South defeated North, 81-71
North Coach=Gerald Meyers of Monterey & South Coach=Jimmy Littleton of S. San Antonio
The South upset the taller North squad with outside shooting by the "little boys" of its "guard offense" by Coach Gerald Meyers. The top Southern "shooters" were 5'10" Billy Jorgenson of S. San Antonio (16 points), 6'2" Bill Overall of San Marcos (16), and 6'2" John Hatch of Buna (14). Overall the South shot at 42% to 28% by the North. The North was led by 6'7" Bob Glover of Dallas Jefferson who tied the all-time all-star scoring record with 20 points and also had 21 rebounds. Other top North scorers were David Wray of Abilene (12) and Bob Begert of Canyon (11). Pampa's Randy Matson (later an Olympic champ and world record-holder in the shot put) was on the program roster but did not play. Billy Jorgenson of S. San Antonio was voted the MVP of the game with 19 votes followed by Hatch and Overall with 6 and Glover with 3.
Four players from this game---Bob Glover of Dallas Jefferson, Dale Dotson of Rusk, Bill Overall of San Marcos and John Hatch of Buna---were later elected to the TX H.S. Basketball Hall of Fame.

1964---in Ft. Worth at Daniel Meyer Coliseum, Wed., Aug. 5, South defeated North, 82-76
North Coach=Fabian Lemley of McAdoo & South Coach=Foster Martin of Jeff Davis
The South's 6 point victory over the North came after a 10-pt. "run" in the 4th qt. as the South overcame a lesser shooting percentage (34% to the North's 46%) by putting up more shots (102). The North's Billy Arnold of FW Haltom led all scorers with an all-star record 26 pts. Mickey McCarthy of Pasadena led the winning South with 19 points & 17 rebounds followed by Jimmy Lenox of Clear Creek and Larry Miller of SA Lee with 18 pts each. Farrar Stockton of Dallas Wilson also had 19 points and Mike Lochner of Graham had 17 rebounds and 6 points. Billy Arnold of Haltom City was voted the MVP of the game. Two players from this game---Billy Arnold of FW Haltom and Mickey McCarty of Pasadena---were later elected to the TX H.S. Basketball Hall of Fame.

1965---in Dallas at Moody Coliseum, Aug. 4, South defeated North, 87-81 (OT)
North Coach=Jack Crawley of Odessa Permian & South Coach=Bobby Roberts of SA Lee
The game produced several records including the most points by a team and the highest aggregate score (168). The South's Bill Voight of Highland Park and Jack Sweeny of West Sabine each scored 6 points in the OT for the victory over the North. The South shot 46% from the field to 32% for the North and had a 33-30 rebounding edge. Rox Goodwine of San Marcos was voted the MVP of the game and led all scorers with 26 points. Sonny Benefield of Sweeny scored 22 points for the South while Larry Smith of Dallas Jefferson led the North with 20 points followed by Voight of Highland Park with 15. Sweeny had 11 points and 6 rebounds for the South. Two players from this game---Ken Spain of Houston Austin and Sonny Benefield of Sweeny---were later elected to the TX H.S. Basketball Hall of Fame.

1966---in Houston at Sam Houston Coliseum, Aug. 3, South defeated North, 95-92
North Coach=Max O'Banion of Lubbock & South Coach=Don Coleman of Houston Memorial
The South's 3-pt. victory over the North featured a record setting performance by 6'4" Jerry Kroll of Spring Branch Memorial who scored 40 points to break the prior record of 26. Kroll made 13 of 21 FG attempts and 14 of 15 from the FT line. He scored 12 of his teams 14 points in the last 6:34. Phil Endicott of Beaumont French scored 18 points for the winning South team while the top North scorers were Harvey Huffstetler of Waxahachie with 25 points, Bobby Harrison of Dallas Samuel with 19 and Raymond Wray of Abilene with 16. The North led 89-88 with 2:34 remaining but Kroll then scored 6 straight points to ice the victory. Kroll fouled out with seconds remaining and was given a standing ovation. Kroll, who later starred at Davidson, was voted the MVP of the game. Three players from this game---Sam Tipton of Gruver, Calvin Gerke of Snook and Jerry Kroll of Houston Memorial---were later elected to the TX H.S. Basketball Hall of Fame.

1967---in San Antonio at Alamo Stadium Gym, Aug. 2, South defeated North, 87-71
North Coach=Drue Smith of Lake Worth & South Coach=Jesse Martin of Milby.
The South led by 41-33 at half-time and 80-55 with 5:56 remaining. Gene Phillips of Houston Jones was voted the MVP of the game scoring 20 points for the South followed by Lynn Howden of Houston Waltrip with 18, Bob Hall of Houston Belaire with 16 and Gene Salmon of

Del Rio with 14. The top North scorer was Larry Delzell of Highland Park with 22 followed by Mike Billingsley of FW Paschal with 12. The top rebounders were Hall with 15, Steve Niles of San Antonio Lee with 13 and Salmon with 10. One player from this game---Gene Phillips of Houston Jones---was later elected to the TX H.S. Basketball Hall of Fame.

1968---in Ft. Worth at Daniel Meyer Coliseum, July 31, South defeated North, 95-85
North Coach=Charlie Turner of FW Paschal & South Coach=Jack Whitton of West Sabine
The South won its 6th straight victory to bring the overall series record to 12-12 by scoring a record 95 points including a 59-39 margin in the 2nd half comeback from a 46-36 half-time deficit. Joe ("Scooter") Lenox of Clear Creek, voted the MVP of the game, led the South scorers with 24 followed by George Price of San Antonio Brackenridge with 19 and Roy Thomas of Kirbyville with 17. The top North scorer was Bobby Thompson of Dallas Samuel with 20 points and 8 rebounds followed by Tres Blankenbeckler of Waxahachie with 19 and George Bailey of Pampa with 18. Lenox scored 21 of his 24 points in the 2nd half and Price had 14 of his 19 in the 2nd half. One player from this game---Roy Thomas of Kirbyville---was later elected to the TX H.S. Basketball Hall of Fame.

1969---in Dallas at Memorial Auditorium, Wednesday, Aug. 6, North defeated South, 80-76
North Coach=Jake Carter of Dallas Adamson & South Coach=Bobby Weise of Conroe
The North snapped a 6-game South winning streak with its 4-pt. victory. The North regained he lead for the last time at 69-68 at 3:36 of the 4th qt. when Roy Fitts of Nocona made 2 FTs. Mike Dukes of Levelland made 2 FTs to ice the game with 3 seconds remaining. James Lister of Dallas Madison led the winning North team with 18 points and a "staggering" 23 rebounds and Tommy Jones of Crane and Dukes added 15 each for the North. Howard Walker of SA Sam Houston led the South with 15 points and 20 rebounds followed by Wayne Howard of Spring Branch Memorial and Walter McCowan of Houston Lee with 13 points each. James Lister of Dallas Madison was voted the MVP of the game. One player from this game---Tommy Jones of Crane---was later elected to the TX H.S. Basketball Hall of Fame.

1970---in Houston at Hofheinz Pavilion, Wed., Aug. 5, South defeated North, 88-82
North Coach=J.D. Menasco of Turner & South Coach=Bill Tatum of Carthage
The game as billed as a duel between 6'10" Dwight Jones of 3-time state champion Houston Wheatley and 6'7" Sammy Hervey of Dallas Crozier Tech----the two did lead their teams in scoring but both shot poorly. Jones led the South with 24 points but was only 10 of 27 while Hervey led the South with 27 points but was only 9 of 30. Jones also led with 18 rebounds followed by Hervey with 13. Other top scorers were the South's Jackie Sommers of SA Brackenridge with 20 points and Lee Griffin of Houston Westbury and James Forbes of El Paso Bel Aire for the North each with 16 (Griffin also had 16 rebounds). Hervey was voted the MVP of the game. Jones scored 14 points in the final period to nail down the 6-point victory. The South outrebounded the North by 60-48. One player from this game---Dwight Jones of Houston Wheatley---was later elected to the TX H.S. Basketball Hall of Fame.

1971---in Ft. Worth at Tarrant County Conv. Ct., Wed., Aug. 4, North defeated South, 100-99

North Coach=Glynn Stevens & South Coach=Bill Krueger of Clear Creek

The North's Cedric Joseph of FW Arlington Heights made a 5-ft jump shot with 15 seconds left to give the North a one point victory. The South missed a 20-ft jumper with 2 seconds to go before the end of the game. Playing before 9,500 fans at the Convention Center the North trailed by six points (54-48) at halftime but stormed back behind 6'2" Guard Carl Jones of Wichita Falls Hirschi who scored 17 of his 23 points in the second half. Jones made 9 points in the 4th qt. and, according to the Austin American Statesman, "stole the ball numerous times." Joseph scored 11 of his 12 points in the second half. Jimmy Murphy of Carrollton Turner scored 21 points for the North and Edwin Lynam of El Paso Bel Aire added 15 points. Maurice Presley of Houston Jeff Davis led the South with 20 points followed by William Johnson of Houston Yates with 19. Cedric Joseph of FW Arlington Heights and Presley led with 13 rebounds. Carl Jones of Wichita Falls Hirschi was voted the MVP of the game. One player from this game---Jimmy Murphy of Carrollton Turner---was later elected to the TX H.S. Basketball Hall of Fame.

1972---in Houston at Hofheinz Pavilion, Wed., Aug. 2, South defeated North, 72-71

North Coach=Bill Phillips of Plainview & South Ron Truitt of Cy-Fair

David Brown of Silsbee made a FG at 1:03 of 4th qt. and Gaylord Davis of Houston Wheatley made a FT with 31 seconds left to ensure the South's victory. Ira Terrell of Dallas Roosevelt led the North with 26 points and 16 rebounds and Davis led the winning South team with 21 points followed by Rick Bullock of SA Jefferson with 16 points and 12 rebounds. Ira Terrell of Dallas Roosevelt was voted the MVP of the game. The winning South team was coached by Ron Truitt of 1971 state champion Cy-Fair who was a member of the 1954 Milan team that won the Indiana State Championship as depicted in the movie, "Hoosiers." Three players from this game---Gary Brewster of Midland, Ira Terrell of Dallas Roosevelt and Rick Bullock of SA Jefferson---were later elected to the TX H.S. Basketball Hall of Fame.

1973---in Dallas at Dallas Memorial Auditorium, Wed., Aug. 1, South defeated North, 89-76

North Coach=Bo Snowden of Highland Park & South Coach=Reggie Davis of Midway

The South scored 14 consecutive points in the 4th qt. to erase a 67-61 3rd qt. lead by the North led by Huey Smith of Houston Lincoln who scored 12 of his game high 28 points in the 4th qt. Gary McGuire of the North's Dallas Kimball had 25 rebounds and 10 points. Other top South performers were Danny Van Rheen of Deer Park with 22 points & 10 rebounds and Hank Bauerschlag of Clear Creek with 15 points. Larry Spruiell of Petrolia led the North with 13 points followed by Grant Dukes of Levelland and Tom Weilert of Irving both with 12 points. Gary McGuire was a "last minute" substitute when Eddie Owens and Michael Long of Houston Wheatly turned down invitations because of the THSCA rule about long hair and moustaches. Huey Smith of Houston Lincoln was voted the MVP of the game. Tate Armstrong of Houston Spring Woods later played at Duke and on a U.S. Olympic team.

1974---in Houston at Hofheinz Pavilion, Wed., July 31, North defeated South, 85-77 (OT)

North Coach=James Cagle of Midland & South Coach=Jerry Tyson of Dallas Roosevelt

The North's 8-point OT win was highlighted by Dallas S. Oak Cliff's Larry Harris who scored 4 of the North's last 6 points in OT. The top North scorers were Gary Goodner of Denton with 22

points, Fred Mitchell of Amarillo Palo Duro with 17 points and Harris with 16 points. The South was led by David Buchanan of Clear Lake with 15 points & 10 rebounds and Dennis Tealer of Gonzales with 14 points. Gary Goodner of Denton, David Buchanan of Clear Lake & Fred Mitchell of Amarillo Palo Duro were named the Co-MVPs of the game in a controversial vote that led the Austin American Statesman to label Harris as the “real MVP” and with 5 MVP votes going to a player who wasn’t even at the game. Earl Evans of Port Arthur Lincoln, the only H.S. All-American at the game, was not selected as a THSCA all-star because of a rule that players must not have played in other summer all-star games previous to this one. Evans played in all-star games in Louisville and New York.

1975---in Ft. Worth at Tarrant County Conv. Ct., Wed., July 30, North defeated South, 103-96 North Coach=Joe McWilliams of FW Dunbar & South Coach=Jackie Carr of Houston Wheatley South Coach Joe McWilliams’ North team out ran and out shot the South’s “run and gun” offense of Coach Jackie Carr of Houston Wheatley to win the high scoring game by 7 points. Tom Somerville of Highland Park and Allen Winder of Arlington as The North helped stretch a 92-92 tie to a 100-92 with 8 points with seconds left. Waymond Lister of Dallas S. Oak Cliff was the top North performer with 26 points followed by Somerville’s 19 points & 18 rebounds and 18 points by Larry Kemp of Everman. George Walker of Ft. Bend Dulles led the South with 29 points followed by Larry Cumby of LaPoynor with 13 points. Waymond Lister of Dallas S. Oak Cliff was voted the MVP of the game.

1976---in Houston at Hofheinz Pavilion, Wed., July 28, South defeated North, 95-90 North Coach=Paul Stueckler of Midland Lee & South Coach=Ray Landers of Deer park The South’s 5-point victory was highlighted by 33 points and 13 rebounds by “husky” Micah Owens, a 6’6” center from San Antonio Jefferson. The South trailed by 3 points entering the 4th qt. and then outscored the North, 26-19. Owens was the top South performer followed by 6’7” Jeff Kelly of Houston Waltrip with 17 points, 15 rebounds and 4 blocks and Thaddeus Sanders of Port Arthur Lincoln with 15 points. The North was led by Mike Williams of Morton with 19 points and Jim Bowden of El Paso Eastwood with 18 points. Micah Owens of SA Jefferson was voted the MVP of the game.

1977---in Dallas at Dallas County Conv Arena, Wed., July 27, South defeated North, 101-97 North Coach=Ken Cleveland of Dimmitt & South Coach=Boyce Honea of Houston Milby The South trailed by as many as 10 points in the 2nd half but gained a tie at 90-90 with 5 minutes remaining when 6’7” Charles Moore of Corpus Christi Moody made a FG. Gilbert Salinas, a 6’11” center from San Antonio Burbank made 2 FTs to put the South up by 99-97 with 52 seconds left. The North’s last two shots failed giving the South the victory. Moore led the South with 28 points followed by 6’8” Robert Hubble of Kerrville Tivy with 18 points & 18 rebounds. Hubble, a Rice football signee, provided the “muscle” under the basket against the North. 6’6” Vernon Smith of Dallas Carter led the North with 22 points and was named the MVP in a controversial vote held 5 minutes before the end of the game when the North was in the lead. Salinas, a 6’11” Kentucky signee and easily the “most heralded” of the all-stars after an “endless summer of all-star games,” scored only 9 points and had 4 rebounds.

1978---in Houston at Hofheinz Pavilion, Friday, July 28, North defeated South, 109-108
North Coach=Al Oglesby of Odessa Permian & South Coach=Bob Latham of Westchester
The taller North team was outrebounded 76-48 by the South but shot better from the field (49% to 42%) in scoring a record 109 points. The North trailed 84-76 going into the final period but led 105-104 with 2 minutes remaining when Billy Allen of Highland Park made two steals and scored 4 points to secure the victory. The North was led by David Little of Abilene with 29 points followed by Allen with 21 points and Anthony Lee of Tyler John Tyler with 18 points. The South was led by Brad Friess of Austin Anderson with 26 points and 12 rebounds, Jerry Davis of West Oso with 26 points and Arthur Gray of Beaumont South Park with 18 points. David Little of Abilene was voted the MVP of the North while Brad Friess of Austin Anderson was voted the MVP of the South. Two players from this game---Billy Allen of Dallas Highland Park and Terry Teagle of Broadus---were later elected to the TX H.S. Basketball Hall of Fame.

1979---in Ft. Worth at Tarrant County Conv Ct., Fri., July 27, South defeated North, 114-88
North Coach=James Boynton of Abilene & South Coach=D. Middleton of Brazoswood
The South's 114 points was a record and its 26-point victory margin was due in part to a 46-37 rebounding edge. George Turner of Hitchcock led the South with 23 points followed by Claude Riley of Crockett with 17 points and John Grammer of Rice Consolidated with 16 points. Brad Olson was the North's top scorer with 16 points followed by David Reynolds of Perryton and Winston Gipson of Lubbock Estacado with 12 points each. David Bunce of Conroe led all rebounders with 14. George Turner of Hitchcock was voted the South MVP while David Reynolds of Perryton was voted the North MVP. Riley was a last minute substitute after Houston Madison's 6'11" Greg Kite (later in NBA) dropped out. Two players from this game---Chuck Hall of Krum and Darrell Browder of FW Dunbar---were later elected to the TX H.S. Basketball Hall of Fame.

1980---in Houston at Hofheinz Pavilion, Friday, July 25, North defeated South, 89-87
North Coach=Leland Caffey of Seminole & South Coach=Jesse Walker of Lufkin
The North's 2-pt. victory over the South was "not a pretty sight" as the game was "highlighted" by 71 turnovers and poor shooting (39% by the North and 37% by the South). The winning points came from 2 FTs by Borger's Brett Smith with 37 seconds remaining and 2 FTs by Kirk Lundblade of Plano with 15 seconds left. The South led until midway thru the 4th qt. and then "faded in the stretch." The North was led by Kenneth Roberson of Dallas Roosevelt with 16 points and by Smith and Lundblade with 14 points each. Mike Young of Houston Yates led the South with 24 points followed by Jay Patterson of Medina Valley with 16 points. Keneth Roberson of Dallas Roosevelt was voted the North MVP and Michael Young of Houston Yates was voted the South MVP. One player from this game---Mike Wacker of San Marcos---was later elected to the TX H.S. Basketball Hall of Fame.

1981—in Dallas at Dallas Convention Center, Friday, July 24, South defeated North, 100-99
North Coach=Mike Bridges of Plano & South Coach=Leroy Romines of Lufkin
The South trailed by 15 points midway thru the 3rd qt. but then rallied behind its reserves out rebounding the North 51-23 in the 2nd half and out scoring its rival 26-4 during the final minutes of the 3rd qt. The South led 100-88 with 2:07 remaining and withstood a furious rally by the

North which fell 1-pt. short. The comeback was led by reserve guard Billy Bahnsen of Wharton who scored 14 of his 16 points in the 2nd half. Bahnsen led the South with 16 points followed by last minute addition Steffond Johnson with 14 points and Hezekiah Carter of Snook with 13 points. Herb Johnson of Midland led the North with 16 points followed by Carlton Cooper of Paris, Mark Price of Pottsboro and Dwight Phillips of ?? each with 12. Herb Johnson of Midland was voted the North MVP and Billy Bahnsen of Wharton was voted the South MVP. The most heralded all-star, 6'11" John Brownlee of FW Southwest, a North Carolina signee, was dismissed from the team on the day of the game for disciplinary reasons.

1982---in Houston at Hofheinz Pavilion, Thursday, July 22, South defeated North, 92-91
North Coach=K. Kitchens of Shallowater & South Coach=Donnie Victorick of Snook
The South's 1-pt. victory over the North came on a last second 3-pt play by La Marque's Alvin Franklin. The South trailed by 10 points, 83-73, late in the 4th qt. but came back with the aid of 3 turnovers in the final minute. Franklin led the South with 19 points, 8 rebounds & 4 assists followed by Edwin Mitchell of Diboll with 16, Ivan Pettit of Bay City with 15 and Sam Hagopian of Spring Woods with 13. Ryant Greene of Plano led the North with 15 points followed by Mike Murry of Andrews and Brian Essary of North Mesquite each with 13 points.
Edwin Mitchell of Diboll was voted the South MVP while Ryant Green of Plano was voted the North MVP.

1983---in Ft. Worth at Tarrant County Conv Center, Tues., July 26,, North defeated South, 91-86
North Coach=Frank Bice of Andrews & South Coach=Bobby Murphy of SA Churchill
The South won its 3rd consecutive all-star game to tie the North in total victories at 19-19. The winning points came on a tip-in by Mike Washington of Waxahachie with 16 seconds remaining in the game. The South was led by Connally Brown of West Orange-Stark with 15 points followed by David Grissom of Gladewater Sabine and Carlton McKinney of Nixon each with 14 points. Mike Nelson of Pampa led the North with 21 points followed by Dwayne Brown of Dallas Kimball with 14 points. The North's Kenneth Cleveland made several steals and played a fine floor game. Mike Nelson of Pampa was voted the North MVP and Carlton McKinney of Nixon was voted the South MVP.

1984---in Houston at Hofheinz Pavilion, Wed. Aug. 1, South defeated North, 108-99
North Coach=Tony Mauldin of Morton & South Coach=Paul Benton of Houston Madison
The South won its 4th consecutive all-star game with a 9-pt. win over the North. The South led by 20 points but the North rallied to close to 5 points before the final 9-pt. margin. The South was led by 6'10" Glenn Puddy of Clear Lake with 21 points and 8 rebounds followed by Danny Hughes of Cross Roads ("the most impressive passer of the game) and Tom Grant of Aldine Nimitz each with 13 points. Frank Williams of Dallas Samuell led the North with 20 points followed by Darrell Mitchell of Bryan and Rodney Washington of FW Dunbar each with 13. Frank Williams of Dallas Samuell was voted the North MVP and Glen Puddy of Clear Lake was voted the South MVP. Darrell Mitchell of Bryan won the dunk contest.

1985---in Dallas at Moody Coliseum, Wed., July 31, North defeated South, 92-84
North Coach=Robert Hughes of FW Dunbar & South Coach=Larry Brown of Bryan

The North led the South by 16 (57-41) at the half and coasted to the 8-pt victory. Lance Blanks of Conroe McCullough and Richie Dozier of Austin Westlake led the North each with 16 points followed by Fred West of Tyler John Tyler with 14. Reginald Muhammad of Wilmer-Hutchins dominated the inside game with 13 points, 10 rebounds and 3 blocks. Sean Gay of Houston Madison led the South with 32 points (3rd all-time game total) & 13 rebounds followed by Bennett Fields of Sweeny with 14. Lance Blanks of Conroe McCullough was voted the North MVP and Sean Gay of Houston Madison was voted the South MVP. Gay also won the dunk contest.

1986---in Houston at Hofheinz Pavilion, Wed., July 30 South defeated North, 74-71
North Coach=George Byerly of Seminole & South Coach=Roy Garcia of Mission
The South's 3-pt. victory was ensured when Mike Hobbs of Clear Lake made 2 TFs with 14 seconds left. The South's win was largely due to more steals (24 to 16) and fewer turnovers (32 to 39). The South was led by Roderick Brown of Alief Hastings with 13 points followed by Eugene Dillard of Edgewood with 10 points. Jerry Mason of Lamesa led the South with 17 points & 11 rebounds followed by Steve Miles of Dallas Samuell with 14 points & 14 rebounds. Calvin Tillis of Grapeland was voted the North MVP and Jerry Mason of Lamesa was voted the South MVP.

The North was hurt by the loss of two players, Roderick Hampton of Kimball and Billy Smith of S. Garland, who were kicked off the team after missing a curfew the night before the game.

1987---in Ft. Worth at Daniel Meyer Coliseum, Mon., July 27, South defeated North, 109-86
North Coach=Allen Simpson of Amarillo & South Coach=James Gamble of PA Lincoln
The taller South team took its first lead early in the 2nd qt., led at the half 53-42 and cruised to a 23-pt. win. The South was led by 6'1" guard Arthur Massey of SA Roosevelt who "directed" the South. The south had a 69-56 rebounding edge. The North was led by Sammie Simpson of Amarillo with 18 points followed by Darion Newsome of Wichita Falls Hirschi with 14 points. The South was led by Massey of SA Roosevelt with 25 points followed by Charles McCovery of LaPorte with 19 points. Johnny Pitman, a 7'1" center from Rosenbery Terry and the (later) father of 2007 all-star Dexter Pitman, contributed 8 points and 8 rebounds in only 15 minutes. Sammy Simpson of Amarillo was voted the North MVP and Arthur Massey of SA Roosevelt was voted the South MVP. Darrin Terry of Hughes Springs won the dunk contest

1988---in Houston at Hofheinz Pavilion, Monday, July 25, North defeated South, 109-105
North Coach=Dwane Hunt of Borger & South Coach=John Alexander of Jacksonville
The North made a 10-0 run with the score tied at 90-90 and held on for a 4-pt victory. The Austin American Statesman said that Jamaal Brown and Derrick Daniels "dazzled" the South with their "shot-making and play-making." The North was led by Jamaal Brown of Arlington Sam Houston with 23 points followed by Derrick Daniels of FW Dunbar with 21 points. The South was led by Damion Sweet of Beaumont Central with 32 points followed by Elmer Bennett of Houston Bellaire with 21 points. Jamaal Brown of Arlington Sam Houston was voted the North MVP and Daimon Sweet of Beaumont Central was voted the South MVP. Will Flemons of Paducah was chosen for the team but did not play because of injury. One player from this game---David Wesley of Longview---was later elected to the TX H.S. Basketball Hall of Fame.

1989---in Dallas at Moody Coliseum, Monday, July 31, South defeated North, 119-109
North Coach=Wayne Roberts of Lamesa South Coach=Raymond Washington of Sweeny
The South trailed 83-80 going into the last qt. when the 6'11" Shaquille O'Neal of SA Cole
"turned the last 10 minutes into a one-man clinic" with 17 points including 5 "thunderous
dunks." The South out shot the North from the field by 62% to 39% and out rebounded the
North 61-41. O'Neal led the South with 24 points and 18 rebounds followed by Allen Austin of
Troup with 18 points and Brandon Tyler of PA Lincoln with 17 points. The North was led by
Derrick Smith of Humble with 31 points followed by Tony Watson of Pflugerville with 26 points.
Derrick Smith of Humble was voted the North MVP and Shaquille O'Neal of SA Cole was voted
the South MVP. Watson won the slam dunk contest.
Two players from this game---Charles Outlaw of SA Jay and Shaquille O'Neal of SA Cole---were
later elected to the TX H.S. Basketball Hall of Fame.

1990---in Houston at TSU Health Ed. Arena, Monday, July 30, South defeated North, 135-115
North Coach=Larry Scott of Snyder & South Coach=Jerrel Hartfiel of Alief Elsik
The South scored a record 135 points and won by 20 points (135-115). Seven of the South's 12
players scored in double figures in the fast-break offense of Coach Jerrel Hartfiel of Alief Elsik.
The South was 44% from the field 30% (11 of 37) from 3-point line. The South was led by
Tremaine Wingfield of Brazoswood with 23 points & 11 rebounds, Artie Griffin of SA Lee with
19 points, Troy House of Ingram with 16, Tim Glover of Clear Lake and Alan Bradley of Stratford
each with 13 & Rick McIver of Brazosport with 12. The North was led by Stevin Smith of Dallas
Spruce with 25 points, Eric Jones of Ennis with 21 points, Gary Collier of FW Dunbar with 18
points & 11 rebounds and Kevin Robinson of Houston Westfield with 15 points and 11 rebounds.
Stevin Smith of Dallas Spruce was voted the North MVP and Tremaine Wingfield of Brazoswood
was voted the South MVP. One player from this game---Troy House of Ingram---was later
elected to the TX H.S. Basketball Hall of Fame.

1991---in Ft. Worth at Daniel Meyer Coliseum, Monday, July 29, North defeated South, 96-94
North Coach=Randy Spain of Denver City & South Coach=Gary Surrant of Carthage
The North defeated the South 96-94 after Richard Hastings of Liberty Hill missed a one-and-one
FT with no time remaining that could have provided the tying two points. The North had a 9
point lead with 1:57 left and missed 3 of 4 FTs in the last 53 seconds but held on for the win.
The game was plagued by 58 turnovers and neither team shot better than 39%. The winning
North team was led by Jason Green of Denver City with 15 points, Mario Bennett of Denton
with 15 points & 9 rebounds, Ray Jackson of Austin LBJ with 12 points and Cory Stone of
Richardson Berkner with 11. The South was led by Richard Hastings of Liberty Hill with 24
points & 10 rebounds followed by Marcus Banks of SA East Central with 17 points.
Mario Bennett of Denton was voted the North MVP and Marcus Banks of SA East Central was
voted the South MVP. Bennett also won the dunk contest.

1992---in Dallas at Moody Coliseum, Monday, Aug. 3, South defeated North, 109-101
North Coach=Robert Hale of Pampa & South Coach=Rick Sherley of Alief Hastings

The South trailed by 16 after the 1st qt. but then rallied for a 50-42 halftime lead. The South's Ben Hart of SA Alamo Heights scored 6 consecutive points in the last 1:34 to give the South a 107-101 lead. The winning South was led by Joseph Blair of Houston King with 17 points, Ben Hart of SA Alamo Heights with 15 points and Jonathan Daugherty of Academy and Eric Leftwich of Victoria, each with 13 points. The North was led by Dayo Holloway of FW Dunbar with 26 and Jason Sasser of Dallas Kimball with 18. Dayo Holloway of Ft. Worth Dunbar was voted the North MVP and Joseph Blair of Houston King was voted the South MVP.

1993---in Ft. Worth at Daniel Meyer Coliseum, Monday, July 26, North defeated South, 96-92
North Coach=Ken Cook of Southlake Carroll & South Coach=Harry Miller of Temple
The North led 50-43 at halftime and held its largest lead (6) with 31 seconds remaining in the game. Charles Smith of FW Dunbar led the scoring down the final stretch and led the North team with 28 points followed by Brock Barnes of Perryton and Anthony Pope of Carthage each with 12 points. Jesse Cravens of SA Marshall led the South with 21 points followed by Kerol McGusty of Houston North Shore with 14 points. Rodrick Monroe of Hearne led the South with 18 rebounds. Charles Smith of Ft. Worth Dunbar was voted the North MVP and Jesse Cravens of SA Marshall was voted the South MVP. Smith also won the dunk contest.

1994---in Houston at Hofheinz Pavilion, Monday, July 24, North defeated South, 118-99
North Coach=Dan Hamrick of Canyon & South Coach=Mike Wacker of Judson
The North jumped out to a 46-39 halftime lead, lost the lead in the 3rd qt. and then outscored the South 43-22 in the 4th qt. The North shot better from the field at 42% (42 for 99) to 33% (36 for 109) and from 3-point range 38% (15 for 39) to 18% (6 for 34) and had more assists (21 to 7). The North was led by Kyle Rogers of Ferris with 29 points, Rodrick Miller of Temple with 24 points, Archie Meyers of Keller with 14 and Dibi Ray of Plainview with 8 points and 8 assists. The South was led by Galen Robinson of Aldine MacArthur with 20 points followed by Robert Johnson of Waco LaVega with 18 and Ansu Sesay of Willowridge with 15 points & 15 rebounds. Rodrick Miller of Temple was voted the North MVP and Galen Robinson of Aldine MacArthur was voted the South MVP.

1995---in Ft. Worth at Daniel Meyer Coliseum, Monday, July 31, North defeated South, 118-117
North Coach=Robert Buxkemper of Ballinger & South Coach=Gary Nichols of Willowridge
The North trailed by 25 points at 85-60 before the South rallied on a 18-4 run and took the lead at 116-115 in the last minute. The South took the lead again at 117-116 with 26 seconds left before the North's Ryan Parker of Justin Northwest made a driving layup "in traffic" with 2 seconds remaining for the victory. The winning North was led by Brian Hulett of Springlake-Earth with 25 points followed by Cedric Goodwyn of Lubbock Coronado with 17 points and Clint Anderson of Abilene Wylie with 14 points. The South was led by Omar Sneed of Beaumont West Brook with 39 points (one short of the all-star game record by Jerry Kroll of Spring Branch Memorial in 1966) followed by Brad Stricker of Devine with 20 points. Brian Hulett of Springlake-Earth was voted the North MVP and Omar Sneed of Beaumont West Brook was voted the South MVP.

1996---in Houston at Hofheinz Pavilion, Monday, July 29, North defeated South, 127-95

North Coach=Randy Dean of Hereford & South Coach=Johnnie Carter of Aldine MacArthur
The North had edges in rebounding (68-41) and assists (24-18) in cruising to a 32-pt. victory over the South. The North led 52-41 at the half before outscoring the South 41-22 in the 3rd qt. The North was led by Ryan Mendez of Burleson with 25 points followed by Gabe Muoneke of Cypress Falls with 24 points & 9 rebounds and Marcus Goree of Dallas Hillcrest with 16 points & 16 rebounds. Anthony Goode of Dallas Carter led the North with a game high 13 assists. The South was led by Quincy Sims of West Oso with 19 points and Kenyon Spears of Hardin-Jefferson with 11 points. Gabe Muoneke of Cypress Falls was voted the North MVP and Quincy Sims of West Oso was voted the South MVP.

1997---in Ft. Worth at Wilkerson Greimes Act. Ct., Mon., July 28, North defeated South, 100-96
North Coach=Goree Johnson of Dallas Kimball & South Coach=Phil Eaton of Humble
The North made an 8-0 run in the final 2 minutes of the game to take the lead and gain a 4-pt. victory. The winning North team was led by Chris Owens of Duncanville with 22 points followed by Chad Elsey of Flower Mound Marcus with 19 points and Jeryl Sasser of Dallas Kimball with 15 points 9 rebounds & 4 assists. The South was led by Chris Mihm of Austin Westlake with 19 points & 14 rebounds followed by Robert Bell of SA Fox Tech with 14 points. North Shore's Mike Smith had 8 points and a game high 6 assists for the South. Chris Andersen of Lola---later to become famous as the "Birdman" of the Denver Nuggets in the NBA---scored 10 points for the South. Jeryl Sasser of Dallas Kimball was voted the North MVP and Chris Mihm of Austin Westlake, who later played in NBA, was voted the South MVP. Chris Anderson of Lola later played in the NBA with the Nuggets with the nickname, "the Birdman."

1998---in Houston at Hofheinz Pavilion, Monday, July 27, North defeated South, 106-105
North Coach=Ellis Kidd of Dallas Madison & South Coach=Randy Weisinger of North Shore
Greg Harrington of Newman Smith made a 3-pointer at the final buzzer for a 1-pt victory over the South after Katy's Adam Hall appeared to have given the South the win on a driving layup only seconds before. The winning 3-pointer was unexpected as the North was only 2 of 19 from 3-pt. range for the game and the South was only 4 for 29. The North had an edge in rebounding, 69-56, and assists, 18-10. Harrington led the winning North team with 24 points followed by Tim Lightfoot of Everman with 19 points and Nigel Smith of Kennedale with 15 points. Chris Young of Highland Park added 14 points and 15 rebounds for the North. The South was led by Toshay Harvey of Sharpstown with 25 points followed by Moses Malone Jr (the son of the NBA legend) of Friendswood with 21 points and Adam Hall of Katy with 17 points & 12 rebounds. Greg Harrington of Newman Smith was voted the North MVP and Toshay Harvey of Sharpstown was voted the South MVP. Kyle Fountain of Woden at only 5'9" won the dunk contest and Kenneth Mangrum of Waco University won the 3-pt. contest.

1999---in Ft. Worth at Wilkerson Greines Activity Ct., Mon., July 26,, North def South, 99-92
North Coach=John Curry of Monahans & South Coach=Kevin Hamilton of SA Clark
The North went on a 13-4 run with 5 minutes remaining to take a 93-85 lead with 1:57 left and held on by a 7-pt. victory. The winning North team was led Bingo Merriex of Wichita Falls with 17 points followed by Roosevelt Brown of Duncanville with 14 points and DeMario Hooper of Texarkana with 12 points. The South was led by B.J. Pratt of Converse Judson with 22 points

followed by George Williams of Ft. Bend Elkins with 18 points & 10 rebounds and Wendell Greenleaf of Houston North Shore with 17 points, 4 rebounds, 4 assists & 4 steals. Bingo Merriex of Wichita Falls was voted the North MVP and George Williams of Ft. Bend Elkins was voted the South MVP. Merriex also won the 3-point contest and Steven Edwards of Clarksville won the dunk contest.

2000---in Houston at Hofheinz Pavilion, Monday, July 31, South defeated North 105-91
North Coach=J.D. Mayo of Dallas Skyline & South Coach=Joe Willie Price of Aldine Nimitz
The South led at halftime by 55-42 and cruised to a 14-pt victory. The South won the rebound battle 49-38 and shot better from the 3-pt. line at 12 for 24 to 10 for 25 for the North. The winning South team was led by Justin Harbert of SA Taft with 25 points followed by Robert Tovar of Moulton and Ivan McFarlin of Willowridge each with 14 points. The North was led by Brandon Crump of Klein with 18 points & 10 rebouonds followed by Blake Johnston of Midland with 16 points and Luke McDonald of Frenship-Wolfforth with 14 points.
Brandon Crump of Klein was voted the North MVP and Justin Harbert of SA Taft was voted the South MVP. Demarcus Watson of Aldine Nimitz won the dunk contest and Howard Johnson of Navasota won the 3-point contest.

2001---in Ft. Worth at Wilkerson Greines Activity Ct, Mon. July 30, South defeated North, 99-97
North Coach=Kevin Pope of San Angelo Central & South Coach=Mike Osterman of SA Taft
The winning South team led by 10 pts. at the half and led by 12 (92-80) in the 4th qt. before the North rallied to within 2 pts. at 97-95 with 48 seconds remaining before the South's winning margin came on two FTs by Richard Gill of Spurger. Cedric Williams of Houston North Shore led the winning South team with 16 points & 10 rebounds followed by David Mercer of Aldine Nimitz with 15 points and Darrius Brannon of PA Lincoln with 13 points. The North was led by Brian Miller of Lewisville with 21 points followed by Keith Langford of North Crowley with 16 points & 8 rebounds and Michael Harris of Hillsboro with 13 points & 8 rebounds. Michael Harris of Hillsboro was voted the North MVP and Cedric Williams of North Shore was voted the South MVP. Harris also won the halftime dunk contest and Joshua Martinez of SA Lanier won the 3-point contest.

2002---in Houston at Hofheinz Pavilion, Monday, July 29, North defeated South, 107-102
North Coach=Keith Morrison of Forney & South Coach=J.T. McManus of Marshall
The winning North team trailed 54-41 at the half but outscored the South 66-48 in the second half. Carl Scott of Bryan made 2 layups in the closing seconds for the North's 5-pt. winning margin. The North team was led by Ike Diogu of Garland with 21 points, Dwight Jones of Klein and Carl Scott of Bryan each with 15 points and Julius Hurd of Dallas S. Oak Cliff with 14 points. The South was led by Marcus Clark of Marshall with 19 points and Byron Scott of Crockett and Lee Logan of SA Marshall each with 15 points. Ike Diogu of Garland was voted the North MVP and Byron Scott of Crockett was voted the South MVP. Cody Spring of Gonzales won the dunk contest and Eric Gates of Burkburnett won the 3-pt. contest.

2003---in Ft. Worth at Daniel Meyer Coliseum, Monday, July 28, North defeated South, 117-105
North Coach=Mark Coffman of Midland Lee & South Coach=Edward Nelson of Bay City

The North led 57-50 at the half and took an 18-pt. lead with 7 minutes remaining before cruising to a 12-pt. victory. The North had an edge in 3-pt. shooting at 12 for 49 to 6 for 21 for the South. The winning North team was led by Marcus Hill of Jersey Village with 26 points, Lance Jackson of FW Dunbar with 17 points, Warren Carter of Lake Highlands with 17 points, 13 rebounds and 2 blocks and Bobby Joshua of Everman with 12 points and 11 rebounds. The South was led by Stephen Floyd of Ft. Bend Elkins with 29 points, 10 rebounds, 4 steals & 4 3-pointers, Justin Loewe of Caldwell with 17 points and Brandon York of SA Reagan with 14 points. Lance Jackson of FW Dunbar was voted the North MVP and Stephen Floyd of Ft. Bend Elkins was voted the South MVP. Jackson, who “dazzled” the crowd with 7 dunks in the game also won the dunk contest at halftime. Ryan Wall of Coppell won the 3-point contest.

2004---in Houston at Hofheinz Pavilion, Monday, July 26, North defeated South, 123-90
North Coach=Russell Perkins of Abilene Wylie & South Coach=Romy Vela of SA Jay
The North cruised to a 33-pt. victory (the 2nd highest in all-star game history) leading by 20 points at the half. The North attack was well balance and featured a 19-7 edge in assists. The winning North team was led by Raymond Hicks of Longview with 24 points, Dominique Kirk of Dallas Bryan Adams with 20 points and Marcus Hill of Tatum with 19 points. The South was led by Domique Richardson of Converse Judson with 15 points & 8 rebounds and Jonathan Dickson of Alief Hastings and Jerayle Franklin of Bay City each with 13 points.
Raymond Hicks of Longview was voted the North MVP and Dominique Richardson of Converse Judson was voted the South MVP. Hicks also won the dunk contest and J.D. Lewis of Amarillo won the 3-point contest.

2005---in San Antonio at Greehy Arena, Monday, July 25, North defeated South, 117-107
North Coach=Shane Perkins of Brownwood & South Coach=Lee Stubbs of SA MacArthur
The North’s 10-pt. victory over the South was due to superior 3-pt shooting with 50% to 35% and +15 points in 3-pointers. The rebounding was equal (48 to 48) but the South had a 15-13 edge in assists. Lee Berend of Graham led the North with 23 points (on 7 of 9 FTs including 4 of 4 from 3-pt. line) followed by A.J. Abrams of RR McNeil with 22 points (with five 3-pt. shots) & 3 steals. David Devezin of Ft. Bend Marshall led the South with 19 points followed by Derek Barnes of Westfield with 17 points and Edward Brooks of Goodrich with 16 points. A.J. Abrams of Round Rock McNeil was voted the North MVP and David Devezin of Ft. Bend Marshall was voted the South MVP. Harold Stewart of Crowley won the dunk contest and Derek Barnes of Westfield won the 3-point contest.

2006---in Austin at Erwin Center, Monday, July 31, South defeated North, 122-116
North Coach=Jeff Evans of Amarillo Palo Duro & South Coach=Bruce King of Brenham
The winning South team jumped out to an early lead, led by 62-58 at the half and built up a 20 pt. lead after 3 qts. as they cruised to a 6 point victory. The much taller South team out rebounded the North 63-50. The South was led by the 6’10” 320 lb. Dexter Pittman who dominated the inside with 30 points and 12 rebounds followed by Nic Wise of Humble Kingwood with 19 points, 6 rebounds & 4 assists and Nick Okorie of Kempner added 15 points. Justin Mason of Amarillo Palo Duro led the North with 17 points followed by Michael Crabtree of Dallas Carter with 16 points. Michael Crabtree of Dallas Carter was voted the North MVP and

Dexter Pittman of Rosenberg Terry was voted the South MVP. Quenton Kirby of Weimar won the 3-point contest and 5'9" Nic Wise of Humble Kingwood won the dunk contest. Pittman and Mason starred at UT while Crabtree became an All-American receiver at Texas Tech. Dexter Pittman's father, Johnny Pittman, played in the 1987 All-Star basketball game

2007---in Ft. Worth, at Daniel Meyer Coliseum, Monday, July 30, South defeated North, 104-85 North Coach=Mike Dacus of Stephenville & South Coach=Randy Watson of Corpus Christi King The South led early building up a 12 point lead in the 2nd qt. and led 48-38 at the half. The North drew within 9 points at 84-75 with 5 minutes left but the South closed with a 12-6 run for a 9 pt. victory. Ft. Bend Marshall's Gary Nichols won the dunk contest and Douglas Williams of Floydada won the 3-point contest. Richard Netherly of West Orange-Stark led the winning South team with 21 points followed by Mike Singletary of Humble Kingwood with 19 points & 11 rebounds, Landon Tatum of SA O'Conner with 14 points and Leon Harris of Texarkana with 12 points and 10 rebounds. Cameron Johnson of Lake Highlands led the South with 19 points followed by Clinton Houston of Flower Mound Marcus with 14 points & 7 rebounds. Douglas Williams of Floydada won the 3-point contest and Gary Nichols of Ft. Bend Marshall won the dunk contest. Clinton Houston of Flower Mound Marcus was voted the North MVP and Mike Singletary of Kingwood was voted the South MVP and later played at Texas Tech.

2008---in San Antonio at Greehy Arena, Monday, July 28, North defeated South, 109-103 North Coach=James Mays of Dallas S. Oak Cliff & South Coach=Mike Murphy of Pflugerville The North built up a 17 pt. lead with 6 minutes left in the 4th qt. but the South closed to within 6 points at the end of the game. The North led in assists 25-15. The North was led by Cory Dixon of Argyle with 23 points followed by D'Andre Williams of Amarillo Palo Duro with 19 points and 11 assists and Darren Houliston of Eules Trinity with 19 points. The South was led by Julian Boyd of SA Taft with 27 points & 18 rebounds and Brock Kimball of Ingleside with 18 points. D'Andre Williams of Amarillo Palo Duro was voted the North MVP and Julian Boyd of SA Taft was voted the South MVP. Scott Straley of The Colony won the 3-point contest and Cory Dixon of Argyle won the dunk contest.

2009---in Austin at Erwin Center, Monday, July 20, North defeated South, 81-80 North Coach=Hunter Cooley of Jim Ned & South Coach=Stan Leech of Boerne Champion The North led by 13 points with 9:01 remaining and survived a "run" by the South that tied the score at 80 with 1:00 remaining. Dax Hill of Round Rock stole the ball with a second remaining to preserve the victory. Caden Dickerson of Argyle was voted the North MVP & Brandon Thompson of SA Stevens was voted the South MVP. Dickerson led all scorers with 21 points including 10 in the last two minutes of the 3rd qt. Thompson & Steven Rogers of Strake Jesuit led the South scorers with 13 points each. Corey Jefferson of Killeen had a game-high 10 rebounds. Heath Hopson of Lampasas added 9 points and 5 rebounds. Killeen's Jefferson won the slam dunk contest and Spearman's Jordan Ashmore won the 3-point competition.

2010---in San Antonio at Greehey Areana at St. Mary's University, Monday, July 19, North defeated South, 113-95. North Coach=Brad Chasteen of Coppell and South Coach=Tarl Lloyd

of Waco University. The North jumped out to an early lead and led by 19 at halftime only to see the South cut The lead to four points with a 3rd qt. rally sparked by Ft. Bend Bush's Darius Richardson. The North pulled away with a 10-0 run to open the 4th qt. and won by 18. The North was led by Denison's T.J. Taylor with 18 points followed by Michael Cobbins of Palo Duro and Mackey McKnknight of Langham Creek with 15, Antwan Goodley of Midland with 12 and Brandon Jefferson of Lewisville and Kristapher Gulley of Dallas Madison with 11. Devion Harris of Livingston led the South in scoring with 22 points followed by Darius Richardson of Ft. Bend Bush with 20, Joseph Young of Houston Yates with 16 and and Roman Walker of Kountze with 14. Taylor was voted the North MVP and Richardson was voted the South MVP. Richard Ross of WF Hirschi won the slam dunk contest and Young won the 3-pt. shooting contest.

2011----In Ft. Worth at Daniel Meyer Coliseum at TCU, Monday, July 25, North defeated South, 103-94. North Coach=Cleve Ryan of The Colony and South Coach=Ronnie Courtney of Ft. Bend Bush. The North jumped out to an early lead and maintained it until late in the 3rd qt. as South led 73-72 after 3 periods. The North outscored the South 31-21 in the last 10 minutes and finished the game with a 9-pt. victory. The game was marked by a lot of "hustle & flash" and was a "show case for long-range and short-range shots—3-pointers and dunks" as there were 13 dunks and 19 (of 34) 3-pointers. Devonta Abron of Seagoville led the winning North in scoring with 27 points & 10 rebounds followed by Forest Robinson of Eastland with 17 points and Tashawn Thomas of Killeen with 15 points. The South was led by Delano Demps of San Antonio Reagan with 28 points (including 4 of 6 3-pointers) followed by Raymond Robinson of Corpus Christi West Oso with 14 points and Tyler Friedel of Victoria East with 12 points. Abron was voted the North MVP and Demps was voted the South MVP. Jordan Green of Flower Mound won the dunk contest and Tyler Friedel of Victoria East won the 3-point contest.

2012----In San Antonio at Greehey Arena at St. Marys U. on Monday, July 29, 2012, South defeated North, 124-93. North Coach=Tyler Helms of Idalou and South Coach=Brett Carr of Tatum. The South's 29-pt. win featured a first half defense that forced 22 turnovers by the North and a 32-22 rebounding edge in the 1st half. The South outscored the North by 13 points in the 2nd quarter to take the lead and won "going away" by 29 points. The winning South was led by LaVega's William Stinnett with 25 points including 4 3-pt shots followed by Hardin Jefferson's Shawn Prudhomme with 16 points, San Antonio Warren's Taurean Waller-Prince with 16 points and SA Churchill's Connor Lammert with 14 points. The North was led by The Colony's Zack LeDay with 18 points, and Coppell's Jett Raines, Argyle's Clarke Overlander and Orion Stewart with 15 points. Stinnett was named MVP of the South and Raines was named the North MVP. Cole's Ronnel Jordan won the slam dunk contest and Graford's Zachary Taylor won the 3-pt. shooting contest.

