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# WORCESTER COUNTS

## Game Notes

VS.  
YOUNGSTOWN PRIDE  
WEDNESDAY, MAY 10, 1989

NUMBER ONE: Tonight marks the first ever game played by the Worcester Counts, as well as the first ever World Basketball League game played at the Centrum.

TOGETHER AGAIN: Tonight marks the reunion of Count's Head Coach John Clark and Assistant Coach Norm Van Lier. The last time the two were together on the court was when Clark was the head coach at St. Francis College in Pennsylvania and Van Lier was a player in 1969.

INDIANA CONNECTION: Five Count's players and three of the owners either were raised or played basketball in Indiana. Owners Rob Shoemaker III, his father Rob Shoemaker Jr. and Stephen Gephardt all hail from the Hoosier state. Players Delray Brooks, Troy Lewis and Andre Morgan all grew up in Indiana. John Williams attended Indiana State University and Keith Smart attended Indiana University.

MEMORIES: Count's Delray Brooks and Troy Lewis shared the honor of Mr. Basketball in Indiana in 1984. Brooks attended Rodgers High School in Michigan City, while Lewis attended Andersen High School.

NATIONAL ANTHEM: Jane Morin, a resident of Worcester County, will sing tonight's anthem. She has previously sung at the 1986 World Series.

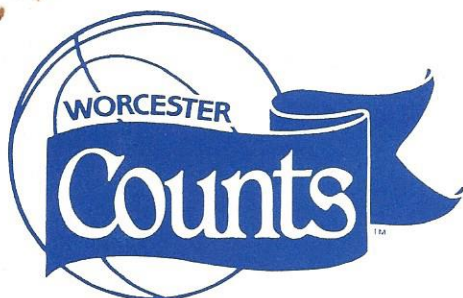
TELEVISION: The Counts send a special welcome to SportsChannel New England, which will be broadcasting tonight's game, as well as 24 of the next 26 Count's home games. Leandra Reilly and Ron Perry Jr. will call the action.

Also, WKBN in Youngstown will be airing the game with announcers Jim Campbell and Mike Rice.

RADIO: Bob Fouracre is handling the call of the action for the Counts on WNEB 1230 AM. For the Pride, Steve French will be heard on WKBN 570 AM.

WELCOME: A special Counts welcome goes out to former Celtic great Tom Heinsohn, who is in attendance tonight along with Mitchell Freund, VP and General Manager of SportsChannel.

NEXT UP: After tonight's game the Counts will have a day of practice on Thursday before heading to Youngstown for games Saturday and Sunday against the Pride. The Counts will next play at the Centrum on Friday, May 19, when they host the defending champion Las Vegas Silverstreaks.



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### WORLD BASKETBALL LEAGUE STANDINGS

(Through May 9, 1989)

	<u>W</u>	<u>L</u>	<u>PCT</u>	<u>GB</u>	<u>STREAK</u>	<u>HOME</u>	<u>ROAD</u>
Calgary 88's	1	1	.500	-	Lost 1	1-1	0-0
Las Vegas	1	1	.500	-	Won 1	0-0	1-1
Worcester	0	0	.000	-	-	0-0	0-0
Youngstown	0	0	.000	-	-	0-0	0-0
Illinois	0	0	.000	-	-	0-0	0-0

### RESULTS

MAY 7 Las Vegas 132 at Calgary 129 (OT)

MAY 5 Calgary 124 Las Vegas 112

### SCHEDULE

MAY 12 Greece at Illinois 8:30pm

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Greece at Illinois 8:30pm

May 14 Worcester at Youngstown 7:30pm

May 15 Greece at Calgary 9:30pm

MAY 16 Greece at Calgary 9:30pm  
Youngstown at Las Vegas 10:00pm

MAY 17 Youngstown at Las Vegas 10:00pm

MAY 19 Las Vegas at Worcester 8:00pm  
Greece at Youngstown 7:30pm