



HINSDALE CENTRAL HOLIDAY CLASSIC

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TWO NEW TEAMS JOIN THE 2019 HCHC FIELD

Two new teams, from conferences not represented in the returning field, will join the Hinsdale Central Holiday Classic this December. Lincoln-Way Central and Thornton Fractional South will participate with the fourteen returning teams for the 5th Annual event.

Lincoln-Way Central, returns all five of its starters from this past year, had a varsity lineup that was made up of five sophomores. The Knights are members of the Southwest Suburban Red Conference.

T.F. South has a new head coach in Todd Gillespie and won 19 games last season. The Rebels play in the South Suburban Blue Conference.

The sixteen-team field at this year's Hinsdale Central Holiday Classic will have teams participating from fifteen different conferences.

The complete field for this year's event includes DePaul Prep, Glenbrook North, Hinsdale Central, Homewood-Flossmoor, Lincoln-Way Central, Maine South, Marian Catholic, Oswego East, Richards, Rockford Auburn, Saint Charles East, Saint Rita, Stevenson, T.F. South, Westinghouse and Willowbrook. Eight different teams were conference champions last year. This year's group is considered the deepest field of highly regarded teams in tournament history.

For the first time in event history, the tournament will begin before the Christmas holiday, as the opening round will tip-off on Monday, December 23. The event resumes with second round action on Thursday, December 26 and continues through Saturday, December 28.

More information on the Hinsdale Central Holiday Classic can be found on the tournament website at: www.hcholidayclassic.com

