

**Heartland Lutheran**  
**Boys Basketball**  
**2004/2005**



## **The team members:**

### **Seniors**

**Brett Thomas  
Luke Watt**

### **Juniors**

**David Bremer  
Kevin Liess  
Sam Spiehs**

### **Freshman**

**Jesse Bartels  
Allen Buck  
AJ Messersmith  
Ricky Raber  
Jeff Seim  
Matthew Wagnitz**

### **Student Manager**

**Alvin Kowalski**

### **Coaches**

**Lloyd W. Wagnitz  
Matt Simpson**

# Heartland Lutheran High School Boys Basketball Game Scores 2004/2005

## Freshman Game (0 – 1)

HLHS 27 Central Catholic 43

## JV Games (two quarter games) (1 – 5)

HLHS 19 Spalding/Spalding Academy 35  
HLHS 7 Dorchester 27  
HLHS 15 North Loup Scotia 19  
HLHS 12 Elba 19  
HLHS 22 Shickley 14  
HLHS 24 Cross County 28

## Varsity Games (4 – 16)

	HLHS 31	Spalding/Spalding Academy 59
	HLHS 41	Dorchester 50
First Varsity Basketball Win	HLHS 47	Giltner 28
	HLHS 36	McCool Junction 56
	HLHS 63	Rising City 51
First Holiday Tournament	HLHS 56	McCool Junction 59
First Athletic Trophy – 3 <sup>rd</sup>	HLHS 48	Elba 42
	HLHS 51	Cedar Rapids 67
First Radio Game	HLHS 40	Hampton 57
	HLHS 49	St. Edward 89
	HLHS 29	Arcadia 71
First Boys Conference Tourn.	HLHS 40	Greeley/Wolbach 47 OVERTIME
	HLHS 39	North Loup Scotia 47
	HLHS 36	Elba 49
	HLHS 36	Shickley 41
	HLHS 60	High Plains 67
	HLHS 60	Cross County 75
	HLHS 35	NE Lutheran Waco 71
Sub Districts at Central City		
First post season win	HLHS 46	Giltner 33
	HLHS 36	Lindsay Holy Family 89

## 2004/2005 Freshman Stats

<b>FG%</b>	<b>FG</b>	<b>FG</b>		<b>FT%</b>	<b>FT</b>	<b>FT</b>	
<b>Player</b>	<b>Attempts</b>	<b>Made</b>	<b>FG%</b>	<b>Player</b>	<b>Attempts</b>	<b>Made</b>	<b>FT%</b>
Matthew Wagnitz	19	8	42.10	AJ Messersmith	2	1	50.00
Jesse Bartels	4	1	25.00	Matthew Wagnitz	2	1	50.00
Jeff Seim	5	1	20.00				
Allen Buck	8	1	12.50				
AJ Messersmith	4	0	0.00				
Ricky Raber	2	0	0.00				
Total for Team	42	11	26.20	Total for Team	4	2	50.00
<b>2 Point %</b>	<b>2 Point</b>	<b>2 Point</b>		<b>3 Point %</b>	<b>3 Point</b>	<b>3 Point</b>	
<b>Player</b>	<b>Attempts</b>	<b>Made</b>	<b>2 Point %</b>	<b>Player</b>	<b>Attempts</b>	<b>Made</b>	<b>3 Point %</b>
Matthew Wagnitz	13	5	38.50	Matthew Wagnitz	6	3	50.00
Jesse Bartels	4	1	25.00	Allen Buck	3	0	0.00
Allen Buck	5	1	20.00	Ricky Raber	1	0	0.00
Jeff Seim	5	1	20.00				
AJ Messersmith	4	0	0.00				
Ricky Raber	1	0	0.00				
Total for Team	32	8	25.00	Total for Team	10	3	30.00
<b>Points</b>				<b>Assists</b>			
<b>Player</b>	<b>Points</b>			<b>Player</b>	<b>Assists</b>		
Matthew Wagnitz	20			Allen Buck	3		
Jesse Bartels	2			Jesse Bartels	1		
Allen Buck	2			Matthew Wagnitz	1		
Jeff Seim	2						
AJ Messersmith	1						
Total for Team	27			Total for Team	5		
<b>Rebounds</b>				<b>Steals</b>			
<b>Player</b>	<b>Rebound</b>			<b>Player</b>	<b>Steals</b>		
Matthew Wagnitz	8			Jesse Bartels	3		
Jeff Seim	6			AJ Messersmith	3		
Ricky Raber	4			Allen Buck	1		
AJ Messersmith	3			Jeff Seim	1		
Allen Buck	2			Matthew Wagnitz	1		
Total for Team	23			Total for Team	9		
<b>Blocked Shots</b>	<b>Blocked</b>			<b>Turnovers</b>			
<b>Player</b>	<b>Shots</b>			<b>Player</b>	<b>TO</b>		
AJ Messersmith	1			Jesse Bartels	5		
				Ricky Raber	5		
				AJ Messersmith	3		
				Jeff Seim	3		
Total for Team	1			Total for Team	16		

## 2004/2005 Junior Varsity Stats

<b>FG%</b>	<b>FG</b>	<b>FG</b>		<b>FT%</b>	<b>FT</b>	<b>FT</b>	
<b>Player</b>	<b>Attempts</b>	<b>Made</b>	<b>FG%</b>	<b>Player</b>	<b>Attempts</b>	<b>Made</b>	<b>FT%</b>
Jeff Seim	17	9	52.90	Allen Buck	4	3	75.00
David Bremer	30	14	46.70	David Bremer	6	4	66.70
Allen Buck	26	6	23.10	AJ Messersmith	7	3	42.90
AJ Messersmith	21	4	19.00	Jesse Bartels	6	2	33.33
Ricky Raber	22	3	13.60	Jeff Seim	6	1	16.70
Jesse Bartels	24	1	4.20	Ricky Raber	1	0	0.00
Kevin Liess	4	0	0.00				
Total for Team	148	37	25.00	Total for Team	30	13	43.30
<b>2 Point %</b>	<b>2 Point</b>	<b>2 Point</b>		<b>3 Point %</b>	<b>3 Point</b>	<b>3 Point</b>	
<b>Player</b>	<b>Attempts</b>	<b>Made</b>	<b>2 Point %</b>	<b>Player</b>	<b>Attempts</b>	<b>Made</b>	<b>3 Point %</b>
Jeff Seim	17	9	52.90	David Bremer	11	4	36.40
David Bremer	19	10	52.60	Allen Buck	16	4	25.00
AJ Messersmith	19	4	21.10	Ricky Raber	16	3	18.80
Allen Buck	10	2	20.00	Jesse Bartels	10	1	10.00
Jesse Bartels	14	0	0.00	Kevin Liess	2	0	0.00
Kevin Liess	2	0	0.00	AJ Messersmith	2	0	0.00
Ricky Raber	6	0	0.00	Taban Thareek	1	0	0.00
Taban Thareek	3	0	0.00				
Total for Team	90	25	27.80	Total for Team	58	12	20.70
<b>Points</b>		<b>Average</b>		<b>Assists</b>		<b>Average</b>	
<b>Player</b>	<b>Points</b>	<b>Points</b>		<b>Player</b>	<b>Assists</b>	<b>Assists</b>	
David Bremer	36	9.0		Jesse Bartels	7	1.2	
Allen Buck	19	4.8		AJ Messersmith	2	0.3	
Jeff Seim	19	3.2		Ricky Raber	2	0.3	
AJ Messersmith	11	1.8		David Bremer	1	0.3	
Ricky Raber	9	1.5		Allen Buck	1	0.3	
Jesse Bartels	5	0.8		Taban Thareek	1	0.5	
Total for Team	99	16.50		Total for Team	14	2.30	
<b>Rebounds</b>		<b>Average</b>		<b>Steals</b>		<b>Turnovers</b>	
<b>Player</b>	<b>Rebound</b>	<b>Reb.</b>		<b>Player</b>	<b>Steals</b>	<b>Player</b>	<b>TO</b>
AJ Messersmith	20	3.3		Jesse Bartels	5	Jesse Bartels	22
Jeff Seim	14	2.3		AJ Messersmith	5	Ricky Raber	20
David Bremer	13	3.3		Jeff Seim	5	AJ Messersmith	14
Ricky Raber	10	1.7		Allen Buck	4	Allen Buck	5
Jesse Bartels	5	0.8		David Bremer	2	Jeff Seim	3
Taban Thareek	4	2.0		Ricky Raber	1	Kevin Liess	2
Allen Buck	3	0.8				Taban Thareek	2
Kevin Liess	2	2.0		Total for Team	22	Total for Team	68
Total for Team	71	11.80					
				<b>Blocked Shots</b>	<b>Blocked</b>		
				<b>Player</b>	<b>Shots</b>		
				Jeff Seim	5		
				AJ Messersmith	2		
				David Bremer	1		
				Taban Thareek	1		
				Total for Team	9		

## 2004/2005 Varsity Stats

FG%				FT%			
	FG	FG			FT	FT	
Player	Attempts	Made	FG%	Player	Attempts	Made	FT%
Brett Thomas	145	59	40.70	Matthew Wagnitz	48	37	77.10
Sam Spiehs	123	42	34.10	Kevin Liess	49	31	63.30
Matthew Wagnitz	271	89	32.80	Luke Watt	6	3	50.00
Kevin Liess	232	73	31.50	AJ Messersmith	2	1	50.00
Allen Buck	107	32	29.90	David Bremer	27	13	48.10
Jeff Seim	12	3	25.00	Sam Spiehs	41	17	47.40
David Bremer	139	29	20.90	Brett Thomas	41	17	41.50
Luke Watt	24	4	16.70	Allen Buck	8	3	37.50
AJ Messersmith	9	1	11.10	Jeff Seim	4	1	25.00
Jesse Bartels	7	0	0.00	Jesse Bartels	0	0	
Ricky Raber	7	0	0.00	Ricky Raber	0	0	
Total for Team	1076	332	30.90	Total for Team	204	115	56.40
2 Point %				3 Point %			
	2 Point	2 Point			3 Point	3 Point	
Player	Attempts	Made	2 Point %	Player	Attempts	Made	3 Point %
Brett Thomas	145	59	43.70	Matthew Wagnitz	163	53	32.50
Sam Spiehs	103	40	38.80	Allen Buck	63	16	25.40
Kevin Liess	153	58	37.90	Kevin Liess	79	15	19.00
Allen Buck	44	16	36.40	David Bremer	75	14	18.70
Matthew Wagnitz	108	36	33.30	Sam Spiehs	20	2	10.00
Jeff Seim	12	3	25.00	Brett Thomas	10	0	0.00
David Bremer	64	15	23.40	Jesse Bartels	3	0	0.00
Luke Watt	22	4	18.20	Luke Watt	2	0	0.00
AJ Messersmith	8	1	12.50	Ricky Raber	2	0	0.00
Jesse Bartels	4	0	0.00	AJ Messersmith	1	0	0.00
Ricky Raber	5	0	0.00				
Total for Team	658	232	35.30	Total for Team	418	100	23.90
Points				Assists			
		Average				Average	
Player	Points	Points		Player	Assists	Assists	
Matthew Wagnitz	268	13.4		Matthew Wagnitz	68	3.4	
Kevin Liess	192	9.6		Kevin Liess	32	1.6	
Brett Thomas	135	6.8		Brett Thomas	27	1.4	
Sam Spiehs	95	4.8		Allen Buck	17	0.9	
David Bremer	85	4.3		Sam Spiehs	15	0.8	
Allen Buck	83	4.2		David Bremer	11	0.6	
Luke Watt	11	0.6		Luke Watt	8	0.4	
Jeff Seim	7	0.4		Jeff Seim	1	0.1	
AJ Messersmith	3	0.2		Jesse Bartels	1	0.1	
Total for Team	879	44.00		Total for Team	180	9.00	

## 2004/2005 Varsity Stats

Rebounds			Steals		
		Average			
Player	Rebound	Reb.	Player	Steals	
Brett Thomas	142	7.1	Kevin Liess	34	
Matthew Wagnitz	108	5.4	Allen Buck	32	
Sam Spiehs	103	5.2	Matthew Wagnitz	30	
Luke Watt	41	2.1	Brett Thomas	16	
David Bremer	38	1.9	Sam Spiehs	16	
Allen Buck	39	1.9	Luke Watt	9	
Kevin Liess	26	1.3	David Bremer	8	
Jeff Seim	16	0.8	Jesse Bartels	3	
AJ Messersmith	5	0.3	Jeff Seim	1	
Jesse Bartels	3	0.2	AJ Messersmith	1	
Ricky Raber	3	0.2			
Total for Team	523	26.20	Total for Team	180	
Blocked Shots			Turnovers		
	Blocked				
Player	Shots		Player	TO	
Sam Spiehs	33		Brett Thomas	53	
Brett Thomas	28		Allen Buck	51	
David Bremer	3		Matthew Wagnitz	51	
Kevin Liess	3		David Bremer	45	
Matthew Wagnitz	2		Kevin Liess	45	
Allen Buck	1		Sam Spiehs	32	
Jeff Seim	1		Luke Watt	32	
			Jesse Bartels	9	
			Jeff Seim	8	
			Ricky Raber	4	
			AJ Messersmith	3	
Total for Team	71		Total for Team	333	

## 2004/2005 Goldenrod All Conference Teams

### First Team

Player	School	Class
Jeremy Cruise	St. Edward	Sophomore
Lance Steele	Greeley/Wolbach	Senior
Chad Kasperbauer	Spalding/Spalding Academy	Senior
Joseph Mohr	Spalding/Spalding Academy	Senior
Tyler Schreiber	Nebraska Christian	Senior

### Second Team

Player	School	Class
Brent Schuele	Cedar Rapids	Senior
Jesse Hoffmeister	St. Edward	Senior
Jarrold Jensen	North Loup Scotia	Senior
Kaleb Cruise	St. Edward	Senior
Randy Kuszak	Elba	Senior

### Third Team

Player	School	Class
Brian Lassen	Elba	Junior
Matthew Wagnitz	Heartland Lutheran	Freshman
Logan McPhillips	Cedar Rapids	Junior
Matt Hughes	North Loup Scotia	Sophomore
C. J. Prorok	St. Edward	Junior

### Honorable Mention

Player	School	Class
Jordan Ward	Nebraska Christian	Junior
Mason Wood	Palmer	Junior
Jesse Jensen	North Loup Scotia	Sophomore
Jeremy Welch	Cedar Rapids	Senior
David Hitchler	Spalding/Spalding Academy	Junior
Brady Chase	Nebraska Christian	Senior

Brett Thomas was selected as an alternate for the Goldenrod Conference Senior All Star team to play the end of May 2005.

# Heartland Lutheran High School Boys Basketball Season Stats

## Season Win/Loss Records

Year	Wins	Losses		
2001/2002	0	13	All JV games	
2002/2003	3	15	1 varsity game	1 <sup>st</sup> Athletic win in school history
2003/2004	0	14	6 varsity games	1 <sup>st</sup> Sub District game in school history
2004/2005	4	16	1 <sup>st</sup> all varsity season	1 <sup>st</sup> Boys Basketball Varsity win 1 <sup>st</sup> Athletic trophy in school history 1 <sup>st</sup> Boys Basketball Conference Tourn game 1 <sup>st</sup> Post Season win in school history

## Season Totals

Year	Number of Games	Rebounds	Steals	Assists	Blocked Shots	Turnovers
2001/2002	13	Not available	Not available	Not Available	Not available	Not available
2002/2003	18	458 25.44/game	181 10.06/game	141 7.83/game	Not available	470 26.11/game
2003/2004	14	407 29.07/game	104 7.43/game	79 5.64/game	83 5.93/game	290 20.71/game
2004/2005	20	523 26.15/game	150 7.50/game	180 9/game	71 3.55/game	333 16.65/game

Year	Number of Games	Freethrow %	Field Goal %	2 Point %	3 Point %	Points Scored	Opponents Points
2001/2002	13	Not Available	Not available	Not Available	Not available	346	721
2002/2003	18	48.16% 131 of 272	34.50% 266 of 771	Not Available	Not available	677 37.6/game	962 53.4/game
2003/2004	14	48.10% 76 of 158	30.15% 215 of 713	Not Available	Not available	536 38.3/game	873 62.3/game
2004/2005	20	56.40% 115 of 204	30.90% 332 of 1076	35.30% 232 of 658	23.90% 100 of 418	879 43.9/game	1148 57.4/game

# Heartland Lutheran High School Boys Basketball Records

## Season Records

Category	Record	Year
Total Rebounds	523	2004/2005
Average Rebounds per game	29.07	2003/2004
Total Steals	181	2002/2003
Average Steals per game	10.06	2002/2003
Assists	180	2004/2005
Average Assists per game	9	2004/2005
Total Blocked Shots	71	2004/2005
Average Blocked Shots per game	3.55	2004/2005
Lowest Total Turnovers	290	2003/2004
Lowest Average Turnovers per game	16.65	2004/2005
Best Freethrow %	56.40%	2004/2005 115 out of 204
Best Field Goal % (all shots)	34.50%	2002/2003 266 out of 771
Best 2 point %	35.30%	2004/2005 232 out of 658
Best 3 point %	23.9%	2004/2005 100 out of 418
Points Scored	879	2004/2005
Average Points Scored	43.95	2004/2005
Lowest Opponent Points	873	2003/2004
Average Low Opponent Points/game	53.44	2002/2003

## Team Game Records

Category	Record	Game Record Established
Most Rebounds in a game	44	01/28/2005 vs North Loup Scotia
Most Steals in a game	15	01/23/2003 vs Wilcox/Hildreth JV 02/01/2003 vs Blue Hill JV
Most Assists in a game	17	12/16/2004 vs Rising City
Most Blocked Shots in a game	9	12/09/2004 vs Giltner
Lowest Turnovers in a game	8	02/01/2005 vs Elba
Best Freethrow % in a game	100	12/16/2004 vs Rising City
Best Field Goal % (all shots)	51.20%	02/08/2005 vs High Plains
Best 2 point % in a game	50.00%	02/08/2005 vs High Plains
Best 3 point % in a game	55.00%	02/08/2005 vs High Plains
Points Scored in a game	63	12/16/2004 vs Rising City
Lowest Opponent Points	28	12/09/2004 vs Giltner

### Individual Season Records

Category	Record	Athlete & Year
Rebounds	142	Brett Thomas – 2004/2005
Average Rebounds per game	7.29	Sam Spiehs – 2003/2004
Steals	41	Kevin Liess – 2002/2003
Average Steals per game	2.28	Kevin Liess – 2002/2003
Assists	68	Matthew Wagnitz – 2004/2005
Average Assists per game	3.4	Matthew Wagnitz – 2004/2005
Blocked Shots	37	Sam Spiehs – 2003/2004
Average Blocked Shots per game	2.64	Sam Spiehs – 2003/2004
Freethrow percentage	77.10%	Matthew Wagnitz – 2004/2005
Field Goal percentage (all shots)	48.60%	Sam Spiehs – 2002/2003
Best 2 point %	43.70%	Brett Thomas – 2004/2005
Best 3 point %	32.50%	Matthew Wagnitz – 2004/2005
Points Scored	268	Matthew Wagnitz – 2004/2005
Average Points Scored	13.4	Matthew Wagnitz – 2004/2005

### Individual Game Records

Category	Record	Athlete	Game
Rebounds	14	Brett Thomas	01/28/2005 vs North Loup Scotia
Steals	8	Kevin Liess	02/17/2005 vs Cross County
Assists	7	Matthew Wagnitz	12/28/2004 vs McCool Junction
Blocked Shots	6	Sam Spiehs	02/03/2004 vs Elba
	6	Brett Thomas	12/09/2004 vs Giltner
Freethrow % (min. 4 shots)	100% 5 out of 5	Matthew Wagnitz	12/28/2004 vs McCool Junction
Field Goal % (min. 5 shots)	85.70% 6 out of 7	Brett Thomas	12/28/2004 vs McCool Junction
Best 2 point % (min. 5 shots)	85.70% 6 out of 7	Brett Thomas	12/28/2004 vs McCool Junction
Best 3 point % (min. 4 shots)	71.40% 5 out of 7	Matthew Wagnitz	01/07/2005 vs Cedar Rapids
Points Scored	24	Matthew Wagnitz	12/16/2004 vs Rising City

## Individual Career Records

<b>Category</b>	<b>Record</b>	<b>Athlete</b>	<b>Years Played</b>
Rebounds	267	Brett Thomas	2001/2002 – 2004/2005
Average Rebounds per game	5.4	Matthew Wagnitz	2004/2005 – present
Steals	98	Kevin Liess	2002/2003 – present
Average Steals per game	1.88	Kevin Liess	2002/2003 – present
Assists	71	Brett Thomas	2001/2002 – 2004/2005
Average Assists per game	3.4	Matthew Wagnitz	2004/2005 – present
Blocked Shots	70	Sam Spiehs	2002/2003 – present
Average Blocked Shots per game	1.35	Sam Spiehs	2002/2003 – present
Freethrow %	77.08%	Matthew Wagnitz	2004/2005 – present
Field Goal %	38.62%	Brett Thomas	2001/2002 – 2004/2005
Best 2 point %	43.70%	Brett Thomas	2001/2002 – 2004/2005
Best 3 point %	32.52%	Matthew Wagnitz	2004/2005 – present
Points Scored	424	Kevin Liess	2002/2003 – present
Average Points per game	13.4	Matthew Wagnitz	2004/2005 -- present