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# CRIMSON GUIDE

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**Crimson Guard-** We now have our website up and running, check it out at [crimsonguard.org](http://crimsonguard.org). You can also join our Facebook fan page and follow us on twitter @iucrimsonguard. We are working hard to become a united student section, but we need you guys to help out. Tell us what is working and what is just flopping. A united student section is vital if we want any of the changes that we all talk about to come to fruition. Let's get it done.

### Broken Promises

Coach Izzo promised "The Izzone" he would shave his head if Michigan state won the Big Ten title. They won and his head was supposedly hairless, but no picture has been seen. Not unlike a win against North Carolina.

No.	Name	Ht.	Wt.	Pos.	Year	Hometown/High School
3	Allen, Chris	6-3	205	G	JR	Lawrenceville, Ga./Meadowcreek
25	Crandell, Jon	6-8	230	F	SR	Rochester, Mich./Rochester Adams
22	Dahlman, Isaiah	6-6	195	G	SR	Braham, Minn./Braham Area
23	Green, Draymond	6-6	235	F	SO	Saginaw, Mich./Saginaw
40	Herzog, Tom	7-0	250	C	RS JR	Flint, Mich./Powers
44	Ianni, Anthony	6-9	260	C	JR	East Lansing, Mich./Okemos (Grand Valley State)
20	Kebler, Mike	6-4	205	G	JR	Okemos, Mich./Okemos
1	Lucas, Kalin	6-0	190	G	JR	Detroit, Mich./Orchard Lake St. Mary's
34	Lucious, Korie	5-11	170	G	SO	Milwaukee, Wis./Pius XI
2	Morgan, Raymar	6-8	230	F	SR	Canton, Ohio/McKinley
50	Nix, Derrick	6-8	280	C	FR	Detroit, Mich./Pershing
10	Roe, Delvon	6-8	230	F	SO	Euclid, Ohio/St. Edward
41	Sherman, Garrick	6-10	235	C	FR	Kenton, Ohio/Kenton
15	Summers, Durrell	6-4	205	G	JR	Detroit, Mich./Redford Covenant Christian
13	Thornton, Austin	6-5	220	G	RS SO	Sand Lake, Mich./Cedar Springs

We need your feedback as we work to become a great student section. Send us an email please.

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### Laws of True HOOSIERS

**Avoid Profanity.** We're not KENTUCKY so don't act like it.

**Avoid Racial Slurs.** They will make you look stupid.

**Don't rush the Court.** We have 5 banners hanging in Assembly Hall

**Don't leave early.** Unless you're meeting Purdue in the parking lot

**Arrive early.** What else could you possibly be doing?

### Straight from the MSU message boards

"Raymar Morgan needs to turn in his balls because he doesn't play with any. He all of the sudden can't finish at the tin. It's so bad watching him get blocked, blow lay ups, dunks, or two footers." -NinersSBCHAMPS

-Couldn't have said it any better Niner.

**Brotherly Love-** Coach Crean was an assistant on Tom Izzo's staff for four years. He helped Michigan State to a final four appearance and achieve an overall record of 88-41. Crean also served as the Spartans' recruiting coordinator, where he routinely lured some of the nation's top talent to East Lansing, including two-time Big Ten Player of the Year Mateen Cleaves and two-time first team All-Big Ten selection Morris Peterson. "He had a lot to do with some of the banners hanging here" -Tom Izzo on Crean's time in East Lansing. ([iuhoosiers.com](http://iuhoosiers.com))

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**Kalin Lucas**-Kalin "Too Easy" Lucas per Facebook is the *self-proclaimed* fastest player in the NCAA -That's funny Kalin, was it "too easy" to be fast enough to beat UNC?

**Raymar Morgan**-Formerly overrated, but has made progress in his ten years at MSU -The Facebook group "I may be a man, but I still want to have Raymar Morgan's babies" is 10 members strong - quite the celebrity/male fertility-ity

**Derrick Nix**- His nickname is Sir Nix-A lot. We have nothing to say, That is awesome.

**Delvon Roe**- Has a tattoo of a Spartan on his bicep reading "Remember the name" with "Delvon" underneath it. Just in case he forgets.

**Sparty**- Auditioned for a role in 300 but wouldn't wear the crimson loin cloths. He claimed it wasn't the color but the fact that they "didn't provide the right support."

**Korie Lucious**- Didn't appear at Penn State this weekend due to academic issues. That bowling class must be pretty tough huh Korie?

#### General Cheers:

•**Airball...** When a player shoots an airball... chant airball... airball every time this player gets the ball until this player draws iron on a future shot.

•**Left... Right... Left... Right...**

When a opposing player fouls out help him walk to the bench then tell him to sit down.

•**Hoo Hoo Hoo HOOSIERS**

Enough said.

#### Cheers for the HOOSIERS

•**Christian Watford Blocks a Shot**

Chant "Swatford... Swatford..."

While extending the arms and praising him

•**Devan Dumes Hits a deep one**

Duuuuuuuuuuuuuuuummmees

•**As usual when a Hoosier makes big time plays chant their full name**

Jordan Hulls 5 claps...Jordan Hulls 5 claps...

•**Be sure to give Coach Crean some love as well**

**Tonight's Contest...**Michigan State travels to Bloomington ranked 11<sup>th</sup> in both national polls with a 10-3 Big Ten record and a 20-6 record overall. Michigan State has won more road games than any other team in the Big Ten with a 5-2 record away from the Breslin Center. Tonight's contest will be Coach Tom Izzo's 500<sup>th</sup> game of his coaching career. Michigan State snapped a three game losing streak on Saturday with a 65-54 win over Penn State. Guard Kalin Lucas made his first start since spraining his ankle to score 24 points and record 6 assists. Look for Lucas to finally be 100% against the Hoosiers tonight. Coach Tom Izzo is 15-10 in his career against Indiana, but Indiana holds holds a 42-11 record all-time against the Spartans at Assembly Hall. In the last meeting against the Hoosiers Michigan State clinched the Big Ten title in a tight 64-59 win. Indiana comes in to this contest ranked 2<sup>nd</sup> in the Big Ten in offensive rebounding averaging 12.5 offensive rebounds a game. Verdell Jones III comes in as the second highest scoring Big Ten sophomore at 14.6 ppg. Christian Watford leads all Big Ten freshman in scoring at 12.6 points per game. Indiana is the only school in the Big Ten that has a combination of three freshman and sophomores averaging double figures in points scored. Tonight's meeting is the only scheduled meeting between Michigan State and Indiana this season.



Don't forget to email us with ideas for the Wisconsin game.

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Upcoming Home Games:

**Wisconsin February 25<sup>th</sup> at 9:00**

**Northwestern March 6<sup>th</sup> at 12:00**

**New deadline for student tickets is...**

**FEBRUARY 28<sup>th</sup>!** Students, it is your last chance to buy **discounted** big ten tournament tickets. Go to every single game for only **50 dollars**. There are a **limited amount** of tickets left so act now! Don't miss this opportunity to see big ten history.

**GO HOOSIERS**