Chocolate City takes IM A league hoop crown

By Bob Host

Chocolate City became the instamural A league basketball champions Sunday with a 45-37 win over the defending championship team, Baker-Benjamin.

The win concluded a perfect 11-0 season for Chocolate City, while Baker’s record dropped to 9-3. Baker had lost once to Burton in the regular season and was defeated by the same Chocolate City team, 53-41, in an earlier playoff game. The double-elimination feature of the playoffs would have made it necessary for Baker to defeat Chocolate City again had its Sunday’s game, to defend its title.

Six teams qualified for the playoffs in the A-I division: Baker, Theta Chi, and Burton qualified; while in the boys-featured A-2 division, Chocolate City, SAE and Fiji advanced. In the first round of the tournament, Baker defeated Fiji, while Theta Chi beat SAE and Chocolate City topped Burton. The three winners then entered the double-elimination phase of the tournament, with Theta Chi bowing out first.

The championship game was attended by approximately 800 onlookers, and in the beginning, it appeared as if Baker would run away with the game. The halftime score was 23-16 in favor of Baker, prompting Baker coach Mark Yehdal ’78 to scoff at the team using the “same strategy [that was] used in the earlier [Chocolate City game], we’re just doing it better.”

However, in the second half, Chocolate City forced Baker into numerous turnovers, and in addition, got through the Baker press while keeping its own press working. Chocolate City also shot well from the outside, but the deciding factor in the game was the number of free throws made.

Next year’s intramural season will get a boost, according to assistant basketball manager Mike Anvall (see page 11).

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