## **N BRIEF**

## Balbo to coach River Valley football

Tony Balbo is the new varsity football coach at River Valley.

Balbo posted on his Facebook page that he accepted the position Thursday.

Balbo has varsity head coaching experience at Cassopolis and Michigan Lutheran.

He coached Lutheran from 2009-11, compiling a 15-13 record and leading the Titans to two playoff appearances.

In recent years he has spent time on the coaching staffs at Bridgman, St. Joseph and Benton Harbor.

## LMC men lose to Muskegon 83-74

The Lake Michigan Col-

lege men's basketball team lost to Muskegon 83-74 on Thursday in the Red Hawks' regular-season finale.

Terry Davis scored 22 points in the losing effort. Point guard Michael Bush added 16 points and had 16 assists.

Ja'Mare Washington led LMC with 12 rebounds. The teams were even at halftime.

"I'm very proud of our effort tonight," LMC coach Doug Schaffer said. "We just didn't shoot the ball well in the second half. Mike Bush had a great individual game."

LMC finishes the regular season 22-7 overall and 12-4 in the Michigan Community College Athletic Association's Western Conference, good enough for third place.