

IN BRIEF

LMC men's basketball routs Mid-Michigan

BENTON TOWNSHIP — The Lake Michigan College men's basketball team routed Mid-Michigan Community College 103-65 on Wednesday.

Gavin Rasler led LMC (6-5 MCCA West, 9-13) with 23 points, four rebounds and a steal. Brian Harris scored 17 points, with Bryce Saxton scoring 15. Jason Walter added another 14 points with four rebounds.

Point guard Spencer Adams had eight points, seven assists and zero turnovers.

Mikhail Myles led MMCC (7-4, 14-6) with 15 points.

LMC women beat Mid-Michigan 76-67

BENTON HARBOR — Lake Michigan College women's basketball team topped Mid-Michigan Community College 76-67 at home Wednesday night.

Kelsee Kinder and Hailey Maas led LMC (9-2 MCCA West, 17-5) with 21 points each. Jade Mosier scored 14 points with seven rebounds, while Brooke Becker added another 10.

Haley Madison scored eight points with 10 rebounds.

Kaley Carter and Mad-die Shurlow led Mid-Michigan (7-4, 16-4) with 15 points each.

Ex-Cub Hammel signs with Royals for \$16M

KANSAS CITY, Mo. (AP) — The Royals have announced their \$16 million, two-year contract with Jason Hammel, a

move designed to shore up the starting rotation after the death of Yordano Ventura in a car accident last month.

Hammel will make \$5 million this season and \$9 million next season, and the deal announced Wednesday includes a \$2 million buyout of a 2019 mutual option. Hammel can make a \$250,000 annual performance bonus if he throws 200 innings.

Cubs get Mills from Royals for Dewees

CHICAGO (AP) — The Chicago Cubs have acquired right-hander Alec Mills from the Kansas City Royals for outfielder Donnie Dewees.

Mills was designated for assignment earlier Wednesday after the Royals signed free agent pitcher Jason Hammel, who played last season for the World Series champion Cubs.

The 25-year-old Mills made his major league debut last year, going 0-0 in three games and giving up five runs in 3 1/3 innings. He was a combined 5-5 with a 3.22 ERA at Triple-A and Double-A.

The 23-year-old Dewees hit a combined .284 with 74 RBIs and 31 steals at two Class A levels.

Lefty David Rollins was designated for assignment by the Cubs to make room for Mills on the 40-man roster. It's been a busy offseason for the 27-year-old Rollins, who pitched 11 games for Seattle last season. Since then, he's been claimed off waivers twice by the Cubs, twice by Texas and once by Philadelphia.