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MEDIA ALERT

LOCAL HIGH SCHOOL BASKETBALL AIRS ON THE U

(Revised Schedule)

JANUARY 24, 2022 – CHICAGO, IL – Weigel Broadcasting Co. “Game of the Week” begins on January 29, 2022 on The U, WMEU, Channel 48.1 and WCIU, Channel 26.2. The first broadcast features St. Charles North vs. number-one ranked Glenbard West at 5:30PM, sponsored by Finishing Chicago. The “Game of The Week” schedule kicks off a great stretch of high school basketball on The U, including 32 IHSA State Tournament games starting with the Girls Basketball State Finals on March 3.

The upcoming schedule includes:

Date	Match-Up	Game Time
Saturday 1/29/22	St. Charles North vs. Glenbard West High School	5:30P
Friday 2/4/22	New Trier vs. Evanston Girls	6P
Friday 2/4/22	New Trier vs. Evanston Boys	7:30P

Sunday 2/6/22	CPS Girls Championship	5P
Friday 2/11/22	Bolingbrook High School vs. Lockport High School	6:30 P
Saturday 2/12/22	CPS Boys Championship	5P
Tuesday 2/15/22	Brother Rice vs. St. Rita	7P

The U will carry the statewide broadcasts of the IHSA Championship, starting with the Girls games in Normal, IL on Thursday, March 3 through Championship games on Saturday, March 5. The Boys championships from Champaign air Thursday, March 10 through Saturday, March 12.

Broadcasters Jim Blaney, Rick Malnati, Mark Krueger, Kenny McReynolds and Alyssa Bergamini will team up to call the Chicago-area games produced by The U this season.

“Game of the Week” can be seen on The U, WMEU, Channel 48.1 and WCIU, Channel 26.2, XFINITY 230|360, RCN 610, WOW 170, Dish 48, Spectrum Charter 191 and U-Verse 24.

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