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A History of Bishop Kelley Boys Basketball

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State Champion: (1) 1995

State Semi-Finalist: (4) 1989, 1992, 1999, 2014

State Quarterfinalist: (8) 1973, 1976, 1977, 1981, 1982, 2004, 2008, 2018

Total State Appearances: (14) 1973, 1976, 1977, 1981, 1982, 1989, 1992, 1995, 1999, 2004, 2008, 2014,

2018, 2020 *

*BK qualified for State. However, State was canceled due to Covid-19.

Area Champion: (5) 1976, 1981, 1982, 1995, 2004

Area Consolation Champion: (9) 1973, 1977, 1989, 1992, 1999, 2008, 2014, 2018, 2020

Regional Champion: (16) 1976, 1977, 1981, 1982, 1984, 1989, 1991, 1995, 1999, 2004, 2008, 2009,

2013, 2014, 2018, 2021

Conference Champion: (18)

Metro Lakes Conference Champion: (17) 1983, 1984, 1985, 1986, 1987, 1989, 1991, 1993, 1996, 1998, 1999, 2000,

2004, 2006, 2008, 2009, 2014

Green Country Conference Champion: (1) 1976

Academic State Champion: (2) 1998, 2018

Year By Year

** In basketball playoffs, all teams participate in the Regional tournament. After the 1st game in the Regional tournament, there will be 16 winners and 16 losers. The losers are eliminated. The winners all advance to the Regional Finals. From there and into the Area Tournament, it is a double elimination tournament. A team has to win the Area Championship or the Area Consolation Championship in order to advance to State. **

Year	Coach	Class	Overall Record	Regional	Area	State
2021	Jordan Nagel (2)	5A	13-7	Champion	Cons. Final.	
	Coach Jordan Nagel (1)	Class 5A	Overall Record 13-14	Regional Runner-Up	Area Cons. Chmp.	State Participant *

^{*} In 2019-2020, the State Tournament was cancelled due to the Covid-19 virus.

Year	Coach	Class	Overall Record	Regional	Area	State
2019	David Dee (1)	5A	10-14	Participant		

In 2018-2019, Bishop Kelley left the Frontier Valley Conference and competed as an independent.

Year 2018	Coach Jeff Renegar (2)	Class 5A	Conference Record/Place 4-10	Overall Record 13-14	Regional Champion	Area Cons. Chmp.	State State Quarterfinalist Lost to NW Classen 50-36
Year 2017	Coach Jeff Renegar (1)	Class 5A	Conference Record/Place 3-11 / 9th	Overall Record 7-16	Regional Participant	Area 	State
Year 2016	Coach Danny Limes (23)	Class 5A	Conference Record/Place 1-13 / 8th	Overall Record 6-17	Regional Participant	Area 	State

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Conference Overall

YearCoachClassRecord/PlaceRecordRegionalAreaState2015Danny Limes (22)5A3-119-17Runner-UpCons. Final.-----

In the 2014-2015, BK joined the Frontier Valley Conference (6A schools)

Voar	Coach	Class	Conference Record/Place	Overall Record	Regional	Area	State
	Danny Limes (21)	5A	12-0 / 1st	20-9	Champion	Cons. Chmp	State Semi-finalist Beat Carl Albert 66-63 Lost to B. McGuinness 36
	Coach	Class	Conference Record/Place	Overall Record	Regional	Area	State
2013	Danny Limes (20)	5A	9-3 / 2nd	17-9	Champion	Cons. Final.	
			Conference	Overall			
	Coach	Class	Record/Place	Record	Regional	Area	State
2012	Danny Limes (19)	5A	10-2 / 2nd	17-9	Runner-Up	Participant	
			Conference	Overall			
	Coach	Class	Record/Place	Record	Regional	Area	State
2011	Danny Limes (18)	5A	9-3 / 2nd	13-10	Runner-Up	Participant	
			Conference	Overall			
	Coach	Class	Record/Place	Record	Regional	Area	State
2010	Danny Limes (17)	5A	8-4	15-11	Runner-Up	Cons. Final.	
			Conference	Overall			
	Coach	Class	Record/Place	Record	Regional	Area	State
2009	Danny Limes (16)	5A	12-0 / 1st	20-7	Champion	Participant	
			Conference	Overall			
	Coach	Class	Record/Place	Record	Regional	Area	State
2008	Danny Limes (15)	5A	12-0	23-4	Champion	Cons. Chmp.	State Quarterfinalist Lost to
			Conference	Overall			
	Coach	Class	Record/Place	Record	Regional	Area	State
2007	Danny Limes (14)	5A	10-2 / 2nd	18-8	Runner-Up	Cons. Final.	
			Conference	Overall			
	Coach	Class	Record/Place	Record	Regional	Area	State
2006	Danny Limes (13)	5A	9-1 / 1st	22-4	Runner-Up	Cons. Final.	
			Conference	Overall			
	Coach	Class	Record/Place	Record	Regional	Area	State
2005	Danny Limes (12)	5A	15-11 / 3rd	15-11	Runner-Up	Cons. Final.	
			Conference	Overall			
Year	Coach	Class	Record/Place	Record	Regional	Area	State
	Danny Limes (11)	5A	/ 1st	21-5	Champion	Champion	State Quarterfinalist
							Lost to



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Year 2003	Coach Danny Limes (10)	Class 5A	Conference Record/Place 9-3 / 2nd	Overall Record 17-8/10	Regional Participant?	Area Participant?	State
Year 2002	Coach Danny Limes (9)	Class 5A	Conference Record/Place 9-3 / 2nd	Overall Record 13-13/12-12	Regional Participant?	Area Participant?	State
Year 2001	Coach Danny Limes (8)	Class 5A	Conference Record/Place 9-5 / 2nd,3rd	Overall Record 14-11	Regional Participant?	Area Participant?	State
Year 2000	Coach Danny Limes (7)	Class 5A	Conference Record/Place 12-2,13-1 / 1st	Overall Record 19-6	Regional Participant?	Area Participant?	State
Year 1999	Coach Danny Limes (6)	Class 5A	Conference Record/Place / 1st	Overall Record 23-5	Regional Champion	Area Cons. Chmp.	State State Semifinalist Beat Lost to
Year 1998	Coach Danny Limes (5)	Class 5A	Conference Record/Place 13-1 / 1st	Overall Record 19-7	Regional Participant	Area Cons. Final.	State
Year 1997	Coach Danny Limes (4)	Class 5A	Conference Record/Place 7-4	Overall Record 14-9	Regional Participant	Area	State
Year 1996	Coach Danny Limes (3)	Class 5A	Conference Record/Place 11-0	Overall Record 20-6	Regional Runner-Up	Area Participant	State
Year 1995	Coach Danny Limes (2)	Class 4A	Conference Record/Place	Overall Record 23-5	Regional Champion	Area Champion	State State Champion Beat Beat Beat
Year 1994	Coach Danny Limes (1)	Class 4A	Conference Record/Place 9-5	Overall Record 12-11	Regional Participant	Area	State
Year 1993		Class 4A	Conference Record/Place / 1st	Overall Record 18-8	Regional Runner-Up	Area Cons. Final.	State -
Year 1992	Coach Barry Hinson (5)	Class 4A	Conference Record/Place	Overall Record 18-10	Regional Runner-Up	Area Cons. Chmp.	State State Semifinalist Beat Lost to



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	Coach Barry Hinson (4)	Class 4A	Conference Record/Place / 1st	Overall Record 19-7	Regional Champion	Area Cons. Final.	State
	Coach Barry Hinson (3)	Class 4A	Conference Record/Place	Overall Record 18-7	Regional Runner-Up	Area Participant	State
	Coach Barry Hinson (2)	Class 4A	Conference Record/Place / 1st	Overall Record 16-12	Regional Champion	Area Cons. Chmp	State State Semifinalist Beat Lost to
	Coach Barry Hinson (1)	Class 4A	Conference Record/Place / 2nd	Overall Record 20-6	Regional Runner-Up	Area Cons. Final.	State
	Coach Dennis Hamilton (5)	Class 4A	Conference Record/Place / 1st	Overall Record 16-6	Regional Participant	Area	State
	Coach Dennis Hamilton (4)	Class 4A	Conference Record/Place / 1st	Overall Record 17-9	Regional Runner-Up	Area Cons. Final.	State
	Coach Dennis Hamilton (3)	Class 4A	Conference Record/Place / 1st	Overall Record 12-11	Regional Participant	Area	State
	Coach Dennis Hamilton (2)	Class 4A	Conference Record/Place 7-0 / 1st	Overall Record 18-7	Regional Champion	Area Cons. Final.	State
	Coach Dennis Hamilton (1)	Class 4A	Conference Record/Place 7-0 / 1st	Overall Record 12-11	Regional Participant	Area	State
	Coach Joel Lowery (5)	Class 4A	Conference Record/Place	Overall Record 20-6	Regional Champion	Area Champion	State State Quarterfinalist Lost to
	Coach Joel Lowery (4)	Class 4A	Conference Record/Place	Overall Record 19-7	Regional Champion	Area Champion	State State Quarterfinalist Lost to
	Coach Joel Lowery (3)	Class 4A	Conference Record/Place	Overall Record 9-14	Regional Participant	Area 	State
Year 1979	Coach Joel Lowery (2)	Class 3A	Conference Record/Place	Overall Record 7-15	Regional Participant	Area 	State
			Conference	Overall			



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	Coach Joel Lowery (1)	Class 3A	Record/Place	Record 10-13	Regional Participant	Area 	State
Year 1977		Class 3A	Conference Record/Place	Overall Record 16-11	Regional Champion	Area Cons. Chmp.	State State Quarterfinalist Lost to
	Coach Mike Hayes (4)	Class 3A	Conference Record/Place	Overall Record 22-4	Regional Champion	Area Champion	State State Quarterfinalist Lost to Tahlequah
	Coach Mike Hayes (3)	Class 3A	Conference Record/Place	Overall Record <mark>1514</mark> -11	Regional Runner-Up	Area Cons. Final.	State
	Coach Mike Hayes (2)	Class 3A	Conference Record/Place	Overall Record 10-15	Regional Runner-Up	Area Cons. Final.	State
	Coach Mike Hayes (1)	Class 3A	Conference Record/Place	Overall Record 15-11	Regional Runner-Up	Area Cons. Chmp.	State State Quarterfinalist Lost to
Year 1972		Class 3A	Conference Record/Place	Overall Record 10-10	Regional Participant	Area	State
Year 1971		Class 3A	Conference Record/Place	Overall Record 5-16	Regional Participant	Area	State
	Coach Alan Axley (1)	Class 3A	Conference Record/Place	Overall Record 7-16	Regional Runner-Up	Area Participant	State
	Up to 1969, only the R In 1970, Regional Runi						
Year 1969	Coach Jim Choate (4)	Class	Conference Record/Place	Overall Record 1-20	Regional Participant	Area	State
	Coach Jim Choate (3)	Class	Conference Record/Place	Overall Record 17-7	Regional Runner-Up	Area	State

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Class Record/Place	Record 4-18	Regional 	Area 	State
Jim Choate (1)	4-21			
Norbert Koesler (1)	2-17			
Gary Hevelone (1)	4-16			
Don Tabor (2)	5-16			
Don Tabor (1)	5-18			
Dick Courter (1)	9-10			
Jerry Andress (1)	12-8			
	Jim Choate (1) Norbert Koesler (1) Gary Hevelone (1) Don Tabor (2) Don Tabor (1) Dick Courter (1)	4-18 Jim Choate (1) 4-21 Norbert Koesler (1) 2-17 Gary Hevelone (1) 4-16 Don Tabor (2) 5-16 Don Tabor (1) 5-18 Dick Courter (1) 9-10	4-18 Jim Choate (1) 4-21 Norbert Koesler (1) 2-17 Gary Hevelone (1) 4-16 Don Tabor (2) 5-16 Don Tabor (1) 5-18 Dick Courter (1) 9-10	4-18 Jim Choate (1) 4-21 Norbert Koesler (1) 2-17 Gary Hevelone (1) 4-16 Don Tabor (2) 5-16 Don Tabor (1) 5-18 Dick Courter (1) 9-10

All State Boys Basketball (17)

Coaches nominate players for All-State. The Tulsa World, the Oklahoman and the Oklahoma Coaches Association may select their own All-State team. If a student athlete is recognized as being All-State by any of these institutions/entities, then they are considered All-State by Bishop Kelley High School. Names are released in the spring following the basketball season. The OCA All-State game is held in late July.

Terry Sims '75	Johnnie Gendron '92	Tyler Thalken '08
Alvin Mayes '76	J.W.Craft '95	Matt Reynolds '09
David Dee '84	Robert Fomby '96	Matt Craig '14
Brett McDaniel '86	Sean Kelley '99	Josh Limes '15
Jason Gajan '88	Patrick Jones '04	Ryan Gendron '18
Tim Axley '89	Tim Kelley '06	

Coaching Records - Chronological Order - Summary

<u>Coach</u>	# Years	<u>Years</u>	<u>Win</u>	<u>Loss</u>	Winning Percentage
Jerry Andress	1	1960	12	8	.600
Dick Courter	1	1961	9	12	.429
Don Tabor	2	1962, 1963	10	34	.227
Gary Hevelone	1	1964	4	16	.200
Norbert Koessler	1	1965	2	17	.105
Jim Choate	4	1966-1969	26	66	.283
Alan Axley	1	1970	9	17	.346
Cleve Kinnear	2	1971, 1972	15	26	.366
Mike Hayes	5	1973-1977	78 <mark>(77)</mark>	52	.600 (.597)
Joel Lowery	5	1978-1982	65	55	.542
Dennis Hamilton	5	1983-1987	75	44	.630
Barry Hinson	6	1988-1993	109	50	.686
Danny Limes	23	1994-2016	391 <mark>(392)</mark>	201 (202)	.660 (.660)
Jeff Reneger	2	2017, 2018	20	30	.400
David Dee '84	1	2019	10	14	.417
Jordan Nagel	2	2020, 2021	26	21	.553
Team All time	62	1960-2021	860 <mark>(862)</mark>	663 <mark>(664)</mark>	.565