



COTY

U.S. Army Coach of the Year

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U.S. Army Coach of the Week Winners for Week 3

Boys' Basketball: Allerdice's Andre McDonald

Girls' Basketball: Upper St. Clair's Ernie Koontz

Wrestling: Kiski Area's Chuck Tursky

Army Coach of the Year campaign honors the best high school coaches in Pennsylvania

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HARRISBURG, PA – The U.S. Army Harrisburg Recruiting Battalion is proud to honor Pennsylvania's best high school coaches with the U.S. Army Coach of the Year program. The week three winners for the U.S. Army COTY in Pennsylvania include: Allerdice's Andre McDonald (boys' basketball); Upper St. Clair's Ernie Koontz (girls' basketball); and Kiski Area's Chuck Tursky (wrestling). As weekly winners, each coach is a finalist for the U.S. Army Coach of the Year for the respective sport.

U.S. Army Coach of the Year – Week Three Winners

<u>Boys' Basketball</u> Andre McDonald – Allerdice	Allerdice is the top-ranked team in the City League after improving to 7-2, 4-0 in league play after edging Obama Academy, 53-52.
<u>Girls' Basketball</u> Ernie Koontz – Upper St. Clair	Koontz won his 500 th career game as Upper St. Clair knocked off Hollidaysburg, 60-47.
<u>Wrestling</u> Chuck Tursky – Kiski Area	Tursky won his 449 th wrestling match in Kiski Area's 60-14 win over Burrell. The win set the WPIAL-record for coaching wins, surpassing former Connellsville head coach Tom Dolde, Sr., who finished his career with 448 victories.

The 2011 Army Coach of the Year campaign is part of the U.S. Army Harrisburg Recruiting Battalion's 2011 Army STRONG Tour, which includes the Army Iron Man campaign, the Army STRONG Wrestler of the Year, and the Army Rivalry Tour. For more info, please call TSF Radio Network's Mike Sinnott at (517) 927-4570.

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