



July 28, 2019

To: Crown Point Businesses

My name is John Meyer, President of Meyer Broadcasting Corporation. I have been a businessman in Crown Point for the past 47 years as the founder of FM radio station WFLM, 103.9 that later became WWJY. After I sold the station in the mid-1990s, I formed a network of Internet radio stations.

**USA-365.com** and **Indiana-Sports.com** feature Crown Point High School sports. **TheBreez.com** features easy listening and instrumentals and vocals. **TheSeaBreez.com** features an all easy vocal format. **WFLM.us** features a vintage beautiful music format that was common in the 1970s. **Musical-Memories.com** showcases the standards and easy listening music of the 1950s and early 1960s. **TheBigBandEra.com** features music with a Big Band feel, including Swing and Jazz from the 1940's and today!

We have been carrying Crown Point football and basketball for the past 16-years on USA-365.com, and we were the only local broadcast outlet to carry all of the Crown Point Girls Softball 2017 playoff games up to and through their 2-1 state championship title game over Avon in Indianapolis. That was a privilege that we do not take lightly. Today we ask for your financial support to enable us to carry on our tradition of excellence as we begin our 2019-2020 Crown Point High School sports seasons.

Our play-by-play team consists of Dave Woodworth, Mark Smith and Frank Sprankle.

We have a variety of commercial packages designed to fit your budget in promoting your business and Crown Point High School sports. Frank Sprankle will be happy to stop by and explain our various packages and how you can a part of something special this school year in promoting our student athletes and driving more customers to your business. Please call Frank Sprankle at (219) 781-6970 or e-mail <a href="mailto:usa365@ameritech.net">usa365@ameritech.net</a> to request a sales advertising quote.

We are the only broadcast facility that exclusively carries every Crown Point high school football game and a heavy schedule of winter basketball and spring baseball and softball games. We look forward to working with you to help promote the youth of our community.

Sincerely,

John Meyer, President

Meyer Broadcasting Corporation

## Internet Radio & Website Underwriting Opportunities



### Baseball/Softball-only Full Sponsor **Package**

20+ game mix of boys and girls high school regular season games plus the entire tournament through the state title game, Apr. 13 – June 30, 2020, as long as local teams remain in tournament play.

5 x : 30-second sponsorship announcement per 2 x : 30-second sponsorship announcement per game, plus open & close Billboard.

Sponsor Page mention on USA-365.com/Indiana-Sports.com web site

Season Package Price: \$300.00

Avg. cost per spot = \$2.14(Minimum of 140 on-air announcements)

## Football-only Full Sponsor Package

9-week regular high school season plus the entire tournament through the state title game, Aug. 23 - Nov. 30, 2019.

5 x:30-second sponsorship announcement per game, plus open & close Billboard.

Football Sponsor Page mention on Indiana-Sports.com web site

Bonus "Banner" ad space on Indiana-Sports.com web site

Season Package Price: \$400.00

Avg. cost per spot = \$5.71(Minimum of 70 on-air announcements)

# Baseball/Softball-only Partial Sponsor **Package**

20+ game mix of boys and girls high school regular season games plus the entire tournament through the state title game, Apr. 13 – June 30, 2020, as long as local teams remain in tournament play.

game, plus open & close Billboard.

Sponsor Page mention on USA-365.com/Indiana-Sports.com web site

Season Package Price: \$200.00

Avg. cost per spot = \$2.50(Minimum of 80 on-air announcements)

#### Football-only Partial Sponsor Package

9-week regular high school season plus the entire tournament through the state title game, Aug. 23 - Nov. 30, 2019.

2 x:30-second commercial spots per game plus open & close Billboard.

Football Sponsor Page mention on Indiana-Sports.com web site

Bonus "Banner" ad space on Indiana-Sports.com web site

Season Package Price: \$250.00

Avg. cost per spot = \$6.25(Minimum of 40 on-air announcements)



#### Basketball-only Full Sponsor Package

12+ game mix of boys and girls high school regular season games plus the entire tournament through the state title game, Jan. 1 – Mar. 31, 2020, as long as local teams remain in tournament play.

5 x : 30-second sponsorship announcement per game, plus open & close Billboard.

Basketball Sponsor Page mention on Indiana-Sports.com web site

Bonus "Banner" ad space on Indiana-Sports.com web site

Season Package Price: \$300.00

Avg. cost per spot = \$3.06 (Minimum of 98 on-air announcements)

#### Basketball-only Partial Sponsor Package

12+ game mix of boys and girls high school regular season games plus the entire tournament through the state title game, Jan. 1 – Mar. 31, 2020, as long as local teams remain in tournament play.

2 x : 30-second commercial spots per game plus open & close Billboard.

Basketball Sponsor Page mention on Indiana-Sports.com web site

Bonus "Banner" ad space on Indiana-Sports.com web site

Season Package Price: \$200.00

Avg. cost per spot = \$3.57 (Minimum of 56 on-air announcements)

# Indiana-Sports.com Small Business Sponsor Package

This package is especially geared to small businesses who wish to sponsor Crown Point High School sports coverage on Indiana-Sports.com, but who may have a limited budget. Sponsors are wanted to underwrite weekly football stories, photo spreads, weekly polls and weekly picks during the 2019-2020 high school sports seasons. Recurring features:

- "The Renegade" Northwest Indiana "Magnificent-7" Polls
- Mark Smith's Weekly Football Picks
- Weekly Preview stories of Crown Point and Lowell High School Football
- Weekly recap stories, statistics, photos of Mark Smith's game of the week.
- Two (2) x :15 sec. "live reads" per game of sponsor copy during Internet radio broadcasts.

Business or individual sponsors can underwrite one feature per week for one low season package price: \$100.00 per season or \$300 for the entire school year! (Includes banner ad on each story page). Add a second weekly feature by Mark Smith and/or other Indiana-Sports staff writers for an additional \$50.00 for the full 3-1/2 month football season with option to continue through the winter and spring sports seasons at comparable rates. Avg. cost per week = \$5.77 to \$9.24.



#### Indiana-Sports.com's area of focus:



South Lake County — Northwest Indiana.

**Underwriting sponsorships** now being accepted for Crown Point High School Football, boys & girls' basketball, baseball and softball.

**Bonus exposure:** Sponsors' in-stream audio ads will appear within mp3 podcasts available for free listener downloads and playback on demand from our Indiana-Sports.com web site.

**Web banners**, audio streaming spots and links to your web site are all part of Indiana-Sports' media package.

#### **Custom Sponsorship Packages**

(i.e., 1 to 10 games) are available for High School football, boys and girls basketball, baseball and softball. Ask an Indiana-Sports.com Marketing Consultant for details. E-Mail us at <a href="mailto:uSA365@Ameritech.net">USA365@Ameritech.net</a>.

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# **Our Mission:**

To present positive coverage of local high school sports, highlight exemplary student athletes and excellence in sports achievements by building business partnerships throughout our greater community in South Lake County, Indiana. Our focus is on Crown Point High School, and secondarily to other high schools in the Northwest Indiana area of Lake, Porter, LaPorte, Jasper and Newton Counties.

# About Indiana-Sports.com

Now entering our 16<sup>th</sup> year of Internet radio play-by-play coverage of Crown Point Bulldogs High School Football, we have previously streamed under our name of USA-365.com. Over the years we have added coverage of Crown Point H.S. boys and girls basketball in the winter and baseball and softball in the spring.

We are the only local sports media team to have covered all Crown Point High School football games, both home and away dating back to the 2004 season.

Indiana-Sports.com plans to again cover all Crown Point Bulldogs football games in 2019, along with a heavy schedule of the CP boys' and girls' basketball games in 2019-2020, along with balanced schedule of baseball and girls softball games in spring 2020.





### Our Team:

John Meyer, founder of WFLM-WWJY-103.9 FM, Crown Point (1972-1994), and founder/ President of Indiana-Sports.com/USA-365.com, TheBreez.com, TheSeaBreez.com, and WFLM.com – all services of Meyer Broadcasting Corp. (1999-Present).

David Woodworth, Operations Manager of Meyer Multimedia Services / Meyer Broadcasting Corp. and Executive Producer of USA-365.com and Indiana-Sports.com (2000-Present). Served as board operator

and sports producer and news reporter at several radio stations in NW Indiana and the south suburbs, including WWJY-Crown Point, WCGO-Chicago Heights and WJOB- Hammond.

Mark Smith, sports writer/photographer, providing newspaper coverage of South Lake County High School sports dating back to the late 1980s and with USA-365.com/Indiana-Sports.com (2002-Present). Mark has hosted numerous sports talk programs, including "Speaking of Sports" on WWJY-Crown Point, and co-hosted a weekly television sports program on WYIN-Channel 56



Frank Sprankle, sports announcer and sales representative for USA-365.com/Indiana-Sports.com (2012 –Present). Frank has been a life-long sports fan, and is especially a fan of the Chicago Cubs. He has a passion for calling play-by-play sports, and his on-air enthusiasm for the game is classic. He is also a life-long resident of the region, and currently lives in Schererville.

# Indiana-Sports.com Sports (Football only) Sales Agreement

This is an Agreement betwee		alled "Sponsor" and		
Meyer Broadcasting Corp. ("Broadcaster" and operator of Indiana-Sports.com				
and TheBreeze.com Internet Radio services) dated this day of				
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Full Sponsor Football-only Season Package: \$400	This Includes:	Game Coverage:		
Includes all post-season tournament games as long as local teams are still in tournament play.	5 x :30-second sponsorship announcement per game, plus open & close Billboard. "Banner" ad space on Indiana- Sports.com web site	9-week regular high school football season plus up to 6 post-season tournament games, Aug. 23 – Nov. 30, 2019.  Avg. cost per spot = \$5.71		
Partial Sponsor Football-only	This Includes:	Game Coverage:		
Season Package: \$250  Includes all post-season tournament games as long as local teams are still in tournament play.	2 x :30-second commercial spots per game plus open & close Billboard.  "Banner" ad space on Indiana-Sports.com web site	9-week regular high school football season plus up to 6 post-season tournament games, Aug. 23 – Nov. 30, 2019.  Avg. cost per spot = \$6.25		
Indiana-Sports com All Seasons	Check v/ recurring feature			
Indiana-Sports.com All Seasons Website Sponsor Package: \$100.00 or \$150.00  Check √ seasons to be underwritten for stories by Mark Smith:  2019 Football season  2019-20 Basketball Season  2020 Softball & Baseball  2020 Summer Leagues  In return for said service Sponsor	Check √ recurring feature to be sponsored:  The Renegade "Magnificent 7" Northwest Indiana Sports Polls  Mark Smith's Weekly Football Picks  Weekly Preview stories of Crown Point and Lowell High School Football  Weekly recap stories, statistics and photos of Mark Smith's game of the week.  agrees that payments are to be meaning to the sponsored to the sponsore	Check √ all that will apply:  Underwrite one web story per week for \$100 per season.  Underwrite two web stories per week by Mark Smith and/or other Indiana-Sports staff writers for \$150 per season. (Both options include banner ad on each story page).  Continue through the winter, spring and summer sports seasons at comparable rates.		
In return for said service, Sponsor agrees that payments are to be made payable to "Meyer Broadcasting Corp." as follows: First Payment Amount: Due Date: Balance to be invoiced: for entire season; monthly (check one).				
Sponsor Name:	Sponsor Contact:			
Business Address:	City:	State:		
Phone:	Cell: Fax	K:		
E-mail:				
PACKAGE: TOTAL AMOUNT: I agree to the Indiana-Sports.com sports sales terms and purchase agreement:				
Signature:	Date:			

# Indiana-Sports.com Sports (Basketball only) Sales Agreement

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Meyer Broadcasting Corp. ("Broadcaster" and operator of Indiana-Sports.com			
and TheBreeze.com Internet Radio services) dated this day of			
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Full Sponsor Basketball-only Season Package: \$300	This Includes:	Game Coverage:	
Season Package. \$300	6 x :30-second sponsorship	12 regular high school	
Includes all post-season tournament	announcement per game, plus	basketball games plus all post-	
games as long as local teams are still	open & close Billboard.	season tournament games, as	
in tournament play.	"Banner" ad space on Indiana-	long as the Bulldogs are still in tournament play, Jan. 1 – Mar.	
	Sports.com web site	31, 2020.	
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Partial Sponsor Basketball-only	This Includes:	Avg. cost per spot = \$3.06 <b>Game Coverage:</b>	
Season Package: \$200	This Includes.	Gaine Coverage.	
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Includes all post-season tournament	spots per game plus open &	basketball games plus all post-	
games as long as local teams are still in tournament play.	close Billboard.	season tournament games, as long as the Bulldogs are still in	
in tournament play.	"Banner" ad space on Indiana-	tournament play, Jan. 1 – Mar.	
	Sports.com web site	31, 2020.	
		Avg. cost per spot = \$3.57	
Indiana-Sports.com All Seasons Website Sponsor Package:	Check √ recurring feature to be sponsored:	Check √ all that will apply:	
\$100.00 or \$150.00	to be sponsored.	Underwrite one web	
·	The Renegade	story per week for \$100 per	
<b>Check</b> √ seasons to be underwritten	"Magnificent 7" Northwest	season.	
for stories by Mark Smith:	Indiana Sports Polls	Underwrite two web	
2019 Football season	Mark Smith's Weekly	stories per week by Mark Smith	
	Football Picks	and/or other Indiana-Sports	
2019-20 Basketball Season	Weekly Preview stories of	staff writers for \$150 per	
2020 Softball & Baseball	Crown Point and Lowell High	season. (Both options include banner ad on each story page).	
	School Football		
2020 Summer Leagues	<b></b>	Continue through the	
	Weekly recap stories, statistics and photos of Mark	winter, spring, summer and fall sports seasons at comparable	
	Smith's game of the week.	rates.	
In return for said service, Sponsor agrees that payments are to be made payable to "Meyer			
Broadcasting Corp." as follows: First Payment Amount: Due Date:			
Balance to be invoiced: for entire season; monthly (check one).			
Sponsor Name:	Sponsor Contact:		
Business Address:	City:	State:	
Phone:	Cell: Fax	ς:	
E-mail:			
PACKAGE:	PACKAGE: TOTAL AMOUNT:		
I agree to the Indiana-Sports.com sports sales terms and purchase agreement:			
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Signature:	Date:		