## 1982 BOYS' BASKETBALL TEAM

The 1982 Portage High School boys' basketball team was coached by Howard Ochs and captured the first state basketball championship for PHS. The boys' basketball team finished their championship season with a 23-2 record and won their final 20 games in a row. During the regional and sectional games, no team came within 10 points of the '82 Warriors. Then at the state tournament, Portage disposed of their opponents in convincing fashion, first defeating Milton, 67-49 before capturing the WIAA Class B Championship with a 58-39 victory over Valders. Coach Ochs was inducted into the Wisconsin Basketball Coaches Hall of Fame in 2003.