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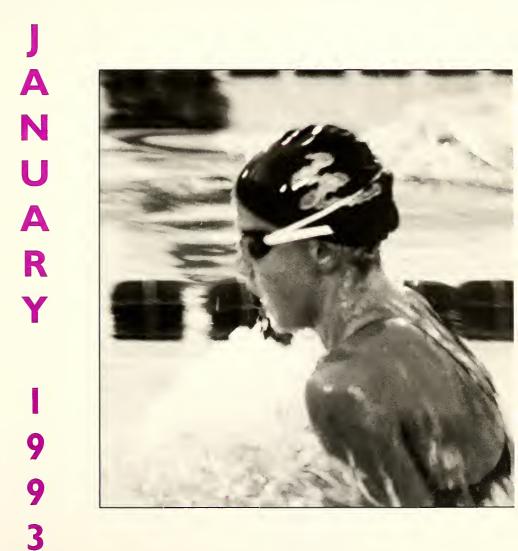
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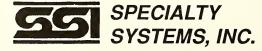
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Basketball Stat Reports Trickle In



By Brooks Downing

KHSAA Sports Information Director What will it take to increase each school's involvement with statistics reporting for basketball? Letters and report forms were sent to each athletic director in the state during December with complete information as to when the reports were due each

week. AND, it stated that these reports were mandatory, in order to ensure the most accurate compilation of results the state has ever seen.

Yet, after the first week that the reports were due -- the beginning of January -- showed only a return rate of less than 30 percent. Not good for a mandatory report due each week.

This past football season was my first opportunity to deal with each school for statistic reports. An average of 75 were returned each week out of 208 schools participating. Again, how can accurate results be compiled with less half the schools reporting?

In basketball, there are over 270 schools participating in both boys' and girls' hoops. Yet, only around 80 were returned in each sport.

How can coaches expect us to give the statewide media the most accurate information when nearly 200 schools refuse to participate? What happens next season when a composite basketball schedule book is compiled? Will less than 1/3 of the schools be listed?

Sure, coaches are busy trying to prepare their daily class schedule along with all the duties of coaching. Time is limited. But statistics keeping can be assigned to a manager, a parent/booster or just a close friend of the program. Good help is out there.

So if you haven't sent in a report sheet this season, get started today. Records are irrelevant. The reports are mandatory!

Just fill out the report sheet the beginning of each week and fax to the KHSAA by Wednesday afternoon at 606-293-5999. Or if your school is fax-less, drop it in the mail on Tuesday. The reports are compiled each Thursday and released through The Associated Press statewide.

If you have any questions, please give us a call. We're here to help. And to those schools that have sent in reports each week, keep up the good work!

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Open Dates And Jobs A full page of open dates, mastly football, and several head coaching vacancies too.



Henry Clay standout and United States Olympian Megan Kleine is preparing for the State Swim Meet to be held February 19-20 at the Lancaster Aquatics Center on the University of Kentucky campus. Kleine, a senior, won a gold medal on the relay team in Barcelona last summer.

Photo credit to the Kleine family.

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4 #ATHLETE Minutes of the December Board Meeting

DECEMBER 4, 1992

The Board of Control of the Kentucky High School Athletic Association met at the Executive Inn, Louisville, Ky. on Friday, Dec. 4, 1992. The meeting was called to order by President Jack Portwood at 8 a.m. with all Board members present. Also present were Commissioner Billy Wise, Exec, Asst, Louis Stout, Assistant Commissioners Brigid DeVries and Larry Boucher. Business Manager Julian Tackett, S.I.D. Brooks Downing, Board Attorney Danny Reeves and State Board of Education representative Gary Faulkner. The invocation was given by Larry Boucher.

Ray Story made a motion, seconded by Alvis Johnson, that the minutes of the Oct. 16-17, 1992 meeting of the Board be approved. The motion passed unanimously.

Ozz Jackson moved to approve the minutes of the Nov. 16 meeting of the East Eligibility Committee. Alvis Johnson seconded the motion which passed unanimously.

Following a discussion of the Oct. I through Nov. 30 bills, Frank Welch made a motion to accept. Frank Cardwell seconded the motion which passed unanimously. A discussion was then held regarding the 1992-93 Working Budget through Nov. 30. No action was taken.

The first item on the Agenda was a presentation by Mr. George Unseld, Director of Academics/ Activities/Athletics of Jefferson County Schools, who asked to speak to the Board regarding the 1992 District #12 Soccer Tournament. Following his presentation, and questions and comments by the Board, James Sexton made a motion that the Board of Control support the Commissioner as he acted in good faith in his decision based on the Tournament Rules. However, the Board of Control directed Commissioner Wise to write a letter

of reprimand to Walden School. Grant Talbott seconded the motion which passed by a vote of 10-1 and one abstention (Ray Story). Alvis Johnson then made a motion, seconded by Ray Story, that the Board postpone Mr. Unseld's request to allow seeding in Soccer until January when the Board has had an opportunity to look at seeding in all sports. The motion passed 11-1.

Mr. Boucher showed the Board members personalized nylon bags and certificates which the Officials' Division is awarding to all state tournament officials.

President Portwood then called on Jerry Mayes, Jim Komara, and Jim Watkins, representatives of the KHSADA, to make a presentation of a draft of the Kentucky Coaches' Certification Program. Following a lengthy discussion of the proposal, Stan Steidel made a motion that the Board ask the State Training/ Certification Program Committee to proceed with the program. The Committee was asked to seek reaction from the State Board of Education for flexible in-service credit, and to come back to the Board with their recommendations and input. Ozz Jackson seconded the motion which passed 11-1.

Commissioner Wise then discussed with the Board a proposal presented by TeleCable offering to create a scholarship fund through advertising revenues to be used at the discretion of the KHSAA. Grant Talbott made a motion that the Board allow the Commissioner to proceed with the details of the proposal. Frank Welch seconded the motion which passed 7-4.

The next items presented by Commissioner Wise were requests by Nelson County and Bardstown high schools to waive By-Law 30, Post Season and All-Star Games, due to the fact that athletes from both schools participated on a church team. Frank Cardwell made a motion, seconded by Grant Talbott, that the Board waive By-Law 30 for the athletes in question and that they be placed on probation for the remainder of the 1992-93 school year. The motion passed unanimously.

President Portwood then called on Frank Cardwell, Chairman of the All-Sports Committee for their report. Items discussed by the Committee were 1) golf re-alignment: 2) cross country and track realignments: 3) red card penalty for soccer; 4) training for soccer officials, and S) soccer clinic attendance. Following Mr. Cardwell's report, he recommended no action be taken on items 1, 2 & S at the present time. Gene Brooks made a motion, seconded by Ozz Jackson, that item 4 be mandated — that the KHSAA provide training for soccer officials at their own expense and officials not attending the training session will not be considered to work postseason tournaments. This motion passed unanimously. Frank Welch moved, seconded by Kathy Hopper, that item 3 be approved as recommended by the All-Sports Committee — if a soccer player receives a yellow card, he/she is out for game; one red card, out for one game; two red cards, out for three games; and three red cards, out for the season. The motion passed unanimously.

Stan Steidel, Chairman of the Basketball Committee was then called on for his committee's report. Claudia Hicks made a motion that the following items be accepted as recommended by the committee: 1) that the Board check with the local policy boards for input as to the assignment of district and regional officials; and 2) that the Basketball Committee initiate a study to establish fairness through the regions as it relates to the number of teams. Ozz Jackson seconded the motion which passed by a vote of 9-2.

Ray Story, Chairman of the Football Committee then gave his

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committee's report. Among the items for discussion were 1) conduct a survey to change to a four-team playoff system; 2) play the championship games in a single day; 3) study change in the classification system; 4) request for Pulaski County and Pulaski County Southern to be placed in Class AAA, Reg. IV, Dist. I for the 1993 season; and 5) request for Grant County to be placed in Class AAA, Reg. III, Dist. 2 for the 1993 season; and 6) eliminate the 10% enrollment clause in item C of the Rules and Regulations Governing Football Championships. Ray Story moved to accept items 4 and 5 as presented. Grant Talbott seconded the motion which passed unanimously.

Alvis Johnson, Chairman of the Constitution & By-Laws Committee, presented proposed changes for presentation and approval of the State Board for Elementary and Secondary. Proposals were made in By-Laws 4, 6, 8, 10, 11, 23, 25, 27, 28, 31 and 33. Stan Steidel made a motion to approve the proposed changes in the above by-laws as presented by the Constitution & By-Laws Committee. Grant Talbott seconded the motion which passed unanimously.

The Board also proposes the following addition to By-Law 4 as required to implement HB 750: Beginning with the 1994-95 school year, no student enrolled in grade 8 or below shall be eligible to participate in varsity wrestling, soccer or football. (R/I - The provisions of this by-law shall not apply to junior varsity or freshman teams participating in these sports.) Stan Steidel moved to adopt the above by-law with the justification as written by legal counsel. Frank Cardwell seconded the motion which passed unanimously.

The following Basketball Tournament Report was given: Boys ticket sales through this date: \$411,368. Girls ticket sales through this date: \$31,576.

It was reported that the boys' ticket sales and the girls' ticket sales were ahead of last year.

Stan Steidel moved to go into Executive Session to discuss legal matters. Alvis Johnson seconded the motion which passed. Following a closed session, Stan Steidel moved to return to Open Session, seconded by Gene Brooks. Motion passed. The Board took no action.

Following a discussion of the catastrophic insurance, Stan Steidel made a motion, seconded by Alvis Johnson, that the Board authorize legal counsel to write a letter to the Insurance Commissioner for the State of Kentucky in regard to the coverage issue and advise him of potential non-payment of claims. The motion passed unanimously.

Alvis Johnson moved to recess until Saturday, December 5 at 9:00 a.m. Stan Steidel seconded the motion which failed 6-6. President Portwood then called for a short recess.

Following the recess, Commissioner Wise discussed with Board members proposals submitted by member schools which are to be considered by the 1993 Delegate Assembly. Topics included in the

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proposals are: a) Board members, except for minority Board members, shall be high school administrators; b) change in filing deadline for proposed changes to the Constitution and/or By-Laws; c) member schools to be divided into two divisions — public and private; and d) change in By-Law 6, Section 2, Foreign Exchange Students. These proposals will be submitted to the State Department and to legal counsel before placement on the Agenda to insure compliance with state laws and the Federal Court Decree.

Exec. Asst. Stout advised the Board that the staff is compiling data from other state associations regarding AIDS and will have this project completed in the near future.

Stan Steidel moved to delay a decision on an appeal from Owensboro High School until the January meeting. Ozz Jackson seconded the motion which passed unanimously.

The next meeting of the Board will be held in Louisville at the Executive Inn on Friday, Jan. 15 and Saturday, Jan. 16.

There being no further business, Alvis Johnson moved to adjourn. Ray Story seconded, which passed.



In the December issue of *The Athlete*, Casey County should have been listed in the 45th basketball district, not the 48th. The KHSAA regrets any confusion this error may have created. The correct alignment for both districts is as follows:

> 45th District Boyle County Casey County Danville Ky. School f/t Deaf Lincoln County

48th District North Laurel Pulaski County Somerset South Laurel

6 #ATHLETE TARGET Goal -- Drug Free Activities

During the school year, parties and activities without alcohol and other drugs should be a priority for young people nationwide.

This is evident from statistics in 1990 from the National Highway Traffic Safety Administration that show of the more than 43 percent of all 16- to 20-year-olds who died as a result of motor vehicle crashes, an estimated 48.3 percent of the fatalities were alcohol-related.

When young people use alcohol or other drugs, clear thinking regarding sexual behaviors may fail. The May 1992 issue of **NEA Today** reported that the cumulative number of AIDS-diagnosed cases among 13- to 19-year-olds rose from 203 in 1987 to 789 in 1991. In 1996, AIDS will become the leading cause of death among 15- to 24-year-olds, according to the article.

School administrators need to play a key role in influencing policy development and providing support for student leaders. Student leaders can help other students set goals to resist the influences of alcohol and other drugs and reward safe and healthy behaviors. Parents must be willing to sponsor, chaperon or host drug-free social events. Adults should evaluate the signals they send young people who observe adults' reasons for drinking - to celebrate, to be sociable or to relax.

Be creative in planning activities. Here are examples:

* Involve students in the planning;

* Explore every conceivable angle to put together activities which will entice the majority;

* Establish budgets;

* Form fund-raising committees;

* Positively publicize the event;

Students respond well to settings which allow them to listen to music and leisurely enjoy being together without fear of having to participate in "silly" games or adhere to a long list of rules. They must understand, however, the edict against use of alcohol or other drugs while participating in the activity.

One such successful activity held for high school students in Manassas, Va., was called a "SOBAR," an alcohol-free evening held at a popular night spot. Creative advertising was used and advance tickets were sold to verify the numbers and names of those planning to attend. Soft drinks and finger foods were served.

A "lock-in" may also be a good idea. Where lock-ins have been successful, doors are open until 11 p.m. - midnight. Everyone in attendance after that time is locked in. Chaperons who really want to be there and wish to have fun contribute greatly to the success of this type of venture.

Bonfires, hay rides and barn dances have been successful in Storm Lake, lowa. Also popular is a party with a variety of activities including a volleyball tournament, movies and board games. The party is topped off with pizza and soft drinks.

For more information on planning safe holiday or year-round activities, TARGET offers Operation Prom/Graduation: A Student Planning Guide, available at no charge while quantities last.

Call (800) 366-6667.

State Loses Coaching Legends

Staff Report

Kentucky prep basketball was saddened this month by the loss of two great legends with the deaths of coaches Letcher Norton and John Bill Trivette. Norton died Dec. 29, 1992, at his home in Winchester. He was 78. Trivette died Jan. 3 at his home in Pikeville. He was 75. Both were inducted to the Dawahares/KHSAA Hall of Fame in 1988.

Norton played basketball at Clark County High School from 1930-31 and later coached for 14 years at the school. He also coached at Trapp High School in Clark County and at Charleston, Ind.

During his 23 years of coaching, Norton, a University of Kentucky graduate, recorded a mark of 603-140. He coached Clark County to the state championship in 1951 after a runner-up finish in 1950. His teams won 14 district championships, eight regional championships and finished third in the Sweet 16 in both 1952 and 'S8. His teams once won 39 consecutive games from 1950 through 1952. He was also named Coach of the Year three times. His plague in the Dawahares/KHSAA Hall of Fame contains this quote, "to have a winning tradition, I firmly believe in discipline,

pride and a love for the sport."

Trivette played basketball and baseball for Pikeville College Academy from 1932-35, but gained recognition nationwide as one of the innovators of basketball. He was largely responsible for developing the "diamond" press, known today as the full-court zone press. He coached at Pikeville for 16 years, recording a 427-126 mark between 1944-60. He was Coach of the year in 1957 when his team finished third in the Sweet 16. He once attributed his success to his players saying it "can be directly attributed to the quality of young people that I had the opportunity to coach." Trivette's son, Ken, now coaches at George Rogers Clark.

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1992-93 Wrestling Managers And Alignment

DISTRICT MANAGERS

Western Jefferson Steve Kinney, A.D. Fairdale High School 1001 Fairdale Rd. Fairdale, KY 40118

Central Jefferson Bruce Lynch, A.D. Trinity High School 4011 Shelbyville Rd. Louisville, KY 40207

East Jefferson Tom Cheaney Eastern High School 12400 Old Shelbyville Rd. Louisville, KY 40243

Northern Kentucky Wayne Badida Connor High School 3310 Cougar Path Hebron, KY 41048

Oldham County Larry Phillips, A.D. South Oldham High School P.O. Box S49-S90 Hwy. 329 Crestwood, KY 40014

Hardin County Gary Carter, A.D. LaRue County High School 911 S. Lincoln Blvd. Hodgenville, KY 42748

Western Kentucky Wilton Gant, A.D. Christian County High School 220 Glass Ave. Hopkinsville, KY 42240

Henry Clay Norman Powell Henry Clay High School 2100 Fontaine Rd. Lexington, KY 40502

REGIONAL MANAGERS

Woodford County/Lexington Steve Barnett, A.D. Woodford County High School Frankfort Rd. Versailles, KY 40383

North Hardin/Western Kentucky Roger Cook, A.D. North Hardin High School 801 S. Logsdon Pkwy Radcliffe, KY 40160

West/Central Jefferson Bruce Lynch A.D. Trinity High School 4011 Shelbyville Rd. Louisville, KY 40207

East Jefferson/Northern Kentucky Robert Stewart, A.D. Waggener High School 3305 Hubbards Lane Louisville, KY 40207

STATE FINALS MANAGERS

Larry Mann, Manager Kentucky School F/T Blind 1867 Frankfort Ave., Box 6005 Louisville, KY 40206

Sandy Callahan, Asst. Manager Atherton High School 3000 Dundee Rd. Louisville, KY 40205

1992-93 WRESTLING ALIGNMENT

West Jefferson: Doss, Fairdale, Pleasure Ridge Park, Shawnee, Southern, Valley, Western.

Central Jefferson: Atherton, DuPont Manual, Kentucky School F/T Blind, Moore, Seneca, St. Xavier, Trinity (Louisville). East Jefferson: Central, Eastern, Fern Creek, Jeffersontown, Kentucky Country Day, Waggener.

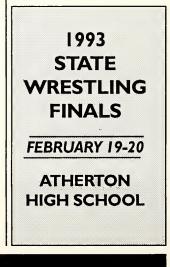
Northern Kentucky: Boone County, Campbell County, Conner, Dixie Heights, Holmes, Scott, Simon Kenton.

Oldham County: Boyle County, Danville, Frankfort, Franklin County, Jessamine County, Oldham County, South Oldham, Wayne County, Western Hills, Woodford County.

Henry Clay: Boyd County, Bryan Station, Paul Dunbar, Harrison County, Henry Clay, Johnson Central, Lafayette, McCreary Central, Oneida Baptist, Paul Blazer, Rowan County, Sheldon Clark, Tates Creek, West Carter, Whitley County.

Hardin County: Central Hardin, Fort Knox, North Hardin, LaRue County.

Western Kentucky: Caldwell County, Christian County, Fort Campbell, Hopkinsville, Lyon County, Paducah Tilghman, Union County, Webster County.



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News From The Tennis Committee Minutes

The State Tennis Committee met on Tuesday, Dec. 8, 1992, at the Kentucky High School Athletic Association Office in Lexington. Assistant Commissioner Brigid L. DeVries called the meeting to order at 1:30 p.m. Committee members present included Cliff Richardson, Rick Cotton, Jerry Johns, Terry Johnson, David Compton, Joe Kroh, Bob Duricko, Mary Robinson, Kathy Johnston, and Robert Hardin.

The first item on the agenda was a discussion of a standardized format for dual matches. It was recommended that a dual match consist of three singles and two doubles teams, with no players competing in both singles and doubles. However by mutual consent of the participating coaches any number of players could play in a dual match. This recommendation will be listed in the tennis information effective for the 1993 season.

The committee discussed several concerns outlined in a letter from Bob Stewart and the Jefferson County Tennis Coaches. A subcommittee was formed to study splitting boys and girls tennis into fall and spring seasons as well as an analysis of the number of qualifiers who advance to the State Tournament. Sub-committee members: Cliff Richardson, Richard Cotton and Rob Hardin will report back to the full Tennis Committee with their suggestions.

The first item on the agenda was a discussion of regional tournament sites. Suggestions were made by committee members with regards to the Regional Tournament Managers for regional sites not secured at this time. The dates of the Regional Tournaments are listed on the school calendar as the week of May 17, 1993. As in the past, May 15 & 16 may be used if necessary. All Regional Tournaments must be completed by May 23, 1993. The Committee reviewed the regional information that will be mailed to the schools and made some revisions.

The Committee discussed the current tie-break procedure for a three-way tie used in regional play. After a very lengthy analysis, it was decided that the regional draw from the 1992 Paris Regional Tournament be analyzed by committee members to see if any change is necessary. Kathy Johnston will report to the committee on this issue. It was decided that in the case of a threeway tie for second place, the tiebreaking procedure based on percentages would be applied. This procedure is the same as the second-place procedure now utilized for a two-way tie.

The next item on the Agenda was the State Tennis Tournament. The dates for the 1993 Tournament are June 3-S, 1993, and will be held at the University of Kentucky in Lexington. The committee reviewed the state information and made a few changes. The official ball for the State Tennis Tournament this year is the Wilson Tennis Ball.

The seeding committee for the state tournament was the next item for discussion. It was felt that the committee should continue to be representative of all areas of the state.

Joe Kroh gave a brief report on the Prince All-American Selections as well as the All-State selection process. The All-State selections will be made once again during the 1993 State Tennis Tournament. Coaches will receive a nomination form to be submitted at the coaches meeting prior to the state tournament. Bob Love will be the Chairman of the 1993 All-State Committee.

The committee reviewed the Constitution and By-Laws with respect to the Limitation of Seasons. It was noted that regular season play ends on the Saturday preceding regional tournament play.

The next item on the agenda was the development of Tennis guidelines for coaches. A subcommittee was formed previously to develop the guidelines. A draft was presented and given to committee members for them to make any additions or corrections. Committee members will mail these back in to the KHSAA Office no later than Jan. 8, 1993, so the guidelines can be finalized.

There being no further business the meeting was adjourned.

Coming Next Month The February ATHLETE • District and Regional Basketball Sites,

KAPOS Information,

· Results from the January Board of Control Meeting,

· Football Rules Changes for 1993,

· And much, much more!

Sportsmanship — No. 1 Priority TOTAL TEAM EFFORT IS NEEDED



COACHES

- Always set a good example for participants and fans to follow, exemplifying the highest moral and ethical behavior.
- Instruct participants in proper sportsmanship responsibilities and demand that they make sportsmanship the No. 1 priority.
- Respect judgment of contest officials, abide by rules of the event and display no behavior that could incite fans.
- Treat opposing coaches, participants and fans with respect. Shake hands with officials, opposing coach in public.
- Develop and enforce penalties for participants who do not abide by sportsmanship standards.

STUDENT PARTICIPANTS



- Treat opponents with respect; shake hands prior to and after contests.
- Respect judgment of contest officials, abide by rules of the contest and display no behavior that could incite fans.
- Cooperate with officials, coaches and fellow participants to conduct a fair contest.
- Accept seriously the responsibility and privilege of representing school and community; display positive public action at all times.
- Live up to the high standard of sportsmanship established by the coach.

PARENTS OTHER FANS

- Realize that a ticket is a privilege to observe a contest and support high school activities, not a license to verbally assault others or be generally obnoxious.
- Respect decisions made by contest officials.
- Be an exemplary role model by positively supporting teams in every manner possible, including content of cheers and signs.
- Respect fans, coaches and participants.
- BE A FAN . . . NOT A FANATIC.



SPIRIT GROUPS

- Stimulate desired crowd response using only positive cheers, signs and praise without antagonizing or demeaning opponents.
- Treat opposing spirit groups and fans with respect.
- Recognize outstanding performances on either side of the playing field or court.
- Know rules and strategies of the contest in order to cheer at proper times.
- Maintain enthusiasm and composure, serving as a role model.



OFFICIALS

- Accept role in an unassuming manner. Showboating and overofficiating are not acceptable.
- Maintain confidence and poise, controlling contest from start to finish.
- Know rules thoroughly and abide by established Code of Ethics.
- Publicly shake hands with coaches of both teams before contest.
- Never exhibit emotions or argue with participants and coaches when enforcing rules.

SCHOOL ADMINISTRATORS

- Develop a program for teaching and promoting the ideals and fundamentals of good sportsmanship within the school, the league/ conference and state.
- Provide appropriate supervisory personnel for each interscholastic event.
- Support participants, coaches and fans who teach and display good sportsmanship.
- Recognize exemplary behavior and actively discourage undesirable conduct by participants, coaches and fans.
- Attend events whenever possible.





NATIONAL FEDERATION MISSION STATEMENT

"The ideals of good sportsmanship, ethical behavior and integrity permeate our culture. The values of good citizenship and high behavioral standards apply equally to all activity disciplines. In perception and practice, good sportsmanship shall be defined as those qualities of behavior which are characterized by generosity and genuine concern for others. Further, an awareness is expected of the impact of an individual's influence on the behavior of others. Good sportsmanship is viewed by the National Federation as a concrete measure of the understanding and commitment to fair play, ethical behavior and integrity."

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Traditional Powers Win Football Titles

By Brooks Downing

LOUISVILLE -- While change may have been the basis of Bill Clinton's presidential campaign, it was not on the platform for the 1992 State Football Championships as traditional powers Beechwood, Danville, Highlands and St. Xavier took home the top prizes in each class.

The 34th annual edition of the state championships took place at Cardinal Stadium at the Kentucky Fair and Exposition Center.

Beechwood won its second straight Class A title by defeating Bardstown 21-14. Danville won its sixth state title, its fourth over Mayfield. The Admirals' latest triumph was delivered with a 24-point fourth quarter to secure a 34-7 victory. Danville has also won back-to-back Class AA titles.

Highlands, which appeared in the very first state championships in 1959, tied the state record of 11 state titles when it defeated Paducah Tilghman 15-6. Trinity has also won 11.

St. Xavier, which lost the Class 4A title to George Rogers Clark in '91, gained redemption this season by squeaking out a hard-fought 3-0 win over Boone County.

This may have been the most thrilling contest of the four. Neither team could generate much offense in the cool temperatures that were prevalent both days. Boone County's Dave Merlo mis-fired on a 34-yard field goal attempt late in the second quarter. Both teams went into the halftime scoreless.

At the start of the fourth quarter, Merlo's teammate Aaron Byrd knocked wide a 40-yard field goal attempt. But while Boone was 0-2 between the uprights, St. X had a try with 8:21 left. Tiger kicker Will Fishback nailed his only attempt, a 30-yarder, to give the Tigers their first title since defeating Boone County 27-14 in 1986.

Boone County dominated the

time of possession 29:47 to 18:13, but in the end, remained scoreless.

The Class 3A title game possessed the biggest highlight. Tilghman's star quarterback Billy Jack Haskins, and recently named Mr. Football, broke the state's career passing record when he finished with 178 yards on 8-24 passing and one TD. He finished his career with 6,741 yards, breaking the mark set by Clay County's Sean Pennington (6,655). But Haskins was victimized by three interceptions and the Blue Tornado did not score until their final possession as Haskins hit George Hamilton for a 6yard reception.

While Danville waited until the fourth quarter to get its offense untracked, Beechwood broke a 14-14 tie with 3:52 left when runningback Brad Wulfeck scampered into the endzone untouched with 3:52 remaining. Like last year, Brandon Berger led the Tigers charge on offense, rolling up 199 yards on 26 carries.

JOB OPENING

Kentucky State University Head Track and Cross Country Coach

Qualifications: Masters degree. Three years of collegiate coaching experience or seven years of high school coaching experience. Proven ability to recruit and retain academically and athletically qualified student-athletes. Working knowledge and understanding of NCAA policies/rules is a necessity. Demonstrated success as a head coach is required.

Responsibilities: Plan, organize and direct all activities relative to the track and cross country programs (recruiting, practice organization, budgeting, planning and coordinating team travel, scheduling).

Salary Range: \$20,000-\$23,000

Applications: Send letter of application, resume, graduate transcripts and three current letters of reference to:

D.W. Lyons Athletics Director Box 121 Kentucky State University Frankfort, KY 40601 **Deadline:** Applications will be accepted until position is filled.

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1993 Regional Swim Sites and Alignment

The 1993 State Swim Meet is scheduled for Feb. 19-20, 1993, at the Lancaster Aquatic Center on the campus of the University of Kentucky. Tim Cahill will manage the meet and both the girls' and boys' meets will be run simultaneously.

The schools are divided into the following regions:

Western Kentucky Region

Manager: Matt Rydson Site: Bowling Green High School

Girls: Apollo, Bethlehem, Bowling Green, Campbellsville, Central Hardin, Daviess County, Elizabethtown, Fort Campbell, Fort Knox, Franklin-Simpson, Heath, Henderson County, Hickman County, Hopkinsville, Lone Oak, Madisonville-North Hopkins, Marion County, Mayfield, Murray, North Hardin, Ohio County, Owensboro, Owensboro Catholic, Paducah Tilghman, Russellville, South Hopkins, St. Mary, Taylor County, University Heights

Boys: Apollo, Bethlehem, Bowling Green, Campbellsville, Central Hardin, Daviess County, Elizabethtown, Fort Campbell, Fort Knox, Franklin-Simpson, Heath, Henderson County, Hickman County, Hopkinsville, Lone Oak, Madisonville-North Hopkins, Marion County, Mayfield, Meade County, Murray, North Hardin, Owensboro, Owensboro Catholic, Paducah Tilghman, Russellville, South Hopkins, St. Mary, Taylor County, University Heights

Jefferson County Region

Manager: Marty O'Toole Site: Crescent Hill/St. Xavier High School

Girls: Assumption, Atherton, Ballard, Brown, Butler, Central, DuPont Manual, Doss, Eastern, Evangel, Fern Creek, Holy Cross, Holy Rosary, Ky. Country Day, Living Waters, Louisville Collegiate, Male, Oldham Co., Pleasure Ridge Park, Sacred Heart, Seneca, Shawnee, Shelby Co., South Oldham, St. Francis, Waggener Boys: Atherton, Ballard, Brown, Butler, Central, DeSales, Eastern, Evangel, Fern Creek, Ky. Country Day, Ky. School f/t Blind, Living Waters, Louisville Collegiate, Male, Oldham County, Pleasure Ridge Park, Seneca, Shawnee, Shelby County, South Oldham, St. Francis, St. Xavier, Trinity, Waggener

Central Kentucky Region

Manager: Tim Cahill Site: Eastern Kentucky University

Girls: Barbourville, Bourbon County, Bryan Station, Danville, Fairview, Frankfort, Franklin County, George Rogers Clark, Harrison County, Henry Clay, Jessamine County, Johnson Central, June Buchanan School, Ky. School f/t Deaf, Knott County Central, Knox Central, Lafayette, Lexington Catholic, Lexington Christian, Madison Central, Madison Southern, Model, Monticello, Oneida Baptist, Paris, Paul Dunbar, Sayre, Scott County, St. Camillus, Tates Creek, Western Hills, Woodford County, Woodbridge

Boys: Barbourville, Bourbon County, Bryan Station, Danville, Fairview, Frankfort, Franklin County, George Rogers Clark, Harrison County, Henry Clay, Jessamine County, Johnson Central, June Buchanan School, Ky. School f/t Deaf, Knott County Central, Knox Central, Lafayette, Lexington Catholic, Lexington Christian, Madison Central, Madison Southern, Model, Monticello, Oneida Baptist, Paris, Paul Dunbar, Russell, Sayre, Scott County, St. Camillus, Tates Creek, Western Hills, Woodford County, Woodbridge

Northern Kentucky Region

Manager: Dave Webb Site: Scott High School

Girls: Beechwood, Bellevue, Boone County, Boyd County, Campbell County, Conner, Dixie Heights, Highlands, Holmes, Holy Cross, Lloyd Memorial, Newport Central Catholic, Notre Dame, Paul Blazer, St. Henry, Scott, Simon Kenton, Villa Madonna

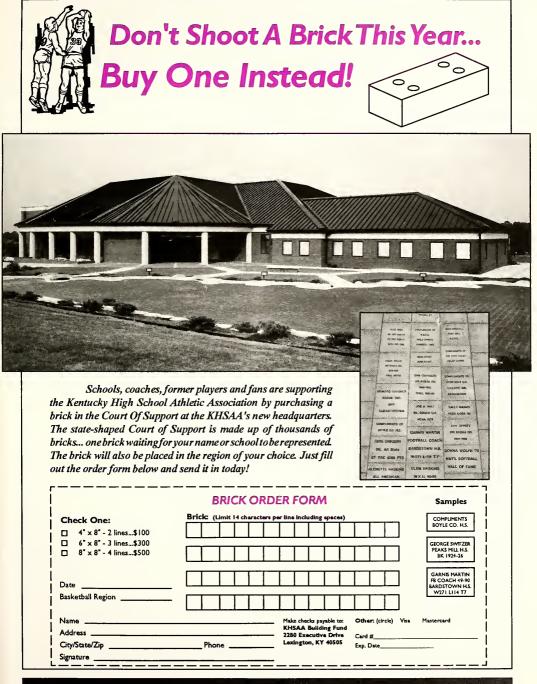
Boys: Beechwood, Bellevue, Boone County, Boyd County, Campbell County, Conner, Covington Catholic, Covington Latin, Dixie Heights, Highlands, Holmes, Holy Cross, Lloyd Memorial, Newport, Newport Central Catholic, Paul Blazer, Scott, Simon Kenton

NATIONAL GIRLS AND WOMEN IN SPORTS DAY CHECKLIST

Celebrate February 4, 1993 "Breaking Barriers"

The following is a list of ways for high schools across Kentucky to become involved in Girls and Women in Sports Day. Support your athletes this year by sponsoring one fo the following:

- PLAN a special event to recognize girls in sports
- PUBLICIZE GWS Day events (posters, newspaper articles, radio announcements)
- CONTACT your sports booster club and ask for its support
- ORGANIZE a Girls' and Womens' Sports Day Committee of faculty and student representatives.
- SPOTLIGHT an interscholastic event, attempt to have a sellout crowd, hold a raffle, conduct a poster or slogan contest, invite prominent community leaders to speak.



FOOTBALL

BALLARD Oct. 8/9, 1993 Contact Jim Reuther, A.D. (502) 473-8610

BARDSTOWN Sept. 3, 1993 (home) Sept. 10, 1993 (home) Contact Joey Downs (502) 348-1694

BELFRY Oct. 1, 1993 Oct. 29, 1993 Contact Coach Phillip Haywood (606) 353-7239

BREATHITT COUNTY Oct. 8, 1993 Contact Mike Holcomb (606) 666-8406

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CENTRAL HARDIN Sept. 17, 1993 Contact Kenny Lane, A.D. (502) 737-6800

CHRISTIAN COUNTY Oct. 22, 1993 Contact Wilton C. Gant, A.D. (502) 887-1100

CLAY COUNTY Sept. 3, 1993 Oct. 8, 1993 Oct. 29, 1993 Contact Coach Eugene Hensley (606) 598-3737

CORBIN Sept. 17, 1993 Sept. 24, 1993 Contact Curt Hart/Cotton Adams (606) 528-3902

CUMBERLAND Sept. 24, 1993 Contact Coach Randy Frazier (606) 589-4625

EVARTS Sept. 17, 1993 Oct. 8, 1993 Contact Coach Bill Cole (606) 837-2502

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GEORGE ROGERS CLARK Oct. 22, 1993 Contact Herb Goodman, A.D. (606) 744-6111

GREEN COUNTY Sept. 3, 1993 Contact Jerry Cowherd/Nelson Moore (502) 932-7481

HAZARD Aug. 27, 1993 Sept. 3, 1993 Sept. 10, 1993 Oct. 8, 1993 Contact Coach Paul Rains (606) 436-3711 or 436-5789

LEWIS COUNTY Oct. 22, 1993 (needs away) Contact Gary Kidwell (606) 796-2823

MONTGOMERY COUNTY Aug. 27, 1993 Contact Lowell King, A.D. (606) 497-8765 or 498-6123

NICHOLAS COUNTY Sept. 24, 1993 Oct. 15, 1993 Contact Ron Baker, A.D. (606) 289-3780

OLDHAM COUNTY Sept. 10, 1993 Oct. 22, 1993 Contact Talbott Allen, A.D. (502) 222-9461

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WEBSTER COUNTY Oct. 29, 1993 Contact Tom Cummings (502) 639-5092

WILLIAMSBURG Aug. 27, 1993 Contact Robert Rose (606) 549-6047

OUT OF STATE TEAMS

ALTON MARQUETTE, III. (near St. Louis) Class AA Sept. 17 or 18, 1993 Contact John Watters (618) 463-0583

BEN DAVIS -- Indianapolis Oct. 7, 1994 Oct. 6, 1995 Contact Bob Britt (317) 244-5852 CINCINNATI MOELLER Sept. 24/25, 1993 Contact Dick Beermann (513) 792-3340

DAWSON BRYANT, Ohio (near Ashland) Class AA Oct. 29, 1993 Sept. 2, 23, 30, 1994 Sept. 1, 22, 29, 1995 Contact Dave Waller, A.D. (614) 532-5833

GALLATIN, Tenn. Class 5A Aug. 27, 1993 Contact Coach Short 615-451-5291 or 451-5292

HENRY COUNTY, Tenn. (1,400 students) Oct. 1, 1993 Contact James Counce (901) 642-5232

LEBANON, Tenn. (Near Nashville) Class 5A Sept. 24, 1993 Contact Steve Malone (615) 444-9610

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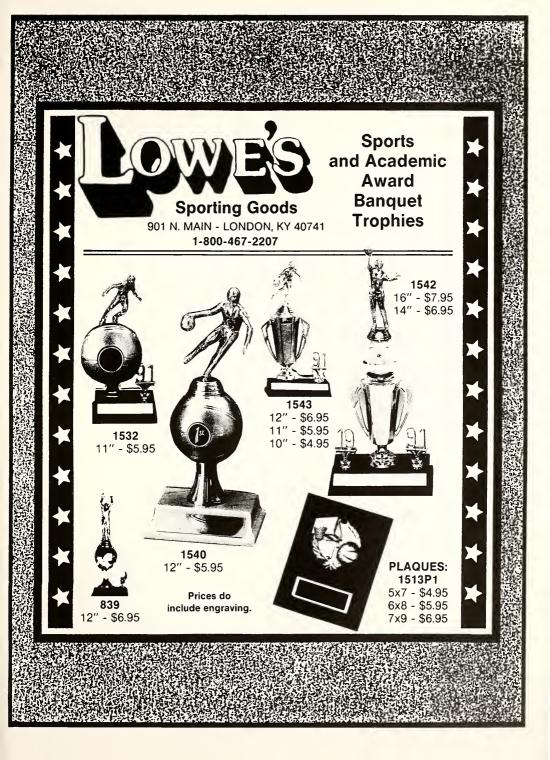
MIDDLETOWN, Ohio Sept. 3 or 4, 1993 (will sign 2 yrs; home then away) Contact Buddy Moore (513) 420-4515

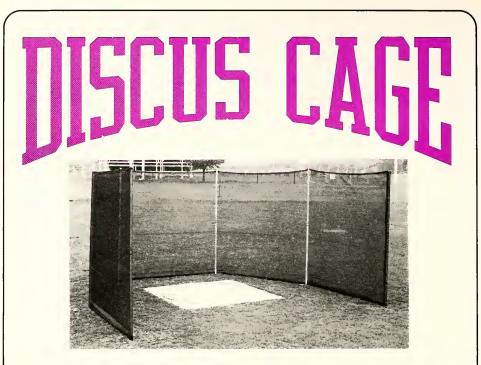
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