## Annual St. Jude's Bike-a-tnon is saturday at KC Elementary, story inside on page 3

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# Who let the dogs out ??? 

Coach Lynn Lierly's Greyhounds snarl, bite Perrin's Pirates, 20-7


GREYHOUND PRIDE performed at the half during the game last Friday night between Knox City and Perrin-Whitt High School. Playing to a full stadium for Homecoming 2000, Mark Tucker's Knox City High School Band did a magnificant job with their routines and helped to keep the crowd pumped up throughout the game.


NAMED 'FOOTBALL HERO' during last Friday night's pre-game Homecoming 2000 ceremonies, Jeffrey Hernandez is shown here with his mother, Elda Gaddis.


NAMED 'BAND SWEETHEART ' during last Friday night's pregame Homecoming 2000 ceremonies, Crystal Wallace is shown

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NAMED 'FOOTBALL SWEETHEART' during last Friday night's pre game Homecoming 2000 ceremonies was Audrey Lankford, shown with parents, Irene andDavid Lankford.


NAMED 'BAND BEAU' during last Friday night's pre-game Home coming 2000 ceremonies, Erik Rocha is shown here with his father Mague Rocha.

Homecoming game against Perrin Whitt was a big win for KC

The Knox City Greyhound Varsity Football Team played their hearts out last Friday night and won a hard fought victory to please a full stadium of Homecoming 2000 fans.
Fired up throughout the game, the Greyhound defense dominated Perrin Whitt High School, allowing the Pirates only one touchdown. Led by Senior Justin Vasquez, the defensive unit showed their aggressive side by holding Perrin to 120 yards rushing and 87 yards through the air on 22 attempts. On the offensive side of the ball, Knox City rushed for 145 yards on 27 carries, while Sophomore Quarterback Sedrick Roberson threw for 137 yards.
enior Jeffrey Hernandez scored the first touchdown on an 18 yard reception from Roberson. Knox City's second score came on a 65 yard pass reception and run by Sophomore Dominique Collier, with 2 points added when Junior Shawn Speck hauled in an end zone pass from Roberson on the extra point attempt. The Greyhound's final score came on a one yard run by Sophomore Gemile Roberson in the fourth quarter. Gemile was also the leading rusher for Knox City, with 85 yards on 11 carries.

Hungry for another victory, the Greyhounds travel to Spur this Friday night for the 'battle of the dogs. Kickoff time for the Greyhounds and Bulldogs is 8:00 p.m.


NAMED 'MISS FIRELIGHTER' during Thursday night's festivities was Erica Quintana. She was presented at Homecoming 2000 along with her parents, Jessie and Stella Gonzales.

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## Letter to the editor

Mistakes!
We all make them. Sometimes, if we're lucky, an eraser will do the trick, and we can rub it across the page, wipe away the dust, and all that's left of our careless mess a hardly noticeable smudge. But some mistakes can't be erased. No matter how old or young we are.
People are so easy to judge and condemn. But who on this earth is perfect or has not made a misake or has sinned? We as human beings judge each other's sins and mistakes, but God judges us all equally. We spent our whole life naking judgments and judging various situations and actions.
God teaches that the tongue is a two edged sword. And people use it all the time as weapons. No doubt you've had your share of words that wound. The injuries are internal. Gossip and untruths harm more people than you can imagine. The tongue can build others up or tear them down. dirty laundry in public I've been dirty laundry in public. I've been there and it hurts. Insensitive comments. Thoughts that should have remained thoughts. Opinion carelessly thrown into a crowd or con-
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around but it's impossible to take it back. It doesn't take much to spread a rumor, but once you do, you can never completely undo the wrong.
It is human nature to want re venge of some sort. It is not human nature to forgive. If ever a person deserved revenge, Jesus did. But he didn't take it. Read James Chapter: 3, verses -12 about the tongue. In closing I will part with these words.
Sticks and stones only break bones. Words can shatter the soul. We tell ourselves it takes more than that to send someone over the edge. Maybe so, maybe not. But there are no erasers. $/ \mathrm{s} /$ Sherry Turner

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Ryan Marion is engaged, wedding set February 3, 2001
Derrell and Cathy Marion of Graham announce the engagement of their son, Ryan
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major at Midwestern State major at M
University.
Ryan is a 1995 graduate of Knox City High School, a


RYAN MARION MARTINA RODRIGUEZ 2000 graduate of Midwestern rently employed as a teacher and coach for Milsap Independent School District.

They are planning a February 3, 2001, wedding in Killeen.

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## Bike-a-thon is scheduled for Saturday at KC Elementary to benefit St. Jude's

The St. Jude Children's Research Hospital Bike-A-Thon has been scheduled in Knox City for Saturday, September 23, according to Debbie Wilde, coordinator. The event will be held around the practice field in front of the Knox City Elementary beginning at 9:00 a.m.
By participating in or attending the event, funds will be raised for the internationally recognized center. These funds will help St. Jude in its ongoing fight against childhood catastrophic diseases such as cancer, leukemia, pediatric AIDS, sickle-cell anemia and other life threatening diseases.

The goal in holding this event is to help the children of the world who are stricken with these type
diseases. St. Jude Children's Rediseases. St. Jude Children's Research Hospital is a world leader in the fight against these diseases and they have made great progress but only because of the help of people like the citizens of Knox City.
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amilies who have no insurance. Families, friends and area busi nesses are urged to sponsor rider or donate to this cause. For more information, contac Debbie Wilde at $658-3333$ afte 5:00 p.m.

## Burn ban remains in effect for Knox County

## Judge Perdue reminds residents

Knox County remains in a burn ban which prohibits outdoor burning according to David N. Perdue, Knox County Judge.
The Forestry Service has issued a Fire Safety Alert for this area of Texas which state that conditions are extremely dangerous at this time. Since drought conditions continue to exist and worsen, it is necessary to continue the county wide ban.
Knox County citizens have done a really good job with outside burning as we have had a minimal amount of fires compared to many other counties in the State, the Judge stated. He asked county citizens to continue as fires are expensive for the voluntary fire departments and the destruction of property and lives are critical.

## K-9 golf tourney raises money for department

By Dean W. Homstad
Knox County Sheriff

On June 25, 2000, the second annual Knox County Sheriff's Department K - 9 benefit golf tournament was held at the Knox City Country Club.

A total of 15 teams entered
with Danny Carden, Wayne

Zeissel and Robert Alcala being the final winners. Jan Wilde, the president of the Knox City Ladies Golf Associaion at the time, organized the benefit through the KCLGA, just as she did in last year's tournament.
Many were involved in making the tournament a success from
hose playing, setting up tables rounding up or fixing the grocersociable
The money donated from the ournament will be used to furthe the efforts of the Knox County K9 Unit in trying to fight back the ever growing drug problems in Knox County.
"Waiting for a flight to London, my brother was sitting next to a woman with two boys. The younger one asked, "Nanny, when we get ho
"Perhaps,", she answered. "What does perhaps mean?" $h$ asked.
The older brother answered, Not likely to happen.
Here and There - Billie Ruth Walker got to visit with a cousin of hers last week, it was Pat Duncan of Killeen.
Dan and Marilyn Talbot were in Clarendon Saturday to attend the wedding anniversary for a friend of theirs.
Jimmy Johnston will be in Plainview a few days attending a meeting for different ideas abou city watering programs
Marvin Manning was taken to Abilene last week and put in the Hospice hospital for a while. He
Knox City-O'Brien
School Lunch Menus

## September 25 thru 29

Monday, September 25 - Steak fingers with potatoes, gravy, roll or Pepperoni pizza, salad, pears, cookie, milk.
Tuesday, September 26 - Maca roni, with beef with roll; or Ham burger with fries, orange, salad corn, milk
Wednesday, September 27 Sausage pizza; or BBQ/cheese potato, mixed vegetables, peaches, salad, milk
Thursday, September 28 - Soft bean and beef taco; or Hamburge with fries, refried beans, salad, cake, milk.
Friday, September 29 - Chicken nuggets with fries, gravy; or Beef stew with crackers, apple, salad, vanilla pudding, milk.
needs Alton and LaUna Hester spent the weekend in Red River, New Mexico, visiting with her daughter, Cathy and family.
vivian Hendrix spent a few days in Wichita Falls with her daughter, LeNear and her daughters, Francis and Pretrecia, were there visiting also.

Bernice Rowan was in Haskell Saturday visiting her daughter, Debbie Burson and son, IV Burson.
Visiting Adelle Herring over the weekend were her son Aderle of Junction and daughter Pansy Hines and daughter Julie and daughter Stephanie Keeling of Lubbock. They also visited with Ranzy Herring in the Brazos Valley Care Home at Knox City. Dale Hewitt of Whitharral and David Hewitt of Austin also visited her. Sammie Ellis of Plainview is spending some time with her
mother, Beatrice Ellis. Beatrice is still having some health problems and needs our prayers.
Claudale and Jean Barnard, Donnie, Diane and Angela Roberts, along with Eddie and Claudia Bryant, were in Levelland over the weekend to attend the wedding of Eddie and Claudia's son Jon.

Teresa Denson of Stamford visited her mother, Clara Hanson Saturday. Clara's daughter Joanne will be coming this week to visit. 'Our friends' two boys were about to eat with the baby-sitter when the six-year-old said, "You can't sit in Daddy's seat.

Daddy's not home," the babysitter replied. "Since I'm responsible for you while he's gone, I can sit here. Today I'm the boss." The four-year-old quickly piped up, If youre the boss, you sit over there." He pointed his fork to his mother's chair


## Card of Thanks

We would like to express our thanks to everyone for the many acts of Kindness shown to us during the loss of Eddie's mom. For the cards, calls, flowers, visits, memorials and all other expressions, we say thank you. May God bless each of you.

Sammie and Eddic Offield

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| Letter to the editor |
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| Tuesday, September 19, 2000 |
| Stacy Angle Thompson, Editor The Knox County News P.O. Drawer Nine Knox City, TX 79529 |
| Dear Stacy, <br> As President of the Knox City Economic Development Corporation, I have had the opportunity to work with Dave Thompson during the pas several years, as he served as the Project Coordinator for the 4A Board Due to an increase in his work schedule, and the success of his loca business, Dave has resigned his position. With regrets, the board accepted his resignation at the August 31 st meeting. <br> Dave has been $100 \%$ committed to his position and the success of the EDC. His commitment to the Duckwall project was instrumental in the successful opening of the store in 1999. The Duckwall store continues to provide the City with increased sales tax revenue, in addition to providing a wonderful shopping addition for all the citizens of Knox City and surrounding areas. <br> The purpose of the Economic Development Corporation is simply to promote and ensure the economic development of Knox City. The board feels a great responsibility to serve the citizens of Knox City and to do what is best for our future. Often times the decisions made are not the most popular, but rest assured, each decision is made only after lengthy research and discussion. Dave has always worked to ensure that the research as fully informed before any project was proposed and he has followed each project to completion. <br> With the addition of Mike Burkham as the new City Administrator, the members of the EDC are excited about future projects, and are ready to work together with the City Council on the future successes of our development. <br> My personal thanks to Dave for all that he has done for the EDC. His dedication to our success will be missed. |
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Benjamin news
Sunday afternoon - nap time
and football and football games. That's the way
most Sunday afternoons are most Sunday afternoons are go-
ing these days. The lazy-like days ing these days. The lazy-like days of the "near-fall" are upon us.
Now if only the temperatures Now if only the temperatures would fall and stay down. It would be nice.
And like these Sunday afternoons, most of the community is quiet and lives fairly "unevent-
ful". There is a little "stirring ful". There is a little "stirring about " but not much.
Jimmy, Michele and Caleb Barrientez have been doing some extra painting and clearing get-
ting ready to move into ting ready to move into their home. They recently purchased the Mark
and Michele Brown house They and Michele Brown house. They did get most of their things moved in Saturday and are ready to start "being at home". While getting ready to move, they have been
staying with differentrelatives staying with differentrelatives and
tho' it's only been a couple of tho' it's only been a couple of
weeks, they are glad to have their weeks, they are glad to have their "stuff" and themselves back un-
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Office where the Veterans Per Office where the Veterans Me-
morial is going to be is looking morial is going to be is looking
good. Locals are doing lots of good. Locals are doing lots of
work getting it ready for setting work getting it ready for setting
the monument when it is ready. Completion date is set for November 11. There's gonna be vember 11. There's gonna be work is to be done but right now you can tell that there's work going on. I won't mention who all have been working for fear of leaving someone out but we have seen who they are and appreciate their efforts.
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By Gladene Green, Benjamin Correspondent
And the Barnetts (Randolph Sheffer of Garland. They were and Betty) got their barn up last here for the funeral Saturday week. Remember Monday I said morning of Jenny's grandmother, the framework was up? Well, now, Goldie Pierce. there's a building! Haven't been over there but it looks like a pretty nice size structure. I'll hold "lots of stuff".
Have you noticed the different houses around town that are being painted and "dolled-up" a little? The teacherage east of the school house has undergone a face lift and now the house where Peppy Bolanoes lives is getting a
paint job. It's looking good. Anypaint job. It's looking good. Anything done always improves the appearance of a place.
Better news regarding our ill this week. Lewis Lyles continues to improve from day today. Bobby
Trainham is back at home now Still has a big bandage on his left Still has a big bandage on his left
hand but is to get it off on Friday He's doing OK. Don Hertel will undergo gall bladder surgery Wednesday. He doesn't expect it Wednesday. He doesn't expect it well. Please continue to remem well. Please continue to reme ber them in your prayers. Here N There - Raul and Reyes
Barrientez spent several days last Barrientez spent several days last
week at Argyle visiting their week at Argyle visiting their daughter, Mary and family.
Lynne Moorhouse of Angelo State was here during the weekend before last to visit her dad, Mike and her sisters and brother and attend the wedding of Mica Larned and Jason Bowman in
Munday.Lynne was a bridesmaid Joe and Julia Trepanier spent Joe and Julia Trepanier spent Kathy and family in Wichita Falls. Kathy and family in Wichita Falls.
Saturday night guests of Jonnie Williams and Mary Bohannon Williams and Mary Bohannon
were Charlie, Jenny and Josh

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Nov. 2, Harrold*, There. All jun or high games begin at 5:30 *de notes district games.
The remaining volleyball games are:
High School - Sept. 19, Knox City, There; Sept. 26, Goree, Here Oct. 3, Rochester, There; Oct. 10 Knox City, Here; Oct. 17, Goree There; Oct. 24, Rochester, Here These are all district games and all start at 6:30 p.m.
Junior High-Sept. 18, O'Brien Here; Oct. 2, Rochester, Here; Oct. 9, O'Brien, There; Oct. 16 Rochester, There. The games all start at 5:00 p.m.
Tentative Cross Country Meet (subject to change for various reasons) = Sept. 23, Quanah meet a Copper Breaks; Oct. 7-Spurmeet Oct. 17 (or 18) - Munday meet Oct. 28 -District meet; Nov. 4 Regional meet at Arlington.
Lions Mop \& Broom Sale to be Thursday
The Knox City Lions Club will conduct its annual Mop and Broom Sale, Thursday. Proceeds will be used for scholarships and eye glasses for school children. Purchase of these quality prod ucts will create jobs for Blind and Multihandicapped workers. In addition to supporting the Lion worthwhile community projects this project also provides a qual ity useful cleaning aid.
Lions urge the community to extend a helping hand to the Blind and the community.

## Aging center <br> lunch menus

September 25th thru 29th
Monday, September 25 Chicken strips with gravy, buttered potatoes, sweet peas, green salad, biscuits, peach crunch with topping. Tuesday, September 26 Tacos, pinto beans, Spanish rice, lettuce and tomato salad, cinnamon rolls.
Wednesday, September 27 Meatloaf, green beans, mashed potatoes, cucumber and onion salad, hot rolls, cake.
Thursday, September 28 German sausage, sauerkraut, blackeyed peas, fried okra, cornbread, cobbler. Friday, September 29 - Fish with tarter sauce, California blend, macaroni and cheese, cole slaw, light bread, cookies. (All menus subjectto change with-
out notification. It is important to out notification. It is important to
contact the site manager in order contact the site manager in ord
that meals can be prepared.)

## NOTICE

## The City of Knox City will begin

 maintenance of trees, shrubs and other obstructions on City easements and right-of-ways on or around September 25, 2000, beginning in the north part of town.If you have any questions or comments on this project, please contact City Hall on or before this date.

Thank you.<br>THE CITY OF KNOX CITY

Dedication for memorial is drawing near
Countdown and tax free contri butions!! These two C's focus the Historical Commission's efforts bare K more lhansix weeks before me Kial Nouny 11 dedication. Adding 400 more young veter Adding 400 more young veter pated is calling for ten column pated is calling for ten columns ware county recognizes honot ing youth engaged in wars cover ing a range of 136 years, counting he 70 youth from the Civil War Their deaths are not theirs. They are ours. That is why the American flag will fly over the monument. Water lines and electica foundation will be completed within the next few weeks. All this is being done by volunteers so inspiring that a poet is needed to name their efforts. Willis Monument Co., will lay the monument the last week in October.
From their preparation, the War I Private Louise Cartwright, age 18, of Co. B 360 Infantry, American Expeditionary Forces will be among those 2400 looking out on the dedication crowd on November 11
As WWI was winding down how different his following observations compare with a Civil War, WWII or a Vietnam younger solider's letters home.
What a change from the May 1917 battle of Passchendaele, France, when another 300,000 dead and wounded was the price to pay for five miles of mud. In a letter to his sister on 9-291918, from somewhere in France, as WWI wound down, he struck a light and cheerful note
"Your letters of 8-18 and 25 reached me and I've read them over and over. I'll give the cards to some of the kids if I have a chance. Most of the children I've seen have been teased and pranked with by the soldiers until they are not what one would expect. They all know how to "cuss" in "American". It is rather an odd experience to have a hitie fellow five or six years old run playfully up to you, ask for sweets and swing on your arm and call you the most foul and insult ing names that we ever hear in army or anywhere else they are lovingly addressing yo they are lovingly addressing you. Like them we are having the same experience with the French
language. I have been at the front about 30 days. Have been over the top twice Have not receive so much as scratch yet. But it is no child splay up here, and when Fritz begins dropping those big shels all around a man, it makes him feel kind of Myself and another boy are relay runners. Our duty is to carry relay runners. Our duty is to carry
messages back and forth. We have a "dog tent" stretched under a big beach tree, a bivouac, that looks like drift wood. Otherthan on duty we leave it to gather grapes in nearby orchard." - Censored by Joe C. Cornett, 2nd Lt. Inf.

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## Obituaries

Coy Hewitt rites are held Sunday at O'Brien Baptist
Funeral services for Coy Hewitt of O'Brien were held Sunday afternoon, September 17, 2000, at two o' clock in the O Brien Baptist
Church. Officiating were the Rev. Bill Trice, Richard Palma and Pastor Mark Hewitt of Abilene. Burial was in the O'Brien Cemetery with Smith Funeral Home in charge of arrangements.
Mr. Hewitt, 74, died early Fri day morning, September 15 , the Knox County Hospital.
 Born October 15, 1925, in

## oster Community, Haskell County,

March 29, 1954, in Jud. He farmed and had in O'Brien.
His parents were the late J.W. and Nora Hewitt. He served in the United States Navy during World War II.
Survivors include his wife, Loretta of the home; three daughters, Rhonda Moeller and husband Allen of Haskell, Toni Neal and husband Tony of Wichita Falls, and Vicki Daniel and husband Richard of Abilene; three sisters, Claudia Reid of Rochester, Adelle Herring of O'Brien and Idabelle Rich of Huffman; and seven grandchildren. Pallbearers were Delbert Hayes, Wayne Qualls, Jim Johnston, Alan Holmes, David Albus and J.M. Emerson.
Honorary pallbearers were Jessie Silba, C.H. Underwood, Jose Carrion, Adelaido Carrion and Frank Griffith.
The family requests that memorials be made to the American Cancer Society or the O'Brien Baptist Church, O'Brien, TX 79539.

## Child Welfare board meets

The Knox County Child Wel- department involved believes this fare Board met Monday, Septem- is due largely to more cases being ber 11 , to begin a new year. Mem- reported and more people getting bers present were Becky Offutt, involved.
chairperson; Tammie Trainham, Memorials have been received vice-chairperson; Margaret Hill, for Louise Hertel, Barbara Pierce, Glenna Shahan, Pam Duke, Peggy Wayne Hutchinson, Lissa RobinGuinn, Taunia Livingston and orrie Coop, PRS Staff. Plans for the upcoming year were discussed. The Board as-
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Reports to the Board stated the number of child abuse investigations is a lot higher than before. From January 1,2000 , to September 8,2000 , there were 21 investigations in Knox County
 son and Gene McCombs anonymously. Called to jury duty and have contributing fees are: Knox City Jessie Rios, Jonathan S. Johnson, Ray Escobar, Rosa Richardson, Beverly Speck, Bruce Railsback,
Louis Baty, Zo Felts, Charles Alan Schur; Munday Pam Nelson, Shirley Angerer, Janice Farr, Becky Offutt, Jerry Janice Farr, Becky Offutt, Jerry Cobb; Benjamin- Gladene Green,
Sharon Johnson, Reba Cox Morrill, Demetris Estrada, Susan Cartwright; Goree - Johnny Birkenfeld; Gilliland - Dennis Welch.
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A native of Carmen, Erica grew up on a wheat, alfalfa hay and
stocker cattle farm that her family still operates in Carmen. A gradute of Oklahoma State University with a degree in agriculture communications, she has covered agiculture for television stations in Oklahoma and Texas.
She recently moved from Lubbock where she was an ag broadcaster for the CBS affiliate,
"Erica's professional experience covering agriculture, combined with her life experience growing up and working on her
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duction and hear an update on duction and hear an update on water districts at a September 28 field day at the Smith Farm. "This field day will offer farm-
ers and stockmen a wealth of crops and livestock information. Registration runs from 8 to 9 a.m.," said tration runs from 8 to 9 a.m., said Galen Chandler, Texas Agricultural Extension Service district agriculture director. "The Smith Farm is 2.6 miles east of Munday mile south on County Road 4780 There is no charge to attend.
Noon speaker is Wyman Meinzer, wildlife writer and photographer. He will share a slide tographer. He wils share a slide ers and Ranches of Texas following a complimentary lunch.
The 9 to 10 am. morning sion will feature these topics and speakers:
Livestock production and grazing alternatives utilizing
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Dr. Bill Pinchak, Texas A\&M associate professor of range animal nutrition, Vernon

- Underground water districts update, State Rep. Rick Hardcastle, Vernon.
- Conservation tillage, Dr. Wayne Keeling, Texas A\&M professor of systems agronomy and weed science, Lubbock.
The field day will also include a crops field tour hosted by sevral Extension speciaists and retour will focus on con onton the filleld croping systems, cotton variet ies, BT cotton seeding varietes, BTec undate foaturing , and an insect update featuring relay rops and bors weevirs. tinuing Education Units (CEUs), including one in laws and regulations, by attending this event, Chandler noted.
For more info on the September 28 agriculture field day, call ber Texas A\&M Research and Extension Center in Vernon, 940 Extension Center in Vernon, 940-
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## Knox City Houndettes

Tuesday, September 26
Rochester, Here, JV, V, 5:30
O'Brien Lady Bulldogs vs Rochester 8th Grade, Here, 4:30


GRABBED BY A LEG, Gemile Roberson (32, at right) gains yards while Justin Vasquez (on top of a Pirate defender), Sal Silva (50), and Casey Carver (68) provide blocks to open the way for Gemile.

## Knox City Houndette VOLLEYBALL 2000 SCHEDULE

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