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Historical commission museum fundraiser to be Sunday in Benjamin from 11:30 to 1:30

Knox County citizens, former residents, and friends will be gathering Sunday, February 2, at the Benjamin Ex-Students Building to support a Knox County museum building fund and enjoy a great Knox County barbecue Serving will be from 11:30 a.m. until 1:30 p.m. Brisket, baked turkey, sausage, red beans, cole slaw, potato salad, deviled eggs, bread and desserts will come from the hands of Knox County cooks, even the bread is home baked. The delicious menu brought in 450 sup-
porters last year and at least that many are expected this year. Tickets are $\$ 7.00$ for adults and $\$ 4.00$ for those 12 and under. Take out plates will be available.
Historical displays will be available for viewing including the County Schools quilt, uniforms from the museum colle tion, photos and a portion of an individual's collection of Indian individual
artifacts.
The obituary notebooks will be available for searching for an ancestor's story. All clippings in
he notebooks are about person buried in Knox County Other Knox County related clippings are located in the KCHC ffice family files. Anyone who file ininvitedtar file is in
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Drawings of the proposed museum building and other museum information will be available. There will be a drawing for door prizes following the meal and surplus food will be available for sarple.


TEXAS-OKLAHOMA WATERMELON QUEEN selected on Saturday, January 18 , in McAllen was Knox County's Jennifer Carden, representing Johnson Melon Corporation of Knox City. Shownwith local 2004.
spors Kay and Donald Johnson, Jennifer wili compete for the national titie in Las Vegas in March
(Courtesy Photo)

## Carden wins Watermelon Queen title

Johnson Melon Corporation's representative Jennifer Carden was named Texas-Oklahoma association's annual convention in McAllen on Saturday, January 18.

## Knox City's Thompson commits to ACU

Scooter Thompson, a dominat-
ing force on Knox City High School's defensive unit, has verbally committed to Abilene Christian University in Abilene following a recruiting visit to the campus on Saturday.

Thompson, middle linebacker and defensive team captain for the Greyhounds, totaled 131 tackles, 20 behind the line, 10 sacks, 5 caused fumbles and recovered 3 during his senior year.

Thompson's performance and leadership on the field earned him several post season honors. He was named the Defensive MVP for District 9-A, the small school Defensive Player of the Year for the 'Red River 22 ' by the Wichita Falls Times Record News, the All Big Country Class A Defensive Player of the Year, and a linebacker on the All Big Country 'Super Team' by the Abilene Reporter News. The Texas Sports Writer's Association named Thompson as a third team All-State linebacker, He was also on the Top-O-Texas magazine's preeason Defensive Super Team. Ranked in the top 3 of his gradu-


Scooter Thompson
ating class with a 3.75 grade point average, Thompson was also named as an Academic All State, second team:
Thompson
Thompson also served as the Greyhounds fullback, rushing for over 500 yards with an average per carry of 5.2 yards. Coming through when his team needed him the most, Thompson scored the winning touchdown in the
Area Championship game against Area Championship game against
Windthorst with just 13 Windthorst with just 13 seconds

Wall. Texas Tech University student, majoring in agricultural communications, Jennifer is the daughter of Jeannie and David Turek of Fort Worth and Jimmy Carden of Munday.

Sennifer, a 2001 Munday High
School graduate, will compete for the national title in Las Vegas in March 2004 and with her new title received a $\$ 3,000.00$ scholarship from the association and a $\$ 1,000.00$ scholarship from Tri-
eft on the clock.
Knox City's Greyhounds finished the 2002 season as Regional Champions, winning a pair of playoff games before falling in the Quarter-Final Championship game to eventual state champion Petrolia.
Wayne Hutchinson took over as Knox City's Head Coach following the 2000 season. Knox City went 11-2 last season. Coach Mitch McLemore was Scooter's defensive coach, and Scooter credits much of his success as a linebacker to Coach McLemore. Thompson also praised his teammates, stating: "We had a very successful team this year, every player and coach helped to make each other better.
Thompson is a cousin to former Abilene Christian University All American linebacker Chip Bennett of Denver City, who played for the Wildcats in 1968 and 1969, and was a teammate of Jerry Wilson, ACU's current linebacker coach. Bennett is a member of ACU's Sports Hall of Fame and played for the Cincinnati Bengals from 1970 to 1971.

## Jack Stubbs honored by Marine Corps



DISTINGUISHED HONOREE - Jack Stubbs was honored at the 227th United States Marine Corp Birthday Ball in Graham at the Grahảm Country Club recently. Jack was presented with severai awards for his years of service to the North Texas Detachment MCL and was the oldest Marine present. The Stubbs' son-in-law, Scott Edmonds of Scott Edmonds Auction Co., assisted by Bennett Shortes and Scott Stephens helped raise money for the 'Toys for Tots' auction held in connection with the ball. Helping uack celebrate were his family including daughters, from left, Shea Stubbs-Edmonds, and Rolanda Bowman of Pampa, his wife Romain, and another daughter, Sandy methers of Owasso, Okiahoma. Other family members presentwere Rolanda's and Shea's family including husband Scott and children, Stratton, Spencer, Stuart and Saylor and Sue and Bennett Shortes, Scott Stephens, Danni Moenning, and Dessie Egenbacher.


JANUARY WAS OBSERVED throughout Texas as 'School Board Recognition Month' and members of the Knox City High School Student Council presented each board member with a token of gratitude on Monday morning. Making the presentation to board member Bill Stewart was his son B.J. Stewart and Ty Chisum of the Student Council. Others present were student council sponsor Shea StubbsEdmonds, high school principal Mack Lowe and school superintendent Louis Baty.
(NEWS digital photo)


SENIOR DAY' IN TEXAS has been declared for Tuesday, February 4, 2003, and Knox County Judge Greg Clonts proclaimed the day on a county level this week at the Knox County Aging Center and Library. On hand for the signing were Susan Cockerell, site manager; and Judge Clonts, front row. Standing from left are Norm Anderson of Munday, Bernice Rowan of O'Brien, Joy Riggins, Benjamin
site manager: Nola and Royce Denton of Goree and Bea Ellis of O'Brien.
(NEWS digital photo) site manager; Nola and Royce Denton of Goree and Bea Ellis of O'Brien. (NEWS digital photo)
"During the latter stages of my pregnancy, I brought a cushion to work to make my chair more comfortable. One afternoon lunch to find myair had been pushed to the far side of my work area.
"Looks like someone's sitting in my chair," I commented to one of my co-workers.
Glancing down at my stomach, she said, "Look's like someone's also been sleeping in your bed." Here and There - Julie Sanders and Billie Anne Cole of Amarillo visited with Billie Walker. She joined them on a trip to Denton to celebrate Julie's son's birthday. John Sanders and wife Joey enjoyed visiting with John's sister, mother and grandmother
Jim Duncan of Los Lunas, New

Mexico, cousin of Billie Walker, dropped by for a visit before the group left for Denton.
Spending the weekend with Adelle Herring were daughter Pansy Hines, Julie and Stephanie Keeling of Lubbock and Kevin Urbanczyk of Goree and Tamara McGaughey of Knox City. Adelle and daughter Pansy attended church services Sunday. They also celebrated 'Pansy and Kevin's birthday with lots of good cakes and other food.
Eddie and Claudia Bryant were in Lubbock over the weekend to visit with their son Jon and wife Lindsey.

Spending Saturday night with C.H.,Linda and Reed Underwood were Bro. Milton McManus and
wife Rhonda and daughter wife Rhonda and daughter Lacy
of Caddo Mills. We were blessed to have Bro. Milton preach for us Sunday and hoping he will be moving here soon. We had a delicious meal on Sunday. Janoma Stephens and Charlene Brothers were in Abilene last week for Janoma's eye surgery and she's doing good. O'Brien Baptist Church held a funeral for a former member, Lucille Abbott, last Wednesday, January 22. Bro. Bill Trice did the memorial sermon and Zo Felts played the piano and Delbert Lloyd led singing. Our church hosted a great meal for all families and friends of Mrs. Abbott and relatives and friends. We still have several people that need our prayers. You know prayer really changes things.

Benjamin news
After a pretty cold week last week, today (Monday) has been better. Notexactly "air-conditioning" weather but temps have been more pleasant. We do need some rain but maybe that will come soon.
Symp
Sympathy to the family of Pearl Ryder who passed away yesterday around 4:30 a.m. Pearl had suffered a stroke on Thursday and never regained consciousness. She had been living in Justin with her twin sister for a year or so but Benjamin was always home to
her. We have missed her since her. We have missed her since
she's been away and will miss her she's been away and will miss her even more now. I loved her and ways appreciated her friendship. Also sympathy to the family of Norma Sutton who passed away
last week. She, too, was a friend.

Seems like our friends ithe community who have been having health problems are improving. Jane Gideon seems to be feeling better since her recent hospital stay.
Bobby Hudson is doing pretty well, also. Is out and about and that's an encouraging sign. Jamie Bohannon Berumley spent a couple of days in Knox County Hospital. If her problem didn't get better she was to go to Wichita Falls today. I haven't heard anything today.
There's still some folks with the flu-like symptoms and respiratory problems. So far, I've met days lie buead stil know cold, wet days lie ahead and no telling In we may come up with
In basketball last week, both
teams defeated Northside by a pretty good margin. We need more final scores like those. Here ' N There - Dougie Shipman of Wister, Oklahoma, is here for a few days visit with his cousin, Kay Sheedy and family. Kim Moore and a friend, Steve Oliverez of Spur, visited briefly in Benjamin on Saturday. I talked to Doris Bufkin Wednesday and she said Sonny was doing fine since his melanoma skin cancer surgery. He will have to be checked regularly to see if there's any reoccurrence of the problem but so far - so good. He was to go back to work today. Did the Super Bowigo like you turned out to be a little closer game than it first appeared to be.

## Rhondi Rodriquez is awarded child care credential

Rhondi, Rodriquez of Knox City has been awarded a Child Development Associate (CDA) Credential in recognition of outstanding work with young children. The credential was awarded by the Council for Professional Recognition in Washington, D.C., which represent hood profession
effort to improve child care by effort to improve child care by evaluation and recognizing the
skills of individuals providing skills of individuals providing
care. The first credential was care. The first credential was 25 years ago, and now 46 states plus the District of Columbia include CDA in their child care licensing regulations.
Parents who use child care are Parents who use child care are
especially concerned today about their children's welfare. With this in mind, as part of the CDA assessment process, every candidate for the CDA credential is observed working with young children or families by an early childhood professional. In addition, the Candidate must demonstrate the ability to work with families to develop children's physical and intellectual capabilities in a safe and healthy learning environment. The CDA credential is having a positive effect on the quality of child care. Its impact is evident in center-based care and home visitor programs as well as family child care, the most common form of care for children under five years old.

Child care staff and parents wanting information on CDA should write to the Council for Professional Recognition at 2460 16th Street, N.W., Washington, D.C. $20009-3575$, or call (202)
$265-9090$ or $1(800) 424-4310$.

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## KC Area Church Directory

FIRST BAPTIST CHURCH $\sim$ Knox City Miller Robinson, Interim Pastor


FIRST UNITED METHODIST CHURCH ~ Knox City Claude McKiddy, Pastor
Sunday School at 10:00 a.m. $\sim$ Sunday Morning Worship at 11:00 a.m.

FIRST CHRISTIAN CHURCH ~ Knox City Steve Pepper, Minister
Sunday School at 10:00 a.m. $\sim$ Sunday Morning Worsh

FOURSQUARE CHURCH ~Knox City Paul Chambers, Pastor Sunday School at 10:00 a.m. ~ Sunday Morning Worship at 10:45 a.m.
Sunday Evening Worship at 6:00 p.m. ~Mid Week, Wed. at 7:00 p.m.

SANTA ROSA CATHOLIC CHURCH ~ Knox City Father Leo Schloemer ~ Deacon Julian Estrada

ST. JOSEPH'S CATHOLIC CHURCH ~Rhineland Father Leo Schloemer~ Deacon Julian Estrada Monday Through Friday Mornings, 8:00 a.m. Mass
Saturday Mass at 7:00 p.m. ~ Sunday Mass at 9:00 a.m.
FIRST BAPTIST CHURCH of Benjamin John Gillispie, Pastor
Sunday School at 10:00 a.m., Sunday Morning

FIRST UNITED METHODIST CHURCH of Benjamin Claude McKiddy, Pastor

GILLESPIE BAPTIST CHURCH ~ Gillespie Ross Anderson, Pastor
Sunday School at 10:00 a.m. $\sim$ Sunday Morning Worship at 11:00 a.m.
Sunday Evening Worship at 7:00 p.m. $\sim$ Mid Week, Wed. at 7:00 p.m. CHURCH OF CHRIST $\sim$ Benjamin
Sunday School at $9: 45$ a.m. $\sim$ Sunday Morning Worship at

THE BELIEVERS' CHAPEL ~ Highway 222 Sunday School at $9: 30$ a.m. ~ Sunday Morning W
Mid Week, Wednesday at $7: 30$
FAITH CHAPEL $\sim 8$ Miles South Of Knox City
Sunday School at 10:00 a.m. Sunday Morning Worship at 11:00 a.m. Sunday School at 10:00 a.m.Sunday Morning Worship at 11:00 a.m
Mid Week, Wed. at 7:00 p.m.

O'BRIEN BAPTIST CHURCH ~ O'Brien Troy Culpepper, Interim Pastor
Sunday School at $9: 45$ a.m. Sunday Morning Worship at 11:00 a.m.
Sunday Evening Worship at 6:00 p.m. Mid Week, Wed. at 6:00 p.m. WEINERT FOURSQUARE CHURCH

- Rob Harrison, Pastor -- Rob Harrison, Pastor -
Sunday Morning Worship as 11:00 a.m.
Mid Week Bible Study, Wednesday at 7:00

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Sunday Evening Worship at 60 p.m. Mid Week, Thurs. at 7:00 p.m.
Church location: 5 miles west of O'Brien

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## Tamara McGaughey on ACU dean's list

Makes Dean's list requirement of at least a 3.45 GPA

Tamara McGaughey, a Knox
City High School graduate, has been named to the Dean's Honor
Roll for the 2002 fall semester at

Abilene Christian University in Abilene. Dean's Honor Roll students most post at least a 3.45 grade point average on a mini-
mum of 12 semester hours. Tamara is a senior social work major and will graduate from ACU in May.

## REMINDER TO TAXPAYERS

JANUARY 31, 2003
IS THE LAST DAY TO PAY YOUR 2002 TAXES AND AVOID THE ADDITIONAL PENALTY AND INTERESTCHARGES

## HOMESTEAD EXEMPTIONS

Homeowners are not required to file a homestead exemption annually. If you are already receiving the state mandated $\$ 15,000$ homestead exemption or additional over sixty-five $\$ 10,000$ exemption, you need not reapply for the taxing year of 2003. However, if you became 65 in 2002 , or will become 65 in 2003 , your need $t 0$ apply for the additional over $65-\$ 10,000$ exemption. If you have changed your place of residency you to apply for a new exemption. All homestead applications must be filed with Chief Appraiser Stanton
Brown, between the dates of Janvary 1, 2003 and May 1, 2003. These exemption forms are available at the Knox County Appraisal District Office, which is located in the Knox County Courthouse, Benjamin. Individuals who qualify for the over sisty-five additional homestead exemption, described above, have the option of paying their homestead taxes in four equal installments, without any penalty or interest. These Installments are due hefore February 1, April L, June 1 and Auqust 1.

## AG-USE EXEMPTIONS

Annual applications for qualifying land for agriculture use is not required. If you have beea receiving the AG-USE exemption on your land in prior years, you need not reapply for the exemption. If you recently purchased a farm, you need to report this to the Chief Appraser. AGG-USE exemption forms are also avail-
able at the Appraisal District Office. Deadline for filing new exemptions are between January 1,2003 and May 1, 2003.

## DISABLED VETERANS EXEMPTION

These exemptions need not be applied for annually. If you received your exemption on the 2002 tax roll, $y$ will automatically receive it for the tax year of 2003. However, if your disability percentage has changed,
you need to report the change to the Chief Appraiser. Deadline for siling new exemptions are betweea you need to report the change to

## RENDITIONS

Taxpayers are reminded that it is still their responsibility to render their property to the Chief Appraiser.
These rendition forms are also available at the Appraisal District Omice. Deadline for tax readitions is be twecn Jenary 1,2003 and April 15, 2003.

If you have any questions about your exemptions, or any other ad valorem tax related question, Chif Appraiser, Stanton Brown, invites you to write to the Knox County Appraisal District, P.O. Box 47 Benjamin, Texas 79505 or call 459-3891. If Appraisal District employees can be of any assistance, please let


Computer course continuing at Knox Co. Aging Services A community education program funded by the Knox County Community Network Grant administered by the Knox City O'Brien CISD is offering courses through February
February schedule follow February 3-6: Intro To Com puters and Windows, Monday, 6:00-8:00 p.m.; The Internet and E-Mail, Tuesday, 6:00-8:00 p.m. Microsoft Word Basic Applica tions, Thursday, 6:00-8:00 p.m. February 11-13: Microsoft Word Intermediate Applications, Tuesday, Wednesday, Thursday, 8:30-10:30 a.m. and 1:00-3:00 p.m. each day;

February 18-20: Scanners and Digital Cameras, Tuesday, Wednesday, Thursday, 8:30 10:30 a.m., 1:00-3:00 p.m.; February 25-27: Microso Word Intermediate Applications Tuesday, 6:00-8:00 p.m.; Scanners and Digital Cameras, Thurs day, 6:00-8:00 p.m.
The courses that were given in January will be repeated in March including Intro To Computers and Windows, The Internet and E Mail and Microsoft Word Basic Applications.


Mr. and Mrs. Danny Joe and Jackie Moenning of Electra together with
Mr. and Mrs. Bennett and Sue Shortes of Knox City and the late Elmo (Butch) Stephens Jr. Dani Nicole Moenning John Scott Stephen They plan to be married Saturday, April 12, 2003, First Baptist Church Electra, Texas
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will have a representative in the

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Knox City, O'Brien, Rochester and Rule residents may sign up for service during this two-week period.

## Photos from last week's local winners in the 2003 Knox County Junior Livestock Show



Ashley Jobe


Jordan McCown Grand Champion Broilers Showmanship

## Elementary honor roll

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\text { First Semester } \\
\text { First Grade: Lyndon Baty, Zachary } \\
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\text { Second Grade: Selena Benavides, } \\
\text { Blayne Bradley, Jennifer Harris, } \\
\text { Hagen Hutchinson, Haley Ledesma, } \\
\text { Jasmine Lerma, Allison Lynn. } \\
\text { Third Grade: Destini Billington, } \\
\text { Cassidy Carter, Lucinda Diaz, Kyle }
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Citizens Bank, Knox City
proudly supports the
Wichita-Brazos Museum \& Cultural Center Museum Fundraising Dinner

## Sunday, February 2

 Benjamin Memorial BuildingServing: 11:30 a.m. - 1:30 p.m.
~ ~ Brisket, Turkey, Sausage, Beans ~ ~ Homemade Coleslaw, Potato Salad, Bread \& Desserts
-• TICKETS \$7-\$4 under 12 ••
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Dustin Johnson
Grand Champion Medium Weight Market Goat Senior Showmanship


Makayla Harrington
Reserve Champion Pen of Three Fryers
KC's Hounds keep perfect district record, Houndettes win, lose by close margins


Ty Chisum -6, Josh Hunt- 14, Derrick
Magana- 16, GrantLewis-2 Magana- 16 , Grant Lewis-2,Jerem
Saxton - 2 , Germaine Louis - 4 . Saxton - 2 , Germaine Louis
Varsity Boys KC-40, Munday - 37 Caleb Carver - 3 , Carlos Ruiz - 8, Kendrick Green - 17, Landon Weiershausen - 2, Dustin Johnson
3, Brad Johnson - 7 .

- January 24,2003 JV Girls
KC JV - 20 , Crowell JV - 23 Daisy Martinez - 3 , Sondra Silva - 6 , Shanna Reed - 2, Erica Nevare -6, Dimple Patel - 5 . ${ }^{\text {Varsity }}$ Girls


## KC - 50 , Crowell -45

 Sophie Gutierrez - 9, Kaylie Billington - 9, Jodi Chambers - 2 Nikki Moss - 9 , Jessica Albus - 4 , Samantha Gutierrez - 8, Britta Hawkins -9. JV Boys KC JV - 26, Crowell JV - 29 Ty Chisum $\sigma$ 2, Josh Hunt-4, Derrick Magana - 7 , Grant Lewis-3, JeremSaxton - 7, T.J. Richardson Germaine , Germaine Louis - 2.

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Caleb Carver - 20 , Kendrick Green 13, Dustin Johnson - 6 , Brad Johnson 4, Quentin Spells - 1

## WANTADS

Work Wonders!
 of their love, and helped me with the dinner that was given for my beloved Aunt Celia. I thank Him for this mighty blessing from Heaven. I was deeply touched by how God worked through everyone. He never ceases to amaze me. He (His name) is greatly to be Praised, Honored and Exalted. I thank Him for this. May He always guide your every step, and may 'His Light' (Love) continue to shine through you all.
'The King will reply, I tell you the truth, whatever you did for one of the least of these brothers of mine, you did for me."

Matthew 25: 40

## Mary E. Vasquez

## Special Thanks to these Special People . . .

Kim Clonts
Ray and Idella Escobar Toni Benavides Danny Rios
Jessie Rios
Zeferino and Hope Perez Robert P. and Sandy Espinosa Ted and Melissa Espinosa Amalia Bernal Emilia Acevedo Rudy and Jenny Espinosa Joe and Janie Moreno Joe and Eva Flores Mrs. Elva Gonzales Zoyla Diaz Julie Acosta Bobby Acosta Raul Espinosa Jr. Brandon Espinosa

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office no later than 1:00 p.m. on February 13, 2003. Envelopes should be narked in the lower left hand corner nox City Community Network Pro-
pecifications can be obtained at the hhool Administration Office at 606 East (940) 657-3521. City, Texas 79529 The Knox City-O'Brien CISD reserves he right to accept or reject any or all proposals, waive any formalities in bid he most advantageous to the district.

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District: Childres
Contract 6095-37-001 for MOWING IGHWAY RIGHT OF WAY in KNOX County, etc. will be opened on March 20,
003 at $10: 00$ a.m. at the District Office for an estimate of $\$ 49,868.00$.
Plans and specifications are available for inspection, along with bidding proposasals, and applications for the TxDOT Prequalified Contractor's list, at the ap
plicableState and/orDistrictoffices isted plicable State a and/orDistrict Offices listed
below. Bidders below. Bidders must submit
prequalification information to TxDOT at least 10 days prior to the bid date to be eligible to bid on a project
Prequalification materials may be rePrequalification materials may be re-
quested from the State Office listed below. Plans for the above contract(s) are available from TxDOT's website a www.dot.state.tx.us and from reproduc
tion companies at the expense of the tion comp contractor.
NPO: 8711

## State Office

## Construction Divisio

200 E. Riverside Dr
Austin, Texas 78704
Phone: 512-416-2540

## AMARILLO DISTRICT DISTRICT ENGINEER 5715 Canyon Dr. <br> Amarillo, TX $791505-2708$ Phone: $806-356-3283$

 Phone: $806-356-3283$Minimum wage rates are set out in bidding documents and the rates will be part ders will not be discriminated against on

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HOUNDETTE BRITTANY (45) HAWKINS shoots under the basket. Samantha Gutierrez (43) and Kaylie Billington (22) are also shown.


GREYHOUND KENDRICK GREEN goes up for another 2 points against the Paducah Dragons. Kendrick is a senior at KCHS.

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GREYHOUND JUNIOR CARLOS RUUZZ motions his teammates into position as he moves the ball down court against the Dragons.


HOUNDETTE NIKKI MOSS looks for a teammate to move the ball to in a recent game against Paducah. Brittany Hawkins is \#45.

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SENIOR LANDON WEIERSHAUSEN goes up for a rebound against SENIOR LANDON WEIERSHAUSEN goes up for a rebound against
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