

M-G CHAMPIONS - Parks Neisler, left, and Moore Patton combined golf talents over the weekend to win the seventh annual Kings Mountain Country Club

They shot a 136 to edge Stoney Jackson and Chicken Blanton by one

Member-Guest golf tournament.

CHIPS ON 18 - Pop Foster, 72year-old maintenance employe at Kings Mountain Country Club, chips onto the 18th green after overshooting his approach shot in Sun-

day's final round of the KMCC Member-Guest. Foster teamed with Hayne Neisler to shoot a 189 in the championship flight.

Photo By Gary Stewart

Royals

Finish

Third

City Stadium.

Kings Mountain's Royals finished third in

the state 16-18 year old softball tournament Friday and Saturday at

Hope Plastics of Gastonia won the double

elimination event,

defeating Kurfees Plaint of Gastonia 12-2

Kurfees, 5-2. Dee Carter

was the winning pitcher

and Jerry Jackson took

the loss. Barron Wilson

led KM at the plate with

In earlier games, KM defeated Kurfees 8-5 and lost to Hope Plastics

Jackson took the win

in the game against Kurfees and Butch

Pearson led the hitting

Hall hurled the win and

Jackson took the loss.

Jackson, Kenny Baliles,

Freddie Gladden,

Wilson, Tony Cooke and

Mark Payseur had one

hit each for KM.

Against Hope, Roger

a triple.

with 8-for-4.



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Neisler-Patton Team Winner

Parks Neisler and Stroup or Mickey Moore Patton scored an Powers and Ray Adams eight-under-par 186 Saturday and Sunday at Kings Mountain Country Club to win the seventh annual Member-Guest golf tourna-

The first - time winners edged Stoney Jackson and Chicken Blanton by one shot. Robert Plonk and Richard Lyle finished third at 188.

The victory by Neisler and Patton, the nephew of former U. S. Amateur champion Billy Joe Patton of Morganton, marked the first time anyone other than John and Ronnie

had won the tourney.

Howze and his new playing partner, Don Teague of Shelby, had the best round of the tournament, a closing 65 on Sunday. But an opening day 71 put them in the first flight and they won that title with a score that matched Neisler and Patton's winning score.

Neisler and Patton shot a two-under-par 70 Sunday to break a threeway tie with Jackson and Blanton and Darrell Austin and Del Morrow. All three teams opened with 66.

former manager of Woodbridge Country Club here, missed a golden opportunity to win the title Sunday when Jackson drove the

337-yard 18th green, but three putted for a par. Jerry Ross and Joe Costner, with 189, finished second in the first flight and Darrell
Austin and Jud Spargo
shot a 142 to finish third.
Second flight honors
went to John Gamble

and Randy Hartsoe with 143. Guy Trout and Lee Ashe fired a 144 for second place and Walt Harmon and John Gold took third with a 145.

Delk Haigler and Darrell Forber, a pair of

WP - Lisa Hampton

LP - Susan Howze

BJ - Dana Horne,

E - Mickey James, 2

(Games July 21)

1:00 - Cuties vs.

2:00 - Blue Jays vs.

3:00 - Mounties vs.

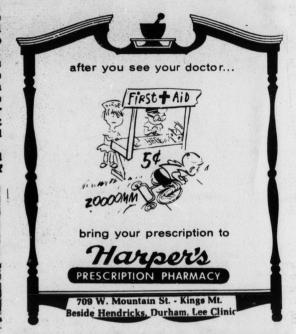
Mustangs

Angels

Diane Williams, 2 hits

Kings Mountain High golfers, won third flight honors with a 152. Ray Holmes and George Brant were second at 153 and Gene Timms and Hubert McGinnis third at 154.

Sellers won the fourth flight with a 158, followed by Harper and Charlie Fellers at 162 and Carl DeVane and Clint Rankin at 163.



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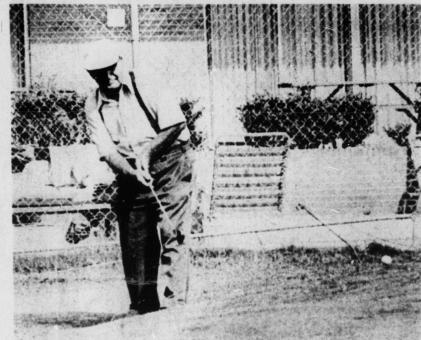
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Girls League Results

(Games July 6) Cuties 16, Roadrunners

WP - Shannon Smith LP - Robin Hope C-Sylvia White, 8

in the title game. Kings Mountain lost RR-Robin Hope and Karen Ledford, 1 hit. out in the semi-finals to

Blue Jays 8, Eagles 1 WP - Lisa Hampton LP - Susan Howze BJ - Hampton, Angle Marable, 2 hite each. E - Howze, 8 hits.

Mounties 12, Angels 1 WP - Tricia Blalock LP - Kristal Huffstetler M - Robin Spears, 3

hits.

LA — Donna Myers, and Judy Judy Whisnant, Wanda hits each.

(Games July 7) Eagles 18, Angels 1 WP - Susan Howze - Kim Ledford E - Leslie Hamrick, 8

Kristal Huffstetler, Jackie Ledford, 2 hits each. Mounties 13, Blue Jays 1

WP - Tricia Blalock LP - Lisa Hampton M - Tammy Rossand Phyllis Mack, 2 hits

BJ - Mary Ann White and Diane Williams, 1 hit each.

(Games July 12) Mustangs 9, Roadrunners 7

WP - Dana Blalock LP - Robin Hope M - Ann Tate, 8 hits RR - Spring Young, 8

Blue Jays 8, Angels 2 WP - Lisa Hampton LP - Kristal Huffstetler

BJ - Mary Ann White and Judy Henderson, 2

Kim Ledford, 2 hits each

(Games . July 14) Mustangs 7, Cuties 1 WP - Shannon Smith LP - Leslie Sellers Alison Champion, 8 hits

C - Tina Forbes, Ann Tate, 1 hit each Blue Jays 14, Eagles 5

Registration

Is Slated

Youth football registration for boys age nine through 12 will be held at the community center July 28 from 1 p. m. until 4 p. m. and on July 80 from 1 p. m. until 4 p. m.

Temple Cops

First Game

Temple Baptist Church's women's softball team won its first game of the season Thursday night at Macedonia Field, defeating Central United Methodist 27-9.

Carolyn Kiser hurled the victory for Temple. Roxanne Tate was the loser.



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The KM entry was cached by Clyde coached by Parrish and Red Kale. **Babe Ruthers** In Area Play

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The winner advances to the state tournament next week in Charlotte.

KM is the favored team, as Coaches David Ray Robinson and Max Brooks have the nucleus of the Kings Mountain School team, which finished second in the tough Southwestern Conference last spring.

KM is strong in every department, especially pitching and hitting, and could be a top contender for the state title.

Ronnie Wilson, the MVP of the KMHS will probably team, the starting assignment Friday, but

KM has several other pitching standouts, including Ray Robinson and David Cobb. All three of those players played on the 18 year old team which finished third in the

regionals two years ago. KM is without services of its top catcher, Tim Whitaker, who was injured in a car wreck two weeks ago. But Bryon White has taken over those chores and has performed well in practice.

Other members of the team include Danny Bolin, Scott Thornburg. Chris Keeter, Craig Bell, Jimmy Hall, Steve Boggan, Butch Pearson, Scott Yarboro and Mark Schuman.