

Junior High Practice Underway



OBSERVING DRILLS — Kings Mountain Junior High girls basketball coach, Candy Albergine, center, observes as Diane Williams, right, and Sheryl Goode go through some one-on-one drills during recent practice session. The Lady Patriots open their season on December 5 against Crest.

Kings Mountain Junior High's girls cagers are working out daily preparing for a December 5 Western Conference opener with Crest.

The Lady Patriots are expecting a good season under Coach Candy Albergine as they have the same players that went 11-1 the past two seasons to win back-to-back Foothills Conference titles.

The jayvees, coached by Becky Summitt, will be rebuilding but the veteran KM mentor still looks for a good season. Most of her players are newcomers to basketball.

The varsity roster includes Leigh Mauney, Rhonda Guy, Diane Williams, Mary Anne White, Mickey James, Sheryl Goode, Bridget Glass, Bam Bam McClain, Lisa Byers, Debbie Whiteside, Leslie Hamrick, Pam Batty and Kim Moss.

The jayvee players include Tammy Peterson, Tammy Bolton, Trina

Hamrick, Arjuana Curry, Tottie Roberts, Charlotte Logan, Karen Roberts, Angela Bell, Glenda Adams, Angela Adams, Jackie Hartgrove, Lisa Crawford, Christa Williams and Agnes Littlejohn.

VARSETY SCHEDULE

DECEMBER

- 5, at Crest
- 8, Burns
- 12, at W. McDowell
- 15, at Shelby
- 19, E. McDowell

JANUARY

- 5, at College Park
- 9, Grandview
- 12, at E. McDowell
- 16, Shelby
- 19, Crest
- 23, at Burns
- 26, W. McDowell
- 30, College Park

FEBRUARY

- 2, at Grandview

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CHECKING SCHEDULE — Kings Mountain Junior High jayvee girls coach Becky Summitt, center, checks practice schedule with a couple of her prospects prior to recent session at the junior high gym. Left is Tammy Bolton and on the right is Karen Roberts. The Pats open December 5 against Crest.

KM Netters

Are Sixth

In Sectional

Kings Mountain High finished sixth out of 20 teams in the western sectional girls tennis tournament which concluded Monday at the Shelby High courts.

The Mountaintettes finished with five points and trailed champion Shelby, Ashbrook, Crest, R-S Central and Newton-Conover.

Pat Durham and Roxanne Tate were the only KM players to make it past the second round. They lost out in the third round Monday morning to the top-seeded team from the northern division, Spears and Petrie of Newton-Conover, 6-2 and 6-1.

Elizabeth McGill and Bridgette White won first round singles matches and Kim Gladden and Sara Mauney won their first round doubles match before being eliminated.

The sixth place finish pleased Coach Ed Guy, who loses only one player, Durham, off his team which finished 5-9 in regular season Southwest 3-A Conference play.

"It (the finish) was as good or better than I expected," he noted. "We finished ahead of some teams from our conference that had better regular season records." The Mountaintettes improved their record by four victories over last spring, when they finished 1-7 in their last season in the Western N. C. High Schools Activities Association.

"We're making progress," noted Guy. "Everybody except Durham will be back next year and we're expecting some girls from the junior high to help us out."

Pee Wees

Win Title

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beaten Stony Point of Alexander County and three other games will also be played.

KM will also participate in the annual Textile Bowl in Belmont on Sat., Nov. 26, facing St. Ann's.

This Saturday, the pee wees and junior midjets will be special guests of Gardner-Webb College when the Bulldogs host Georgetown in a 2 p. m. game. All players are asked to meet at the community center at 12:30.

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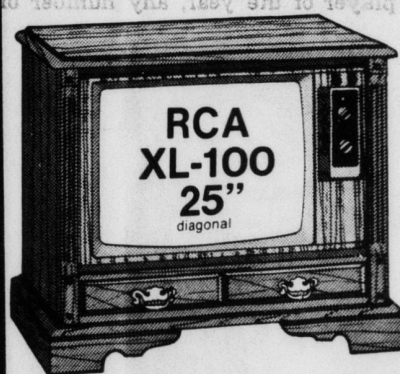
Banquet

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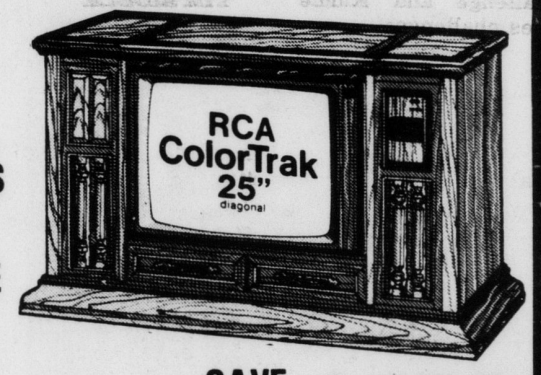
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