



Bo Phongsang on way to another victory for Kings Mountain wrestlers

## Wrestlers second in Regionals

Kings Mountain High's wrestlers fell to Sun Valley 39-26 in the Western Regionals Dual Team championship match Thursday night at North Gaston.

Before losing in the finals, the Mountaineers defeated Southwestern 3-A Conference champion North Gaston 33-24, avenging a regular season defeat when the Mountaineers were without the services of two of their starters.

Binh Davis, Kenny Bridges, Gary Hughes, Derek Houser, Thong Chanthaphang, Robbie Ruff, Bo Phongsang and Cedric Moore scored victories over the Wildcats; and Bridges, Chanthaphang, Ruff, Phongsang, Moore and Shon Byers were winners against Sun Valley.

The results left the Mountaineers with a final dual record of 17-3. They go into state individual com-

petition this week, competing in the Western Regionals February 12-13 at Enka and the state finals February 19-20 at Greensboro.

At Enka, the Mountaineers will be seeking their fourth straight Western championship. Kings Mountain is the only team to ever win the Western crown more than once.

### KM 33, NORTH GASTON 24

103 - Tommy Bratton (NG) p. Stephen Lemmons 1st; 112 - Binh Davis (KM) forfeit; 119 - Kenny Bridges (KM) p. Dale Barnette 1st; 125 - Gary Hughes (KM) d. Jamie Dills 9-6; 130 - Derek Houser (KM) d. Bryan Baker 10-5; 135 - Thong Chanthaphang (KM) d. David Medlin 8-6 ot; 140 - Robbie Ruff (KM) d. Jamie Major 3-0; 145 - Tracy Philbeck (NG) d. Chip Davis 4-1; 152 - Bo Phongsang (KM) d. Nick Dooley 19-12; 160 - Stuart

Fulcher (NG) d. Chad Adams 8-2; 171 - Stephen Dunn (NG) p. Chris Carrigan 1st; 189 - Cedric Moore (KM) p. Ricky Williams 1st; Hwt. - Fred Watson (NG) forfeit.

### SUN VALLEY 39, KM 26

103 - Thompson (SV) p. Stephen Lemmons 1st; 112 - Hough (SV) p. Binh Davis 2nd; 119 - Kenny Bridges (KM) d. Ratterree 3-2 ot; 125 - Young (SV) p. Gary Hughes 2nd; 130 - Gillis (SV) d. Derek Houser 11-4; 135 - Thong Chanthaphang (KM) d. Mike Scharnk 8-5; 140 - Robbie Ruff (KM) d. Stephen Bell 11-3; 145 - Bo Phongsang (KM) d. Morris 9-1; 150 - Sturdivent (SV) p. Chip Davis 3rd; 160 - Svendsen (SV) p. Chad Adams 1st; 171 - Chris Pittman (SV) won by injury default over Bron Smart; 189 - Cedric Moore (KM) p. Calvin Williams 3rd; Hwt. - Shon Byers (KM) won by forfeit.

## Midgette rolls on in duckpins

There seems to be no stopping Mark Midgette in the second half of the Tuesday night Mixed Duckpin Bowling League at Dilling Heating.

Midgette swept four games from second place John Dilling to widen his lead to nine games Tuesday night. Midgette now has a 21-7 mark compared to 12-16 marks for Dilling and R.W. Hullender and 11-17 for Jack Barrett.

Hullender, thanks to Midgette's big win and some balanced scoring by the family, won three of four games from Barrett to pull into a tie for second place.

Midgette bowled a 129 line and 379 set to lead his team over Dilling. Dilling led his group with a 132 line and 353 set.

R.W. Hullender bowled a 152 line and 378 set and Debbie Hullender added a 123 line and 312 set to lead Hullender over Barrett. Barrett led his team with a 126 line and 339 set.



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## KM loses to East Rutherford

Kings Mountain High's basketball teams dropped a pair of games to East Rutherford in Southwestern 3-A Conference basketball action Friday night at East.

The East Rutherford boys broke open a close game in the third quarter and went on to win 71-64, and the East girls jumped out to a quick start and were never headed in a 60-50 victory.

The two Kings Mountain teams return home Friday night to host R-

S Central. Burns comes to KM next Tuesday.

East Rutherford's girls grabbed an 18-7 lead after the first quarter and cruised to victory. Lindsay Spratt led the Lady Cavaliers with 22 points and Dametra Surratt added 17. Tameeka Anderson scored 21 for Kings Mountain.

The East five led by 33-19 at the half. Kings Mountain made a decent run in the third quarter, outscoring East 16-7 to cut the margin

to 40-35 going into the fourth quarter.

Kings Mountain's boys led the favored Cavaliers 30-29 at intermission, but the big size advantage paid off for East in the third quarter as the host team out-scored the Mountaineers 23-11 to take a commanding 52-41 lead into the fourth quarter.

P.J. McIntyre scored 18 points, James Miller 14 and Michael Miller 13 for the Cavaliers. Marquiz Williamson scored 14, Marcus Bell 11 and Justin Jones and Calvin Mathis 10 each for the Mountaineers.

## The Scoreboard

(Kings Mountain Boys Club Basketball League results. All games played at the Central School gym).

### 12-Under League

Suns 44, Bulls 43  
Suns - Landon Benton 12, Alex Burris 10, Bulls - Greg Jarvis 10, Calvin Carroll 10.

### Spurs 52, Trailblazers 49

Spurs - Emery Bess 11, Torrey Cureton 10, Anthony Smith 10, Renaldo Tate 10, Trailblazers - Shawn Adams 12, Lamar Adams 11, Michael Adams 10.

### Magic 54, Lakers 51

Magic - Kevin Henderson 22, Rico Feemster 12, Lakers - Cornelius Matthews 12, Jerry Smith 12.

### Hornets 43, Rockets 40

Hornets - Michael Denton 15, Mike Smith 11, Rockets - T'ree Byers 12, Torey Smith 11.

### KM 68, Erwin Center 46

KM - Mark Jennings 15, Alex Burris 13, Ralph Williams 10.

### Bulls 48, Wolves 39

Bulls - Nick Hopper 21, Steven Hopper 14, Wolves - Corey McCrary 11, Nathan Gillespie 10.

### Celtics 54, Suns 52

Celtics - Ralph Williams 25, Ballie Roseboro 12, Suns - Robert Love 23, Kenneth Williams 12.

### 16-18 Year Olds

### KM 97, Erwin Center 73

KM - Stanker Williams 52, Chris Williams 16, Keith Rhodes 10.

Players of the Week - Renaldo Tate (10-under), Shawn Adams (12-under), Ralph Williams (16-under), Corey McCrary (Academic).

12-Under Standings - Trailblazers 5-1, Celtics 5-1, Magic 4-2, Spurs 4-2, Wolves 3-3, Suns 3-3, Hornets 3-3, Bulls 2-4, Rockets 1-5, Lakers 0-6.

16-Under Standings - Kentucky 4-1, Carolina 4-1, Kansas 3-1, Georgia Tech 3-1, Michigan 1-4, Duke 1-4.

Indiana 1-4, Oklahoma 0-4.

### This Week's Games:

Thursday - Magic vs. Bulls (5:30), Hornets vs. Spurs (6:30).  
Saturday - Celtics vs. Rockets (11:30), Suns vs. Hornets (12:30), 7-8-9 year old all-star game (1:30).  
Tuesday - Lakers vs. Rockets (5:30), Trailblazers vs. Magic (6:30).

(Kings Mountain Parks and Recreation Basketball League results).

### 7-9 Years Old

Hornets 34, Lakers 29  
Mounties 15, Bulls 14  
Lakers 34, Bulls 24  
Hornets 28, Mounties 12  
Standings - Hornets 5-0, Mounties 2-3, Lakers 2-3, Bulls 1-4.

### 10-12 Years Old

Tigers 41, Tarheels 26  
Optimist 30, Blue Devils 27  
Tarheels 33, Blue Devils 28  
Tigers 41, Optimist 25  
Standings - Tigers 6-0, Tarheels 3-3, Optimist 3-3, Blue Devils 0-6.

### 13-15 Years Old

Parker's Amoco 41, International Auto 38  
KMG 46, KM Chiropractic 40  
KMG 42, D&M Auto 25  
T. Jeffers 50, Parkers Amoco 32  
Standings - Little Dan's 3-0, Parker's Amoco 4-2, KMG 4-2, D&M 0-3, KM Chiropractic 0-4.

### Church League

Oak Grove 58, Pleasant Hill 53  
First Presbyterian 57, First Baptist I 45  
Resurrection 76, Midview 52  
Patterson Grove 64, First Baptist II 55  
Mt. Zion 107, Midview 65  
Resurrection 90, First Baptist II 45  
Standings - Mount Zion 5-0, First Presbyterian 4-1, Resurrection 4-1, First Baptist 2-2, Midview 1-3, Pleasant Hill 1-3, Oak Grove 1-2, Patterson Grove 2-3, First Baptist II 0-5.

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