

**SPORTS**



The KM Optimist junior pee wee cheerleaders recently participated in the Greater Gaston Football Conference Championship and qualified for the Regional Competition in Charlotte on Nov. 25. Front row, Madison Webb, Courtney Teague, Erica Carpenter, Jasmine Dye and Morgan Lightsey. Back, Taylor Wade, Courtney Crotts, Coach Angela Carrigan, Lauren Biggers, Makayia Watkins and Jamie

**MOUNTAINEER POSTGAME**

**THE YARDSTICK**

	KM	B
First downs	8	12
Yds. rushing	200	288
Yds. passing	48	87
Passes	11-25-2	6-13-0
Fumbles lost	6	3
Yds. penalized	25	35
<b>Score by quarters:</b>	<b>T</b>	
KM	0	0
Burns	28	21
	3	0
	13	19
	0	52

**FIRST QUARTER**

10:45 - Burns - Eric Howell, fumble recovery in end zone (Ethan Martin kick).

8:26 - Burns - Harvey Kee, 51-run (Martin kick). 1-play, 51-yard drive.

7:26 - Burns - Tee Howell, 32 pass from Lance Camp (Martin kick). 2-play, 35 yard drive after KM fumbled kickoff.

4:10 - Burns - Camp 31-run (Martin kick).

**SECOND QUARTER**

11:48 - Burns - Camp 51 run (Martin kick).

9:34 - Burns - Brian Scott 6 run (Martin kick).

2:27 - Burns - Camp 24 run (Martin kick).

**THIRD QUARTER**

Burns - Martin 20FG.

KM - Michael Roberts 5 run (pass failed).

**FOURTH QUARTER**

KM - Antwan Ross 5 run (Alex Randall kick).

KM - Ross 9 run (kick failed).

**RUSHING**

KM - Ross 17-107, Roberts 13-81, Tevoris Crosby 1-4, Andy Allen 1-8, Burns - Camp 8-129, Scott 9-44, Kee 2-50, Donta Hopper 2-33, O'Bryant Degree 2-13, Zach Gullatte 2-(-3), Chavis Pryor 2-5, Tyler Gill 3-17.

**PASSING**

KM - Roberts 11-25-248.

**RECEIVING**

KM - Roger McClain 3-23, Ross 5-9, Derrick Marable 1-6, Crosby 1-5, Allen 1-5.

**Pop Warner teams win two Saturday**

Kings Mountain Pop Warner football teams won two of their four games Saturday at City Stadium.

The pee wees lost to the Charlotte Cardinals 34-27. Jerick Dabbs rushed for over 200 yards and scored four touchdowns and an extra point. Alex Castellano score two extra points.

Defensive leaders for the Mountaineers were Demery Moody, Douglas Edgerton, Alex Castellano and Brandon Costner.

The pee wees, 7-2, travel to Raleigh Saturday to play in the second round of the Pop Warner Regionals at Garner High School. They face the Arlington, VA Hawks at 12 noon.

The mitey mites defeated Chapel Grove 14-7 as J'air McCluney rushed for 130 yards and scored two touchdowns and an extra point off a pass from Madisyn Bolin.

Christopher Burns scored the other extra point. Defensive leaders were Matthew Absher, Dylan Simms, Bryson Bailey and Corey Tate.

The junior mighty mites ended their season with a 2-6 record.

The junior pee wees shutout the Derita Redskins 29-0. Jaylan Watkins rushed for 100 yards and two touchdowns, and Da'Shon Guest rushed for 100 yards and a touchdown and two extra points.

Chad Sanders scored the other touchdown with Dontarious Adams adding the extra point off a pass from Alex Reynolds. Kings Mountain also recorded a safety.

Outstanding on defense were A.J. Austin, Sam Baker, Elijah Whitaker, Alex Reynolds, Zack Wilson and Colby Bailey, who had an interception.

The junior pee wees, 7-1, play in the McAdenville Christmas Bowl on November 18.

The mighty mites lost to the McAdenville Dolphins 22-6. Kings Mountain's only score came on a 40 yard run by Chris Montgomery, who rushed for 101 yards.

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Coach Kenny Bridges talks to linebacker Thomas Casey on sidelines at Friday's KM at Burns game.

**PIGSKIN PICKERS**



**GARY STEWART**  
(7-8, 110-55)



**BILL PARSONS**  
(6-9, 107-58)



**ANDIE BRYMER**  
(3-12, 81-84)



**RITCHIE HALLMAN**  
(8-7, 110-55)

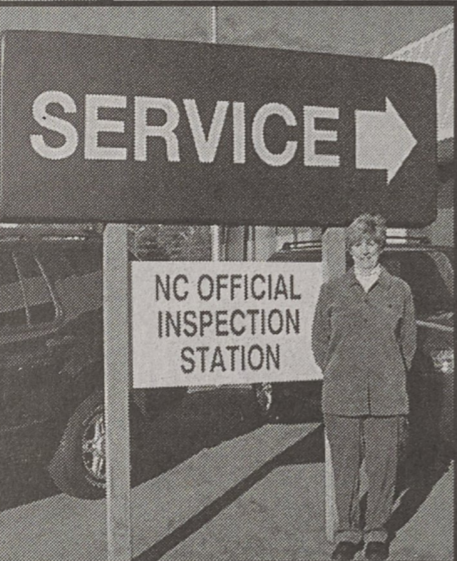
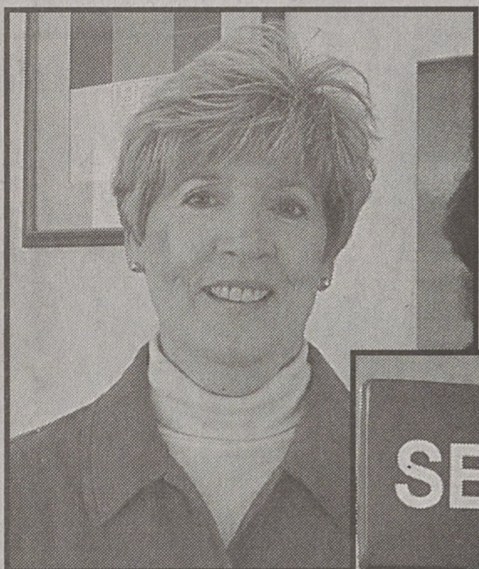


**GUEST**  
(8-7, 111-54)

Miami over Maryland	Maryland	Maryland	Miami	Maryland
Georgia Tech over UNC	Ga. Tech	UNC	Ga. Tech	Ga. Tech
Fla. State over Wake Forest	Fla. State	Florida St.	Fla. St.	Wake
Clemson over NC State	Clemson	Clemson	Clemson	Clemson
LSU over Alabama	LSU	LSU	LSU	LSU
Florida over S. Carolina	Florida	USC	Florida	Florida
Tennessee over Arkansas	Tennessee	Tennessee	Tennessee	Arkansas
Auburn over Georgia	Auburn	Auburn	Auburn	Auburn
Crest over Jav Robinson	Crest	Crest	Crest	Crest
East Gaston over Ashbrook	East Gaston	East Gaston	East Gaston	East Gaston
Burns over Trinity	Burns	Burns	Burns	Burns
Maiden over Lincolnnton	Maiden	Lincolnton	Maiden	Maiden
West Iredell over N. Gaston	North Gaston	West Iredell	W. Iredell	North Gaston
Huss over Rockingham Co.	Huss	Huss	Rockingham	Huss
Swain Co. over Cherryville	Cherryville	Cherryville	Swain Co.	Swain Co.

The pigskin pickers fell on hard times last week. The only ones to break even were guest Joey Brymer and Bannernews sports writer Ritchie Hallman with 8-7 records. Herald editor Gary Stewart, who went 7-8, was badly beaten by his 4-year-old granddaughter, Alyssa Newton, who picks against him at home every Thursday night and picked 13 of 15 winners. The guests hold a one-game lead over Hallman and Stewart heading into the final weekend of the pickin' season. This week's guest is columnist Jim Heffner, who was advised by Lady Hillary.

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