

KMHS girls tennis win 4 of last 5 matches

"With each and every match, we are gaining confidence, but our main focus is concentrating on one match at a time," said Coach R i c k Henderson. "Presently, we are undefeated in conference play with a record of 3 - 0. I feel our team is truly starting to peak at the right time, so I look for our girls to provide some excitement in the mix as we wind down the next two weeks of conference play. The last three scheduled matches will provide a lot of competition for our girls as we face Shelby, Draughn and Crest. Fortu-

nately, the matches with Shelby and Crest will be at Kings Mountain so I'm hoping that will give us a slight advantage. "The Lady Golden Lions of Shelby have a reigning 2A state champion (Nancy Bridges) back in 2012 and was a finalist in 2013. Our #1 singles player (Maddie Lutz) has played Bridges the last couple of years, but unfortunately has come up on the short end simply because Bridges is such a dominating force from all over the court. I look for these two # 1 seeds to have a competitive match, but from a team

perspective I'm being optimistic and I think the Lady Mounties have a good chance in upsetting the Lady Lions this year. This reminds me back in the spring time when the men's team from Shelby was riding a 50 consecutive win streak over a three year period and I felt very optimistic about upsetting them, and the end result was a 7 - 2 win for the Mounties (and the second ever men's conference championship in tennis history for KMHS). So, I believe in these girls."

KM/BURNS: Mounties shutout Burns 28-0

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Watkins and Chance Frederick each had five solo tackles and each batted down a pass. Frederick kept pressure on the Burns quarterback all night, as did Coulter and Dre Bell. Wilson and Capps were also in

on numerous tackles and each had two tipped passes. Burns' defense, led by former Mountaineer Kyle Carroll and Zach Leslie, was outstanding in the first half but KM's ball control offense eventually wore them down. Usually a 50-50 pass-run team, the

Mountaineers went mostly with the run after Bell left the game and McClain pounded the Burns defense for 116 yards rushing which was his fourth 100-yard plus game of the season. Kings Mountain ran 60 offensive plays to 33 by the Bulldogs.

SOCCER: Mounties sweep East, Cramer

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Rithiphong scored off a great pass from Baker. At the eight minute mark, Brian Lysek scored off his chest as his older brother Robbie made a long throw into the box. At the 18-minute mark, Luke Rikard blasted a shot from 12 yards out off a super

pass from Chase Yow to make it 3-0 at the half. Although the host team controlled a good bit of possession, they would not score again until the 69th minute. Baker scored off a wonderfully placed through ball by Jordan Swezy. Ledford once again recorded the shutout in goal for the Mountaineers, who

closed out the week with three victories. **JVs 1, CRAMER 0** The JV match was hard fought throughout but the Mountaineers got a goal from Hunter Champion for a 1-0 victory. John Harris was in goal for the Mountaineers as they posted their third win of the week.

Trailblazers win two, lose two in Spartanburg

The Kings Mountain Elite Trailblazers won two of four games against the Spartanburg Gators in Southland Conference action Saturday.

Kings Mountain's 11-12 year old varsity team won 14-0.

Titus Phillips' 55 yard interception return broke a scoreless tie in the second half and provided the Trailblazers with momentum.

Kobe Paysour sealed the win with a 35 yard touchdown run in the fourth quarter. Paysour finished with seven carries for 73 yards.

Gabriel Stephens led the defense with eight tackles, including one for loss, one forced fumble and a fumble recovery.

Damien Wilson had five tackles and a sack and Phillips added four tackles and a sack and one inter-

ception. Javon Hogue had five tackles and a sack and Javari Rice contributed to the Trailblazers defense as they improved their record to 2-1.

The 9-10 year old JV Trailblazers rolled to a 20-6 win over the Gators.

Ezekiel Cannedy hit 5 of 7 passes for 52 yards and scored one rushing touchdown.

Derek Wilson had six carries for 34 yards and a touchdown, and Orlando Odums Jr. had four catches for 42 yards.

Darius Wilson sealed the win with a 50 yard interception return for a touchdown. Other contributors to the defense were Malachi Hamrick (four tackles, one sack and a safety), Isaiah Tate (five tackles) and Odums (four tackles).

The JV team also im-

proved to 2-1.

The 5-6 year olds fell to the Gators 12-8 in a defensive battle.

Jordan Littlejohn led the offense with seven carries for 110 yards and Lamarion Adams had seven carries for 37 yards, a touchdown and two-point conversion.

Tyler Furman led the defense with five tackles, including one for loss. Jonathan Moore had four tackles including two for loss.

The 7-8 year old Mighty Mites were shutout 22-0.

Bryson Brown led the Trailblazers with 73 yards rushing and six tackles on defense. Duane Jolly added four tackles, including one for loss, a forced fumble and a fumble recovery.

The Trailblazers dropped to 1-2.



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