

# Smokin Dragons finish at the top...again

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For the sixth year in a row, the Green County Smokin Dragons Trap Team competed in the U.S. Nationals in Morengo, Ohio, July 19 and 20.

The Dragons had two different teams finish in the top five in the country.

The Senior Team consisting of three seniors, a junior and a sophomore, hit a total of 975 of 1,000 targets over a two-day period, finishing fourth in the senior division.

The senior division is arguably the toughest division in the country with more than 80 teams competing for a spot in the top five.

The senior team was led by Connor Richardson and Alex Price, both hitting 198 of 200 during the tournament.

Junior Briley Cox also had a great year and wrapped it up by

hitting 195 of 200 to help the team medal again this year.

Not to be out done, the Open Team, consisting of three sophomores and two eighth graders, finished second in the Open division competing against more than 100 teams from across the country.

Sophomore Brice Matney led the team by hitting 196 of 200 targets, and eighth grader Blane Cissell came through like a seasoned pro by hitting 195 of 200 targets.

In addition to the team awards, three members of the team, Alex Price, Briley Cox, and Brice Matney were named to the All-State team. Kentucky won the All State U.S. Nationals.

More than 2,700 athletes from 26 states competed in the eight-day event.

Green County obviously represented their community, school and



Photos submitted

Members of the Green County Smokin' Dragons trap shooting team had a great year, finishing in the top five in the country in a match in July in Morengo, Ohio. Left, Alex Price, Briley Cox, Devon Robertson, Owen Grant, Connor Richardson, Anthony Richard, and Maylee Price. Back, Garrett Tucker, Brice Matney, Blane Cissell, and Kayden Young.

team very well.

The Smokin Dragons won the High School Championship

for a second year in a row, the Kentucky state amateur tournament and the Kentucky state

scholastic clay target tournament on their way to the U.S. Nationals.

The community has a lot to be proud of with this group of young men and women.

## Varsity XC runs well in BG

**BY CLEVIS JEFFRIES**  
STAFF WRITER

The Green County Varsity Cross Country teams competed in the Purple Strider Invitational Saturday at Kereiakes Park in Bowling Green. Running in the 5000 meter races, the Dragons finished second and the Lady Dragons, third.

The boys were led by Bradley Abell who finished seventh overall with a time of 17:51.66.

Also scoring were: Mason Stone, 13th, 18:12.59; Rylee Marlin, 28th, 19:17.72; Gage Cornett, 30th, 19:21.28; and Matthew Soto, 31st, 19:23.18.

Additional finishes included: Nash Johnson, 32nd, 19:27.27; Zach Jewell, 57th, 20:14.60; Creighton Robertson, 81st, 21:17.20; Austin Purvis, 111th, 23:02.43; and Walker Boggs, 119th, 23:28.26.

Luke Spurrier of South Warren won the race with a time of 17:09.38.

With 19 full teams

competing, Rossview High of Tennessee was the winning team with 73 points. Green County had 103.

Head Coach Tim Deaton said, "The boys had a very workman-like performance and a solid second place finish against a good field. Veteran effort!"

The girls were led by Gracie Wingler who finished fifth overall. Her time was 21:59.22.

Also scoring were: Carlee Coffey, 19th, 24:01.86; Maelin Bailey, 22nd, 24:19.37; Kali Graham, 25th, 25:00.78; and Chelsey Sneed, 49th, 27:09.44.

Additional finishes included: Trinity Manners, 67th, 31:15.85; and Sage Judd, 71st, 32:49.38.

Among eight full teams, Bowling Green High won with 36 points. Green County scored 71.

"The girls slipped in a nice third place finish. The humidity was brutal, but the girls fought hard for every spot," said Coach Deaton.

In the middle school boys 3000 meter run,



Gracie Wingler gives every ounce of energy she has left at the finish line. Wingler finishes fifth with a time of 21:59.22. The girls team finished third out of eight teams.

Blake Bryant led the Dragons, finishing fourth overall with a time of 11:42.91.

Also scoring were: Jayden Marr, fifth, 11:52.65; Houston Hodges, eighth, 12:33.30; Brennan Jewell, 36th, 14:17.78; and Keegan Zulager, 49th, 15:14.60.

Additional finishes included: Charlie Moon, 50th, 15:17.18; Tanner Willis, 65th, 16:09.64; and Jeff York, 78th, 16:52.86.



Photos by Angelina Alcott

Pacing off each other Matthew Soto, Gage Cornett, and Nash Johnson enter the last mile of the Purple Striders 5K in Bowling Green on Saturday. The boys Varsity team placed second out of 19 teams.

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## Football Contest Rules

To enter the contest, contestants may use either this page or an identical page obtained at no charge at the Record-Herald office, 102 West Court Street, Greensburg. You do not have to purchase a paper or anything else to be eligible to win. Only one entry per person. Contestants must circle their winning teams on the page. Should contestants get the same number of games correct, the tie will be broken by the tie-breaker. All entries must be MAILED to the Greensburg Record-Herald, P.O. Box 130, Greensburg, KY 42743. All entries must have an automated postmark no later than FRIDAY, 5 p.m., of this week. To be eligible for the Grand Prize and bonus, an entry must be received by Saturday morning. **Mark all envelopes FOOTBALL CONTEST. NO ENTRIES WILL BE ACCEPTED IN PERSON** at any participating stores or at the Record-Herald. The grand prize will be awarded when a contestant picks the winners of 24 different games. For each week that no one wins, the amount will increase by \$25.

### AN ORDINANCE PROVIDING FOR THE LEVYING AND COLLECTION OF A PROPOSED AD VALOREM TAX FOR THE CITY OF GREENSBURG, KENTUCKY FOR THE YEAR OF 2018 ORDINANCE NO. 2018-0813PTRO

**BE IT ORDAINED BY THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF GREENSBURG, KENTUCKY:**

**Section I:** The ad valorem tax of **(.217)** on each assessed value of property is hereby levied on all lands, improvements and personal property, tangible and intangible, held or owned by any person, firm, company, corporation or association in his, hers, theirs, or its name, or as fiduciary or agent and subject to taxation under the laws of the State of Kentucky, including all property and franchises heretofore and hereinafter assessed by the Green County Property Valuation Administrator, State Tax commission and the State Board of Valuation and Assessment. A franchise tax at the rate of (\$.25) per \$100.00 on all bank deposits as defined in KRS Chapter 136 shall be assessed. As allowable by statutes, the ad valorem tax on motor vehicles shall be the same at which was levied January 1, 1983, (\$.270) per \$100.00 of assessed value, this is to be paid through the office of the appropriate County Clerk at the time of the vehicle registration and distributed to the City of Greensburg.

**Section II:** All of such taxes above, with the exception of motor vehicle taxes, shall be paid to the City Clerk/Treasurer and shall be due and collectible on receipt. All taxes paid on or before October 31st, 2018, are entitled to a 2% discount; all tax bills paid between November 1 and December 31st, 2018 are due as billed; all tax bills not paid by January 1, 2019 shall be deemed delinquent and in addition to the amount of taxes due, a penalty of 5% shall be paid; delinquent tax bills paid after February 1, 2019 shall have a 10% penalty added. All penalties shall be collected in the same manner as the taxes due.

**Section III:** The City Clerk/Treasurer is hereby authorized to collect said taxes and penalties and to allow proper discount.

**Section IV:** This ad valorem tax is levied for the purpose of paying officers and employees of the City of Greensburg, expenses to the fire and police departments, utilities, street and city property maintenance and improvements, construction, as well as the other current expense of the city; and shall be paid into the General Fund for the purpose of paying all legal claims against the City.

**Section V:** The Green County assessment of property situated within the City of Greensburg is hereby adopted as the city assessment for the City ad valorem taxes for the year 2018.

**Section VI:** Any unpaid tax as herein provided for shall remain a lien against the property in favor of the City of Greensburg until paid.

**The City of Greensburg proposes a tax rate of .217 with anticipated revenue of \$164,169.**

**Section VII:** This Proposed Ordinance becomes effective upon adoption and publication according to law.

Enacted this day of September 10th, 2018.

**A COMPLETE COPY OF THE 2018 PROPERTY TAX ORDINANCE (2018-0813PTRO) IS AVAILABLE AT CITY HALL FOR PUBLIC INSPECTION.**

ATTEST:  
Mayor, George C. Cheatham, II

City Clerk/Treasurer, Jane Blakeman  
Casey, CKMC, CMC

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