The boys of spring in the Sunshine State

SPORTS WRITER

As the rain moved into Greensburg, the Dragon baseball squad headed south to Panama City, Fla.

Green Co. (1) vs. Arnold (9) April 1

The Dragons opened Spring Break baseball play against two powerhouse Florida teams last week in the Panama City Beach Bash.

Brody Bush started on the mound for the Dragons against event host Arnold High School, which is coached by Green County High School alum Greg Gumm.

GCHS held Arnold scoreless until the bottom of the second inning when an Arnold player singled to score a teammate.

The Dragons lone run came in the fifth inning when Jackson Johnson scored off a single by Dennis Rose. Arnold returned fire and scored five runs in the bottom of the fifth inning and extended their lead 9-1.

Jacob Keith entered the game midway through the bottom of the fifth inning to relieve Bush. Braeden Sluder entered the game, bottom of the sixth inning to close out the game for the Dragons.

Green Co. (2) vs. Bozeman (9) April 1

A single by Bryce Blakeman in the bottom of the first inning scored Kellen Whitlow to tie the game 1-1.

Bozeman scored big in the top of the second inning and took a 5-1 lead over the Dragons. Jacob Scott started on the mound for the Dragons. He struck out three batters in the three innings pitched. Cole Edmonds entered and pitched 2.2 innings before Whitlow took over on the mound for the final 1.1 innings. Whitlow struck out one

The Dragons' final run was scored by Dennis Rose who wasted no time rounding the bases after a double by Whitlow in the bottom of the sixth inning. Bozeman scored a total of nine runs, one in the first, four in the second, one in the third, and three in the sixth inning to seal a 9-2 win.

Green Co. (1) vs. Breckinridge Co. (5) April 2

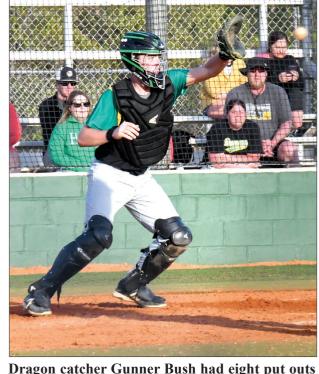
Breckinridge took over on the scoreboard early with a solo home

Jackson Johnson pitched for the Dragons for more than five innings. He ended with one strike out.

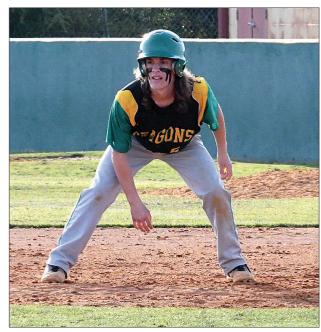
Early in the tournament, the Dragons struggled with errors, but stayed steady against Breckinridge County and did not commit a single error. The wall behind home plate, Gunner Bush had the most put-outs with eight.

Players were connecting with pitches, but struggled to make their way around all the bases. Blayde Milby, Johnson, Scott and Rose led the team in hits.

> Green Co. (1) vs. Graves Co. (4) April 4



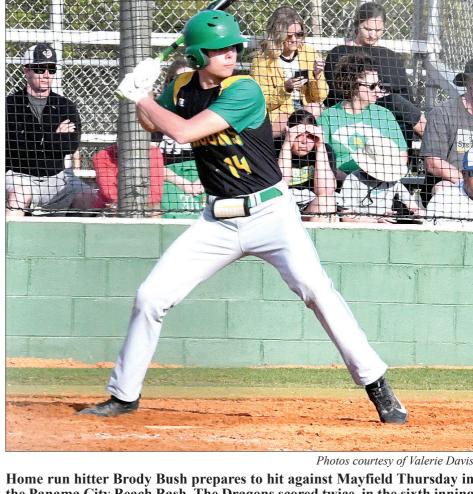
Dragon catcher Gunner Bush had eight put outs against Breckenridge County April 2 in the Dragons' trip to the Panama City Beach Bash.



Jackson Johnson gets a big lead in the Panama City Beach Bash last week. Johnson scored the first Dragon run of the week-long baseball extravaganza hosted by Arnold High School, which is coached by former GCHS star Greg Gumm.

The scoring gap dropped dramatically as the week advanced

for the Dragons. Small-town heart and team focus was displayed throughout the week. Graves County took a 1-0 lead in the first inning, but a single by Scott tied the game in the second



the Panama City Beach Bash. The Dragons scored twice in the sixth inning with a single by Gunner Bush and his brother's home run, but fell 12-7 to the rival Kentucky team.

inning.

The game remained scoreless for both teams. It was only in the fourth inning when Graves County scored their final three runs for the win.

Brody Bush led the team with two hits.

Green Co. (7) vs. Mayfield (12) April 5

The threat of rain moved the final game of the Spring Break tournament up for the Dragons.

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