

# 2021 Sports Highlights

## Colts participated in Grandslam Tournaments



The Lexington Colts Baseball Team participated in the Grandslam Tournaments in the 2021 Spring Baseball Season as a traveling team. The team gave maximum efforts this baseball season. The Lexington Colts finished strong. Mayor Robin McCrory treated the team to an end of season pizza party on June 10. Pictured front row: Coach Peter Reeves, Zakaria Smith, Samarian Wright, Dequan Stewart, Jaden Banks, JaMarion Stewart, De Shawn Wilson, and Coach Timothy Brown; back row: Organizer Sherri Reeves, Ronald Redmond, Jr., Breareon Stewart, Milagro Greer, Jr., J’Vion Mitchell, Bobby Stewart, Keyshawn Wright, Teron Wright and Alfredo Randle, Jr. Not pictured: Dredarius Randle, Jamarkis Stewart and Coach Tocarro Jefferson.

## Holmes Central High School announce Jaguars Powerlifting Team



Holmes County Central High School has announced members of the 2020-2021 Jaguars Powerlifting Team. Pictured above (from left): Debreyana Head, 11th grade; Deric Junior, 12th grade; Jeremiah Williams, 9th grade; Ricky Anderson, 11th grade; Alisha Epps, 11th grade; and Shanterra Gipson, 12th grade. Not pictured are: Octavious Huston, 12th grade; Erica Blackmon, 12th grade; Hailey Hobson, 11th grade; and Kamesha Dickens, 11th grade. (Photo by Matthew Breazeale)

## 2021 Trojan Softball team



The Central Holmes Lady Trojans are in the midst of their 2021 season, and, for a second year in a row, have to deal with the repercussions of COVID 19 and the COVID Delta Variant. The Lady Trojans are a very young team, with only one senior, Aubrey Carr, who returned from last year’s team. This year’s team has shown great improvement. Currently, they have a 7-4 overall record, with 2-2 in conference play. Many of the games that they have lost have been extremely close. They have played a very competitive schedule, including much larger schools, such as Jackson Academy, Pillow Academy and Park Place. With several games left in conference play, the team hopes to make the North State AAAA Tournament. The 2021 team is led by head coach Rusty Miller and assistant coach Jonathan McBride. Pictured above, front row: Claire Tate, Heidi Hudson, Joshi Land, Sara Word, Emma Word; second row: Allie Rae McBride, Harley Grace Rayburn, Lilly Brennan, Ryleigh Scott, Paicey Ingram, Gracie Shepard; back row: Rusty Miller (coach), Katelyn Box, Daynie Parish, Anna Duke, Kelby Wade, Olivia McBride, Aubrey Carr, Gracie Burrell, Shelby Schuster, Hanna Hood, Maddie Alford, Jonathan McBride (coach); not pictured: JJ Brown.

## Central Holmes High School Teams District 2-AAA Champions



Central Holmes High School track teams won District 2-AAA track meet. The girls won with 90 points, with 2nd place going to Oak Hill with 71 points. The boys won with 137 points, with 2nd place going to Carroll Academy with 50.50 points. Pictured above, front row (from left to right) are: Aubrey Carr, Breann Bell, Hayley Haffey, Cameron Martin, Jace Dean, Lawrence Wiley, Artino Brown, Jurdan Engle and John Ward; back row (from left to right) are: Michael Jones, Zoey Jones, Hattie Melton, J.J. Brown, Claire Tate, Allie Rae McBride, Mackenzie Ward, Kenzie Cochran, Olivia McBride, Harley Grace Rayburn, Hudson Haffey, Barrett Fondren, Gibson Parish, Ellis Harris, Lamarion Buchanan, Cayton Edwards and Coach Nikki Meeks. Not pictured is Addie Burrell, Daynie Parish, Ashlyn Tate, Ashton Tate and Ryleigh Scott. (Photo submitted.)

## CHCS Lady Trojans named 2021 District 2-AAA Basketball Champs, Advance to State Tourney



Pictured above (from left) Kelby Wade, Makenzie Ward, Rylee Sizemore, Landry Gardner, Jesse Burton, Hayley Haffey, Breann Bell (holding the trophy) Cameron Martin, Aubrey Carr, Taylor Spell and Nikki Edwards, coach. This win is the Lady Trojans third year in a row. (Courtesy Photo)

## Two Lady Jaguars sign intent to play basketball for Holmes Community College



The Holmes Community College Lady Bulldogs basketball team will soon see two new names on its roster. Holmes County Central High School Lady Jaguars Shanbria Rule (seated left) and Jarie Rule (seated right) have both signed letters of intent to play at the Goodman community college. Rule said on Tuesday, January 12, she plans to major in physical therapy. Rule is the daughter of Tijuanda Hille and David Rule. Brice, the daughter of Kiley Brice, said she plans to study and major in nursing. Both girls are pictured flanked by their team and classmates. Pictured standing (from left): Shkendalah Jones, 11th grade; Brianna Jordan, 11th grade; Kelsi Andrews, 7th grade; Elyshah Huntley, 9th grade; Carleigh Andrews, 11th grade; Dekyra Mitchell, 9th grade; Rayanna Meeks, 10th grade; and Jeremiah Williams, 9th grade, team manager. Not pictured is Lady Jaguars Coach Luana Greer. (Photo by Matthew Breazeale)