

GCHS Wrestlers at state, Brockman places fourth

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Four Green County High School wrestlers competed in the KHSAA State Wrestling Championships February 26-28 at Alltech Arena in Lexington. Green County's Scout Brockman placed fourth overall in the 152lb. weight class. Her results: Champ. Round 1 - defeated Aracely Carbajal, Central Hardin, by technical fall (TF 16-1); Quarterfinal - defeated by Emma Hood, Highlands, by fall; Cons. Round 2 - defeated Kennedy Burger, Boyle County, by fall; Cons.

Round 3 - defeated Jacelyn Smith, Union County, by disqualification; Cons. Semi - defeated Aubrey Haisma, John Hardin, by decision (Dec 13-8); 3rd Place Match - defeated by Cathlynn Smith, Franklin County, by fall. Lafayette won the girls' state title, scoring 120 points. Dragon results by weight class: 120 - Prestyn Walls - Champ. Round 2 - defeated Jyden Jones, Valley, by fall; Champ. Round 2 - defeated by Carson Matney, Johnson Central, by decision (Dec 14-7); Cons. Round 2 - defeated Christon Johnson, Hopkinsville,

by fall; Cons. Round 3 - defeated by Brycen Gray, Woodford County, by fall; 132 - Ayden Hall - Champ. Round 1 - defeated by Landon Howard, Johnson Central, by fall; Cons. Round 1 - defeated Keith Johnson, Frederick Douglass, by decision (Dec 8-5); Cons. Round 2 - defeated by Ethan Piasecki, Dixie Heights, by technical fall (TF 17-0); 175 - Ryder Sadler - Champ. Round 1 - defeated by Ben Hall, Paducah Tilghman, by fall; Cons. Round 1 - defeated Peyton Walker, West Carter, by fall; Cons. Round 2 - defeated by Darius Ridner, McCreary Central, by fall.

Union County won the boys' state title, scoring 271 points. "The State Tournament was full of firsts for our program. We had our first two-time state placer in Scout Brockman. We had our first boy reach Day 2 of the tournament in Prestyn Walls, which means he was a match away from placing Top 8," said Coach Luke Shaffer. "Every wrestler won at least one match at the State Tournament! I am beyond proud of how our team has progressed this year. Although others may not be, we are looking forward to the future!"



Photo submitted
Lady Dragon Scout Brockman placed fourth overall in her weight class during the KHSAA Girls State Wrestling Championship Saturday, February 28 at Alltech Arena in Lexington.



Kylee Hargan scored seven points in the district tournament wins over Caverna and LaRue County.



Isabella Clopton sets up for the three-point shot during the district tournament at Caverna. Green County defeated Caverna and LaRue County to win the tournament.



Baylee Wills makes a strong move to the basket against LaRue County. She scored four points in the 53-35 win over the Lady Hawks.

Lady Dragons

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Scoring by quarters:
GC 30 10 16 14 70
C 2 8 2 9 21
Individual scoring:
Scout Brockman 20, Chloe Fortner 18, Brooklyn Jewell 8, Rebekaha Pruitt 6, Kylee Hargan 5, Parker Hodges 5, Isabella Clopton 3, Lydia Corbin 3, Baylee Bishop 2.
Rebounds:
Brockman 18, Fortner 8, Pruitt 7, Hargan 5, Clopton 4, Corbin 3, Hodges 3, Jewell 3.

Green County 53 LaRue County 35
While this game was not as much of a blow-out as the previous two games had been against LaRue, Green County still walked away with an impressive win. The Lady Dragons have an 11-game winning streak over the Lady Hawks. LaRue County took an early 3-0 lead but that would be their only lead in the game. The Lady Hawks only scored two field goals and one free throw in the first quarter as Green County opened up a 15-6 lead. The Lady Dragon defense allowed only one field goal for LaRue in the second period, but the Lady Hawks kept it close by hitting seven free throws. At halftime, eight of the 15 Lady Hawks points were from the charity stripe.



Scout Brockman powers through the LaRue defense in the district championship game. She scored 19 points against the Lady Hawks.



Parker Hodges works the baseline to get open for a shot against Caverna in the first round of the district tournament.

In the third quarter, the Lady Dragons continued to pull away, despite getting in some serious foul trouble. During the third quarter, a significant moment occurred when Chloe Fortner reached 1,000 career points. The two teams played evenly in the last period as the Lady Dragons won their tenth game out of the last 11 contests. GC 15 11 16 11 53
LC 6 9 9 11 35
Individual scoring:
Brockman 19, Fortner 13, Clopton 9, Jewell 5, Willis 4, Hargan 2, Pruitt 1.
Rebound stats not available.
The Lady Dragons lost to Campbellsville last night in the first round of the 5th Region Tournament, 63-



The Green County High School Lady Dragons won the 18th District Tournament championship Friday night. They defeated Caverna 70-21 in the semifinals and then beat LaRue County 53-35 in the championship game. The Green County High School cheerleaders provided great support in all the district tournament games.

39. Green County fell behind early in the game but put together a comeback in the third quarter before running out of steam. There will be more details in next week's paper.