

# Kentucky High School Athletic Association

## Sports News

**FOR IMMEDIATE RELEASE:**

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### **BOARD OF CONTROL MEETING**

The Board of Control of the KHSAA will hold its November meeting Tuesday and Wednesday, November 13 and 14, at the Association office in Lexington. Committee meetings will begin Tuesday at 1:30 p.m. (ET), with the full Board meeting scheduled for 8:30 a.m. on Wednesday.

Among agenda items will be review of proposals for the 2002, 2003 and 2004 State Soccer Championships and the 2003 and 2004 State Baseball Finals. Proposals will be discussed at 2 p.m. on Tuesday by the Teams Sports Committee with the Board to vote on the committee's recommendations on Wednesday.

For a complete agenda, contact the KHSAA.

### **EIGHT-PLAYER FOOTBALL CHAMPIONSHIP**

Eminence and Bethlehem advanced to this Friday night's Eight-Player State Championship set for 8 p.m. at Kentucky State University's Alumni Stadium in Frankfort. Eminence defeated Kentucky Country Day, 48-36, to advance while Bethlehem earned a date in the championship after defeating Caverna, 56-6.

General Admission are now on sale at the two schools for \$6 for adults and students. At the gate, tickets will be \$8 for adults and \$6 for students (age 7 through grade 12). Those under the age of seven will be admitted for free. Gates open at 7 p.m.

Friday, Nov. 2

Caverna 40, Jenkins 38 (OT)

Kentucky Country Day 54, Beth Haven 14

Friday, Nov. 9

Eminence 48, Kentucky Country Day 36

Sat., Nov. 10

Bethlehem 56, Caverna 6

Friday, Nov. 16

Eminence (8-3) vs. Bethlehem (9-2), 8 p.m.

### **RECORDS WATCH**

Several players completed outstanding careers over the weekend and rank among the football records leaders. Following are individual career totals and where they rank having completing their high school careers. Career rank among state leaders is listed in parenthesis.

Michael West, Lawrence County

Year	GP	Rush Att	Yards	TD R	TD O	PTS.
1998 (Fr.)	13	67	574	1	0	6
1999 (So.)	14	210	2,727	32	2	204
2000 (Jr.)	11	223	2,338	32	0	192
2001 (Sr.)	11	258	2,086	28	0	182
Totals	49	758 (12th)	7,725 (3rd)	93 (6th)	2	584 (8th)

West's 95 career total touchdowns rank sixth.

Monquantae Gibson, Moore

Year	GP	Rush Att	Yards	TD R	TD O	PTS.
1998 (Fr.)	10	136	719	8	0	48
1999 (So.)	10	214	1,264	17	3	136
2000 (Jr.)	11	219	2,002	29	7	224
2001 (Sr.)	12	282	2,756 (9th)	43 (t8th)	3	288 (6th)
Totals	43	851 (9th)	6,741 (6th)	97 (t4th)	13	696 (2nd)

Gibson's 110 career total touchdowns rank second.

Andy Ahrens, Ballard

\*-No report received from the school for Playoff week #2

Year	GP	Pass Att	Pass Comp.	Yards Passing	TD Passing	Int
1998 (Fr.)	10	183	88	1,071	7	12
1999 (So.)	11	295	147	2,005	18	16
2000 (Jr.)	11	330	191	2,583	21	15
2001 (Sr.)	11	319	175	2,808 (25th)	27	10
Totals	43	1,127 (2nd)	601 (3rd)	8,467 (4th)	73	53

Maurice Marchman, Ballard

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Year	GP	Receptions	Yards	TD R	TD O	PTS.
1998 (Fr.)						
1999 (So.)	11	31	510	5	0	30
2000 (Jr.)	11	71	1,025	9	12	126
2001 (Sr.)	11	68	1,275	13	0	78
Totals	33	170 (4th)	2,810 (5th)	27	12	234

## FOOTBALL NOTES FROM PLAYOFF WEEK#2

*(As provided by member schools)*

Heading in to this week's Class 4A match-up with Owensboro, Apollo has picked off 20 interceptions on the year.

Eric Ealy had eight tackles, including a key pass deflection that resulted in an interception to help Bell County snap Lawrence County's undefeated season with an 8-0 win. Ealy also accounted for three tackles for a total loss of 26 yards. Josh Nelson added 10 tackles and intercepted Ealy's deflection and returned it 10 yards as Lawrence County was driving and on the Bell County eight-yard line.

Aaron Johnson became the first Bowling Green player to rush for five touchdowns in the Purples' 52-40 win over Paducah Tilghman. Johnson ran 19 times for 194 yards and the five touchdowns. Jay Bradford set a new school record with his fourth return of a fumble recovery for a score. Bradford has recovered seven fumbles on the year, returning three for touchdowns.

Harrodsburg's Mark Dunn became the school's single-season rushing leader in a 29-24 loss to Holy Cross (Louisville). Dunn finished the season with 254 attempts, 2,234 yards and 27 touchdowns. He broke the old mark set by Donald Wayne Smith with 2,190 yards on 316 attempts set in 1984. For Holy Cross (Louisville), Eric Moore ran 37 times for 320 yards and three touchdowns. Moore also had two pass receptions for another 14 yards and a touchdown.

Male's Michael Bush ran 13 times for 109 yards and three touchdowns as the defending Class AAAA State Champion Bulldogs defeated Pleasure Ridge Park, 25-22. Chris Barclay picked up 84 of his 111 yards rushing in the second half while Sergio Spencer recovered a key fumble for the Dogs and returned it six yards for a score. Kyle Wheatley also had a fumble recovery early in the game for Male.

Paul Dunbar's Corey Dunn ended his career with school records for yards rushing in a game (267), in a season (1,644) and in a career (3,350). The Bulldogs fell out of postseason action with a 56-7 loss to Henry Clay.

Mason County quarterback Dustin Grutza ran for three touchdowns and completed three touchdown passes in the Royals' 40-35 win over Lloyd Memorial. With his efforts, he set school records for touchdown passes in a season (17) and passing yards in a season (1,855). Nathan Myrick ran for 134 yards and two touchdowns in the win. Myrick upped his season total rushing yards to 1,127. Mason County's 11 wins is a school record for a season.

## UNDEFEATED TEAMS

With Lawrence County falling to Bell County, just four teams remain undefeated heading in to the third round of the playoffs.

CLASS A (None)

CLASS AA (One Team) - Bardstown (12-0) – 11/16 vs. Larue Co.

CLASS AAA (Three Teams) - Boyle Co. (12-0) – 11/16 vs. Central; Lexington Catholic (12-0) – 11/16 vs. Covington Catholic; Rockcastle Co. (12-0) – 11/16 vs. Bell Co.

CLASS AAAA (None)

## **FOOTBALL 2001 SINGLE-GAME SUPERLATIVES**

(As reported by Member Schools)

### Yards Rushing (Min. 300 Yards)

574 – Monquanta Gibson (Moore) vs. Seneca, 10/26  
419 – Mark Dunn (Harrodsburg) vs. Paris, 9/28  
362 – Arliss Beach (Ashland Blazer) vs. Rowan Co., 9/19  
328 – Josh Wyrick (Bullitt East) vs. Doss, 9/28  
320 – Eric Moore (Holy Cross (Louisville)) vs. Harrodsburg, 11/9  
318 – Monquanta Gibson (Moore) vs. Elizabethtown, 9/14  
314 – Eamon Mueller (Highlands) vs. Scott, 10/26  
310 – Michael West (Lawrence Co.) vs. Huntington Cabell-Midland (WV), 8/24  
308 – Tristan Huffman (Glasgow) vs. Elizabethtown, 9/7  
303 – Arliss Beach (Ashland Blazer) vs. Johnson Central, 8/17  
302 – Arliss Beach (Ashland Blazer) vs. Belfry, 8/24

### Touchdowns Rushing (Min. 5)

8 – Monquanta Gibson (Moore) vs. Seneca, 10/26  
6 – Arliss Beach (Ashland Blazer) vs. Rowan Co., 9/19  
6 – Monquanta Gibson (Moore) vs. Elizabethtown, 9/14  
6 – Michael West (Lawrence Co.) vs. Huntington Cabell-Midland (WV), 8/24  
5 – Aaron Johnson (Bowling Green) vs. Paducah Tilghman, 11/9  
5 – Nathan Myrick (Mason Co.) vs. West Carter, 10/26  
5 – Malachi Maxwell (Madison Southern) vs. Powell Co., 9/28  
5 – Malachi Maxwell (Madison Southern) vs. Shelby Co., 9/21  
5 – Kevin Smith (Newport Central Catholic) vs. Holy Cross (Covington), 10/5  
5 – Mark Dunn (Harrodsburg) vs. Paris, 9/15  
5 – Tristan Huffman (Glasgow) vs. Elizabethtown, 9/7  
5 – Eric Moore (Holy Cross (Louisville)) vs. Shawnee, 8/24  
5 – Aaron Johnson (Bowling Green) vs. Monroe Co., 8/25  
5 – Mark Dunn (Harrodsburg) vs. Lincoln Co., 8/24  
5 – Trey Hayes (Caverna) vs. Jenkins, 11/2

### Yards Passing (Min. 325)

413 – Andy Ahrens (Ballard) vs. Shelby Co., 9/28  
364 – Kyle McGraw (Owensboro Catholic) vs. Edmonson Co., 10/12  
335 – Andy Ahrens (Ballard) vs. Paul Dunbar, 8/18  
332 – Jeff Duggins (Boyle Co.) vs. East Jessamine, 10/12  
328 – B.J. Foley (Corbin) vs. Adair Co., 9/19  
325 – Jared Wagner (Fleming Co.) vs. Nicholas Co., 9/7

### Touchdowns Passing (Min. 5)

6 – Andy Ahrens (Ballard) vs. Seneca, 10/5  
6 – Jared Wagner (Fleming Co.) vs. Nicholas Co., 9/7  
5 – Jeff Duggins (Boyle Co.) vs. East Jessamine, 10/12  
5 – Jared Wagner (Fleming Co.) vs. Lewis Co., 9/28  
5 – John Monin (Bardstown) vs. Nelson Co., 9/7  
5 – Mike Evans (Hopkins Co. Central) vs. Caldwell Co., 9/7  
5 – Andre Woddson (North Hardin) vs. Paducah Tilghman, 8/18

### Receptions (Min. 8)

12 – Kellen Smith (Barren Co.) vs. Grayson Co., 9/28  
12 – Maurice Marchman (Ballard) vs. Seneca, 10/5  
10 – Kellen Smith (Barren Co.) vs. Ohio Co., 10/12  
10 – Michael Bush (Male) vs. Lexington Catholic, 9/7  
10 – B.J. McKee (Paris) vs. Bourbon Co., 9/7  
8 – Kellen Smith (Barren Co.) vs. Daviess Co., 10/5  
8 – Andrew Pace (Madison Southern) vs. Powell Co., 9/28  
8 – Michael Bush (Male) vs. Central, 10/5  
8 – Andrew Pace (Madison Southern) vs. Wayne Co., 9/15  
8 – Brad Price (Fleming Co.) vs. Nicholas Co., 9/7  
8 – Maurice Marchman (Ballard) vs. Paul Dunbar, 8/18

### Yards Receiving (Min. 175)

249 – Kellen Smith (Barren Co.) vs. Daviess Co., 10/5  
240 – Jacob Tamme (Boyle Co.) vs. East Jessamine, 10/12  
206 – Kellen Smith (Barren Co.) vs. Ohio Co., 10/12  
202 – Maurice Marchman (Ballard) vs. Seneca, 10/5  
201 – Maurice Marchman (Ballard) vs. Paul Dunbar, 8/18  
178 – Michael Bush (Male) vs. Southern, 9/28  
175 – Kellen Smith (Barren Co.) vs. Grayson Co., 9/28

### Touchdown Receptions (Min. 3)

5 – Jacob Tamme (Boyle Co.) vs. East Jessamine, 10/12  
3 – Jeff Sheets (Christian Academy-Louisville) vs. Lexington Christian, 8/17  
3 – Devon Dotson (Harrison Co.) vs. Cawood, 8/31  
3 – Andrew Pace (Madison Southern) vs. Wayne Co., 9/14

### Interceptions (Min. 3)

4 – Matt Shemo (Shelby Co.) vs. Jeffersontown, 9/21  
3 – Spencer Crutchfield (Garrard Co.) vs. Grant Co., 9/7  
3 – Patrick Bugg (Harrodsburg) vs. Green Co., 9/2

### **KENTUCKY HS FB COACHING WINS LEADERS**

Following is an updated listing of football coaching wins leaders after the first week of the season. Wins at out-of-state schools are not recognized among the totals. Listing as of Nov. 12.

Wins - Coach, Current/Last School (Seasons) Record; 2001 Record

292 - Joe Jagers, North Hardin (33) 292-105-3

285 - Mojo Hollowell, Owensboro Catholic (38 in KY) 285-158-6 (Does not include 20-29-1 record in five seasons at John Marshall, IN)

280 - Walter Brugh, Paintsville (39) 280-136-5

271 - Garnis Martin, Bardstown (39) 271-114-7

258 - Owen Hauck, Boone County (30 in KY) 258-109-1 (Does not include 26-21-3 record in five seasons at Mt. Healthy, OH)

254\* - Bob Schneider, Newport Central Catholic (36) 254-159; 14-1

254 - Jack Morris, Mayfield (24) 254-50-2

253 - Dan Haley, Bowling Green (29) 253-79-3

249 - Preston "Ty" Holland, Murray (43) 249-159-28

243\* - Dudley Hilton, Bell Co. (26) 243-83; 9-3

233\* - Bob Redman, Male (27) 233-92-1; 10-2

233\* - Philip Haywood, Belfry (27) 233-96; 8-4

227 - Marshall Patterson, Fort Campbell (32) 227-120

225 - William Kean, Central (33) 225-45-12

219 - Roy Walton, Tates Creek (N/A) 219-116-3

214\* - Sam Harp, Danville (22) 214-68; 10-2

214\* - Lynn Ray, Covington Catholic (27) 214-111; 8-4

### **BOYLE COUNTY WINNING STREAK**

Boyle County continued its winning ways with a 64-13 win over Bullitt East in the Class AAA playoffs. The Rebels tied Breathitt County and Danville for the second-longest winning streak in state history with the win.

Boyle County's last loss was a 28-13 decision to Lexington Catholic in the second round of the Class 2A playoffs in 1998.

50 - Trinity (Louisville) (1988-91), Dennis Lampley

42 - Boyle County (1999-2001), Chuck Smith

42 - Breathitt County (1995-97), Mike Holcomb

42 - Danville (1991-93), Sam Harp

### **HOW TO GET INFO IN THE WEEKLY RELEASE**

The KHSAA requests assistance from its member schools and media outlets to aid in the compilation and dissemination of notes of interest, coaches association polls and upcoming events in all sports. Information should be forwarded to the KHSAA, attention Butch Cope, by 1 p.m. (ET) on Monday of each week. You may e-mail ([bcope@khsaa.org](mailto:bcope@khsaa.org)) the information or fax it to the KHSAA at (859) 293-5999. Information received will be reviewed and published at the discretion of the Association. The KHSAA strives to publicize all of its sports to the fullest extent and appreciates any and all assistance.

**THE NEXT REGULAR RELEASE WILL BE MONDAY, NOV. 19, 2001**

**2001 KHSAA FOOTBALL  
SCHEDULE OF GAMES  
PLAYOFF WEEK #3 • NOV. 16  
(All Times Local to Game Site)**

**EIGHT-PLAYER**

Friday, Nov. 16

Bethlehem (9-2) vs. Eminence (8-3), 8 p.m.  
At KSU Alumni Stadium, Frankfort

**CLASS A**

Friday, Nov. 16

Ballard Memorial (11-1) at Mayfield (7-5), 7:30  
Danville (11-1) at Holy Cross (Louisville) (11-1), 7:30  
Beechwood (9-3) at Newport Central Catholic (11-1), 7:30  
Paintsville (10-2) at Fleming Neon (11-1), 7:30

**CLASS AA**

Friday, Nov. 16

Glasgow (11-1) at Trigg County (10-2), 7:30  
LaRue County (11-1) at Bardstown (12-0), 7:30  
Mason County (11-1) at Fleming County (11-1), 7:30  
Belfry (8-4) at Prestonsburg (11-1), 7:30

**CLASS AAA**

Friday, Nov. 16

Bowling Green (10-2) at Hopkinsville (11-1), 7:30  
Boyle County (12-0) at Central (9-3), 7:30  
Covington Catholic (8-4) at Lexington Catholic (12-0), 7:30  
Bell County (9-3) at Rockcastle County (12-0), 7:30

**CLASS AAAAA**

Friday, Nov. 16

Apollo (9-3) at Owensboro (10-2), 7:30  
Meade County (11-1) at Male (10-2), 7:30  
Oldham County (9-3) at Trinity (Louisville) (10-1), 7:30  
Tates Creek (9-3) at Henry Clay (10-2), 7:30

**2001 KHSAA FOOTBALL  
SCORES OF GAMES  
PLAYOFF WEEK #2 • NOV. 9-10**

**Eight-Player Playoffs**

Eminence 48, Kentucky Country Day 36  
Bethlehem 56, Caverna 6

**Class A**

Mayfield 28, Murray 7  
Ballard Memorial 39, Crittenden County 6  
Holy Cross (Louisville) 29, Harrodsburg 24  
Danville 40, Somerset 23  
Newport Central Catholic 28, Bellevue 0  
Beechwood 35, Paris 7  
Paintsville 28, Middlesboro 23  
Fleming-Neon 13, Hazard 7

**Class AA**

Trigg County 21, Owensboro Catholic 14  
Glasgow 26, Monroe County 3  
Bardstown 56, Moore 30  
LaRue County 21, Corbin 20  
Mason County 40, Lloyd Memorial 35  
Fleming County 45, Russell 21  
Belfry 27, Breathitt County 26  
Prestonsburg 33, Leslie County 0

**Class AAA**

Hopkinsville 36, Franklin-Simpson 16  
Bowling Green 52, Paducah Tilghman 40  
Central 28, Fairdale 7  
Boyle County 64, Bullitt East 13  
Covington Catholic 18, Highlands 15  
Lexington Catholic 36, Holmes 16  
Rockcastle County 29, Ashland Blazer 14  
Bell County 8, Lawrence County 0

**Class AAAAA**

Apollo 32, Henderson County 15  
Owensboro 55, Ohio County 0  
Meade County 14, North Hardin 7  
Male 25, Pleasure Ridge Park 22  
Trinity (Louisville) 56, Ballard 14  
Oldham County 23, Shelby County 10  
Henry Clay 56, Paul Dunbar 7  
Tates Creek 28, Scott County 0