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BOARD OF CONTROL MEETING
The next scheduled meeting of the KHSAA Board of Control is set for April 12-13 at the KHSAA office in Lexington. For an agenda, contact the Association.

STATE SLOW PITCH DATES CHANGE
Due to a scheduling conflict with the host venue, the 2004 KHSAA Slow Pitch Softball State Tournament will now be played May 21-22 at the RiverShore Sports Complex in Hebron. The event had been originally scheduled for May 14-15.

BASEBALL POLL
Following is the Pre-Season Top 25 poll as conducted by the Kentucky Baseball Coaches Association.

FAST PITCH SOFTBALL POLL
Following is the Pre-Season Top 25 poll as conducted by the Kentucky Fast Pitch Softball Coaches Association.

NATIONAL CITY SCHOLARSHIP WINNERS
Following are region-by-region winners of a one-time $500 scholarship, courtesy of National City. Winners were recognized during the State Basketball Tournaments the last two weeks. The girl winner is listed first, followed by the boy recipient.
Region 1 - Elizabeth Tucker (Mayfield); Courtney Amos (Paducah Tilghman)
Region 2 - Cassie Abbott (Dawson Springs); Benton Farmer (Hopkinsville)
Region 3 - Allison Martin (Muhlenberg South); Jameson Mattingly (Trinity-Whitesville)
Region 4 - Sarah Barnett (Warren East); Derek Roberts (Logan County)
Region 5 - Jasmine Fogle (Marion County); Matthew Delaney (Nelson County)
Region 6 - Amanda Evans (Butler); Aaron Bivens (Central)
Region 7 - Miranda Apel (Eastern); Quinten Kent (Waggener)
Region 8 - Brittany Caple (Bullitt East); Cody Ryan (Walton-Verona)
Region 9 - Renee Smith (Scott); Adam Pfendt (Boone County)
Region 10 - Tara Hester (Mason County); John Ross (Fleming County)
Region 11 - Emma Yates (Woodford County); Christopher Seals (Bryan Station)
Region 12 - Natasha Camenisch (Lincoln County); Michael Lane (Boyle County)
Region 13 - Natasha Napier (Red Bird); Jeremy Bowling (Clay County)
Region 14 - Ashley Foster (Powell County); Jonathon Terrill (Wolfe County)
Region 15 - Tarryn Ray (Pike County Central); Eric Johnson (Pikeville)
Region 16 - LaTasha Henry (Ashland Blazer); Joshua McDermott (Bath County)

SACRED HEART THREE-PEATS IN GIRLS’ HOOPS
Sacred Heart became only the second school to win three consecutive Girls’ State Basketball Championships with a 43-34 win over Lexington Catholic in the championship game of the Houchens/KHSAA Girls’ State Basketball Tournament last week in Bowling Green.
For complete tournament coverage, log on to www.khsaa.org/basketball.

WARREN CENTRAL WINS IN BOYS’ BASKETBALL
Warren Central picked up the school’s first State Basketball Championship with a 66-56 win over defending champion Mason County to win the National City/KHSAA Boys’ State Basketball Tournament. Mason County, attempting to become the first school to win back-to-back titles since Fairdale in 1990 and 1991, saw its bid to repeat come one
game short. After surviving a triple overtime thriller against Trinity (Louisville) in the quarterfinals and an overtime win a semifinal match-up over Scott County, the Royals fell behind early and could never recovered in the championship.

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The next release will be May 3, 2004