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SWEET 16® DRAW SHOW TO AIR ON FRIDAY, JAN. 27
The draws for the 2012 PNC/KHSAA Boys’ and Houchens Industries/KHSAA Girls’ State Basketball Tournaments will be conducted on Friday, Jan. 27. WKYT-TV (Ch. 27) in Lexington will again air the draws live. The draw show will air twice – first at 10:30 a.m. on WKYT (and streamed live through www.khsaa.tv) and a replay at 1 p.m. on CWKYT.

Brackets will be posted to the Riherd’s/KHSAA Scoreboard and the KHSAA website at the conclusion of the program.

For additional information about the draw show, contact KHSAA Sports Information Director Elden May.

KENTUCKY COACHING TRIO NAMED NFHS SECTIONAL COACHES OF THE YEAR
A trio of Kentucky coaches – Newport Central Catholic girls’ track and field coach David Meyers, Green County girls’ golf coach Rick Davis and former Christian County boys’ basketball coach Kerry Stovall – were named the 2011 Section 2 Coaches of the Year for their respective sports by the National Federation of State High School Associations (NFHS).

Meyers led the Thoroughbreds to the Class 1A championship at the 2011 KHSAA State Track and Field Meet. The title was Newport Central Catholic’s third in a row.

Davis led the Lady Dragons to the team title at the 2010 Leachman Buick-GMC-Cadillac/KHSAA State Golf Championships and followed with a runner-up performance in 2011.

Stovall stepped down as Christian County head boys’ basketball coach following the 2010-2011 season, a position he held for a decade. He went out in style as he led the Colonels to their first state championship. The team secured the title with a 65-63 double overtime victory against Rowan County in the championship of the PNC/KHSAA Boys’ Sweet 16®, ended on a last-second shot by Christian County’s Veontae Lewis.

“It’s thrilling to see these three educators get the recognition they have worked so hard to receive,” said KHSAA Commissioner Julian Tackett. “Anyone who follows these sports in Kentucky knows their track record of success but it makes it extra special when they stack up favorably against their peers from other states and the national governing body recognizes that too.”

BOARD MEETING SCHEDULED FOR JAN. 25
A regular meeting of the KHSAA Board of Control will take place on Wednesday, Jan. 25 at the KHSAA Office in Lexington. A final agenda for the meeting will be posted at the following Web link: www.khsaa.org/boardofcontrol/agenda/20112012/bocjanuary2012.htm

Minutes from previous meetings also are available at www.khsaa.org/boardofcontrol/minutes/20112012.