

RCMS Boys Basketball Roundup

8th Grade
David Perkins, Coach
RCMS vs. Monticello

RCMS 13 12 20 61
Monticello 4 16 3 8 31
Blake Roberts 16, Brandon Griffin 14, Matthew Allen 11 and Ronny McClure 4.

RCMS vs. Whiteley
RCMS 6 14 4 6 30
Whiteley 15 13 9 9 46

Matthew Allen 9, Blake Roberts 8, Ronny McClure, Brandon Griffin and Brent Cloutier, 3 each and Derrick Hurst and Jesse McCollum, 2 each.

RCMS vs. CCMS
RCMS 10 7 14 17 48
CCMS 16 12 10 20 58

Derrick Hurst and Brandon Griffin, 17 each; Ronny McClure and Matthew Allen, 5 each and Blake Roberts 4.

RCMS vs. Meese
RCMS 13 14 7 23 57
Meese 11 4 10 19 44

Brandon Griffin 23, Derrick Hurst 18, Blake Roberts 8, Alex Centers 2 and Jesse McCollum 1.

RCMS vs. N. Laurel
RCMS 13 6 17 20 56
NLSM 12 18 14 14 58

Brandon Griffin 20, Matthew Allen and Blake Roberts, 10 each; Ronny McClure 9, Derrick Hurst 5 and Jesse McCollum 4.

RCMS vs. S. Laurel
RCMS 7 10 15 20 52
SLMS 8 8 18 9 43

Blake Roberts 23, Matthew Allen 14;

Derrick Hurst 8, Ronny McClure 3, and Brandon Griffin and Alex Centers 2 each.

RCMS vs. Northern Pulaski
RCMS 5 9 8 8 50
NPMS 5 12 14 10 41

Blake Roberts and Matthew Allen, 9 each; Derrick Hurst 7 and Ronny McClure 5.

7th Grade
Coach Steve Phelps
RCMS vs. Clay Co.
RCMS 13 4 7 8 32
CCMS 16 7 10 9 52

Colby Brown 12; Kyle Mullins and Weston Riddle, 5 each; Gabe Stallworth and Justin Albright 3 each; Dustin Albright 2 and J.C. McClure and Jarred Brown, 1 each.

RCMS vs. Meese
RCMS 7 12 3 9 38
Meese 4 7 9 11 37

Colby Brown 12; Terry Miller 10; Kyle Mullins and Weston Riddle, 6 each; J.C. McClure 4.

RCMS vs. N. Laurel
RCMS 13 11 5 5 37
NLSM 15 24 14 12 65

Dustin Albright 10; Colby Brown and Justin Albright, 8 each; Weston Riddle 6; Terry Miller 3 and Kyle Mullins 2.

RCMS vs. S. Laurel
RCMS 6 4 5 15 40
SLMS 11 9 21 18 59

Justin Albright 9, Terry Miller 8; Kyle Mullins and Colby Brown 6 each; Weston Riddle 5; Derrick McClure 3; Dustin Albright 2 and Ty Bottoms 1.

RCMS vs. Northern Pulaski
RCMS 19 14 18 4 55
NPMS 0 4 6 11 21

Colby Brown, Terry Miller and Justin Albright 8 each; Kyle Mullins and Gabe Stallworth 6 each; Weston Riddle 3 and Jarred Brown and Derrick Adams, 2 each.

6th Grade
Calvin Creech, Coach
RCMS vs. Meese
RCMS 6 4 4 8 22
Meese 4 4 4 7 19

Jacob Harding 7; Donovan Pigg 6; Chandler Hunter, Izak McQuerry, Paul Payne and Cody Childress, 2 each and Lance Baldwin 1.

RCMS vs. Berea
RCMS 12 13 3 8 36
Berea 7 5 3 6 21

Donovan Pigg and Cody Childress, 8 each; Chris Hurst 6; Paul Payne, Chandler Hunter and Lynn Miracle, 4 each and Jacob Harding 2.

RCMS vs. Corbin
RCMS 11 4 6 3 24
Corbin 2 14 7 13 30

Donovan Pigg 6; Jacob Harding 5; Cody Childress 4 and Izak McQuerry, Lance Baldwin and Paul Payne, 2 each.

RCMS vs. Garrard
RCMS 8 6 8 18 32
Garrard 4 10 8 6 28

Donovan Pigg 11; Cody Childress 7; Jacob Harding 5; Izak McQuerry 4; Steven Eversole 3 and Lance Baldwin 2.

RCMS vs. Garrard
RCMS 6 9 6 8 31
Garrard 5 4 6 11 25

Donovan Pigg 11; Cody Childress 10; Chandler Hunter 6; and Izak McQuerry and Jacob Harding, 2 each.

RCMS (Game #2)
RCMS 6 9 6 8 31
Garrard 5 4 6 11 25

Donovan Pigg 11; Cody Childress 10; Chandler Hunter 6; and Izak McQuerry and Jacob Harding, 2 each.

Lady Rockets

(Cont. from A8)

Jayvee beats Southern

The Jayvee Lady Rockets handled their counterpart from Southern easily also last Thursday night, winning 36-15.

Tara Rowe led the scoring with 9 points; Stephanie Price got 6; Katie Parsons 5; Allison Andexin and Jessica Carpenter 4 each and Jessie Hayes, Amy Barnett, Bryanna Bussell and Johanna Abney each scored 3 points.

Freshmen beat Pulaski

Last Tuesday night, the Rocket freshmen team easily defeated Pulaski County 41-20.

Andexin led the scoring with 12 points; Rowe and Lauren Cloutier got 7 each; Stephanie Price 6; Krystal Parsons 4; Anna Guilfoil and Jessica Asher 2 each and Katie Parsons scored 1.

Poison Center offers tips on avoiding winter poisoning hazards

The Kentucky Regional Poison Center of Kosciuszko Children's Hospital wants parents to watch out for poisoning hazards as the weather gets colder and children spend more time indoors. A child's natural curiosity, coupled with a lack of knowledge concerning potentially poisonous items may cause children to place many non-food substances into their mouths. The following top special poisoning hazards during the winter months:

Medications
Winter is a season full of minor illnesses. Young children spending most of their winter days and nights indoors are tempted by a wide range of colorful medications, especially the over-the-counter cold medications. Poisonings involving the use of medications account for the greatest percentage of cases reported to the Kentucky Regional Poison Center.

"The culprits are both prescription drugs and over-the-counter or non-prescription preparations," said Henry Spiller, poison center director.

"The victims are often children under the age of five, who may think of medicine as candy. Vitamins and acetaminophen are favorites for this age group."

Many parents think that because a product has a child resistant closure that children cannot open it, however, they often can. All medications should be stored under lock and key out of the reach of children. In case of any unintentional medication ingestion contact the Kentucky Regional Poison Center.

Household Products

"Personal care products represent the second largest number of calls to the Kentucky Regional Poison Center for both children and adults," said Spiller. "Keep these items out of sight and out of the reach of children."

Information about "Poison Proofing" your home and yard can be obtained from the Kentucky Regional Poison Center. In case of poisoning involving a personal care item, immediately contact the poison center.

Indoor Plants

There is an increased number of

accidental ingestions involving plants because of their popularity as a decorative item in the home. Although poisoning from plants can cause a wide range of effects, the most common symptoms involve the gastrointestinal tract.

It is important to be able to identify the plants in your home. Lists of toxic and nontoxic plants are available from the Kentucky Regional Poison Center. Armed with this knowledge, an adult can remove the plant or place its name nearby so that visiting friends or relatives with child care responsibilities will readily know what type of plant is involved if ingestion occurs.

Although the most common holiday plant, the poinsettia, is considered nonpoisonous, other plants such as mistletoe, holly, bayberry and Jerusalem cherry are considered potentially poisonous and should be kept out of children's reach. Symptoms of plant poisoning can range from rashes to nausea, vomiting and diarrhea.

Household Products

Every year thousands of children are poisoned by hazardous household products. In 1999, the Kentucky Regional Poison Center received 4,321 calls regarding household products. Cleaning products, deodor-

ers, detergents and furniture polishes are just a few of the many potential hazards found in every home. They may be brightly colored, smell good or even look like food, but they are potential poisons. All household products should be kept under lock and key when in use and stored in their original containers. Remember recall the Kentucky Regional Poison Center if anyone in your home ingests a household product.

A list of these and other poison prevention tips are available through the poison center.

• Other Winter Poisoning Hazards
Antifreeze is extremely poisonous and may result in severe poisoning and death even in small amounts. It has a sweet taste, making it attractive to small children and pets.

• Ice melting granules, also known as rock salt, road salt or halite, are poisonous if eaten in quantity.

• Disc batteries for cameras, calculators and hearing aids are small enough to be swallowed and therefore pose a choking hazard. In some cases, they can break open and cause poisonings.

In an emergency, the Kentucky Regional Poison Center may be reached at (502)589-8222 in Louisville and (800)722-5725 throughout Kentucky.

Rockcastle Water Association

PO Box 540 • Mt. Vernon, KY 40456
Phone 606-256-5480

Winter Reminder

1. PLEASE protect your lines from freezing by making sure they are buried deep enough and by installing electric heat tape on any exposed line especially below mobile homes. A frozen pipe will rupture causing you very high water bills as well as draining our water system.
2. Somehow mark or flag your meter for the annual meter reading. The meter reader must be able to find your meter quickly.
3. REPORT any water leaks that you see immediately to 256-5480.

Your participation and cooperation will help our Association be more effective for all our customers. Thank You.



Senior Ashley Lawson looks for help against Monticello Tuesday night.

Attention Parents of Rockcastle County Middle School Students

GEAR UP has ten laptop computers that will be available to all students and parents of students at Rockcastle County Middle School. The laptops will be available for check out at the Rockcastle County Public Library for up to two weeks. A valid library card with a special laptop stamp will be required. (Call the library at 256-2388 to find out how to get a library card.) In order to get a laptop stamp, you must attend one of the trainings listed below.

Please note: These trainings are designed for people with a basic understanding of computers such as typing and saving a document. If you are unfamiliar with computers, please call Anthony Coffey at the 21st Century Community Learning Center at Rockcastle County Middle School at 256-5118. Mr. Coffey will enroll you in a free basic computer class.

January 31 (if school is cancelled on January 31, the make up date will be February 7)

3:30 p.m. at Rockcastle County Middle School
5:00 p.m. at Rockcastle County Middle School

February 3

10:30 a.m. at Rockcastle County Public Library
Noon at Rockcastle County Public Library

You must call Mary Jane Locklear at (859) 985-3551 in order to register for these trainings. Registration is limited to the first 20 people in each session.

Laptops will be available for check out on
Monday, February 5, 2001.



Hey Kids!



Rockcastle County Little League

BASEBALL SIGN-UPS

Sat., Feb. 3rd: 10 a.m. - 4 p.m.
Brodhead Elementary

Sun., Feb. 4th: 1:30 p.m. to 4 p.m.
Mt. Vernon Elementary

Ages: Kids age 5-12 by August 1st

Cost: \$30 first child
\$20 second child • \$15 third child
(Bring exact change)

For more info.
contact John Saylor
at 758-8812