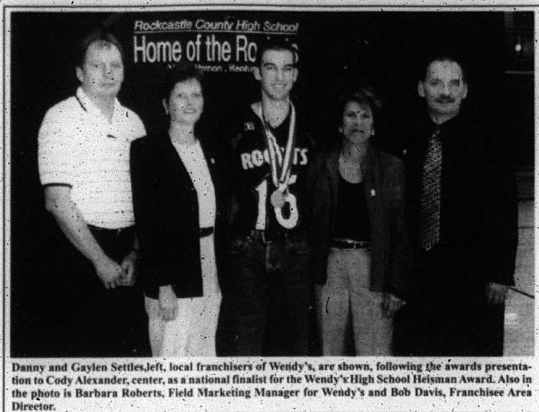




Danny and Gaylen Settles, left, local franchisers of Wendy's, are shown, following the awards presentation to Cody Alexander, center, as a national finalist for the Wendy's High School Heisman Award. Also in the photo is Barbara Roberts, Field Marketing Manager for Wendy's and Bob Davis, Franchisee Area Director.

"Alexander"

(Cont. from front)

ist for the Wendy's High School Heisman Award.

Alexander is one of only 12 students across the country to achieve this distinction and will travel to New York on December 12 to participate in Heisman weekend festivities, including the selection of two national winners - one male and one female - from the 12 national finalists.

It was a surprise announcement Monday for Cody who didn't know that he had been named the male winner in Heisman weekend festivities, including the selection of two national winners - one male and one female - from the 12 national finalists.

The award honors male and female high school athletes who are

leaders on their teams and in their classrooms and communities. Celebrating its 10th anniversary, the award was created by Wendy's in 1994 in partnership with the National Association of Secondary School Principals and the Heisman Memorial Trust.

"These students have been singled out as some of the most remarkable and inspiring seniors across the country," said Tom Mueller, president and chief operating officer Wendy's North America. "We are pleased to recognize them for their outstanding achievements."

"These students have demonstrated great dedication, not only to their studies and after-school activities, but also to their high schools and communities," said Dr. Gerald N. Trozzi, executive director of the National Association of Secondary School Principals. "They have achieved great success by remaining enthusiastic and committed to learning, participation and service. They are to be commended for their many

great achievements."

The journey to the final award winner includes five phases: 1) Nomination (14,150 students); 2) State Finalist (includes 1,020 students or 20 per state and the District of Columbia); 3) State Winner (102 students, or two per state and the District of Columbia); 4) National Finalist (12 students) and 5) National Winner (two students, one male, one female).

The 12 national finalists will participate in the Heisman weekend festivities from December 12, 2003 through December 14, 2003 in New York. ESPN2 will feature all 12 national finalists during the Wendy's High School Heisman Awards Ceremony.

Cody, son of Gerald and Irene Alexander, both educators in the county, has won a \$1,000 donation for RCHS by being the state winner.

The national winners will earn an additional \$2,500 for their high school, along with the coveted crystal Wendy's High School Heisman trophy. The national winners will be announced during special ceremonies, to be broadcast on ESPN2 on Saturday, December 14th at 6:30 p.m. EST.

Alexander is presently recovering from ankle surgery for an injury received in a football game this season. He also plays baseball at the high school and swims for the Cedar Rapids Dolphins.

Charles Napier named to Selective-Service board

Charles E. Napier of Hwy. 150, Crab Orchard, Migrant for Rockcastle County Schools, has officially been notified of his appointment as a member of the Selective Service System Local Board in Region II.

The announcement was made by Lewis C. Brodsky, Acting Director of Selective Service.

As a local board member, Napier will be trained in Selective Service policies and procedures. Following the completion of training, Napier will receive a Certificate of Training.



Governor-Elect Ernie Fletcher met with local Property Valuation Administrator Margaret Offutt and other PVAs from across the state recently at a Conference on Assessment Administration in Louisville.



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