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Before me, a Notary Public in and for Ellis County, this day personally appeared Sherry Groves who, being duly sworn, states that the following advertisement paid for by Ross Martin, Winstead PC, was published in Midlothian Mirror on January 18, 2025:

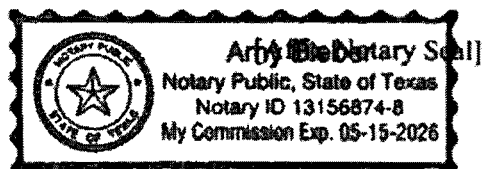
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Sherry Groves

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Sworn to and subscribed before me this 31st day of January, 2025.

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HHS girls top rivals to stay perfect

Staff report

No matter what the records are, the crosstown showdown between Heritage and Midlothian is always a hard-fought battle, and Tuesday's game at the HHS competition gymnasium was no exception.

The Heritage Jaguars took an early lead, but had to hold off the visiting Lady Panthers in the second half for a 49-41 win, giving the Jags their 20th victory of the season and keeping them firmly in charge of the District 15-SA championship race.

Ava Batty led the Jags with 19 points including a pair of 3-pointers, followed by Bri Finch

with nine points with one trey. Other scorers were Faren Dodd and Sophia Tometi with six points each, Malia Blair with four, Danaya Hicks with three, and Riley Menicucci with two.

The Jags (20-8, 8-0) finished the night shooting 80 percent from the free throw line.

Taylor Whittington took team scoring honors for MHS (16-12, 5-3) with 11, followed by Elianna Gaines and Jelisa Jackson with nine each. Adelyn Garippa with five, Madison Demouchette with four and Addison Grant with three.

The Jags raced out to a 13-7 lead at the end of the first eight minutes,

but the Lady Panthers hung around, inching to within five at the half before Heritage took control for good with a 13-6 third quarter. MHS continued to scrap in the waning moments and made the final margin respectable.

After winter weather forced postponement of games, the Jags returned to their home floor on Saturday afternoon and squeezed past upset-minded Kaufman, 38-36, to end the first half of district play undefeated. The Jags trailed by 11 at halftime before mounting a rally to pull the game out of the fire.

Batty led the way again with 15 points, followed by Finch with

10 and Blair with nine. Dodd and Menicucci each added two.

Also on Saturday, the Lady Panthers ventured to Terrell and won, 57-35.

Heritage was scheduled to travel to second-place Red Oak on Friday evening. The Jags will host Corsicana on Tuesday at 5:30 p.m. and will travel to Terrell next Friday, Jan. 24, for a 6:30 p.m. tip.

After Friday evening's home game against Kaufman at MHS Arena, the Lady Panthers will play their next two games on the road, at Ennis on Tuesday and at Red Oak next Friday. Both games are set to begin at 6:30 p.m.



Heritage's Faren Dodd (3) defends against a Red Oak player during a District 15-SA game last month at Heritage High School. The first-place jaguars were scheduled to travel to Red Oak for the return engagement on Friday.
Sara Heit / Mirror staff photographer

MHS soccer teams prep for district

Staff report

After struggling to find their championship form in the first several matches of the new season, the Midlothian Panthers put it all together on Tuesday at the Roessler Athletic Complex and blew past visiting Fort Worth Brewer, 5-0, in their last non-district contest of the regular season.

Junior Dylan Cruthers led the scoring with two goals, and Ayden Hildreth, Marcus Manu and Carson Gromacki found the net as well for the Panthers (3-3). Manu also contributed two assists, and Robert Casiano, Charley Winkles and Dylan Petranikwyk each dished out a helper.

The Panthers led at halftime, 2-0. Jacob Warren kept a clean sheet in goal, his third in as many matches, with help from his defenders.

Last Saturday, in the makeup of a non-district game postponed by the weather, the Panthers hosted

Stephenville and prevailed in another whitewash, 3-0.

Hildreth recorded a brace for his long-awaited first two goals of the year, and Gavin Czerwieski added a goal, with Wesley McCool and Preston Stanphill recording an assist each. Warren again posted the shut-out between the pipes.

The Panthers will enjoy an open weekend to get ready for the start of the District 15-SA schedule, and it starts with a big one as they will take on Heritage at MISD Multipurpose Stadium — weather permitting — on Tuesday at 7:30 p.m. They will follow with a home match against Red Oak next Friday, Jan. 24, also at 7:30 p.m.

Girls stay unbeaten
The Midlothian Lady Panthers kept their unbeaten start to the season going with a draw and a road victory.

The Lady Panthers (2-0-1) got the game-winning goal in the second half to pull out a 2-1 non-district win over the Anna Lady Coyotes. Juniors Amy Wyman



Midlothian junior Carson Gromacki (6) sprints past a Waxahachie defender during a preseason scrimmage at Waxahachie High School last month. Kirk Hest / Mirror staff photographer

and Macie Griffin scored for MHS, with Griffin assisting on Wyman's goal and senior Zayla Reagan helping on Griffin's goal.

Freshman goalkeeper Landri Ray allowed one goal but no further damage to record the win.

On Saturday, the Lady Panthers hosted Stephenville in a match postponed from Friday because of the wintry weather, and battled the Honeybees to a 2-2 draw. Reagan and Griffin each scored, with Adelyn Garippa chipping in an assist.

Ray and Davan Mulkey shared time in goal.

The Lady Panthers were competing this weekend in the Duncanville Tournament, with games scheduled against Dallas Ursuline on Thursday afternoon, Richardson on Friday afternoon, and

Arlington Martin on Saturday evening.

District play begins with a crosstown battle against Heritage at 5:30 p.m. on Tuesday at MISD Multipurpose Stadium, followed by a home game against Red Oak at 5:30 p.m. next Friday.

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Early Childhood Special Education for Disabled Students (ECSE)

The Early Childhood Special Education for Disabled Children is provided by Midlothian ISD to all eligible children.

Classes are held at J.R. Irvin Elementary, T.E. Barker Elementary, Longbranch Elementary, Mt. Peak Elementary, J.A. Vitovsky Elementary and Dolores McClatchey Elementary schools.

If you have or know a young child who displays a significant cognitive, motor, or language delay, or who has a severe medical problem, call the Specialized Learning office at 482-656-5000.

Midlothian ISD schools provide a full continuum

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of services for students with disabilities.

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Special Education Offered to Students with Disabilities

The Midlothian ISD provides special education for disabled children from 3-21 years of age (birth through 21) if Visually or Deaf/Hard of Hearing), as required by state and federal law.

The school district strives to provide appropriate programs for all students. The programs are established on the following principle: Each student is entitled to educational opportunities appropriate to his/her abilities and needs.

A variety of instructional arrangements are available such as self-contained

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classrooms, partially self-contained classrooms, content mastery, resource, and special education homebound. Diagnostic testing is provided to students upon determination of educational need. For information, call the Specialized Learning office at 469-656-5000.

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PUBLIC SALE A KEEPSAKE SELF STORAGE

NOTICE OF PUBLIC SALE to be held at A Keepsake Self Storage, 1681 S. Walnut Grove Rd. in Midlothian on Tuesday, January 21, at 10 a.m. Property to be sold to highest bidder

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for cash.

Dakota Taylor: furniture and misc. items, Bayco Cornet misc. items. Published in Midlothian Mirror January 11, 18, 2025.

NOTICE OF INTENT TO INTRODUCE LEGISLATION

This is to give notice of intent to introduce in the 89th Legislature, Regular Session, a bill to be entitled an Act relating to the creation of the Bluebonnet Hills Municipal Management District No. 1, a special district operating under Sections 52 and 52-A, Article III, and Section 56, Article XVI, Texas Constitution; and Chapters 372 and 373, Texas Local Government Code, providing authority for the District to impose assessments, fees, and taxes, providing authority to issue bonds, and providing a limited power of eminent domain, affecting lands in Ellis County, Tex.

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as, being generally located in the western portion of the corporate limits of the City of Midlothian, Texas, northeast of U.S. Highway 287, northwest of U.S. Route 67, and west of the Overlook Estates and Millbrook subdivisions. The lands to be included in the District include portions of the John Chambliss Survey, Abstract No. 193, the M.E.P. & P. Railroad Survey, Abstract No. 161, the Allen Reeves Survey, Abstract No. 929, and the J.B. Littlepage Survey, Abstract Number 663, in Ellis County, Texas. The costs for the publication of this notice were paid by Ross Martin, Winstead PC.

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NOTICE TO BIDDERS

The City of Midlothian is seeking bids from interested parties to contract for Food and Drink Concession Services for Stated Midlothian Parks. Sealed bids will be accepted until 10:00 a.m., C.S.T.

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on Tuesday, February 11, 2025. Packages received after that time will not be accepted. Packages should be sent or delivered prior to the deadline above to: Purchasing Agent, Midlothian City Hall, 215 N.6 th St. Midlothian, TX 76065 and should be marked "Bid Number 2025-03, "Food and Drink Concession Services" in the lower left-hand corner of a sealed envelope. The City of Midlothian reserves the right to accept or reject any or all packages and to waive formalities or irregularities in the proposal process.

Copies of the bid packages will be available on the City website beginning January 17, 2025. For questions relating to the proposal, please email nery.pena@midlothian.tx.us.

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