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Indian Cross Country Teams running strong ahead of postseason

Towns County Herald Sports Special

With the regular season soon coming to a close, the Towns County Indian Cross Country Teams continue to train.

It's been a long journey since the start of the season at Meeks Park in Union County, and both teams have two more races, Murphy and Riverside, under their belts.

The times for both teams continue to improve with each race.

The Lady Indian team consists completely of seniors, including both managers, while the Indian team is led by two seniors, Kaine Hoffman and Xavier Hogsted.

Recently, Hoffman has worked hard to achieve one of the school's best times with a finish of 18 minutes and 50 seconds.



Towns County Cross Country teams in action at a recent race. Senior Kaine Hoffman (left) and senior Hayley Stowers (right). Photos/submitted

Indians fall short at Hebron; look forward to Homecoming Night, Oct. 13

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Dacula – The Towns County Indians put up a valiant effort against the Hebron Christian Academy Lions on Burlingame Field in Dacula on Friday, Sept. 29.

It was Homecoming Night for Hebron, and the Lions ended up winning the game 29-7 on their home turf.

The Indians struck first, however, starting with a huge 57-yard punt return from Zach Davenport just 5 minutes and 19 seconds into the game.

Andy Chambers carried the ball into the red zone on the opening play following the punt return, and quarterback Trent Bradshaw capitalized on the gains made by his teammates, running a keeper in for a touchdown some 41 seconds into the possession.

Wesley Calhoun made the extra point. Afterward, the Boys in Blue were unable to put any more points up on the



Towns County football at Hebron Christian Academy photos by Lowell Nicholson

scoreboard. As always, the Indian Raider Marching Band and Towns County Cheerleaders

kept both the audience members and the team fired up during the game. This week is a bye week

for the Indians, and undoubtedly, they will be working hard to hone their skills before the Oct. 13 Homecoming Game against



Athens Christian, which will kick off at 7:30 p.m. in Frank McClure Memorial Stadium. And remember to check

out townsootball.com for all kinds of great information on the Towns County Indians.

PASSING STATS

	Cmp	Att	Yds	Cmp%	TD	Int
#4 Trent Bradshaw	5	12	62	41.7%	0	0

RUSHING STATS

	Att	Yds	Avg	TD
#4 Trent Bradshaw	7	30	4.3	1
#22 Andy Chambers	5	28	5.6	0
#5 Harold Cox	2	8	4	0
#9 Allen Gillis	1	1	1	0
#20 Zach Davenport	2	-8	-4	0
#12 Cole Ledford	9	-15	-1.7	0

RECEIVING STATS

	Rec	Yds	Avg	TD
#7 Hayden Walters	1	31	31	0
#12 Cole Ledford	2	22	11	0
#22 Andy Chambers	1	7	7	0
#20 Zach Davenport	1	2	2	0
#6 Will Travis	0	0	0	0

Major Pickleball Tournament coming to Towns Co.

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Georgia Mountain Pickleball and Towns County are hosting a major Pickleball tournament, the three-day Georgia Mountain Pickleball Fall Classic.

The tournament will take place Oct. 6, Oct. 7 and Oct. 8 at the Towns County Pickleball Complex, across the highway from the entrance to the Georgia Mountain Fairgrounds.

About 350 players from as far away as California and Arizona are coming to compete, and the tourney will feature some of the top players in the country, including Gigi LeMaster, one of the top international lady players in the world.

American Legion Golf Tournament

The American Legion is having a golf tournament on Thursday, October 12 at 10 a.m. Join fellow Veterans and supporters for a day of fun and golf at Chatuge Shores Golf Course. Cost is \$55 per person. Call 404-295-6462 for more info. T10c4.11.F2JSH



The Women's Doubles and the Men's Singles are set for Friday, Oct. 6; the Mixed

Doubles will be held Saturday, Oct. 7; and the Men's Doubles and Women's Singles will be played on Sunday, Oct. 8.

The start time for all three days will be at 8 a.m.

Come and see what this game is all about and watch some world-class Pickleball.

Admission is free, just bring a comfortable chair and some sunscreen.

Fresh grilled hamburgers and hotdogs will be available for purchase, so come out and make a day of it.

Youth basketball registration

Registration for the 2017-2018 basketball season will begin September 1st and will run until October 8th. We will offer 12u, 10u, and 8u for both boys & girls. Be sure to create an account and register your child online to secure a spot in our program for this Winter on our website townscountyrec.com. If you have any questions about creating an account check out the "Online Registration" under "Quick Links" on the home page or give us a call at (706) 896-2600. After you finish creating an account, be sure to download the SI Play app

to your mobile device to get practice and game reminders, see rosters, schedules, standings, and also have the ability to communicate with other parents straight from the app.

Parents who are interested in coaching will need to check out the "Want to Coach" tab and follow the instructions there. These applications will need to be received by the Recreation Department by October 2nd so that we can have coaches selected and ready once registration ends. Background checks will be mandatory for all coaches selected. T10c4.F1JSH

Chatuge Shores Ladies Golfers wind down 2017 season

Chatuge Shores Ladies Golf League had their final tournament of the season which concluded last week. With Hurricane Irma hitting Florida we lost players as they had to get back to their homes in Florida. We are thinking of them.

At our awards luncheon Judy Schmitt, our tournament chair, awarded the following awards: Aces of the month for August: Mary Reece (Gross) and Susan Anderson (Low Net).

We would like to thank our own Chef Claudia Rinaldo for all the fine meals she prepared for us this year.

Loretta Hughes our president would like to extend a welcome to join our great golf league in 2018. New members and guests are always welcomed at CSLGA.

Happy Holidays to everyone and looking forward to seeing you in 2018. T10c4.F3JSH



Kathy Stewart (l), 2017 Club Champion and Most Improved Player and Sandy Jersey, 2017 League's Net Champion

Towns County Homecoming Carnival October 12



Towns County High School would like to invite the public to their Annual Homecoming Carnival on Thursday, October 12th from 6 - 8 p.m. on the Football Field and Track. There will be carnival booths and games, inflatables, a cake walk, musical entertainment, and lots of activities for everyone to enjoy and all are provided by the schools, clubs, and local organizations. The Homecoming Court will be recognized and concessions will be available. If any community organization or agency would like to participate please email Christa Houser at chouser@townscountyschools.org or Sarah Vardo at svardo@townscountyschools.org. The Carnival was a big event last year and we hope the community will come out and enjoy it again this year. T10c4.F1JSH