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team's loss to St. Thomas Aquinas in the FHSAA class 6A Girls Basketball State Semifinal.

WHS girls Basketball falls to St. Thomas in FHSAA State Semifinal

By Marshall Tempest
Apopka Chief Staff

"It was a great experience for our young team — being able to put Wekiva High School back in good standings within the state of Florida. Last year it was hard... This young lady right here (Tierra Coleman) and my senior class, made it their mission to get respect, and we did that," said coach Jerry Middleton while holding back his emotions in the post-game press conference at the FHSAA Girls Class 6A State



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Semifinal.

The Wekiva High School girls' basketball

squad had a storybook season that sadly came to a stop before they could get to their storybook ending. The Mustangs fell to St. Thomas Aquinas 62-35 in the State Semifinal. St. Thomas has won the FHSAA State Championship the last four years and has had a historic run. They also defeated Bloomingdale 70-35 in the championship final after playing Wekiva.

The Mustangs finished their season 19-11 and ranked 69 in all of Florida. St Thomas finished their season 23-9 and ranked sixth in all of Florida. Wekiva may not have won and it may not have been the most competitive game, but it was obvious that this was going to be the new normal for Wekiva basketball. What I got from coach Middleton after the game was that going for a deep playoff run was now the expectation.

"Look for us for the next few years to be back here, in what I consider a rivalry in the state of Florida because it's either Wekiva, St. Thomas, or Ely (Blanche Ely High School) so we'll see each other again for sure."

This Wekiva team bat-

led through a lot of adversity this season and came together to make a true championship push. Coach Middleton explained it wasn't your average season, with your average motivation. These girls decided early on that if they were going to make a run to the championships a reality, then they had to come together.

"So we went through Christmas break and I think we lost seven out of eight games. We played



Wekiva's Tierra Coleman steals the ball from a St. Thomas player and goes on a fast break.

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Wekiva High School girls basketball head coach Jerry Middleton walks up the court on Thursday, March 7.



On Thursday, March 7, a Wekiva player battles a double team trying to keep possession during the Mustangs' loss in the FHSAA State Semifinal.

APK Baseball defeats Dr. Phillips 6-5 in overtime

By Marshall Tempest
Apopka Chief Staff

The Apopka Baseball team is now 5-4 on the season after splitting their games against Dr. Phillips and Boone this week.

Apopka currently sits first in 7A District 4 and has scored 53 runs and allowed 37 runs. Apopka beat Dr. Phillips in overtime 6-5 in the eighth inning on Monday, March 11, and lost to Boone 5-4 in overtime in

the ninth inning on Tuesday, March 12.

Apopka vs. Dr. Phillips: Win 6-5

"Obviously we feel good after any win, and once again Dr. Phillips and

us, as far as in baseball, we go way back and it's always like this. It's always a one-run ballgame and it's always a tight ballgame, and they battled, and we battled," said Head Coach Bobby Brewer after the game.

The game opened with Apopka playing picture-perfect in the field getting three outs quickly to put themselves at the plate while the sun was still out. Dr. Phillips walked Apopka's first two batters as their pitcher struggled in the opening inning to get it in the strike zone. The first run of the game came from a sacrifice base hit from Reef VanKuren who sent in Cody McKinley for Apopka's first points of the game.

Now Brady Roberts was up to bat. Roberts squared up and sent one



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Hitting Stats	AHS	Dr. P
Batting Average	.250	.207
On-base Percentage	.382	.368
Home Runs	1	0
RBI's	4	5
Runs Scored	6	5
Hits	7	6
Left on Base	7	9

Pitching Stats	Apopka	Dr. P
ERA	2.62	3.65
Strikeouts	10	7
OBA	.200	.233

Apopka Pitchers:
Alejandro Posluszny allowed two hits, two runs, had three strikeouts, and walked one batter in three innings.
Connor McAfee allowed two hits, two runs, walked three batters and had four strikeouts in two innings.
Kyle Garland allowed two hits, one run, walked one batter, and had one strikeout in two innings.
Wyatt Jagers allowed zero hits, zero runs, walked three batters, and had two strikeouts in two innings.
Apopka's pitchers faced 38 Dr. Phillips' batters.
Apopka Fielding Statistics
27 total chances, 24 putouts, two errors, and one assist.



On Monday, March 11, Apopka's Kyle Garland throws a pitch.



Apopka's Brady Roberts jumps high on his way to homeplate after a homerun.

APK Baseball retire jersey

By Marshall Tempest
Apopka Chief Staff

On Monday, March 11, the Apopka Baseball team retired another jersey on the wall of J. Barnes field. Former Apopka High School student-athlete, Michael Taylor, had his jersey number, #46, retired as he was recognized for his talent and history with the Apopka Blue Darters.

Taylor has been a part of Apopka baseball since he was just a kid, said former Apopka High School assistant baseball and football coach Brian King. Taylor is not originally from Apopka, but moved here very young and immediately became a part of the youth baseball scene.

King explained to me that Taylor graduated from Apopka High School in 2004 where he was on the

varsity baseball and basketball team as a freshman and was a four-year starter for the baseball team. In 2003 as a junior, Tay-

lor and the team lost in the State Championship game. "After graduating

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The Apopka baseball team celebrate the overtime victory made possible by Reid Taylor as they throw water and congratulate him after he crosses home plate.



On Monday, March 11, Michael Taylor stands with his family at J. Barnes field in front his retired jersey.

WHS Basketball's post season run cut short by St. Thomas

By Neal Fisher
Apopka Chief

The Wekiva Mustangs held the St. Thomas Aquinas Raiders to a field goal percentage of 34.4 percent. Yet, by a score of 62-35, the 2023-24 season came to an end on Thursday, March 8 during the Class 6A state semifinals. How is the only answer, as old as sports, turnovers. Outcome of the contest was also as tangible proof as possible for why limiting turnovers are relentlessly harped on by coaches. In particular, a 19-9 advantage in turnovers was held by the Raiders during the first half. Total points scored from turnovers during the first half was 21-5 in favor of St. Thomas Aquinas.

Impact of turnovers was weightiest below the surface as the Raiders con-

verted only 22 of 64 field goal attempts. More turnovers translated to increasing the numbers of opportunities to take field goal attempts, though. A high or even average percentage was unnecessary for St. Thomas Aquinas to take and keep the lead after the first six minutes.

"Difference between the solid 16-9 record and making the run to the state final four was reducing the turnovers," Mustangs coach Jerry Middleton said. "A broken record, but because why, still hasn't changed. Championship contenders consistently protect the ball."

Wekiva struggled just to keep the margin for total number of attempts above half at 38. Only 13 of the 38 field goal attempts were converted by the Mus-

tangs for a percentage of 34.2. Still at 34 percent, St. Thomas Aquinas converted only nine of the 26 more field goal attempts taken. However, finding the range those nine more times accounted for a 20-point differential.

"Not only do teams give up opportunities to score when turnovers are committed," Middleton said. "Opponents' opportunities to score also increase with every turnover. Often those opportunities are easy as well. Then time of possession for the team receiving the turnover increases. The more time the team in the lead has possession, the more likely to keep the lead. Worst case scenario for the team with the lead when receiving a turnover is the score remains the same."

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Wekiva's Senaia Asanya blocks a St. Thomas player's shot on Thursday, March 7.

Police Beat

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In the period from March 3-9, the Apopka Police Department received 1,622 calls for service, responded to 39 crashes, issued 55 citations, and made 21 arrests. Juveniles were charged with disturbing the peace-interfere with school administration functions (X3); disorderly conduct affray (X3); battery-touch or strike (X3); resist officer with violence; battery on specified personnel.

The following adults were arrested and charged:
Sergio Aranda, 33, 6786 Coral Berry Dr., Mt. Dora, DUI-unlawful blood alcohol, DUI-influence of alcohol or drugs.
James Jeryl Avant, 43, 779 Lake Doe Blvd., Apopka, out-of-county warrant.
Tonya Brinzanova, 56, confidential, Apopka, larceny-grand theft \$750 less than \$5,000; kidnap-false imprisonment, false imprisonment of person; battery-touch or strike; simple assault-intent threat to do violence.
Miles Channing Burke, 30, 940 Douglas

Ave., Altamonte Springs, drugs-possession of controlled substance without prescription (fentanyl); drug equipment-possession and/or use.

Jarvis Brandon Clayton, 43, 516 W. 13th St., Apopka, possession of cocaine with intent to sell manufacture deliver, etc. Schedule II; drugs-possession of controlled substance without prescription (fentanyl); drugs-possession of controlled substance without prescription (MDMA); drug equipment-possession and/or use.

Felix Antonio Collado-Morales, 47, 2952 McClellan St., Deltona, DUI-unlawful blood alcohol 0.15 or higher or with person under 18 in vehicle.

Luis Force, 42, 1104 Saddleback Ridge Rd., Apopka, resist officer-obstruction without violence.

Billy Lewis Griffin, 49, 2018 Clarcona Rd., Apopka, possession of cocaine; drug equipment-possession and/or use; resist officer-obstruction without violence; obstructing justice-tamper with evidence in criminal proceeding; other agency warrant.

Johnathan Lamar Harris, 33, 3930 WD Judge Dr. #45, Orlando, larceny-petit theft, merchandise farm transit 2+ prior conviction; smuggle contraband into prison, control substance-defined provisions of s.893.02(4); drugs-possession of controlled substance without prescription (fentanyl).

Daryl Leonard Heard, 55, E. 416B 13th St., Apopka, moving traffic violation-driving while license

suspended, habitual offender.

Curtis Michael Ernest to Lake, 27, confidential, Apopka, aggravated battery-cause bodily harm or disability.

Randall Sean Loughe, 55, transient, Apopka, trespassing-failure to leave property on order of owner.

Romain Olando Meggie, 32, confidential, Apopka, battery-touch or strike.

Elder Giovanni Morales, 26, 2655 Plymouth Sorrento Rd., Apopka, aggravated assault-with deadly weapon without intent to kill.

Rickey Charles Powell, 65, general delivery, Orlando, larceny-petit theft, merchandise farm transit 2+ prior conviction.

Becky Joanne Rodriguez, 47, confidential, Apopka, battery-touch or strike.

Jamarco Tornell Simons, 38, 505 S. Washington Ave., Apopka, other agency warrant.

Amilcar R. Vazquez-Vazquez, 21, 256 N. Maine Ave., Apopka, failure to appear.

Jose Alberto Velazquez-Negron, 27, confidential, Apopka, kidnap-false imprisonment, false imprisonment of person; larceny-grand theft \$750 less than \$5,000.

Bryant Raynode Ware, 49, 504 W. 13th St., Apopka, drugs-possession of controlled substance without prescription (MDMA); drug equipment-possession and/or use; out-of-county warrant.

Jerome Kelly Wood, 42, 40 N. Cervidae Dr., Apopka, robbery-no firearm or weapon

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Retirement: Taylor's son threw the first pitch

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from Apopka High School, he went to Stanford and was a three-year starter at Stanford. Coach Dean Stotz saw him play somewhere in the summer and started his recruiting by reaching out to me. Me and Stotz had a few phone conversations and then Mike took a trip out there and loved it and went to school there for three years," said King.

Taylor graduated from Stanford with a bachelor's in political science in just three years. After that, he was drafted in the fifth round with the 173rd pick by the Philadelphia Phillies. In 2009, he was the Philadelphia Phillies minor league player of the year.

After that, Taylor made his major league debut with the Oakland Athletics in 2011 and played for the Athletics through the 2013 season before he signed as a free agent with the White Sox. After playing a bit in Chicago, Taylor retired from the show at

the end of the 2014 season. Last November, Taylor took a job with the Phillies as their Coordinator of Strategic Initiatives.

Aaron Crawford, Apopka's Athletic Director, and Bobby Brewer, head coach for the Apopka Baseball team, stood at home plate with Taylor and his family to start the night.

They introduced Taylor and his family and went on to explain his time at Apopka with the team, and his journey after that.

At the end of the speech, the covered sign of his jersey number 46 was unveiled at the far-left wall. Taylor and his family took pictures with Apopka's Mayor, Bryan Nelson,

and more in honor of the retirement.

Taylor's eldest son Kason also threw the first pitch of the night to his father at home plate from the mound. And to capitalize on the night, the Apopka baseball team defeated Dr. Phillips 6-5 in overtime.



On Monday, March 11, former Apopka High School player Michael Taylor stands with Mayor of Apopka, Bryan Nelson, at the wall of J. Barnes field.

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- Not in danger
- Nursemaid
- Black band worn in mourning
- Long song in opera
- Edible seed of a Philippine tree
- Chicago political family
- Pursues pleasure from one place to another
- Appetizer
- Hill (Celtic)
- Simple shoe
- Songs to one you love
- Secret activities
- Upset
- Popular hot drink
- Body art (slang)
- Fired
- Blood relation
- Identical
- Porticos
- Partner to cheese
- Type of sword
- Enough (archaic)
- Surface layer of ground
- Cotton fabric woven like satin
- Choose for a post
- Father
- Tell on
- Indian title of respect
- Fonts
- Fencing sword
- Mock
- Vaccine developer
- Atmosphere surrounding a person or place
- Marten with a short tail
- Chinese temple
- Invests in little enterprises
- Popular cut of meat
- Charity
- Iron-containing compound
- River in Northern Europe
- One point east of southeast

CLUES DOWN

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- Spoke
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- End-blown flute
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- Political divisions in ancient Greece
- Ocean
- Cool!
- Young woman about to enter society
- One from central Caucasus
- Indian city
- A way to serve ice cream
- Emaciation
- Escort aircraft carrier
- Italian city
- Mythical settler of Kansas
- Unhappy
- High schoolers' test
- Measured in pace
- Satisfies
- Gullible person
- Enclosed space
- Substance used to color something
- Shirt type
- Discover by investigation
- Castell, makers of pens
- Semitic Sun god
- Grads wear one
- French river
- Part of a cap
- Digestive fluid
- Metrical foot
- Body part
- Very fast airplane
- Supplement with difficulty

Solutions can be found on page 10A of this newspaper.

Apopka Baseball comes out on top in nail-biting overtime win



Apopka's Brandon Sowers makes a great catch in full extension for an out on a Dr. Phillips batter.



Apopka's Alejandro Posluszny throws a pitch in the opening innings of the Darters' game against Dr. Phillips on Monday, March 11.



Apopka's Wyatt Jagers slings a pitch in the closing innings in the Darters 6-5 victory over Dr. Phillips.



Apopka's Connor McAfee throws a pitch as the second pitcher of the night for Apopka against Dr. Phillips on Monday, March 11.



Apopka's Cody McKinley gets a hit that gets him a base in the Darters' overtime victory over Dr. Phillips



Apopka's Brady Roberts, moments after connecting with the ball on his homerun that gave Apopka the lead in the first inning.

WHS Basketball team fights hard in loss at FHSAA State Semifinal



Wekiva's Senaia Asanya pump fakes a St. Thomas defender and gets her off her feet for an easy two points on Thursday, March 7.



Wekiva's Makayla Bell (r) sets a screen for teammate Tierra Coleman (l) in attempt to create an open lane to the basket during their 62-35 loss in the FHSAA State Semifinal.

Hoops: Mustangs third quarter was their best of the game

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Blanche Ely and lost by about four or five points... and we kind of hit a wall. But with the chemistry and the love that our girls and coaches have, we had a powwow, a circle of truth. They carried and created their own five principles, they let me know as the head coach things that I could do to make them better as far as my approach to coaching. It was kind of weird, but we did it."

Middleton went on to explain that Coleman is the leader of the team and had been an integral piece of the journey to a final four appearance.

"I told Tierra (Coleman), 'I'm going to throw you a set of keys. What are we driving?' she said we're taking a charter bus. I said, 'We gotta get to Lakeland how are we going to get there?' and she said a charter bus. So I said, 'Well it's your team, whatever you want us to do, take us there,' ... and she did."

When it comes to the game, it was purely just a good team against an excellent team. Wekiva is a great squad with a lot of strong players. But St. Thomas had elite athletes at every position and deep into their bench. St. Thomas' star player, Khadee Hession, leads the team in points per game with 18.6, rebounds per game with 6.8, and assists per game with 3.9. In total, Hession had 558 points, 117 assists, 205 rebounds, and 104 steals this season. To put it



Wekiva's Senaia Asanya (l) argues with the ref while fighting for the ball with a St. Thomas player on the court.

into a comparison, Wekiva's leader is Coleman who averaged 12.3 points a game, 1.5 assists a game, 2.7 rebounds a game, and 2.4 steals per game. In total Coleman had 343 points, 43 assists, 76 rebounds, and 68 steals this season.

The game started well for Wekiva. They kept up with St. Thomas for most of the first quarter going bucket for bucket. Tied 7-7 with 3:20 left in the first quarter, St. Thomas began their separation from Wekiva. By the end of the first quarter, Wekiva was trailing 17-9 and was struggling with turnovers and giving up points from those turnovers.

After the first quarter, Wekiva had 10 turnovers and St. Thomas had 10 points from turnovers.

Wekiva had the better shooting percentage in the first quarter with 50 percent to St. Thomas 42.9 percent, but St. Thomas took 14 shots to Wekiva's eight. With fewer turnovers, Wekiva could have put up more shots and been closer or even ahead of St. Thomas.

The bad turned to worse in the second quarter and Wekiva went into the locker room in Lakeland down 32-16. St. Thomas outscored Wekiva 15-7 in the second quarter. Wekiva's struggles compounded and kept building in the second quarter with the Mustangs committing nine more turnovers giving St. Thomas 11 points from those turnovers. The Mustangs shot 2-for-8 from the field and 2-for-4 from the

free-throw line. St. Thomas shot 5-20 from the field and 4-6 from the free-throw line in the second.

"Attention to detail. Not allowing the moment to be so big that it can dictate your decisions," Middleton said about what he hopes the team takes away from the experience.

The third quarter was Wekiva's best showing. The girls came out of the locker room with a plan, thanks to coach Middleton. He said the talks at half-time were about controlling the press that had been causing the Mustangs turnovers all game.

Even with the adjustments and great play, St. Thomas still outscored Wekiva 14-11 in the third quarter. But Wekiva did improve on their turnovers



Wekiva's Tierra Coleman goes up for a layup on a fast break with a St. Thomas player looking for a block.

only committing five in the third and only giving St. Thomas four points from those turnovers. But Wekiva flipped it on St. Thomas getting eight points from their five turnovers in the third quarter.

Wekiva shot 4-for-8 from the field and 3-for-4 from the free-throw line. St. Thomas shot 6-for-16 from the field and 2-for-5 from beyond the arc. The Mustangs went into the final quarter down 46-27 looking for a miracle.

With their pride and energy drained, the Mustangs were not performing at their best in the fourth quarter but didn't quit until the final buzzer. Wekiva was outscored 16-8 in the

final quarter as St. Thomas shot 5-for-14 from the field and 6-for-10 from the free-throw line, while Wekiva shot 3-for-14 from the field and 2-for-3 from the free-throw line.

The game ended with St. Thomas leading 62-35, and the Wekiva Mustangs headed back home. Wekiva had 28 turnovers in the game and St. Thomas scored 29 points from those turnovers.

"I think it's experience. We have seven sophomores and seven seniors. They are a great team and I think it was their poise that was the difference," Coach Middleton said about St. Thomas versus Wekiva.

APK: Apopka comes out swinging in the first inning

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Sadly the next at-bat ended in a strikeout and Apopka had to take the field without being able to capitalize on their momentum.

"The way we started off in that first inning I thought we were gonna roll a little bit, but their lefty, who's a very good pitcher, he found his groove and he's one of the better pitchers in the state of Florida," Brewer said.

Apopka's fielding stayed golden in the second and kept Dr. Phillips scoreless allowing the Darters to take the plate again looking to build on their first-inning lead. Unfortunately, Dr. Phillips collected three outs with haste and ended the second inning with Apopka still up 3-0 unable to add anything to the scoreboard.

In the third inning, Dr. Phillips found life and Apopka seemed to be flustered. An error in the field from Apopka turns a would-be-out, or even double play, into a man on

third and a man on second situation with just one out. Dr. Phillips scored their first run on an RBI sent in from a Dr. Phillips batter perfectly placing a hit between second and third. The Apopka fielding began to be picked apart as the Dr. Phillips batters split their coverage on the field on multiple occasions.

Dr. Phillips scored another run from an RBI but suffered their second out as Apopka moved closer to shutting down the building Dr. Phillips attack. It was McKinley deep in midfield who grabbed an enormous out to end the inning with Apopka still up 3-2.

"We made a mistake. We got an error on a ball we normally wouldn't. Our shortstop, Nico Posluszny, has been playing lights-out defense and he came up short, the ball kind of stayed in his hand and he didn't get the pick. But that was the start of everything. After that they swung the bats a little bit on us," said Brewer.

Apopka, again in the

third, couldn't get anything going for them at the plate with the Dr. Phillips pitcher now in a good rhythm. The third ended with no runs, Apopka still leading 3-2 going into the fourth.

Alejandro Posluszny started the game on the mound for Apopka but was replaced going into the fourth with Connor McAfee. Posluszny ended his shift allowing two hits, two runs, three strikeouts, and walked one batter after facing 13 Dr. Phillips batters on 56 pitches. The fourth was a quiet one with both Apopka and Dr. Phillips unable to secure any runs.

Dr. Phillips exploded at the plate in the fifth. They scored back-to-back RBIs to score two runs and take the lead from Apopka 4-3. Fielding mistakes, errors, and the pitching scheme from Apopka were the catalysts for Dr. Phillips' runs. After securing three outs and keeping them from scoring any more runs, Apopka took the plate in the fifth inning

now down a run.

Apopka struggled all night with the umpire at home plate and his perceived strike zone. Brewer told me that nothing other than a ball straight down the batter's throat was being called in the box. It was hard for Apopka to get any of their pitches going because of this which resulted in a lot of hits for Dr. Phillips.

"The strike zone tonight was a little bit tough. Our biggest problem was we were having to throw it right down the pipe. That's not pitching," said Brewer. "Alejandro started off really well but he just lost the feel for the strike zone a little bit, but like I said, it was awful tight. Then Connor came in and he did the same thing. He threw some strikes but the thing was that we were throwing too many balls. It wasn't that we weren't throwing strikes, it's just that when the strike zone is tough like that, you gotta fight through it. There was a time when he was call-

ing strikes and our pitchers know where that spot was, so it's up to them now to make that adjustment and hit that spot. But to their credit, none of them quit."

But now back at the plate, Apopka had a chance to get back the momentum they lost in the first. They did just that, with two outs Apopka scored their fourth run thanks to an error made by a Dr. Phillips fielder who dropped a huge fly ball that sent in the runner on third. The Darters were unable to secure any more points than that and ended the fifth now tied with Dr. Phillips 4-4.

The last two innings were a true battle as both teams attempted to get just a hair in front of the other for the win. Dr. Phillips scored a run in the sixth that put them up 5-4 and Apopka ended the sixth scoring no runs going into the final inning down a run. In the seventh Apopka stepped up and played perfect defense keeping Dr. Phillips to no runs. It was Apopka's Wyatt Jagers

that ended the game on the mound for Apopka coming into the game in the seventh. Apopka still needed to score to send the game into overtime or secure the victory.

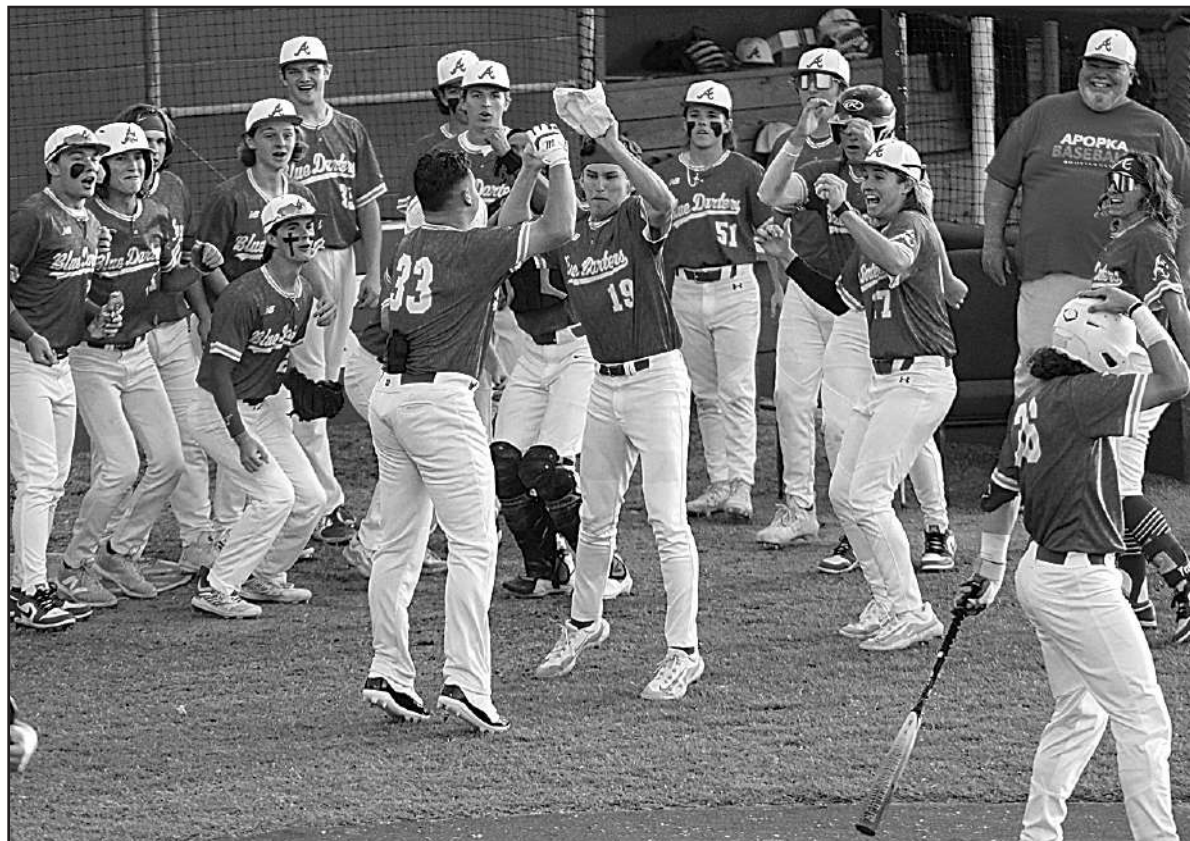
Apopka put all their will into the bats in the seventh and squeezed a run out of it to send the game into overtime and a chance to take the win. Now in the eighth inning, Apopka had to have another near-perfect fielding appearance and then repeat their play on offense. The defense did their job keeping Dr. Phillips scoreless in the eighth but it was up to the batters to bring home the win.

It was Reid Taylor who got on base for Apopka and would be the runner to make it home. Taylor found himself in a situation where he attempted to steal second and then third. When he went to steal third, Dr. Phillips' pitcher sent a crazy pass to the third baseman in an effort

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Cody McKinley slides into second to steal the base as a Dr. Phillips player jumps to avoid the slide and catch the ball.

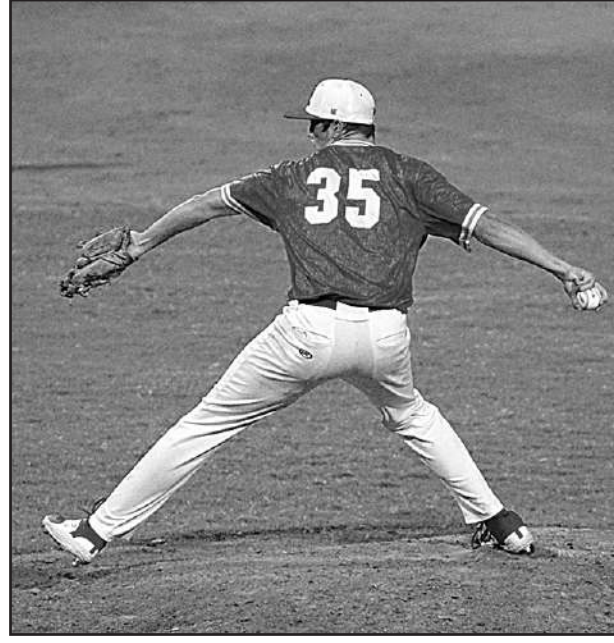


The Apopka dugout, and coach Bobby Brewer, celebrate Brady Roberts' homerun in the first inning that put Apopka up 3-0 on Monday, March 11.

APK: Darters secure the victory in eighth inning in overtime



Apopka's Cody McKinley makes a great catch near the wall to secure an out for Apopka.



Connor McAfee throws his first pitch of the game on Monday, March 11.



Apopka's Reid Taylor attempts to beat the ball to first, but is just short as the umpire called him out.

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to tag him out but the ball went wide and sent Taylor to home plate as the entire dugout and stands cheered him on.

"The gameplan was we were going to take until we got a strike. We even told our guys, 'In some cases, if you need to, you can take two strikes and weren't going to bark at ya or anything like that.' We needed base runners and we're at our best when we are up there fighting and just trying to get on base.

Because we can make a pitcher throw a lot of pitches," Brewer told me after the game.

Brewer talked to me about who has been stepping up for the team in those clutch moments. "Right now to be honest with you the guy that's stepping up for us huge is Reef (VanKuren). Reef has just stepped into that spot and has been our offensive guy here the last three or four games where he's just gotten big hits, after big hits, after big hits. It's

crazy what he's doing right now. Now, like tonight, Brady (Roberts) got the homerun and the double late in the game, but really like I said, the guy that has been the most consistent has been Reef."

Brewer also told me the team made a lot of unforced errors and mistakes both at the plate and in the field against Dr. Phillips. "Well, like I told our guys, 'You've gotta go back and look at everything we did tonight.' We did bunt the ball well to-

night, we put the ball on the ground. But we swung at too many pitches out of the strike zone. When we knew we had that tight strike zone there were too many times we swung where we didn't need to. And then there were times when we put the bat on our shoulder when we knew it was right down the pipe. So just being a little bit more disciplined at the plate would've helped us," Brewer said. "We also had a couple of plays in the field we could have han-

dled differently. We were a little bit too careful. I told the boys 'I don't want to be reckless on defense but guys we gotta have a sense of urgency. There's gotta be a little bit more oomph to it.' I thought we had a double play here at third. I think we babied it because we didn't want to throw it in right field. We tell our guys all the time, 'You can't think bad stuff. You can't think negatively, you can't go 'Oh what's going to happen if I don't make this out?', or 'What

if I make an error?' No! You think 'What's it going to be like when I make this play? What is it going to be like when I square this ball up?' So we just try to get them to think positive."

The team won a hard-fought battle because they didn't give up in the face of adversity, a quality shared amongst all Apopka athletes, regardless of the sport.

"Sometimes it's better to be lucky than good, and tonight we were a little bit of both," said Brewer.



Apopka's Wyatt Jagers focuses on the strike zone while pitching in the closing innings in the Darters victory over Dr. Phillips.



Apopka's Alejandro Posluszny finds his rhythm early on in the Darters game against Dr. Phillips.

WHS: 'There is no substitute for experience...'

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Furthermore, only two more second chance points were scored by the Raiders at 11-9. Fast breaks were actually 7-6 in favor of Wekiva.

"Some of the difficulty with turnovers was because of the Raiders," Middleton said. "The press St. Thomas Aquinas used was the same as St. Cloud and we convincingly won (during the regional final). Inability to handle the ball was more on us. Turnovers were of our own volition. The ball was dropped a number of times when no Raiders were within five feet. Inaccurate throws were equally common, too.

"Outcome might not have changed, but a more competitive contest if we aren't committing self-damaging mistakes on the fundamentals of catching and throwing. We have an opportunity to win if the turnovers are limited to the same amount as during the regional rounds."

Between the second possession and 2:57 of the first quarter, Wekiva did not turn the ball over. Then a turnover

ended eight of the next 10 possessions and ignited a 20-4 Raiders' run. Points were scored by St. Thomas Aquinas following seven of the eight turnovers.

"There is no substitute for experience," was played out front and center," Middleton said. "Feeling the brightest lights and the biggest stage for the first time was definitely felt."

Score was 17-9, 32-16 and 46-27 at the end of the first three quarters.

In the last contest of her high school and Mustang career, Tierra Coleman was high scorer with 19 points. Totalling 17 points, Khadee Hession topped St. Thomas Aquinas' scoring attack. However, double digits in the scoring column were reached by all five Raider starters. Mya Johnson (12) and Ka-zahria Johnson (11) also grabbed 23 rebounds combined to achieve double-doubles.

Rebounds were also 44-30 in favor of St Thomas Aquinas. Twenty-five of the Raiders' rebounds were on the offensive side. Even though differential in second chance points was only two, offensive rebounds have the same effect on time of possession as turnovers.

"Nonetheless, a lot to feel pride about," Middleton said. "We took the next step from a solid regular season of 16-9 to a state final four team and state championship contender. Expectations for Wekiva were anything but returning to the state championship contender landscape after last season. No one thought the senior leadership needed to take the next step and culminating with the run existed."

The Bloomingdale Bulls and an undefeated record of 30-0 provided the opposition for the state championship final. The run to the state championship was capped off by St. Thomas Aquinas (23-9) with an equally decisive score of 70-35. Also advancing to the state final-four was the Ponte Verde Sharks (22-9).

"Advancing to the state final four and even losing was a learning experience to be used next season," Middleton said. "More importantly for moving forward next season, we are graduating only three seniors from a team advancing to the state final four. No other team contending for the state championship has less than four."



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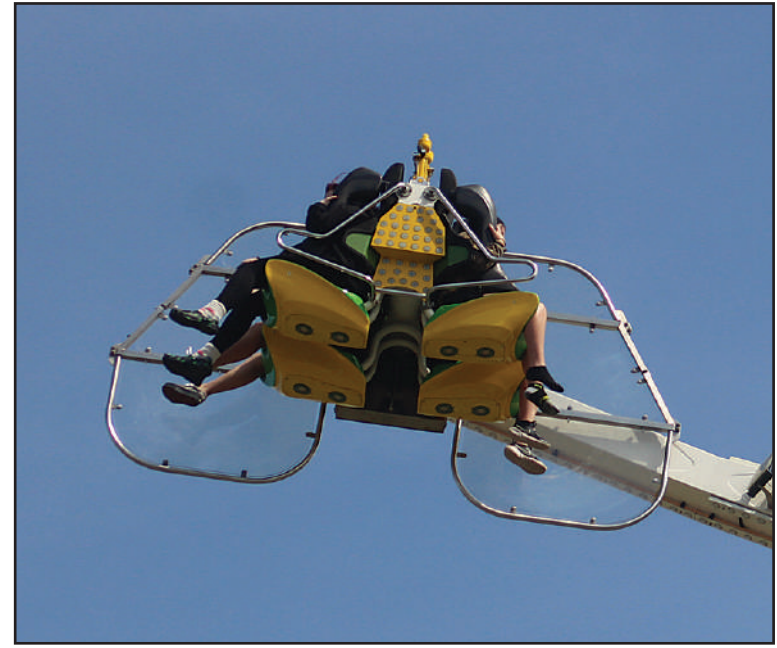
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Rainfall in 12 counties lower than typical average, six counties are above average

SJRWM announces February's water conditions at its governing board meeting

In February, the St. Johns River Water Management District region witnessed below-average rainfall, with the majority of precipitation concentrated in the middle of the month, driven by a frontal boundary traversing the central counties. Out of the 18 counties comprising the District, 12 received less than their typical monthly rainfall, while six counties experienced above-average precipitation.

A comprehensive report outlining February's hydrologic conditions was presented at the District's

Governing Board meeting, featuring the following highlights:

Rainfall

* Districtwide, February's rainfall averaged 2.81 inches, just 0.13 below the monthly average. * County-wide monthly rainfall totals ranged from a high of 3.79 inches in Lake County, to a low of 2 inches in Okeechobee County.

* Over the past 12 months, the majority of the District received average to above-average rainfall, with a cumulative total of 57.60 inches, surpassing the long-term average by 6.59 inches.

* County-wide totals varied between 52.84 inches in Lake County to 62.91 inches in Volusia County.

Groundwater

* Upper Floridan aquifer conditions varied but generally fell within the high or normal range by the end of February.

* Districtwide groundwater levels, expressed as a single index, fell within the 84th percentile, which is in the high range for this time of year.

Spring flows

* Silver Springs recorded a mean monthly flow of 701 cubic feet per second (cfs), or 453 million gallons per day (mgd), a 13 cfs decrease from January, falling within the normal range for this time of year.

* Blue Spring station in Volusia County reported a mean monthly flow of

158 cfs, or 102 mgd, within the normal range.

* Rock Springs experienced a slight increase in mean monthly flow, just within the high range at 61 cfs (40 mgd).

* Wekiwa Springs exhibited a slight decrease, recording a mean monthly flow of 66 cfs (43 mgd), consistent with the seasonal norm.

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Brandon Lunsford
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IN THE CIRCUIT COURT OF THE NINTH JUDICIAL CIRCUIT, IN AND FOR ORANGE COUNTY, FLORIDA
CASE NUMBER: 2024-CA-002173-0
DIVISION NUMBER: 39
IN RE: FORFEITURE OF A TICKET MASTER MACHINE/ GAMBLING DEVICE AND \$611.00 IN U.S. CURRENCY
I HEREBY CERTIFY that this Notice is being served pursuant to the notice provisions of Florida Statutes 932.701-707, this 13th day of March, 2024.
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DIVISION NUMBER: 40
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