

Date: Apr 5, 2011; Section: Sports/Basketball; Page: 4B

## Notes

▶ Continued from Page 1B

Tennessee boys have won each of the first two games against Virginia while the girls have split two games.

In the mix for the girls are Science Hill's Christy Goodman, Elizabethton's Chelsea Bowling, Happy Valley's Ohvia Eaton and Randa Blankenship, and Sullivan East's Elizabeth Dishner.

■ Once again, Cloudland is letting the chips fall where they may.

In a fundraiser for Highlanders' football, Cow Bingo will be held May 21 at 3 p.m. at Orr Field in Roan Mountain.

Squares (one yard by one yard if all tickets are sold) will be painted on the football field. The winner will be determined by where the cows decide to position their "patties."

Three cows will be released at different times. The first cow will be for the third-place prize (1 percent of earnings), the second cow for the second-place award (5 percent of earnings), and the third for the grand prize (10 percent, a possible total of \$2,000).

If the chip falls on a line, the money will be split.

Tickets are \$20 each, and only 1,000 will be sold. They can be purchased at the high school, Roan Mountain Dental Center, Napa Auto Parts, Highlander BBQ and Talk of the Town Salon.

■ Signings update: Tennessee High's Chris Ellis has made his college choice. He will sign a basketball scholarship Monday with Milligan.

The signing will take place at 2:45 p.m. at the high school.

■ Baseball games of the week

— (Today) Science Hill at Dobyne-Bennett, Daniel Boone at Sullivan South, Elizabethton at Johnson County, Unicoi County at Sullivan East; (Wednesday) Unaka at University High (Wednesday through Saturday) Coca-Cola Classic at various sites.

There are some very important conference games this week, including the second meeting between the Hilltoppers and Indians. Science Hill won the first battle, and a second notch against the Indians could go a long way toward determining a regular season champion. ...

In the Three Rivers Conference, Unicoi County has fallen behind the front-runners and could really use a road win over the Patriots to become a league threat. ...

And in the Watauga Valley,

Unaka and UH begin their annual quest for the top spot.

■ Despite its loss to David Crockett, Science Hill won the head-to-head battle with Dobyne-Bennett and takes over the No. 1 spot in this week's Prep Top 10.

Team	W-L	Prv
1. Science Hill	7-6	2
2. Dobyne-Bennett	8-3	1
3. Jefferson County	12-1	5
4. Sullivan North	9-2	4
5. Sullivan East	6-2	3
6. Tennessee High	6-3	8
7. Daniel Boone	4-4	7
8. Sullivan South	3-1	8
9. David Crockett	4-5	10
10. Elizabethton	4-4	nr

■ Softball games of the week — (Today) Science Hill at Volunteer, Unicoi County at Elizabethton, University High at Unaka, (Wednesday) Daniel Boone at Tennessee High, (Thursday) Elizabethton at Johnson County (Friday through Sunday) Topper tournament at

Science Hill.

Elizabethton faces a very important pair of games. The Cyclones will get their first shot at the Blue Devils before having a chance to avenge a shutout loss to the Longhorns.

■ Unicoi County is a strong No. 1 in this week's girls rankings, increasing its gap over the rest of the field by winning the Kingsport/Eastman Invitational.

Team	W-L	Prv
1. Unicoi County	19-0	1
2. Daniel Boone	9-1	2
3. Jefferson County	11-2	3
4. Elizabethton	9-4	5
5. Morristown East	9-4	6
6. Johnson County	9-8	4
7. Science Hill	12-9	7
8. Unaka	8-3	8
9. Tennessee High	7-3	9
10. University High	5-1	10

Douglas Fritz is a sports writer for the Johnson City Press. Contact him at [dfritz@johnsoncitypress.com](mailto:dfritz@johnsoncitypress.com)