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Indians become Homecoming victims at River Ridge

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tcherald@windstream.net The Towns County Indians hit a roadblock Friday night in Woodstock.

The roadblock came in the form of the River Ridge Knights on Homecoming night in Woodstock.

The Knights exacted some revenge on the Indians, making Towns County the sacrificial lamb for its 2011 Home-

coming by a score of 42-6. In 2010 Indians won the first ever meeting against the Knights at home with a 14-7 Homecoming victory.

Revenge was sweet for the Knights.

Things appeared to be going the Indians' way early on following a Knights' fumble.

The Indians mounted a long, sustained drive to start the game before stalling on a fourth down play deep in Knights' ter-

The Indians' defense held the Knights scoreless in the first quarter. In fact, throughout the first half, the Indians held the Knights to only two scores. River Ridge led 14-0 at the half.

The third quarter was all River Ridge as the Knights took control of the game. Almost in concert with several Indian miscues, the Knights amassed three more touchdowns to take a 35-0 lead into the final quarter.





Photo by James Reese.

find the end zone early in the but the damage was done as the fourth quarter on a Jackson Knights sent the Indians back

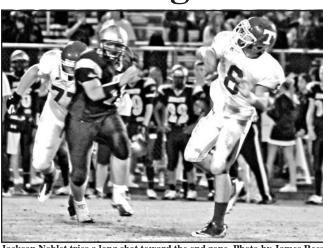


The captains are watching the season wind down in their final season. Photo by James Reese.

The Indians managed to Noblet 3-yard scoring plunge,

home with a 42-6 loss. On Friday, the Indians

travel to Gibson to face the



Jackson Noblet tries a long shot toward the end zone. Photo by James Reese



Zach Stroud looks for an opening against River Ridge. Photo by James Reese.

Glascock County Panthers. lasted the Panthers in an epic Kickoff is at 7:30 p.m. Last year the Indians out-

come-from-behind shootout 47-45 overtime victory.

Lady Indians' Softball season one of success



Towns County Lady Indians 2011 Softball Team. Photo by Lowell Nicholson. By James Reese

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The Towns County Lady Indians finished the 2011 Softball season with a 5-15 record.

By most standards, that would appear to be a losing season. For this team, it is the best

season on record.

Towns County. First year Head Coach delighted.

Lakyn Traquair was pleased

coach and former player I would through.' strive for better, but it's been a good place to start."

The Lady Indians lost two other categories. seniors, Felicia Baker and Makayla Moody.

"We lost Felicia Baker n on record. who came to us from Ohio,"

It was a season that marks

Coach Traquair said. "This progress; a season that raised the was her first year here and if I bar for future softball teams at could've had her here for three the seniors, that I feel like they more years I would have been

"Makayla Moody, it with the progress made by the was her first year playing for Lady Indians during the 2011 me, Coach Traquair said. "She powerhouse and say that they was a big impact player for the

"I'm pleased with the sea- team. We put her in when we son," she said. "Obviously as a needed her and she always came

> It was a season of firsts in home runs, wins, and several

The Lady Indians now have traditions and standards that have a set bar to catapult

"As far as the other girls go, I've told them along with have started a legacy," Coach Traquair said. "Many years from now they are going to look back once Towns County is a Softball were there to help start all that.

Tiny Mites advance to Youth Football League playoffs



The Tiny Mites lost Saturday to the Union County Panthers on Saturday to fall to 6-2 on the Season.

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The Towns County Tiny Mites advance to the Youth

Football League playoffs to be

held Saturday in Jefferson.

24-7 as their record drops to 6-2 Saturday in Jefferson. on the season.

Contact Youth Football The Tiny Mites lost to Coordinator Jimmy Smith at Union County Panthers (706) 835-6176 to find out the over the weekend by a score of time the Tiny Mites will play on

Arts & Craft Sale

The 42nd Annual Mountain Harvest Arts and Craft sale will be held on October Sunday, 9 a.m. to 5 p.m. at the State Farmer's Market, Blue Ridge, GA. No admission fee, no parking fee. For information call 706-374-2335. Sponsored by the Fannin County Homemakers Council. N(Oct19,Z1)CA

Youth basketball registration

reation Department will be having youth basketball registration during the week of Monday the 17th of October and will run through Saturday the 5th of November. You may register your child at the Towns County Recreation Department. Our hours of operation are Monday thru Friday from 9 AM til 8 PM and Satur-

The Towns County Rec- day from 9 AM til 4 PM. Fee for the program will be \$45.

Age divisions will be 10 & under (8, 9, & 10-year-olds), 12 & under (11 & 12-yearolds). This is for both males and females.

For more information please contact the Towns County Recreation Department at 706-896-2600. T(Oct19,F1)

Mountain Harvest Halloween on the Square 2011

Halloween on the Square p.m. - We will begin giving candy. However, we are anticcandy out at 6.

22nd - 23rd, Saturday and will be having a Jeep parade bring enough candy for your beginning at the Fairgrounds at 5 and will end at the square. they are parked before we can let the children start treating. **Remember that traffic through town will be stopped for the parade so plan around

> You will need to have tables set up no later than 4:45. Traffic along the square will be closed at 4:45. There will be no vehicular parking on the square that night due to the number of jeeps. Please unload your table and candy and then move your car. There will be some parking around the courthouse, senior center and old bank building.

We still are in need of OCTOBER 29, 2011 6 to 8 donated candy or money for ipating a shortage of donated The Georgia Jeepsters candy this year. Please try to

The costume contest will We will have to wait until be at 7 at the Gazebo. Judges are still needed – if you'd like to volunteer, please let me

> Also - we would like to have some volunteers to help with crowd control and traffic at the beginning of the event. If you or anyone you know would like to help, please meet at the Gazebo on the square at

> NO EVENTS ARE SCHEDULED FOR OCTO-BER 31. PLEASE PLAN TO ATTEND OCTOBER 29.

> Thanks to all and we look forward to a SAFE and Happy Halloween. T(Oct19,F3)SH

Lake Nottely Improvement Assoc. sponsors bass fishing tournament



Diane and Henry Dominick, Board Members of the Lake Nottely Improvement Association, present a check to Debbie Edwards of the Union County Blairsville Chamber of Commerce.

Lake Nottley Improve- 22. The Tournament's first day ment Association is proud to will be on Lake Chatuge and join the Chamber as a sponsor of the North Georgia Bass Lake Nottely. For more infor-Fishing Tournament, Friday and Saturday, October 21 and

will conclude on Saturday on mation, contact Jason Karnes, (706) 745-5517. NT(Oct19,G1)gg