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Lady Guard split district matches last week

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BULLARD - The Brook Hille Lady Guard split district matches this past week, in TAPPS, District 2-3A play with a doubleheader win on Tuesday night, winning a two-game, six match sweep over The Shelton School of Dallas.

The Lady Guard then fell to 2007 state runner-up, All Saints on Saturday.

TAPPS, District 2-3A is arguably the toughest Class 3A

TAPPS district, led by defending state champ, Canyon Creek-Richardson (6-0), which is the only team to defeat Brook Hill and All Saints this season.

Canyon Creek beat All Saints in the state finals last season, and Brook Hill made the playoffs but lost out in the regional round.

Brook Hill will continue league play on Thursday as they travel to Dallas to play Lakehill for the final matchup of the two teams for the year.

Brook Hill 3, Shelton School 0 (Game One)

The Lady Guard was more than up to the test as well as improving their record (4-2), sweeping both games in three-straight matches.

"We were proud of them for playing back-to-back matches and staying focused enough to not let a game slip past them, said assistant coach, a former UT Tyler two-sport standout Kristen Henton.

The Lady Guard won the first match, 25-12, 25-12, and

25-9

Setter Erica Eden spotted-up 20 assists, and Abby Clements had 20 service points, and to pace the win.

Liebro, Kelsey Norton

scrambled for eight digs, Mary Caroline Seldon pounded out nine kills, and Carly Hood was close to a double-double with nine digs, and eight kills.

Lady Guard, Katelyn

Edenberg had four kills and led the team in blocks with six.

The budget-crunching second match of the night, didn't save The Shelton School legs, or hopes in the second match.

Guard JV shines in win; middle school shootout ends with tie

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BIG SANDY - The Brook Hill School eighth grade and junior varsity took to the road on Thursday night and played Big Sandy in two hard-fought games,

The eighth grade team fought to a 30-30 tie in the opening game of the afternoon on Thursday.

Later on the night, the junior varsity took a shutout, 19-0, win over the Wildcats for Brook Hill.

The next game for the Brook Hill eighth grade will be a re-match with Grace Community on Thursday, with the seventh grade game at 4:30 p.m. and the eighth grade set to kickoff at 6 p.m.

The Guard junior varsity will Dallas Home School at a site yet to be determined.

receiving end of a 25-yard scoring toss and the point-after kick was good for all the points the Brook Hill JV would need to take the win in the nightcap.

Jamel Bell added insurance with a three-yard scoring blast and a failed extra-point left the game with a Guard lead of 13-0, at the half.

The Guard finished out

the scoring in the fourth quarter on another scamper by Bell, this time from 17-yards out for the 19-0, final score.

Brook Hill coach, Vince Veazey cited the play of Matt Ruark with 10 tackles on defense, and Logan Kirkpatrick made a fumble recovery along with eight tackles in the game.



Eighth Grade Game
Brook Hill 30, Big Sandy 30

Brook Hill's, fullback, David Eichelberger scored the first touchdown of the game, and ran for the extra point for an early lead for the Guard.

Brook Hill then added on to the count as quarterback, Quintin Pile threw a six-yard touchdown pass to Dan Mehling, after Dakota Aarant recovered a fumble for The Guard in the first period.

Guard, kick return specialist, Fred Ross broke loss and returned a kick-off, 80-yards for another Guard tally, and a 24-14, Brook Hill lead at the half. Ross had a long 80-yard kick return against Grace Community last week because of a penalty.

The Big Sandy defense stiffened in the last half of play allowing only one more touchdown from Eichelberger on a blast up the middle to close out the scoring in the tie for The Guard.

Junior Varsity
Brook Hill 19, Big Sandy 0
Brook Hill, wide receiver, Austin Langemeier was on the

Sure, luck means a lot in football. Not having a good quarterback is bad luck.
Don Shula

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