

# Kipp sisters named to all-state softball squad

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AUSTIN – Although East Texans dominated the Class 3A, 2009 Texas Sports Writers Association All-State Softball Team, the TSWA released last Saturday.

Nominations were taken from coaches around the state and then voted on by the TSWA.

In Class 3A, six East Texans earned first-team honors including Bullard's district rival, and state final four participant, pitcher Kayla Williams of Spring Hill.

Her battery-mate however is Bullard's own; catcher Alayna Kipp.

Kipp finished out her year as the district Offensive Player of the Year, batting at a .571 clip for district, with three doubles and three triples.

Wish I had a vote that counted because one huge mis-justice was the only other Lady Panther to receive any recognition was Bullard's pitcher, Erin Kipp.

Finishing her junior season with over 1,000 strikeouts in three season, Kipp was also a .400 hitter, in the lead off spot for Bullard. In the shadow of Spring Hill's Williams with her team success, Kipp got jipped from superlatives in district and the honorable mention is far below the expected from these eyes.

Also others that deserved some type of nod included Chelsea Foreman, Ashley Gwartney as first team all-district award winners.

Ignored again were district second-teamers, Mandy Gillard (426 avg), and Ashlee Shidler from any honorable mentions kudos at least.

The Lady Panthers were the district champs, and lost to Huntington in a one-game playoff in the regional semi-finals

NOTE: There were five players from Van, three from the other Lady Panthers from Spring Hill, and the two from Bullard and Rusk for the only East Texas multiple team player nominees. Kayla Williams, the Spring Hill pitcher was named first team as was Pittsburg's, third baseman, NeNe Frazier. Van's designated player, Kayla Chitty, and outfielder, Jessica Marshburn were first teamers also.

The second team was started with pitcher, Shelly Harris of Van, Arika Minchew of Rusk at third base, and Spring Hill, shortstop Ashley Campbell getting the nod.

Third teamers from East Texas included Rusk pitcher, Callie Collins, and Van teammates, Chasity Smith and Brittany Wood.

Joining Erin Kipp on the honorable men-

tion list are Spring Hill, first baseman, Lizzie Autrey, and Van's, Chelsea Moore.

TSWA CLASS 3A

COACH OF THE YEAR: C.J. Mazac, Needville

PLAYER OF THE YEAR: Kylie Roos, Celina

FIRST TEAM

Pitcher: Kylie Roos, Celina; Allie Chenault, Sweeny; Kayla Williams,

Longview Spring Hill

Catcher: Alayna Kipp, Bullard

First base: Lauren Brode, Splendora;

Second base: Joey Cronin, Celina;

Third base: NeNe Frazier, Pittsburg;

Shortstop: Randi Smith, Brownsboro

DP/Utility: Kayla Chitty, Van

Outfield: Jessica Marshburn, Van; Morgan Spearman,

Kennedale; Kalea

Correll, Burkburnett

SECOND TEAM

Pitcher: Cally Falls, Needville; Shelby Harris, Van; Carlie

Thomas,

Huntington;

Catcher: Jasmine San Miguel, Celina;

First base: Renee Chavez, Lyford;

Second base: Dalin Dehart, Burkburnett;

Third base: Arika Minchew, Rusk

Shortstop: Ashley Campbell, Longview Spring Hill

DP/Utility: Kailyn Miller, Devine;

Outfield: Kelsey Delarosa, Cameron Yoe; Becca

Rademacher, Needville;

Arial Ellis, Huntington

THIRD TEAM

Pitcher: Callie Collins, Rusk; Kaylee Davis, Carthage; Kat

Johnson, Levelland;

Catcher: Shelby Ruderman, Splendora;

First base: Lauren Grun, La Vernia;

Second base: Chasity Smith, Van

Third base: Tori Jo White, Carthage

Shortstop: Kassie Roddam, Rockdale;

DP/Utility: Brittany Wood, Van

Outfield: Cierra Weighat, Needville; Candyce Carter,

Sweeny; Morgan Chartier, Gatesville

HONORABLE MENTION

Pitcher: Janice Aleman, Fredericksburg; Erin Kipp,

Bullard;

Kayla Garcia, Navasota; Brenna Hennan, Burkburnett;

First base: Lizzie Autrey, Longview Spring Hill;

Second base: Kerri Jones, Brownwood; Cassie Anders,

Groesbeck;

Shortstop: Samantha Walsh, Ingleside; Corinne Brassell,

Madisonville;

Manda Martin, Burnett;

Outfield: Chelsea Moore, Van; Vanessa Banman, Seminole

# ACADEMIC ALL-STATE TRACK AND FIELD



Bullard High School's Mintia Spears and Bailee Callens were both recently named to the UIL Class 3A Academic All-State Track and Field team. Both Spears and Callens ran varsity as freshmen this last year, and both qualifying for the regional track meet in Humble. The duo are also regional qualifiers in cross-country earlier in 2008.

# GOLF NOTES

2009 Tyler Junior College 'Circle of Honor' Tournament

at Eagle's Bluff Country Club, Bullard

1, Ken Dance, LeAnn Riley, Tim Drain, Danny Palmer, 63; 2, Mike Richardson, Herb Richardson, Joe Rhodes, Jack Sweeney.

Whitehouse Yesteryear Tournament at Eagle's Bluff Country Club, Bullard

GROSS: 1, Hamilton, Kunzman, Ely, Faus, 57.

NET: 1, Owens, Byrd, Johnson, Miller, 53.0; 2, Lux, Lux, Hart, Hanks, 55.1.

Most Honest- Massey, Culpepper, Davis.

Longest Drive- Jason Stone, Hole 3.

Closest to the Pin- Craig Myers, Hole 15.

East Texas Peace Officers Association Golf Tournament

Oak Hurst Golf

Course, Bullard

1, Todd Thoene, R. Thompson, J. Murphy, G. Conine, 55; 2, Jerry Black,

Jeremy Black, Chris Fite, Skeeter Irby, 57; 3, Rob Langley, David Mote,

Steve Sidow, Myron Granberry, 60; 4, Pat Hendrix, John Whitsell, Matt Schaffer, John Berry, 61.

Longest Drive - No. 9: Jimmy Jackson.

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