

# MIDDLE SCHOOL BASKETBALLERS KEEP WIN STREAKS ALIVE: GIRLS AT 6, BOYS AT 3



**Above:** Brody Haley netted eight of his game-high 12 points in the third quarter to spark the Cavs past Gibson County Monday night. (Photo by Ashley Owens)

## By Ron Barry

Crockett County Middle School's basketball teams continued their respective winning streaks by sweeping a doubleheader at Gibson County Monday night, with the girls posting a 44-11 victory and the Cavaliers downing the Pioneers 40-20.

For Coach Jamar Turner's Lady Cavs, their sixth consecutive win boosted their record to 8-3 for the season. For Coach Tyler Gadlen's boys, the win streak is at three and the overall record stands at 7-4. The girls contest was a laugher from the beginning. Crockett drilled in four three-pointers in the first quarter alone – two by Lola Bailey – and those four baskets would have been enough to win the game. CCMS sprinted to a 20-4 edge after the first period and extended the halftime margin to 33-8.

Leading the offensive rampage in limited minutes was Jentry Maddox with 17 points. Khylee Cobb added 10, Bailey and Haley Leforgee contributed six apiece, and Emilee Chandler netted three. Marlei Overstreet paced Gibson County with seven.

After a sluggish first half – the contest was tied 12-12 at the intermission – Crockett's boys came roaring out of the dressing room to dominate the third period 16-4 as Brody Haley scored eight of his game-high 12 points.

The Cavs won the fourth quarter 12-4 to end up doubling the score on the Pioneers overall.

Backing Haley for Crockett were Will Dodds with nine, Davis Porter with seven, and Jeremiah Young with four. Gadlen's club achieved the triumph despite making only two of its 15 free throws in the contest.

"Trust me, we're about to shoot a ton tomorrow (in practice)," Gadlen laughed after the game.

Brayden DuRall led Gibson County with a nine-point performance. Both Crockett teams return home Thursday night for a 6:00 twin bill with Trenton.

The official high school schedule begins tonight (Tuesday) as the CCHS squads travel to Jackson North Side for a 6:00 doubleheader.

### GIRLS – NOVEMBER 18 GAME

**Crockett (44)** – Jentry Maddox 17, Khylee Cobb 10, Haley Leforgee 6, Lola Bailey 6, Emilee Chandler 3, Addie Whitby 2, Ruth Gourley 0, Caroline Scruggs 0, Kyleigh Kelley 0, Reagan McCoy 0, Till Holyfield 0, Lillian Ray 0, Jayda Frye 0, Kyndall Savage 0, Lynlee King 0, Charlee Lewis 0, Addison Ward 0, Karmen Savage 0, Anna McCoy 0, TEAM 19 FG, 0-1 FT. 3-Pointers: Bailey 2, Leforgee 2, Maddox 1, Chandler 1. Record: 8-3.

**Gibson County (11)** – Marlei Overstreet 7, Adley Thompson 2, Jaide Allen 2, TEAM 5 FG, 1-8 FT. 3-Pointers: None.

### BOYS – NOVEMBER 18 GAME

**Crockett (40)** – Brody Haley 12, Will Dodds 9, Davis Porter 7, Jeremiah Young 4, Cole Summar 3, Easten Stephens 3, Chris Vance 2, Messiah McCurry 0, Kamden Lewis 0, Jacob McGowan 0, TEAM 17 FG, 2-15 FT. 3-Pointers – Haley 1, Summar 1, Stephens 1, Porter 1. Record: 7-4.

**Gibson County (20)** – Brayden DuRall 9, Brodie Thomas 6, Taurus Skinner 2, JP Wofford 2, Jordan Fisher 1, TEAM 7 FG, 2-6 FT. 3-Pointers – None.



**Above:** Crockett coach Tyler Gadlen ponders his next move as he watches his Cavaliers extend their winning streak to three games. (Photo by Ashley Owens)



**Above:** Davis Porter knocked in seven points for the Cavs in their 40-20 win over Gibson County. (Photo by Ashley Owens)





**Above:** Lola Bailey's two three-pointers in the opening quarter set the tone as the Lady Cavaliers rolled to a 44-11 blowout of Gibson County. (Photo by Ashley Owens)

**Below:** Jentry Maddox added a 17-point performance against Gibson County despite playing limited minutes because of the Crockett margin. (Photo by Ashley Owens)



**Below:** Khylee Cobb produced a 10-point effort for the victorious Lady Cavs, who have now won six games in a row after a 2-3 start. (Photo by Ashley Owens)



**Above:** Amarion Hobson (left) and Demo Pickens (right) -- who have been playing defensive back for the Crockett football team -- will switch sports tonight when CCHS opens its basketball season at Jackson North Side. (Photo by Ron Barry)



**Left:** Karlee Castellaw -- seen here talking to a giant hot dog -- will be one of the seniors providing leadership to the Lady Cavaliers as they open their hoops season tonight in Jackson. (Photo by Ron Barry)