BENTON LOOKING FOR NEW HEAD FOOTBALL COACH

With Caleb Guidry's resignation Wednesday, Benton is in the market for a new head football coach.

Guidry was 22-23 in four seasons. His best year was 2009 when the Tigers went 8-5 and reached the quarterfinals of the state playoffs. Last season, Benton went 4-6 and failed to make the playoffs.

Guidry served as an assistant under Mitch Downey, now the school's principal, for 11 seasons.

"We talked and had a difference of opinion on expectations and we came to the decision that we needed to go in a different direction," Downey said.

"I appreciate everything that coach Guidry has done and his contributions to the program. He's a great guy and a great family man, and I appreciate everything he's contributed."

Downey said applications for the position will be accepted through Feb. 22. After the interview process, he hopes to have a coach in place by early March.

"We're opening it up and trying to be deliberate and select the best candidate," he said.

AIRLINE, PARKWAY, HAUGHTON PICK UP BOWLING VICTORIES

The Airline and Parkway boys teams won bowling matches Thursday at Holiday Lanes. Airline defeated Byrd 19-8 and Parkway downed Haughton 24-3. On Wednesday, Haughton edged Benton 15-12 in a girls match.

Here are the individual results for parish teams:

Airline boys: Brandon Mock 200; Zach Fuhrman 210 (578 series); Isander Martinez 184.
Parkway boys: Matt Flynn 205; Darius Moye 202; Alex Davis 209.
Haughton boys: Dalton Jones 178; Jeremy Vaughn 150; Hunter Thomas/Ryan Reggio 145.
Haughton girls: Ashley Brych 190, 171, 163 (524); Victoria Kent 147; Amber Molnari 124.
Benton girls: Christon Guillory 164 (428); Brittney Hughes 156; Jordan Lawrence 135.

BPCC OPENS 2013 BASEBALL SEASON TODAY

The Bossier Parish Community College Cavaliers open the 2013 baseball season today at home with a noon doubleheader against Hill College.

The Cavs travel to Baton Rouge Saturday for a 1 p.m. doubleheader against Baton Rouge Community College.

BPCC finished the 2012 season 21-31 and 14-22 in Region 14.

BPCC HOOPS TEAM FALLS TO TYLER

The Bossier Parish Community College Cavaliers fell to Tyler Junior College 60-54 in a Region 14 men's basketball game Wednesday night at BPCC. Ty'Rell Winn led BPCC with 14 points and nine rebounds.

BENTON WRESTLERS DEFEAT NORTHWOOD

Benton defeated Northwood 48-28 in a wrestling match Thursday at Benton.

Benton winners were Josh Caskey (126 pounds), Jeff Lewis (132), Trey Pugh (138), Andre Dean (145), Jordan White (160), Ben Robins (182), Chandler Beach (195) and Jeremiah Robins (285).