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**Jonesboro, Arkansas** - Dexter native and Arkansas State golfer Chance Holden has been named a Cleveland Golf/Srixon All-American Scholar for the 2013-14 season.

Holden was among 207 Division I players across the country to be named a scholar athlete. To qualify, a student-athlete must be either a junior or senior academically, compete in at least three full years at the collegiate level, participate in at least 50 percent of his team's competitive rounds, have a stroke average under 76 in NCAA Division I and maintain a minimum cumulative grade-point average of 3.2.

Holden participated in a team-high 35 rounds last season as a senior. The Dexter, Mo., native tied for the lowest stroke average on the team, finishing with a 74.1 average. His lowest round of the season was a 66 at the Sam H. Hall Intercollegiate. His best finish was a tie for third place at the Red Wolf Intercollegiate. He also had three top-five finishes, along with six top-25 performances.

"I am very proud of Chance for receiving this award for the second time," said Arkansas State head men's golf coach Steve Johnson. "To play at his level with

the amount of travel he's had while representing our program over the last two years, and still complete his degree in nursing, speaks volumes about the level of dedication and commitment he has both to his golf game and academics. We are excited to have him bring another award back."

This is the second straight selection for Holden as a Cleveland Golf/Srixon All-American Scholar athlete. The selections for this accolade are made by the Golf Coaches Association of America (GCAA).

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## Bearcat Coaching Clinic with Dexter Parks & Rec

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**Dexter, Missouri** – The Dexter High School Football coaches held a Coaches Clinic with the Dexter Parks and Recreation football coaches to talk and learn about techniques that will make them more successful on the football field.

“The clinic was designed to help **Dexter Parks & Recreation** football coaches,” stated Dexter Head Football Coach Justin Peden. “Those guys donate their time to help Dexter's little league football be the best they can be and I respect what they do immensely.”

Both Coach Justin Peden and Coach Greg Lummukka helped with the clinic set up by Jamie Rowe of Dexter Parks and Recreation. The clinic focused on the fundamentals of football while teaching and sharing some of the most dynamic drills of the game.

“I thought it might be helpful to discuss things like implementing our offensive strategies, blocking techniques and practice drills and organization. I personally thought it was a very successful meeting and the DPR coaches know that they can lean on us as a resource anytime they need us,” continued Peden.

DPR football season will commence this week beginning with practices and games. These very excited youngsters dream of one day becoming a high school Dexter Bearcat playing on the “big” field under the lights at Charles Bland Stadium.

Just ask any little league football player what they going to do when they get to high school, and the answer will be play BEARCAT football!

Almost 100 kids from grades 3 - 6 signed up to play DPR football this year. The Varsity Teams are the Red Team and Black Team consisting of 5th and 6th graders. Jason Greenfield coaches the Red Team. Brett Dorton and Derek Driskill coach the Black Team.

The Junior Varsity teams consist of 3rd and 4th graders and have been broken into 4 teams, Red Team, Black Team, Blue Team and the Green Team. Joe Kennedy, Kris Chamberlain, and Derek Bradley coach the Red Team. The Black Team is coached by Jason Comfort and Matt Stone. Josh Coons, Jason Josupait, Tony Parrish, and Mark Zabelin coach the Blue Team. The Green

Team is coached by Don Bewley, and Tom Jarell.

The coaches have been busy preparing for the season with uniforms and gear handed out last week and practices already started. The DPR Little League Football Program has been a part of the Dexter community for more than 40 plus years, going back to the 1970's and with the support of the Bearcat fans it will continue for many years to come.

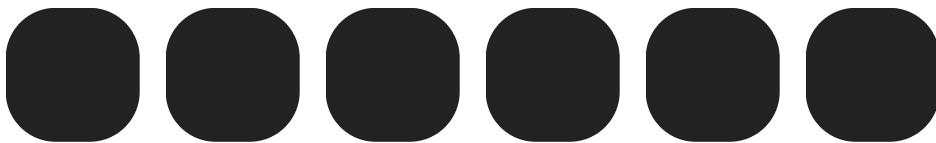
Join us on the field and support the young Bearcats of the future. Action will begin at 9:30 a.m. on Saturday mornings when the JV Little League takes the field first followed by the Varsity. The ShowMe Times will post a schedule of all games as soon as it is available. The **Dexter Parks & Recreation** work closely with the schools and coordinating games can be time consuming.

Follow us on **Facebook** for updates and game times each week! Just click **HERE**.

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**Dickinson, North Dakota** – The Charleston Fighting Squirrels defeated Eden Prairie, Minnesota 4 – 1 to become the Midwest Plains Regional Champions on Sunday evening. It also secured them a second straight trip to the Senior Babe Ruth World Series.

Charleston defeated Holyoke, Colorado 11 -1 Thursday, Eden Prairie 3 – 1 Friday and Dickinson 9 – 0 on Saturday to finish the pool play. They then defeated Oskaloosa, Iowa 4 – 1 in the Midwest Regional Semifinal on Sunday afternoon. The Squirrels with an impressive record of 40 – 16 will have two weeks off before traveling to Washington to compete in the World Series.

The Fighting Squirrels scored two runs in the first inning to jump out in front of Eden Prairie scoring again in the 4<sup>th</sup> and 5<sup>th</sup> innings to secure the win. Eden Prairie's rallied in the 2nd inning hitting a home run.

Jarrett Sandlin from Sikeston, Missouri earned the win for Charleston.

The Squirrels will return to Charleston on Tuesday before making their trip to Ephrata, Washington to compete in the World Series August 7<sup>th</sup> – 14<sup>th</sup>. This will be Minner's 3<sup>rd</sup> trip to the World Series in 10 years of coaching the organization.

## **Final Score Charleston 4 Eden Prairie 1**

Eden Prairie 0 1 0 0 0 0 0 - 1 3 2

Charleston 2 0 0 0 1 1 x - 4 9 1

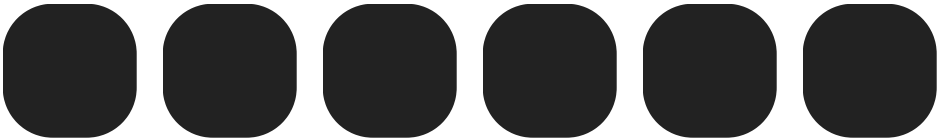
WP – Jarrett Sandlin. LP – Alex Beneke. HR – Aaron Kerber (EP). 2B – Colton Hampton (CH), Ryan fortner (CH). Multiple Hits – Matt Ulrich 2-3 (CH), Colton Hampton 2-3 (CH); Aaron Kerber 2-3 (EP).

***Shown in the photo are Dexter's Austin Aldridge, Chandler Young, Jason Mattison, and Brad Potts. Thank you Jason Mattison, Sr. for the great photo!***

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# 4th Annual Pigskin Pick'em Challenge Underway Soon

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**Dexter, Missouri** - Are you ready for some FOOTBALL! It's that time of the year and football fans are gearing up for their weekly picks in the 2014 PigSkin Pick'Em Challenge hosted by the ShowMe Times.

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We'll start with the first games of the season on Friday, August 22, 2014. The winner will receive a 42" Flat Screen TV. Other prizes will be awarded each week for those in the top spots.

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## Chicago Cubs Draft Kevonte Mitchell of Kennett

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**Kennett, Missouri** - You might expect a two-sport high school athlete to move on to college with a full-ride scholarship, but that was not in the immediate future for Kevonte Mitchell of Kennett, Missouri. Though he did sign with the Southeast Missouri Redhawks, he couldn't pass up the opportunity to play for the Chicago Cubs.

Kevonte is having the time of his life. "It feels great to be a Cub! I love this organization and the people in it," Mitchell stated.

Mitchell was selected by the Chicago Cubs in the 13<sup>th</sup> round of the 2014 MLB June Amateur Draft as an outfielder and designated hitter. He was the 379<sup>th</sup> overall pick of the draft.

"It was the best day of my life," commented Mitchell when he heard his name called.

He was a star athlete at Kennett High School, playing both basketball and baseball for the Indians. At 6'4" and 185 lbs he batted .440 for Kennett's baseball



team as a senior. He tallied 23 RBIs, 33 runs including 7 doubles, 2 triples, and 4 homeruns.

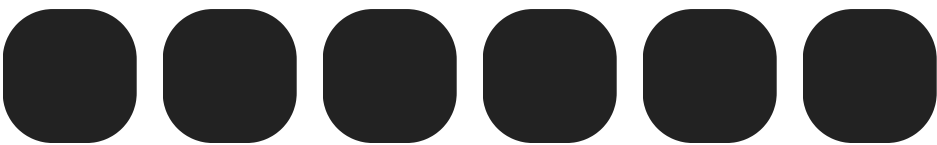
Mitchell is young to be drafted at only 18 years of age, but his decision to play professional was not difficult! With just a little specialized training he has the potential to make a great ballplayer for the Cubs.

We wish Kevonte much success with his future endeavors! We hope to see you on the field!!

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