

TENNIS

# Adamie named MVP of District 8-5A

► Schilling, Colvin also earn superlative awards

**Staff Reports**  
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Aledo Ladycats No. 1 singles player Nikki Adamie was selected as District 8-5A's Most Valuable Player in a vote of the district's fall team tennis coaches.

Also, Priscilla Shimming was voted girls' Freshman of the Year, while Ben Colvin was named the boys' Newcomer of the Year.

The trio joins 11 other AHS fall team tennis members to receive all-district honors.

**First team singles boys**

Noah Shibley (No. 2 boys singles), Brian Young (No. 3 boys singles), Jared Kelm (No. 4 boys singles), Trey Fambrough (No. 5 boys singles), Ben Colvin (No. 6 boys singles).

**First team singles girls**

Nikki Adamie (No. 1 girls singles), Priscilla Shimming (No. 2 girls singles), Erin Davis (No. 3 girls singles), Caitlyn Andrews (No. 4 girls singles), Kristen Boomer (No. 5 girls singles), Allison Dale (No. 6 girls singles).



**Singles player Nikki Adamie** is District 8-5A's Most Valuable Player.



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Caitlyn Andrews



Erin Davis



Alec Meendsen



Noah Shibley

**First team doubles**

Alec Meendsen/Noah Shibley (No. 1 boys doubles), Nikki Adamie/Priscilla Shimming (No. 1 girls doubles), Kristen Boomer/

Erin Davis (No. 2 girls doubles), Caitlyn Andrews/Allison Dale (No. 3 girls doubles), Ben Colvin/Casey Kelm (mixed doubles).

**Second team all-district**

Alec Meendsen (No. 1 boys singles), Brian Young/Jarod Kelm (No. 2 boys doubles), James Young/Trey Fambrough (No. 3 boys doubles).

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"Their defense is playing at a high level," Wood said. "They play real fast, and they are playing with a lot of intensity and confidence. They really don't have any one player who stands out, although their cornerbacks are extremely athletic."

"They are not overly big, but they play hard and play sound team defense. I would rank them ahead of any defense we have played since Crowley and Everman (in district play). It's not like anyone has run up and down the field on them."

With school out for Thanksgiving and a modified practice schedule, Wood and all coaches with teams still playing this week worry about getting out of routine.

"Being out of routine with no school after football practice is different," Wood said. "From a coach's point of view you worry about how they handled all of their free time this week. But our guys are experienced in handling Thanksgiving week and handling the playoffs in general. I would think being here before several times can be a positive for us this week."

"I think our kids expect to win when they walk out on the field, but all that being said, I also think they understand what kind of effort it takes to win these type of games. These guys play every play like it will be the play that makes a difference in the game, because they know there are going to be those plays but you just don't know when they are going to happen."

The winner of the Aledo/Abilene Cooper game will advance to the state quarterfinals and play the winner of the Canyon Randall/Burleson Centennial regional game.

# Local gymnasts qualify at state

**Special to The Community News**

Impact Athletic Training Center had six gymnasts qualify to compete at the Level 4 State Gymnastics Championships. Cate Cooper, Grace Edwards, Madison Hadley, Karly Laughley, Addie Uselman, and Maryn Ward competed against gymnasts from across Texas Nov. 21-22 in Rockwall.

Cate Cooper - Second place on floor, seventh place on bars, fourth place all-around

Grace Edwards - Fourth place on floor, fifth place on beam, eighth place on bars, third place all-around

Madison Hadley - Second place on bars  
Karly Laughley - Fifth place on bars, eighth place on floor, 10th place all-around

Addie Uselman - Seventh place on beam, ninth place on bars, eighth place all-around

Maryn Ward - Second place on beam with a 9.85 with a near perfect score of 9.8 out of 10



SPECIAL TO THE COMMUNITY NEWS

**Impact Athletic Training Center's** competitive cheerleading teams competed at the Spirit Celebration Fall Championship at the University of North Texas on Nov. 15. Impact Eagles (level 1) and Impact Ravens (level 2) each placed first in their divisions. The teams will compete next at the Dallas Cowboys Cheerleaders Fall Classic at AT&T Stadium on Dec. 13. **ABOVE:** Impact's Level 1 and 2 teams. | **RIGHT:** Impact's show team.



FOOTBALL

## Aledo Pee Wee teams play in super bowls

The North Central Texas Pee Wee Football Association finished its season recently with several super bowl wins by Aledo teams. Out of six games played, five Aledo teams were in the hunt, and four Aledo teams brought home their division title.

- First grade:** Aledo 6, Weatherford 0
- Second grade:** Aledo 24, Weatherford 6
- Third grade:** Decatur 12, Aledo 6
- Fourth grade:** Aledo 30, Argyle 0
- Sixth grade:** Aledo 30, Argyle 0

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**Two Aledo fourth grade** teams played at Aledo Middle School in the semifinal round before Aledo Black ultimately advanced to the Super Bowl, 22-12.

