

By: Senator(s) Barrett, Barnett, McLendon

To: Rules

SENATE RESOLUTION NO. 12

1 A RESOLUTION COMMENDING AND CONGRATULATING THE LOYD STAR HIGH
2 SCHOOL "HORNETS" BOYS GOLF TEAM AND COACHES LYDIA KING AND CHRIS
3 KING FOR WINNING THE MISSISSIPPI HIGH SCHOOL ACTIVITIES
4 ASSOCIATION (MHSAA) CLASS 1 STATE CHAMPIONSHIP.

5 WHEREAS, on May 8-9, 2021, the Loyd Star High School
6 "Hornets" Golf Team outlasted Wesson, Tupelo Christian and Pisgah
7 in a nine-team tournament to win the Mississippi High School
8 Activities Association (MHSAA) Class 1 State Championship hosted
9 by Wolf Hollow in Wesson, Mississippi; and

10 WHEREAS, Loyd Star was coming off a winning effort in the
11 regional tournament but had setbacks on the first day of state
12 tournament play. The Hornets were 10 shots better on day two than
13 they had been the day before; and

14 WHEREAS, each team is allowed to send six golfers to play
15 each round. Only the top four scores from each round are counted
16 for the daily total. The two daily totals are then combined for
17 the final totals; and



18 WHEREAS, Loyd Star's two-day total was 674 while Wesson
19 finished with 677. Tupelo Christian and Pisgah each finished with
20 a 688; and

21 WHEREAS, this victory makes the second state golf title for
22 Loyd Star. The first victory was accomplished by the 2002 team
23 coached by Ricky Myers; and

24 WHEREAS, Chris King says the team's greatest strength is its
25 love for the game; and

26 WHEREAS, members of the Loyd Star Golf Team are: Dawson
27 Hester, Riley Case, Riley Easterling, Caden White, Brody
28 Thibodeaux, Craig Bass, Casen DeHart, Douglas James and Trevor
29 Smith; and Coaches Lydia King and Chris King; and

30 WHEREAS, it is with great pride that we recognize this group
31 of student athletes who have brought honor to their school, their
32 community and to the State of Mississippi:

33 NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED BY THE SENATE OF THE STATE OF
34 MISSISSIPPI, That we do hereby commend and congratulate the Loyd
35 Star High School "Hornets" Boys Golf Team and Coaches Lydia King
36 and Chris King for winning the Mississippi High School Activities
37 Association (MHSAA) Class 1 State Championship, and extend to the
38 team, coaches, parents and sponsors our best wishes for future
39 success.

40 BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, That this resolution be presented to
41 Coaches Lydia King and Chris King for the team, forwarded to Loyd



42 Star Principal Dena Ford and the Board of Trustees, and be made
43 available to the Capitol Press Corps.

