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## **M-426 RUSTON HIGH SCHOOL BEARCAT SOCCER, 1996-1999**

### **SCOPE AND CONTENT**

Materials relating to the establishment of the first soccer team in Ruston High School history; contains fundraising documents, memorabilia, schedules, newspaper clippings, photographs, videos, and textiles. 2 boxes

<b>BOX</b>	<b>FOLDER</b>	<b>DESCRIPTION</b>
<b>001</b>	<b>001</b>	Estimate of 1996-1997 uniform expenses Soccer account statement from RHS office as of March 1997
	<b>002</b>	Original schedule of games and tournaments 1996-1997 season Program 1997-1998 Game Schedule 1998-1999
	<b>003</b>	List of businesses to be contacted about sponsorships or ad space List and amount of ad space in programs and purchaser List of original team members and their phone numbers List of businesses contacted by Chris Herring
	<b>004</b>	Original sponsorship form Advertising space form Alternate ad space form
	<b>005</b>	Rebel Cup Tournament Program January 3, 1997 Home Game Program January 7, 1997 Home Game Program 1997-1998 Game Program 1997-1998 Soccer Banquet Program, Feb. 20, 1998

**006** Chatterbox (12-95) "Soccer Comes to RHS"  
Ruston Daily Leader (1-3-97) "RHS Soccer Team at Home"  
Ruston Daily Leader (1-5-97) "RHS Soccer Squad Gains 2-AAAAA  
Victory"  
Ruston Daily Leader (1-9-97) "RHS, Ouachita battle to 2-2 tie in Soccer"  
Ruston Daily Leader (2-1-97) "RHS Soccer Team Loses"  
Ruston Daily Leader (3-2-97) "First RHS Soccer Season Ends"  
Ruston Daily Leader (1-29-98) "RHS Soccer Squad to Face Neville  
Friday"  
Ruston Daily Leader (3-8-98) "RHS Receives Soccer Laurels in District"

**007** Video of 1996-1997 season RHS vs Neville District Games  
Video of 1996-1997 season RHS vs. W. Monroe District Game

**008** Photographs

- (a) #10 Gary Beard
- (b) #11 Chris Herring
  - # 9 Hans Rakotomanga
- (c) #13 Jeff Hammond
  - #15 Todd Smith (Captain)
- (d) #19 Dan Orr
  - #10 Gary Beard
  - # 3 Neal Pettijohn
  - # 8 Michael Packman
  - #15 Todd Smith (Captain)
  - #16 Danny Boyle (Captain)
- (e) # 4 Benny Keleta
  - # 9 Hans Rakotomanga
  - #11 Chris Herring
  - #16 Danny Boyle (Captain)
  - # 2 Adam Callens

- # 5 Wes McConnell
- (f) # 4 Benny Keleta
  - #10 Gary Beard
  - # 9 Hans Rakotomanga
  - # 2 Adam Callens
- (g) Assistant volunteer coach Freddie Acosta
  - #10 Gary Beard
  - # 8 Michael Packman
  - #12 Marty Cantrell
- (h) # 7 Jeremy Wilson
- (i) # 7 Jeremy Wilson
- (j) # 9 Hans Rakotomanga
- (k) #13 Jeff Hammond
- (l) "Yo'Coach"
- (m) Pre-game prayer
- (n) (3) action shots
- (o) "It was a good game."
- (p) Post-game prayer with Asst. Coach Freddie Acosta
- (q) # 7 Jeremy Wilson
  - # 3 Neal Pettijohn
- (r) # 9 Hans Rakotomanga

- 009** 1997-1998 RHS yearbook team photo
- 010** 1997-1998 Carwash fundraiser photos
- 002 001** White RHS soccer sweatshirt designed by Tommy's Tees, 1996-1997
- 002** Gray RHS soccer sweatshirt from Soccer Locker

- 003** Team Autographed RHS Soccer T-shirt. 1996-1997
- 004** RHS Soccer T-shirt designed by Tommy's T's 1996-1997
- 005** 1996-1997 All District T-shirt w/players names
- 006** 1997-1998 All District T-shirt w/players names