

Wildcats 1-2 at Mesquite tourney

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MESQUITE — Sulphur Springs went 1-2 from three games played in pool play at the Mesquite State Qualifying 7-on-7 tournament Saturday.

Mesquite Horn and West Mesquite both went 3-0 and will advance to the state finals in College Station, July 10-12. The teams opted not to have a championship game.

Sulphur Springs lost 47-26 to Horn; the Wildcats fell 45-22 to Plano; the lone win was a 51-36 decision over Mesquite Poteet.

Coach Matt Young said, "We went 1-2. We lost to Horn in a back and forth game but could not close the gap late. Melroy Givens played well in the secondary and C.J. Stephens made some nice catches."

Young added, "Then we lost to Plano in round 2. They slowed us offensively early. Our defense played well led by Jaylon Dugan and Zach Spigner. We beat Mesquite Poteet in Game 3. Quarterbacks Larry Pryor and Drew McCullough both throwing the ball well and Dillon Carpenter and Cain Cody making catches down the field. I am really pleased with how they played, and how they closed out the 7 on 7 season."

Coach Triston Abron added, "We got better defensively through the 7-on-7 season. Our defensive backs and backers got lots of reps that will help us defending the pass."

Mesquite scores

Pool A

(At E.H. Hanby Stadium)

Cedar Hill 20, Arlington Seguin 19

Cedar Hill 48, Mesquite 12

Cedar Hill 19, Lakeview 13

Lakeview 37, Mesquite 34

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Lakeview 25, Arlington Seguin 21

Arlington Seguin 26, Mesquite 7

(Cedar Hill advances with 3-0 record)

Pool B

(At Forester Stadium)

West Mesquite 25, Wilmer-Hutchins 14

West Mesquite 32, Wylie 12

West Mesquite 27, Rockwall 14

Rockwall 26, Wylie 25

Rockwall 28, Wilmer-Hutchins 20

Wilmer-Hutchins 28, Wylie 20

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(West Mesquite advances with 3-0 record)

Pool C

(At Berry Middle School)

Horn 47, Sulphur Springs 26

Horn 37, Poteet 12

Horn 48, Plano 27

Plano 33, Poteet 14

Plano 45, Sulphur Springs 22

Sulphur Springs 51, Poteet 36

(Horn advances with 3-0 record)

Pool D

(At North Mesquite HS)

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DeSoto 54, Garland 13

DeSoto 46, Grapevine 0

DeSoto 26, North Mesquite 14

North Mesquite 27, Grapevine 21

North Mesquite 32, Garland 27

Garland 33, Grapevine 19

(DeSoto advances with 3-0 record)

Semifinals

West Mesquite 47, Cedar Hill 20

Horn 32, DeSoto 27

(West Mesquite and Horn clinch qualifying berths for state 7-on-7 tournament)

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Finals

**No championship game was played. Horn won coin flip for top seed.