

# Estill Youth League is winding down with exciting games on Monday night

Estill County's Kiwanis Park youth league basketball is winding down for the season with games scheduled for Monday, Tuesday and Wednesday of this week.

The league has enjoyed another successful season and fans were treated to an exciting, close game on Monday night between two of the league's three girl teams.

Fire, the red team, led early but fell 18-16 to the yellow team, Storm, after being tied 16-all late in the game.

Yellow had gone up 14-12, but Miley Wilburn of the Red team hit a basket that cut the lead to two, 14-12.

Storm went up by 3, 16-13, but Fire's Callee Snowden hit 3 of four free-throw attempts to tie the game at 16-all in the final seconds.

The yellow team, Storm, coached by Shaun Hale, was fouled with 6.4 seconds and Mia Hale sank two free throws to take the 18-16 lead.

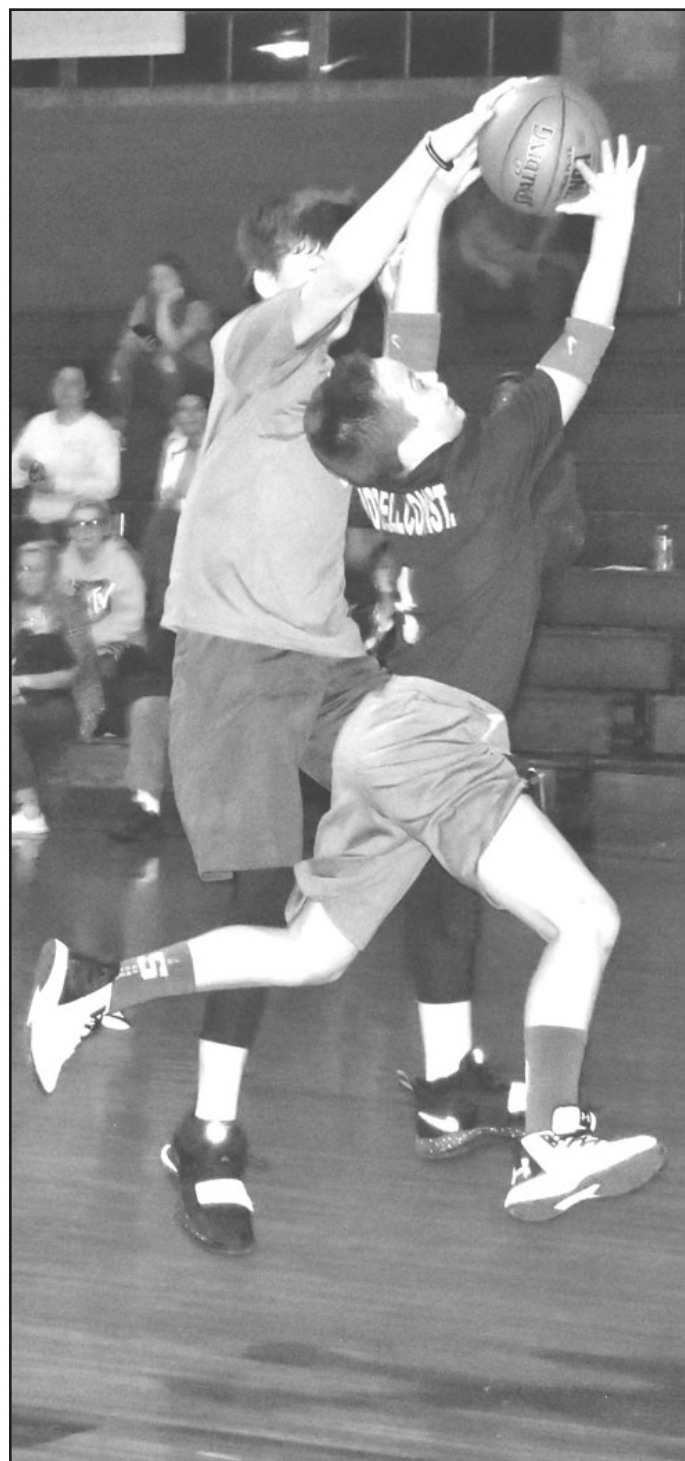
Red tried to get a shot in the final seconds but taking the ball the length of the floor for a shot was too much so Storm won 16-14.

Snowden led Jeff Jackson's Fire team with nine points while Storm had balanced scoring from five players with Hale leading the way with seven.



ABOVE: Miley Wilburn #4 of the Estill girls basketball team Fire puts up a shot over the outstretched arms of #6 Lexi Tiller of Storm during Estill Kiwanis Park youth league basketball on Monday night. The game was tied in the final seconds until Storm's Ava Hale sank two free-throw attempts to seal the 18-16 win with six seconds to go.

BELOW: Storm (in yellow, light) battles for the ball against Fire (red, dark)



ABOVE: The Celtics (Green, light) get a big block over the Warriors (Blue, dark) but foul in the process during Estill Kiwanis Park youth league basketball.

BELOW: The green-clad Celtics (light) try to block a shot by the Warriors.

