

2017 Regular Session

HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 82

BY REPRESENTATIVES DWIGHT AND HILL AND SENATOR JOHN SMITH

A CONCURRENT RESOLUTION

To commend the South Beauregard High School Golden Knights boys' baseball team upon winning the 2017 Class 3A state championship.

WHEREAS, the 2017 baseball season concluded with the South Beauregard High School Golden Knights baseball team making its second trip to the state championship game and, in doing so, earned its first state championship by any boys program in the schools history; and

WHEREAS, the Golden Knights completed an outstanding 2017 season with a win over the Iowa High School Yellow Jackets to claim the Class 3A state championship at McMurry Park in Sulphur, Louisiana; and

WHEREAS, the team put together a nearly flawless game with a score of ten to zero in just six innings; and

WHEREAS, the South Beauregard baseball team scored in each of the first four innings to take an eight to zero lead; and

WHEREAS, pitcher Logan Savoy was named the game's Most Outstanding Player after pitching a four hitter while striking out four, and adding an RBI single on offense; and

WHEREAS, the Golden Knights were powered to a win by Chance Clark who had two hits, drove in two runs, and scored twice; Jansen Fontenot who doubled twice and scored three runs; and Hayden Gunter who had three hits and drove in three runs; and

WHEREAS, Chance Clark, Jansen Fontenot, Hayden Gunter, and Logan Savoy led an eleven-man senior class that brought the Golden Knights to new heights; and

WHEREAS, every member of the team performed at the highest level of excellence, and contributed to the remarkable success of the school's baseball program; and

WHEREAS, the accomplishments of the team could not have been achieved without the leadership, dedication, and instruction of head coach Jeremy Deville and the assistant coaches who also played vital roles in player development; and

WHEREAS, the South Beauregard High School Golden Knights baseball team upholds the values and winning tradition of South Beauregard High School and makes all of Beauregard Parish and South Beauregard High School students, alumni, and fans proud; and

WHEREAS, the Legislature of Louisiana wishes to recognize the well-deserved title which the South Beauregard High School Golden Knights baseball team earned, to commend the team for the ability they displayed, particularly at the most difficult level of competition, and to express sincere and heartfelt congratulations to the team members and the coaching staff for the merits earned and the sportsmanship shown while achieving such a high honor for their school.

THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED that the Legislature of Louisiana does hereby commend the South Beauregard High School Golden Knights baseball team for winning the 2017 Louisiana High School Athletic Association Class 3A state baseball championship; does hereby congratulate the Knights for a truly spectacular season; and does hereby recognize their outstanding performance and distinguished pride and honor that they have brought to their school and community.

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that a suitable copy of this Resolution be transmitted to the head coach of the South Beauregard High School Golden Knights baseball team, Jeremy Deville.

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SPEAKER OF THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES

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PRESIDENT OF THE SENATE