

Lady Chiefs win 11th and 12th straight games to win Iowa Tournament

IOWA, La. - The Natchitoches Central Lady Chiefs won the Iowa Tournament Saturday by cruising past Oak Hill, 74-47, before winning the title game 57-55 over Bell City.

The Lady Chiefs (14-1) have now won 12 straight games with the only loss of the season coming to Southern Lab, 52-44, back on Nov. 23rd.

In the first game, NCHS rolled to the win over Oak Hill as Annalise Newton led the way with 20 points while Akeelah Wade and Jayda Llorance both had 12 points. Jordan McDaniel had 11 points and seven rebounds while Katlynn Wiggins chipped in with 10 points and nine rebounds.

In the championship game, the Lady Chiefs fell behind by 21 points to Bell City (12-3) before mounting a huge rally to keep the winning streak intact. NCHS was led Wade with 17 points while Wiggins added 16 points and snatched 11 rebounds. McDaniel aided the Lady Chiefs with 10 as they claimed the tournament championship.

Next up, the Lady Chiefs will face Red River Monday night at home at 6 p.m.