Hallsville Ladycat Softball - 2025 State Tournament Recognition

It is with great pride and excitement that we recognize the Hallsville Ladycat Softball Team for their historic and inspiring journey to the 2025 UIL State Softball Tournament.

The Ladycats finished the season with an outstanding overall record of 36-6-1, a dominant 13-1 district record, and an impressive 10-3 postseason run. Along the way, they competed with heart, unity, and a relentless work ethic that defined who they are as a program.

Their journey wasn't without challenges. In the Regional Final, after a tough loss to Grapevine in Game 1, this team showed exactly what they're made of. Less than 24 hours after graduation, they came back on Saturday and won two games in one day—a true display of grit, resilience, and championship character. That comeback not only earned them a trip to State but left a lasting impression on everyone who witnessed it.

This season's success was no accident—it was the result of a deep commitment to the program's mission:

"To foster a team of strong, confident leaders who relentlessly pursue personal growth and success, while empowering and uplifting their teammates. Through dedication, hard work, and mutual support, we strive to excel on and off the field, building a legacy of resilience, integrity, and shared achievement."

This mission is lived out daily through the team's core values:

Relentless Commitment, Selfless Unity, Honest Communication, Passionate Leadership, and Empowered Resilience (full mission and values statement attached).

The Ladycats are more than athletes. They are leaders, role models, and a source of pride for our school and community. They have inspired younger athletes, strengthened the bond within our town, and raised the standard for what it means to wear "Ladycat" across your chest.

On behalf of the coaching staff and program, we sincerely thank the school board, administration, faculty, parents, and community members for your continued support. You have helped make this dream season possible.

To our Ladycats: thank you for your heart, your hustle, and your legacy. You made Hallsville proud—and you made history.

Hallsville Softball Mission Statement & Values

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## VALUES:

1. <u>Relentless Commitment</u>: We never quit, staying dedicated to our goals and each other. We embody determination, desire, and an unwavering work ethic in everything we do.

2 .<u>Selfless Unity</u>: We prioritize teamwork and sacrifice for the greater good. Our actions are guided by compassion, selflessness, and a deep sense of responsibility to one another.

3. <u>Honest Communication</u>: We build trust through open, honest communication. Integrity and accountability are the foundation of our relationships and our success as a team.

4. <u>Passionate Leadership</u>: We lead by example, showing passion in every practice, game, and interaction. Our leadership inspires others to push their limits and achieve greatness.

5. <u>Empowered Resilience</u>: We face challenges head-on, learning from setbacks and bouncing back stronger. Our resilience is fueled by our desire to succeed and our collective determination.



These values resonate with our team's mission to build confident leaders who support and drive each other towards success.

