

Hobbs will play hoops for Kohawks

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Aleena Hobbs of Cedar Rapids Washington has decided to continue her basketball career at Coe College, she announced Monday.

"I've finally made my decision!," she said in an e-mail. "I've decided to attend Coe College and play basketball for Coach (Randi) Peterson.

"Looking forward to being a part of Coach P's program and getting a great education at Coe," she said. "I'll be close to home, so my family will be able to watch me play."

Peterson led the Kohawks to a 16-11 record this season and a berth in the conference finals.

Hobbs, 5-foot-10, averaged 16.4 points and 6.6 rebounds for the Warriors this season. She also collected 55 steals, 35 assists and 17 blocks.

Hobbs was named second team all-state in Class 5A, first team all-Metro and first team all-Mississippi Valley Conference. The Warriors finished 18-5 and won a conference title.