

## Penn Station Athlete of the Month – April 2017

**Presentation Date:** Monday, March 27<sup>th</sup> from 12-12:30pm

Student: Dante Hendrix

**Sport(s):** Football and Basketball

Twitter Handle: @D Hendrix8

**GPA**: 3.6

School:

Cooper High School 2855 Longbranch Road Union, KY 410191

**Athletic Director:** Randy Borchers

Parents: Chuck and Melissa Hendrix

Sibling(s): Jordan Hendrix, Javon Morgan, Aaron Morgan and Josh Morgan

Favorite Penn Station Restaurant: Florence

Favorite Penn Station Sandwich: Philly Cheesesteak

Extracurricular Activities: Football, Basketball, Internship Program at Ockerman Middle

School, Assistant Football Coach for the Union Jaguars

Favorite Book: Friday Night Lights

Role Model: My Dad

**Sports Role Model:** Lebron James

Greatest Achievement So Far: Receiving a full-ride to play Division I football at Indiana State.

**Plans After High School:** I will attend Indiana State University, study business management and play football.

How has participating in high school athletics benefited you? It has shown me how to be a leader on and off the field, be responsible and how to work hard. Also, it has given me friends that will last a lifetime.

What made you decide to play the sport for which you were named the Penn Station Athlete of the Month? I've grown up watching the sport and have been playing it since a young age.



**Quote from Athletic Director:** "Dante is one of those athletes that may come around once in a coach's career. Not only is he a great team player and leader, he is an even better young man off the field. Dante was a pleasure to coach the past three years, and Cooper will surely miss his leadership." -Randy Borchers, Athletic Director and Head Football Coach