



**For Immediate Release**  
**Saturday, Sept. 8, 2018 at 5:30PM**

Women's Basketball Head Coach Roonie Scovel confirmed the tragic loss of a Gulf Coast State College student-athlete. Keshawn Johnson, a forward-center for the Lady Commodores, was killed in a car accident while traveling on I-75 Friday night. "Today our basketball family has lost a great friend and teammate in Keshawn Johnson. We will certainly miss that beaming smile and personality, but she will forever be in our hearts and minds. The coming days and weeks will be tough but we will work hard to make her proud of her Gulf Coast Commodores."

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