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Torric Davis competes in AAU Junior Olympics

Torric Davis competed in the National AAU Junior Olympics in Norfolk, VA.

Events included gymnastics, basketball and track and field.

Davis, a member of Classics Track Club, competed in the youth boys 100-meter dash. In the quarter finals, he finished secondnd in his heat. Advancing to the semifinals, he was charged with a false start when his hands slipped. The top two advanced to the finals, but Davis came up short by placing third in his heat

with a time of 11:72. His time was faster than the two finalists, but because of AAU rules, he did not advance to the finals. Torric is ranked No. 10 in the nation in the youth boy's AAU 100 meters.

Davis is the son of Robert and Sonya Kennedy. His grandparents are Berry and Elise Davis and Henry and Rosetta Bulter. His great-grandparents are Elizabeth Hughes, Paurnese Robertson and Maurice Davis. Godparent's are Janie H. Davis and John W. Seibles, all of Winnsboro.