

At the Game

Sainty junior varsity ladies run up against tough teams

The Sainty junior varsity volleyball squad went zero for two in their matches against Decatur Community (25-16, 16-25, 3-15) and Colby (25-22, 19-25, 15-9).

In the first set against Decatur Community, they played as well as I have seen them play, Coach Jeff Olofson said. They passed, set and hit with authority. The second set we did not cover well. The third set was as bad as volleyball can get.

The wonderful thing is that after that, he said, we came out and played hard. Against Colby, mistakes were still being made, but the quality of the game was not driven by errors.

"The young Lady Indians had to serve well to win and they did. We still need to improve our defense and we need to eliminate mental mistakes but they are improving."

vs. Garden City and Wichita County

The junior varsity Lady Indi-

ans were victorious in both of their match-ups last weekend against Garden City (25-19, 26-28, 25-15) and Wichita County (25-19, 25-13).

"The young lady Indians had a very good day," said Coach Olofson. "The Garden City match was a good test of our team as we lost a very close set, yet were able to come back and win the match."

"We worked on line calls and defensive cover on Friday and it paid off on Saturday as we substantially reduced our errors."

"Overall we served extremely well all day. This put the other teams on the defensive so we rarely had to face hard attacks."

vs. Wauneta Palisade

The Lady Indian junior varsity team did not fare so well against Wauneta Palisade, losing the match 21-25 and 18-25 in only two sets.

Wauneta Palisade is one of the

most disciplined teams we play, Coach Olofson said. They make very few errors and recover quickly when they do.

"The result of this match gives us several things to work on in practice over the next several weeks," he said. "Our focus is going to be on the mental aspects of the game."

C-Team action

Sainty's C-team lost out to Colby's in two close sets, 21-25 was the score for both.

"This is the third time we have faced Colby's C team," Coach Olofson said. "And we're getting closer to a victory."

The girls are very inconsistent, he said. There will be stretches where they are hot, and then three points later they are freezing cold.

"I am proud of how hard they play and their desire to win; we just need to find the few plays that will help us."



WARRIOR PUNTER Dalton Straub, receives a late hit from a Goodland rusher. Blocking for Straub is Jordan Raby. Herald staff photo by Karen Krien

Junior high volleyball dominates Colby and Rawlins County teams

The junior high Lady Indians squared off against Rawlins County and Colby in a triangular last Thursday in Sainty. Both squads won their matches, the A-team beating Rawlins Co. 25-22, 25-13 and Colby 25-22, 25-9; and the B-team outscoring Rawlins Co. 25-22, 25-13 and Colby 25-22, 25-7.

We managed to win all of our matches this time and we were very excited at the end of the night, Coach Tina Elliot said. The A and B teams played at the same time in different gyms for the Atwood matches so Coach Kent Kechter stepped in to help us out this week.

Leading server for the A-team was Sydney Sundstrom, with 11 good serves in the Rawlins

Co. match and 12 good serves against Colby. CarolEve Harris had eight good serves against Rawlins Co., four against Colby. Journey Lee had six good serves against Rawlins Co. and seven against Colby. Kattie Jenik had six good serves against Rawlins Co., 10 against Colby. McKenzie Taylor had four good serves against Rawlins Co., five against Colby. Emily Elfers had four good serves against Rawlins Co., three against Colby. Kylie Sherlock and Kayla Reed both had one good serve against Rawlins Co., and Sherlock had two against Colby. Reed had one.

On the B-Team, MaKayla Rogers had the most good serves against Rawlins Co. with 13 and Katie Schmid had 18 good serves

against Colby. Hannah Stafford had nine good serves against Rawlins Co.. Alexis Frink had eight good serves against Rawlins Co. for the B-team and seven against Colby for the A-team. Sophie White had four good serves against Rawlins Co. and six against Colby. Danielle Frink had one good serve against Rawlins Co. and four against Colby. Schmid also had five good serves against Rawlins Co.

We were nervous about Colby because they looked intimidating to us, Coach Elliot said. But they were never able to get a good set up against us and we were able to find their weak spots and holes on the court making it a very exciting win for us.

900 The
800-pound
Gorilla

GETS THINGS MOVED... FAST!!

The Country Advocate

CALL TIM AT:

The Saint Francis Herald

Bird City Times

310 W. Washington, St. Francis, Kan. 67756 785-332-3162

Warriors play first game against Goodland team

By Karen Krien
karen.k@nwkansas.com

The St. Francis Warriors youth football team met Goodland Saturday afternoon on Greene Field in St. Francis. This was the very first game for the Warriors and they went down 30-0.

The young football team was organized by Ryan and Andi Culwell. Practice began three weeks ago with practice every day for five days. After school started, the practices went to three days a week.

The kids and coaches raised money at the fair with the Dunk Tank and some other activities. The St. Francis Rec Commission also contributed to help with the

uniforms and equipment.

Coaches besides Culwell include Tracy Weeter and Clayton Janicke.

Offensive stats found Tayton Weeter with two carries for 3 yards; Tate Busse, four carries for 5 yards; Jordan Raby, two carries for 3 yards; and Luke Lampe, 14 carries for 37 yards.

The team made two first downs. Jordan Janicke had a fumble recovery and Dalton Straub was the punter with one punt for 26 yards.

Tackles were made by Tate Busse, Tiernan Poling, Tayton Weeter, Luke Lampe, Dalton Straub, Jacob Serrano, Jordan Janicke, Treyton Doyle, Martin Beikman, Connor Keller and Wy-

att Hilt.

These kids are playing because they want to play football, said Coach Culwell. Goodland was tough but we learned. We will recover, taking what we learned from this game to Oakley next week and come back with a win.

Tate Busse ended up with a broken arm. It was good to have Tate on the team, Coach Culwell said. We lost a good player.

The next home game is Saturday, Sept. 24, with Norton. On Oct. 8, the Warriors will play Phillipsburg. All home games start at 2 p.m. on Greene Field. Referees, announcer and clock keepers are volunteers..

ACROSS

1. Ad-__ committee
4. Olympian's prize
9. College bigwigs
14. Vexation
15. Castle of the ballroom
16. Sign up
17. Diarist Anaïs
18. Al __ (pasta specification)
19. "Oro y __" (Montana motto)
20. Deprived of one's land?
22. Personification of the easy life
23. Troubled state
24. " __ Gotta Have It" (Spike Lee film)
26. Something to watch, perhaps
27. Moray, for one
30. Minute Maid Park ballclub
34. Weirdos
37. George's lyricist
38. Lusterless finish
41. "Rope-a-dope" boxer
42. Plant firmly
44. Grow older
45. Genuine
48. "Nel blu dipinto di blu" song
50. "Slippery when __"
51. Coagulate
55. Bit of old Italian bread?
57. Section of Los Angeles
59. Clear from the board
62. Ironed?
65. Coffee choice
66. Southwestern stewpots
67. Potpie spheroid
68. Bridget Fonda, to Jane

DOWN

1. Many Eastern Indians
2. Set straight
3. Middle, in Manitoba
4. King with the golden touch
5. Put up
6. Fender blemish
7. Poker opener
8. West Yorkshire city
9. Wrinkled?
10. Join the military
11. Sea east of the Caspian
12. "Name That Tune" clue
13. Do in, as a dragon
21. Transplant, in a way
25. "2001" computer
28. Israel's Abba
29. '80s-'90s legal drama
31. Adam's donation
32. Raw resource
33. Bumped out
35. Stripped bare?
36. Word before jacket or insurance
38. Dallas hoopster, for short
39. In the past
40. __ Aviv
43. Muslim's destination
46. Above, in poesy
47. Repetitive
49. __-Lorraine (region of France)
52. Spoke like Daffy Duck
53. "In __ and out ..."
54. As of now
56. Take as one's own
58. Hatchlings' homes
59. Author Ferber
60. John __ (the Lone Ranger)
61. Got 100 on
63. Fashion mag
64. Scot's family

Good De-eds

1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	13
14			15						16			
17			18						19			
20			21						22			
23						24	25					
26					27	28	29	30		31	32	33
			34	35			36			37		
38	39	40				41			42	43		
44				45	46			47				
48			49			50			51	52	53	54
				55		56		57	58			
59	60	61				62	63	64				
65						66				67		
68						69				70		
71						72				73		

American Profile Hometown Content 9/13/11

The Crossword Puzzle brought to you by:

The Saint Francis Herald