

Cross Country team puts five in top ten at Great Bend

GREAT BEND—The Colby Community College cross country team “ran tired” at the Barton County Invitational last Saturday, said coach James White, but still pulled off five top ten finishes for the day.

“We have had several weeks of hard practice with increased mileage and intense speed work,” White said.

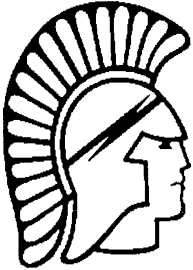
White said the women’s team stayed together until he told Megan Pilger to go ahead. “She caught the pack easily and had a beautiful finish,” White said. Pilger finished third.

Both Rachelle Ewy and Gwen Rhinehart had good races as well. White believes both will be running in the front of the pack within a few

weeks. Ewy was 10th and Rhinehart was 14th.

Fatigue showed in the men’s team, but three sophomores were in the top ten. Oscar Cazares was 7th, Anthony Nyambura was 8th and Monte Boydston was 9th.

“Justin (Marquardt,) Jason (Krafft,) and Ray (Longoria) had good performances as well and will be strong freshman force on our team through the



season,” said White.

Here are the results by name, place and time:

Women — Megan Pilger, 3rd, 13:15.33; Rachelle Ewy, 10th, 14:17.27; Gwen Rhinehart, 14th, 15:15.99.

Men — Oscar Cazares, 7th, 16:12.31; Anthony Nyambura, 8th, 16:12.61; Monte Boydson, 9th, 16:20.52; Justin Marquardt, 13th, 16:45.14; Ray Longoria, 15th, 16:49.37; Jason Krafft, 16th, 17:00.02; Kale Cox, 26th, 19:16.75; Alex Mahundi, 27th, 20:08.61.

The team will be in Lawrence on Saturday at the University of Kansas relays.

Brewster girls 2-1 in Weskan

WESKAN — Brewster High School’s volleyball team went 2-1 at the Weskan quad on Tuesday, overcoming Jennings 15-6, 15-10 and Plainview, Colo. 15-5, 15-13 and fell to Weskan, 15-13, 15-4

Leading hitters were Ashley Carpenter with 10 kills, Sara Luckert and Miranda Starns with eight each and Andrea Horney with five. Tara Fulwider led in assists with 14, followed by Starns with 13.

Starns also led servers with seven



aces, 92 percent efficiency and 23 points. Amber Fulwider had two aces, 94 percent and 20 points and Tara Fulwider had four aces, 81 percent and 17 points.

Ashley Carpenter was the leading blocker with 10 stuffs, five deflections. Alicia Collett followed with six stuffs and three deflections.

“Our team has a lot of potential,” said Lynda McKee, “but we need to increase our intensity level and improve our communication on the court.

“We made too many unforced errors against Weskan; we didn’t give ourselves a chance to win that match.”

Brewster hosts Healy on Tuesday at 3 p.m.

Baseball At-A-Glance

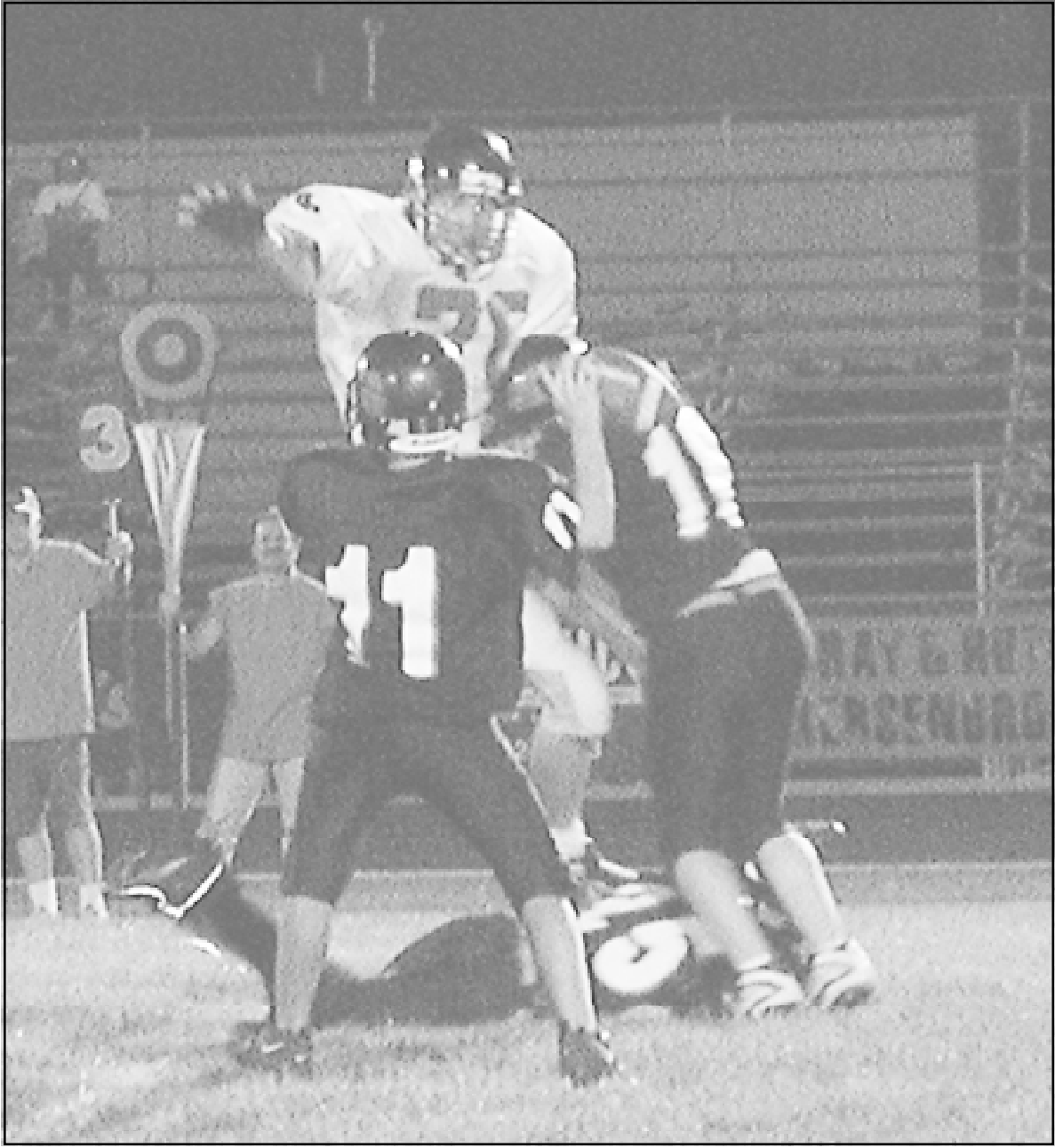
American League									
East Division					Oakland	83	57	.593	17
New York	W	L	Pct	GB	Anaheim	72	68	.514	28
Boston	83	57	.593	—	Texas	64	76	.457	36
Toronto	72	66	.522	10	x-clinched playoff spot				
Baltimore	68	72	.486	15	National League				
Tampa Bay	55	84	.396	27 1/2	East Division				
	50	90	.357	33	Atlanta	W	L	Pct	GB
Central Division					Philadelphia	75	64	.540	—
Cleveland	W	L	Pct	GB	New York	73	67	.521	2 1/2
Minnesota	80	60	.571	—	Florida	69	72	.489	7
Chicago	73	67	.521	7	Montreal	65	75	.464	10 1/2
Detroit	72	68	.514	8		60	80	.429	15 1/2
Kansas City	56	83	.403	23 1/2	Central Division				
	56	84	.400	24	Houston	W	L	Pct	GB
West Division					Chicago	82	58	.586	—
x-Seattle	W	L	Pct	GB	St. Louis	77	62	.554	4 1/2
	100	40	.714	—	Milwaukee	76	63	.547	5 1/2
						62	78	.443	20

Cincinnati	57	83	.407	25
Pittsburgh	53	87	.379	29

West Division				
Arizona	W	L	Pct	GB
San Francisco	79	61	.564	—
Los Angeles	78	63	.553	1 1/2
San Diego	77	63	.550	2
Colorado	69	71	.493	10
	61	78	.439	17 1/2

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A timely block



RANDY DECKER/Colby Free Press

Weston Foltz and Joey Melnyk tried to stop a Burlington, Colo. defender long enough for Jordan Cranston to get rid of a pass in a Colby High School C-team game at Dennen Field Thursday night. The Eagles couldn’t overcome several injuries in what coaches and players described as a “very physical game.” and Burlington won 24-0.

Area Schedule

Saturday, Sept. 8

Varsity volleyball quad, Colby, Hays, Dodge City and Larned, at Hays at 12 noon.

Colby High School varsity cross-country at Wamego at 9 a.m.

Junior varsity girls tennis at Norton at 9 a.m.

Junior varsity volleyball at Garden City tournament at 9 a.m.

C-team volleyball at the Dodge City tournament at 10 a.m.

Varsity volleyball quad, Colby, Hays, Dodge City and Larned, at Hays at 4 p.m. 5 p.m. and 6 p.m.

Monday, Sept. 9

Colby High School junior varsity tennis at Garden City at 8 a.m.

Junior varisty football vs. Oberlin at Dennen Field at 5:30 p.m.

Brewster High School junior varsity football at Jennings at 5:30 p.m.

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