# **Eagles advance to semifinals**

# Open state play with win over KC-Bishop Ward

They're getting closer...and closer...

The Colby Lady Eagles got by Kansas City-Bishop Ward in the first round of the Class 4A State Tournament at Salina on Wednesday, 45-35, and will move back onto the floor for Friday's semifinal game at 6:30 p.m. at the Bicentennial Center to play Topeka-Hayden, a 54-40 victor over Labette County, also on Wednesday.

The Eagles are now 23-1 on the season vs. Hayden's 21-3.

Other Wednesday games found Abilene beating Fort Scott, 44-31 and Wichita-Collegiate defeating Circle, 53-46. Abilene (22-2) and Collegiate (22-2) will battle at 3 p.m., also Friday in the other semifinal game.

The semifinal winners then battle for the championship Saturday and the losers duke it out for third-place, also on Saturday.

Against KC-Bishop Ward, the Eagles led by two after the first quarter, 14-12, 27-23 at the break and 35-27 at the end of three.

Colby was 12 of 35 for 34 percent from 2-point range and 1 of 6 beyond the arc for 16 percent. At the charity line, the Eagles were 18 of 33 for 54 percent.

Emily Sloan and Jessica Stephens both scored in double figures for the Eagles, Sloan with 12 and Stephens with 11. Sloan also had 9 rebounds, 3 assists and 2 blocked shots and Stephens 7 rebounds and 1 steal.

Amanda Seemann scored 6 points, cleared the glass twice and dished out 2 assists.

Ivy Ramsey scored 6, grabbed 6 rebounds, had 1 steal and 3 assists. Zanae Baird pocketed 4 points, had 3 rebounds and 1 steal and Ashley Barnes scored 4 points, had 2 rebounds and 1 assist.

Brittany Kersenbrock scored 2

points, had 2 rebounds, 2 steals and assist.

The Eagles are the #1 seed in the tourney and Hayden is the #4 seeded team.

Girls' Wednesday's scores Class 6A

Blue Valley North 59, Goddard 50

Washburn Rural 60, Olathe East

St. Thomas Aquinas 70, Emporia

Hutchinson 53, Shawnee Mission Northwest 41

Class 5A

Washington 68, McPherson 59 Bishop Miege vs. Gardner Shawnee Heights vs. Valley Center

Bishop Carroll vs. Newton Class 4A

Abilene 44, Fort Scott 31 Wichita Collegiate 53, Circle 46 Colby 45, KC Ward 35 Hayden 54, Labette County 40 Class 2A Sublette 58, Horton 51 Claflin 54, Sedan 52 Olpe 64, Moundridge 35 Hoxie 68 Salina Sacred Heart 58 **Boys' Wednesday's scores** 

Class 5A Topeka West 73, Wichita West 66 Bishop Miege 70, Liberal 52 KC Washington 68, Salina South

Highland Park 55, Blue Valley 32 Class 3A Burlington 79, Garden Plain 59 Riley County 61, KC Christian

Minneapolis 87, Cimarron 64

Hillsboro 64 Frontenac 46 Class 1A Cunningham 59, Sharon Springs

Frankfort 57, Weskan 45 Berean Academy 59, Centralia 53

Hanston 51, Lebo 35



#### NOLA SLOAN/Colby Free Press

Colby's Ivy Ramsey heads down the court as Amanda Seemann follows in Wednesday's game vs. KC-Bishop Ward in 4A State action in the Bicentennial Center at Salina. The Eagles won and advance to the semifinals Friday evening.

#### Today's games (boys)

Class 6A Emporia vs. SM South Dodge City vs. Washburn Rural Olathe South vs. St. Thomas Aquinas Blue Valley NW vs. Wichita NW

Class 4A Andover Central vs. Wamego Atchison vs. Labette County KC Sumner vs. Kingman Ulysses vs. Fort Scott

#### Class 2A

Quinter vs. St. Marys Syracuse vs. Moundridge Pittsburg Colgan vs. Osborne St. John vs. Leavenworth

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### **Brian Ostermann**

 Keeping in Touch

# Thanks, Coach Walker

Allen County. This also brings an end to coach Dave Walker's tenure as my assistant coach. Coach Walker once was my coach in high school 20 years ago. It was absolutely awesome having him assist Chad and me in running this program. Dave will finish up next week as "coordinator" of the Northwest Kansas All-Star game and he will head back to Minnesota. Dave will continue to be involved in basketball as he owns and runs "Triple Threat" summer basketball camps. Dave gave so much to this college and this program for so little. He was essentially a volunteer coach. He earned only \$1,000 per season from the college. We are all fortunate to have had the past two years with such a great person. Dave did so much more than help our team to 50 wins in two seasons. Thanks "Walk!"

Every coach after every season takes a moment or two to evaluate and reflect on the past and prepare for the future. We must consider the direction of the program and the things necessary to move the program forward. As I reflect on the past season and the past five seasons I am very pleased with the support of our community. The community has made this a credible program. Certainly, we have accomplished many outstanding things as a "winning" basketball program. Back to back 24-6 regular seasons has elevated our program to another level. As I look toward to the future I see several important issues that must be resolved in order for the program to move forward. We continue to have many roadblocks that put us in some major disadvantages relative to the programs we must compete against. Some of those disadvantages can never be changed (location): others can be either much improved or easily eliminated. In my judgment there needs to be some Champions. The best lady Trojan changes in order for us to move for- team of all-time.

Our season ended last week in a ward. Each spring I look at the many heartbreaking loss on the road to ways of improving our program. We can and we will improve.

My goal has always been and will continue to be providing this school and this community with a championship caliber team. Our primary concern will continue to be doing our best in recruiting quality people to help us achieve our goals.

#### **Jottings**

The 2004 sophomore class consisting of Sam Jackson, K.J. Wilkens, Zane Davis, E.J. Drayton, Justin Williams, Dillion Sneed and Branden Miller went 50-14 in their two seasons. The best record of any class in Trojan history. Thank you Trojans!

Branden Miller connected on 98 3 pointers on the season (98-23841 percent). The school record was 96 (96-26636 perent) set by Demetrius Sommerville in 1994-1995. Sommerville did hold the career 3point mark (177-485 37 percent) until Branden surpassed him on Saturday night. Brandon's career mark is 183 made 3's. (183-481 for 38 percent) Justin Williams is the career and single season shot block leader in Trojan history.

This season he had 146 and during his stellar career he is at 26. Justin also has 614 career rebounds and 785 career points.

E.J. Drayton is the school's second all time leading scorer passing Larry House (1,044 points). E.J. had 1,114 points. Curtis Gates is the school's all-time leading scorer with 1,529 career points. Branden Miller finished his career with 967 points. Branden is the sixth leading scorer of all-time. Only four Trojans have scored 1,000 points (Terrell Harris is the other, he scored 1.001)

Congrats to the Lady Trojans on a great season. The ladies finished 29-4 and advanced to the region semi-finals.

They were co-Jayhawk West

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## **SATURDAY**

	6 AM	6:30	7 AM	7:30	8 AM	8:30	9 AM	9:30	10 AM	10:30	11 AM	11:30	
KLBY/ABC	La Gente	Paid Program	Lilo & Stitch	Recess (EI) (CC)	Fillmore (EI) (CC)	Proud Family	Lizzie McGuire	That's- Raven	Kim Possible	Power Rangers	Power Rangers	Inside Stuff	
KSNK/NBC 8 9	Today Val	Kilmer; fan	nily vehicles	. <b>(CC)</b>	Paid Program	Paid Program	Kenny- Shark	Tuten- stein (EI)	Trading Spaces	Endur- ance (EI)	Strange Days	Scout's Safari	
KBSL/CBS	Saturday	Early Show	v (CC)		Hey Arnold!	Chalk- Zone (EI)	Grown Brothers Dora the Up Garcia Explore			College Basketball: Conference USA Final			
K15CG 3	Yoga Market- Bookworm Bunch (E Market						Sesame Street (EI) (CC) (DVS)		Hand- Crafts	Kansas Spotlight	Family Kitchen	Victory Garden	
WGN 13	Enter- prise Rpt	Adelante Chicago	Paid Program	Paid Program	Paid Program	Guthy- Renker	Paid Program	Paid Program	Guthy- Renker	Wal- greens	Soul Trair Van Hunt.	n Tamia; (N) <b>(CC)</b>	
NICK 29	Rocket Power	Rocket Power	Rugrats (CC)	Rugrats (CC)	Spon- geBob	Spon- geBob	Oddpar- ents	Oddpar- ents	Jimmy Neutron	Jimmy Neutron	Teenage Robot	Chalk- Zone	
FAM 30	Meda- bots	Digimon- Digital	Power Rangers	Power Rangers	Bey- blade	Digimon- Digital		e Thirteen Chez Starbu	<b>h Year ★★</b> (1999, ck. <b>(CC)</b>		Switche- d UP!	Full House	
USA 31)	Paid Program	6 Second	Paid Program	Body by Jake	6 Second	Paid Program	Monk Mr. the Papert			Dead Again ★★★ (1991, se) <i>Kenneth Branagh.</i>			
TBS (37)	Dawson's Creek Dawson's Creek (CC) (CC)						ere ★★ (199 an Jackson		Movie: Dave <b>***</b> (1993) A presidential look-alike takes over for the ailing leader.				
TNT (38)	Movie: Na ★★½ (198	tional Lam 3, Comedy)	poon's Va	cation ase. (CC)	Movie: Crocodile Dundee II ** <sup>1/2</sup> (1988, Comedy) Paul Hogan. (CC)			1⁄2 (1988,	Movie: The Goonies (1985) Young misfits find a 17th-century pirate's treasure map.				
DSC (42)	Paid Program	Paid Program	Paid Program	Paid Program	A Wild Dog's Story Wild dogs in Africa.		Canine Conspiracy (CC)		Moose: Spirit of the North Woods (CC)		Cold Case Cops (CC)		
A&E (47)	Incrble Collctr		e Russia House *** (1990) A eluctantly enters the espionage				Old House	Ask This Old	Ask This Old	Sell This House	Makeovr Mama	Makeovr Mama	
ESPN (49)	SportsCenter (CC) SportsCenter (CC)				SportsCenter (CC) SportsCe			nter (Live) (	CC)	College Basketball: America East Final Teams TBA			
HBO (7)	(5:35) Movie: Troll in Park Movie: Antwone F helps a troubled sai							Movie: Spirit: Stallion Cimarron **1/2 (2002)					
DISN (17)	Koala Brothers	Koala Brothers	Koala Brothers	Koala Brothers	Koala Brothers	Koala Brothers	Koala Brothers	House of Mouse	Recess (CC)	Recess (CC)	Lilo & Stitch	Lilo & Stitch	
MAX 21	(5:10) Movie: The Color Purple ***1/2 (1985, Drama)Analyze That				Movie: The Time Machine ★★ <sup>1</sup> / <sub>2</sub> (2002) Guy Pearce. (CC)								

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# MARCH 13

	12 PM	12:30	1 PM	1:30	2 PM	2:30	3 PM	3:30	4 PM	4:30	5 PM	5:30	
KLBY/ABC 4 6	Paid Program	Guthy- Renker	Paid Program	Paid Program	Flyers or K	ings at Sha	urks		Stars at Red Wings, Devils at			ABC WId News	
KSNK/NBC 89	Jeop- ardy!	Paid Program	m Forks, N.D. (CC) PGA Golf: Honda Classic Third Round. Palm Beach Gardens, Fla. (Live) (CC)						Power- ball-Mill.	NBC News			
KBSL/CBS	Basket- ball			Big Ten Tou ced. Indiana			College B Semifinal -	asketball: - Teams to			College B Pac-10 Fir	asketball: nal	
K15CG 3	Yankee Shop	This Old House	Ask This Old	Home- time (N)	Router Shop						ash Easy way to learn no. (CC)		
WGN (13)	St. Patrick's Day Parade St. Patrick's Day Parade from downtown Chicago. (Live)					eason Bas a, Ariz. (Live	<b>eball</b> : Chica e) <b>(CC)</b>	ago White S	Sox at Chica	ago Cubs.	Home Improve.	Cosby Show	
NICK (29)	Hey Arnold!	Told by Ginger	Nick- toons TV	Nick- toons TV	Nick- toons TV	Nick- toons TV	Nick- toons TV	Nick- toons TV	Nick- toons TV	Nick- toons TV	Nick- toons TV	Nick- toons TV	
FAM 30	7th Heave (CC)	n Choices			Sun ★½ (2001, Movie: Summertime Olsen. (CC) Comedy-Drama) Jase					(1994,	Movie: Summer Catch ★★ (2001)		
	Nashville Star The Road to Nashville (CC) Movie			Movie: Ra turns the ta	tansom *** (1996) A wealthy executive tables on his son's abductor. Mel Gibson				tive Law & Order: son. Special Victims			Law & Order: Criminal Intent	
TBS (37)		rner & Hoc Tom Hanks.		989,	Movie: Jumpin' Jack Flash **1/2 (1986, C computer operator becomes involved in esp						Home Improve.	Friends (CC)	
TNT (38)					Movie: Willy Wonka and the Chocolat Factory *** (1971) Gene Wilder.				late Movie: Jumanji (199 game puts its players				
DSC (42)	Poisonous Women American Hot (CC) Alumatub 3				American Chopper Mikey's Bike (CC) Mr. Mom (						Double Agents Just Grow Up (CC)		
A&E (47)	Smucker's Stars on Ice 2004 Alexei Yagudin; Jamie Sal and David Pelletier.			With Malice Bodies on a rundown estate.			Beat (CC) Investigative Reports (CC)			Parole Board Oklahoma (CC)			
ESPN (49)	Basket- ball									ifinal (Live)	College Basketball: Atlantic 10 Final		
HBO (7)		c Hollywo nedy) Mich			e Adventures of Pluto Nash * nedy) Eddie Murphy. (CC)			Movie: Antwone Fisher (2002) helps a troubled sailor confront h					
DISN (17)	Barbar- ian			cel Perfect struggling l			Lilo & Stitch	Recess (CC)	Kim Possible	Barbar- ian	Even Stevens	Sister, Sister	
MAX 21	(11:30) Mo ★★ (2001)			<b>rry Potter</b> a 2, Fantasy)			ecrets		e Transpo ion) Jason		Movie: Ac *** <sup>1</sup> / <sub>2</sub> (20		

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KLBY/ABC	News Holly- (CC) wood Movie: Dr. Dolittle ** regains his ability to ta			<ul> <li>(1998) A surgeon lk to animals.</li> </ul>		America's Funniest Home Videos (CC)		News Entertainn (CC) Tonight (C			Paid Program	
KSNK/NBC 8 9	News				Frasier (CC)	Happy Family	Law & Order: Special Victims		News	Saturday	Night Live (CC)	
KBSL/CBS	College B Pac-10 Fir				Hack Reckoning (N) (CC)		The District (CC)		News (CC)	Drew Carey	Drew Carey	Drew Carey
K15CG 3	Funny Ladies of British Comedy (CC)				Daniel O'Donnell: Songs of Faith (CC)			Austin City Limits		Soundsta of 2) (CC)	<b>ge</b> (Part 1	
WGN (13)	Fresh Prince	Fresh Prince	Movie: Amongst Frie Drama) Steve Parlave		ecchio.		News (CC)				ght and the City 2) Robert De Niro.	
NICK (29)	Nick- toons TV	Nick- toons TV	Grown Up	Romeo!	All That	Amanda		Cosby Show	Rose- anne	Rose- anne	Cosby Show	Cosby Show
FAM (30)	(5:00) Mov Summer (		Movie: The Facts of Life Reunion ** (2001, Comedy) Lisa Whelchel. (CC)			Movie: I Want to Marr (2004, Romance-Com				Switche- d UP!	Life- Sitcom	
USA (31)	Law & Order: Special Victims				Law & Order: Special Victims		Nashville Star Number Ones (CC)		Law & Order: Criminal Intent		Nashville Star Number Ones (CC)	
TBS (37)	Movie: Sister Act 2: Back in the Habit ** (1993, Comedy) Whoopi Goldberg.				Movie: Overboard ★★½ (1987, Comedy) Goldie Hawn, Kurt Russell. (CC)				Movie: Analyze This (1999) An angst- ridden mobster seeks a psychiatrist's help.			
TNT (38)	Movie: Th Jim Carrey	e Mask ★★ /, Cameron	★ (1994, Fa <i>Diaz.</i> <b>(CC)</b>	antasy)	Movie: Men in Black (1997) Secret agents monitor extraterrestrial activity on Earth.					ars ★½ (2001, <i>Cube.</i> (Premiere)		
DSC (42)	New Detectives: Forensic Science				The FBI Files Silent Strike (CC)		The FBI Files Dark Woods (CC)		New Detectives: Forensic Science		The FBI Files Silent Strike (CC)	
A&E (47)	City Confidential (CC)		American Justice: Trial of Edward Post		Cold Case Files (CC)		City Confidential (N) (CC)		Crossing Jordan (CC)		American Justice: Trial of Edward Post	
ESPN (49)	College Basketball: College Basketba Atlantic 10 Final Final Teams to B						College Basketball: I Tournament Final T				College Basketball: Big West Final	
HBO (7)	(5:30) Mov Hard ★★ (		Movie: A Mighty Wind (2003, Comedy) Bob Ba				hane Mosley vs. Ronal /e) <b>(CC)</b>		ld Wright. From Las		The Sopranos Two Tonys (CC)	
DISN (17)	That's- Raven	Lizzie McGuire			(2004) A ho band. <i>Ricky</i>		Barbar- ian	That's- Raven	Kim Possible	Proud Family	Even Stevens	Sister, Sister
MAX (21)	(5:15) Mov Adaptatio				d ★ (2002, Action) Chestnut. (CC) Movie: Analyze Th (2002) Robert De N					Anna Nico Exposed (		Bedtime Stories





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