

Eagle Track Results

Results of the recent Norton meet	Carleigh Dempewolf — 100, 13.8; dis., 65’4”; 4X100, 12.75, 1st; 4X400, 1.06, 1st.	3rd; tj, 30’ 1”, 4th. April Weaver—400, 1:11.8, 6th; 4X400, 1:08.7, 1st. 4X100, 53.37m 1st. 4X400, 4:26.87, 1st.
Team standings		
Girls		
Colby, 1st, 124 points , followed by: Smith Center, 111; Goodland, 98; Logan, 62; Norton, 62; Scott City, 49; Northern Valley, 24; and Phillipsburg, 21.	Jacquie Fry — 1. j., 13’5”; t j, 25’9”.	
Boys	Caitie Henry—400, 1:05.6, 2nd; 4X100, 13.46, 1st; 4X400, 1:06.8, 1st.	
Norton, 1st, 121; Phillipsburg, 120; Scott City, 88; Goodland, 81; Smith Center, 66; Northern Valley, 45; Logan, 23; and Colby, 7th, 13.	Jenna Johnson — jav., 63’6”; dis., 65’9”; shot, 24’6”.	Colby Boys
	Lauren Kaiser— 100, 14.03, 4th; 200, 28.26, 4th; 4X100, 14.72, 1st; 4X400, 1:05.2, 1st.	David Barnum —1600, 5.35; 3200, 12:19.7, 5th.
Individual Results	Crystal Mannebach —100H, 18.55, 6th; 300H, 54.96, 4th.	Irvin Dinkel — jav., 100’6”.
Colby Girls	Rishonna Martin — p v, 6’ , 4th; 1600, 6:57; 400, 1:14.6.	Taylor Finley — p.v., 10’, 6th.
(event, result, place)	Erica Molstad—lj 15’3 1/2”, 1st; tj, 33’4”, 1st.	Chris Haeffner — 100, 12.06; 4X100, 11.32, 5th.
Zanae Baird — 1600, 6:10.2, 3rd; 3200, 13:19.6, 1st.	Janessa Rasmussen—jav. 60’ 1”; dis., 85’8”; shot, 27’9 3/4”.	Trent Mazanec — dis., 122’ 11”, jav., 105’8”, 4X100, 12.68.
Andrea Barker — 100, 13.15 , 1st; 200, 27.59, 1st; 4X100, 12.45, 1st.	Morgan Stephens — lj, 13’9”,	Sam Munderloh—p.v., 10’, 5th; 100, 12.4; 200, 25.9; 4X100, 13.11, 5th.
		Trevor Siebert — 1600, 5:26.3; 800, 2:26.6.5.
		Jared Simmering —100, 12.12; 200, 24.87; 4X100, 11.75, 5th.
		Darren Sporing— 1600, 5:21.3, 5th; 3200, 11:59.3, 4t.
		4X100, 48.87, 5th.



Ray Nolan

- From the Dugout

A short, sweet week

Trojan fans, our past week has been short and sweet. On Wednesday we swept Cloud County to move into third place, and then our players got a short break for Easter. Wednesday we stretched our scoreless innings streak to 25, by not allowing a run until the second inning of the second game. The streak started last Sunday when we blanked Barton County, 1-0 and 1-0.

Our sophomore lefty Tyler Landenberger pitched outstanding in game one Wednesday, allowing just one hit and striking out six. That was his third victory of the season. He has also beaten Hutch and Butler. At Butler he out-dueled possibly the best pitcher in the conference in John Brownell.

Landenberger has also pitched well in other outings. He did a great job against nationally ranked Chandler-Gilbert down in Arizona, and he gave us some quality innings out of the bullpen against Garden City. Freshman Kobey McCall also threw well Wednesday. Although he allowed a run in the second that ended our scoreless innings streak, he got his second consecutive win, not to mention his second consecutive conference win. A scoreless innings streak is bound to end sometime anyway.

Our whole pitching staff is throwing well, but it should also be mentioned that freshman Travis Hearne picked up his fifth and sixth saves of the season on Wednesday.

In conference our team ERA is barely above 1.0 and our overall ERA is not much above 3.0.

Pitching and defense is how you win ball games and that is what we have done well for much of the season. Our hitting came alive in Arizona, and now we have our bats going as well.

Sophomore right fielder Joel Gould had a big day Wednesday going 6-6. He even got an RBI by getting hit by a pitch with the bases loaded. That is a sure sign you are having a good day in the box.

He had some big hits for us, including a two run home run in the first game to put it out of reach.

Unlike this past week, this week looks to be busy with three scheduled doubleheaders, and a possible makeup doubleheader squeezed in Tuesday. Wednesday we take on Hutch at 1:00 here in Colby. If we can sweep we will take over second place in the conference.

The Blue Dragons are 10-8 in conference and we are 9-7. We actually have a better winning percentage, but in the Jayhawk only wins matter. This is to keep a team from not making up rainouts. This is a good thing because at 8-6, Barton has a better winning percentage than both of us, but they are fourth due to conference rules.

We finish the week with a trip to Dodge City on Saturday and a doubleheader at home Sunday at 1:00 against Butler. We split with each of the teams during the first round of conference play.

We were going to makeup a doubleheader with Northeastern Junior College in Sterling, Colorado on Monday, but it has just been canceled due to snow.

We may play it on Tuesday.

I hope everyone has a good week.

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Eagle softball now 5-1

The Colby High School varsity softball Eagles raised their record to 5-1 with a split of a double-header with Goodland last Thursday at home.

Goodland won the first game, 6-4 and Colby came back to win the second, 14-9.

Getting hits for the Eagles, were: Whitney Adams, 4-9 (1 double); Steph Wieland, 1-6; Savanah Rupp,

4-7 (4 doubles); Crystal Herschberger, 3-6; Ivy Ramsey, 1-6; Cierra Rous, 2-5; Lauren Cox, 2-7; and Sara Redmond, 1-5.

Rous, Redmond and Adams shared the pitching duties.

Today’s games with Garden City have been rescheduled to Friday of this week. The time and place will remain the same — 4 p.m. at the Colby Recreation Complex.

SportsLine

Colby Activity changes noted

The Colby Eagle softball games scheduled today with Garden City have been rescheduled to Friday at 4 p.m. at the Colby Recreation Complex. Also, the 9th/10th track meet at Goodland today has been postponed. A makeup date will be announced later.

Colby schools

●**Tuesday** — Varsity boys tennis at Larned, 1 p.m. varsity boys golf at Goodland, 2 p.m.; junior varsity track at Atwood, 3 p.m.

Colby 3-on-3 registration

Don’t forget the April 17 deadline to register for the 5th Annual Colby 3-on-3 Basketball Tournament. The event is scheduled for April 24. If you need additional information, call Donna Henry at 460-6363 (evenings) or 465-5350 (daytime), or Bonnie Dinkel, 462-7247 (evenings) or 462-2751 (daytime).

Coaches needed for swim club

The Colby Swim Club is now taking applications for coaches for summer swim. Any persons interested in coaching are asked to call Mark and Angie Goudy, Brewster, at 694-2599 or Tracy and Robyn Rogers, Colby, at 462-3128.

Getting ready

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Colby High School golfer Sean Mengel practiced chipping and putting at Colby Country Club. The team’s next competition is a varsity meet at Goodland at 2 p.m. Tuesday. The favorable weather of the past week gave way to a 3-inch snowfall overnight Sunday. Conditions for Tuesday’s meet are expected to be again favorable. Ah, spring!



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