

# **SportsLine**

#### Track closed, JV game moved

The track resurfacing project at Dennen Field started earlier this week which means the track will be closed to the public until further notice, said Jeff Quenzer, the activities director for Colby Public Schools. The complex, he said, will remained closed until all resurfacing work is completed; however, the Colby High School homecoming football game is scheduled to take place at Dennen Field next week. Quenzer did want to remind fans that the Colby High School junior varsity game on Monday will be played at the practice field on the campus of the high school starting at 5:30 p.m. Fans are encouraged to bring lawn chairs.

#### Brewster pre-game supper Oct. 1

The Brewster Booster Club will be having a Homecoming Pre-Game Supper from 5-7 p.m. (CDT) Friday, Oct. 1, in the school cafeteria. Tacos with toppings, chips and salsa, Spanish rice and a dessert will be provided for a donation. Proceeds will be used for the Prom Party and other school activities, organizers said.

#### Colby High sports activities

Today — Varsity football with Ness City-Dighton at Dighton, 7 p.m.

Saturday — Varsity girls tennis at Garden City, 8 a.m.; FFA-NW District softball tourney at Oakley, 9 a.m.; junior varsity tennis at Phillipsburg, 9 a.m.; 7th/8th volleyball Colby round robin, 7th grade in elementary gym and 8th grade in the high school gym, 10 a.m.; "C" volleyball in Brewster tourney, 10 a.m.; junior varsity/varsity volleyball at Goodland with Scott City and Wheatland, 10 a.m. (depart Colby 8:30 a.m.).

Monday — Junior varsity football with Ness City-Dighton at Dennen Field, 5:30 p.m.; "C" team volleyball at Goodland with Oakley and Weskan, 5:30 p.m.

Tuesday — The girls' golf team will not be participating in the Ulysses tourney on this day; Colby invitational varsity girls tennis tourney at Fike and college courts, 3 p.m.; junior varsity/varsity volleyball at Atwood with Norton, 4:30 p.m.; cross country at Oberlin, 5 p.m.

#### Golden Plains sports activities

Today — High school football at Grinnell, 7 p.m. Saturday — Junior varsity volleyball in Brewster tourney, 10 a.m. **Tuesday** — High school volleyball at Jennings, 3 p.m.

#### **Brewster sports activities**

Today — 7:30 p.m., high school football at Tribune. Saturday — 10 a.m., high school volleyball tourney (JV) at Brewster.

-6 p.m., high school jayvee football vs. Tribune at home. Monday-Tuesday — 4 p.m., high school volleyball quad (varsity and junior varsity) at home; 5 p.m., high school cross country at Oberlin.

#### Grade girls basketball league to start

The Lady Eagles Basketball League for 4th-5th-6th grade girls will soon get underway. A participating parents' meeting will be held on Monday at 6 p.m. in the elementary gym. The girls will be bringing flyers home for their parents. Questions can be directed to Raenette Martin at 462-3400.

#### Girls volleyball camp continues

The Colby volleyball camp for girls grades 1 through 6 continues at the Colby High School on the following Saturdays: Oct. 2, 9 and 16. The 4th through 6th graders will play from 9-10:30 a.m. on those dates and the 1st through 3rd graders from 10:30-11:30 a.m. For additional details, please call coach Dustin Rorabaugh at 460-0221.



Both the Colby Eagle varsity boys and girls cross country teams took first-place finishes in the Eagles' invitational on Tuesday.

On the girls' side, Colby scored 23 points for first and Tribune-Greeley County was 2nd with 38.

For the boy, Colby was first with 25 points, Tribune-Greeley County second with 39 and Hoxie third with 65.

Individually

Colby varsity girls

Jessica Stephens, 1st, 12:53; Zanae Baird, 4th, 14:00; Aubrette Stephens, 5th, 14:13; Paige Stephens, 6th, 14:16; Emily Solan, 7th, 14:18; Marcia Kaus, 9th, 15:03; and Lauren Kaiser, 10th, 15:28.

Colby varsity boys

Derek Elliott, 1st, 18:15; Josh Baden, 2nd, 18:32; Darren Sporing, 6th, 19:38; Ryan Baalman, 7th, 20:01; Heath Bieker, 9th, 20:21; David Barnum, 13th, 20:50; and Trevor Siebert, 14th, 20:51.

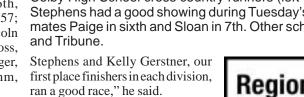
Girls junior varsity: Kelly Gerstner, 1st, 14:46; Rosalie Schroeder, 2nd, 15:35; and Amber Wagoner, 3rd, 17:40.

Boys junior varsity: R.J. Ladenburger, 1st, 21:45; Matt Hildebrand, 3rd, 22:53; Brent Luedke, 4th, 22:57; Andrew Myers, 5th, 23:48; Bryan Brewer, 6th, 23:56; Brady Rundel, 7th, 23:57; Tanner Decker, 9th, 24:56; Lincoln McClure, 10th, 25:12; David Voss, 11th, 25:13; Mikel Landenburger, 12th, 25:51; and Henry Lamm, 13th, 26.24.

"Our varsity and jayvee runners had a good run," said coach Bob Mannebach. "I felt that Derek Elliott, R.J. Landeburger, Jessica said.'

## Fifth graders lose close one on the road

game last Saturday at Victoria, but came up short when they failed to convert on a 2-point conversion and Tayte Query and Trevor Strutt. suffered a 7-6 setback in 5th grade action. The offense produced better than they had against Hays the week before. Quarterback Paul Schiferl connected on 6 of 7 passes for 80 yards. His favorite targets were Jordan Rasmussen, Kellan



"Freshman Ryan Baalman made great strides moving into the fourth position on our varsity team,." he

Colby played a tough football Braden Sager, Konner Kriss, 4 Michael Tubbs, 3 Kellan Ziegelmeier, and 2 Paul Schiferl,



**RANDY DECKER/Colby Free Press** 

Colby High School cross country runners (left to right) Emily Sloan, Paige Stephens and Jessica Stephens had a good showing during Tuesday's meet held here. Jessica took first place with teammates Paige in sixth and Sloan in 7th. Other schools participating in the Colby meet included Hoxie

> Regional Runs Drive for the Best and stay regional

at the same time! Still Hiring Fleet Drivers: Company • 0/0 • Solo • Tear 800-CFI-DRIVE • www.cfidrive.com



# **Cross country girls, boys capture firsts**

(Items can be e-mailed to td@nwkansas.com, colbysports@nwkansas.com, faxed to 785-462-7749 or dropped off at the office at 155 W 5th. Deadline: no later than 9 a.m.)

# Eagle Volleyball

reported Thursday by coach Lesley Wagoner:

- 8/31/04 vs. Osborne-25-20, 20-25, 25-14—W
- 8/31/04 vs. Norton-25-22, 25-17—W
- 9/7/04 vs. Oberlin-16-25, 25-19, 22-25—L
- 9/7/04 vs. St. Francis-19-25, 24-26—L
- 9/14/04 vs. Western Plains-24-26, 22-25—L
- 9/14/04 vs. Wheatland—25-21, 25-27, 25-21—W
- 9/18/04 vs. Scott City-25-14, 21-25, 23-25—L
- 9/18/04 vs. Hoxie—25-21, 19-25.25-23—W
- 9/18/04 vs. Oakley-15-25, 25-16, 21-25—L
- The coach's comments: "We keep improving with every match. We need to build our strength in serving and need to continue to at-

**Free Press** sports to: fax line 785 462 7749 or **462** 3963

Here is a rundown of Colby High tack through the entire match. Ex-Eagle volleyball matches to date as perience and court time will enhance this team's ability.'

Ziegelmeier and Konner Kriss.

On the ground Dalton Snyder had 14 yards, Jordan Rasmussen 85, Kellan Ziegelmeier 10, Konner Kriss 3, Michael Tubbs 2, Paul Schiferl 5 and Leighton Koel 2 yards on a kick return.

On the defensive side of the ball Kaleb Vaughn led all tacklers with 14. Justin Slavens had 9. 7 each for Rasmussen and Housten Gourley, 5 for Jared Nally, Dalton Snyder,

SCHNEIDER.

FOF M/F/DA

#### LOOKING FOR A BETTER ROUTE?

Put yourself in the driver's seat and enjoy the independence of the open road and the respect of being a trained professional. No experience necessary Company-paid CDL training for qualified candidates \$31,500-\$39,500 1st year (inexperienced) \$45,000-\$54,000/year in 4 years Low-cost medical & dental insurance; free vision & life & teams \$5,000 sign-on bonus (experienced drivers & owner operators

> 1-800-44-PRIDE (1-800-447-7433) Mon-Fri: 7am-9pm, Sat & Sun: 9am-6pm (Central Time) www.schneiderjobs.com

Jr. Bowling League SIGN-UP DAY Saturday, Sept. 25 & Oct. 2 1:00-3:00 p.m. BUMPER LEAGUE - 4 to 8 years JUNIORS - 8 to 12 years SENIORS - 13 and up

Bowl once a week on Saturday afternoon. Sanction fees payable on sign-up.  $$10^{00}$ 

### FREE BOWLING • for registries on both Saturday's.

FUN CENTER 460-2672

Visit all 30 stores at www.tohaastire.com