

Running the offense



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Colby High School Lady Eagle Jessica Stephens ran down the court during the team's matchup against the Holcomb Lady Longhorns Tuesday at the Colby Community Building. Colby cruised to an easy 56-33 victory. Statisitcs were unavailable at press time.

Eagle boys drop to 0-3 on season

The Colby High School Eagle boys were able to cut a double-digit deficit after halftime, but still lost its third straight game 54-48 Tuesday to Holcomb.

Holcomb got off to a strong start in the first half and limited Colby to five first-quarter points. Holcomb led at halftime 26-13.

The Eagles outscored Holcomb

in the second half 32-28.

Trevor Siebert led Colby with 20 points. He was six of 11 from the field including making two three-point shots. Trey Barnett scored 14 points.

Colby shot 43 percent from the field and had 24 rebounds. More than half of Holcomb's points were scored between two players. Tyler Fenton led Holcomb with 20 points. Brad Hill scored 18 points.

Holcomb shot 47 percent from the field and had 25 rebounds.

Colby falls to 0-3. Oakley plays at Colby Friday. Games start at 4:30 p.m.

The Eagles play at Burlington, Colo., Saturday. Games start at 2 p.m.

Junior varisty girls win

Colby High School's junior varsity girls defeated Hays 52-34 Tuesday, Dec. 6.

Aurette Stephens led Colby with 16 points. Paige Stephens scored 11 points and April Weaver scored nine points.

Colby junior varisty started the season with a 43-17 win over Scott City. Aubrette Stephens led the team with 16 points. Paige Stephens scored 14.

Colby junior varsity boys team lost to Scott City 62-24. Levi Schlick led with 12 points.

Colby College beats Air Force

The Colby Community College Lady Trojans cruised to a 107-43 win Tuesday against Air Force Prep.

Suzana Sormaz lead the way with 32 points of which 8 were 3-pointers setting a new Colby College record. Rita Kollo had another outstanding game with 27 points, 9 rebounds, and 5 steals. Sophomores Shareka Purnell helped with 10 assists and Ivana Mijalcevic had 5 blocked shots. Colby native Ivy Ramsey put in 11 points for the Lady Trojans and freshman Jamie Schroeder put up 10 points. Lori Siruta and Ivan Stojadinov added 9 points respectively.

The Trojans are 11-2 going into the semester break. They will begin conference play at home on Wednesday, Jan. 4, when they host Garden City Community College. Game time is set for 6 p.m.

SportsLine

Eagle wrestlers at Oakley Thursday

The Colby High School Eagle varsity and junior varsity wrestlers will travel to Oakley for a match on Thursday. Action starts at 6:30 p.m.

Eagle basketball at home Friday

The Colby High School Eagle "C," junior varsity and varsity teams will take on Oakley at Home Friday. Action starts at 4:30 p.m. at the high school gym and Colby Community Building. The girls varsity game will be at 6:30 p.m. at the community building, followed immediately by the boys varsity game.

Rexford basketball on Thursday, Friday

The Golden Plains Middle School basketball team will play at 4 p.m. at Grainfield Thursday. The high school basketball team will play at 4 p.m. Friday at Brewster. The middle school team will play again at 4 p.m. on Monday, Dec. 19 at 4 p.m. at Weskan.

Lady Trojans have winning weekend at Nebraska tourney

The Colby Community College Lady Trojans went 2-0 over the weekend in Scottsbluff, Neb., Lady Cougar Holiday Classic.

Colby had three games on the schedule but the United Tribes team did not show up for the game on Thursday.

After a day off, the team was ready to play as they soundly defeated Sheridan, Wyo., College 88-50.

Five players scored in double figures, led by sophomore Rita Kollo

and freshman Jamie Schroeder with 19 and 18 points, respectively.

Ivana Stojadinov also poured in 16 points. Coach Tom Stephens said, "It was her best outing of the season."

Saturday was more of a challenge against sixth-ranked Western Nebraska.

Colby handed the Western Nebraska Lady Cougars their first loss of the season with a 67-66 win. Kollo made a layup off an inbounds play with 7.2 seconds left to put

Colby ahead 67-66. Western Nebraska had a chance to win but its 5-foot shot at the buzzer bounced off. The Cougars' 13-game winning streak ended.

Kollo again led the way with 25 points. Suzie Sormaz and Jamie Schroeder added 13 each.

Ivana Stojadinov sat out with a sore knee but sophomores Ivana Mijalcevic and Kollo picked up the slack with 12 rebounds each. Point guard Shareka Parnell had nine assists.

The Trojans improve to 10-2 on the season. They traveled to Colorado Springs Tuesday to play Air Force Prep.

Colby returns to action Jan. 4 against Garden City.

Colby College wrestlers finish well at tournament

The Colby Community College Trojan wrestling team competed at the University of Nebraska — Kearney Loper Ope last weekend.

Even though this open tournament did not have as many wrestlers attending, it was a much more competitive with more quality wrestlers in every weight.

Colby had a strong showing at the 285 lb. weight class with Cody Rivera finishing that day with a sixth place finish.

At the 149 lb. weight class, Matt Gilliland brought home a fifth place finish.

Despite that fact that he's been ill lately, Levi Younkin at the 133 lb. weight class received fourth place.

After taking time off for winter break, the Trojan wrestling team will get back into the swing of things by hosting Lincoln College at the Colby Community Building Thursday, Jan. 5 at 6:30 p.m.

The Trojans will then host the Tournament of Champions at the Colby Community Building on Friday, Jan. 6 and Saturday, Jan. 7.

The tournament will start at 10 a.m. on Friday and action will resume at 11 a.m. on Saturday.



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League Bowling Results

December 6 - Pinbusters League			
Team	Won	Lost	Place
Colby Bowl	152	100	1
Cummins-Mid-America	151	101	2
United Commercial Travelers	138	114	3
Donelan Jewelry	135	117	4
Twisters	126	126	5
Cox Communications	123	129	6
Pepsi Cola	119	133	7
Colby Automotive	118	134	8
Bye Bye Birdies	80	172	9

First high Individual game: Vern Schwanke, 267
First high Individual series: Rich Bachman, 636

December 7 - Ladies Nite Out			
Team	Won	Lost	Place
Straight Line	36	20	1
Don's Electric	34	22	2
Bottle Gallery	34	22	3
Camouflage Lawn Care	33.5	22.5	4
Lobo Liquor	31	25	5
Strike-Outs	29	27	6
Twisters	28	28	7
Sunflower Bank	25.5	30.5	8
Who-No's?	23	33	9

First high Individual game: Linda Liestner, 214
First high Individual series: Linda Joyce, 550

December 7 - Powderpuff League			
Team	Won	Lost	Place
Golden Harvest Seed	33.5	22.5	1
Service Oil	29	27	2
Farm Credit	25	31	3
Weiser	24.5	31.5	4

First high Individual game: Debra Metzler, 197
First high Individual series: Debra Metzler, 536

December 8 - King Pin League			
Team	Won	Lost	Place
Warks Embroidery	138	72	1
www.visitcolby.com	131	79	2
Orschelns	119	91	3
Thunderballs	101	109	4
Colby Automotive	98	112	5
5 Pony Men	87	123	6
Colby Bowl & Fun Center	84	126	7
T - J's Tire	82	128	8

First high Individual game: Jim Giesenhagen, 243
First high Individual series: Vern Schwanke, 645

December 9 - Ten Pin League			
Team	Won	Lost	Place
Satan Haters	18	2	1

Comfort Inn			
Team	Won	Lost	Place
Cal Williams	13	7	3
Hurt Enterprises	12	8	4
Classic Trojans	10	10	5
KNEA/S.P.	7	13	6
Colby Bowl	6	14	7
JJ Tools	0	20	8

First high Individual game: Monica Miller, 176
First high Individual series: Angie Gaede, 230

December 4 - King & Queen			
Team	Won	Lost	Place
Phillips - Finlay	240	4	1
Brewer - Schwanke	18	10	2
Moeder - Lee	15	13	3
Sturdy - Branum	14	14	4
Barton - Kreutzer	13	15	5
Kern - Wark	12	16	6
Norman - Griffin	8	20	7
Schissler - Koehn	7	21	8

Men's First high Individual game: Ken Brewer, 249
Men's First high Individual series: Ken Brewer, 634
Women's First high Individual game: Jennifer Phillips, 201
Women's First high Individual series: Jennifer Phillips, 560

December 5 - First Nighters League			
Team	Won	Lost	Place
Discount Repair of Oakley	132	78	1
Montana Mikes	122	88	2
Colby Implement	121	89	3
Frontier Equity	104	106	4
C.C.C. Boys	103	107	5
Schlick Construction	100	110	6
N.W. Fire Extinguisher	97	113	7
Woofert Well & Pump	95	115	8
Grinnell Furniture	88	122	9
Warrior Hunting Supply	88	122	10


First high Men Individual game: Doug Beckman, 247
First high Men Individual series: Ron Owings, 652
First high Women Individual game: Linda Liestner, 480
First high Women Individual series: Linda Liestner, 480

December 6 - Early Bird Ladies League			
Team	Won	Lost	Place
Bowlerettes	37.5	14.5	1
www.strike	28.5	23.5	2
NW Vacuum	26	26	3
Van's Merry Four	25	27	4
4 4 Fun	20	32	5
Jean's Rollers	19	33	6

First high Individual game: Cathy Wieland, 193
First high Individual series: Cathy Wieland, 510


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