

Junior Cowboys win 36-0

By Waylon Walker

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The sixth-grade Junior Cowboys dominated the field against the Atwood Junior Buffaloes, 36-0, on Saturday at Cowboys Stadium, playing hard against a much bigger team.

The defense and offense worked well together, keeping points on the scoreboard while keeping the other team from even getting close to the goal line.

"I wasn't sure what to expect," said Coach Mike Ruhs, "but things can still be improved. I was pleased to see how aggressive they were in their playing. We do need to work on our running, but we have a very strong front offensive line. I think they are ready for the season."

"With the way they played, they will definitely be a contender, but we will just take it one game at a time."

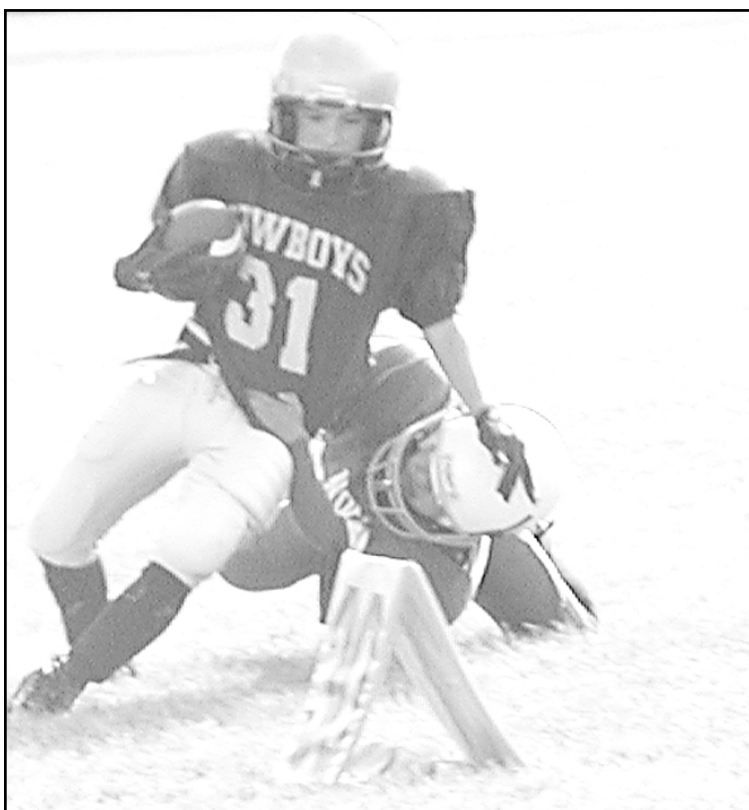
Dax Ruhs (22) scored most of the points for the sixth grade, with one touchdown by Tyler Gastineau (32).

The sixth graders have their first road game coming up at Oberlin at 11:30 a.m. (Mountain Time) on Saturday at Oberlin High School.

Fifth grade Junior Cowboys
Earlier Saturday, the fifth grade Junior Cowboys put up a good fight against the Norton Junior Blue Jays, but lost 32-0.

Although they did not manage to score, they played as hard as could be expected. The game saw several injuries on both sides but nothing major.

"The boys did good but do need some work," said Coach Cleve



Fifth-grade Junior Cowboy Kolt Trachsel was tackled as he went out of bounds during a game against Norton on Saturday. The team lost 32-0.
Photo by Waylon Walker/The Goodland Star-News

Trachsel. "It was just their second game to ever play due to the fact that we don't have a fourth-grade football team. The boys played better defense in the second half, and so the Blue Jays only scored one touchdown on us."

The coach said Kolt Trachsel was the star of the game on defense.

"We just had to make some adjustments," the elder Trachsel said.

"The Blue Jay defense just had too much penetration to run the plays,

but we still did better all around in the second half.

"I told the boys not to worry about the score, but to just go out and play. We have our first road game coming up, so that will be a challenge playing on somebody else's field. We are going to go back to the basics in training."

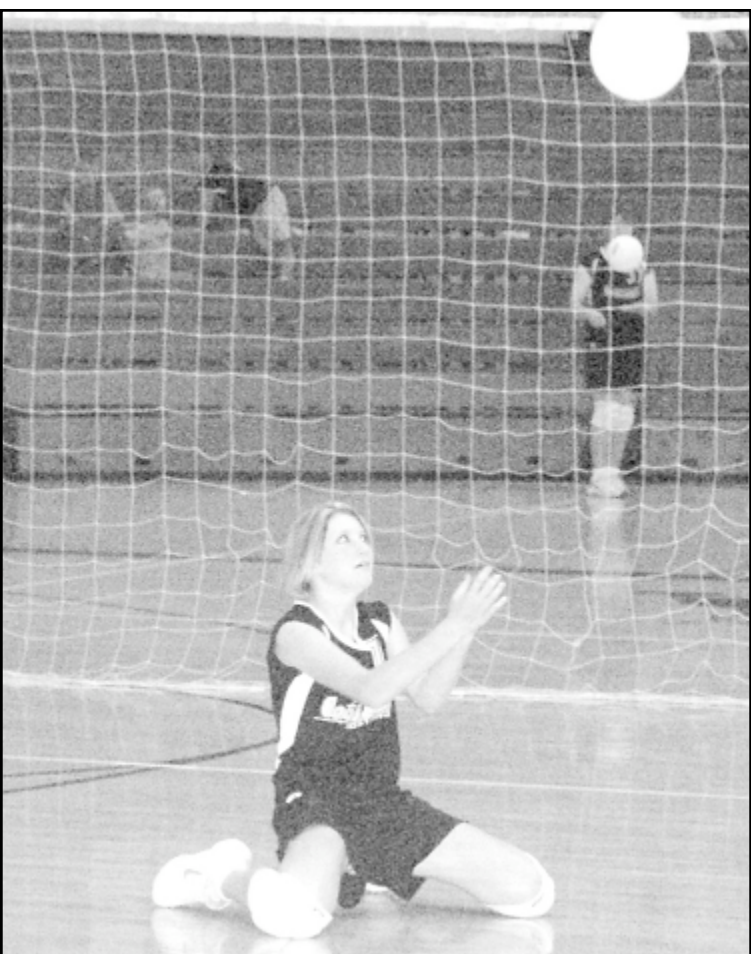
The fifth grade will face the Hays Gamblers at 10:30 a.m. (Mountain Time) on Saturday at Felton Middle School in Hays.

Mustang punts to Indians



Aaron Twombly (44) punted the ball for the Grant Junior High seventh grade Mustangs during a game at Hoxie on Sept. 6. The Mustangs lost 42-0. The team will be in action at 4 p.m. today at Cowboys Stadium against Burlington.
Photo by Jeris McCombs

Lady Mustangs play well in loss to Hoxie



Grant Junior High eighth graders miss serves, lack block coverage

The Lady Mustangs eighth-grade volleyball teams lost to Hoxie on Sept. 6 at Hoxie.

"The girls played well, but our missed serves and lack of block coverage hurt us," said Coach Denise White. "This was a good game for us to see what areas need work."

The Lady Mustangs B Team lost to Hoxie 26-24 in the one game they played. The A Team lost to Hoxie 25-10 in game one and 25-20 in

game two.

The girls were in action Thursday at Max Jones Fieldhouse against Rawlins County were to be hosts for a volleyball round robin Saturday with Burlington, Quinter, Scott City and Wray, Colo., at Max Jones Fieldhouse.

The Mustangs will be at Max Jones Fieldhouse at 3 p.m. today for a volleyball quad with Colby and Felton and Kennedy middle schools from Hays.

Lady Mustangs eighth grader Jacee Herl dug out a ball against Atwood on Thursday afternoon during a match at Max Jones Fieldhouse.
Photo by Tom Betz/The Goodland Star-News

Two former Cowgirls continue college play

Two former Cowgirls who helped lead the Goodland High School volleyball team to the 2003 state Class 4A volleyball championship are playing this season at NCAA Division I schools.

Alisha McKee, a 2004 graduate of Goodland High, is in her fourth season with the Lady Bulldogs of California State University, Fresno. Dani Bedore, a 2007 graduate of Brewster High, is in her first season at the University of South Carolina.

McKee, one of three seniors on the Fresno State roster, leads the Bulldogs in kills this season with 106. She is third on the team in blocks with 20.

Fresno State is 3-9 overall for the season and 1-1 in the Western Athletic Conference. The Bulldogs got their first conference win Saturday, beating Louisiana Tech 3-0 Satur-

day in Fresno. The team will be in Idaho on Thursday to take on Boise State.

Bedore, one of eight true freshmen at South Carolina, is third on the team in blocks with 23 and in service aces with 10. She is tied for third with a teammate in kills with 99.

Bedore was named to two all-tournament teams this season: the University of Delaware Invitational Aug. 24-25 and the Virginia Commonwealth University/3rd Degree Sportswear Invitational Aug. 31-Sept. 1.

The South Carolina Gamecocks are 7-4 overall and 0-2 in the Southeastern Conference. They lost their conference opener to Auburn 3-0 last Friday, then two days later lost 3-0 to Georgia. The Gamecocks will be in Baton Rouge to face Louisiana State on Friday.

matters of record

Municipal Court
These are cases decided by the Goodland Municipal Court:

July 25: Mike Lewis, dog at large, fined \$70.

July 27: Joel D. Rohe, driving under the influence and transporting liquor, diversion, \$1,200.

July 30: Randall L. Daise, no parking zone, fined \$50.

Jacob D. Erickson, failure to yield at stop or yield sign,

fined \$90.

Carroll A. Mogge, failure to yield at stop or yield sign, fined \$90.

Douglas E. Hall, speeding 10 mph over limit, fined \$90.

July 31: Kacey D. Highland, speeding 10 mph over limit, fined \$90.

Aug. 1: Keith D. Carr, disorderly conduct and battery, fined \$300.

Amber N. Cowan, disorderly conduct, diversion, \$250.

Brewster All-Star Booster Club

Calendar for Sept. 18 - Sept. 24

Tuesday - 4 p.m., varsity and junior varsity volleyball triangular at Rexford.

Thursday - 5 p.m., high school cross country at Hill City. 3 p.m., junior high volleyball. 4:30 p.m. junior high football vs Golden Plains at Rexford.

Friday - 7 p.m., high school football vs Healy-Western Plains there.

Saturday - 10 a.m., junior varsity volleyball tournament at Brewster.

Monday - 5:30 p.m., junior varsity football vs Golden Plains at Rexford.

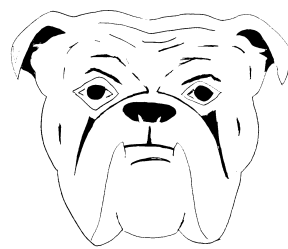
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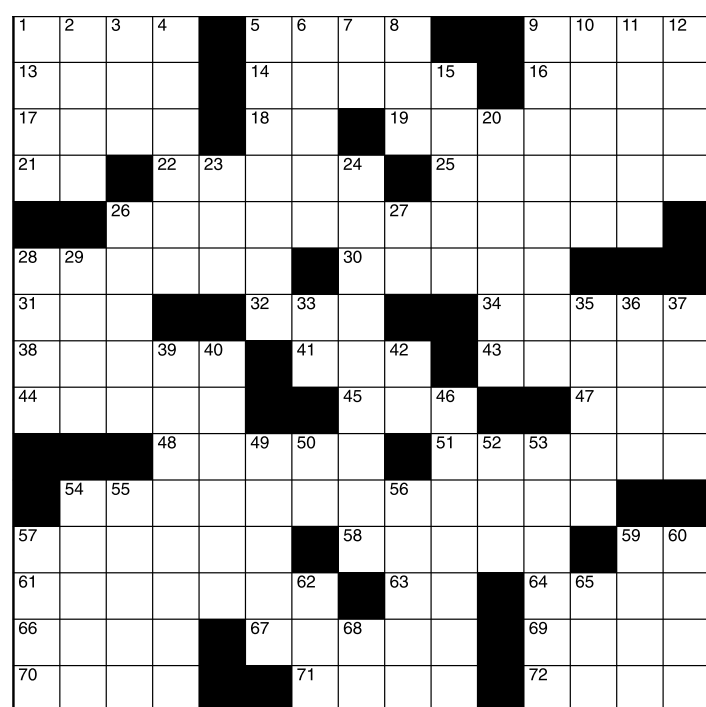


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 - Pouches
 - Malayan sailboat
 - Magnoliopsid genus
 - Exhorts
 - ification: branches out
 - The rate of moving
 - Of I
 - Hollow muffin
 - Equally
 - Allman Brother
 - Pickled flower buds
 - Penn State
 - Violent disturbance participant
 - Thre_____: menaces
 - Scottish County (abbr.)
 - Superior limb
 - Recorded on video
 - _____ and Kashmir
 - Fluffy scarf of feathers
 - Roofing rock
 - Unaccented syllable verse
 - Revolutions per minute
 - Adult male swan
 - Elephant shrews
 - Away
 - An island in the north Atlantic
 - Cloud
 - Central German city
 - Gold symbol
 - Made use of
 - Who I am
 - Rigs
 - Thomas ____, American cartoonist
 - Expression of surprise
 - Ulcerated chilblain on the heel
 - Away from wind
 - Formed
 - Vehicle mounted on
- CLUES DOWN**
- Dad
 - Wood sorrels
 - reation: play
 - Accounting entry for income
 - Indonesian Island
 - Space for entertainments
 - Sea patrol
 - tua: Latin seven
 - Offer of marriage
 - Black bird
 - Ancient units of measure
 - Affectations
 - Plinth supporting a wall
 - Applies color to a wall
 - Shoshonean
 - Inspiring with love
 - Criteria
 - Yukon Territory
 - Indian prince
 - 8th Jewish month
 - A radioactive element
 - Walked back and forth
 - British school
 - Something that is owed
 - Spell incorrectly
 - Serviceable
 - Associated press
 - Little white dog
 - Inquisitive
 - Georgetown University
 - Humbug
 - Eaten between meals
 - Growing in snow
 - Wipe out recorded information
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