

## Golfer medals at home



Cowboys junior Joel Weis chipped onto the Ninth green during the golf tournament last Tuesday at Sugar Hills Golf Club. Weis sank a long putt for par on the hole and finished with an 18-hole total of 85, which was good for the eighth place medal. Weis had finished second at the Norton tournament where he shot a round of 82.

Photo by Tom Betz/The Goodland Star-News

# Cowboys play tennis in snow, hail, rain, sleet

The Cowboys tennis team is small this year, with just four players, two juniors, a sophomore and a freshman, but the boys got tested early in bad weather at the Hays tournament on Monday.

"We were led in scoring by junior Bryan Gray at No. 2 singles," said coach Jerry McKee. "We played in the snow, hail, rain and sleet. It was the rain which finally ended the tournament. Most of the matches were finished."

"The weather took a big toll on our rackets, as we ended up breaking the strings on several."

Sophomore Ryan Irvin played in the No. 1 singles position, McKee said, while T.J. Freeman and Hazen Deeds played No. 2 doubles.

Teams at the tournament included Hays, Great Bend and Russell. Three Cowboys went to Wa-

Keeney on Tuesday.

"At WaKeeney, we were led in scoring by Gray and Irvin, who led the team with a 2-and-2 record at No. 2 doubles," McKee said. "Freeman made his first appearance at singles. He improved during the day, gaining valuable experience in our No. 2 singles position."

Teams at the tournament included Trego County, Southwestern Heights, Scott City and Russell.

### Hays results

Irvin, No. 1 singles, A.J. Carl, Hays, lost 1-6; Michael Stelling, Hays, lost 3-6; Sam Kiliah, Russell, lost 3-6; Kevin Poingle, Great Bend, lost 0-6.

Gray, No. 2 singles, Kale Morris, Russell, won 6-4; Matt Kock, Great Bend, lost 2-6; and Tyler Jones, Hays, won 6-0.

Deeds, Freeman, No. 2 doubles,

Kohl/Ellis, Hays, lost 2-6; Slinclair/Yount, Great Bend, lost 0-6; Desaire/Glassman, Hays, lost 4-6.

### WaKeeney results

Freeman, No. 2 singles, D. Saucedo, Southwestern Heights, lost 1-8; Kale Morris, Russell, lost 0-8; Bretton Hillery, Scott City, lost 0-8; Jake Schlegel, Trego, lost 0-8.

Irvin, Gray, No. 2 doubles, Rinehart/Baeza, Southwestern Heights, lost 3-8; Riedel/Rourke, Russell, won 8-2; Knighton/Noll, Scott City, won 8-5; Pfeofer/Lrpeger, Trego, lost 1-8.

The Cowboys are to be in Colby at 2 p.m. today for a junior varsity tennis tournament, and will be at home at 2 p.m. Friday for the Goodland Invitational.

The team will be in Scott City at 9 a.m. Saturday, in Ulysses at 2 p.m. on Monday and in Larned at noon on Tuesday.

# Girls win 3-on-3 tournament

By Sharon Corcoran

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Goodland girls took first and third among third and fourth graders at the Atwood 3-on-3 Tournament Saturday, April 5, while a team of Goodland first- and second-grade boys finished second in their pool, losing only one game.

The Nugg-etts, Jordan Siruta, Kaitlynn Raile and Tayler Thorson, won all four games and brought home gold medals for the third- and fourth-grade girls' division. Goodland's G-Town Girls, Kinsey Volk, Ashley Anderson and Savanna Bassett, took third.

Among first- and second-grade boys, the Goodland Cowboys, Evan Peter, Dawson Raymer and Brandt Mull, placed second in pool play.

The tournament took place in the Rawlins County High School gymnasium and auditorium. The G-Town Girls played the Laffy Taffys from Atwood on the west court in the gym at 11 a.m., while the Nugg-etts faced the Dribblers from Oberlin on the north court in the auditorium.

At 11:30, the Nugg-etts faced



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the Red Hot Chili Peppers from Atwood, while the G-Town Girls faced the Dribblers. At noon, the G-Town Girls faced the Red Hot Chili Peppers, and at 12:30, the Nugg-etts faced the Laffy Taffys. The G-Town Girls and Nugg-etts played each other at 1 p.m.

The Cowboys faced the Hoxie Knockouts at 11 a.m., the Little Buffs of Atwood at 11:30 and the Triple A's from Atwood at noon. They lost by one point in overtime against Hoxie and won the other two games.

The Cowboys go to several 3-on-3

tournaments in the area, said Carrie Peter, Evan's mother; they usually have Levi Archer on their team, but he was sick, so Mull went with them to Atwood. Sometimes, all four go, Mrs. Peter said. They went to the Sappa Valley Shoot-out in Oberlin Saturday and had gone to McDonald a few weeks ago.

The tournament was the ninth annual fund raiser for the Atwood Swimming Pool and Park Project. "Champion" T-shirts and medals were awarded to winners of each grade division, along with second-place medals.

# Tech college credits can be transferred

Northwest Kansas Technical College has entered into an agreement with Kansas State University at Salina to allow students to transfer credits for a Bachelor of Science degree in technology management.

The agreement allows technical college students with an associate's degree in computer graphics technology or communications technology to complete the remaining two years of a bachelor's degree through K-State online classes.

"We are pleased to offer our students the ability to earn a bachelor's

degree through our arrangement with Kansas State University at Salina," said Ken Clouse, technical college president. "This will open doors for our students and is a great opportunity for them to pursue more education after they graduate, whether immediately or after they are in the work force."

Representatives from the technical college at the signing Monday, March 31, included Clouse; Brenda Chatfield, director of instructional studies; Derek Reilley, communications technology instructor; and Shannan Garrett, computer graphics

instructor.

K-State Salina representatives included Betty Stevens, associate dean of continuing education; Jennifer Pfortmiller, coordinator; Dennis Kuhlman, dean and professor of technology and aviation; and Don Von Bergen, dean of arts, science and business.

The technical college and Pittsburg State University recently entered into an agreement that makes it possible for students with an Associate of Applied Science degree to enter Pittsburg State's Bachelor of Applied Science program.

# Brewster senior signs letter of intent

Michael Collett, a Brewster High School senior and grandson of John and Marilyn Collett of Goodland, has signed to play basketball at Central Christian College of McPherson.

He played basketball for four years under coach Jon McKee at



Collett

Brewster and was selected for the Northwest Kansas All-Star Basketball Classic.

"Michael is the type of student athlete we look for in our program," said Coach Matt O'Brien of Central Christian. "He is a good athlete who is fundamentally sound and is a

good student."

Collett, son of Scott and Alice Collett of Levant, plans to major in sports management.

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## School calendar for April 15 to April 22

- Today:** Gold Day. 7 p.m., 6th grade music program in high school auditorium. 8:30 a.m., varsity track at Scott City. 1 p.m., boys junior varsity golf. 2 p.m., boys junior varsity tennis at Colby.
- Wednesday:** Black Day. North Site Council
- Thursday:** Gold Day. Junior high track quad with Oakley, Quinter and St. Francis at Atwood. State Band and Choir.
- Friday:** Black Day. 2 p.m., track at Holcomb. 3 and 5 p.m., varsity and junior varsity softball against Colby. 3 and 5:30 p.m., varsity and junior varsity baseball against Liberal. 2 p.m., boys varsity tennis at Goodland Invitational.
- Saturday:** 9 a.m., boys varsity tennis at Scott City.
- Monday:** No school. Teacher professional day. 2 p.m., 9-10 track at Atwood. 3 and 5:30 p.m., varsity and junior varsity baseball at Scott City. 3 and 5 p.m., varsity and junior varsity softball against Scott City. 2 p.m., boys varsity tennis at Ulysses.
- Tuesday:** Black Day. 1 a.m., boys varsity tennis at Larned. 1 p.m., boys junior varsity golf at Hoxie. 2 p.m., boys junior varsity golf at Scott City. 3 and 5 p.m., varsity and junior varsity softball at Ulysses.

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