

Cowgirls in rematch at Colby tonight

Tonight the Cowgirls are in Colby to face the Great Western Activity Conference leading Lady Eagles at 5:30 p.m. tonight.

The Cowgirls are at 7-7 after splitting games over the weekend winning at Ulysses on Friday, 46-29, but lost at Burlington 52-37 in a make up game on Saturday.

Thursday the Cowgirls had a weather delayed non-league game at Max Jones with the Oakley Lady Plainsmen who are leading the Northwest Kansas League with a 10-3 record.

Tonight's game at Colby is the league rematch for the Cowgirls who ran into trouble and lost to the Lady Eagles 45-32 at Max Jones on Jan. 4.

Cowgirls Coach Andy Scheopner was in a pickle early in the first quarter of the first Colby game when the Cowgirls leading scorer Ashley Archer got into foul trouble with three quick fouls to put her on the bench with under three minutes left in the first. Archer had 5 points in the game with all coming on free throws.

"Yeah it was a tough one," Coach Scheopner said. "You can't shoot 17 percent and win many games."

In the first game against the Lady Eagle the Cowgirls hit 20 percent from the floor (8 of 40), 11 percent of the 3-points shots (1 of 9), and 78 percent (15 of 20) free throws.



Cowgirl Ashley Archer got her hand on the ball to block a shot by a Burlington Lady Cougar on Saturday. The Cowgirls take on the league leading Lady Eagles tonight at 5:30 p.m.

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The Cowgirls hits 22.7 percent in the first half and fell down to 16.7 percent in the second half.

Colby hit 48.5 percent from the floor (16 of 23), 50 percent of the 3-point shots (3 of 6), and 58.8 percent (10 of 17) free throws. The Lady Eagles hit 46 percent in the first half and 50 percent in the second half.

The Cowgirls have won four and lost five games to be 7-7 and 3-3 in league play.

The Colby Lady Eagles are 6-0

in Great Western league play, and the best the Cowgirls can hope for is to win enough of the remaining games to have a higher seed and an opening round game at Max Jones Fieldhouse.

The Cowgirls will have three of the final four games at Max Jones with Atwood on Tuesday; at Hugoton on Friday; and the final two at Max Jones with Scott City on Tuesday, Feb. 22, and Ulysses on Friday, Feb. 25, before the sub state games begin the first week of March.

Cowboys face Eagles tonight

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The Goodland Cowboys 6-8 face the Colby Eagles 2-12 at 7 p.m. tonight in Colby.

The Cowboys beat their rival earlier on in the season, 57-38, after a 25-0 run in the fourth quarter to put the game out of reach.

Since then Goodland has been up and down, but definitely improving. The Cowboys have been competitive in every game and have already exceeded their win total from last year.

Goodland's big three Robert Cowan, Ryan Hillmer, and Brock Wilkens have broken out scoring as of late and have given Goodland a boost. Garth Helton and Dillon Trachsel have received praise from Head Coach Donald Raymer for their defensive efforts.

Helton injured a finger in the Burlington game and his status is in question. Reed Bellamy injured a knee in a junior varsity game and has not played the last two games.

Free throws have cost the Cowboys games in the past and they will look to improve on that tonight versus Colby.

The Eagles have struggled all year long but are now on a two-game winning streak after coming off of back-to-back home and away wins over Hugoton.

Corbin Stevens and Spencer



Cowboy Brock Wilkens jumped high for a rebound on Saturday at Burlington. The Cowboys play at Colby tonight at 7 p.m.

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Tubbs have lead the team to their first wins of the year. When these two teams meet, throw the records out the door. The teams will give

each other their best and it should be a good one in Colby tonight.

The game can be heard on KKCI 102.5 FM.

Wrestlers finish regular season tonight

The Cowboys wrestling team will host the Oakley Plainsmen in the final dual of the regular season at 5:30 p.m. tonight at Max Jones Fieldhouse.

The Cowboys were at Scott City on Thursday for a touch match with the Beavers. Goodland and Scott City have been ranked No. 3 and No. 4 in the state in the most recent coaches poll.

Goodland defeated Scott City in a dual at the Great Western Activity Conference championship held in Colby Saturday, 39-23, to win the first conference championship. Scott City finished third in the dual format tournament.

Individually at the conference championship Cowboy Cy Paxton was fifth at 103, Brook Bahe fourth at 112, Austin Avelar first at 119, Marvin Hernandez second at 125, Seth Miller second at 130, Corey Davis fourth at 135, Dax Ruhs third at 140, Nathan Deeds fourth at 145,

John Peden third at 152, Kayler Rietcheck first at 160, Jason Cowan third at 171, Laine Herl second at 189, Riley Oharah third at 215 and Tyler Fisher fourth at 285.

In the dual against Scott City, Paxton lost by a fall at 103, 112 was open, Avelar at 119 won 2-0 decision, Hernandez at 125 won 7-5 decision, Miller at 130 won by forfeit, Davis at 135 won by forfeit, Ruhs at 140 won by forfeit, Deeds at 145 lost 5-4 decision, Peden at 152 lost 2-0 decision, Rietcheck at 160 won 7-5 decision, Cowan at 171 won by forfeit, Herl at 189 won by forfeit, Oharah at 215 lost 1-0 decision and Fischer at 285 lost 7-3 decision.

Regional tournament

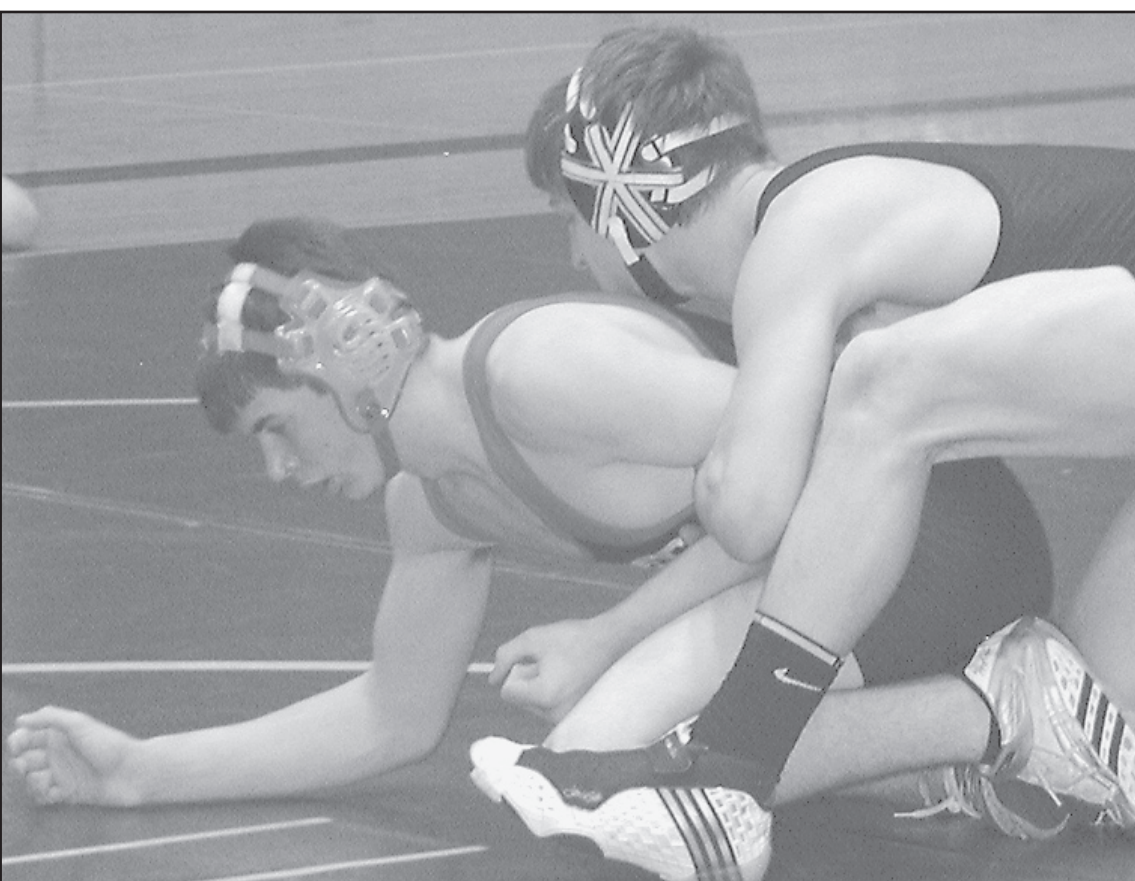
The Cowboys will host a 3-2-1A Regional Wrestling tournament Friday and Saturday, Feb. 18-19 at Max Jones Fieldhouse.

The teams coming for the regional include: Atwood-Rawlins County, Cimarron, Elkhart, Ellis,

Goodland, Hays-Thomas More Prep-Marian, Hill City, Holcomb, Hoxie, Lakin, Leoti-Wichita County, Meade, Montezuma-South Gray, Norton-Norton Comm., Oakley, Oberlin-Decatur Comm., Plainville, Quinter, Scott City-Scott Comm., St. Francis, Stockton, Sublette and Wakeeney-Trego Comm.

The first round is scheduled to begin at 1 p.m. on Friday; the Championship Quarterfinals - 10 minutes after first round; Consolation First Round - 15 minutes after second round; and Championship Semifinals - 10 minutes after third round.

Saturday action will begin at 10 a.m. with Consolation Cross Bracketing; Consolation Quarterfinals - 10 minutes after consolation cross bracketing; Consolation Semifinals - 10 minutes after consolation quarterfinals; Consolation Finals - 10 or 15 minutes after consolation semifinals; and Championship Finals - 15 minutes after consolation finals.



Jon Peden, a Goodland High School wrestler in the 152 weight class, wrestled against Cody Wright in a dual against Atwood last Friday at Max Jones Fieldhouse. He won by a fall. At the league tournament in Colby on Saturday he placed third in his weight class.



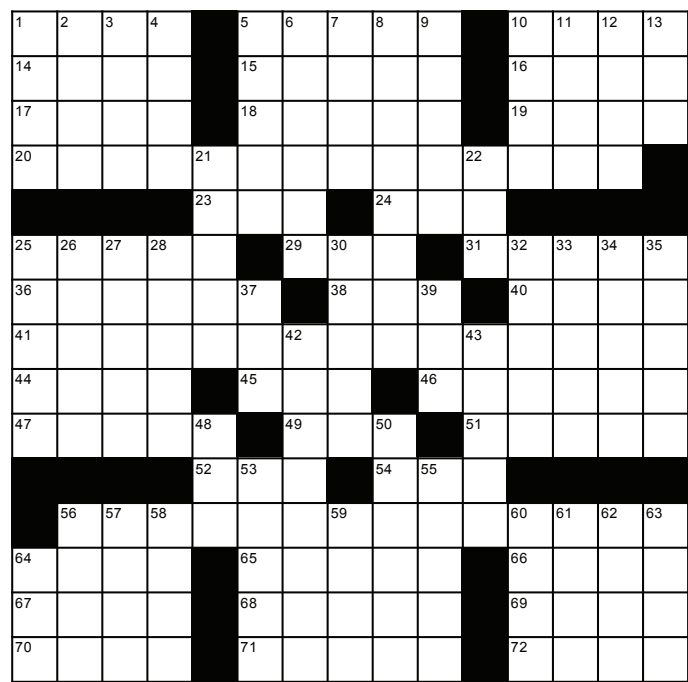
Nathan Deeds won by a decision in his wrestling match with Atwood Buffalo Cody Green last Friday night at Max Jones Fieldhouse. He went to place third at the first Great Western Activity Conference Tournament last Saturday at Colby. Deeds wrestles in the 145 weight class.

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Crossword Puzzle

Four-H Club

- ACROSS**
- Words to Brutus
 - Father-and-son presidential name
 - Rigging support
 - "Oh, no! Not ___!"
 - Problem for Pauline
 - ___ mater
 - First miracle site
 - Milan's La ___
 - Goulash, for example
 - Four-H Club's footwear?
 - "Just ___ thought!"
 - Word before talk or rally
 - Tressed like Simba
 - In addition
 - Prefix for element #9
 - Handsome hunk
 - NATO member
 - Willy of "Free Willy," e.g.
 - Request for a pause in conversation at the Four-H Club?
 - Johnson of "Laugh-In"
 - Make a choice
 - Current unit
 - Distrustful
 - Wee bit
 - Dangerous mosquito
 - Ryan's "Love Story" costar
 - ___ Saud (former Arabian leader)
 - King of the Four-H Club?
 - Lay blackout on
 - Grofé's "Grand Canyon ___"
 - Act the siren
 - Diva's performance
 - More off-the-wall
 - Controversial orchard spray
 - Place for a wish
 - City on the Aire
 - Title for Myra Hess
- DOWN**
- Inscribe with acid
 - Bangkok tongue
 - Zingy taste
 - Brigham Young's state
 - Church recesses
 - Duplicity
 - Fast-shrinking sea
 - Highway distance marker
 - "Same Time, Next Year" playwright Bernard
 - The 4077th, for one
 - Choir voice
 - "Peter Pan" henchman
 - Shooting marble
 - "I've ___ up to here!"
 - Sunblock letters
 - Taj ___
 - Love to death
 - Nick of "Cape Fear"
 - Rear-___ (road mishap)
 - "I'm ___ here!" (skedaddler's cry)
 - Jeweler's glass
 - Twisted the arm of
 - Earthy hue
 - Gives a thumbs-up or a thumbs-down, say
 - HBO competitor
 - "So, it's YOU!"
 - Part of SAT
 - Yemeni neighbor
 - Yevtushenko's "Babi ___"
 - Lost on purpose?
 - Disinfectant brand
 - Oktoberfest quaffs
 - Aesopian loser
 - Bad to the bone
 - "Hud" Oscar winner Patricia
 - Elude the seeker
 - Tickled pink
 - Wahine's dance
 - Way around London, once
 - Not there?
 - Dad, to a rustic

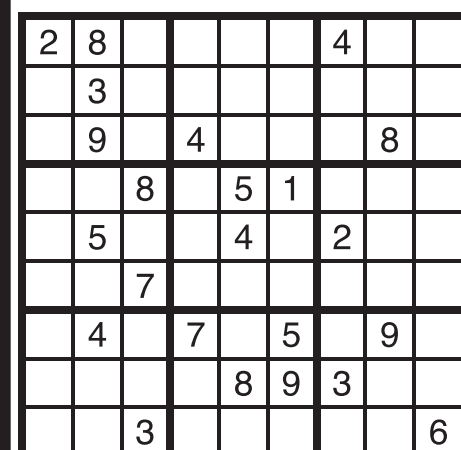


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