

# Beavers end Cowboys season in Class 3A, 52-7

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The Goodland Cowboys season came to an abrupt end on Tuesday when the No. 1 ranked Scott City Beavers rolled to a 52-7 victory at Scott City.

The Cowboys knew they were going to be in a tough game as this was the second year in a row Goodland has made it to the playoffs only to lose to the Beavers.

Cowboy Coach Kent Teeter said he had told the team the word for the week was "desire." He said after the game he felt the boys played with desire to start the game, but when Scott City started making big plays and scoring it sort of took the desire down a notch.

"I told the boys we earned the right to be here," Teeter said. "We had the third toughest schedule this year. We did not want to be satisfied just being here."

"We got some first downs on the first drive, and looked good. When they scored that second touchdown it sort of took the wind out of our sails."

Coach Teeter said the seniors played well all year, and there was a good solid group.

"We had decided to take the ball if we won the coin toss," he said, "and it looked like it was the perfect scene as we began to move the ball on the first drive. We had it going, but did not maintain the drive and had to punt. We got our turnover when they fumbled the punt, but we did not score."

He said Scott City is a good football team, and feels they are better than when the two teams met in the fourth week of the season.

"I think they are a better team," he said. "If they can stay healthy they can win it all."

Teeter gave credit to the offensive line for their blocking efforts that



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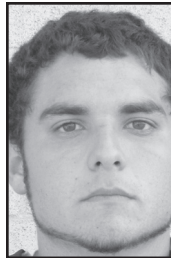
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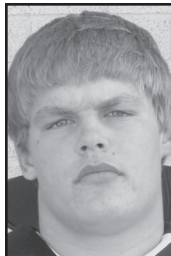
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gave Dax Ruhs the opportunity to get another 100 yard rushing game. Ruhs had 104 yards on 21 carries and ran 59 yards in the third quarter for the Cowboys only touchdown of the game.

"We did better at running the ball this year," Teeter said. "We have a good core of running backs for the future."

As to the defense Teeter said the Cowboys were where they needed to be, but they could not move the Beavers.

"We had guys in the right place, but we could not finish off the tackles," he said.

The Cowboys had to compensate a bit because Tyler Gastineau was out with a concussion he suffered in the first half of the game against Thomas More Prep.

The line had to be adjusted again in the first quarter when Dallas DeLaRosa went down with an apparent knee injury and did not return.

The Cowboys had 141 yards rushing and 13 yards passing in the game

against the 325 yards rushing for the Beavers and 139 yards passing.

Ruhs had 104 yards on 21 carries with the longest being his touchdown run of 59 yards. Paxton had 17 yards on four carries with his longest being seven yards. Bellamy carried three times for 18 yards, but his longest run was for 27 yards. In the passing game Bellamy had two completions out of his nine tries for 13 yards, but he was sacked at least three times and pressured as many.

The game started in the Cowboys favor with Goodland winning the coin toss and electing to receive. Avelar got the kick at the Cowboy six and returned it to the 30 yard line.



Fisher



K. Teeter

Ruhs ran for a first down at the 40, and after a measurement got it by inches.

Ruhs got eight yards on the next play. Oharah got close to the first down, but after a measurement was inches short. Ruhs got the first down running to the Scott City 47.

The Cowboys drive stalled at the 45, and Taylen Smith came in to punt. The punt was taken by a Scott City player at the 20, but he fumbled the ball and the Cowboy Josh Whisnant recovered at the 25.

The Cowboys were in business again with Ruhs running to the 18 and Paxton getting a first down inside the 14. Ruhs was dropped for a four-yard loss on first down. On second Bellamy's pass to Paxton was over his head in the end zone, and there was a flag on the play for illegal motion on the Cowboys. Scott City decline the penalty making it third and 14, but Bellamy's pass for Avelar was incomplete. On fourth down Avelar tried at 36-yard field goal, but it missed wide right. The Cowboys had held the ball for

more than seven minutes of the first quarter.

Scott City got the ball at their 20 and in six plays Dalton Buehler broke through the Cowboys for a 42 yard touchdown with 2:25 left in the quarter. The extra point kick was no good.

Goodland's Ryan Hillmer recovered the apparent onside kick at the Cowboy 33. The Cowboys could not move and Smith punted on fourth down with the ball rolling down to the Beavers 36.

On the next play Brett O'Neill threw to Brayden Robinson who ran for a touchdown. On the try for two O'Neill threw to Lane Hayes to give the Beavers a 14-0 lead. It had taken the Beavers about 10 seconds to score.

Again the Cowboys could not move and had to punt giving the Beavers the ball at their 39. This time it took two plays for the Beavers to score with Colburn Couchman running 46 yards for the touchdown to make it 20-0. The kick was no good.

Cowboy Dallas DeLaRosa had gone down with an apparent knee injury and Tyler Fisher came in at right tackle. On second down Bellamy's pass to Smith was intercepted by Tyler Hess who was tackled by Avelar at the Cowboy 36.

It took the Beavers three plays to score with Drew Kite scoring from the two-yard line to make it 26-0. The extra point kick was no good.

Again the Cowboys could not move and Smith's punt was downed at the Scott City 46.

On first down Buehler got loose and ran down the sideline for the 54-yard touchdown. This time the extra point kick was good making it 33-0.

Again Goodland could not move and Smith's punt went to the Beavers 37. This time the Beavers drove

down to the Cowboy 30 with under two minutes left in the half, but Hess fumbled and Cowboy Jason Cowan recovered to stop the scoring drive.

The Beavers got the ball to start the second half and it took them three plays to drive 66 yards for a touchdown with Couchman running for 47 yards. The extra point was good making it 40-0 with 10:56 left in the third.

The Cowboys again could not move and Smith's punt rolled down to the Scott City 33.

With a new backfield behind the veteran Scott City line it took them 12 plays to go 66 yards with Beaver Matt Zilla scoring on a six-yard run to make it 46-0. The try for two was no good. With the score being over 45 points the clock ran continuously with 4:08 to go in the third.

The Cowboys got the kickoff and Paxton returned it from the 10 to the 26.

Ruhs got two on first down and Paxton ran for a first down to the 41. Ruhs got loose and ran through the Beavers for his touchdown run of 59 yards to get the Cowboys only score. That run put him over 100 yards. The extra point try by Avelar was good making it 46-7.

On the kickoff Couchman ran the ball back 76 yards for the touchdown to make it 52-7. The extra point kick was no good.

For the fourth quarter neither team was able to score ending the game 52-7.

The Cowboys will lose 13 seniors including: Austin Avelar, Blaine Luther, Chris Burchfield, Reed Bellamy, Dallas DeLaRosa, Justin Cates, Jason Cowan, Laine Herl, Mikail Freeman, Riley Oharah, Sloan Ruhs, Ryan Hillmer and Tyler Fisher.



## Goodland sixth grade Junior Cowboys win Western Football League championship

The sixth grade Junior Cowboys went to the Hays Playoffs at Lewis Field as the eighth place seed, and came back with the Western Kansas Football League Championship.

Junior Cowboys played the McPherson No.1 team on Saturday defeating them 27-0, moving the Cowboys into the championship game on Sunday.

On Sunday the Junior Cowboys faced Hays, and defeated them 21-0 to win the league championship.

Coach Bill Biermann said he was proud of the effort of the sixth graders, and believes this is the first time Goodland has won the league championship. He said the wins give the Junior Cowboys a 6-2 record for the season.

Assisting Biermann as coaches were Danny Archer, Steve Raymer and Brad Ensign. The manager was

Darby Hays.

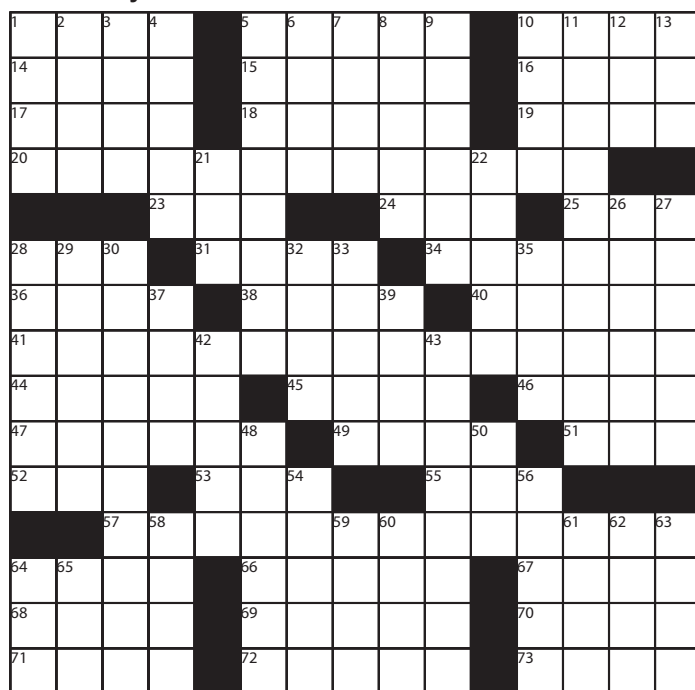
Team members include: Brandt Mull, Chris Gamboa, Gabe Biermann, Tucker Harkins, Levi Archer, Peyton Sieck, Luis Ledesma,

Nash Jarrett, Tavean Stockman, Cody Bockus, Javier Marin, Powell Sieck, Evan Peter, Zach Jones, Rafael Macias, Parker Nemecek, Dawson Ensign, Blaine Sederstrom,

Dawson Raymer, Rumelo Bustillos, Lucas Wood, Brilen Williams, Reyes Bustillos and Levi House.

## Crossword Puzzle

### Throwaway Puzzle



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### ACROSS

- Spring formal
- Where \_\_ (trendy place)
- "Immediately!" in the OR
- Traditional teachings
- Lunar valley
- One who's next in line
- Black cat, to some
- Burger topper
- Air France airport
- Throwing a group of troops?
- Item up one's sleeve
- "Agnus \_\_"
- Stubborn sort
- Scud downer, briefly
- Shangri-la
- Winter vehicle
- Pastoral expanses
- Like some vaccines and exams
- Lemons' locale
- Throwing a movie VIP?
- Paid to play
- Slaw or fries
- End in \_\_ (require overtime)
- Inspiration for the Frisbee
- Diana or Betsy
- "\_\_ longa, vita brevis"
- Pricing word
- Feedbag morsel
- 007 creator
- Fleming
- Throwing a cheese?
- Weevil's meal
- Marsh wader
- Omani money
- Love-letter letters

- Mount the soapbox
- One of Salome's seven
- Moffo or Magnani
- Granada gentleman
- European erupter

### DOWN

- Alka-Seltzer-landing-in-water sound
- "Arrivederci, \_\_"
- Metal-bearing minerals
- Bright bunch
- Applied, as a patch
- Triangle tone
- Unlikely, as chances
- For everyone to hear
- Present and past

- Buck or brogan
- Pottery clay
- Feel out of sorts
- Take a shot at
- Lipinski's milieu
- Slight coloration
- \_\_-faire
- Metric units of volume
- Dogpatch's creator
- Frosh's topper, once
- Guide to achieving a major objective
- Joule fractions
- Rock bottom
- Shamu or Willy
- Dele under
- Italian beach resort
- Dumb cluck

- Nixon or Agnew, in the '70s
- Snacks with salsa
- Got a load of
- "It's done!"
- Chicken's lack
- Chase of stage and screen
- Tabriz's country
- "Just say \_\_ drugs"
- Get lighter
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- "Be prepared" org.
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