

Cowboys take third at Holiday Classic tourney

The Goodland High School varsity wrestling squad took third place at the Holiday Classic Tournament on Saturday at the Max Jones Fieldhouse. Colby took first and Norton, second.

Next action for the Cowboys will be at 5:30 p.m. (Mountain Time) on Thursday at Colby.

The tournament started out with five rounds of duals between the ten teams. The final placing round, Goodland faced off against Scott City.

Tanner Gastineau won by fall over Zach Tucker. Aaron Avelar won by fall over Jesse Anchondo. Ricky Milke won by fall over Marshal Hutchins. Drew House won by fall over Alexis Chavez. Colton Cooper won by fall over Lane Hays. Tyler Gastineau won by fall over Bryce Johnson.

Tristan Cooper lost by fall to James Jurgens. Austin Hernandez lost by fall to Alex Kough. Brook Bahe lost 7-6 to Wyatt Kropp. Jed Gray lost 16-0 to Warren Kropp. Josh Whisnant lost 8-0 to Raleigh Wishon.

John Peden and Nael Radwan won by default. The Cowboys were open at 285.

Goodland won 48-30, taking third.

Round 1

In the first round, Goodland wrestled against Team X, made up of Colby, Baca County and Scott City wrestlers as well as several Cowboys. Goodland won 61-7.

Tanner Gastineau won by fall over Tanner Elias of Colby. Tristan Cooper won an 8-1 decision over teammate Josh David. Bahe won 11-4 over Austin Schissler of Colby. Milke won 9-2 over Bryce Arnberger of Colby. John Peden won by fall over Eric Schutte of Colby. Whisnant won 9-1 over Ben Matchell of Colby. Jed Gray won by fall over teammate Cody Hooker. Radwan won by fall over teammate D.J. Glassman. Colton Cooper won by fall over Keigun Wells of Scott City.

Avelar, Tyler Gastineau and Thatcher Jones won by default.

Hernandez lost 3-4 to John Faber of Colby. House lost 13-3 to Cade Alton of Baca County.



Josh Whisnant tried to roll Colby's Ben Matchell during their wrestling match in Round 1 of the Holiday Classic Tournament on Saturday at the Max Jones Fieldhouse. Whisnant won the match by a 9-1 decision.

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Round 2

Goodland won a dual against Ulysses 48-22 in the second round.

Avelar won by fall over Zach Miller. Brook Bahe won by fall over Adrian Ochoa. Peden won 7-1 over Charles Garnett. Whisnant won by fall over Paul Hernandez. Colton Cooper won 8-6 in overtime against Armando Sandoval. Tyler Gastineau won by fall over Diego Maravilla.

Tristan Cooper lost 11-6 to Mario Rodriguez. Hernandez lost 8-3 to Luis Mendoza. Milke lost 10-2 to JoAngel Cortez.

Tanner Gastineau, Drew House and Jed Gray won by default. The Cowboys were open at 220 and 285.

Team X had a bye in round two.

Round 3

The Cowboys lost to Norton 57-18 in the third round.

Tanner Gastineau won 3-2 over Caysean Campbell. Avelar won 6-4 over Ethan Ross. John Peden won by fall over Cody Ellis.

Tristan Cooper lost by fall to Branson Addington. Hernandez lost 17-2 to Alec Hager. Bahe lost by fall to John Risewick. Milke lost 11-3 to Jared Tallent. House lost by fall to Gavin Lively. Whisnant lost by fall to Jared Bohl. Gray lost by fall to Cole Renner. Colton Cooper lost by fall to Kolton Harting.

Radwan won by default. The Cowboys were open at 220 and 285.

Team X played against Ulysses, losing 49-12.

Hooker won by fall over Paul Hernandez.

Andy Windell lost by fall to Mario Rodriguez. Glassman lost by fall to Armando Sandoval.

Round 4

The Cowboys recovered and won 41-21 over Baca County.

Avelar won 15-0 over Austin Batterton. Bahe won 6-5 over Luke Loflin. Peden won by fall over Rafe Hutches. Whisnant won 9-4 over

Josh Forgey. Tyler Gastineau won by fall over Dalton Westphal.

Tristan Cooper lost 16-1 over Stetson Loader. Hernandez lost 7-5 in overtime against J.D. Chenoweth. Milke lost 9-2 over Clay Seemann. House lost 14-4 over Justin Westphal. Gray lost 8-5 to Tyler Sharpe. Colton Cooper lost 12-6 to Terrell Stafford.

Tanner Gastineau, Radwan and Jones won by default.

Team X played against Norton, losing 70-6.

David lost by fall to Branson Addington. Hooker lost by fall to Cole Renner.

Round 5

Goodland had a bye in round five. Team X lost 55-12 to Baca County.

David lost by fall to Stetson Loader. Hooker lost by fall to Tyler Sharpe. Glassman lost to Terrell Stafford.



Aaron Avelar wrestled Ulysses' Zach Miller during round two. Avelar won by fall one minute and 29 seconds into the first period.

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