

Oberlin girls take 49-36 win over Wheatland

Oberlin's basketball girls downed the women from Wheatland and Grinnell 49-36 at home last Tuesday.

"I think we finally relaxed a little bit and played without applying too much pressure to ourselves," said Coach Terry Ream. "Our enthusiasm was great and it really showed from the hustle and our overall play."

The Lady Red Devils led 12-11 the first quarter, but were outscored 11-6 in the second to be on the wrong side of a 22-18 halftime score.

However, Oberlin came back to hit 19 points without an answer in the third and outscored the visitors 21-7. In the fourth, Oberlin out hit the visitors 10-7.

Playing for Oberlin were Jordan Dreher, 14 points, ten rebounds, six assists and three steals; Mary Olson, 12 points, five rebounds, two

steals and an assist; Elisha Jones, 8 points, three rebounds, two steals and an assist; Erin Jones, 8 points and three rebounds; Adrienne Pauls, 7 points, eight rebounds, two assists and two steals; Ashley Horton, five assists and two rebounds; Annamarie Larue, two rebounds and a steal; and Brandi Diederich, a rebound and a steal.

	1st	2nd	3rd	4th	Final
Oberlin	12	6	21	10	49
Wheat/Grinn	11	11	7	7	36

The junior varsity beat Wheatland/Grinnell 20-13 in two quarters of play.

Scoring were Kiah Blau, 6 points; Erin Jones, 5; Megan Huntley; Diederich, Serena Stacy, 2 points and Tiffany Anderson, 2 each; and Brianna Klima, 1.

	1st	2nd	Final
Oberlin	15	5	20
Wheat/Grinn	9	4	13

Wheatland downs Oberlin

The basketball boys from Wheatland/Grinnell beat the Red Devils, 55-33, last Tuesday in Oberlin.

The visitors outscored Oberlin 14-4 in the first quarter and 22-8 in the second to lead 36-12 at the half. Oberlin came back to out hit Wheatland/Grinnell 10-9 in the third and 12-9 in the fourth quarters, but it wasn't enough.

Playing were Logan Fortin, 10 points, four rebounds and three assists; Josh Ritter, 6 points and a rebound; Jacob Fortin, 4 points, two rebounds and a steal; Wiley Farr, 4 points and two rebounds; Toby Peters, 4 points and two rebounds; Sam Stapp, 3 points, four rebounds, two steals and an assist; and Lucas Juenemann, 2 points, four assists, three rebounds and two steals.

	1st	2nd	3rd	4th	Final
Oberlin	4	8	9	12	33
Wheat/Grinn	14	22	10	9	55

The Oberlin boys led both quarters in the first half, 17-12 and 14-12, but were outscored in both second-half quarters, 9-8 and 11-4.

Playing were Josh Ritter, 20 points, four rebounds and three steals; Dalton Jones, 6 points, two assists, two rebounds and a steal; Farr, 6 points, eight rebounds, two steals and an assist; Nolan Wasson, 5 points, five rebounds and three assists; Keithen Fortin, 4 points, six assists, two rebounds and a steal; Shane McEvoy, 1 point, eight rebounds and a steal; Tyler Shields, 1 point; and Garrett Berry, a rebound.

	1st	2nd	3rd	4th	Final
Oberlin	17	14	8	4	43
Wheat/Grinn	12	12	9	11	44

The C-team Red Devils came up short 21-18 in two quarters of play.

Playing were McEvoy, 6 points, two rebounds, two steals and an assist; Shields, 5 points and a steal; Jones, 2 points, a rebound, steal and an assist; Berry, 2 points, two rebounds and a steal; K. Fortin, 2 points; and Conner McHugh, 1 point, a steal and an assist.

	1st	2nd	Final
Oberlin	7	11	18
Wheat/Grinn	11	10	21

Colby boys beat Oberlin Red Devils

The Decatur Community High school basketball team lost 65-31 to the Eagles in Colby on Friday.

Oberlin was able to play the Eagles close in the first quarter, and Colby led by a single point, 14-13 at the end of the first quarter.

Colby outscored the Oberlin Red Devils in the next three quarters, however, 15-7, 18-5 and 18-6.

Playing for Oberlin were Jacob Fortin, 7 points, a rebound and a steal; Logan Fortin, 5 points, five rebounds and two steals; Lucas Juenemann, 4 points, three assists, three rebounds and three steals; Wiley Farr, 4 points, a rebound, a steal and an assist; Sam Stapp, 4 points and three rebounds; Toby Peters, 3 points, five rebounds, a steal and an assist; Dakota Soderlund, 2 points and two rebounds; Nolan Wasson, 2 points; and Keithen Fortin, two rebounds and an assist.

	1st	2nd	3rd	4th	Final
Oberlin	13	7	5	6	31
Colby	14	15	18	18	65

The Oberlin junior varsity boys fell short 61-41.

Again, the Red Devils had a good first quarter. This time the junior varsity lead 14-11. Then, Colby came back to outscore Oberlin in the next three quarters 20-15, 11-5 and 19-7.

Scoring for the junior varsity were Soderlund, 12 points; Josh Ritter, 9; Farr, 8; Peters, 7; Dalton Jones, 3; and Jeb Fortin, 1.

	1st	2nd	3rd	4th	Final
Oberlin	14	15	5	7	41
Colby	11	20	11	19	61

The Red Devil C-team lost to Colby 41-28.

	1st	2nd	3rd	4th	Final
Oberlin	6	0	9	13	28
Colby	10	10	15	6	41

Girls fall to Eagles

The Decatur Community High school Lady Red Devil basketball team lost 47-23 to Colby in a road game Friday.

Colby took a 12-2 lead in the first quarter and outscored Oberlin 16-5 in the second for a 28-7 lead at the half. In the third quarter, Oberlin came back and lead 10-7, but the girls fell back again in the fourth quarter, 12-6.

"We gave up too many offensive rebounds, second-chance points and turnovers early in the game, which allowed Colby to get a big lead in the first half," Coach Terry Ream said. "We settled down in the second half and really competed pretty good, but we can't allow teams to get big leads and then hope to have opportunities to win at the end."

"We just have to learn to relax and take care of the things we can control during the entire game and

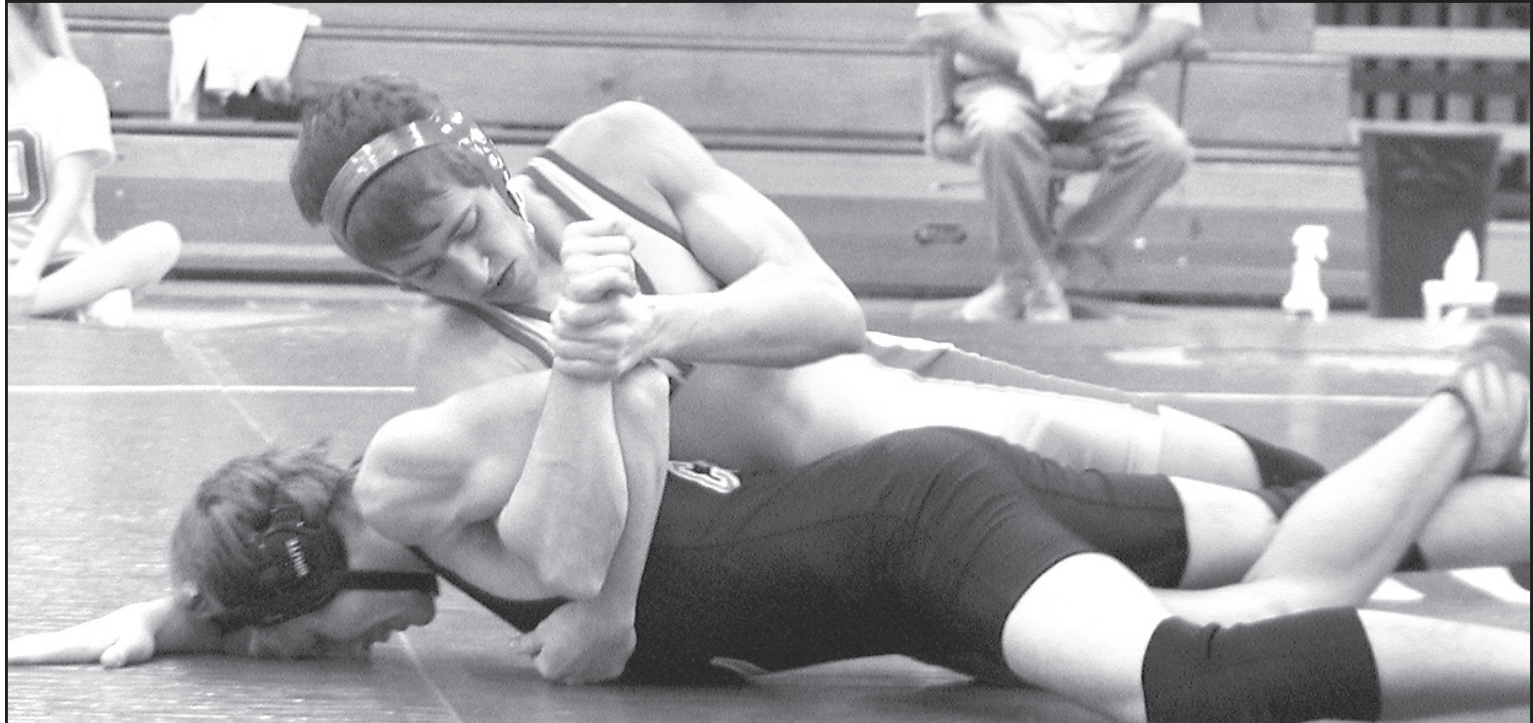
not just in small spurts."

Playing for the Lady Red Devils were Jordan Dreher, 9 points and nine rebounds; Adrienne Pauls, 7 points, six rebounds and a steal; Kiah Blau, 3 points and five rebounds; Brandi Diederich, 2 points and a rebound; Ashley Horton, 2 points, three rebounds, two assists and a steal; Jessica Fredrickson, a steal; Erin Jones, a rebound; and Elisha Jones, an assist.

	1st	2nd	3rd	4th	Final
Oberlin	2	5	10	6	23
Colby	12	16	7	12	47

The junior varsity lost 32-26. Scoring for Oberlin were Erin Jones, 7 points; Diederich, 6; Tiffany Anderson, 5; Blau, 4; and Fredrickson and Serena Stacy, 2 each.

	1st	2nd	3rd	4th	Final
Oberlin	6	11	5	4	26
Colby	5	3	14	10	32



FIGHTING Colby wrestler Dryden Baumfalk, Brent Juenemann looked good on Friday in Oberlin but ended up losing the 119-pound match 4-2.

— Herald photo by Patti Richards

Wrestlers take third in Nebraska

The Decatur Community High school wrestling squad took third place at the Southwest Invitational in Red Willow, Neb., on Saturday.

Jordan Daniel took second place at 160 pounds and Everett Urban won second at 152. Four Red Devils finished third and one came in fourth.

- 112 pounds — Jacob Helm won 16-7 over Zach Herrman, Southwest; lost 7-2 to Tanner Teel, Southwest; and lost 10-5 to Zach Riley, Southwest.
- 119 pounds — Brent Juenemann pinned Eli Vanboening, Red Cloud/Blue Hill; was pinned by Tell Deatrich, Medicine Valley; pinned Tyler

VanPelt, Southwest; and took third place after a forfeit by Ben Fox, Dundy County.

- 125 pounds — Nolan Peters pinned Cody Cravey, Chase County; fell 8-1 to Josh Gates, Southwest; pinned Dalton Bundy, Dundy County; won 11-0 over Henry Henderson, Sutherland; and pinned Aksel Wiseman, Hershey, for third.
- 135 pounds — Jon Samson was pinned by Taylor Premer, Red Cloud/Blue Hill, and Tyler Frederick, Hershey.
- 140 pounds — Ray Zodrow was pinned by Brent Neal, Hershey; pinned Shane Smith, Sutherland; pinned Isaac Johnson, Cambridge;

and won 5-2 over Brent Neal, Hershey, for third.

- 145 pounds — Kaden Macfee was pinned by Jordan James, Franklin, and lost 11-6 to Josh Yetter, Sutherland.
- 152 pounds — Everett Urban pinned Caleb Balderson, Dundy County; pinned Colton Aspenleiter, Medicine Valley; pinned Natan Petska, Red Cloud/Blue Hill; and fell 5-3 to Aaron Davis, Franklin, to take second.
- 160 pounds — Jordan Daniel pinned Alec McCurdy, Cambridge; pinned Jacob Stoelting, Southern Valley; and was pinned by Vince Chancellor, Medicine Valley, for

- second.
- 171 pounds — Nathan Simons pinned Trey Kerner, Sutherland; fell 13-1 to Jeremy Mathews, Chase County; pinned Willie Cheloha, Southern Valley; and won 1-0 over Justin Romeo, Medicine Valley, for third.
- 189 pounds — Jaxen Alstrom fell 10-7 to Dylan Helberg, Southwest, and fell 8-3 to Jerome Becker, Southern Valley.
- 215 pounds — Jacob Larue was pinned by Kale Schmidt, Franklin; pinned Jake Ostwald, Sutherland; pinned Devon Fritsche, Medicine Valley; and was pinned by Kale Schmidt of Franklin, for fourth.

Colby tough on Oberlin wrestlers

With four open weights, the Decatur Community High school wrestlers came up on the wrong side of a 65-6 dual meet against Colby on Friday in Oberlin.

Everett Urban was the only Oberlin wrestler able to put points up for the Red Devils against a tough Class 4A team.

- Wrestling were:
- 112 pounds — Jacob Helm lost 8-19 to Nathan Reed.
 - 119 pounds — Brent Juenemann lost 4-2 to Dryden Baumfalk.
 - 125 pounds — Nolan Peters lost 5-0 to Bob Schroeder.
 - 135 pounds — Jon Samson was pinned by Dalton Snyder.

- 140 pounds — Ray Zodrow was pinned by Heath Stephens.
- 145 pounds — Kaden Macfee was pinned by Garrett Zwegardt.
- 152 pounds — Urban pinned Ethan Stickel.
- 171 pounds — Nathan Simons lost 16-4 to Brock Arnberger.
- 189 pounds — Jaxen Alstrom

- lost 16-4 to Trent Bugbee.
- 215 pounds — Jacob Larue was pinned by Tanner Kriss.
- In junior varsity action:
- 140 pounds — Gatlin Reichert overcame Marcus Colson, 14-3.
- 145 pounds — Reichert was pinned by Brandon Leth.



SHOOTING THE BALL, No. 14 Samantha Anderson was guarded by two Cowgirls but had help from No. 24 Brianna Klima during a junior varsity tournament last Monday in Colby. The Lady Red Devils beat the Goodland girls 40-16.

— Herald photo by Andy Heintz

Girls take second in tourney

The Decatur Community High school junior varsity girls basketball team took second in a tournament in Colby last week.

"The (junior varsity) girls got some extra action this week and played some pretty good ball," Coach Terry Ream said. "It was a tough loss against Garden City in the championship game, but we had the lead most of the game and had a great opportunity at the end to win."

"I am really happy with the way the young girls played all week."

Last Monday, the girls beat Goodland 40-16, outscoring the Cowgirls

all four quarters 7-6, 9-2, 13-7 and 11-1.

Scoring were Kiah Blau, 19 points; Samantha Anderson and Serena Stacy, 6 each; Tiffany Anderson, 4; Brianna Klima, 3; and Megan Wentz, 2.

	1st	2nd	3rd	4th	Final
Oberlin	7	9	13	11	40
Goodland	6	2	7	1	16

Oberlin went on to the championship game on Thursday, but lost 44-39 to Garden City.

Garden City led the first quarter 14-6, but Oberlin came back to outscore them 12-4 in the second to tie the game at 18 at the half. In the third

period, Oberlin led 11-9, but the girls fell short 17-10 in the fourth.

Scoring were Blau, 15 points; Brandi Diederich, 11; Erin Jones, 8; Stacy, 3; and Wentz, 2.

	1st	2nd	3rd	4th	Final
Oberlin	6	12	11	10	39
Garden City	14	4	9	17	44

Oberlin kids do well in Colby

Last Wednesday, the Oberlin Kid wrestlers took three championships, a second, a third, five fourths and a fifth place in a tournament in Colby.

Wrestling for Oberlin were:

- 6 and under:**
 - 55 pounds — Dawson Kempt, first.
 - 67 pounds — Rowdy Farr, second.
- 8 and under:**
 - 64 pounds — Cory Wurm, fourth.
- 10 and under:**
 - 64 pounds — Shawn Cressler, fourth.

- 70 pounds — Kole Breth.
- 70 pounds — Max Diederich, fourth.
- 82 pounds — Cade Wurm, fourth.
- 90 pounds — Tabor Erickson, third.
- 110 pounds — Dayton Kempt.
- 120 pounds — Kelly Brown, first.
- 12 and under:**
 - 76 pounds — Dakota Tate, fourth.
 - 76 pounds — Aaron Cressler, fifth.
 - 165 pounds — Rex Diederich, first.

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