

Oberlin boys come in second in tournament

The Hoxie Indians denied the Decatur Community High Red Devils the championship of the Northwest Kansas League tournament Saturday, downing the Oberlin boys in a close game, 47-42.

Oberlin still took second place in the expanded league tournament after beating Quinter, Oakley and Wichita County.

Hoxie took an 8-6 lead in the first quarter and added to that, outscoring Oberlin 14-11 in the second for a 22-17 lead at the half. In the third quarter, Oberlin made a comeback, outscoring the Indians 19-14 to even the score at 36. In the final quarter, however, the Indians pulled ahead, scoring 11 to Oberlin's 6.

Scoring for Oberlin were Tyler Bruggeman, 12; Kyle Breth, 11 including three three-point shots;

Ryan May, 11 including a three pointer; Noah Nelson, 6; and Regent Erickson, 2.

Breth led the Red Devils in assists with four followed by Bruggeman, three, and Nelson, two.

Bruggeman had the most rebounds with 13, followed by Breth and Kennedy Fortin, 4 each; Nelson, 3; May, 2; and Erickson, 1.

Erickson had a pair of steals and Breth, Nelson Fortin and Bruggeman had one each. Kyle and Kelden Breth and Nelson each had a deflection.

The Red Devils hit only two of seven free throws for 29 percent, but shot 38 percent from the field.

The Red Devils will play Wallace County at 6:30 p.m. Friday in Sharon Springs and Dighton at 6:30 p.m. Tuesday at home.

Red Devils beat Greeley County

The Decatur Community High Red Devils basketball team advanced to the championship round of the Northwest Kansas League Tournament with a victory over Greeley County on Friday in Leoti.

The Jackrabbits took a one-point lead in the first quarter, 10-9, but couldn't keep it as the Red Devils outscored them 12-7 in the second for a 21-17 lead at the half. The Red Devils outscored the boys from Tribune 14-12 in the third quarter and 19-15 in the fourth for their third victory in the tournament.

Senior Tyler Bruggeman led Oberlin in scoring with 20 points, including eight of 10 from the

free-throw line. He was followed by Kyle Breth, 11; Ryan May, 10, including a pair of three pointers; Ganon Henningson, 7 including a three-point shot; Kennedy Fortin, 4; and Regent Erickson, 2.

Fortin and Kyle Breth tied for the most assists with four each, followed by Henningson, two, and Kelden Breth, May and Bruggeman, one each.

Bruggeman was also in double figures in rebounds with 12, as was Fortin with 11. Erickson, Henningson and May each had a pair and Kyle Breth and Noah Nelson had one each.

May had five steals, Fortin, four and Kyle Breth and Nelson two



GOING FOR A BASKET against the Greeley County Jackrabbits was Ryan May, who made 10 points in the Oberlin victory on Friday.

— Herald photo by Susan May

each.

Kennedy Fortin deflected the ball twice while Konnor Fortin, May, Henningson and Erickson had one each. Henningson and Bruggeman

each had a blocked shot.

The Red Devils shot 71 percent at the free-throw line but hit only 41 percent of their field goals.

Oberlin beats Oakley in tournament

The Decatur Community High Red Devils boys basketball team downed the Oakley Plainsmen 46-39 in the second round of the Northwest Kansas League Tournament in Leoti last Tuesday.

It would have been impossible to pick the winner in the first half, as the game seesawed back and forth. At the end of the first quarter, the Red Devils led 9-7. However, the Plainsmen outscored Oberlin by two points in the second to tie the game at 18 at the half.

The third quarter was the turning point, as Oakley only put up 4 points to Oberlin's 11. Both

teams scored 17 points in the fourth.

The victory was all the more sweet, as the Red Devils had lost 63-38 to the Plainsmen earlier in the month.

Scoring for Oberlin were Kelden Breth 15, Noah Nelson and Kyle Breth, 9 each, Tyler Bruggeman 7, Ryan May 4 and Kennedy Fortin 2.

Kelden Breth hit three three-pointers while his brother Kyle and Nelson hit one each. The three of them were 100 percent at the charity line.

Oberlin hit 81 percent of its free throws and 33 percent of its field goals.

Kyle Breth let the team in assists with four, followed by Konnor Fortin, May and Bruggeman, two each, and Nelson and Kennedy Fortin, one each.

Bruggeman led in rebounds with 12, followed by Konnor Fortin, eight; May, five; Ganon Henningson, four; Nelson and Kennedy Fortin, three each; Kyle Breth, two; and Kelden Breth, one.

Kyle Breth, May and Bruggeman each had a steal and Kelden Breth, Nelson and May each had a deflection.

With the win, the boys advanced to the semi-final round of the tournament.

Decatur Community downs Bulldogs

The Decatur Community High boys won their first game in the Northwest Kansas League Basketball Tournament in front of the home crowd last Monday.

The Red Devils downed the Quinter Bulldogs 61-54.

The teams started off pretty even, with both scoring 12 points in the first quarter and Oberlin pulling up 18-17 in the second quarter for a 30-29 lead at the half.

Quinter made things interesting by outscoring the Red Devils 16-12 in the third to lead 45-42. In the fourth, however, the Oberlin boys poured on the points as they outscored the visiting Bulldogs 19-9.

Scoring for Oberlin were sophomore Kelden Breth, 16 including four three-point shots; Kyle Breth, 11 including a three pointer; Ryan May, 9 including a pair of three pointers; Regent Erickson, 9; Noah

Nelson and Tyler Bruggeman, 6 each; and Kennedy Fortin, 4.

The Red Devils hit 73 percent of their free throws, sinking eight of 11, and 46 percent of their field goals.

Kyle Breth and Kennedy Fortin each had three assists, followed by Bruggeman and Nelson with two each and Konnor Fortin and May, one each.

Bruggeman was the rebound

leader with seven, followed by Nelson, five; Kyle Breth, May, Regent Erickson and Kennedy Fortin, four each; and Kelden Breth and Henningson, one each.

Bruggeman stole three balls while Kyle Breth, Kelden Breth, Nelson and May grabbed two each and Erickson one. Kyle Breth had the team's only deflection and May the only blocked shot.

Lady Red Devils fall

Wallace County beat the Decatur Community High girls basketball team 63-59 in the second round of the Northwest Kansas League Tournament in Leoti on Friday.

The Oberlin girls got off to a good 20-15 first quarter lead but lost their momentum as the Sharon Springs girls outscored them 13-7 in the second quarter to take a 28-27 lead at the half. In the third quarter, Wallace County kept up the pace, outscoring Oberlin 19-5. In the last quarter, Oberlin came back to outscore their opponents 27-16 as Demi Murray and Caitlin Gault hit a pair of three pointers each.

Scoring were Miki Dorshorst, 21 including a three pointer; Mur-

ray, 18 including three three-point shots; Hannah May, 7; Morgan Jansonius and Gault, 6 each; and Molly Jansonius, 1.

Murray had six assists followed by Dorshorst with four and Ara Marine, Gault and Molly and Morgan Jansonius, one each.

May lead rebounding with seven, followed by Marine, six; Dorshorst, five; Murray, four; Shawn Baker and Morgan Jansonius, three each; and Hissong, two.

Dorshorst had eight steals; Murray, five; Baker, three; Marine and Hissong, two each; and Morgan Jansonius, one. May, Dorshorst and Murray had four deflections each and Hissong one.

Sports Schedule

Thursday: Golden Plains middle school basketball vs. Northern Valley, all day at Rexford.

Oberlin junior high wrestling, 4:30 p.m. with Oakley at Atwood.

Friday: Oberlin high school basketball, 6:30 p.m. at Tribune.

Golden Plains high school basketball vs. Northern Valley, all day at Rexford.

Saturday: Western Kansas Wrestling Tournament of Champions, 10

a.m. at Oberlin.

Monday: Oberlin girls junior varsity basketball tournament at Colby. Time to be announced.

Tuesday: Golden Plains basketball vs. Cheylin, all day at McDonald.

Oberlin high school basketball vs. Dighton, 6:30 p.m. at home.

To add items to the community sports schedule, call The Oberlin Herald at 475-2206 or e-mail ober-

Wrestlers take sixth in Beloit

The Decatur Community High wrestlers came in sixth in the tough 20-team Beloit Invitational Tournament over the weekend and senior Kade Brown won the championship round in his weight class for the second year in a row.

Oberlin also had two wrestlers take second, two fourths, a fifth and a sixth place.

Plainville won the tournament with 176.5 points, followed by Colby 165, Marysville 145, Blue Valley/Southwest 127, Chanute 124, Oberlin 120, Hoxie 107, Abilene 103, Smith Center 76.5, Salina South 82.5, Beloit 78, Minneapolis 65, Lincoln 40, Concordia and Hill City 34 each, DeSoto 22, Clay Center 21, Republic County 20, Osborne 3 and Stockton, no score.

Wrestling were:

- 113 pounds, Troy Juenemann pinned Marty Robinson, Clay Center; won 10-0 over Rocky Krueger, Lincoln; lost 9-1 to Josh Goepfert, Marysville; won 2-0 over Tyler Irwin, Salina South; and lost 6-2 to Zane Baugh, Abilene, for fourth place.

- 120, Gabe Anderson was pinned by Gideon Root, Minneapolis, and lost to Josiah Endreshak, Salina South.

- 132, Dayton Dreher pinned Chris Hall, Osborne, pinned Zach Fischer, Smith Center; won 3-1 over Sawyer Like, Blue Valley; and lost 13-11 to Chase Cole, Chanute, for second.

- 145, Chris Anderson pinned Josh Street, Lincoln; won 10-4 over Paul Grieco, Blue Valley; lost 3-2 to Jared Fiscus, Chanute; won 5-1 over Dylan Jones, Marysville; and was pinned by Grady Ware, Clay Center, for fourth.

- 152, Brown pinned Abron Weaver, Chanute; pinned John McNabb, Salina South; and won 5-4 over Matt McWhorter, Blue Valley, for the championship.

- 160, Matt Glading, pinned Devya Nacvele, Osborne; lost 15-0 to Dylan Wiesner, Plainville;

16 teams set to wrestle

Sixteen high school wrestling teams, along with their fans, parents and coaches, will be in Oberlin for the Western Kansas Tournament of Champions on Saturday.

This is the second year for the tournament, said Decatur Community High Activities Director Joe Dreher. Last year it was in Smith Center.

Teams from the Northwest Kansas League and the Mid-Continent League, which includes Norton, Phillipsburg, Hill City, Plainville, Ellis, Smith Center, Stockton, Wa-Keeney and Osborne, will compete.

Mr. Dreher said he didn't know how many wrestlers would be in town since not all the schools have full teams.

and lost 3-0 to Austin Seltzman, Hill City.

- 170, Rex Diederich won 10-1 over Shea Crum, Concordia; won 16-4 over Clayton Beckman, Hill City; lost 7-2 to Mikah Neitfeld, Marysville; was pinned by Colton Wise, Plainville; and won 6-5 over Tyler McGosba, Salina South, for fifth.

- 220, Channing Fortin pinned Kyle Marks, Concordia; won 8-5 over Anthony Fiatchet, Blue Valley; lost 3-2 to Kane Washington, Hoxie, for second.

- 285, Cody Wurm pinned Jared Leivan, Osborne; won 2-1 over Johnathan Todd, Abilene; was pinned by Bradley Chard, Plainville; lost 3-1 to Kyle Pepper, Blue Valley; and lost 2-0 to Todd, for sixth.

The Oberlin wrestlers will be at home for the Western Kansas Tournament of Champions starting at 10 a.m. Saturday.

Oberlin Red Devils beat the Plainsmen

The Decatur Community High wrestling team downed the Oakley Plainsmen 60-13 in a dual meet Thursday in Oakley.

While Oberlin won most of its matches, the Red Devils also had no forfeits while Oakley had no wrestlers at 106, 113, 126 or 195 pounds, so lost 24 points right off the top.

Wrestling were:

- 120 pounds, Gabe Anderson lost 14-6 to Macoy Rains.

- 132, Dayton Dreher won a technical fall over 18-2 Taylor Murphy.

- 138, Kelly Brown lost 11-4 to

Wayne Flipse.

- 145, Chris Anderson pinned Colter Stoll.

- 152, Kade Brown won a technical fall over Jonathon Corbett.

- 160, Matt Glading won 5-4 over Cody Faulkender.

- 170, Rex Diederich was pinned by Jason Berggren.

- 182, Grant Gilliam pinned Colin Sharp.

- 220, Channing Fortin won a 15-0 technical fall over Mason Rains.

- 285, Cody Wurm pinned Leo Jirak.

Boys go to Atwood

Five Decatur Community High wrestlers attended a tournament in Atwood on Saturday.

While the tournament was for varsity wrestlers, Oberlin's varsity team was in Beloit so the junior varsity got a chance to compete.

Wrestling were:

- 106 pounds, Daniel Lerew, 0-4.

- 113, Justice Harris, 0-3.

- 138, Adam Zillinger, 1-2.

- 145, Bryson Wesley, 2-1, for second place.

- Heavyweight, Ben Glading, 1-4.

Young wrestlers hold tourney in Oberlin

Oberlin's young wrestlers did well at the Oberlin Novice Wrestling Tournament on Sunday in the Decatur Community High gym.

The tournament drew 97 young wrestlers from all over the area, said organizer Amanda Grafel.

Oberlin youths winning championships included Talan Sauvage, Breckin Sauvage, Hunter May, Gabe Peters, Jacob Shellhammer, John Burmaster, Dawson Farr, Lucas Zodrow and David Waterman.

Wrestling were:

6 and under

- 40, Trenton Raile, third.

- 43, Talen Sauvage, first.

- 43, Layne Juenemann, second.

- 43, Dillon Kuhlman, third.

- 43, Conner Holiday, third.

- 43, Davin Unger, fourth.

- 43, Lari Nichols, third.

- 43, Creighton Kelly, fourth.

- 46, Sage Bryan, second.

- 49, Emily Willis, third.

- 52, Tony Kuhlman, third.

- 52, Peyton Fibe, fourth.

- 55, Lucas Zodrow, first.

- 55, Kaden Waterman, un-

- placed.

- 58, Grady Lohofner, third.

- 8 and under**

- 49, Josh Juenemann, third.

- 52, Hunter Kelly, second.

- 55, Dawson Farr, first.

- 58, Breckin Sauvage, first.

- 64, Gabbie Vontz, second.

- 67, Ryan Ketterl, second.

- 82, Jacob Shellhammer, first.

- 10 and under**

- 70, Hunter May, first.

- 70, John Burmaster, first.

- 70, Bryce Peter, second.

- 70, Jack Farr, third.

- 70, Taite Woolsey, third.

- 82, Gabe Peters, first.

- 12 and under**

- 82, Kalen Townsend, fourth.

- 88, Isaiah Tucker, second.

- 105, David Waterman, first.

The young wrestlers will be in Atwood on Saturday at the Rawlins County High School gym except for two, who plan to attend a tournament in Salina, organizer Amanda Grafel said.