

# Each week three people win in football contest

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don Towers, Almena, 8; Laura Washburn, Norton, 10; Jane Mindrup, Norton, 10; Ron Callaway, Larned, 11; Misty Nuzum, Norton, 11; Justina Grubbs, Norton, 12; Cindy Britz, Norton, 14; Regina Beikman, Norton, 14; Kirk Foley, Norton, 20; Michael Callaway, Almena, 24; Billy Smith, Norton, 24.

Also missing just two games but incorrect on the tiebreaker winner were: Dwight Vallin, Jerry Laurin, Frank Kaiser, Mike Hammond, all of Long Island; Bradena Stagemeyer, Hendley, Neb.; Donelle Stewart,

Shirley Sides, Robert Covington, Mike Shearer, all of Almena; Barbara Springer, Hoisington; Travis Vallin, Watkins, Colo.; Erin Foley, Lawrence; Sady Keilig, Criselle Thomson, Cathy Kellerman, Spencer Shirk, Craig Foley, Lacy Keilig, Brad Scott, all of Norton.

Incorrect on three games were: Kirsten Baird, Emily Vallin, Jim Cole, Karen Shearer, Jim Springer, all of Long Island;

Paula Stutterheim, Brett Post, Jacob Gallentine, all of Prairie View; Glen Brands, Shad Chandler, Sydney Brands, Foster Brands, Joni Hilburn, Linda Covington, C.J. Woodmansee, Miriah Florence, Staci Montgomery, Jordan Herman, Karen Wenzel, Samuel Field, all of Almena; Lucas Bailey, Norcat; Evelyn Springer, Bob Moore, both of Hoisington; Landon Schneider,

Logan; Brad Killian, Lincoln; Lexie McDowell, Aaron McDowell, both of Hill City; Dale Shearer, Edmond; James Covington, Lawrence; Jared Foley, Wichita; Laurel Smith, Manhattan; Robin Sproul, Ryan Maddy, Luke Keilig, Kristy Keilig, Rick Green, James Horesky, Ken Gregoire, Deb Thiele, Tami Antrim, Linda Matson, Sandy Husted, Tracey Sproul, Lawrence Wiseman, Lynn Nelson,

Georgie Rorabaugh, Greg Overlease, David Riemann, Monica Wilson, Tammy Maddy, Mary Ann Hager, Virginia Carlton, Joseph Schaefer, Nathan Morse, all of Norton.

The third week's entries must be postmarked by 5 p.m. on Friday or you may bring them to the Telegram office before 5 p.m. on Friday.

See the Pick-Em advertisement in today's Telegram for this week's high school and college games. Only one entry per person is allowed but extra official entry blanks for other members of the family may be picked up from any sponsor. Only official entry blanks will be accepted.

Prizes of \$30 in scrip money, spendable at participating merchants, will be paid each week. At the end of the season, the fan picking the most correct games will receive \$50 in scrip money and an engraved trophy.

Scores of this week's games were:

- Northern Valley 60, Golden Plains 14
- Norton 42, Plainville 6
- Kensington 60, Logan 6
- Oberlin 32, Quinter 0
- Phillipsburg 22, Trego 0
- Fresno State 45, Kansas State 21
- Kansas 63, Toledo 14
- Southern Mississippi 21, Nebraska 17
- Colorado 20, Washington State 12
- Fort Hays State 45, New Mexico Highlands 17
- Georgia Tech 28, Clemson 24



They're strippers, rippers and clippers. Once or twice every week, women from the Andbe Home gather to work on a quilt. The group is working on a queen-size, red and gray quilt in the Wildflower pattern. The women want to have it finished before the home's open house, in December. Lulu Page, (upper left) is a

ripper; Isola Bowman (second from left) is a stripper; Darlene McEwen, activities director at the home guides the strips through the sewing machine; Esther Wharton (far right) is a stripper; and Ruth Hake (back to the camera) is the clipper. Nellie Lawson (not pictured) is the ironer.

— Telegram photo by Carolyn Plotts

## Now is the time to look at planting

Since the first part of August, most of the area has not received substantial rainfall, and with the first part of September looking dry, the area is going to need a good rain for wheat planting.

The question comes up, should I plant early if I have moisture now, or wait until the end of September when the moisture may not be present?

That question has no clear-cut answer. If farmers plant early, they take the risk of fall infections of wheat streak mosaic, or the wheat growing too tall during the fall and using a lot of water.

The increased water use may cause it to winterkill if it stays dry.

### About ag Brian Olson, K-State agronomist



If a you wait, delayed wheat emergence could become an issue with more wheat emerging in the spring than fall, which in turn will reduce yields.

In my opinion, chances of the area having weather like last fall are slim, and I would wait until the end of September to plant. However, the area could have another

dry fall. To minimize the downsides of planting early or waiting, farmers could take a balanced approach by spreading their planting dates out over a larger time than normal.

If planting early, use a variety like Jagger or 2137 that has good tolerance to wheat streak. If planting later and needing to go a little deeper to reach moisture, a longer coleoptile-length seed like AP 502CL, Cutter, Overley, or TAM 110 would be more suitable.

Seeding rates should range between 50-60 pounds for conventional and minimum-till fields with 25-40 pounds more per acre used for no-till fields. If moisture

is lacking and the planting date is pushed back by a month or more, increase seeding rate by 20-30 pounds and plant a wheat like Jagger which will vernalize over a short period. For irrigated wheat, plant 90 to 110 pounds an acre regardless of tillage system.

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