

# Norton coaches receive awards of excellence

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Jason Jones, Norton Community High School track and field coach and teacher, and Shane Miller, Norton Community High School counselor and junior high coach, have received Awards of Excellence from the National Federation of State High School Associations and the Kansas State High School Activities Association.



Norton Community High School coaches Jason Jones, left, and Shane Miller visit following receipt of Awards of Excellence from the National Federation of State High School Associations and the Kansas State High School Activities Association. Jones is the NCHS head track and field coach and high school language arts instructor and Miller is head junior high football coach, assistant high school wrestling coach and high school counselor.

— Telegram photo by Dick Boyd

The awards were made in conjunction with National Coaches/Advisors/Sponsors Day on Thursday, October 14.

The Activities Association issued a news release, which said in part,

“One of the most valuable resources of our nation, state and community, are the educators who devote hundreds of hours to developing girls and boys physically, mentally and emotionally (mind, body and spirit), through interscholastic activities. Truly, the time spent by coaches and sponsors working with the millions of youngsters in interscholastic activity programs is of value beyond measure.

“Coaches and sponsors need public recognition and support. They need to know the hours of effort they expended on behalf of millions of youngsters throughout the school year is appreciated and acknowledged. They are very

deserving of the attention, which they receive.”

This national observance was first authorized by Congress in August, 1972, and signed by former President Richard Nixon.

Through the joint efforts of the National Federation Interscholastic Coaches Association, the National Sporting Goods Association and the National Federation of State High School Associations, this special day was

set aside to draw attention to the interscholastic program to recognize coaches and to motivate all to do the best possible job of educating boys and girls through interscholastic programs.

Jason Jones and Shane Miller each received a certificate which stated that they have received an Award of Excellence for exemplary display of sportsmanship, ethics and integrity.

The certificates were signed

by Robert B. Gardner, executive director, National Federation of State High School Associations and Gary Musselman, executive director, Kansas State High School Activities Association.

### Jason Jones

Jason Jones has been the NCHS head track and field coach for the past four years and he is also a high school language arts instructor.

### Shane Miller

This is Shane Miller's fourth year at Norton.

In addition to being the head

Coach Jones was named the Class 3A Girls Track and Field Coach of the Year in 2008 by the Kansas Cross Country/Track & Field Coaches Association.

He is a native of Logan. A 1994 graduate of Logan High School, he was the Class 1A state pole vault champion and still holds the Logan High School pole vault record.

Coach Jones attended Fort Hays State University in Hays on a track scholarship and pole vaulted for the Tigers.

He was an all-conference performer and graduated in December, 1998.

He was head track coach and assistant football coach at Fowler High School for three years before moving to Norton.

He was a teacher and assistant football and track coach in Norton for four years before becoming head track coach.

junior high football coach, he is an assistant high school wrestling coach and the high school counselor.

Coach Miller is a graduate of Kinsley High School.

He graduated from Fort Hays State University in 1990 with a teaching degree in Biological Sciences and earned his master's degree in Counselor Education from Emporia State University in 1998.

He began his coaching career at Eureka High School, where he was the head wrestling coach and assistant football coach for 14 years.

He started the USA wrestling program and junior high wrestling programs at Eureka.

His wrestling teams won six Regional Championships, one Regional Runner-up finish and several top 10 finishes at the State Tournament.

Coach Miller was named the Kansas Wrestling Officials Association "Coach of the Year" in 2001.

## •PUBLIC NOTICE•

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A public hearing will be held on the 18th day of November 2010, in the offices of Kansas Development Finance Authority, 555 S. Kansas Avenue, Suite 202, in Topeka, Kansas at 9:00 a.m., or soon thereafter, on the proposal for the Kansas Development Finance Authority to issue its Agricultural Development Revenue Bonds for the Project(s) numbered below, in the respective maximum principal amounts. Each Bond will be issued to assist the respective Borrower named below (who will be the owner and operator of the respective Project) to finance the cost in the amount of the Bond, which is then typically purchased by a lender bank ("Lender") who then through Kansas Development Finance Authority, loans the bond proceeds to the Borrower, for the purposes of acquiring the respective Project(s) as described below. Each Project shall be located as shown:

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Kansas Development Finance Authority  
Stephen R. Weatherford, President

## BOWLING

### Stardust League

#### September 27

Team Standings: Front Range Auto, won 15.5 lost 4.5; First State Bank SR, won 13 lost 7; FSBT 1, won 13 lost 7; FSBT 2, won 7.5 lost 12.5; Little People Daycare, won 6 lost 14; First State Bank JR, won 5 lost 15

High Line: Cindy Linner 200, Jane Engelhardt 181, Peggy Sevier 180, Front Range Auto 366, FSBT 2 316, First State Bank SR 304

High Line Handicap: Jane Engelhardt 258, Cindy Linner 248, Peggy Sevier 241, Front Range Auto 475, First State Bank SR 447, Little People Daycare 408.

High Series: Cindy Linner 540, Jane Engelhardt 446, Bev Miller 446, Front Range Auto 980, FSBT 2 850, FSBT 1 791.

High Series Handicap: Cindy Linner 684, Jane Engelhardt 677, Peggy Sevier 623, Front Range Auto 1307, First State Bank SR 1214, Little People Daycare 1126.

#### October 4

Team Standings: Front Range Auto, won 19.5 lost 4.5; FSBT 1, won 17 lost 7; First State Bank SR, won 13 lost 11; FSBT 2, won 10.5 lost 13.5; Little People Daycare, won 7 lost 17; First State Bank JR, won 5 lost 19

High Line: Janet Manning 185, Becky Williams 180, Bev Miller 179, FSBT 1 348, Front Range Auto 331, FSBT 2 319

High Line Handicap: Janet Manning 241, Peggy Sevier 233, Becky Williams 225, FSBT 1 448, First State Bank SR 435, Front Range Auto 429

High Series: Bev Miller 489, Becky Williams 470, Peggy Sevier 449, FSBT 1 935, Front Range Auto 897, FSBT 2 871.

High Series Handicap: Bev Miller 621, Peggy Sevier 617, Jane Engelhardt 617, FSBT 1 1235, First State Bank SR 1212, Front Range Auto 1191

#### October 11

Team Standings: FSBT 1, won

21 lost 7; Front Range Auto, won 20.5 lost 7.5; First State Bank SR, won 16 lost 12; FSBT 2, won 13.5 lost 14.5; Little People Daycare, won 7 lost 21; First State Bank JR, won 6 lost 22

High Line: Becky Williams 187, Cindy Linner 184, Bev Miller 161, Front Range Auto 331, FSBT 1 306, First State Bank SR 281

High Line Handicap: Becky Williams 231, Cindy Linner 226, Jane Engelhardt 221, Front Range Auto 426, First State Bank SR 415, FSBT 2 413.

High Series: Becky Williams 505, Cindy Linner 477, Bev Miller 459, FSBT 1 907, Front Range Auto 880, First State Bank SR 811.

High Series Handicap: Jane Engelhardt 647, Becky Williams 637, Janet Manning 610, First State Bank SR 1213, FSBT 1 1195, FSBT 2 1185

#### October 18

Team Standings: FSBT 1, won 22 lost 10; Front Range Auto, won

21.5 lost 10.5; First State Bank SR, won 17 lost 15; FSBT 2, won 16.5 lost 15.5; Little People Daycare, won 10 lost 22; First State Bank JR, won 9 lost 23

High Line: Becky Williams 199, Janice Russell 193, Cindy Linner 182, FSBT 2 392, FSBT 1 336, Front Range Auto, 322

High Line Handicap: Becky Williams 241, Janice Russell 240, Mona Coffey 229, FSBT 2 481, FSBT 1 429, Front Range Auto 416

High Series: Becky Williams 525, Bev Miller 498, Janice Russell 491, FSBT 2 1016 FSBT 1 977, Front Range Auto 847

High Series Handicap: Mona Coffey 682, Becky Williams 651, Janet Manning 635, FSBT 2 1283, FSBT 1 1256, Little People Daycare 1216

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