

Thunder Ridge wins 8-Man II championship

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Kensington-Thunder Ridge won the 8-Man II State Football Championship on Saturday afternoon in Newton with a dominating 46-14 victory over defending state champion Baileyville B&B.

In other playoff action on Friday night in Plainville, the Cardinals lost a close, hard-fought Class 2-1A semi-final game to

La Crosse by a score of 13-6. It was Plainville's second loss of the season to the unbeaten Leopards who will play Centralia for the state championship this Saturday in a 1 p.m. game at Lewis Field Stadium in Hays.

Centralia defeated Pittsburg Colgan 24-10 in their semi-final game on Friday night.

Thunder Ridge, who finished the season 13-0, overwhelmed Baileyville in every department.

Fullback Trevor Lowe and tailback Joel Struckhoff each scored three touchdowns and both rushed for over 150 yards. Their win ended Baileyville's 24-game winning streak.

Struckhoff, who entered the game as the state's all-time eight-man leader in rushing yards and touchdowns, had 166 yards on 34 carries. Lowe ran for 159 yards on 20 carries and was on the receiving end of the

Longhorns' only pass attempt in the game.

"It's been an unbelievable journey," said Thunder Ridge head coach Jerry Voorhees. "It's been almost six months since getting in the weight room on June 1. Our boys worked extremely hard all year. We had a great coaching staff and great following by our community. I'm happy for our boys, the school and the community."

After defeating Plainville 14-8 in District play, La Crosse slipped past the Cardinals once again to reach the state finals.

La Crosse intercepted three Plainville passes, which ran their season total to 34, breaking a state record of 32 set by Olathe North in 2000.

"Every time the momentum

started to shift our way, they made a big play to steal it right back", said Plainville head coach Joe Simon. "We made a lot of mistakes tonight. Turnovers hurt us, penalties, missed tackles on defense."

Plainville, who was 3-6 last season, finished the year 10-2, with both losses to La Crosse.

Junior high basketball defeats Phillipsburg

By Cheri Brooks

On Thursday, Nov. 15, Phillipsburg came to town to take on the Norton round ballers! In the 7th grade game, Norton defeated Phillipsburg 32 to 9. Caitlyn Cox hit eight of 13 field goals for 16 points. Baylee Miller and Miah Melvin both added eight more points each for Norton. Tatum Bartels was Phillipsburg's leading scorer with eight points and Falon Bretton hit a free throw for one point. Caitlyn Cox was Norton's leading rebounder with 10 boards and Jena Risewick successfully pulled down six rebounds.

Baylee Miller got out in the passing lane and stole six passes. Caitlyn Cox had four steals and Miah Melvin had three. The 7th grade girls are playing together better as a team and executing their offense better. However, they still need to work on making good decisions on the defensive end.

In the junior varsity game Norton lost another close one 17 to 16. Norton was ahead until the very last minute of the game when Phillipsburg scored after a steal. The girls are improving. They are improving on their fundamentals and understanding the basic concepts better every game. Hopefully they will continue to gain confidence and keep playing hard.

Shelby Mulford was the leading scorer for Norton with six points, Kira Robertson added four points. Then Kylie Perez, Alexis Hartwell, and Lauren Mordecai each hit two points. Phillipsburg had eight players contribute to their 17 points. Beckman and Townsden each scored four points. Imm, Hoover, Huntley and Witmer scored two points each. Missy Freeman hit a free throw for one point. Norton had three girls who each had three rebounds, including Shelby Mulford, Macayla Kent, and Taylor Wahlmeier. Kendra Cadwalader was able to get four steals and Kylie Perez and Lauren Mordecai each had three steals.

Phillipsburg came out strong in the 8th grade game. Norton struggled to stop their penetration in the first half and made some poor decisions on offense due to Phillipsburg's defense. The girls were not playing like they were capable. They were rattled in the first half and only scored two points the whole half, which took them into the locker room down by 20 points. The halftime score was 22 to 2 in Phillipsburg's favor.

The girls did come out with more composure in the second half. We were also more intense on defense. In the second half, Norton scored 12 points and Phillips-

burg scored 14 points. However, the lead was too much to overcome. The final score was Phillipsburg 36, Norton 14. Kirstin Georgeson was Norton's leading scorer with four points. Hanna Brooks, Molly Maddy, Casey Ambrosier, Alexis Hartwell, and Lauren Mordecai each added 2 points. Unfortunately we did not always take high percentage shots and we were not always being patient on offense. Katelyn Swanson was a quick dribbler and great penetrator. She was Phillipsburg's leading scorer with 14 points. She scored 12 of those points in the first half and was held to only two in the second half. Rachel Coomes contributed 10 points for Phillipsburg. Liz Leidig added four points. Then Kinzie Ratliff, Orianna Ratzlaff, Hannah Imm, and Alex Babcock each contributed two points to round out Phillipsburg's scoring. Lauren Mordecai, Hanna Brooks, and Casey Ambrosier were able to pull down two rebounds a piece for Norton. Molly Maddy and Peyton Renner were Norton's leading stealers.

The Lady Jays played Osborne at home on Thursday, Nov. 17 and Trego at home as well on Monday, Nov. 21 at 5 p.m. Then after Thanksgiving they will travel to Hoxie and Hill City.

Norton 7th grade basketball takes down Osborne, 27-13

By Cheri Brooks

On Thursday, Nov. 17, Osborne came to town to take on Norton. The 7th grade girls were able to defeat the Lady Bulldogs 27 to 13. Miah Melvin knocked down four field goals and one

free throw for nine points to be the Lady Jays leading scorer. Baylee Miller was successful on three field goal attempts and one free throw for seven points. Caitlyn Cox also helped out tremendously with three field

goals for six points. Kira Robertson also had four points and Jena Risewick hit a free throw for one point to contribute to Norton's 27 points. Baylee Miller and Caitlyn Cox were the leading rebounders for the Lady Jays. Miah Melvin, Caitlyn Cox, and Baylee Miller had the most defensive steals. Grabast had seven points, Staples scored four points, and Erin Leivan added two points for Osborne.

Due to Osborne's lack of players, we did not play a Junior Varsity game. The Eighth graders were also victorious by a score of 33 to 11. The Lady Jays were fortunate to have seven players contribute to their 33 points. Lauren Mordecai was successful on four field goals for eight points. Lexi Voss and Molly Maddy each hit three field goals for six points each. Kirstin Georgeson and Hanna Brooks each had four points, Peyton

Renner added three points, and Casey Ambrosier hit one field goal for two points. Lexi Voss was our leading rebounder. Peyton Renner and Molly Maddy had the most steals for the Lady Jays. Katrina Werthmann hit three two-point field goals, one three pointer, and one free throw for 10 of Osborne's 11 points.

The Lady Jays were slated again to play on Monday against Trego. After Thanksgiving they will travel to Hoxie and Hill City.

•PUBLIC NOTICE•

IN THE MATTER OF THE ESTATE OF CLARENCE D. RIMA

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IN THE DISTRICT COURT OF NORTON COUNTY, KANSAS
In the Matter of the Estate of CLARENCE D. RIMA, deceased
Case No. 2011-PR-05
NOTICE OF HEARING ON PETITION FOR FINAL SETTLEMENT

The State of Kansas
To All Persons Concerned:
You are hereby notified that on the 2nd day of November, 2011, a Petition for Final Settlement was filed in this Court by Joyce Rima, executor, praying for a final settlement of the estate, approval of her acts, proceedings and accounts as executor, allowance for attorney's fees and expenses, and determination of the heirs, devisees

and legatees entitled to the estate and assignment to them in accordance with the will of Clarence D. Rima deceased. You are hereby required to file your written defenses thereto on or before December 1, 2011 at 9:00 a.m., on such day, in such Court in the City of Norton, in Norton County, at which time and place such cause will be heard. Should you fail therein, judgment and decree will be entered in due course upon said petition.

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Sudoku Puzzle #2362-M

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There are two categories — ages 13 and older, and ages 12 and younger. The bakers in each category with the most votes will win a prize. There are also prizes for second and third place as well.

Prizes for both age categories have been donated by End Zone, Stitch Up A Storm, Destination Kitchen, the Norton Theatre and The Norton Telegram.

We will also be collecting
canned and non-perishable food for God's Pantry