



The Saint Francis Herald

At the Game

Coach pleased with early season track competition

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High school track action took place Friday at Hoxie with the Indian men and ladies both placing fourth. Athletes from seven teams were represented at the meet.

Indian Matt Raile won three events in the men's division. He won the 100-meter dash with a time of 11.61; the 200-meter dash with a time of 23.41 and the long jump with a distance of 20-7.25.

Mikaela Grace and Sarah Trembly both did well in the girls division as they each placed first in at least one event.

Grace took the 100-meter hurdles with a time of 18.50, while Trembly won the discus with a throw of 104-6.5.

"It's early in the season and we are still getting in shape," Coach Devin Dinkel said. "We competed well."

Athletes in the first six positions received team points. Other Saintry athletes who placed in the top six in individual events and earned team points for the Indians or Lady Indians included M. Raile, Grace, Trembly, Trent Raile, Garrett Figgins, Alex Long, Jacquelyn Ketzner, Kaitlin Figgins, Aly Marin, Thomas Douthit and Jenna Hill.

St. Francis placed in the top six in all of the relay events which included mens and ladies 4x100, 4x400 and 4x800. Athletes on one or more relay teams are Thomas Douthit, Dylan Wolaver, Ty Zwegardt, Brock Zwegardt, Jenna Hill, Clarice Neitzel, Ally Northrup, Grace, Drew Zwegardt, M. Raile, Shayla Hilt, Ketzner, Marvin Miller, Darris Keller, Jonathan Butler and Marin. Saintry was also involved in the Dundy County meet on Tuesday, April 6, but due to the weather the action was postponed before noon after only a few of the events took place.

Next week's Herald will show results from the Goodland ninth

and 10th grade meet and the Triplains Invitational.

The next outing on the calendar is on Friday, the 24th with competition taking place in Oakley at their invitational.

Mens

Team standings: Hill City 123, Decatur Community 89, Palco 84, St. Francis 67, Hoxie 60, Cheylin 58, Rexford/Golden Plains 42.

100-meter dash: (1) M. Raile, 11.61; (5) T. Raile, 12.30.

200-meter dash: (1) Raile, 23.41.

400-meter dash: (5) Thomas Douthit, 59.38

3,200-meter run: (6) Joey McCormick, 14:39.36.

110-meter hurdles: (2) Figgins, 17.24

300-meter hurdles: (4) Figgins, 45.53.

4x100-meter relay: (2) St. Francis (B. Zwegardt, T. Zwegardt, D. Zwegardt, M. Raile), 46.73

4x400-meter relay: (5) St. Francis (Douthit, Wolaver, T. Zwegardt, B. Zwegardt), 4:02.14.

Long jump: (1) M. Raile 20.7.25.

Javelin: (2) Long, 145-2.

4x800-meter relay: (5) St. Francis (Miller, Keller, B. Zwegardt, Butler), 10:16.90.

Ladies

Team standing: Decatur Community 144, Hoxie 119, Hill City 996, St. Francis 78, Rexford/Golden Plains 35, Cheylin 30, Palco 15.

100-meter dash: (2) Hill, 14.31.

200-meter dash: (2) Hill, 29.61.

400-meter dash: (5) Douthit, 59.38.

110-meter hurdles: (1) Grace, 18.50.

300-meter hurdles: (4) Figgins, 56.69.

4x100-meter relay: (3) St. Francis (Hill, Neitzel, Northrup, Grace), 58.29.

4x400-meter relay: (3) St. Francis (Hill, Hilt, Ketzner, Grace), 4:54.90.



JUNIOR CODY KILLINGSWORTH practices his approach to the pole vault jump in a recent after-school session.

Herald staff photo by Betty Jean Winston

High jump: (2) Ketzner, 4-4.
Discus: (1) Trembly, 104-6.5; (3) Figgins, 81-11.
Javelin: (4) Trembly, 89-11; (5)

Marin 888-6.
4x800-meter relay: (5) St. Francis (Hilt, Northrup, Marin, Grace), 12:14.52.

Seventh grade girls place second

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Athletes on the St. Francis junior high track teams competed in Burlington on March 30. This is an early meet with the next event not happening until the St. Francis Invitational on April 20. Between the two meets the St. Francis participants are spending their time increasing their skill level.

The junior high squad is divided into four teams, eighth grade girls, eighth grade boys, seventh grade boys and seventh grade girls.

"We had a good day for our first track meet," Coach Ted Busse said. "I was pleased with the way our athletes competed."

"As you can see from the results, our seventh grade girls competed for first place. We were second by six points and there were 14 teams."

Schools competing in Burlington besides St. Francis and Burlington were teams from Goodland, Yuma, Wray, Holyoke, Sharon Springs, Hi-Plains, Liberty, Cheyenne Wells, Stratton, Kit Carson, Genoa and Idalia.

The seventh grade girls were the only Saintry team that finished in the top six places.

Winning events for St. Francis were Justice Wiley in the seventh grade girls 800-meter run; Derek Queen in the eighth grade boys 100-meter dash and 200-meter dash and Cade Bracelin in the seventh grade boys shot put.

The next St. Francis action will be at their home Invitational which is set to take place on Tuesday, April 20.

All St. Francis athletes who placed in the top six positions are listed below.

Seventh grade girls

Top team standings: Yuma 79, St. Francis 73, Wray, 69.5, Goodland 60.5, Sharon Springs 56, Hi-Plains 54.

Shot put: (2) Brianna Cooks, 27-9.

100-meter hurdles: (2) McK-

ayla Taylor, 21.10.

Long jump: (2) Echo Jones, 14-2; (5) Valerie Wurm, 12-6.5.

High jump: (2) Dallas Reed, 4-2; (5) Justice Wiley, 4-2.

100-meter dash: (2) Jones, 14.73; (4) Taylor, 15.15.

800-meter run: (1) Wiley.

400-meter relay: (2) St. Francis (Wurm, Wiley, Jones, Taylor), 59.36.

800-meter relay: (3) St. Francis (Jones, Mariah Beikman, Wiley, Reed), 2:17.41.

Eighth grade boys

Top team standings: Goodland 168.5; Yuma 93; Holyoke 88; Burlington 53; Sharon Springs 53; Wray 47.

Long jump: (6) Wyatt Landenberger, 15-6.

High jump: (tied for 4th) Mason Schiltz, 4-10.

100-meter dash: (1) Derek Queen, 12.43.

400-meter dash: Queen, 1:00.74.

400-meter relay: (5) St. Francis (Landenberger, Schiltz, Erik Hart, Queen), 54.26.

1600-meter relay: (5) St. Francis (Lane Hoffman, Austin White, Hart, Gatlen Cooper), 4:57.19.

1600-meter run: (6) Hoffman, 6:19.

800-meter relay: (4) St. Francis (Schiltz, Landenberger, White, Queen), 2:00.29.

Pole vault: (2) Schiltz, 9'

Seventh grade boys

Top team standings: Burlington 135; Goodland 104; Sharon Springs 64.5; Yuma 53; Wray 49; Cheyenne Wells 38.

Shot put: (1) Bracelin, 33-7.5.

Discus: (4) Bracelin, 82-2.

400-meter relay: (6) St. Francis (Tristan Archer, Shakotah Blanks, Kyler Zwegardt, Bracelin), 1:05.65.

Eighth grade girls

Top team standings: Goodland 134; Burlington 53; Liberty 52; Holyoke 50; Yuma 42; Wray 37.

Long jump: (6) Aly Schleppe, 12-6.

100-meter dash: (3) Schleppe, 15.28.

Bowling News

Monday Night Mixed 3-29

Team standings: Neitzel Insurance 30-18, ABC-Z 28-20, Earl's Gals 19-29, Gutter Heads 19-29.

High game (scratch): Kale Zimbelman 223, Tammy Zimbelman 201, Eddie Zuege 187, JD Hawkins 171, Janice Krien 155, Sally Baird 154; (handicap): T. Zimbelman 234, K. Zimbelman 227, Katora Sherlock 226, Derek Morrow 221, Bill Wilger 219, Vicki Cox 218.

High series (scratch): K. Zimbelman 603, T. Zimbelman 525, E. Zuege 495, Hawkins 463, Krien 416, Amelia Zuege 411; (handicap): T. Zimbelman 624, Sherlock 616, K. Zimbelman 615, Morrow 614, Wilger 600, A. Zuege 570, Baird 570.

Wednesday Afternoon Coffee 3-31

Team Standings: Jolly Ranchers 39-13, Lodge Sleepers 30.5-21.5, Western State Bank 30-18, Kale's Girls 27-21, Dairy King 22.5-29.5.

High game (scratch): Marlys Poulignot 170, Virginia Lengel 155, Carol Peterson 149; (handicap): Poulignot 218, Lengel 216, Judy Soehner 212.

High series (scratch): Peterson

430, Poulignot 411, Ann Davison 384; (handicap): Soehner 577, Peterson 571, Lengel 565.

Wednesday Night Mens 3-31

Team standings: Krien Steel 33-19, Wright and Wrong 32-20, Bonanza Ford 31.5-20.5, Bonny Solutions 26.5-25.5, Haigler Two 24-28, Idalia JV 24-28, Haigler One 23-29, Cheyenne Bowl 14-38.

High game (scratch): Bill Carpenter 223, Ted Harford 203, Bob Lippert 203.

High series (scratch): Carpenter 655, Lippert 563, Kale Zimbelman 545.

Ladies Nite Out 4-1

Team standings: Wray Meat Packing 34-14, Gutter Gals 31.5-16.5, Bankwest 28-20, Strikers 25.5-22.5, Dundy Ag 25.5-22.5, Wright Carpet 21-27, Jersey Maids 18.5-29.5.

High game (scratch): Erica Harlan 191, Terry Yost 185, Jeanne Dunn 165; (handicap): Harlan 244, Dawn Richardson 240, Victoria Windell 231.

High series (scratch): Harlan 466, Marlys Poulignot 451, Joyce Williams 446; (handicap): Richardson 626, Harlan 625, Windell 617, Williams 617.

Monday Night Mixed 4-5

Team standings: Neitzel Insurance 33-19, ABC-Z 31-21, Earl's Gals 20-32, Gutter Heads 20-32.

High game (scratch): Kale Zimbelman 214, JD Hawkins 180, Amelia Zuege 171, Tammy Zimbelman 171, Eddie Zuege 165, Arrie Cox 165, Dorothy Hankins 148; (handicap): Bill Wilger 230, A Zuege 224, Connie Wilger 218, K. Zimbelman 217, D. Hankins 214, Hawkins 209.

High series (scratch): K. Zimbelman 580, Hawkins 526, A. Cox 473, T. Zimbelman 447, D. Hankins 404, A. Zuege 397; (handicap): B. Wilger 626, JD Hawkins 613, D. Hankins 602, A. Cox 599, C. Wilger 582, Vicki Cox 556.

Wednesday Afternoon Coffee 4-7-2010

Team Standings: Jolly Ranchers 42.5-13.5, Lodge Sleepers 34.5-21.5, Western State Bank 30.5-21.5, Kale's Girls 27-25, Dairy King 26.5-29.5.

High game (scratch): Debbie Bush 166, Karen McVey 166, Erica Harlan 162; (handicap): McVey 238, Bush 229, Virginia Lengel 211.

High series (scratch): McVey

451, Harlan 426, Bush 418; (handicap): McVey 667, Bush 607, Lengel 597.

Wednesday Night Mens 4-7

Team standings: Wright and Wrong 35-21, Bonanza Ford 34.5-21.5, Krien Steel 34-22, Bonny Solutions 27.5-28.5, Idalia JV 27-29, Haigler Two 25-31, Haigler One 24-32, Cheyenne Bowl 17-39.

High game (scratch): Alan Rose 232, Kale Zimbelman 195, David Morris 194.

High series (scratch): Zimbelman 577, Rose 530, Bill Ehrman 506.

Ladies Nite Out 4-8

Team standings: Wray Meat Packing 37-15, Gutter Gals 35.5-16.5, Bankwest 31-21, Dundy Ag 27.5-24.5, Strikers 26.5-25.5, Wright Carpet 22-30, Jersey Maids 20.5-31.5.

High game (scratch): Laura Robbins 179, Boots Peterson 176, Carol Peterson 175; (handicap): Victoria Windell 232, Robbins 223, B. Peterson 223.

High series (scratch): B. Peterson 493, Robbins 476, Kathy Blecha 475; (handicap): Windell 658, B. Peterson 634, Vicki Cox 610.

Academy of math and science set for Colby

The Kansas Academy of Mathematics and Science (KAMS) at Fort Hays State University will hold information sessions across Kansas this spring for ninth-grade or younger students and their families.

The session nearest to St. Francis will be at Colby Community College, in the Student Union, room 106 on Sunday, April 25.

The Kansas Academy of Mathematics and Science, established by the Kansas Legislature in 2006, is the only early-entry-to-college

program in Kansas. The program is a unique residential learning experience that provides exceptional high school juniors and seniors a potent blend of college-level instruction by Ph.D. faculty; a high school diploma and 68 hours of college credit; hands-on research supervised by Ph.D. scientists; leadership development and civic engagement opportunities; co-curricular and extra-curricular opportunities to develop the whole student; a safe campus and resi-

dential environment; and trained support staff.

Prospective Kansas Academy of Mathematics and Science students must have completed at least two years of high school with distinction in mathematics or science. A composite score of 23 on the American College Test (ACT) or a 1060 score on the Scholastic Aptitude Test (SAT) is required. The Kansas Academy of Mathematics and Science also selects students based on drive, interest, maturity,

stability and personal and family commitment.

Recruitment sessions will address the academic program, admissions requirements, student development opportunities and other key topics.

The public is welcome but seating is limited and registrations are required. To register, go to <http://fhsu.edu/kams/meetings>. For more information about the academy, call (785) 628-4690 or e-mail kams@fhsu.edu.



PINK CHEETAHS - Cassie Cooks, Emma Johnson and Cassidy Busse head to the court to begin play at the 3-on-3 tournament on Saturday.

Herald photo courtesy of Crissy Cooks

St. Francis teams compete

St. Francis was well represented at the Atwood 3-on-3 basketball tournament held on Saturday.

Athletes, both girls and boys, in grades first through eighth were eligible to participate in the event.

Fourteen of the 49 teams entered in the competition were from St. Francis. All of the team placings were not available at press time.

First and second grade

Boys: Indians: Kobe Tice, Brady Dinkel, Adam Krien, placed third.

Jayhawks: Jesse Baxter, Colton Neitzel, Shadryon Blanka.

Girls: Pink Cheetahs: Cassie Cooks, Emma Johnson, Cassidy Busse, placed third.

Third and fourth grade

Boys: Warriors: Draven Houtman, Cody Baxter, K.C. Krien.

Girls: Lady Indians: Hanna Bracelin, Madison Tice, Emileigh Dinkel, placed first.

Jayhawks: Lauren Johnson, Lindsey Johnson, Jessica Confer, placed third.

Flying Eagles: Mandi Cooks, Reagan Beims, Jayden Markland (Atwood), placed second.

Fifth and sixth grade

Boys: Indians: Jakob Church, Justin Pacheco, Garrett Brunk.

Airstrike: Quinton Cravens, Lane Hobrock, Travis Rogers.

Power Cats: Tate Busse, Taylor Rogers, Joel Hill.

Seventh and eighth grade

Boys: Nuggets: Cade Bracelin, Jacob Butler, Kyler Zwegardt.

Wildcats: Derek Queen, Shakotah Blanka, Ian Schmid.

Sharp Shooters: Wyatt Landenberger, Mason Schiltz, Lennin Olivares, placed second.

Girls: BAM: Brianna Cooks, Ashlee Orth, McKayla Taylor, placed second.