

At the Game

Many Saintry Sharks qualify for final meet

“The qualifying meet in Benkelman was super successful,” said Margaret Poling, swim coach. “No ribbons or placing were given but every single swimmer who participated for the Saintry Sharks qualified in one or more events.”

“We had absolutely some of our best swims of the season.”

“We lost a few of our relay teams to disqualification but we are taking 22 relays to the championship meet.”

There were three regional qualifying meets held. Minden was the North regional, Arapahoe was the West regional and Benkelman was the South regional. The South regional seemed to have the fastest times because they took the top three swimmers from each regional then the next seven fastest times.

“We had a few who were fifth or sixth place and still qualified as fast as the top seven extra times,” Mrs. Poling said.

The wind picked up quite a bit causing a few mishaps with tents blowing over, but no swimmers were injured. Mrs. Poling said one lane judge who was hit on the head, holding the meet up for a while, but they got done before the thunderstorm moved in.

St. Francis qualifiers will be traveling to Lexington for the championship meet this Saturday.

There will be 16 swimmers (two heats) of each event. Some events had over 80 swimmers to pick from. In some ways, Mrs. Poling said, this meet will be faster than the qualifying meet.

“Times for warm ups have not been listed yet, but the Saintry coaches will let all the swimmers know as soon as they get the infor-

mation,” Mrs. Poling said. The events in which the swimmers qualified are listed below.

Cassidy Busse, 8-and-under: 8-and-under medley relay, open free relay, 8-and-under free relay.

Shelby Cassaw, 13-14: 14-and-under medley relay, 50-yard backstroke, 14-and-under 200-yard free relay, 18-and-under free relay, open free relay.

Brianna Cooks, 13-14: 14-and-under medley relay, 18-and-under medley relay, open medley relay, 50-yard backstroke, 14-and-under 200-yard free relay, 14-and-under free relay.

Cassie Cooks, 8-and-under: 8-and-under medley relay, 25-yard butterfly, 25-yard backstroke, 10-and under 200-yard free relay, 100-yard individual medley, open free relay, 8-and-under free relay.

Crissy Cooks, 30-and-over: open medley relay, 25-yard backstroke, 25-yard breaststroke, 100-yard individual medley, open free relay, 30-and-over free relay.

Mandi Cooks, 9-10: 12-and-under medley relay, 25-yard butterfly, 10-and-under 200-yard free relay, 25-yard breaststroke, 100-yard individual medley, 10-and-under free relay.

Emily Elfers, 11-12: 14-and-under medley relay, 14-and-under 200-yard free relay, 14-and-under free relay.

Emma Johnson, 8-and-under: 8-and-under medley relay; 10-and-under free relay, 8-and-under free relay.

Lauren Johnson, 9-10: 12-and-under medley relay, 25-yard backstroke, 10-and-under 200-yard free relay, 18-and-under free relay.

Lindsey Johnson, 9-10: 12-and-under medley relay, 10-and-under

200-yard free relay, 10-and-under free relay.

Margi Poling, 30-and-over: open medley relay; 25-yard breaststroke, 30-and-over free relay.

Christina Schoenrogge, 15-18: 18-and-under medley relay, open medley relay, 50-yard butterfly, 50-yard backstroke, 100-yard individual medley, 18-and-under free relay.

McKenzie Taylor, 11-12: 14-and-under medley relay, 18-and-under medley relay, 50-yard backstroke, 14-and-under 200-yard free relay, 50-yard freestyle, 14-and-under free relay.

Sophie White, 12-12: 12-and-under medley relay, 18-and-under medley relay, 14-and-under free relay, 18-and-under free relay.

Shara Johnson, 30-and-over free relay.

Jenny Busse, 30-and-over free relay.

Audrey Meyer, 8-and-under: 8-and-under medley relay, 8-and-under free relay.

Shadryon Blanka, 8-and-under: 50-yard freestyle, 10-and-under 200-yard freestyle relay, 25-yard freestyle.

Ben Busse, 8-and-under: 10-and-under 200-yard free relay.

Tate Busse, 9-10: 10-and-under medley relay, 25-yard backstroke, 10-and-under 200-yard free relay, 25-yard breaststroke, 10-and-under free relay, 12-and-under free relay.

Clay Cassaw, 11-12: 12-and-under medley relay, 14-and-under medley relay, 100-yard freestyle, 50-yard breaststroke, 12-and-under free relay, 14-and-under free relay.

Coy Cassaw, 9-10: 10-and-under medley relay, 25-yard back-



QUALIFIES FOR CHAMPIONSHIP MEET — Lindsey Johnson will be swimming in the 12-and-under medley relay, 10-and-under 200-yard free relay and the 10-and-under free relay at the championship meet held at Lexington on Saturday.

Herald photo by Crissy Cooks

stroke, 10-and-under 200-yard free relay, 25-yard breaststroke, 10-and-under free relay.

Quinton Cravens, 11-12: 12-and-under medley relay, 50-yard backstroke, 12-and-under free relay.

Seth Hilt, 9-10: 50-yard freestyle, 10-and-under 200-yard free relay.

Wyatt Hilt, 9-10: 10-and-under medley relay, 25-yard butterfly, 10-and-under 200-yrd free relay, 10-and-under free relay.

Connor Keller, 9-10: 10-and-under 200-yard free relay, 10-and-under free relay.

Adam Krien, 8-and-under: 25-yard backstroke, 10-and-under

free relay, 25-yard freestyle.

KC Krien, 9-10: 10-and-under medley relay, 10-and-under 200-yard free relay, 25-yard breaststroke, 25-yard freestyle. 100-yard individual medley, 10-and-under free relay.

Logan Lampe, 13-14: 14-and-under medley relay, 50-yard butterfly, 50-yard backstroke, 14-and-under 200-yard free relay, 50-yard freestyle, 14-and-under free relay.

Luke Lampe, 9-10: 12-and-under medley relay, 25-yard butterfly, 50-yard backstroke, 10-and-under 200-yard free relay, 25-yard freestyle, 10-and-under free relay.

Alex Queen, 9-10: 10-and-under 200-yard free relay, 10-and-

under free relay.

Derek Queen, 13-14: 14-and-under medley relay, 50-yard butterfly, 50-yard backstroke, 14-and-under 200-yard free relay, 50-yard freestyle, 14-and-under free relay.

Aaron White, 8-and-under: 10-and-under free relay, 10-and-under free relay.

Matthew White, 13-14: 14-and-under medley relay, 50-yard backstroke, 14-and-under 200-yard free relay, 50-yard backstroke, 14-and-under free relay.

Zachery White, 11-12: 12-and-under medley relay, 50-yard butterfly, 100-yard freestyle, 14-and-under 200-yard free relay, 12-and-under free relay.

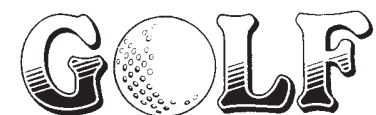
Young golfer goes to Hays Tournament

Kyla Bandel, a member of the St. Francis junior golf team, traveled to Hays, for the Smoky Hills Junior Golf Association Tournament on July 5.

Kyla competed in the 12-13-year-old division taking home first place with a nine-hole score of 54.

This golf program is designed to offer competitive golf for juniors across the state of Kansas. A golfers' assigned section is determined by the county in which they reside. Kyla played in the Western Kansas division that covers the area from Dodge City to the Colorado state line.

Kyla only competed in the one



Kansas Junior Golf Association tournament but hopes to make more tournaments next year. The three other tournaments in the Western division this year were held at Dodge City (2) and Garden City.

She also plays in a majority of the Northwest Kansas Junior Golf tournaments that are scheduled throughout the summer.



WINS FIRST PLACE—Kyla Bandel plays well.

Wrestlers attend successful camp

By Betty Jean Winston

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Six St. Francis wrestlers, Adam Guthmiller, Zach Gienger, Thomas Douthit, Casey Keller, Logan Lampe and Lane Hoffman, traveled to Kearney, Neb., to attend a team wrestling camp on June 28, 29 and 30. They were accompanied by Kyle Buffington, St. Francis assistant coach.

“It was an all-around good experience,” Coach Buffington said. “The kids worked hard and we had a lot of fun.”

Each day included technique sessions for the wrestlers to attend plus team dual competitions.

St. Francis and Ord, Neb., were joined together to form a team for the matches. Although some schools arrived with complete teams, a number of the smaller schools formed combined teams.

All of the athletes weighed in when they arrived and were paired up with opponents in each dual. The win-loss record of each team decided which bracket they would fit in for the final tournament. The teams with the most wins were placed in Division I and the other teams in Division II. There were 16 teams in each division.

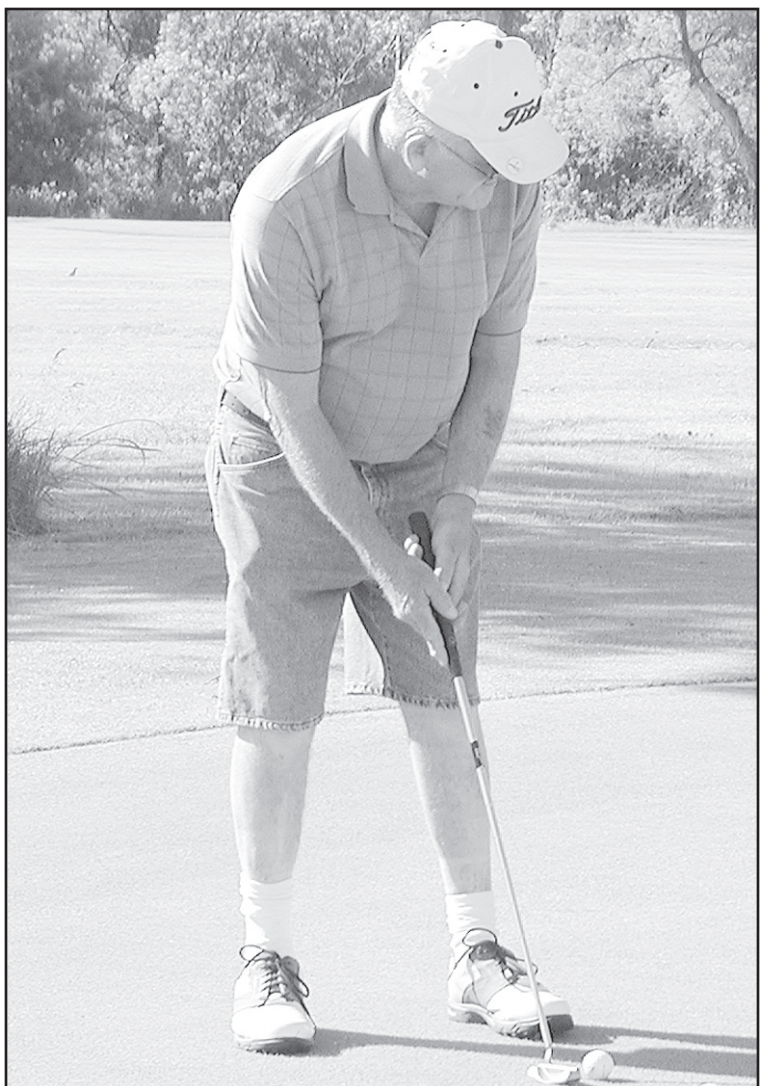
St. Francis/Ord had a 4-1 record in the earlier matches so they were

placed in Division I and finished the tournament with a 2-3 record. This was just one win out of placing in the top six of the 16 teams.

“Each of our wrestlers had 15 or more matches during the three days,” Coach Buffington said. “Some of them had more than one match per dual but they didn’t complain.”

One member of each team had the opportunity to be chosen as the “legitimate tough guy” and Logan Lampe won this title for their team.

“He had to work very hard to earn the title,” Coach Buffington said.



MELVIN CONFER practices putting.

Herald staff golf photos by Betty Jean Winston

St. Francis holds scramble

Thirty-four golfers participated in the one-man scramble held at Riverside Recreation on Sunday, July 11. The golfers were divided into three flights, championship, first and second. Various hole prizes were also awarded.

Two golfers, Cale Rieger and Brian Schwiezer tied for first place in the championship flight. There was also a tie for third place, this time among three players, Greg Lauer, Preston Parsons and Justin Vialpando.

Roger Lauer won the first flight, followed by Rich Grace in second placing. Tying for third place were Kenny Rummel and Grant Glad.

The second flight had Greg Doll in first place, Brett Lampe in second and Doug Johnson in third.

Hole prize winners include Brian Schwiezer (2), Roger Lauer, Devin Dinkel, Greg Lauer, Preston Parsons, Kenny Rummel, Mike Werner and Monte Arends.

This year the Riverside Rendezvous golf tournament is scheduled for Aug. 13, 14 and 15.

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NOTICE OF BUDGET HEARING FOR AMENDING THE 2010 BUDGET

The governing body of **City of St. Francis** will meet on the 9th day of August, 2010, at 7:00 p.m. at City Hall for the purpose of hearing and answering objections of taxpayers relating to the proposed amended use of funds.

Detailed budget information is available at City Hall and will be available at this hearing.

Summary of Amendments				
Fund	2010 Adopted Budget			2010 Proposed Amended
	Actual Tax Rate	Amount of Tax that was Levied	Expenditures	Expenditures
EMS Building Maintenance Fund			0	19,265

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The governing body of **City of St. Francis** will meet on August 9, 2010 at 7:00 PM at City Hall for the purpose of hearing and answering objections of taxpayers relating to the proposed use of all funds and the amount of ad valorem tax. Detailed budget information is available at City Hall and will be available at this hearing.

BUDGET SUMMARY
Proposed Budget 2011 Expenditures and Amount of 2010 Ad Valorem Tax establish the maximum limits of the 2011 budget. Estimated Tax Rate is subject to change depending on the final assessed valuation.

FUND	Prior Year Actual for 2009		Current Year Estimate for 2010		Proposed Budget for 2011		
	Expenditures	Actual Tax Rate *	Expenditures	Actual Tax Rate *	Expenditures	Amount of 2010 Ad Valorem Tax	Estimate Tax Rate *
General	870,757	34.566	906,949	37.758	957,430	249,441	38.452
Library Fund	32,456	3.951	32,754	3.993	31,245	25,950	4.000
Special Highway	40,331		45,000		49,003		
Special Parks & Recreation	645		1,202		1,948		
Equipment Reserve	191,590		183,692		122,535		
Capital Improvements	71,053		105,000		217,099		
Electric & Water Utility	1,667,106		1,577,729		1,677,968		
Sewer Utility	118,164		212,913		160,162		
Refuse Utility	132,102		159,628		160,450		
Theatre Enterprise	42,606		40,086		62,123		
Tourism & Convention	5,818		5,144		13,808		
EMS Building Maintenance	7,265		10,363		10,570		
Totals	3,179,893	38.517	3,280,460	41.751	3,468,341	275,391	42.452
Less: Transfers	582,865		545,000		557,734		
Net Expenditure	2,597,028		2,735,460		2,906,607		
Total Tax Levied	252,157		275,392		XXXXXX		
Assessed Valuation	6,547,031		6,532,217		6,487,013		

Outstanding Indebtedness:
January 1, 2008: 0
G.O. Bonds: 0
Revenue Bonds: 0
Other: 417,114
Lease Purchase Principal: 0
Total: 417,114
2009: 0
397,835
0
397,835
2010: 0
377,990
0
377,990

* Tax rates are expressed in mills.
Scott Seiff
City Official Title: Mayor