

# Indians send three relay teams, six individuals to state

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The St. Francis track and field team will be sending 18 athletes to the State Championships in Wichita on May 30 and 31. As a team, the Indians pulled off a last event victory finishing first in the 4x400 meter relay race, edging out Wallace County. The victory moved the Indian team from fifth place over all to third, one point ahead of fourth place Hoxie. The Lady Indians fought hard, finishing in the top ten with an eighth place team finish overall.

## Indians

The Indians had some outstanding individual and team performances. Qualifying for state: Mason Schiltz (Champion) in the pole vault, Derek Queen in the 100 meter and 400 meter dash, Logan Lampe in the 200 meter dash. The 4x100 meter relay team of Logan Lampe, Derek Queen, Taylor Rogers, Cade Bracelin and the 4x400 meter relay team (Champions) consisting of Logan Lampe, Taylor Rogers, Derek Queen, Lane Hobrock.

Congratulations to these fine athletes on a job well done!!!!

## Team Results

La Crosse- 85; Wallace County-62; **St. Francis-50**; Hoxie-49; Stockton-47; Otis-Bison-32; Almena-Northern Valley-29; Grainfield-Wheatland-28; Weskan-25; Natoma-25; Victoria-25; Brewster-23; Dighton-16; Quinter-16; Rexford-Golden Plains-14; Kensington-Thunder Ridge-10; Greeley County-7; Palco-7; Logan-4; Winona-Triplains-2; Cheylin-2.

## Individual Results

Pole Vault: Mason Schiltz (1) - 13.00. **State Qualifier.**  
Discus: Lenny Olivares (6) - 135-07, Jude Faulkender (20) - 104-11.  
Javelin: Cade Bracelin (5) - 153-01.  
Shot Put: Jude Faulkender (16) - 37-07.  
300 Meter Hurdles: Garrett Brunk (6) - 44.81.  
100 Meter Dash: Derek Queen

## State Track Schedule

The best track and field high school athletes will meet in Wichita on May 30 and 31 to compete in the Kansas State High School Athletics Activities Championships. The St. Francis track and field team had an outstanding showing in the regional meet last week and will be well represented in the state championship.

The following is the Indians and Lady Indians schedule for Friday and Saturday's State Championship events:

### Friday May 30

Preliminary events:  
2:55 p.m.: Girls 4 x 100 Meter Relay: McKayla Taylor, Valerie Wurm, Emily Elfers, McKenzie Taylor.  
3:15 p.m.: Boys 4 x 100 Meter Relay: Cade Bracelin, Logan Lampe, Derek Queen, Taylor Rogers.  
3:55 p.m.: Boys 400 Meter Dash: Derek Queen.  
5:35 p.m.: Boys 200 Meter Dash: Logan Lampe.  
6:25 p.m.: Boys 4 x 400 Meter Relay: Lane Hobrock, Logan Lampe, Derek Queen, Taylor Rogers.

### Saturday May 31

Finals: (\*except for 100 Meter Dashes).  
8:00 a.m.: Girls Pole Vault, North Pit: Journey Lee, Dallas Reed.  
\*8:30 a.m.: \*Girls 100 Meter Dash Preliminaries: Valerie Wurm.  
\*9:00 a.m.: \*Boys 100 Meter Dash Preliminaries: Derek Queen.  
11:30 a.m.: Boys Pole Vault, South Pit: Mason Schiltz.  
12:45 p.m.: Girls 100 Meter Dash Finals.  
1:05 p.m.: Boys 100 Meter Dash Finals.  
3:00 p.m.: Girls 4 x 100 Meter Relay.  
3:20 p.m.: Boys 4 x 100 Meter Relay.  
4:05 p.m.: Boys 400 Meter Dash.  
6:10 p.m.: Boys 200 Meter Dash.  
7:00 p.m.: Boys 4 x 400 Meter Relay.  
7:30 p.m.: Presentations of Team Trophies.

(2) - 11.87. **State Qualifier.**  
200 Meter Dash: Logan Lampe  
(3) - 23.50. **State Qualifier.**  
400 Meter Dash: Derek Queen  
(3) - 52.72. **State Qualifier.**  
4x100 Meter Relay: Logan Lampe, Derek Queen, Taylor Rogers, Cade Bracelin, (3) - 45.14. **State Qualifiers.**  
4x400 Meter Relay: Logan Lampe, Taylor Rogers, Derek Queen, Lane Hobrock (1) - 3:32.19. **State Qualifiers.**

## Lady Indians

The Lady Indians also came through with several outstanding individual and team performances. Qualifying for state will be Dallas Reed and Journey Lee

in the pole vault, Valerie Wurm in the 100 meter dash. The 4x100 meter relay team (Champions), consisting of McKayla Taylor, Valerie Wurm, Emily Elfers, McKenzie Taylor.

Congratulations to these fine athletes on a job well done !!!!

## Team Rankings

Grainfield-Wheatland-69; Quinter-52; Hoxie-44; Rexford-Golden Plains-44; Logan-42; Weskan-34; Winona-Triplains-30; **St. Francis-29**; Otis-Bison-27; Wallace County-27; Natoma-26; Greeley County-24; Dighton-22; Kensington-Thunder Ridge-21; Cheylin-21; Almena-Northern Valley-17; Vic-



**JOURNEY LEE, state track qualifier, practices her technique pole vaulting to prepare for state competition to be held on May 30 and 31.**

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toria-17; Stockton-4; Ransom-Western Plains-4; La Crosse- 2; Palco-1.

## Individual Results

Long Jump: McKenzie Taylor (6) - 15-06.50.  
Discus: Sydney Sundstrom (24) - 73-03.  
Javelin: Sydney Sundstrom

(23) - 70-10.  
Pole Vault: Dallas Reed (2) - 9-06. **State Qualifier.** Journey Lee (4) - 8-00. **State Qualifier.**  
100 Meter Hurdles: McKenzie Taylor (5) - 17.28.  
300 Meter Hurdles: Emily Elfers (6) - 52.26.  
100-Meter Dash: Valerie

Wurm (4) - 13.70. **State Qualifier.**  
4x100 Meter Relay: McKayla Taylor, Valerie Wurm, Emily Elfers, McKenzie Taylor (1) - 52.59. **State Qualifiers.**  
4x400 Meter Relay: Emily Elfers, Ashlee Orth, Journey Lee, McKayla Taylor (9) - 4:58.30.

# Graduates receive more than \$80,000 in scholarships

St. Francis Community High School graduates received over \$80,100 in scholarships. David Morrow, principal, released the following list of graduates and their scholarships which were announced at the graduation ceremonies on Sunday.

Lane Hoffman: United States Marine Corp. He will be trained as an infantryman.

Gaten Cooper: Colby Community College, majoring in biology with the intent to become an aquarist. He also received the Pete Henry \$950; Walter and Lucile Stephenson Memorial Scholarship: \$560; Gary Brown Memorial Agriculture Scholarship: \$700.

Logan Lampe will attend Colby Community College, studying Criminal Justice. He received the \$950 Pete Henry; Grace and Phiz Faulkender Memorial Scholarship \$100.

Derek Queen will attend Colby Community College, enrolling in the pre-med program. He received \$950 Pete Henry; Garnett E. and Ethylene R. Greene Scholarship \$1,000; Walter and Lucile Stephenson Memorial Scholarship \$560; Don Worley Memorial Track Scholarship \$100; Cheyenne County Cruisers Car Club Scholarship \$250 Steven McWilliams plans to im-

mediately enter the workforce in Kremling, Colo., as a professional house painter.

J.T. Woodcox will be attending Northwest Technical College and is planning to study mobile "apps" development. He received a Rebekah Scholarship \$100; Israel Nipps Memorial Scholarship \$250.

Wyatt Landenberger will be attending Colby Community College in order to study business (undecided). He received a Pete Henry scholarship \$950; Norman and Marguerite Magley Scholarship \$750; Garnett E. and Ethylene R. Greene Scholarship: \$1,000; Fred D. Magley Memorial Scholarship \$100; Robert Yost Memorial Scholarship \$500; Ricky Straub Memorial \$100.

Jacob Butler: will attend Christ For the Nations Institute, to study music. The institute is in Dallas, Texas. He received a Pete Henry \$950; Federated Music Club of St. Francis Scholarship \$100.

Scott Warren will attend Colby Community College and enroll in the computer specialist program. He received Dane Hansen Vocational Scholarship \$2,000; Walter and Lucile Stephenson Memorial Scholarship \$560; Carl and Mildred Sperry Memorial Scholarship \$250; SFCHS Snack Stick Scholarship

\$100; Pete Henry \$950.

Lenny Olivares will attend Colby Community College and enroll in the pre-pharmacy program. He received a Pete Henry \$950; Trinity Scholarship \$250; St. Francis Firemen \$300; Legacy for Education Scholarship \$400.

Bailey Merklin will attend Emporia State University, majoring in math education. She received the Young Miss Scholarship \$300; Academic Scholarship \$1,300; Garnett E. and Ethylene R. Greene Scholarship \$1,000; Emporia State University Music Scholarship \$400; Mason Essay Scholarship: \$250; Pete Henry \$3,100; Alice Gillispie Memorial Academic Scholarship \$1000; Bud Burnham Memorial Scholarship \$500; Carl and Mildred Sperry Memorial Scholarship \$250; Larry Walz Music Scholarship: \$300; Pauline Wagner Memorial Scholarship: \$200; Ray Huff-

man Memorial Three-Sport Athlete Scholarship \$500; St. Francis Lions Club Scholarship \$500; St. Francis FFA Scholarship \$300; National FFA Ford Scholarship \$1000; Whitmore Excellence in Music Scholarship \$350; St. Francis Federated Music Club Scholarship \$100; Robert Yost Memorial Scholarship: \$500.

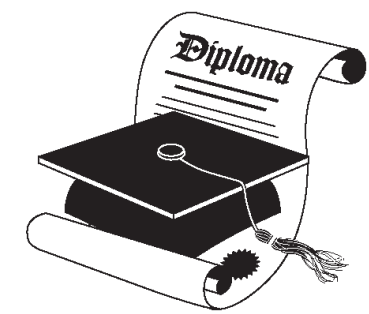
Jacob Baxter will attend Northwest Kansas Technical College and will enroll in the welding program. He received a \$2,500 Pete Henry Vocational scholarship; possible basketball scholarship.

Alyssa Schlepp will attend Wichita State University, majoring in journalism. She received a Heritage Merit Scholarship \$1,000 renewable; Walter and Lucile Stephenson Memorial Scholarship \$560; Joseph G. Berkely-High Plains Journal endowed Scholarship \$750; \$1,250 Pete Henry; Ted and Jeff Zielke

Memorial Scholarship \$1000.

Mason Schiltz will attend the University of Kansas and major in biology. He received a Sam R. and Kathleen Holthus Wilcoxon Scholarship \$4,000 renewable for four years, \$16,000; Hansen Student Scholarship \$3,000 for two years, total of \$6,000; Garnett E. and Ethylene R. Greene Scholarship \$2,000; \$1,900 Pete Henry; Walter and Lucile Stephenson Memorial Scholarship \$560; Ray Huffman Memorial Three-Sport Athlete Scholarship: \$500; SFCHS Snack Stick Scholarship \$200; Alice Gillispie Memorial Athletic Scholarship \$500; Knights of Columbus Scholarship \$250; St. Francis Lions Club Scholarship \$500; Cheyenne County Wildlife Scholarship \$500

Randee Grover will attend Kansas State University as a pre-med student, majoring in human nutrition. She received a KSU Leader-



ship Scholarship \$8,500 total; Hansen Student Scholarship: \$3,000 for two years for a \$6,000 total; Garnett E. and Ethylene R. Greene Scholarship \$1,000; St. Francis Firemen Scholarship: \$300; Pete Henry \$1,250; Walter and Lucile Stephenson Memorial Scholarship \$560; Dr. Peck Memorial Scholarship \$500; Cheyenne County Cruisers Car Club Scholarship \$500.

Matthew White plans to enlist in the United States Navy this summer.

## Rec 4 U

By Penny Gienger



St. Francis Rec Director

The days of summer ball games are quickly approaching. The St. Francis Recreation Commission passed out forms at school and Preschool for T-ball, Pitching Machine league and Boys C-team baseball. Hopefully, your school-age child got the correct form to you to fill out. If you would like to have someone participate, but don't have the form, please call 332-3949. Players are still being accepted. ALL players must have a parent signed liability release waiver before they can begin to participate.

T-ball, four years old through kindergarten, begins the first Monday evening in June and will continue for four weeks at the grade school ball field. Each player will be given a team t-shirt the first game of the season. Coaches are needed to make this program a success. Pitching machine players are

first-third grade boys and girls. These games are held Wednesday evenings at the St. Francis ball diamond. A team jersey will be issued for use to each player. Again, coaches are needed in this league.

Boys C-team, coached by Shawn Blanka, has started practice and will begin competitive play in June. Our league consists of Cheylin, Atwood, Benkelman and Wauneta/Palisade.

We need YOU for adult coed softball. Teams are forming now for play on Sunday evenings in June. Also, starting the next few weeks is coed sand volleyball. Come on down to the sand volleyball pit on Wednesday evenings at 8:00. Teams will be formed each evening according to those present.

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