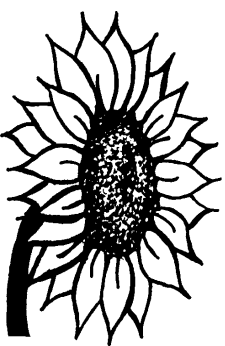


The Saint Francis Herald

At the Game



'Shark attack' at Colby league meet

The Sainty Sharks were in great form as they attacked! Colby for the league meet. Thirty-seven swimmers arrived on the scene for a great two days.

The weather was perfect for the meet and the camp out, according to Margaret Poling, coach. The food was wonderful with every family adding their share. Many tents dotted the landscape in the Colby park and fun was had by all. The most interesting sight was the Marco Polo game being played with sleeping bags over the kids heads.

More improvements on times were made by all the swimmers and that was exciting for everyone. League high points standing is a fun thing to work for.

"This year we had a large number of swimmers in the standings," Coach Poling said. These swimmers included: Lucas Raile, Katora Sherlock, Devin Rohweder, Seth Swihart, Janessa Jordan, Christi Milne, Christina Schoenrogge, Mike Milne, Maddie Knodel, Hailey Crabtree, Zach Gienger, January Fiedler, Gabe Smull, Alex Jordan, Sidnee Crabtree and Gavin Smull.

"Although not all of these swimmers won trophies because of their standing, they were somewhere in contention. Trophies winner will be announced later.

"A huge note of appreciation from me to all the parents/grandparents, who made our overnight in Colby possible," Coach Poling said. "Also a special note of appreciation to Kevin Trembly who has been our assistant coach all year, even making the practices I had to miss. I can't recognize everyone enough for all the help and work put in to provide this wonderful program for our community youth."

Individual results

Girls

8 and under

Bailey Merklin: 100-yard free relay, sixth; 25-yard breaststroke, heat winner

Christina Schoenrogge: 100-yard free relay, sixth

Brianna Cooks: 100-yard free relay, sixth

9-10 division

Sidnee Crabtree: 100-yard freestyle, third; 100-yard free relay, fifth; 25-yard freestyle, heat winner and fifth; 25-yard butterfly, third; 25-yard breaststroke, second; 100-yard individual medley, second; 100-yard medley relay, third

Arena Miller: 100-yard freestyle, heat winner; 100-yard free relay, fifth; 100-yard individual medley, heat winner; 100-yard medley relay, third

Amber Smull: 100-yard free relay, fifth; 100-yard medley relay, third

Sarah Trembly: 100-yard free relay, fifth; 100-yard medley relay, third

Christina Hilt: 100-yard free relay, fifth; 100-yard medley relay, fifth

Shayla Hilt: 100-yard free relay, fifth; 100-yard medley relay, fifth

Aly Marin: 100-yard free relay, fifth

11-12 division

Elizabeth Gienger: 50-yard freestyle, heat winner

Dara Lloyd: 100-yard freestyle, heat winner; 200-yard free relay, third; 50-yard freestyle, heat winner; 50-yard breaststroke, heat winner

Katie Marin: 200-yard free relay, third

Jami Pevler: 100-yard freestyle, heat winner

Joni Pevler: 100-yard freestyle, heat winner; 50-yard butterfly, heat winner

13-14 division

Emily Walz: 200-yard mixed free relay, second; 100-yard backstroke, heat winner

Sam Marin: 200-yard free relay, fifth

Christi Milne: 100-yard freestyle, heat winner; 200-yard mixed free relay, second; 100-yard breaststroke, sixth and heat winner; 200-yard medley relay, second

Janessa Jordan: 200-yard free relay, fifth; 100-yard backstroke, heat winner

Maddie Knodel: 200-yard free relay, fifth; 200-yard medley relay, second

Sawyer White: 200-yard free relay, fifth; 200-yard medley relay, third

15-18 division

Hailey Crabtree: 200-yard mixed free relay, third; 100-yard butterfly, fifth; 200-yard medley relay, third

January Fiedler: 100-yard freestyle, heat winner and sixth; 200-yard mixed



EMILY WALZ was one of the St. Francis entries in the league meet in Colby. She placed in the 200-yard mixed free and was a heat winner in the 100-yard backstroke.

Herald staff photo by Sandy Barnhart

free relay, third; 50-yard freestyle, fourth; 100-yard backstroke, heat winner and sixth; 100-yard breaststroke, third; 200-yard medley relay, third

Boys

8 and under

Zach Gienger: 100-yard free relay, sixth; 50-yard free style, heat winner and fifth; 25-yard freestyle, heat winner and fourth; 25-yard backstroke, heat winner and fourth

Lucas Raile: 100-yard medley relay, fifth

19-10 division

Garrett Knorr: 100-yard free relay, fifth; 100-yard medley relay, fifth

11-12 division

Alex Jordan: 200-yard free relay, third; 50-yard freestyle, third; 50-yard backstroke, fourth; 50-yard butterfly, second; 100-yard individual medley, sixth; 200-yard freestyle, fourth

Gavin Smull: 100-yard freestyle, second; 200-yard free relay, third; 50-yard freestyle, heat winner and first; 50-yard backstroke, heat winner and first; 50-yard butterfly, heat winner and first; 100-yard individual medley, second

13-14 division

Corbin Sherlock: 100-yard freestyle, third; 200-meter mixed free relay, second; 100-yard backstroke, second; 100-yard breaststroke, fourth; 200-yard individual medley, third; 200-yard medley relay, second; 400-meter freestyle, second.

Gabe Smull: 100 yard-freestyle, heat winner; 200-yard mixed free relay, second; 50-yard freestyle, second; 100-yard butterfly, heat winner and first; 100-yard breaststroke, second; 200-yard individual medley, second; 200-yard medley relay, second

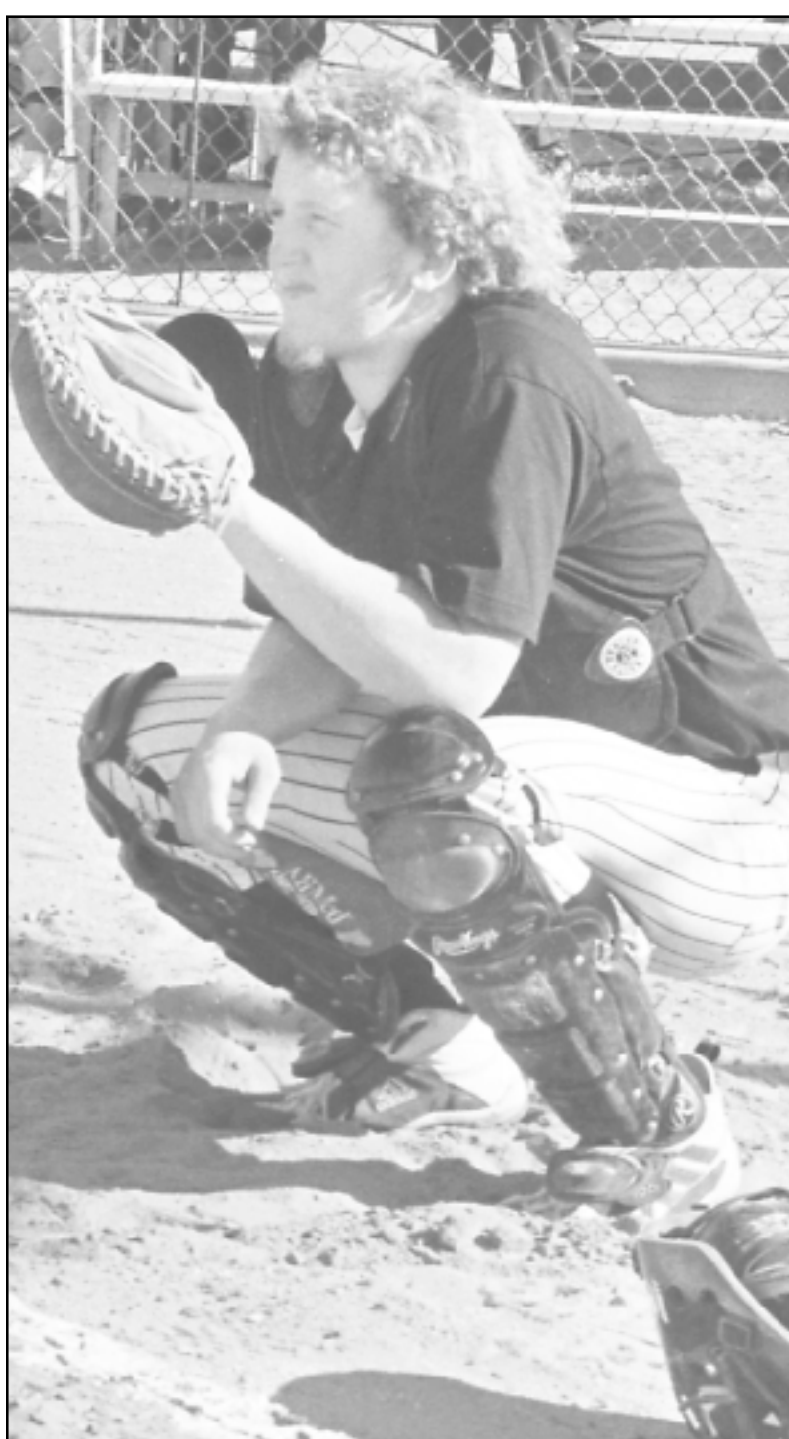
15-18 division

Seth Swihart: 200-yard mixed free relay, third; 200-yard medley relay, third

Devin Rohweder: 200-yard mixed free relay, third; 100-yard breaststroke, fourth; 200-yard medley relay, third

Other participants

Also participating were Janae Glidewell, Ashton Knorr, Katora Sherlock, Taylor Spike, Chase Barnhart,



BEN SWIHART helps warm up the pitcher before the inning begins.

Herald staff photos by Betty Jean Winston.

Legion ends season

St. Francis attended the American Legion zone tournament in Scott City beginning Thursday. The Sainty team scored a 10-8 victory over Gove County in the first contest but were then defeated by Colby and Bucklin on Friday. As this was a double elimination tourney the Sainty season came to an end.

Dustin Dunn pitched the first 2 1/3 innings against Gove County with Cale Rieger coming in during the third inning to get the final two outs

and then pitched the remaining four innings. The final score was St. Francis 10, Gove County 8.

"This was the best game the boys played all year," Coach Bud Rice said. "We pounded out 14 hits with everybody in the line up contributing. The defense was excellent."

In the first game Friday, St. Francis faced a very strong Colby team with Ty Long and Cole Weems on the mound for Sainty. Colby prevailed by an 11-0 score.

"Colby is a very good team and we



THE TEAM USED a number of pitchers throughout the season with Dustin Dunn on the mound one Friday night when Scott City came to town.

just could not get our offense going," Coach Rice said.

Later in the day St. Francis met Bucklin and was defeated 15-2.

"This was our second game of the day and the temperature was over 100 degree," Coach Rice said. "The boys gave a good effort but just did not have

enough left.

Long again opened the game handling the pitching duties and was assisted by Carl Keller in relief.

"This completed our season and although not successful in wins and losses this bunch of guys showed tremendous character and heart."



ST. FRANCIS PUBLIC LIBRARY is displaying the pen and ink and pencil drawings of Jody Gienger in the library gallery.

Herald staff photo by Karen Krien

Graduating senior displays art work at St. Francis Public Library Gallery

By Karen Krien

Jody Gienger, who graduated from St. Francis Community High School in May, has 10 pen and ink and pencil drawings displayed at the St. Francis Public Library. The art work has been on display since May 1 and will be removed Aug. 1 so everyone is urged to stop by and see the art pieces.

Jody, who has been drawing since she was very small, most enjoys drawing barns including each of her grandmother's barns, one of which is on display.

"I liked being able to incorporate several different things into the barn picture including Grandpa's brand," she said.

This year in art class, she drew a picture of her pets. Most of the art works hanging were done in Mary Ludwig's art class from junior high to high school. Her latest experiment in drawing was also done in art class when she watered down the ink used in the pen and ink pictured.

"I thought it added dimension and interest—it was something different,"

she said.

Her art work has won honors at league and state art shows, taking Best of Show one year. She has also entered drawings in the fair where she took home grand champion and reserve champion ribbons. She plans to enter two drawings in the fair next month.

The daughter of Tony and Joan Gienger, Jody plans to attend Colby Community College where she will be majoring in agronomy but noted that she will also be taking some art classes.

Volleyball teams play twice

By Betty Jean Winston

The four St. Francis volleyball teams which play in the summer league in Colby on Mondays and Wednesday were busy again last week.

The Spinners were 1-1 for the week, leaving them with 4-1 record at this time. A number of the Spinners will be seniors at St. Francis Community High School when the new term begins.

The Diggers also went 1-1 for the week and now have a 2-2 record while the Crush were 0-2 for an 0-4 record and the Aces were 1-1 for a 2-3 record.

School Is Great

By Emily Mullins

I think the St. Francis Grade School is great because.. We have great food, we have a funny principal, we have a good P.E. system, We have great music programs and in fifth grade we get to start band.

We have students who aren't on drugs, drink or smoke cigarettes.

We have great teachers! We get to have P.E. outside when it's warm and inside when it's cold. We don't have to wear uniforms. Our secretary and nurse Teri is very, very nice. Mr. Gabel is our principal. He's a real joker.

So come on down to St. Francis, Kansas! You'll be glad you did.

