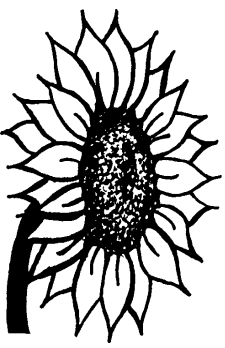


At the Game



C-team boys are busy during opening week

By Betty Jean Winston

The A's, Reds and Sox were all involved in games during the week of June 6 through June 10.

Results from each contest follow:

Monday, June 6
A's 17, Cheylin 27

Cheylin had a strong first inning and lead St. Francis 4-3 at the end of the first inning. From then on St. Francis turned up the heat and came away with a 17-7 victory.

Brett Lampe pitched the first four innings for St. Francis with Dusten Laffond on the mound for the final inning.

"We started off a little rusty and nervous," Coach Rod Lampe said. "Than we came back and played well with good defense and batting."

Ten players collected a hit in the game for an overall team effort.

Hits: Lampe, three; Garrett Figgins, three; Tyler Lauer, two; Brock Zwegardt, two; Ty Zwegardt, two; Lane Hoffman, one; Foster Grant, one; Laffond, one; Dillion Straub, one; Demetrius Tomlin, one.

Sox 20, Cheylin 11

The Sox scored 20 runs against Cheylin 1 on Monday, June 6. Cheylin put their run on the board in the fourth inning while the Sox scored five runs in each inning.

"Excellent pitching by Issac Schiltz," Coach Clay Keller said. "It was a good way to start off the season!"

Having hits were Mason Schiltz, one single; Brooks Hobrock, one double; Isaac Schiltz, one home run, two singles; Ricky Bussell, two singles; Sam Reed, one single

Wednesday, June 8
Reds 14, Cheylin 11

The Reds defeated Cheylin 1 by a score of 14-1 in a makeup game on Wednesday, June 8. Weather had forced a postponement on the scheduled date.

Cody Sherlock pitched the first two innings and the three-inning game while Adam Guthmiller was on the mound for the third inning.

Cheylin 1 scored their run in the second inning while the Reds scored five in the first, five in the second and four in the third.

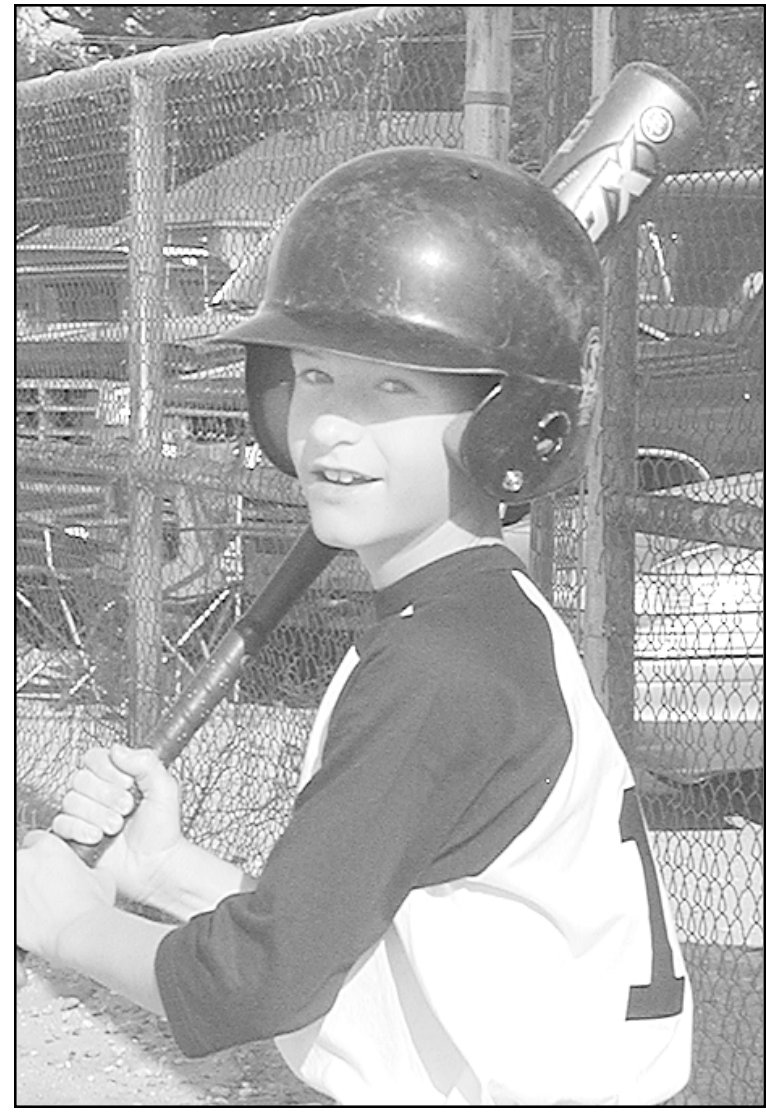
"Adam (Guthmiller) had a home run for us and Cody Sherlock pitched a great game," Coach Larry Finley said. "Kids hit well and played good defense. It was a good team effort."

Hits: Cody Killingsworth, two singles; Guthmiller, home run, single; Brendan Finley, one single, one double; Zach Gienger, one single; Sherlock, one single.

Runs batted in: Guthmiller, three; Killingsworth, two; Finley, two; Gienger, one; Sherlock, one.

Cheylin 2 15, Reds 3

Cody Sherlock, Zach Gienger and Adam Guthmiller each had a single in the make-up game with Cheylin 2.



BATTER UP—Mason Schiltz keeps his eyes on the ball when up to bat.

Herald staff photo by Betty Jean Winston

The final score was a 15-3 loss for the Reds.

Brendan Finley opened the game on the mound, pitching two innings. Gienger came in during the third inning.

The Reds scored all their runs in the first inning with Cheylin 2 scoring five runs in each of the three innings.

"There was good pitching from Cheylin," Reds coach Larry Finley said. "Hits were tough to come by."

Having runs batted in for the Reds were Guthmiller, two; Gienger, one.

Friday, June 10
A's 15, Cheylin 10

The A's scored their second win of the season when they defeated Cheylin 1 on Friday evening by a score of 15-0 in a three inning contest.

Brock Zwegardt pitched the four shutout innings.

"The kids had a lot of fun and played well," Coach Lampe said.

Having hits were Brett Lampe, three; Garrett Figgins, three; Tyler Lauer, three; Brock Zwegardt, two; Ty Zwegardt 2; Lane Hoffman, one; Foster Grant, one; Dusten Laffond, one; Dillion Straub, one; Demetrius Tomlin, one; Dylan Peter, one; Chase Krien, one.

Reds 5, Sox 4

Two St. Francis teams, the Reds and the Sox, met at the ball park on

Friday evening with the Reds scoring four runs in the fifth inning to take a come-from-behind victory.

The Sox earned one run in the first inning, two in the second and one in the third to hold a 4-0 advantage going into the fourth. Isaac Schiltz was pitching for the Sox during the early innings.

The Reds' bats came alive at this point and they had one run in the fourth and four in the fifth for the 5-4 victory.

Cody Sherlock pitched three innings for the Reds and Ross Nicklos was on the mound for the final two innings.

"We needed one more out in the bottom of the fifth for the win and we couldn't get it," Sox coach Clay Keller said.

"A good defensive effort is what kept us in the game," Reds coach Larry Finley said. "There was tough pitching from the Sox. Our kids hung in there and played great defense. The kids never gave up. Cody Sherlock and Ross Nicklos both pitched well."

Hits, Reds: Adam Guthmiller, single; Nicklos, double.
Runs scored, Sox: Tyler Lee, one; Joey McCormick, one; Sam Reed, one; Ricky Bussell, one

Runs batted in, Reds: Sherlock, three; Nicklos, two.



PITCHING MACHINE LEAGUE — Wednesday, June 8, was the opening night of the new season. Kattie Jenik was one of the batters on the Orange team.

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Ball Schedule

Thursday: girls softball, Atwood at St. Francis, C-team, 5 p.m.; Cheylin at St. Francis B-team, 8 p.m.; K-18, St. Francis at Goodland

Friday: C-team boys: 6:30 p.m. Sox vs Cheylin 2, 8 p.m., Sox vs Cheylin 1, at Cheylin, 6:30 p.m. Atwood vs Reds, 8 p.m. Reds vs A's, at St. Francis;

Saturday: girls softball, C-team vs Palisade in St. Francis at 5:30 p.m., B-team vs Palisade in St. Francis at 7 p.m.

Monday: T-Ball: Green vs Orange, 7 p.m., Yellow vs Blue, 8 p.m.; C-team boys: 6:30 p.m. Cheylin 1 at A's, 8 p.m. Cheylin 2 vs Reds, at St. Francis; 6:30 p.m.

Sox vs Atwood, at Atwood; K-18: St. Francis at Atwood

Wednesday:
Pitching Machine:
Green vs Orange, 7 p.m.,
Yellow vs Blue, 8 p.m.

Thursday, June 23: K-18: Colby 2 at St. Francis



Basketball team competes, winning two more games

By Betty Jean Winston

In varsity basketball action on June 8, the St. Francis girls scored two wins and raised their season record to 3-1. They competed first with Atwood 1 and came away with a 33-25 victory and then played Hitchcock County where the final score was 35-17 win. Mark Zimbelman coached the girls as Rich Grace was unavailable.

St. Francis 33, Atwood 1 25

Atwood had a slow start in this contest allowing St. Francis to build up a 14-8 advantage by halftime. St. Francis collected another 19 points in the second half to win the game by eight points, 33-25.

Danielle Flemming led the scoring with nine points, McKenzie Grace and Megan Rice each added seven and Maddie Knodel and Alecia Zimbelman contributed five apiece.

The ladies were 34 percent from the field (14/41) and 36 percent (4/11) from the free-throw line. Five assists were recorded

Defensively they had 23 rebounds and 10 steals with Rice leading in both categories. She had seven boards and

three assists.

Besides Rice, Zimbelman had six rebounds, Knodel five, Erin Neitzel, one, Grace, one; Addie Swihart, one; Brittany Lucas, one; and Lauren Ross, one. Nine of the rebounds were offensive while 14 were defensive.

Receiving credit for steals along with Rice were Ross and Grace with two each and Neitzel, Schuyler Coastes and Zimbelman, one apiece.

St. Francis 35, Hitchcock County 17

After a 16-13 first half, St. Francis shut down the Hitchcock scoring allowing them only four points in the final half of play, while they added 19 points for the 35-17 win.

Rice was the leading scorer with nine points and she also led in assists with five. The team had eight steals and 11 assists offensively and had 10 offensive rebounds and 13 defensive.

Again the shooting percentages were in the 30's as they were 34 from the field and 33 from the line. They attempted 47 field goals and

connected with 16 while they had only three free-throw opportunities and made one.

Others scoring besides Rice were Grace with eight points, Flemming six, Zimbelman, four, Ross, two; Lucas, two; Knodel, two; and Neitzel, two.

In a team effort, nine players contributed to the 23 rebounds. Neitzel and Knodel led the way five each, while Rice had four; Ross, three; Zimbelman, two; and Grace, Swihart, Lucas and Andrea Holzwarth, one each.

In the area of assists besides Rice having five, Ross had two and Lucas, Flemming, Grace and Neitzel, one each.

The team had 14 turnover in the contest.

Next action

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Tournament action begins June 29.

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