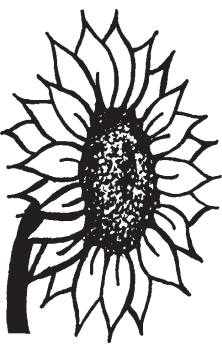


# The Saint Francis Herald

# At the Game



## Team finishes season

By Betty Jean Winston

St. Francis and Hoxie met in the first match of the Hoxie Sub-State Volleyball Tournament held Saturday. It took three games for Hoxie to eliminate St. Francis from the end-of-the season play. The final scores were 14-25, 26-24, 23-25 with St. Francis giving a valiant effort in the last two games to stay in the competition.

Hill City was the final winner of the tournament and earned the right to attend the 2A State Tournament this weekend. Teams winning the first round were Hoxie, Rawlins County; Quinter and Hill City. In the semifinals Hoxie and Hill City prevailed with Hill City taking the final match in two games.

"We got off to a poor start in the match," Coach Kent Kechter said. "The poor start was not due to any lack of effort or execution by the girls, but due to the fact that every bounce went against us. The ball hit our blocks and the net many times and bounced where it was nearly impossible to play it.

"Our intensity and effort was great throughout the match. We played well.

"We had a lead in the deciding game of the match, but Hoxie made a couple of outstanding plays to take the victory.

The team ended the season with a 7-21 record. Season stats will be printed in *The Saint Francis Herald* next week.

### vs Hoxie 14-25, 26-24, 23-25

The Lady Indians were 88.9 percent on serves (56/63); 87.5 percent on attack (91/104); sets: 93 attempts, 73 on target, 12 others playable; passes: 139 attempts, 73 on target, 37 more playable.

Serves: Ally Reichert 16/17, McKenzie Grace 15/16, Alecia Zimbelman 7/8, Dara Loyd 6/8, Talisa Voorhies 7/7, Maddie Knodel 5/7. Serving 100 percent was Voorhies.

Aces: Grace 3, Reichert 3, Knodel 1, Loyd 1.



ALLY REICHERT (35) bumps the ball while Lauren Ross (11) and Maddie Knodel (33) prepare to help if needed.

Herald staff photo by Betty Jean Winston

Service points: Reichert 11, Grace 9, Zimbelman 4, Voorhies 3, Loyd 3, Knodel 1,

Hitting (attempts/in): Reichert 29/34, Voorhies 26/29, Zimbelman 14/16, Kattie Ford 9/10, Lauren Ross 7/9, Grace 2/2, Shaina Gohl 2/2, Knodel 1/1,

Loyd 1/1. Hitting 100 percent were Grace, Gohl, Knodel, Loyd. Kills: Voorhies 11, Reichert 6, Ford 2, Ross 1.

Sets (attempts/on target/playable): Grace 40/34/3, Loyd 22/17/3, Ford 10/7/3, Ross 7/5/1, Voorhies 5/4/1, Reichert 5/3/1,

Gohl 3/2/1, Zimbelman 1/1/0.

Passing (attempts/on target/playable): Ross 33/15/11, Stuffs: Ford 2, Voorhies 2, Gohl 1, Zimbelman 1. Digs/saves: Voorhies 7, Ross 7, Grace 5, Zimbelman 3, Loyd 3, Knodel 2, Reichert 2, Ford 2, Gohl 1.

Blocks: Gohl 4, Reichert 2, Ross 2, Zimbelman 1, Ford 1.

Stuffs: Ford 2, Voorhies 2, Gohl 1, Zimbelman 1.

Digs/saves: Voorhies 7, Ross 7, Grace 5, Zimbelman 3, Loyd 3, Knodel 2, Reichert 2, Ford 2, Gohl 1.

## League tournament A-team games held in St. Francis

By Betty Jean Winston

With A-team action in St. Francis and B-team competition in Colby, the junior high volleyball teams of the Northwest Kansas League, played their final tournament of the season.

### A-team

Quinter won the championship match in the A-team division. They defeated Oakley in the match for first place. The final placings saw Quinter, first; Oakley, second; Colby, third; St. Francis, fourth; Oberlin, fifth; Goodland, sixth; Hoxie, seventh, and Rawlins County, eighth.

St. Francis met Oberlin the first match and came away with a win. Scores were 16-25, 25-22, 15-11.

"This was a very intense game," Coach Terri Orth said. "We started out very slow, but eventually were able to pull ahead for the win."

Scoring: game one: Lexee Reichert 3, Sarah Trembly 3, Kaycee Williams 2; game two: Ally Marin 4, Jodie Hilt 3, Brittany Henderson 2, Reichert 1, Trembly 1, Dale Northrup 1; game three: Marin 4, Reichert 3, Trembly 1.

Quinter defeated St. Francis in the next matchup. The scores were 16-25, 25-22, 10-15.

"The girls played in slow motion in the first game," Coach Orth said. "Then played better in the second and third.

"We gave up too many rally points in the third to get the win."

Scoring: game one: Reichert 3, Trembly 3, Williams 2; game two: Marin 4, Hilt 3, Henderson 2, Reichert 1, Trembly 1, Shayla Hilt 1; game three: Marin 4.

Colby placed third in the tournament by defeating St. Francis in the final match. The scores were 22-25, 13-25.

"In the third game of the day with Colby the girls played a tight first match," Coach Orth said. "However, the second match was not in our favor. We once again gave up too many rally points.

"Overall our season was successful. We ended the season with an 8-5 record. The best record we've had in a long time of junior high history."

### B-team

The St. Francis B-team played Goodland, Quinter and Hoxie during the day in Colby. St. Francis finished in seventh place by defeating Hoxie in the final game.

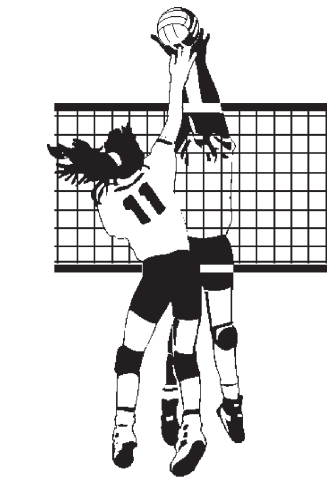
In game one, the final scores with Goodland were 12-25, 14-25.

"The first game jitters were stronger than our serves and confidence," Coach Kathy Rainbolt said. "Sainty had the potential to beat the Cowgirls but we couldn't pull it together."

Scoring: game one: Aubree Schlepp 2, BreAna Zwegygart 1, Brittney Stately 1, Jeri Merchant 1, Amber Smull 1; game two: Schlepp 2, Mikaela Grace 2, Zwegygart 1, Stately 1, Merchant 1.

Quinter defeated the St. Francis B-team in the second match. The scores were 12-25, 25-20 and 12-15.

Scoring: game one: Zwegygart 2, Schlepp 2, Grace 2, Alyssa Lee 2, Stately 1, Smull 1; game two: Zwegygart, 7 with 5 aces; Grace 3 with 2 aces, Schlepp 3, Smull 2, Stately 1, Lee 1; game three:



Zwegygart 4, Schlepp 2, Grace 1, Stately 1, Lee 1.

"This was a much better game!" Coach Rainbolt said. "The girls were going after the ball and getting the serves. I was proud of them.

"Our second game was strong with improved serving. The third game we lead all the way except for the last couple of minutes. It was a heart breaker."

The final scores with Hoxie were 25-9, 26-24 giving the Ladies a win to end the season.

"Great Game!" Coach Rainbolt said. "Good serves with several of those being aces. It was a great way to finish the season.

"I have enjoyed working with these young ladies. They have great potential for the future."

Scoring: game one: Zwegygart, 8 with 4 aces; Smull 7 with 2 aces, Desirae Walz 3, Schlepp 1, Lee 1; game two: Zwegygart, 6 with 3 aces; Schlepp 4 with 1 ace, Grace 2 with 2 aces, Lee 2 with 1 ace.

## Bowling News

### Monday Night Mixed 10/17

Team standings: Frewen Insurance 14-6, Fearless 4 Some 12-8, Neitzel Insurance 10-10, Captain Hooks Fine Dining 10-10, Krien Pharmacy 8-12, Bowled and Beautiful 6-14

High game (handicap): Janice Krien 225, Arrie Cox 224, Earl Hankins and Erica Harlan 222, Royce Gienger 219, Tammy Zimbelman 210

High series (handicap): Krien 610, Gienger 607, Cox 605, Hankins 604, Zimbelman 582, Peg Horinek 570

### Wednesday Afternoon Coffee 10/19

Team standings: Cheyenne Bowl 26-2, Windmill Restaurant 17.5-10.5, Haigler Babes 16-12, Dairy King 11.5-16.5, Kathy's Cater Cats 8-20

High game (scratch): Debbie Bush 209, Pat Rose 164, Marlys Poulignot 164, Handicap: Bush 263, Carol Peterson 225, Vicki Cox 218

High series (scratch): Bush 486, Poulignot 464, Barb Cobb 456, Handicap: Bush 648, Martha Stothard 607, Poulignot 602

### Wednesday Night Mens: 10/19

Team standings: Haigler 20-8, 2001 Electronics 17-7, Grace Flying 16-12, Post Plumbing 16-8, Krien Steel 14-14, 1st National Bank 13-15

High game (scratch): Ed Zuege Dan Post 205, Wayne Mahon 201

High series (scratch): Post 540, Bob Lippert 537, Mahon 526

### Ladies Nite Out 10/20

Team standings: Bankwest Alley Cats 29-7, Dundy Ag 23-13, Wright Carpet 22+-13+, Jersey Maids 18-18, Stockmans Strikers 17-19, Wray Meat Packing 13-23, Mel's Gal's 12+-23+, Cheyenne Bowl 11-25.

High game (scratch): Tammy Zimbelman 201, Terry Yost 192, Sara Schield 185; handicap: Schield 230, Zimbelman 228, Rhonda Olson 221

High series (scratch): Zimbelman 513, Kathy Blecha 489, Schield 475; handicap: Schield 610, Olson 610, Blecha 600.

## Sainty Ladies compete

By Betty Jean Winston

On Monday, Oct. 17, Colby and St. Francis played the junior high volleyball matches originally planned for Monday, Oct. 10.

The St. Francis A-team scored a 25-15, 25-1 win in this contest. This was a nice outing to prepare for the tournament scheduled for Thursday, Oct. 20.

The young Lady Indian C-team also defeated Colby. The scores in this match were 25-22, 25-14. Colby ended up with a win in the B-team match up. The St. Francis B-team was on the bottom end of the following scores 16-25, 8-25.

Results of the B-team at the Hoxie Tournament are also available and follow below the Colby action.

### A-team 25-15, 25-1

"The girls played well," Coach Terri Orth said. "After having two full week's off, they were ready to get back on the court to see some action."

Scoring: game one: Sarah Trembly 7, Lexee Reichert 6, Brittany Henderson 2, Christina Hilt 1; game two: Henderson 17, Reichert 7.

### B-team

#### vs Colby 16-25, 8-25

"After two weeks off from games, the 'B' team had a very good beginning with Colby," Coach Kathy Rainbolt said. "However, they could not pull off a victory.

"In the first game they displayed good fundamentals of setting, spiking and serving.

"In the second game we ran out of energy and couldn't pull it together."

Scoring: game one: Aubree Schlepp 3, Brittney Stately 3, BreAna Zwegygart 2, Amber Smull 2, Mikaela Grace 1, Alyssa Lee 1; game two: Schlepp 3, Smull 2, Grace 2.

### C-team 25-23, 25-13.

The junior high C-team defeated Colby 25-22 and 25-13.

Scoring: game one: Stately 5, Desirae Walz 2, Schlepp 2, Grace 2, Zwegygart 1, Smull 1; game two: Smull 8, Schlepp 5, Jeri Merchant 2, Stately 2.

### Hoxie Tournament

#### B-team

St. Francis competed with Hoxie, WaKeeney, Oberlin and Norton on Sept. 24. The day ended with two wins and two losses for the Sainty girls. They defeated Hoxie and WaKeeney and lost to Oberlin and Norton.

"This tournament is a fun tournament to play in," Coach Rainbolt said. "Our girls played strong as a team and developed confidence in themselves and each other.

"Amber Smull, BreAna Zwegygart and Aubree Schlepp dominated in our serving."

The scores for the Hoxie contest were 25-14, 25-13.

"The team was very focused and played a great game," Coach Rainbolt said.

Three games were necessary before St. Francis could claim the victory over WaKeeney. The scores were 12-25, 25-16, 15-9.

"This was a tough WaKeeney team and our girls played extremely well and confident," Coach Rainbolt said. "I was so proud of them."

"Our serves were hot!" Against Oberlin the finals were 25-11, 14-25, 9-15.

"It was fun to take this set into three," Coach Rainbolt said "Oberlin has a strong team and we gave them a good run for it.

"We played quite well against Norton. The scores were 14-25, 19-25.

## Team wins over Colby Monday

By Betty Jean Winston

The junior high football team won their final game of the year which gave them a winning 4-3 overall record for the season.

On Monday, Oct. 17 they defeated Colby 22-6 for the win.

"Colby has a good young team and we had a hard time getting anything going on them early," Coach Jeff Beims said. "I think by the second quarter we

began to wear on them a little. Our line started playing hard-nosed football.

"I'm not sure why they waited until the second quarter to get started, but better late than never.

St. Francis scored in the second quarter on an 8-yard run by Matt Raile. Raile passed to Terrence Lamb for two conversions points.

Also in the second quarter, Drew Zwegygart scored on a 15-yard run

with Lamb adding two conversion points.

In the third quarter Trent Raile had a 73-yard punt return for a touchdown. No conversion points were scored.

"It was a pretty good season for us. I think these guys learned a lot about football, and about themselves and what they are capable of with a little teamwork and consistency.