

Eagle track teams finish in top five



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Colby's Cole Finley watched one of his puts during the Northwest Kansas League meet Friday in Oakley. Colby finished third at the meet. Finley finished with an 89.

Colby boy golfers take third at league

Three players finishing in the top 10 was not good enough for Colby, as they finished third as a team Friday at the Northwest Kansas League golf meet in Oakley.

Colby's Ryley Haas and Dylan Stithem tied for fourth place with a 78. Hoxie's Jake Moss also scored a 78.

Colby's R.J. Ladenburger scored an 80 and tied for sixth with Zach Ruda of Rawlins County-Atwood.

Colby scored a 320 and finished behind meet winner Goodland, 312 and Hoxie 318. Behind Colby were Decatur County, 342; Quinter, 348; Rawlins County,

382 and Oakley, 409. Other Colby golfers and scores were Kyle Molstad, 84, and Cole Finley, 89.

Colby competed in the regional tournament today at Russell.

Colby girls finished fourth with 72 points Friday at the Northwest Kansas League meet held in Goodland.

Oberlin won the meet with 115 points followed by Rawlins County, 101; Oakley, 95; Colby; Saint Francis, 72; Goodland, 42; Quinter, 34 and Hoxie, 24.

- Girls
- 100 meter
 - 3rd, April Gee; :13.30.
 - 200 meter
 - 2nd, Gee; :27.33; 5th, Carleigh Dempewolf; :27.66
 - 400 meter
 - 3rd, Lissa Mazanec, 1:03.6; 5th, April Weaver, 1:36.
 - 1600 meter
 - 5th, Kelly Gerstner, 6:23.
 - 3200 meter
 - 4th, Gerstner, 14:24; 6th, Barbarba Bickner, 14:39.21.
 - 100 meter hurdles
 - 6th, Ariel Coon, :18.67.
 - 4x100 meter relay
 - 1st, Colby; :51.22.
 - 4x400 relay
 - 3rd, Colby, 4:22.
 - High jump
 - 5th, Tasha Wagoner, 4-8.
 - Pole vault
 - 5th, Lexie Garcia, 7-0.
 - Triple jump
 - 2nd, Gee, 34-5.
 - Discus
 - 1st, Mazanec, 129-11.

Colby boys finished second at the Northwest Kansas League meet held Friday in Goodland. Colby scored 94 points and trailed Rawlins County which scored 117.5.

Behind Colby were Saint Francis, 83; Goodland, 71; Hoxie, 54; Oakley, 53; Quinter, 43.5 and Oberlin, 39.

Colby boys finished second at the Northwest Kansas League meet through Saturday. Head coach Jeff Becker said every athlete has a great chance of receiving All-American honors — finishing in the top 8.

Colby women qualified in eight events led by Betty Rotich. Rotich, (Kenya, sophomore), will compete in the 1500, 5000 and 10,000 meters. Loree Siruta, (Johnson,



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Colby's Mitchell Tuma, left, and Scott McCoy, center, sped toward the finish line in a sprint event Friday at the Northwest Kansas League meet in Goodland.

- Boys
- Long jump
 - 5th, Ethan Stickel, 11-0
 - Javelin
 - 2nd, Ethan Stover, 163-4; 4th, Mitchell Tuma, 147-3.
 - High jump
 - 4th, Scott McCoy, 5-6.
 - Discus
 - 4th, Ryan McCoy, 5-1.75.
 - 4x800 meter relay
 - 3rd, 8:35.
 - 100 meter
 - 1st, Tuma, :11.10; 4th, Scott McCoy; :11.59; Eli Robert, :11.67.
 - 1600 meter
 - 2nd, Josh Baden, 4:40.
 - 4x100 relay
 - 2nd, :44.4
 - 400 meter
 - 4th, Ryan McCoy, :54.40; 5th,

- Heath Stephens, :54.59.
- 800 meter
- 3rd, Darren Sporing, 2:00.
- 200 meter
- 2nd, Tuma, :23.02
- 3200 meter
- 2nd, Baden, 10:25.
- 4x400 relay
- 5th, 3:39.
- The regional meet is Friday in Clearwater.

Colby Trojans to send 10 to national track meet

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The Colby Community College track and field team will send 10 members to the NJCAA Outdoor Track Championships in Coffeyville on Thursday.

The NJCAA Championships run

through Saturday. Head coach Jeff Becker said every athlete has a great chance of receiving All-American honors — finishing in the top 8.

Colby women qualified in eight events led by Betty Rotich. Rotich, (Kenya, sophomore), will compete in the 1500, 5000 and 10,000 meters. Loree Siruta, (Johnson,

sophomore) qualified in the heptathlon and the triple jump. Erin Henke (Osborne, freshman) qualified in the javelin.

Two relays also qualified for the women, the 4 x 400 relay and the 4 x 800 relay.

The 4 x 400 relay consists of Amanda Daugherty, (Ulysses, sophomore) Siruta; Vicmari

Prospero, Puerto Rico freshman; and Sherry-Ann Baggoo, (Trinidad and Tobago, freshman).

Becker said the 4 x 800 team is not set yet, but four of the following (Baggao, Rotich, Siruta, Daugherty, Lauren Kaiser, Colby sophomore; or Amy Hoff, Oakley freshman) would run.

The men had two qualify for na-

tionals. Sandino Nero (Trinidad and Tobago freshman) qualified in two events, the 5000 and 10,000 meters. Onesmus Too, (Kenya, sophomore) qualified in the 800 meters.

Becker said the ladies team has a great shot at placing as a team at the championships, and will look to improve on their seventh place finish at the Region VI meet.



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