

Eagle boys give Colby sixth league championship this year

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Already with five Northwest Kansas League championship trophies in their possession, the Colby Eagles added another to their seemingly endless collection over the weekend.

Like the volleyball, girls cross-country, wrestling and boys and girls basketball teams before them, the Colby High boys track team captured a Northwest Kansas League crown by winning the league meet Friday at Dennen Field.

Colby's 136.5 points left second-place Oakley in the rearview mirror. The Plainsmen finished second with 89 points and third-place Rawlins County had 76.

The Lady Eagles nearly gave Colby High their seventh league title this year, but fell just short of Oakley for first place.

The Lady Plainsmen scored 137 points, Colby finished second with 120 points and Rawlins County came in third with 99 points.

The star of the day for the Eagles was senior Josh Baden, who pulled off another trifecta in the distance races.

Baden finished first in the 800, 1600 and 3200 meter events. It's the second time in the last three meets he's accomplished that feat.

Also turning in another strong all-around performance was senior Mitchell Tuma.

Tuma won the 200 meter dash, finished second in the long jump, third in the 100 meters and the fastest leg on Colby's 4 x 100 meter relay team, which finished second.

Ethan Stover and Ryan McCoy were Colby's other two league champions for the boys. Stove won the javlin and McCoy won the long jump.

McCoy also finished third in the triple jump.

The Lady Eagles were led by a trio of underclassmen in freshmen Kayla Hockersmith and Katrina Kaus and sophomore April Gee.

Hockersmith won the high jump, finished third in the 100 and 300 hurdles and ran the fastest leg on Colby's 4 x 100 relay team, which finished third.

Kaus won the 3200 meter run, but was edged out by Rawlins County's Laura Wolters in the 1600 meter run. She finished second and sister Katherine finished



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Colby senior Mitchell Tuma, middle, raced for the finish line during the 4 x 100 meter relay race at the Northwest Kansas League meet Friday at Dennen Field. The Eagles finished second in the event, but won the overall team title with 136.5 points.

just over two seconds behind her in third.

Gee had four top-five finishes including a second place finish in the 200 meters and the long jump. She also finished third in the 100 meters and in the triple jump.

In a bit of a surprise, Lissa Mazanec, who won the state discus title as a sophomore, was topped by Rawlins County's Sara Miller. Mazanec still finished second. Taylor Young finished third and Paige Stephens came in fifth.

Mazanec added a fourth place finish in the shot put and in the javelin.

Colby will now set their sights on getting to state when they host the regional meet Friday at Dennen Field.

The meet will include 16 teams. The top four finishers in each of the 18 events will qualify for the state tournament May 23-24 in Wichita.

Full league meet results are listed below.

Boys
(DNP= did not place)

- 100/110 Hurdles**
1. Trent Kinen (St. Francis) :15.29
5. Andrew Flanagin :16.58
DNP Joseph Hutfles :19.72

100 Meters

1. Jacob Fortin (Oberlin) :11.01
3. Mitchell Tuma :11.39
5. James Bomba :11.40
DNP Scott McCoy Inj.

200 Meters

1. Mitchell Tuma :22.73
4. Heath Stephens :23.81
DNP Corbin Stephens :25.09

1600 Meters

1. Josh Baden 04:38.9
5. Christian Wilson 05:13.4
DNP Torey Taylor 05:30.6

400 Meters

1. Jacob Fortin (Oberlin) :52.32
DNP Ryan Parker 1:00.43

300 Hurdles

1. Trent Kinen (St. Francis) :41.13
6. Andrew Flanagin :44.67
DNP Joseph Hutfles :48.31

800 Meters

1. Josh Baden 02:05.64
6. Ryan Baalman 02:15.5
DNP Kalen Rasmussen 02:21.1

3200 Meters

1. Josh Baden 10:29.4
3. Breck Arnberger 11:05.70

Shot Put

1. John Binning (Rawlins County) 54-3.50
5. Matt Ryan 40-0

DNP Brady Rundel 38-0
DNP Adam Weber 37-5

Discus

1. T.J. Hawkins (Goodland) 158-8
5. Ethan Stover 130-6
DNP Tanner Kriss 103-1
DNP Travis Parker 96-10

Javelin

1. Ethan Stover 166-8
DNP Brady Rundel 126-11
DNP Travis Parker 124-5

High Jump

1. Joel Scott (Hoxie) 6-2
2. Corbin Stephens 5-8
3. Scott McCoy 5-8
5. Andrew Flanagin 5-6

Pole Vault

1. Ted Crabtree (St. Francis) 13-0

Long Jump

1. Ryan McCoy 19-9.25
2. Mitchell Tuma 19-4.5
DNP Tanner Kriss 17-9.5

Triple Jump

1. Justin Roesch (Quinter) 39-1
3. Ryan McCoy 38-9
6. Kale Arnberger 36-4.5

4 x 800 Relay (3rd, 08:56.3)

1. Ryan Baalman 02:10.3
2. Kalen Rasmussen 02:17.7
3. Chase Moore 02:18.2
4. Breck Arnberger 02:10.2

4 x 100 Relay (2nd, 45:24)

1. Heath Stephens :11.7
2. James Bomba :11.2
3. Corbin Stephens :11.6
4. Mitchell Tuma :10.8

4 x 400 Relay (4th, 03:39.1)

1. Heath Stephens :52.9
2. Kalen Rasmussen :54.9
3. Andrew Flanagin :54.8
4. Ryan Baalman :53.8

Girls

100 Hurdles

1. Macy Migchelbrink (Rawlins County) :15.86
3. Kayla Hockersmith :17.05
6. Rachel Lamm :17.93

DNP Lauren Shoaff :18.30

100 Meters

1. Alicia Cooksey (Oakley) :12.95
3. April Gee :13.26
6. Ali Barton :13.47
DNP Allison Giersch :13.94

200 Meters

1. Alicia Cooksey (Oakley) :27.21
2. April Gee :27.25
6. Ali Barton :28.55
DNP Anna Taylor :29.84

1600 Meters

1. Laura Wolters (Oberlin) 05:47.73
2. Katrina Kaus :05:54.40
3. Katherine Kaus :05:56.88
DNP Kelly Gerstner 06:31.57

400 Meters

1. Dayna Kuhlman (Oakley) 01:46
DNP Kim Gerstner 01:11.76

300 Hurdles

1. Macy Migchelbrink (Rawlins County) :47.98
3. Kayla Hockersmith :51.72
4. Rachel Lamm :53.59

800 Meters

1. Laura Wolters (Rawlins County) 02:26.60
5. Katherine Kaus 02:47.1
DNP Kylie Reitcheck 02:52.2

3200 Meters

1. Katrina Kaus 12:49.52
5. Kelly Gerstner 14:29.18

Shot Put

1. Sara Miller (Rawlins County) 36-1.5
4. Lissa Mazanec 34-3.25
DNP Paige Stephens 30-10.5
DNP Taylor Young 27-10.25

Discus

1. Sara Miller (Rawlins County) 134-1
2. Lissa Mazanec 129-7
4. Taylor Young 107-1
5. Paige Stephens 104-9

134-1

Javelin

1. Janell Racette (Oakley) 109-0
4. Lissa Mazanec 103-4
DNP Taylor Young 85-7.50
DNP Paige Stephens 81-8

High Jump

1. Kayla Hockersmith 4-8
T 5th Kim Gerstner 4-2
T 5th Ashley Standage 4-2

Pole Vault

1. Brandi Diedrich (Oberlin) 8-6

Long Jump

1. Macy Migchelbrink (Rawlins County) 15-11
2. April Gee 15-6.25
DNP Tasha Wagoner 14-.50
DNP Kim Gerstner 13-3.50

Triple Jump

1. Dayna Kuhlman (Oakley) 36-2.50
3. April Gee 33-6.75
5. Tasha Wagoner 30-11.50
DNP Ashley Standage 26-11.50

4 x 800 Relay (6th, 13:14.5)

1. Anna Taylor 03:11.9
2. Ashley Standage 03:12.4
3. Katie Ostmeyer 03:26.6
4. Kelsey Voss 03:23.6

4 x 100 Relay (3rd, 54.04)

1. Ali Barton :14.08
2. Kayla Hockersmith :12.4
3. Caitlin Wright :14.5
4. Tasha Wagoner :13.3

4 x 400 Relay (6th, 04:42)

1. Tasha Wagoner 01:06.7
2. Kylie Reitcheck 01:14.1
3. Katherine Kaus 01:09.1
4. Kim Gerstner 01:12.1



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Lady Eagle sophomore April Gee couldn't bare to watch during this attempt in the triple jump. Gee finished third (33-6.75).



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Eagle freshman Andrew Flanagin competed in the 100 meter hurdles, finishing fifth with a time of :16.58.

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