

# Lady Eagles finish first and break losing streak

The Colby High girls' golf team did something last week it hadn't done for more than a decade — placed first at a golf tournament.

Coach Rick Williams said he thought that it had been 15 years since the team had won a tournament.

"Back when I started coaching the team, we didn't even have enough players to compete as a team at the championship," he said. "We could only compete as individuals."

The Lady Eagles took first at the Oakley Varsity Invitational among five teams. They were Colby, Goodland, Oakley, WaKeeney and Thomas More Prep-Marian of Hays.

The Lady Eagles had three girls place at the tournament.

Senior Jessica Leiker finished fifth, sophomore Audra Fleming seventh, and senior Kayla Sloan ninth. Freshman Kaylee Keck was ill and did not play.

Coach Rick Williams said he was pleased with the team's performance.

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"I was really proud of the girls for overcoming adversity to still win the team title at Oakley," he said. "We knew we had a great chance to win this tournament with our full team, but it was awesome that we were still able to win the tourney even though we were shorthanded."

He said he was happy with how the girls played.

"This was a great team win," Williams said. "We were able to post some solid scores."

"No one on the team 'careered it,' or set a personal best, but everyone played solid and we were able to win because we counted four solid scores."

He praised Sloan for winning her first varsity medal.

"Kayla has only been golfing since last year and has shown great improvement," he said.

The team will play again at 1 p.m. on Thursday at the Syracuse Invitational.



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Sophomore Audra Fleming placed seventh at the Oakley Invitational on Saturday and the Lady Eagles placed first as a team. Coach Rick Williams said he thought that it had been 15 years since the Eagles placed first at a tournament.

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After kicking a 55-yard field goal that would have been good from 70 yards Sunday, Prater said he wants the chance to beat the

NFL record of 63 yards held by Tom Dempsey and the man he replaced in Denver, Jason Elam.

"I'd love to get the opportunity, especially here in Denver," Prater said. "It would be awesome to get the opportunity to do it, and hopefully I can keep it straight."

Hardly anybody knew about Prater when the season started.

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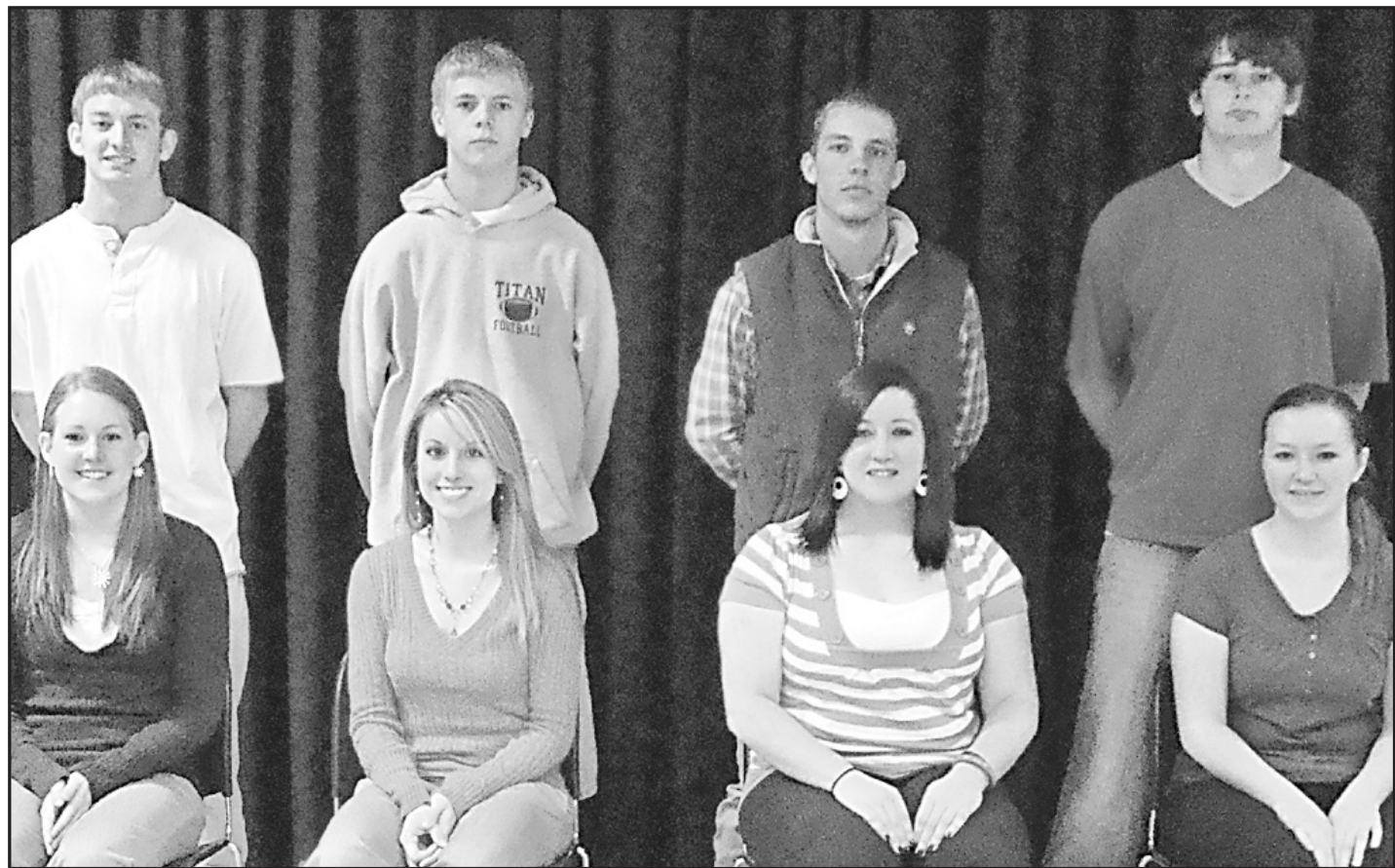
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Girls: Britt Kammer, Melissa Crumrine, Aleisha Bremenkamp, Leanna Burkholder.  
Boys: Ethan Kammer, Chance Cranston, Austin Klemm, T.J. Preston.

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