

Kids wrestling club splits up for tourneys

The Colby Kids Wrestling Club took wrestlers to two tournaments on Jan. 14, one in Atwood and the other in Ellis. The wrestlers also split up on Jan. 21, going to the Norton and Manhattan tournaments.

ATWOOD RESULTS

At the Atwood tournament in the 6 and under group, Jaxson Carney, 40 pounds, took fifth place; Kaeden McCarty, 43, first; Talon Wark, 40, fourth; Blaine Beckley, 43, fourth; Blake Beckley, 43, third; Drew Dennis, 43, third; Joe Leijia, 43, third; Noach Matchell, 46, second; Max Kersenbrock, 46, second; Lauden Barrett, 49, fourth; Tucker Wark, 52, first; Brayden Imhof, 55, third; Mason Kersenbrock, 61, fourth; Mason Givens, 67, third; Jason Krannawitter, 55, did not place; Roberto Loya, 58, third; Keden Frahm, 58, fifth; Thomas Norris, 61, fourth; Isaac Smith, 67, did not place; Dawsyn Lemman, 70, second; Shawn Brown, 73, third; and Jud Rose, 80, fourth.

In the 10 and under category, Brysen Barton, 67 pounds, took fourth place, Kurt Schroeder, 67, first; Austin Reed, 73, third; Bradyn Blackhart, 79, second; Brett Smollock, 79, third; Blasie Vrbas, 79, did not place; Tyler Harry, 90, fourth; and Brett Morris, 90, second.

In 12 and under, Zachary Hart, 110 pounds, took first place.

In 14 and under, Ernie Leija, 80 pounds, took second place.

ELLIS RESULTS

At the Ellis tourney in the 6 and under group, Baylei Kraft, 49 pounds, took first place and Alec Wildeman, 52, second.

In the 8 and under category, Conner Lanning, 55 pounds, took first place; Tyler Voss, 67, first; and Declan Ryan, heavyweight, second.

In 10 and under, Rathe Aschenbrenner, 67 pounds, took second place, Braden Schritter, 67, fourth; Thane Wildeman, 67, second; Riley Kraft, 70, did not place; Konnor Griffin, 73, second; Cade Lanning, 76, did not place; and Tucker Branum, 110, first.

In the 12 and under group, Braiden Lynn, 72 pounds, took first place; Sean Rall, 92, fourth; and Lucas Taylor, 165, first.

NORTON RESULTS

At the Norton tourney in the 6 and under category, Jaxson Carney, 40 pounds, did not place; Kaeden McCarty, 43, did not place; Talon Wark, 40, fourth; Blake Beckley, 43, first; Max Kersenbrock, 46, did not place; Baylei Kraft, 49, third; Tucker Wark, 52, fourth; Bryant Wildeman, 61, first; and Mason

Kersenbrock, 61, third.

In 8 and under, Brayden Imhof, 55 pounds, took third place; Conner Lanning, 55, did not place; Roberto Loya, 58, did not place; Keden Frahm, 58, fourth; Tyler Voss, 67, first; Rojelio Loya, 67, first; and Hagan Booi, 95, first.

In the 10 and under group, Braden Schritter, 67, did not place; Riley Kraft, 70, first; Matthew Schritter, 70, did not place; Konnor Griffin, 73, did not place; Cade Lanning, 76, third; Bradyn Blackhart, 79, second; Brett Smollock, 79, third; Blasie Vrbas, 79, did not place; Tyler Harry, 90, did not place; Brett Morris, 90, did not place; and Tucker Branum, 110, first.

In 12 and under, Sean Rall, 92 pounds, took second place and Zachary Hart, 110, took second.

MANHATTAN RESULTS

At the Manhattan tournament in the 8 and under category, Declan Ryan, heavyweight, took first place.

In the 10 and under group, Rathe Aschenbrenner, 67, took first place.

In 12 and under, Braiden Lynn, 68, took first place.

In the 14 and under category, Brooke Zieglmeier and Brennan Zieglmeier took second place.



KAYLA CORNETT/Colby Free Press

Dylon Braun looked at his opponent from Pratt Community College during a Colby Community College wrestling dual Thursday at Colby High School. Braun won his match in the 184-pound weight class.

Trojans take seventh at Kansas Cup tourney

Colby Community College wrestlers traveled to Baldwin City on Sunday to compete in the Kansas Cup Wrestling Invitational.

The Trojans finished the tournament in seventh place with 60 points. Baker University won the tournament with 121 points. Other schools competing in the event were Labette Community College, Fort Hays State University, Neosho Community College, Pratt Community College, Bethany College and

Newman University.

Colby's Josh Martinez, 133 pounds, finished third. Kane Lavvorn finished second at 149. Bryce Lewis, 165, also finished in second place. In the heavyweight division, Fabian Guerrero finished in fifth place.

The next meet for the Trojans will be Saturday, Feb. 11 at Chanute.

Middle school Lady Bulldogs continue win streak in Tribune

By Jordan Christensen

Golden Plains Middle School

The Golden Plains Middle School teams traveled to Tribune for another rough game of basketball.

The girls got off to a slow start Jan. 19, only managing 5 points in the first quarter, but due to the Bulldogs' great defense, the Lady Panthers only got 2 to fall.

The 'Dogs came out a lot stronger in the second, with Kami Miller lighting up the basket, adding 8 to the scoreboard by herself, along with another 3 from Tayler Petersen and 1 from Kynndra Rush to end the half with an 18-8 lead.

Things cooled down for Golden Plains in the third

while the Lady Panthers got their highest score of the game with 9. After a few encouraging words from the coaches, Golden Plains finished out the game strong in the fourth, adding another 13 to their side and only allowing 4 for Tribune. The final score was 33-21, giving the Bulldogs another win to add to their now 8-1 record.

Miller led the team with 15 points, while Petersen added 8, Rush 5 Gabrielle Schiltz 4 and Maddy Walz 1.

"Even though this wasn't our best play, we stayed positive despite the mistakes," Miller said of the game. "Hopefully, we can learn from this game and use it to improve our skills throughout the rest of the season."

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