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Senior Wiatt Binder tried to get to the basket Tuesday during a Colby High varsity boys basketball game against Goodland at the Community Building. The Eagles fell to the Cowboys 65-40.

High school girls win over Goodland 62-39

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The Colby High varsity girls crushed the Goodland Cowgirls 62-39 at the Community Building on Tuesday.

The Lady Eagles started strong with 13 points in the first quarter while Goodland only put in 6. Then the Colby girls slipped a little in the second, getting outscored 10-5 by the Cowgirls to make the score 18-16 at the half.

Colby was unstoppable in the third and fourth quarters, though, scoring 22 points in each. Goodland had 7 in the third, but managed 16 in the fourth.

Senior Lauren Bell led Colby in scoring with a game-high 17 points, including 3 three-point baskets. She also had 4 rebounds.

Junior Haileigh Shull followed, going 7 of 12 from the field for 16 points. She grabbed 5 rebounds

and 6 steals.

Freshman Brenly Terrell finished with 10 points and 3 rebounds; senior McKenna Ortnier had 8 points and 3 rebounds; senior Karly Kriss chipped in 4 points, 4 rebounds, 1 block and 1 steal; senior Kenzie Curry scored 3 points and pulled down 1 rebound; freshman Lara Stephens had 2 points and a rebound; and sophomore Hannah Strange made one basket.

The Lady Eagles scored 22 points off Goodland's turnovers and sank 8 three-pointers.

In the next game, the Colby varsity boys fell hard to the Cowboys, losing 65-40.

The Eagles got shots to fall in the first half, but Goodland outscored them 20-10 in the first quarter and 18-6 in the second.

The Colby boys were able to land 11 points in the third to the Cowboys' 6, but Goodland finished the Eagles off in the fourth,

outscored them 21-13.

Senior Todd Kane led Colby's scoring with 12 points. He grabbed 6 rebounds and a steal.

Junior Marc Bremenkamp followed with 7 points and a rebound; senior Wiatt Binder scored 6 points and pulled down 5 rebounds; junior Luke Cox had 4 points and 9 rebounds; sophomore Ashton Russ chipped in 4 points, 1 rebound and 1 steal; senior Zane Winger finished with 3 points, a rebound and 3 steals; sophomore Josh Matchell had 2 points, 2 rebounds and a steal; junior Adam Giersch made 2 free throws; sophomore Austin Russ contributed 3 rebounds and 1 block; and senior Daniel Myers grabbed a rebound and a steal.

Colby will play again Tuesday against Ulysses at the Community Building. The varsity girls will play at 6:30 p.m. and the boys will follow about 8 p.m.

Colby college teams lose home games

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The Colby Community College men's basketball team lost another conference game Sunday, losing 79-61 to an undefeated Hutchinson Community College team at the Community Building.

The Trojans (9-11 overall, 0-6 Jayhawk West conference) have not won a conference game this season. Hutchinson, ranked No. 1 in the nation, is now 19-0 overall and 5-0 in conference play.

The men were down early in the game Jan. 20, trailing at the half 34-20. Colby was able to double its points in the second half, scoring 41 points, but Hutchinson piled on another 45 points in the second to get the win.

Jeremiah Ingram scored a game-high 22 points and added 15 rebounds and 2 steals. John Clarke followed with 11 points, 4 rebounds and 5 steals.

Cody Sluder finished with 9 points, 3 rebounds and 2 steals; Kris Rolle had 7 points, 6 rebounds and 1 steal; Terry Starks grabbed 7 points, 2 rebounds, 5 assists and 1 steal; Jamal Jones scored

3 points and grabbed a rebound and a steal; and Branden Williams made one basket and pulled down a rebound.

Colby was 15 of 18 from the free-throw line, pulled down 37 rebounds and kept Hutchinson from making a single three-point shot.

The college women got stomped by Hutchinson, falling 81-28 at the Community Building.

The Lady Trojans (6-14, 0-6) are still looking for their first conference win as well.

Shantydra Arnold led Colby in scoring with 12 points. She also had 5 rebounds and 1 steal.

Linda Pagrode followed with 5 points, 4 rebounds and 1 steal; Kytiana Seals had 4 points, 2 rebounds and a steal; Agnese Aramina finished with 3 points and 4 rebounds; and Kasey Hoyt grabbed 3 points, 2 rebounds and 1 steal.

The men and women faced Barton Community College in Great Bend on Wednesday.

The Barton men are third in the Jayhawk West, sporting a 16-3 overall record and a 3-2 conference record. The Barton women at 11-7 overall and 1-4 in the conference.

Bulldogs win two games in Liberty League tourney

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The Golden Plains High School boys won two games in the Western Kansas Liberty League basketball tournament.

The Bulldogs entered the tournament with two wins and finished with wins over Logan in the first round and Healy in the final round to extend their record to 4-7.

The Bulldogs defeated Logan in a play-in game, only to lose to Weskan in the next round. They then played the Northern Valley Huskies on Friday in Colby. The Huskies opened with a basket, but senior Camron Spresser was fouled after pulling down a rebound and going up for the shot. He made one of his free throws and the Bulldogs were on the board.

Another free shot from junior Tristan Schwarz tied the game at 2. The Huskies then pushed the ball as senior Andrew Luna stuck to them like glue on defense. They extended their lead by 6 before shots from G. Spresser and C. Spresser brought it back to within 2. Jose Bermudez answered another Husky shot and C. Spresser hit one more free throw to make it a one-point game, 10-9, at the end of the first quarter.

The Huskies added a bucket to start the second quarter but Bermudez tied it up with a three. Following another Husky basket, G. Spresser hit a three and gave the

Bulldogs their first lead of the game with five minutes to go in the half. The Bulldogs hustled on the floor and traded baskets with the Huskies to end the first half trailing 21-18.

In the second half, the Bulldogs had several turnovers off bad passes which the Huskies were able to use to their advantage, extending their lead to 35-27 during the third quarter. Northern Valley's quickness on the press helped them to outscore the Bulldogs 11-9 in the fourth for the 46-36 win.

The Bulldogs, who scored 9 points in each quarter, were led in scoring by C. Spresser with 11, while G. Spresser had 7, Bermudez 6, Schwarz 5, Shane Ryburn 4 and Joseph Koerperich 3.

Following this hard-fought, the Bulldogs were scheduled to play the Healy Eagles on Saturday for the final day of tournament action. The Bulldogs got the tip. C. Spresser was fouled and sent to the line, where he made his shot for the first score of the game.

Following two quick baskets by Healy, Coach Mike Doll called a timeout to get the boys back on track. Back on the floor, Ryburn hit two quick buckets to regain the lead. The boys never looked back as Koerperich hit three in a row and a free shot. Schwarz and Ryburn each added baskets, giving the Bulldogs a 17-10 lead at the end of first quarter.

The Bulldogs backed off in the second quarter, due in part to passing problems and multiple fouls,

but G. Spresser, C. Spresser and Schwarz managed 9 points in the quarter. The Eagles also put in 9 points, primarily from Luis Hernandez, and the Bulldogs still led 26-19 at the half.

After the break, the Bulldogs returned to the court to play tough defense, forcing the Eagles to make turnovers. Senior Bermudez put in 8 points while C. Spresser, Ryburn and Koerperich each added multiple baskets for 22 points, holding the Eagles to 7 and extending their lead to 48-26.

The Bulldogs entered the fourth quarter with three starters holding four fouls each, but were not deterred as the team continued to have several players find success under the basket. The Bulldogs added another 17. The Eagles, led by Hernandez, did not give up easily, as they added 16 in the final minutes, but the early Bulldog lead allowed the boys their fourth win of the season, 65-42, and a seventh-place finish.

Sophomore Koerperich and C. Spresser led the Bulldog scoring with 14 and 13 points. Also in double figures was junior Ryburn with 10. Bermudez put in 8 points — all in the third quarter, Schwarz had 7 and G. Spresser put in 5. Also scoring 2 points each were Cole Ziegelmeier, Luna, Kade Wessel and Braden Korte.

The Bulldogs were to travel to Palco and Quinter before returning to their home floor to face the Northern Valley Huskies again on Friday.

Colby Community College Homecoming 2013



You are Invited!
January 31,
February 1 and
February 2

- Community-Wide Talent Show January 31 at 7 p.m. in the Cultural Arts Center
- Bonfire and special recognition ceremony east of the college on Friday, February 1, at 7:30 p.m.
- Recognition Luncheon for First Inductees into the CCC Alumni Hall of Fame (Lyle & Nancy Saddler and Keela Case) and Sports Hall of Fame (Coach Steve Lampe and Kay Mannebach Estes) on Saturday, February 2, at 12 noon in the Union. The public is invited. Call 460-5411 to register.
- Trojan Basketball at 6 p.m. in the Community Building on Saturday, February 2 (Members of all teams from 1972-73, 1982-83, 1992-93, 2002-03 and 2012-13 will be recognized.)
- Homecoming Royalty announced between Trojan basketball games

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