

Cowgirls extend winning streak

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The Goodland Cowgirls were victorious again as they won their fifth straight meet Monday at Colby.

The Cowgirls scored 197 points, easily outdistancing runner-up Ulysses, which finished with 183.

Colby came in third with 108 and Leoti finished fourth with their 43 points.

The Cowboys ended the day in third place with 113 points, trailing Colby who finished second with 135 and Ulysses, who scored 168.

Rachael Hagerman paced the Cowgirls with her four first place finishes in the high hurdles, 300m hurdles, 200m dash, and long jump. The hurdle victories were the fifth straight for Hagerman.

Lacey Brenner finished with victories in both the 400m dash and the high jump.

Speedy Aguilar won both the 1600m run and the 3200m run for the Cowgirls.

Bryan Mai took second place in both the high hurdles and the 300m hurdle races.

The next track action for Goodland is the Northwest Kansas League meet at 2:00 p.m. Mountain Time Friday in Atwood.

COLBY BOYS

100m Dash: Sam Smith, 11.7; Kris Rubio, 12.0; Jared Doke, 13.4.

High Hurdles: Bryan Mai, second, 16.1.

200m Dash: Lance Tedford, 25.2.

300m Hurdles: Mai, second, 41.5.

800m Dash: Aaron Gittinger, second, 2:06.4; Shandon Wolak, fifth, 2:14.5.

1600m Run: Speedy Aguilar, first, 5:01.2.

3200m Run: Aguilar, first, 11:06.5.

Shot Put: Tom Cotter, 39'9 1/2; Sean Greenlee, 38'9; Landon West, 34'11.

Discus: West, 108'; Cotter, 92'1.

Javelin: Andrew Melia, second, 157'11; West, 135'11; Taylor Brack, 127'4.

Pole Vault: Brack, third, 12'6; Daniel Melia, fifth, 11'; Doke, 8'.

Long Jump: Tedford, fourth, 18'6 1/2; Rubio, 17'.

Triple Jump: Sean Greenlee, third, 38'2; Lance Tedford, 35'8.

High Jump: Greenlee, fourth, 5'6.

4x100m Relay: Rubio, Doke, Melia, Smith, third, 48.0.

4x400m Relay: Rubio, Jeremy Stefan, Smith, Gittinger, third, 52.7.

4x800m Relay: Aguilar, Wolak, Doke, Stefan, second, 8:57.1.

GIRLS

100m Dash: Cody Pettibone, first, 13.0; Rebecca Gattshall, fourth, 3.8; Janae McKee, 13.9.

High Hurdles: Rachael Hagerman, first, 15.4; Adriel Alstrom, fourth, 17.2.

200m Dash: Hagerman, first, 26.5; Pettibone, fourth, 27.6; Cri Bertelli, 30.9.

300m Hurdles: Hagerman, first, 47.2; Alstrom, 54.0.

400m Dash: Lacey Brenner, first, 1:02; Julia Darnauer, second, 1:04.2; Danielle Hellerud, sixth, 1:06.3.

800m Dash: Jill Sowers, third, 2:36.7; Erinn Hardy, fourth, 2:41.3; Tiffany Schwasinger, 3:07.

1600m Run: Wendy Keith, fourth, 6:30.6.

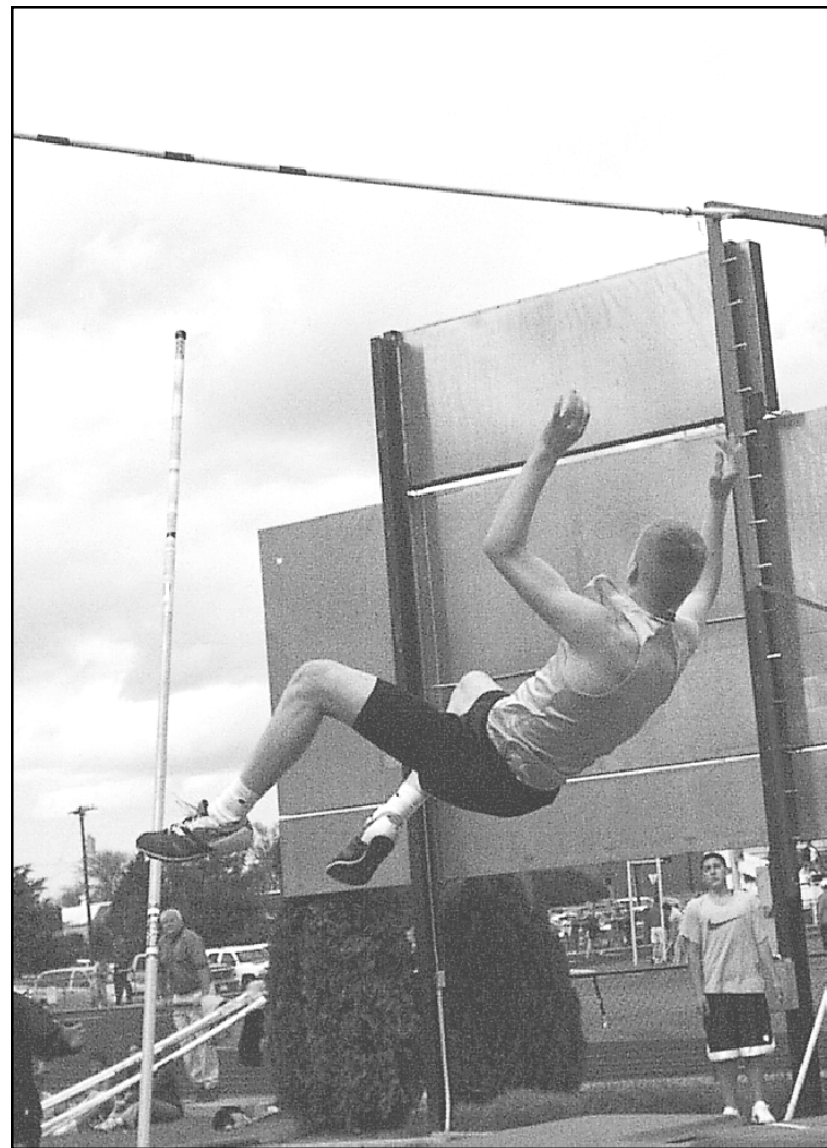
3200m Run: Schwasinger, fourth, 16:03.1.

Shot Put: Hayley Jarmin, third, 29'7; Andrea Fenner, fourth, 29'4;



Cowgirl Rachael Hagerman took first in the 200 meter dash with a time of 26.5 seconds Monday, to help her team take first place at Colby.

Photo by Jay Kelley / The Colby Free Press



Cowboy Taylor Brack watched the bar to make sure it stayed in place after he cleared 12-6 in the pole vault on Monday at Colby. Brack finished third in the pole vault.

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Alisha McKee, fifth, 27'2.

Discus: Jarmin, second, 100'4; Fenner, fourth, 83'5; McKee, fifth, 77'6.

Javelin: Jarmin, fourth, 89'6; Fenner, 72'9.

Pole Vault: Jayci Stone, first, 8'.

Long Jump: Hagerman, first, 15'4;

McKee, fifth, 13'11 1/2; Schwasinger, sixth, 13'4.

Triple Jump: Alstrom, second, 32'5 1/2; Brenner, fifth, 30'3; McKee, 28'5.

High Jump: Brenner, first, 5'3; Stone, third, 4'10; McKee, sixth, 4'6.

4x100m Relay: Ashley Hallagin, Darnauer, Pettibone, Stone, second, 53.2.

4x400m Relay: Pettibone, Stone, Sowers, Brenner, first, 4:14.7.

4x800m Relay: Hallagin, Danielle Hellerud, Hardy, Sowers, first, 10:28.9.

Avs win best of seven series, 4-3

DENVER (AP) — It took longer than anyone expected, but the Colorado Avalanche finally shook the Los Angeles Kings.

Chris Drury and Ville Nieminen scored two of Colorado's four third-period goals as the Avalanche advanced to the Western Conference finals with a 5-1 victory over Los Angeles in Game 7 on Wednesday night. The Avs won the best-of-seven series 4-3.

"You can call it happiness, you can call it relief, call it what you want," Colorado coach Bob Hartley said. "The only thing I know is that we are moving on."

Rob Blake, traded from Los Angeles to Colorado in February, also scored for the Avs, who are heading to the conference finals for the third straight year. They will face the St. Louis Blues at home in Game 1 on Saturday.

"They took us as far as possible — third period, Game 7," Blake said. "For that I'm happy, but I'm also happy we're moving on. That's the best scenario."

The Kings ended a phenomenal playoff run that included rallying from a 2-0 series deficit against the Detroit Red Wings in the first round. They were down 3-1 against Colorado before tying the series with consecutive 1-0 victories.

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CONFERENCE SEMIFINALS

(Best-of-7)
Thursday, May 3

Toronto 3, New Jersey 1

St. Louis 4, Dallas 1, St. Louis wins series 4-0

Friday, May 4

Los Angeles 1, Colorado 0

Saturday, May 5

Buffalo 3, Pittsburgh 2, OT

Toronto 3, New Jersey 2

Sunday, May 6

Los Angeles 1, Colorado 0, 2OT

Monday, May 7

New Jersey 4, Toronto 2

Tuesday, May 8

Pittsburgh 3, Buffalo 2, OT, series tied 3-3

Wednesday, May 9

New Jersey 5, Toronto 1, New Jersey wins series

4-3

Colorado 5, Los Angeles 1, Colorado wins series 4-3

Thursday, May 10

Pittsburgh at Buffalo, 7:30 p.m.

Pitcher has seven hit shutout

DENVER (AP) — Mike Hampton did it all: with his arm, his bat, his glove and his baserunning.

Hampton's seven-hit shutout in the Colorado Rockies' 6-0 win over the New York Mets on Wednesday night prompted teammate Todd Walker to say, "To me, he's the best athlete I've ever seen."

Rockies manager Buddy Bell agreed.

"He may be the best all-around pitcher I've ever been around, in terms of pitching, fielding, hitting, base-running," Bell said.

Hampton tormented his former team, tossing his eighth career shutout while striking out five and walking three. He was backed by four double plays.

Hampton, who went 15-10 in helping the Mets to the World Series last year, raised some eyebrows when he signed an eight-year, \$121 million contract with Colorado in December.

Some observers felt he was committing career suicide, since his numbers were sure to suffer while pitching at Coors Field. So far, that hasn't happened.

Hampton is 5-0 with a 2.34 ERA for the season. At hitter-friendly Coors Field, he is 3-0 with a 2.30 ERA.

"I think the biggest key to being successful here is throwing a lot of strikes early in the count," Hampton said. "If you're ahead in the count, you get guys tending to swing more at pitches off the plate."

Hampton helped his cause with a pair of hits, including an RBI infield single in the second when he outraced

Rick Reed to the bag.

He also hit a two-out single ahead of Todd Walker's three-run homer off Reed (4-2) in the seventh. Larry Walker had a solo homer in the sixth, his 12th of the season, but first since April 24.

"He (Hampton) adds another bat to our lineup," Todd Walker said.

Hampton also stabbed two hard grounders up the middle, turning them into easy outs.



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Wednesday Nite Darts
April 25, 2001
Batteries Not Included over White Stallions 14-2
Eight More over 69'ers 10-6
Refuse to Lose over What-Ever 9-7
Lounge Lizards over Silver Bullets 9-7
4th Round Outs: Gary Schmidt 4, Kurt Engelman 3, Larry Jackson 1, Paul Simon 1, Mary Delano 1, Mark Wear 1, Kevin Delano 1.
8 Dart Out: Gary Schmidt 1.
9 Dart Out: Gary Schmidt 1.
Tons - 4 or more: Gary Schmidt 10, Larry Jackson 8, Kurt Engelman 7, Duane Hanke 7, Teresa Dickey 5, Kevin Delano 5, Paul Simon 4.
Hat Tricks: Gary Schmidt 2, Duane Hanke 2, Mel Bracelin 1, Kurt Engelman 1, Paul Simon 1, Larry Woodard 1, Mark Wear 1.
Most Wins: Gary Schmidt 7, Kurt Engelman 5.
Standings: Batteries Not Included 349, Refuse to Lose 286, Lounge Lizards 251, Silver Bullets 243, What-Ever 235, 69'ers 155, Eight More 153, White Stallions 120.

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