Golfers go to state!

Cowgirls place high at regionals

Two Goodland girls qualified for state competition and the team finished fourth at the Regional Golf Tournament at the Sugar Hills Country Club on Monday.

The girls will be playing at the state tournament at 7:30 a.m. Monday at the Highlands Country Club in Hutchinson.

Jessica Osborn earned a medal, finishing in second place by shooting an 83, while Kendra Billinger finished 17th at 103. Both girls were in the top five individuals that were not on the three teams qualifying for state competition.

Ulysses won the tournament with a team score of 378, Syracuse was second with 379 and Lakin was third with 385. Goodland's team score of 397 put them in fourth place, just missing out on qualifying for state.

Other teams competing were Trego County in fifth, Colby sixth, Sublette seventh and Scott City eighth.

StevieLee Raymer finished 18th with a score of 104, just behind Billinger. Kayla Rasure was 20th with 107, Hayley Jarmin was 26th with 114 and Andrea Fenner was 46th with 136.

The varsity girls earned two individual medals and finished in third place at a tournament in Syracuse Thursday while the junior varsity team earned four medals.

with a score of 45 while Raymer fin-seventh with 268.



Hayley Jarmin made a put at the Regional Golf Tournament Monday to help Goodland place fourth. The team just missed qualifying for state competition but will be sending two individual qualifiers to the tournament Monday. Photo by Sharon Corcoran/The Goodland Daily News

ished fifth with 48. The team score of 206 put Goodland in third.

Ulysses finished first with 193 and Syracuse second with 193. Lakin was cuse. Both girls shot 58. Bailee fourth with 207, Colby fifth with 237, Osborn finished in third place Sublette eighth with 238 and Scott City

For the junior varsity, Yvette Acosta won the gold medal in a tie break with Rachel Miguel of Syra-Guyer was third with 59.

Amy Cebula was eighth with 64 and Ashlyn Krall was 10th with 66.

Hockey retiree says he won't return

DENVER (AP) — Ray Bourque, who retired in June after winning the Stanley Cup in his 22nd NHL season, reiterated Tuesday night that he has no intention of returning to the game.

Bourque returned to Denver for the Colorado Avalanche's home opener as the Stanley Cup banner was raised to the rafters of the Pepsi Center in a pregame ceremony.

Bourque's No. 77 jersey was retired Thursday in Boston, where he played not going to wear it every night, that's opening night of the season and most of his career. His number will be for sure. My shoulder would probably watched part of the Colorado-Pittsretired here Nov. 24 When reminded that Mario Lemieux and Michael Jordan both had the itch to return after retiring, Bourque said, started to get an itch after three years.

43 and there is no chance. Bourque also received his Stanley Cupring — a 14-carat, white gold, diamond-studded ring - with his Avalanche teammates Sunday night.

Where's your ring?" he said. "It was great to get it this weekend. The ceremony was very nice, and I got a little his September. "I didn't miss training emotional.

"I will wear it on special nights. I'm

go their practices and watch them play," he said. "I've been watching my daughter and my son play soccer.

"Hockey is definitely not something that is in the future. Right now, there is "Everybody asked me all summer, nothing going on, and that's the way I want it.

Bourque said he especially enjoyed camp at all," he said.

He watched three games on the burgh game

Pitcher throws masterpiece

PHOENIX (AP) — Curt Schilling chance to be lights out.' took his reputation as a big-game pitcher and added a boldface exclamation point Tuesday night, throwing a improved to 2-1 in the postseason in masterpiece against one of the most dangerous lineups in baseball.

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In a dramatic duel in the desert, Schilling pitched a three-hitter as the Arizona Diamondbacks beat Matt Morris and the St. Louis Cardinals 1-0 in the opener of their first-round NL playoff series.

"Both guys were great tonight," St. Louis manager Tony La Russa said. "Their guy was a little greater."

In the best season of Schilling's career, he has never been better.

"The no-hitter through eight innings in San Diego was good, but I think tonight was even better," catcher Damian Miller said. "For him to come out tonight in this atmosphere in the first game of the playoffs and just completely dominate a team, that's what separates tonight from that game in San Diego.

Steve Finley was 3-for-4, including a two-out, RBI single in the fifth inning after Arizona had squandered scoring threats in the first and fourth.

Eight years apart, Schilling has thrown consecutive postseason shutouts. He pitched a five-hitter for Philadelphia in the 1993 World Series, and nights like this are why Arizona acquired him from the Phillies in July last year.

His 5-6 record for the Diamondbacks down the stretch last year became a distant memory.

"From the beginning of the game, watching Curt from center field, I had a real good feeling we were going to win," Finley said. "I had a good feeling that if we put at least a run on the ground out, then struck out Renteria to said. "Who cares? We won. It's a 'W.' board, with his stuff it could have a end that threat.

Schilling, overcoming a sore hip that Womack put Fernando Vina on second started stiffening in the early innings, five starts with a 2.45 ERA.

Randy Johnson, the second half of Arizona's pair of aces, goes to the mound Wednesday in Game 2 against Woody Williams.

"The knowledge that we're going into Game 2 tomorrow up 1-0 with Randy on the mound is very satisfying," Schilling said.

After Morris escaped a first-inning jam, Schilling knew it was up to him to keep the Cardinals down.

"He had second and third and the heart of the lineup up, and pitched out of it," Schilling said. "In my mind, it was going to be a one-run game after that. Every time they got a guy in scoring position, my thought process was that the game was on the line and I needed to make pitches.'

He earned his reputation as a biggame pitcher with Philadelphia as the MVP of the 1993 NL championship series. After the best regular season of his career, the 34-year-old right-hander showed he has improved with age.

In a matchup of the season's winningest pitchers, Schilling baffled batters with a fastball that hit 97 mph, a split-finger fastball, backdoor slider and a few slow curves. He struck out nine and walked one.

Edgar Renteria got two of the hits, a leadoff single in the third and a one-out double in the fourth.

catch robbed Luis Gonzalez of at least an extra-base hit in the fifth inning, doubled with one out in the seventh. But Schilling got Mark McGwire to

A throwing error by shortstop Tony with two outs in the eighth, but Reggie Sanders caught Placido Polanco's sharp liner at his ankles in right field to end the inning.

Schilling and Morris both won 22 games this year, and they lived up to their star billing.

Morris, making his first playoff appearance at age 27, allowed one run and six hits, three of them doubles, before being lifted for a pinch hitter in the eighth. He struck out six, walked two and, in what turned out to be a crucial play, hit one batter.

"I don't know how many pitches I threw — 120 or something," Morris said. "One or two of them decided the ballgame. You know Curt's going to go out there and put up zeros. All I can do is go out there and try to keep stride with him."

He grazed the leadoff batter Miller with a pitch in the fifth inning, then Schilling put down a sacrifice bunt with two strikes to move the runner to second.

"It nipped off his leg, and they end up moving him over, and a single scores him with two out," Morris said. "Who knew that run was going to decide the game?"

After Womack flied to left for the second out, Finley lined a shot up the middle to drive in Miller from second.

Gonzalez nearly added to the damage with a fly to deep right-center, but Edmonds made a leaping grab at the Jim Edmonds, whose spectacular top of the fence in front of the swimming pool to end the inning.

> In all, Arizona stranded 11 batters. "People want to talk about how

many guys were left on base," Womack That's what it's all about."

Chiefs lose three players to injuries

starters Derrick Alexander, Tony Richardson and Dante Hall will probably be out Sunday when Kansas City plays host to Pittsburgh.

The loss of Alexander, last year's team MVP and the Chiefs' only experienced wide receiver, will send the Chiefs (1-3) into the weekend dangerously short at the position.

Sylvester Morris, last year's No. 1 draft pick, has been out all year with a

KANSAS CITY, Mo. (AP) - Key Minnis, this year's top pick, has been developed back spasms during preinconsistent as a rookie.

Inconsistency at wide receiver has been cited by head coach Dick Vermeil as the top reason for quarterback Trent Green's problems. Green threw four laces" on Monday. interceptions last week in Denver.

"It really makes us thin at wide receiver," said Vermeil. "We count on also missed last week's game with a Hall as one of our four wide receivers but now we can't do that."

knee injury and Marvin "Snoop" season with a sore Achilles' tendon, gone surgery.

game warmups last week before the Chiefs' loss at Denver. Although he went ahead and played, Vermeil said he "couldn't bend over and tie his shoe-

Fullback Richardson, the Chiefs most consistent performer on offense. shoulder injury. Hall, a wide receiver/ kick returner, has a "deep contusion" Alexander, who has been slowed all on a shoulder that has already under-

Nugget forward to have knee surgery

DENVER (AP) — All-star forward be sidelined for three months.

and 12.1 rebounds last season, missed McDyess has not practiced since 10 games late in the season with a parbilitate the injury. The 6-foot-9 forwinning U.S. Olympic team, made his McDyess, who averaged 20.8 points first All-Star appearance last season.

The future Hall of Famer said he was

enjoying retirement.

"You look at Mario and Michael, they and enjoy the family and do a few now, and it feels good. things promotional-wise and just skate If that's when I get my itch, I will be with my two sons and their teams and sure it was going to be my last year." acknowledged this week that he could

"Ireally don't miss anything about it," he said. "I think I really went out on my "For now, I'll just let the dust settle terms. I'm a 40-year-old retired player

"Going into last year, I was 99 percent long he would be out, but McDyess

2.86 Justen Beakley, Lamar, Colo.

9 Kirk Osban, Holly, Colo.

Antonio McDyess, who has led the past two seasons, is scheduled to have knee surgery Friday.

The Nuggets did not estimate how

Denver Nuggets in scoring each of the last Thursday because of patella ten- tially dislocated left kneecap. He spent dinitis in his left knee. An MRI much of the off-season trying to rehashowed he has a partial tear of his patella tendon and a mild sprain of the ward, a member of the gold-medal medial collateral ligament.

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6.73 Beau Speicher, Fort Morgan, Colo.

B Main #3

speedway results

Fall Classic 2001 Sept. 28 and 29 Cruiser Heat #1 Five cars

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