

Two students honored for academics and athletics

By Shannon Davidson

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Two student athletes from Sherman County were named Distinguished Academic All-Americans by the National Junior College Athletic Association for their efforts at Colby Community College.

Kendra Brack of Goodland and Cody Pettibone of Kanorado were given the honor last week for their academic work and skills in volleyball and softball.

To be selected for this honor, students must earn a two-year grade point average in the "A" range, 3.8 to 4.0.

Brack graduated from Colby in May and is now attending Bacone College in Muskogee, Okla., on a full scholarship. She is majoring in nuclear medicine and is on the volleyball and rodeo team. She was a two-year starter for Colby's volleyball team as a right side hitter. Along with being a member of Phi Theta Kappa for two years, she also was on the dean's list for maintaining a 4.0 grade average.

"I remember my volleyball coach telling us about the award my first semester in Colby and how it was an important goal to shoot for," she said. "The last semester was really tough, and it was coming down to the wire if I was going to make the 4.0 GPA needed to qualify for the honor."

"I was so happy that I was able to stick with it and get the honor. It



Kendra Brack's team portrait for the Colby Community College volleyball team. She has graduated from Colby and is attending Bacone College in Muskogee, Okla.

helped for a scholarship to Bacone."

Pettibone, Kanorado, graduated from Colby with an associate's degree in science. She is also a member of Phi Theta Kappa and a Trojan Pic, which is an honor chosen by faculty, staff and students for sophomores who demonstrate lead-

ership qualities

Pettibone played shortstop for the Colby Lady Trojans, who were the top academic team in the National Junior College Athletic Association. Pettibone maintained a 3.66 grade average. She was chosen for

the second team all conference in the Jayhawk West and second team all region 6 district C softball teams.

Pettibone has signed on to play softball with the University of Nebraska at Kearney. Her career goal is to become a chiropractor.



Colby Community College softball player Cody Pettibone fielded the ball during a game this year. She has graduated from Colby and will attend the University of Nebraska at Kearney.

Colby Community College photo

Swimmers receive top awards at league meet

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The Goodland Swim Team had its best showing of the season over the weekend, placing sixth out of 10 teams with 107 points at the Northwest Kansas Swim League Championship in Burlington.

Four Goodland swimmers came away with high point plaques for the season, were Riley O'Harah in fifth place for the 9-10 boys, Brennen Clouse sixth place for the 11-12 boys, Kerek Mason third for the 13-14 boys, and Daniel Blake first for the 15-18 year old boys.

Blake broke two pool records, one that was 38 years old in the 200 freestyle with a time of 2:08.04, placing second in the meet. The next record was another second-place finish in 400 freestyle with a time of 4:49.71. Blake also had three first place finishes in the 100-yard freestyle 57.87, the 100-yard butterfly with a time of 1:10.58 and the 100-yard breast stroke clocking in at 1:13.60.

O'Harah swam the 100-yard individual medley and placed second

with a time of 1:49.06. He placed third in the 100 freestyle in 1:28.89 and three 25 yard events, including the freestyle third place 16.22, butterfly third place 20.22 and breast stroke sixth place 24.16.

11-12 girls swimmer Hannah Blake swam the 50 and 200-yard freestyle with times of 33.68 seconds in the 50 to place sixth and third in the 200 with a time of 2:54.81.

Clouse swam five events, including the 100 individual medley, placing third with a time of 1:28.27. In the 100 and 200-yard freestyle, he placed fourth with times of 1:17.62 and 3:03.47. The last two events were the 50 yard breast stroke, coming in with a time of 42.66 for third, and 50 yard freestyle 34.07.

Erik Roeder swam the 200-yard freestyle, placing sixth with a time of 3:26.80, and the 50 yard backstroke, coming in at 49.57 to take fourth place.

Kerek Mason in the boys 13-14 age group placed first in the in the 50-yard freestyle with a time of 28.38. In the 100 freestyle, he came

in at 1:08.07 to place second. His last freestyle event was the 200, where he placed third at 2:48.94. Mason also swam the 100-yard backstroke and breast stroke, placing third in both with times of 1:29.09 and 1:29.50 consecutively.

R.J. Phifer swam all four freestyle events. In the 50 he placed sixth with a time of 34.35, then in the 100 came in at 1:24.87 to place fifth. In the 200 he swam a time of 3:00.09 to place sixth and in the 400, he placed third with a time of 6:32.10.

Goodland's relay teams took fifth and second places in all their events. The 8-9 year old mixed 100-yard freestyle and medley relays comprising Elizabeth and Drew House, Rachel Horney and Taryn Bedore took fifth in both with times of 2:12.87 and 2:40.11.

In the 11-12, mixed 200-yard freestyle and medley relays gave Goodland two second place finishes with times of 2:22.50 and then 2:54.50. The team consisted of Clouse, Roeder, Chelsey Horney and Hannah Blake.

Halli Stone, Amber Webster, Phifer and Mason made up the relay team for the mixed 13-14 year old group. Their time in the freestyle relay was 2:24.20 to place fifth and in the medley relay, they came in at 2:53.20.

Tanner O'Harah also competed in the league meet and improved tremendously, coaches said.

recreation ball scores

Here are the scores from the last week in City-County Summer Recreation games:

THURSDAY

Coed

ADM-Collingwood 2, First National Bank 18

Hitchcock 16, Garcia's Home Furnishings 14

Kears Party Mix 3, Garcia's 16

Poling Chiropractic 20, Kears 5

Mangus Irrigation 20, Bowladium Lanes 0

ADM-Collingwood 11, Bowladium 10

Girls Major

Witzel & Rhea 18, Crazy R's 1

Crazy R's 7, Finley Motors 8

Finley Motors 3, Witzel & Rhea 18

Boys Rookie

VFW 1, Basgall Construction 14

Snappy Snack 1, Basgall 9

Gambino's 20, American Family Insurance 17

MONDAY

Boys Rookie

American Family 9, Basgall 15

Basgall 13, Gambinos 12

Basgall 14, Gambinos 6

Coed

Kears 8, Hitchcock 11

Hitchcock 15, First National 4

Garcia's, Bowladium 5

Poling 22, ADM-Collingwood 0

Garcia's 5, Mangus Irrigation 16

Poling 22, First National 9

Kears 16, Bowladium 14

Boys Major

Marshall's Team 1, Dairy Queen 2

Dairy Queen 7, Marshall's Team 8

TUESDAY

Girls Rookie

Yost Farm Supply 17, Heartland Carriers 18

VFW 2, Dinkle Law Office 9

Dinkle 15, Yost 7

Boys Minor

First National 3, Applebee's Golf Carts 7

Applebee's 8, Unruh Family Chiropractic 7

The Framing Place forfeited to Applebee's

Men's

Bud Light 15, B&K Pumping 0

Northern Sun 11, Century Feeders 9

Lonny's Quality Auto Body 20, Wane's Carpet 6

Tex-Mex 11, Century Feeders 14

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Bowladium Lanes 14, Garcia's 11

Boys Major

Championship Game

Marshall's Team 10, Dairy Queen 1

Girls Rookie

Heartland Carriers 9, Dinkle Law Office 2

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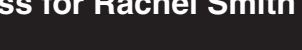
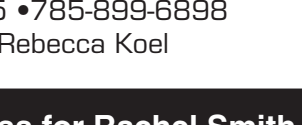
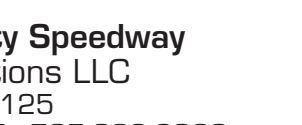
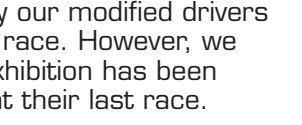
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