Seventh-grade Mustangs win two

Both of Grant Junior High's seventh-grade boys basketball teams won their games against Scott City on Tuesday afternoon at Max Jones Fieldhouse.

The Ateam won 44-16. The Mustangs kept Scott City scoreless in the first period and at halftime held a 26-6 lead. Coach Curt Minner said the team executed better in this game and did a good job passing in transition from defense to offense.

Greg Farris led the team with 15 points, followed by Andrew Taylor with 11. Rory Kling scored seven points, Jace Mosbarger five and Travis Angelos two. Casey House led the team in rebounds with nine and scored four points. The team was 4-of-9 from the free throw line.

The A team is 5-2 for the season. The B team defeated Scott City 26-12 and improved its record to 7-1-1.

"We put pretty good pressure on Scott City with better rebounding," said Minner. "Creating turnovers was our major strength in the game."

Drew Raile led the Mustangs with eight points and five rebounds. Adam Duell scored five points, Bryan Gray and Josh Lamb three each, and Kade Sheldon, Ryan Taylor and Nelson Bergemann two.



Drew Raile (center, shooting) of the seveth-grade B team connected on this field goal attempt scoring two of his eight points to lead the Mustangs to a 26-12 win over Scott City Tuesday at Max Jones Fieldhouse. The team improved to 7-1-1 for the season. Photo by Greg Stover/The Goodland Star-News

team, they hit 2-of-5 from the line. Monday at Burlington, beginning at Both teams were to play Oberlin 4 p.m. The teams travel to St. Zach Lohr scored a free throw. As a Thursday. Their next action will be Francis next Thursday.

season.

Stand-off on the hard court



Junior Wade Taylor (left) kept senior Jared Doke from getting the ball on this play during the boys varsity period of Tuesday night's soap scrimmage at Max Jones Fieldhouse. The first 20-minute period pitted the girls junior varsity against the C team, the second the boys junior varsity against the C team and the third was the girls varsity scrimmage. The boys varsity scrimmage lasted 25 minutes with a short break at the 10:22 mark. The Cowboys and Cowgirtls open their season tonight at Imperial, Neb., against the Longhorns of Chase County High School. The first home action for Goodland will be Tuesday against the Cougars of Burlington High School at Max L. Jones Fieldhouse. Photo by Greg Stover/The Goodland Star-News

Three Cowboys among state's top five

Three Goodland High Schools wrestlers were ranked among the state's Class 4A top five in their weight class by the Kansas Wrestling Coaches Association.

The rankings, released Wednesday, listed Cowboy senior Jordan Bedore No. 1 in the heavyweight class. Bedore, the defending state champion, is recovering from a football injury and is not expected ready for the wrestling season until after Christmas.

"Jordan has had tremendous suc- tling team, is ranked No. 4 in the cess the last two years," said Coach 119-pound weight class. He fin-Randy Bahe. "I expect more from ished fourth in his weight class at him this coming year."

Senior Dexter Deeds, last year's state runner-up in the 125-pound weight class, was ranked No. 2. Deeds also is recovering from injuries sustained during the football Derek Ross of St. Francis was season and not expected back until picked No. 1 for Class 1-3A in the after Christmas.

Senior Blayze Bahe, returning for his fourth season on the wres- on the road, against Hoxie.

171-pound weight class. Goodland opens its season today,

were selected by the association.

2003 Sagebrush Shootout next week in Brewster

Next week will be a big week at Golden Plains and Atwood. Brewster as the 2003 Sagebrush Shootout unfolds at the high school.

The tournament kicks in on Tuesday and continues Friday and Saturdav.

Tuesday's games tip off at 3 p.m. in the South gym with the Cheylin bracket on Tuesday: Cheylin/ girls battling Stratton. At the same Stratton at 4:30 p.m. in the North time in the North gym, Grinnell plays Oberlin, and at 6 p.m. in the South gym; Brewster/St. Francis at Teams taking part include host South gym, the Brewster and St. 8 p.m. in the South gym; and Brewster, St. Francis, Cheylin, Francis girls tangle and at 6 p.m. in Golden Plains/Atwood at 8 p.m. in Stratton, Colo., Grinnell, Oberlin, the North gym the Golden Plains the North gym.

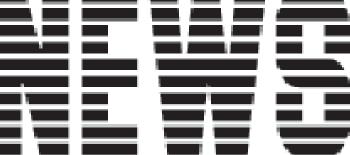
and Atwood girls have at it.

Action on the boys' side of the gym; Grinnell/Oberlin at 4:30 in the



the state championship meet last Four wrestlers from Colby High School and six from St. Francis also





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