



Jance McKee (above, right) prepared to shoot one of his nine free throws in Monday's 54-50 loss to the Burlington Cougars. McKee made 5-of-9 from the charity stripe and finshed the game with 15 points. Spencer Windell (below right) looked for the open man for an in-bound pass during that same game.

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## Grant wins three of four games

Both seventh-grade boys basketball teams from Grant Junior High won their games at Burlington on Monday, the A team 53-31 and the B team 26-15.

Andrew Taylor led the A team in scoring and rebounds with 19 points and 10 grabs. Greg Farris scored nine points and both Travis Angelos and Rory Kling had six. Angelos had eight of the team's 14 steals.

Joel Weis scored five points for the Mustangs. Both Jace Mosbarger and Fernando Martinez added three points, and Rob Hestilow scored two.

"We played better on defense and were more patient of offense," Coach Curt Minner said. "We have been working on offensive execution, and I noticed an improvement in this game. Some good shooting in the third quarter gave as a comfortable lead (39-17) going into the fourth quarter."

The seventh-grade A team is 7-2 for the season.

Drew Raile was the leading scorer for the B team with six points. Hestilow, Weis and Martinez each scored four points for the Mustangs. Robert Gonzales, Nelson Bergemann, Allen Smith and Vance Johnson had two points each in the game.

"We struggled with passes at the beginning, but got better as the game progressed," Minner said, "pretty consistent rebounding by all the team members."

Twelve Mustang players grabbed

at least one rebound in the game, led by Gonzales with six. The B team is now 9-1-1.

The Grant eighth-grade A team lost its first game of the season 54-50 to Burlington on Monday at Max Jones Fieldhouse and fell to 8-1 for the season.

In the first period, with the score tied at 4, the Cougars took the lead and held it until the final seconds of the period, when a basket by Tanner Smith tied the score at 11. He was fouled making the shot, and his free throw gave the Mustangs a 12-11 lead at the end of the quarter.

The Mustangs kept the lead in the early part of the second period, but a 13-2 point run by Burlington gave the Cougars a 24-19 lead. Grant narrowed that to 25-22 by halftime.

T.J. Hawkins scored the first two points of the third period and the Mustangs trailed by one point, 25-24. After each team scored two points, the Cougars scored eight straight, taking a 35-26 lead. Burlington kept the lead throughout the rest of the game, widening it to 12 points twice.

The Mustangs fought to within three points late in the fourth period, but the Cougars scored the next four to make it 54-47. Darrick Ihrig hit a three-pointer with less than 15 seconds left in the game, but Burlington's defense stepped up to the challenge, giving the Cougars a 54-50 win.

Smith finished the game with 18 points, followed by Jance McKee



with 15. Ihrig and Spencer Windell both added six points. Forrest Trachsel scored three points for the Mustangs and Hawkins had two.

The eighth-grade B team won its game against the Cougars 26-22, improving its record to 4-7. Aaron Deeds led the Mustangs with eight points followed by Jake Kling with six.

Both Jason Krayca and Ben Davis scored four points, and Preston Dautel and Josh Duke added two each.

All four teams were to travel to St. Francis Thursday afternoon.

## sports shorts

### Trojans ranked third in nation, improve to 13-0

The Colby Community College men's basketball team moved up another spot to No. 3 this week in the National Junior College Athletic Association Division I top 20 poll released Tuesday.

This is the highest national ranking ever for the program. The Trojans improved to 13-0 after winning both of their games at the 2003 Jayhawk Shootout last weekend in Coffeyville.

On Saturday, Colby defeated Fort Scott Community College 80-72. Sophomores Justin Williams and E.E. Drayton both scored 18 points to lead the Trojans.

On Sunday, Allen County Community College gave Colby its closest game of the season, losing by just two points, 90-88. The Red Devils had a chance to tie the game in the final seconds and force an overtime. They missed a lay-up, allowing the Trojans escape with the win.

Freshman guard Orlando McKee scored a career-high 27 points to lead Colby, including 7-of-7 from for three points.

The Trojans will be in Lindsborg on Saturday afternoon for their final game before the Christmas break against the Bethany College junior varsity.

### Lady Trojans enter poll with 12-1 record

The Colby Community College women's basketball team entered the National Junior College Athletic Association Division I national poll for the first time this season at No. 23.

Last Saturday, the Lady Trojans defeated Fort Scott Community College 81-64 then Sunday de-

feated Allen County Community College 89-57 at the 2003 Jayhawk Shootout in Coffeyville.

Against Fort Scott, Colby was led by sophomore Bojana Samardziska with 25 points. Sophomore Jelena Spiric scored 16 and sophomore Ivana Drmanac added 11 points. Freshman Jayci Stone also scored in double-digits with 10.

Samardziska led the Trojans against Allen County with 17 points, followed by sophomore Louise McLean with 15. Spiric and freshman Summar Stephens both had 12 points.

The Lady Trojans last game before the Christmas break was to be on Thursday, in Colorado Springs, against the junior varsity of the U.S. Air Force Academy.

# Go Cowboys & Cowgirls!

**Goodland High School**

**Basketball**     Saturday, Topside Tip-off Tournament starts at 11 a.m., Monday, 3 p.m., Junior Varsity Tournament, Thursday 3 p.m., Junior Varsity Tournament, Friday, 3:45, at Quinter "C" team, junior varsity and varsity.

**Wrestling**     Saturday, 10 a.m.,varsity at Burlington, Tuesday, 5:30 p.m.,at Oberlin, Saturday, December 20, Holiday Wrestling Classic Tournament in Goodland.

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## bowling results

### Wednesday Night Men's Scratch December 3, 2003

Basgall Construction over Fitzgibbons, Inc. 12.5-7.5  
Bowladium Lanes over The Western Times 20-0  
Weber Kennels over The Good, Bad & Ugly 18-2  
Fun & Games over MLS, Inc. 12-8  
L & M Steel over Witzel and Rhea Imp. 13.5-6.5

**High Individual Game:**  
Brandon Zelfer 255  
**High Individual Series:**  
Darren Hickson 882

**High Team Game:**  
Bowladium Lanes 653  
**High Team Series:**  
Bowladium Lanes 2,324

**League Standings:**  
Fun & Games 41.5-18.5  
Bowladium Lanes 41-19  
MLS, Inc. 39-21  
Weber Kennels 36-24  
Basgall Construction 32-28  
Witzel & Rhea Imp. 31.5-28.5  
Fitzgibbons, Inc. 24.5-35.5  
L & M Steel 22.5-37.5  
The Good, Bad & Ugly 19-41  
The Western Times 13-47



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Bowladium Lanes over KMA 2.5-1.5  
Miller's over B & B Electric 4-0  
Rasure Do It Center over Urban Designs 3-1

**High Handicap Game Individual:**  
Jerry Amthor 252  
**High Handicap Series Individual:**  
Frank Walls 681

**High Handicap Game Team:**  
Urban Designs 851  
**High Handicap Series Team:**  
Bowladium Lanes 2,380

### League Standings:

1st. Bowladium 10.5 - 1.5  
2nd. Miller's 8 - 4  
3rd. Urban Designs 6 - 6

### Wednesday Night Men's Scratch December 10, 2003

Witzel and Rhea Imp. over Weber Kennels 11-9  
Fun & Games over L & M Steel 18-2  
MLS, Inc. over Basgall Construction 16-4  
Bowladium Lanes over The Good, Bad & Ugly 18-2  
Fitzgibbons, Inc. over The Western Times 15-5

**High Individual Game:**  
Jerry Amthor 279  
**High Individual Series:**  
Jerry Amthor 978

**High Team Game:**  
Bowladium Lanes 629  
**High Team Series:**  
Fun & Games 2,403

**League Standings:**  
Fun & Games 59.5-20.5  
Bowladium Lanes 59-21  
MLS, Inc. 55-25  
Weber Kennels 45-35  
Witzel & Rhea Imp. 41.5-37.5  
Fitzgibbons, Inc. 39.5-40.5  
Basgall Construction 36-44  
L & M Steel 24.5-55.5  
The Good, Bad & Ugly 21-59  
The Western Times 18-62

### Wednesday Night Mixed League December 10, 2003

The Goodland Star-News over D & G Clan 4-0  
Palace Barber Shop over Fun Lovers 3-1  
The Pits over Shear Dimensions 3-1  
The Gamblers over Guzzlin' Socializers 3-1

**Women's high scratch game:**  
JoAnn Matthews 211  
**Women's high handicapped series:**  
JoAnn Matthews 508

**Men's high scratch game:**  
Jim Fritz 210  
**Men's high handicapped series:**  
Paul Weber 600

**Team high scratch game:**  
The Goodland Star-News 682  
**Team high scratch series:**  
The Goodland Star-News 1,865

### League Standings:

**No. 1** Shear Dimensions  
**No. 2** The Gamblers  
**No. 3** D & G Clan

## community volleyball

### CCR Volleyball Scores Wednesday December 10

Kansasland Tire over Da Killer B's 15-1, 6-15, 11-8  
Duell Farms over Alex's Radiator & Repair 15-1, 15-4  
Rookies over American Family Insurance 15-6, 15-8  
Oldies But Goodies over First National Bank-II 15-7, 15-7  
Pirate Electric/Brewster Frontier Equity over Mad Dogs 15-3, 15-2  
First National Bank-I over DDT 15-1, 15-11  
Who's Next over Scared Hitless 15-12, 15-3  
Scared Hitless over Kansasland Tire 15-12, 15-15, 15-5  
First National Bank-II over Alex's Radiator & Repair 15-14, 12-15, 15-5  
First National Bank-II over Da Killer B's 15-6, 9-15, 15-12  
Da Killer B's over DDT 7-15, 15-13, 15-11  
Mad Dogs over Scared Hitless 15-9, 15-11  
DDT over Alex's Radiator & Repair 15-11, 15-5  
American Family Insurance over Rookies 15-12, 15-12  
Pirate Electric/Brewster Frontier Equity over Duell Farms 15-6, 15-13  
Oldies But Goodies over American Family Insurance 15-12, 15-13  
Pirate Electric/Brewster Frontier Equity over Who's Next 15-12, 15-5  
Oldies But Goodies over First National Bank-I 15-10, 15-7  
First National Bank-I over Rookies 15-10, 15-14

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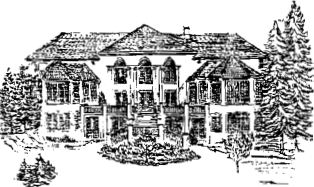
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