



Wiffleball fills week

It's buffer week at the Goodland schools, which means time for the annual Family, Career and Community Leaders of America wiffleball tournament.

Eight teams are planning to play, and the Fighting Rainbows, champions from last year and the previous year, are looking for a "three-peat."

The tournament was set to begin

about 3:30 or 3:45 p.m. and continue until 7:30 or 8 p.m. Monday and will continue tonight through Thursday.

The tournament raises money for the organization by charging \$5 per player to participate. There is no admission for people to watch.

Winter sports practices, boys and girls basketball and wrestling, will begin Monday.

matters of record

District Traffic

The following fines have been paid in the Sherman County District Court. All ages are at the time of the ticket.

Sept. 6: Page E. Seeger, 14, Goodland, \$175 for driving in violation of license restrictions.

Rodney A. Wimer, 52, Petersburg, W.Va., \$147 for speeding, 87/70.

Sept. 7: Steven A. Marsh, 53, Littleton, Colo., \$153 for speeding, 88/70.

Melvin L. Reed, 65, Denver, \$159 for speeding, 89/70.

Arden D. Schneider, 20, Goodland, \$135 for operating a motor vehicle without a valid license.

Gayla L. Smith, 47, Chandler, Ariz., \$192 for unlawful parking.

Morgan D. Titus, 21, Cola, S.C., \$174 for speeding, 91/70.

Sept. 8: James C. Menke, 55, Fargo, N.D., \$285 for exceeding gross weight limits for vehicles.

Tony A. Tate, 38, Hernando, Miss., \$325 for being over weight limits on wheels and axles.

Sept. 9: Chad E. Thomas, 31, Otterville, Mo., \$175 for violating motor carrier safety rules and regulations, no Unified Carrier

registration.

Sept. 10: Teeter W. McHone, 27, Fort Collins, Colo., \$201 for speeding, 94/70.

Craig F. Robertson, 38, Saratoga, N.Y., \$147 for speeding, 87/70.

Jimmy F. Rogers, 69, Rocky Fall, Ga., \$165 for speeding, 90/70.

Sept. 11: Rodney L. Miller, 40, Millersburg, Ohio, \$175 for violating motor carrier safety rules and regulations, not registering with Unified Carrier.

Cary K. Misenhimer, 19, Owasso, Okla., \$129 for unlawful parking.

Semir Omeragic, 40, Manchester, N.H., \$123 for being over weight limits on wheels and axles.

James R. Simmons Jr., 46, Atlanta, \$175 for violating motor carrier safety rules and regulations, no Unified Carrier registration.

Sept. 12: Deborah G. Murray, 61, Lake Dallas, Texas, \$135 for unlawful parking.

Bilson Y. Zhang, 23, Santa Clara, Calif., \$129 for unlawful parking.

Sept. 13: Crystal L. Naylor, 40, Gladstone, Md., \$135 for unlawful parking.

Sept. 14: Amar R. Merchant, 32, Centennial, Colo., \$147 for speeding, 57/40.



Senior Brandon Rome (above) used his legs to hold onto a pass from senior Travis Angelos in the Cowboys game against Ness City Friday, Oct. 24. Senior Kade Sheldon (left) prepared for a low hit on the Ness City ball carrier. Cowboys football ended the season with a loss to Norton, but several Cowboys opponents continued in the state playoffs with three of them playing Friday. This week is Buffer Week, but Cowboys and Cowgirls sports will resume with basketball and wrestling practice Monday.

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State playoffs continue

The Goodland Cowboys football team missed the state playoffs after losing their final game of the season to the Norton Blue Jays, but eight of the nine teams Goodland played this year made the playoffs, and three advanced to the second round.

One of the Cowboys' district opponents has advanced to the third round.

Scott City, who beat Goodland in the first week of district play, beat Holcomb 19-0 in the first round of Class 3A playoffs. Friday, the Beavers beat Lyons 40-13 and at 5 p.m. (Mountain Time) Friday will face Garden Plain at home.

Also in Class 3A, Norton beat Lakin in the first round. The Blue

Jays lost to Beloit 34-17 Friday. Beloit plays at 6:10 p.m. Friday at Conway Springs.

Colby, who beat Goodland in week two, lost to Andale in the first round of Class 4A playoffs. Andale beat Wellington 33-17 Friday and will play at 6 p.m. Friday at St. George-Rock Creek.

The Oakley Plainsmen, who beat Goodland in their first game of the season, beat Atwood, who lost to Goodland, in the first round of the Class 2-1A playoffs. Oakley lost 33-24 to Meade Friday. Meade will play Ellis at 6 p.m. Friday at home.

St. Francis, who beat Goodland in week three, beat Oberlin, who lost to Goodland at homecoming, in the

first round of Class 2-1A playoffs. St. Francis lost 38-30 to LaCrosse Friday. LaCrosse faces Smith Center at 6 p.m. Friday.

In the first round of playoffs, Smith Center beat Trego Community (WaKeeney), who lost to Goodland. Smith Center beat Salina Sacred Heart 73-20 Friday to advance and continue their fifth consecutive undefeated season.

In Eight-man Division II, Wallace County (Sharon Springs) lost to Rozel-Pawnee Heights in the first round. Rozel-Pawnee Heights lost 32-30 to Moscow Friday. Moscow plays Victoria at 2 p.m. Saturday at home.

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