

Cowgirls win at St. Francis gives team 10-7 record

The Goodland High School Cowgirls traveled to St. Francis Friday and brought home a victory, 45-31. That makes the season 10-7 for the Cowgirls.

The next action for the Cowgirls will be at 5:30 p.m. on Friday against the Lady Plainsmen at Max Jones Fieldhouse.

With Jennifer Rome out due to an injury at the game against Burlington last Tuesday the starting lineup for the Cowgirls was Ashley Archer, M'Lynn Hinger, Jade Herl, Alexis Bateman and Paige Phillips.

The Cowgirls had a slight height advantage.

The Lady Indians were the first to put points on the board. The Cowgirls shortly added their own points. With 2:22 left in the first quarter St. Francis evened the score at 4-4.

Bateman added a point from the charity stripe but St. Francis added two baskets of their own making the score at the end of the first quarter St. Francis, 8-5.

Both team had problems hitting the basket but both team were putting on a good defense. At 6:44 Archer added two to the score. St. Francis added a free throw and a basket making the score St. Francis, 13-7. At 3:38 Herl made her first three-point shot of the night. Archer stole the ball and made a shot but missed. Hinger rebounded and added a basket to the score. St. Francis lead 13-12. At 1:52 Herl hit another basket giving the Cowgirls the lead, 14-13. Archer and Bateman added a basket to the score before the end of the second quarter. The Cowgirls led 18-16.

In the first half Archer made six points, Herl five, Bateman five and Hinger two.

Herl made the first basket of the third quarter. The Cowgirls were able to widen their lead with both Archer and Herl adding points to the board. At the end of the third quarter the Cowgirls led 31-23.

At 6:17 left in the fourth quarter Archer sunk a basket making the score 33-23. Archer and Herl continued to add points to their lead. Phillips was able to add her first points of the night. Christy Studer also added a basket of her own.

Archer was the leading scorer with 19, followed by Herl with 15. Bateman had five. Studer, Hinger and Phillips each had two points.



Cowgirl Ashley Archer (above) found it tough scoring against the Lady Cougars from Burlington last week, but helped lead the Cowgirls to a 45-31 win Friday at St. Francis with 19 points. Cowgirl Jade Herl (left) found the height of the Lady Cougars hard to shoot against, but had 15 points in the win at St. Francis.

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School calendar for February 10-16

Wednesday-Black Day Junior High NWKL Music Festival at Colby 4 p.m.-Central Site Council 7 p.m.-Adult Co-Ed Volleyball Thursday-Gold Day 8 a.m.-Regional Science Olympiad in Hays 3:30 p.m.-7/8 Basketball at Hoxie Junior High Wrestling at Oakley 5:30 p.m.-Varsity/Junior Varsity Wrestling at Oakley 6 p.m.-Boys Youth Basketball Friday-Black Day X-Pressos Singing Valentine 3:45 p.m.-Varsity/Junior Varsity/C team Basketball here, versus Oakley 9 p.m.-Snoball Dance in High School Gym Saturday-State Scholar's Bowl 8 a.m.-Junior Varsity Wrestling, Bill Voss Novice, in Colby 7 p.m.-X-Pressos Valentine Banquet Sunday-4 p.m.-NWK Junior VBC Monday-NO SCHOOL 2:45 p.m.-Junior High Scholar's Bowl in Quinter Tuesday-Gold Day 3:45 p.m.-Varsity/Junior Varsity/C Team Basketball at Colby 6 p.m.-Boys Youth Basketball
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