## Stor-news sports



# Sprinting for the finish line

Members of the track teams of Goodland High School and Grant Junior High used the beautiful weather to practice on Wednesday afternoon. Coach Connie Livengood starts the large group of junior high students in stretching exercises. The high school team uses sprints to warm up. The first track meet for the junior high is Tuesday, March 30, at the Burlington Invitational. The high school's first meet is Friday, April 9, at Norton

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#### Two Cowboys receive league Honorable Mention

Two Cowboys were named as rebounds with 128. Hillmer had 56 Honorable Mentions in the Northwest Kansas All-League basketball team.

Cowboys junior Brock Wilkens and sophomore Ryan Hillmer were part of the Honorable Mentions for the all-league team for the past basketball season.

Wilkens led the Cowboys in scoring averaging 9.9 points per game

rebounds and 22 assists.

RobertCowanaveraged8.7 points a game, senior Landon Brenner 3.5 and senior Kevin Amthor 2.1. Amthor led the team in assists with 27 and had 53 rebounds. Brenner including senior Taylor Rall and had 12 assists and 52 rebounds. sophomore Jasxen Moss; two from Cowan had 6 assists and was second St. Francis including seniors Matt in rebounds with 106.

The Cowboys finished the season Colby including senior Braden hitting 49 percent of his shots, and 4-17, and Coach Don Smith said McKee and junior Corbin Stephens; Hillmer was a close second with 9.3 he felt the boys had improved a lot and one from Oakley junior Patrick points per game hitting 33 percent during the year. He said with a few Loftus.

been much better.

Named to the All-League team were three from Ouinter including seniors Matt Bird, Scott Ochs and Brady Reed; two from Hoxie Raile and Trent Raile: two from

games the team record would have able Mentions two from Oakley senior Patrick Ahrens and Tad Parsons; two from Rawlins County juniors Brandon Rutherford and Keaton Argabright; one from Quinter senior Zach Nemechek and one from Oberlin junior Dakota Soderlund.

## **Kids District tourney** brings 35 teams to town Saturday

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The District 4 Kansas Kids Championships will feature wrestlers from 35 teams from western Kansas beginning at 8 a.m. on Saturday at Max Jones Fieldhouse.

The Goodland Wrestling Club is the host for the district tournament and will have 34 wrestlers trying to qualify for the Kansas Kids Championships to be held March 27-28 at the Topeka Expocenter.

The top four in each class will qualify for the state tournament.

Weigh-in will be held from 5-7 p.m. on Friday, and from 4:30-7 a.m. on Saturday at Max Jones Fieldhouse, 1304 Arcade. Coaches meeting at 7:30 a.m. and wrestling begins at 8 a.m.

Goodland wrestlers participated in tournaments in Hays, Ulysses and Pratt prior to the sub-districts.

At the Western Kansas Classic at Gross Memorial at Fort Hays State University on March 6, Goodland had five wrestlers place first, four place second, three place third and four place fourth.

Western Kansas Classic, Hays March 6

6 and under 43 pounds, second, D.J. Knox 46 pounds, third, Mason Hernandez 55 pounds, fourth, Mason Neal 80 pounds, first, Jared Stoffel

8 and under 70 pounds, fourth, Tayton Weeter 10 and under 61 pounds, first, Tate Withington 100 pounds, second, Evan Peter

12 and under

### Two Cowgirls named to All-League team

Two member of the Cowgirl Adrienne Pauls. basketball squad have been named to the 2009-10 Northwest Kansas League All-League team. Goodland High School juniors Jade Herl and Ashley Archer were selected.

Others named to the team were Oakley junior Dayna Kuhlman, Atwood sophomore Hillary Chvatal, Colby junior Kayla Hockersmith, Oakley senior Bailey Hemmert, Oberlin junior Jordan Dreher, Hoxie first year that Coach Andy Scheosenior Carman Hill, Colby junior Katherine Kaus and Oberlin senior

80 pounds, third, Tanner Gastineau 88 pounds, first, Tristan Cooper 96 pounds, fourth, Austin Hernan

100 pounds, first, Ricky Milke 14 and under

110 pounds, second, Brook Bahe 130 pounds, third, Tyler Gastineau 140 pounds, fourth, D.J. Glassman 145 pounds, first, John Peden 165 and 175 pounds, second, Ian Bonsall

Greenback Ground and Pound, Pratt Feb. 27 6 and under

46 Mason Hernandez placed third. 8 and under 67 Dawson Holub placed eighth ..

70A Tayton Weeter placed first. 10 and under

61A Tate Withington placed second 100A Evan Peter placed second. 12 and under 80 Tanner Gastineau placed second.

88 Tristan Cooper placed fourth. 92-96 Austin Hernandez placed first.

100-105 - Seth Garza placed fourth. 14 and under 85-95 Aaron Avelar placed third.

130 - Tyler Gastineau placed first.

155-165 Ian Bonsall placed first. **Ulysses Open Results** Feb. 20 8 and under

67-70 Dawson Holub placed second

10 and under 61 Tate Withington placed second. 12 and under 80-88 Tristan Cooper placed first.

Those selected as honorable mention are Hoxie senior Shaylinn Kaus, Colby sophomore Morgan Bell, St. Francis sophomore Kaitlin Figgins, Oberlin senior Mary Olson, Quinter sophomore Lexie Woolf and Atwood senior Wendy Castens.

The Cowgirls ended their season with a 11-11 record. This was the pner coached the Cowgirls. Dixie Teeter was the assistant coach.

of his shots. Wilkens led the team in breaks in the final minutes of several

Others on included in the Honor-



Pre-school-Kindergarten

1st- 2nd grade

3rd-4th grade



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