

Brutal winds raise golf scores at Sugar Hills

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Winds were gusting to 60 mph on Tuesday, but 12 teams of high school golfers braved the conditions for the Goodland Invitational at Sugar Hills Golf Club.

The Cowboys finished second with a combined score of 381, behind the Colby Eagles who won with a combined score of 367.

Individually Kade Brown of Oberlin was the top golfer with a score of 85.

For the Cowboys Joel Linin placed fourth with an 89, and Tyler Jones was ninth with a 94.

Coach Terry Daise said it was great to get two golfers in the top 10. He said the playing conditions were brutal with the high winds resulting in higher than usual scores.

Other Cowboys included Cy Paxton, 98; Tanner Jones, 100; Blaine Luther, 102; and J.P. McCool, 110.

Many of the young golfers found that if they hit a good drive the ball would drift way off course and found themselves playing from a parallel freeway or in the trees.

Approaching the ninth hole Cowboy Tanner Jones was in the trees to the right, and his approach shot was a bit short. When he decided to chip and roll onto the green the ball rolled right up to the pin, hit it and bounced off by a few inches for a very short putt.

One of the team coaches said the windy conditions made the day one of "survival" for the young golfers. Coaches and players alike spent time hunting for blowing hats as much as they had to hunt for wayward golf balls.

The winds added to the individual scores in comparison to results of the Norton tournament on Friday at Norton where the Cowboys tied with the Bluejays for second with a team total of 359.

Top Cowboy at Norton was Linin with an 81 to place third, and Luther had an 89 for 10th place. Paxton had a 94, Tanner Jones 95, McCool 100, and Tyler Jones 107.

Coach Daise said he was pleased to see Joel and Blaine in the top 10 at Norton. He said Cy improved 10 strokes from the front nine to the back nine, which was quite an improvement.

The Cowboys golf team will be in Hays at 2 p.m. on Monday, and the junior varsity tournament will be at 1 p.m. on Tuesday at Sugar Hills Golf Club.



Cowboy golfer Cy Paxton (above) watched his putt roll up to the hole on No. 14 at Sugar Hills Golf Course during the windy high school tournament held Tuesday afternoon. Cowboy golfer Tanner Jones (above right) did a chip and roll on hole No. 9 and the ball rolled all the way to the pin and bounced off a few inches to give him a very short putt. With the high winds some golfers had to wait for passing tumble weeds before they could putt. Photos by Tom Betz/The Goodland Star-News




Goodland Invitational team results: First, Colby, 367; second, Goodland, 381; third, Hoxie, 388; fourth, Hays High, 391; fifth, Ulysses, 393; sixth, Thomas More Prep, 405; seventh, Norton, 407; eighth, Oakley, 429; ninth, Scott City, 433; 10th, Rawlins County,

447; 11th, Quinter, 466; and Oberlin, no team score.

Norton Tournament team results: First, Phillipsburg, 356; second, Goodland, 359 (won tie-breaker); third, Norton, 359; fourth, Hoxie, 364; fifth, Rawlins County, 381; sixth Smith Center, 389; seventh,

Oakley, 413; eighth, Quinter, 415; ninth, Colby 431; 10th, Hill City, 436; 11th, Norton B, 443; and 12th, Norton C, 457.

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Margaret Bauman



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Kansas Wesleyan golf team signs Goodland golfer for next season

The Coyotes will add two golfers from northwest Kansas to the roster this fall with a Goodland and a Sharon Springs golfer signing with Kansas Wesleyan.

Coach Rob Ozga has signed a trio of junior college golfers to build his team.

Coming from Colby Community College are Ryan Gausman of Goodland and Alex Howard of Sharon Springs. Both have been on

the Colby team this past year.

Gausman posted a 25th place finish with a score of 165 at the Kansas Jayhawk Community College Conference No. 4 meet at Rolling Meadows, and had a 163 earning him 27th place at the No. 5 meet at Hesston.

Howard posted a 32nd place finish at the No. 4 meet with a score of 170, and had a 40th place finish at the No. 5 meet with a 170.

The third community college member is Zack Braucher who played for Independence Community College. Braucher of Nevada, Mo., finished 41st with a 182 at the No. 4 meet and had a 44th place finish with a 175 at the No. 5 meet.

Gausman and Howard are the second and third players from Colby Community College to sign with the Coyotes this year.

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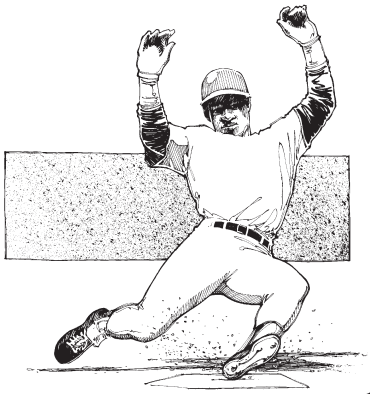
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ACROSS

1. "Oh __, won't you buy me ..."
5. Succotash beans
10. 1/640 square mile
14. Twistable cookie
15. Publicist's concern
16. Get hair all over
17. Indian or Brave
19. Prefix with photo
20. Post of etiquette
21. Sonata ending
22. B-school subj.
23. Enlightened state, in Zen
25. Company car, e.g., for short
27. Assistance in finding a keyhole, maybe
31. Charlie's ride, in song
34. In under the tag
37. At __ (free)
38. Excellent bond rating
39. Crete's highest elev.
41. Band's vehicle, perhaps
42. H, spelled out
44. Caterer's vessel
45. Some pad users
48. Shrimpers' gear
49. __ kwon do
50. Oval Office's locale, with "The"
52. Hammer hemisphere
54. Cherry red
58. Compete in logrolling
60. Chef's verb
64. For dieters
65. Diva's delivery
66. Business honchos' meal
68. __ Blanc
69. State one's views
70. __ over (study carefully)
71. Penny __

DOWN

1. Places for piercings
2. Suffix in contrived ad words
3. Fired up again
4. Spooned out, as whipped cream
5. "Diamond __" (West play)
6. Apple product since 1998
7. It's "held" at diners
8. Like some wine and cheese
9. Highest-ranking angels
10. Daisy lookalike
11. Triumphant call, in chess
12. Move, in Realtor lingo
13. Pristine place
18. Fiery heap
24. The Admiral Benbow __
26. Sundance's gal
28. Is crazy for
29. "No way, José"
30. 1965 Moody Blues hit
32. Diplomat's gift
33. Satisfied sighs
34. X-rated reading
35. Gillette razor brand
36. Hard-to-read portion of a contract
40. "... even __ speak"
43. Not one by one
46. Two fins

47. "__ 'em, Fido!"
51. "Little" Dickens girl
53. Bring cheer to
55. "On the other hand ..."
56. Pelvic bones
57. Old anesthetic
58. Crimson Tide, informally
59. It may be cast or pumped
61. Get crocked
62. "Heads __, tails ..."
63. Patronize a limo service
67. Hi-__ graphics

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