

Cowboys face rival Eagles tonight for homecoming

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The Goodland Cowboys are home to-night with kick off at 6:30 p.m., as Goodland tries to get the first home win in almost two years, against the rival Colby Eagles for Homecoming.

The Cowboys haven't won a home football game since Oct. 24, 2008 when they beat Ness City 43-8. The Cowboys have been road warriors this season, winning all 3 away games.

The annual Homecoming parade was held on Thursday beginning at Eighth and Maine Ave. and travels south to 13th and Main before turning east toward Cowboy Stadium for the pep rally that included a

skit by the senior parents and the Jumpin' Juniors and ended with the traditional bonfire.

The Cowboys are coming off a 31-28 overtime win over Lakin that improved their record to 3-2.

The Eagles are 3-2 this year under head coach Chris Gardner, with wins over St. Francis, Hugoton and Holcomb, and losses to Scott City and Ulysses.

Kale Arberger is the Eagles quarterback completing 32 of 72 passes for 556 yards, 10 touchdowns, and 5 interceptions. Arberger has rushed 35 times for 100 yards and 2 scores.

Andrew Flanagin is the Eagles running back, carrying the ball 77 times for 485

yards and 6 touchdowns; he has caught 7 balls for 108 yards. Ryan Parker has carried 62 times for 329 yards and 2 touchdowns.

Corbin Stevens is the top receiver for Colby, catching 11 passes for 251 yards and 5 touchdowns. Zayne Winger has 3 receptions for 54 yards and 3 touchdowns.

On defense, Flanagin has 56 tackles and 1 interception; Parker has 53 tackles; Stevens and Christian Wilson each have 25 tackles.

Josh Middleton is the punter and is averaging 36.5 yards per punt. Treck Keck is the kicker and has kicked off 26 times and has 1 touchdown.

The Cowboys are 3-2 in Kent Teeter's third year as head coach. The Cowboys have

wins over Hugoton, Holcomb, and Lakin. Losing versus Ulysses and Scott City.

Cowboy quarterback Reed Bellamy has completed 61 of 111 passes for 733 yards, 6 touchdowns, and 3 interceptions. He has carried 50 times for 214 yards and 1 touchdown.

Riley Oharah has carried 42 times for 145 yards and 2 touchdowns. Kelly Pearson has run the ball 40 times for 224 yards and 2 touchdowns.

Leading receiver for Goodland is Brock Wilkens with 18 catches for 215 yards and 2 touchdowns. Pearson has caught 6 balls for 133 yards and 2 touchdowns.

On the defense side of the ball, Nathan Deeds leads Goodland with 69 total tackles,

followed by Oharah with 58. Robert Cowan has 49, and Devon Garrett with 43.

Dallas DeLaRosa leads the team with 1 and a half sacks. Dillon Trachsel and Deeds each have 2 interceptions that lead the team.

As a kicker Wilkens is averaging 31.53 yards per punt. Austin Avelar returns as the Cowboys kickoff specialist.

DeLaRosa is the place kicker and kicked an 18-yard field goal on Friday to defeat Lakin, 31-28, in overtime.

Homecoming royalty will be crowned at half time and the Jumpin' Juniors will perform. The 50-year class of 1960 will be honored as well as homecoming royalty from past years.

Mavericks host first Invitational at Sugar Hills Golf Course

The inaugural Northwest Tech Mavericks Invitational was held on Sunday and Monday at Sugar Hills Golf Course with five college teams competing.

Coach Travis Jones said it was a great tournament and the ladies had some great rounds. Sunday was the practice round and the tournament was held Monday morning with each player doing 18 holes.

Barton County Community College was the top team with a score of 317, Central Christian was second with 402, and Barton "B" was third with 429.

Neither Colby Community College or Northwest Tech had team scores as a player on each team had to withdraw because of injuries.

The top individual was Chelsea Gausman of Colby, and a former Goodland Cowgirl golfer, who had two even rounds of 40 for an 18-hole 80.

Second was Jessica Leiker of Colby who had a total of 82.

Barton County's Rachel Strecker was third at 83.

Central Christian's Samantha McCellan was fourth with 85.

Northwest Tech Amber Douglas and Barton County Chelsea Diaz tied for fifth at 93.

Natashia Hillman of Barton County, another former Cowgirl golfer, was seventh at 94.



Jenice Hartman of the Northwest Tech Mavericks lined up a putt at the Mavericks Invitational held on Sunday and Monday at Sugar Hills Golf Course.

Photo by Rusty Short/NW Tech

Christian was 17th at 117.

Kaylee Konene of Northwest Tech was 18th at 124.

Jenice Hartman of Northwest Tech was 19th at 146.

Colby's Christy Colson and Northwest Tech's Ariel Hapke both withdrew because of injuries.

Coach Jones said this was the last tournament for the women for the fall, and he is hoping to get some voluntary practices in over the next six months.

He said he thinks Douglas can qualify for the regional and is hoping one or two of his first time golfers can improve to make the regional. He said he keeps telling

them the putting is a big key.

"If they can get down to two putting every green that will cut more strokes off their scores than anything else," he said. "The girls all hit the ball pretty well, but the chipping and putting is where they can improve the most."

The college golf season resumes in April and Coach Jones is hoping to add a tournament to the four scheduled.

The next tournament will be at Central Christian on April 4-5.

Another Maverick golf tournament is scheduled for April 17-18 at Sugar Hills.

The college regional is May 1-3 in Hutchison.

Goodland finds Ellsworth course tough

Goodland cross country runners found the Ellsworth course to be mentally tough, but did come back with one medal and a lot of good experience against many eastern Kansas teams.

Coach Ben Foust said the course at Ellsworth has lots of hills and they are steep up and down hills. It is a fast first mile of the course and a mentally tough course.

The weather was not bad at 79 degrees, 33 percent humidity with an east southeast wind at 16 mph with gusts to 25 mph.

Schools at the meet included Abilene, Beloit, Ellsworth, Hess-

ton, Lincoln, Smoky Valley, Sylvan, Victoria, Minneapolis, Goodland and Ell-Saline (Brookville).

Boys team results: Hesston, 63, Minneapolis, 74, Lincoln, 93, Beloit, 114, Smoky Valley, 117, SE of Saline, 119, Victoria, 140, Abilene, 172, Goodland, 208.

Cowboy Stephen Buller placed 14th out of 63 runners with a time of 19:10.85.

The Cowgirls did not have enough runners to get a team score.

Girls individual results: Winning Time: 16:06.13, Runners: 48

Athlete 1 mile Time Place

Sierra Estes 8:11 22:11 40
Chantel Coates 8:04 23:20.16 45
Day Waugh 8:13 23:34.52 46
Boys individual results
Winning Time: 16:54.43 Runners: 63
Athlete 1 mile Time Place
Stephen Buller 5:33 19:10.85 14
Ace Arteaga 5:34 20:27.14 30
Xavier Foust 6:28 23:45.49 59
Jesse Cooper 6:47 23:50.59 61
Jacob Schnabel 7:20 26:59.01 63
Team Score: 208

Homecoming candidates



The candidates for Homecoming King and Queen were Katlyn Topliff (front from left), Jade Herl, Chris Bustillos (second row from left), Ashley Archer, Kristy Studer, Jennifer Rome, Devon Garrett (third row from left), Nathan Deeds, David Murray (back row from left), Brock Wilkens and Kayler Rietcheck. Not pictured was Kirsten Topliff. Goodland High School students vote for the king and queen.

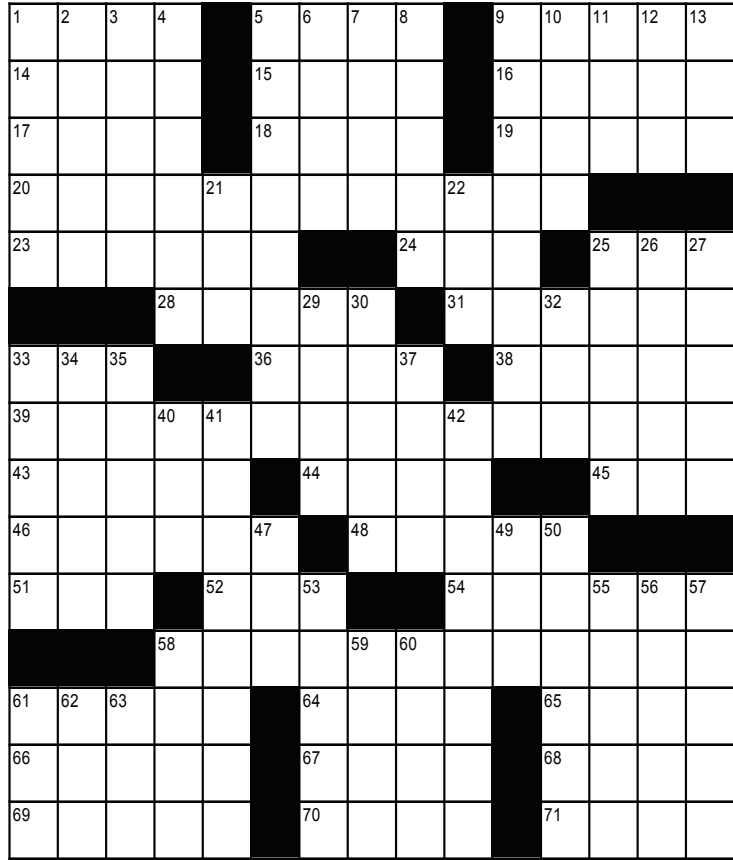
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- Knock-__
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- Agenda listing
- Like many seals
- Ides of March rebuke
- Designer Chanel
- Belgian battle site
- Adds to the language, in a way
- Teacher portrayed by Kaplan
- Thus far
- Polo Grounds legend
- Narc's find
- Baseball yearbook page
- Wagering loc.
- __ club (singers' group)
- __ Dame (French cathedral)
- Purpose of a trip, perhaps
- Old Testament book
- Kett of old comics
- They follow dos
- Political refugee
- Monica of tennis
- Cartoon Chihuahua
- Grapefruit league loc.
- Regales
- Bit of ammo for the Lone Ranger
- Nominee list
- Neighborhood
- The O'Hara home
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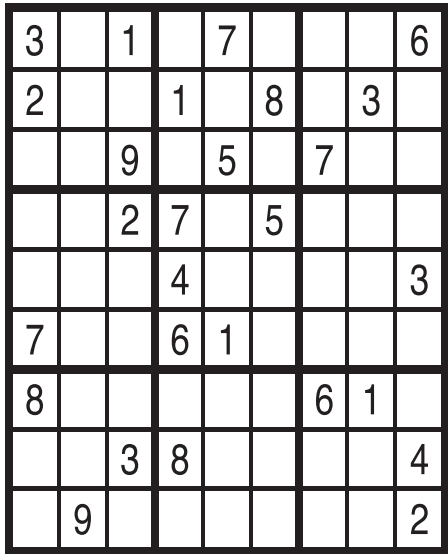
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- Back of the neck
- Drop an easy one
- Shoebbox letters

- Cavity-filler's deg.
- Put in rollers
- Lingus
- Playful mammal
- __ Haute
- Deuce toppers
- __ gin fizz
- Tests for weight
- Ill, to Jr.
- Autumn color
- Jim in the 500-homer club
- Washbowl
- Italy's Villa d'__
- Battery term.
- Jim Davis cat
- Durante's "Mrs."
- Conduit bend
- Cassowary kin
- Ottoman ruler
- Nautical "Halt!"

- Satisfy, as thirst
- Creepy
- Cede one's seat
- Brigadier general's insignia
- Toledo's lake
- Gym iterations
- Mineral spring site
- "Ben-Hur" novelist Wallace
- Critic __ Louise Huxtable

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