



## Get 'em, boys!

Four shooters (right photo) took aim during the “Annie Oakley” Shoot Sunday at the Goodland Gun Club’s range Sunday as part of October’s Jackpot Shoot. Ben Bliss (center in above photo) and teammate Vic Clouse (left), both of Goodland, took aim during the Buddy Chip Shoot where the first shooter breaks the clay target and his “buddy” tries to break one of its chips.

Photos by Greg Stover/The Goodland Star-News



## Cowgirls take fourth at Syracuse

The Cowgirls golf team finished fourth at the Syracuse Invitational on Thursday at the Tamarisk Golf Course.

Freshman Sammie Raymer led the Goodland High team, finishing sixth with a 26-over-par 98 for 18 holes. Senior Bailee Guyer placed eighth with 100. Senior Amy Cebula finished with a 116, junior Julie Leiker 119 and senior Emily Burkett 122.



Sammie Raymer

In the junior varsity competition, junior Sami Philbrick earned a medal for placing sixth with a score of 60 for nine holes. Senior Kelsey Leiker finished with a 67. Eryka Stabel of Lakin won the junior varsity competition with a round of 53.

The Lady Bulldogs of Syracuse won the team title by placing five players in the top 15. Senior Maggie Welch won the tournament with a score of 81, eight strokes better than runnerup Melissa Brown of Sublette.

Syracuse’s score of 380 was 20 strokes better than second-place Ulysses. Lakin was third with 417, followed by Goodland with 433. Holcomb was fifth with 493 and Sublette sixth with 503.

This was the last tournament before the regionals, which were to have been played at the Bentwood Golf Course in Ulysses on Monday. If the Cowgirls qualify, they will advance to the state tournament at the Salina Municipal Golf Course next Monday.

## Top-ranked Butler County Grizzlies has Goodland tie

The Grizzlies of Butler County Community College in El Dorado are 7-0 overall for the season, and one of reasons for it is a former Goodland resident.

Sophomore J.C. Zahradnik is the Grizzlies’ starting right defensive end and a team captain. He is also the team’s long snapper for punts and field goals. Through the first seven games of the season, he has 32 tackles, 11 solo, including four quarterback sacks. Zahradnik has

recovered two fumbles and forced another.

Zahradnik is the son of Joy and Gary Seemann of Cordell, Okla., and the grandson of Dale and Iva Lee Stephens of Goodland, and of Ernie and Rosalie Seemann



J.C. Zahradnik

of Levant. Zahradnik lived in Goodland until shortly after finishing the sixth grade, around the age of 11, when his family moved to Colby.

His family later moved to Anthony where Zahradnik graduated from Chaparral High School in 2003. In addition to playing sports there, he was a member of the National Honor Society.

Head coach Troy Morrell said Zahradnik is doing a great job this

year and was picked by the coaching staff as the team’s defensive lineman of the week.

On Saturday, Butler County defeated 65-2 Independence Community College for a 6-0 record in the Kansas Jayhawk Community College Conference. The week before, on Oct. 2, the Grizzlies defeated Hutchinson Community College 34-13. Three days later they moved into the No. 1 position in the National Junior College Athletic Association

top 20 poll after being No. 2 for four weeks.

In 2003, Butler County won the national championship, finishing 12-0 record. The Grizzlies’ final game of the regular season will be next Saturday at Fort Scott Community College. The Greyhounds are 0-7 for the season.

The first round of the conference playoffs begin Sunday, Oct. 24.

## sports shorts

### Former Cowboy leads Blue Dragons

Espirion “Speedy” Aguliar was the top runner for the Hutchinson Community College men’s cross country team at the Cowboy Jam-boree held Oct. 2 in Stillwater, Okla.

Aguliar, a 2004 graduate of Goodland High School, placed 39th

overall finishing the 8,000-meter course in 27 minutes 29.42 seconds. The Blue Dragons finished ninth out of 22 teams in the college/junior college competition.

Last Saturday, Aguliar finished 25th at the Fort Hays State University Tiger Invitational running the 8,000-meter course there in 27 minutes, 53 seconds. Hutchinson finished fifth. The U.S. Air Force

Academy won the meet with Fort Hays placing third.

Hutchinson’s next meet will be the Johnson County Invite Friday in Overland Park.

### Lady Tigers stretch winning streak

The Fort Hays State University volleyball team defeated both Fort

Lewis and Adams State colleges this past weekend 3-1 to keep a six-match winning streak going.

On Friday, the Lady Tigers defeated Fort Lewis 30-18, 30-13, 25-30 and 30-20. On Saturday they beat Adams State 30-26, 29-31, 30-26 and 30-24. Fort Hays is now 18-2 overall and 9-1 in the East Division of the Rocky Mountain Athletic Conference.

## area football

### Northwest Kansas League

Ulysses 34, Goodland 20  
Hoxie 34, St. Francis 28  
Oakley 42, Oberlin 0  
Quinter 15, Atwood 7

### Western Kansas Liberty League

Brewster 22, Sharon Springs 14  
Weskan 64, Bird City 0  
Rexford 68, Winona 22  
Healy 48, Rola 0  
Victoria 60, Grinnell-Grainfield 30

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**School calendar for Oct. 13 - Oct. 19**

**Wednesday** - “Gold Day”; PSAT for Juniors 8 a.m.; District “A” Fall FCCLA Leadership Academy; basketball and wrestling rules meeting in Oakley 6:30 p.m.; city/county recreation at the fieldhouse and jr. high gym 7:30 p.m.; Central Site Council meeting 4 p.m.

**Thursday** - “Black Day”; Seminar - FCCLA; “C” volleyball at Scott City 3 p.m.

**Friday** - “Gold Day”; Football at Clay Center 5:30 p.m.; State Tennis.

**Saturday** - State Tennis; Northwest Kansas League cross country at Quinter; Northwest Kansas League volleyball at Oberlin.

**Monday** - State Golf at Salina; junior varsity football at Colby 4:30 p.m.; Junior High Scholar’s Bowl at Cheylin 3:30 p.m.

**Tuesday** - “Gold Day”; Seminar - Girl’s Athletic Association and G-Club; “C” football at Hays 3 p.m.

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