

Indians defeat Cowboys

In the history of “cowboys versus Indians,” the cowboys did not always win which was the case Tuesday night at Hays High School when Goodland lost to the Indians 60-43.

Hays scored the game’s first four points and led throughout the game, once by as much as 23 points. Leading 4-3 about halfway through the first period, the Indians scored 10 straight points to make it 14-3. Hays led 17-5 at the end of the period.

The Indians continued their dominance in the second period scoring 11 straight points while keeping Goodland scoreless for over five minutes. Trailing 28-5 with 2 minutes 50 seconds left in the half, the Cowboys went on a nine-point run to close the period and narrow Hays’ lead to 28-14 at halftime.

Both teams picked up the scoring pace and played almost even ball in



Herl



Raymer

the third period with the Indians outscoring Goodland 20-19 to make the score 48-33 going into the fourth quarter. There the Cowboys could make no headway as Hays responded with points of its own for every score Goodland got with the Indians winning 60-43.

Sophomore Jase Herl led the Cowboys with 15 points. Senior Derrick Raymer scored 12 and senior Brock Lohr seven. Junior Wyatt Dautel added five points, freshman Nick Angelos three and

junior Heath Chatfield scored on a free-throw.

Senior Lane Winter grabbed eight rebounds to lead Goodland followed by Raymer with six.

Matt Stramel of Hays scored a game-high 23 points and had 13 rebounds to lead the Indians.

The Cowboys, now 5-1, will look to get back in the saddle tonight against the Quinter Bulldogs with tip-off around 7 at Max Jones Fieldhouse. On Tuesday Quinter defeated the Shockers of Wheatfield High in Grainfield 75-61, three Bulldog players scored in double-figures in that game.

This will the last game for the Cowboys before the Christmas break, they will return to the hard court on Tuesday, Jan. 4, at home against the Trojans of Stanton County High School of Johnson City.

Goodland wrestler wins again

Senior Bryce Abbey of the University of Nebraska at Kearny won his weight class at the Runza Loper Open held last Saturday at the university’s Health and Sports Center.

Abbey defeated teammate Trevor Charbonneau in a 125-pound match by a 3-1 overtime decision for the gold medal. Charbonneau, a sophomore from Green, Kan., wrestled for the Clay Center Tigers in high school.

Abbey is one of five Loper wrestlers ranked in the top eight for their weight classes by the NCAA Division II Wrestling Coaches’ Association in its latest poll released Dec.



Abbey

8. Abbey was picked No. 2 behind Dustin Tovar of the University of Nebraska at Omaha, who finished third at the Runza Loper Open.

Senior Adam Keiswetter is ranked No. 1 at 133 pounds, as is junior Jay Sylvester at 197 pounds. Senior Aaron Dalton at 165 pounds

and sophomore heavyweight Tervel Dlagnev are ranked No. 5 in the nation.

As a team, the Lopers remain ranked No. 3 behind Nebraska-Omaha and Augustana College (S.D.).

Thirteen teams competed at last weekend’s open tournament, in-

cluding three schools from Kansas: Fort Hays State University, Newman University and Colby Community College. The Trojan’s Matt Gilliland, a freshman from Hoxie, placed third at 141 pounds.

Today will be a busy day for Abbey, as the Lopers will be in Kansas City, Kansas, this afternoon for a dual meet with Central Missouri State University. He will be one of about 400 students graduating this morning. Abbey will receive his Bachelor of Science in exercise science.

Bryce, the son of Mike and Lorrie Abbey of Goodland, will continue his education at Nebraska-Kearney and begin work on his Master of Arts in exercise science in January. Lorrie Abbey said her son plans to get married in June.

Brewster teams stay unbeaten

Both the Brewster High boys and girls basketball teams remained unbeaten Tuesday after defeating Triplains High of Winona.

The Lady Bulldogs trailed 14-11 at the end of the first period then dominated the rest of the game outscoring the Lady Vikings 16-4 in the second quarter and 32-8 in the second half to win 59-26.

Senior Andrea Horney led Brewster in scoring with 14 points followed by sophomore Avery Schultz with 13. Junior Jalyn Reid scored seven and junior Amy Carpenter six.

Sophomore Audrey Hoyt along with freshmen Abbie Allen and Melissa Baird each added four points. Sophomore Sarah Flanders scored three points and both senior Andie Baird and sophomore Megan Allen scored two.

The Brewster boys outscored the Vikings 19-2 in the first period and kept the lead throughout the game to win 65-30. Juniors Kyle O’Connor and Branson Gilley both scored 13 points to lead the Bull-

dogs.

Senior Paul Flanders scored 10 points, senior Jake Long eight, and seniors Josh Ryan and Heath Baird both scored six. Freshman Michael Collett added three points, and juniors Jonathan Collett, freshman Corey Siruta and junior Brent Pettay each scored two.

The Bulldogs won both the boys and girls championship trophy at the Sagebrush Shootout last weekend in Brewster. Saturday, the girls defeated Rawlins County High of Atwood 50-43 for the title and the boys beat Stratton High of Colorado 72-54. Both teams defeated Oberlin in the first round played on Dec. 7 and Idalia High of Colorado in the semifinals Friday.

On Saturday, Idalia’s girls beat Golden Plains High of Rexford 61-49 for third place, Stratton defeated Decatur Community High of Oberlin 58-56 for fifth and St. Francis beat Cheylin High of Bird City 34-17.

In the boys’ bracket, Golden

Plains beat Idalia 67-49 for third, Oberlin beat Atwood 79-58 for fifth and St. Francis beat Cheylin 55-43 for seventh.

The Bulldogs’ Heath Baird won the boys’ three-point shooting contest with J.D. Hawkins of St. Francis second. Reid was the runner-up to Katelyn Spresser of Rexford in the girls competition.

O’Connor won the boys’ free throw contest with Rodney Rippe of Atwood second. In the girls contest, Sarah Flanders finished second to Idalia’s Kaitlin Soehner.

Horney and junior Caitlin Rush made the all-tournament girls team for Brewster. Jamie Elwood of Oberlin and Ariel Dunker of Atwood along with Soehner and Spresser also made the team.

Paul Flanders and Heath Baird made the boys all-tournament team along with Jesse Miller of Rexford, Kevin Lengel of Idalia and Nathaniel Gray of Stratton.

The Cougars of Cheylin won the school sportsmanship award.

Both Brewster teams are 5-0 for the season and will be in Rexford tonight for games against the Bulldogs of Golden Plains High.



Cowgirl earns all-area honors

Goodland sophomore Dani Bedore was one of six players who received first team all-area honors in the Sunday *Salina Journal*.

Bedore, who had 328 kills, 132 service aces and 100 blocks for the Cowgirls this past season, was the only sophomore picked for the first team. She joins seniors Jacie Hoyt of Hoxie,



Bedore

Megan Koster of Clay Center and Marlies Gipson of McPherson. Sacred Heart High School of Salina had two players make the first team, senior Steph Witman and junior Shannon Bechard.

Rose Wittman of Sacred Heart was named Coach of the Year. The Lady Knights won the 2004 state Class

2A championship and finished with a 37-1 record.

Both Bedore and Hoyt were Northwest Kansas All-League team picks for this past season as was Cowgirl junior Melissa Swager.

Senior Andrea Horney of Brewster made the all-area second team as did freshman Lissa Mazanec of Colby and senior Ariel Dunker of Atwood.

Go Cowboys & Cowgirls!

Goodland High School

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Wrestling Saturday, Holiday Classic Tournament in Goodland 8 a.m.

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10:00 22/56 ESPN College Basketball Kentucky at Louisville. (Live) (CC)

10:30 7/11 CBS NFL Today Host Greg Gumbel; with Boomer Esiason, Dan Marino, Marcus Allen and Shannon Sharpe. (Live) (CC)

11:30 7/11 CBS NFL Football Pittsburgh Steelers at New York Giants. From Giants Stadium in East Rutherford, N.J. (Live) (CC)

AFTERNOON

12:00 22/56 ESPN College Basketball Texas at Wake Forest. (Live) (CC)

54/57 ESPN2 College Basketball Arizona at Marquette. (Live) (CC)

1:00 30/55 FXSP College Basketball Western Michigan at USC. (Live)

2:00 54/57 ESPN2 Women’s College Volleyball NCAA Tournament Final — Teams TBA. From Long Beach, Calif. (Live) (CC)

2:30 13/7 FOX NFL Pregame (Live) (CC)

3:00 7/11 CBS College Basketball Oklahoma at Duke. (Live) (CC)

13/7 FOX NFL Football Washington Redskins at San Francisco 49ers. From Monster Park in San Francisco. (Live) (CC)

30/55 FXSP Women’s College Basketball Stanford at Missouri. (Live)

5:00 30/55 FXSP Women’s College Basketball Oklahoma at Louisiana Tech. (Live)

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10:00 7/11 CBS NFL Today Host Greg Gumbel; with Boomer Esiason, Dan Marino, Marcus Allen and Shannon Sharpe. (Live) (CC)

13/7 FOX Fox NFL Sunday (Live) (CC)

30/55 FXSP Broncos Countdown to Kickoff ’04 (Live)

11:00 7/11 CBS NFL Football Denver Broncos at Kansas City Chiefs. From Arrowhead Stadium in Kansas City, Mo. (Live) (CC)

13/7 FOX NFL Football Regional Coverage — Dallas at Philadelphia, Minnesota at Detroit or Seattle at N.Y. Jets. (Live) (CC)

22/56 ESPN PBA Bowling Orange County Classic. From Fountain Valley, Calif. (Live) (CC)

AFTERNOON

1:00 30/55 FXSP College Basketball Tipoff Show (Live)

1:30 30/55 FXSP College Basketball North Carolina at Virginia Tech. (Live)

2:00 7/11 CBS NFL Football Jacksonville Jaguars at Green Bay Packers. From Lambeau Field in Green Bay, Wis. (Live) (CC)

3:00 54/57 ESPN2 Women’s College Basketball Florida at Baylor. (Live) (CC)

4:00 30/55 FXSP College Basketball Florida State at Maryland. (Live)

5:00 22/56 ESPN SportsCenter (Live) (CC)

5:30 22/56 ESPN NFL Primetime (Live) (CC)



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