

Runners head to Norton



Junior Brandon Tatman ran a preliminary heat at the 200-meter dash at the Ogallala Invitational last Saturday. The Cowboys and the Cowgirls will be in Norton Saturday for the second meet of the season.  
Photo by Greg Stover/The Goodland Star-News

Winds blow down tower, limbs

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line for any reason should call the power company.  
Temperatures for Tuesday were a little below normal, Johnson said, with a high of 53 degrees. Wednesday, they returned to just above normal at 65 degrees.  
The storm dropped .44 of an inch at the airport in Goodland, which is twice the normal rainfall to date for April.  
Even with the extra moisture, though, the area still only has 1.03

inches for the year, 1.28 inches below normal.  
Johnson said Goodland just missed the heaviest rain, as Colby measured 2.5 inches and Oberlin had 2.22. Just west of Brewster, he said, reports indicate .60 of an inch fell.  
"Sherman County missed out on most of the rain," he said. "It's a pretty sharp cutoff."  
Hesaidtheofficeputout flood warnings for Thomas County, with three to four inches of rain reported around Mingo, and the water didn't start to recede until Wednesday morning.

Johnson said the storm built as a low-pressure system in southeast Colorado moved into Kansas, where it encountered a warm front.  
Our next chance for rain is over the weekend, when the setup starts to look similar to Tuesday, Johnson said. On Thursday, the Weather Service predicted a 50 percent chance of rain for Saturday and a 60 percent chance for Sunday. Temperatures over the weekend should be in the 60s Saturday and 50s Sunday. Another chance for rain is expected on Monday.

Sports television schedule

**SATURDAY MORNING**  
10:00 22/56 ESPN College Baseball Teams TBA. (Live)  
54/57 ESPN2 WTA Tennis Bausch & Lomb Championships — Semifinal. From Amelia Island, Fla. (Live) (CC)  
**AFTERNOON**  
1:30 7/11 CBS Golf The Masters — Third Round. From Augusta National Golf Club in Augusta, Ga. (Live) (CC)  
2:00 3/9 NBC 8/8 NBC Horse Racing Santa Anita Derby/Illinois Derby/Wood Memorial/Carter Handicap. From Santa Anita Park in Arcadia, Calif., Hawthorne Race Course in Cicero, Ill. and Aqueduct in Ozone Park, N.Y. (Live) (CC)  
30/55 FXSP MLB Baseball Colorado Rockies at San Francisco Giants. From SBC Park in San Francisco. (Subject to Blackout) (Live)  
54/57 ESPN2 MLS Soccer Club Deportivo Chivas USA at San Jose Earthquakes. From Spartan Stadium in San Jose, Calif. (Live) (CC)  
5:00 22/56 ESPN College Hockey NCAA Tournament Final — Teams TBA. From Columbus, Ohio. (Live) (CC)  
25/35 IND MLB Baseball New York Mets at Atlanta Braves. From Turner Field in Atlanta. (Live) (CC)  
5:30 30/55 FXSP High School Basketball Nike Hoop Summit. From Memphis, Tenn. (Live)  
**SUNDAY MORNING**  
10:30 13/7 FOX NASCAR Racing Nextel Cup Series — Advance Auto Parts 500. From Martinsville Speedway in Martinsville, Va. (Live)  
22/56 ESPN Baseball Tonight (Live) (CC)

11:00 3/9 NBC 8/8 NBC Arena Football Regional Coverage — Philadelphia Soul at Colorado Crush or San Jose SaberCats at Chicago Rush. (Live) (CC)  
4/6 ABC NBA Basketball Detroit Pistons at Miami Heat. From the American Airlines Arena in Miami. (Subject to Blackout) (Live)  
22/56 ESPN PBA Bowling Dexter Tournament of Champions. From Uncasville, Conn. (Live) (CC)  
25/35 IND MLB Baseball New York Mets at Atlanta Braves. From Turner Field in Atlanta. (Live) (CC)  
54/57 ESPN2 WTA Tennis Bausch & Lomb Championships — Final. From Amelia Island, Fla. (Live) (CC)  
60/89 UNIV Fútbol de la Liga Mexicana UNAM vs. Puebla. (En Vivo)  
**AFTERNOON**  
12:00 99/36 WGN MLB Baseball Milwaukee Brewers at Chicago Cubs. From Wrigley Field in Chicago. (Live) (CC)  
12:30 7/11 CBS Golf The Masters — Final Round. From Augusta National Golf Club in Augusta, Ga. (Live) (CC)  
1:30 4/6 ABC NBA Basketball Regional Coverage — Los Angeles Lakers at Sacramento Kings or New York Knicks at Indiana Pacers. (Live)  
2:00 3/9 NBC 8/8 NBC Champ Car World Series Racing Toyota Grand Prix of Long Beach. From Long Beach, Calif. (Live) (CC)  
3:15 99/36 WGN Tenth Inning (Live) (CC)  
4:00 22/56 ESPN SportsCenter (Live) (CC)  
5:00 22/56 ESPN Baseball Tonight (Live) (CC)

Cowgirls lose two to Liberal Redskins

The Goodland High School softball team continued to struggle Monday, dropping both games of a road doubleheader, 6-4 and 8-6, to the Lady Redskins of Liberal.  
In the first game, Liberal took a 2-0 lead after the first inning, but Goodland scored three runs in the top of the second to go ahead. Both teams scored a run in the third, then neither scored in the fourth or fifth.  
After the Redskins shut out Goodland in the top of the sixth, though, Liberal scored three runs in the bottom of the inning to retake the lead 6-4. Goodland failed to score in the top of the seventh and the game was over.  
Goodland's scoreless streak extended through the first four innings of the second game while the Redskins scored three runs in the second and one in the fourth. The Cowgirls came back with three runs in the top of the fifth to get within one, but Liberal scored four in the bottom of the sixth to extend its lead to 8-3.  
The Cowgirls got three runs in the



Koehler



Swager

top of the seventh, two of them thanks to a triple by junior Melissa Swager, who soon after scored on a single by junior Justeen Koehler. Then the Redskins' defense stiffened.  
"I think we're making progress," said coach Andy Scheopner, "and at times we hit the ball really, really well. However, we are still making too many mental mistakes."  
The Cowgirls combined for 11 hits in the first game and 12 in the second.  
Koehler led the team with five hits for both games, driving in a run and scoring another. Sophomore

Lindsay Schields had four hits with two runs batted in and scoring one herself.  
Scheopner said the team had to play Monday without three starters. Because some junior varsity players had to move up, the Cowgirls could not field a junior varsity team against the Lady Redskins.  
The junior varsity is 0-2 for the season after being swept last Friday by Garden City, 12-5 and 11-7.  
One piece of good news for the Cowgirls was that sophomore Amber Cowan was able to practice with the team on Wednesday for the first time this season. Scheopner said she will play in the outfield but may get some time at third base.  
Goodland was to have played a home doubleheader against Scott City on Thursday. The team will be in action again today, taking on the Lady Eagles for a doubleheader starting at 3 p.m. (Mountain Time) at the city recreation fields in northeast Colby.  
Goodland radio KLOE (730 AM) will broadcast the game, with An-

Ten kids place in top six

Ten members of the Kansas Kids Wrestling Club brought home medals after placing among the top six in their weight-age groups at the state tournament March 25-26 at the Kansas Expo Centre in Topeka.  
Two wrestlers brought home the first-place plaque for their category:  
• A.J. Stephens, a freshman at Goodland High School, won the 130-pound championship in the 14-year-and-under competition.  
Stephens, as a member of the Cowboys wrestling team, placed sixth at 125 pounds at this year's Class 4A state tournament in Wichita at the end of February.  
• Jon Cook, a high school sophomore, won at 165 pounds in the 16-and-under category.  
As a Cowboy, he placed fifth at 160 pounds at state.



Stephens



Cook

Bobby Doxon placed second at 235 pounds in the 14-and-under bracket.  
Laine Herl, wrestling at 120 pounds in the 10-and-under group, and Mark Starr, at 245 pounds in 16-and-under, both placed third.  
Fourth-place finishers were Ian Bonsall at 110 pounds for 8-and-under and Casey House at 265 pounds in 14-and-under.

Earning sixth-place were John Peden, 76 pounds 8-and-under; Tim Roeder, 110 pounds 12-and-under; and Brett Schields, 150 pounds 16-and-under.  
Others competing in the 8-and-under group at state were Coy Johnson, 58 pounds; Colton Cooper, 73 pounds; and Gabriel Ledesma, 95 pounds.  
Others wrestling in the 10-and-under group were Cy Paxton at 58 pounds and Austin Avelar at 64 pounds.  
Also wrestling in Topeka in the 14-and-under competition were Kade Sheldon, 85 pounds; Michael Ledesma, 110 pounds; Keegan Smith, 120 pounds; T.J. Hawkins, 205 pounds; and Clay Schilling at 235 pounds.  
Justin Hollway competed in the 125-pound class at 16-and-under.

Crossword Puzzle

**Shots to the Ribs**

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**ACROSS**  
1. Clumps of hair  
6. Radiant  
11. Wing it, musically  
14. Battleship broadside  
15. V sign's significance  
16. Astronomical altar  
17. Parable of a biblical wastrel  
19. Make illegal  
20. Robert of "The Sopranos"  
21. Uganda site of a 1976 Israeli commando raid  
23. Channel for armchair athletes  
26. To the \_\_\_ degree  
28. "\_\_\_ for the weary"  
29. Candle bracket  
31. Penitent one  
33. "For goodness \_\_\_!"  
34. Ornamental jug  
35. Syllable from Curly  
38. On one's toes  
39. '50s campaign nickname  
40. Hearty brew  
42. Starchy tuber  
43. Small songbird  
44. Verso's opposite  
45. Fish-eating hawk  
48. English terrier breed, informally  
49. The Yankees' #7  
51. Prohibition \_\_\_  
53. Deli loaves  
54. Embrace  
56. Height: Prefix  
58. \_\_\_ snail's pace  
59. Spiny fish  
64. "Le Coq \_\_\_" (Rimsky-Korsakov opera)  
65. Bench-clearing brawl  
66. Kate's TV pal  
67. Phase out  
68. Harmonica virtuoso Larry  
69. Settle, as a debt  
**DOWN**  
1. Dosage amt.  
2. Old Mideast inits.  
3. Impresario Ziegfeld  
4. Microwaveable meal  
5. Agronomist's study  
6. In pieces  
7. Hair goo  
8. Use a surgical beam on  
9. Justice Sandra Day \_\_\_  
10. Continued  
11. Lewis Carroll nonsense poem  
12. Burnoose wearers  
13. "Olympia" painter Edouard  
18. Heredity carrier  
22. "... I saw Elba"  
23. English exam composition  
24. Milan's La \_\_\_  
25. One of a fad collectible set  
27. Alan's "M\*A\*S\*H" role  
30. Chicago hrs.  
32. New driver, often  
34. Cork's land  
36. Convex navel  
37. Siouan Indians  
40. Sellout sign  
41. Like Czar Ivan?  
43. Took by force  
46. Monogram for Stan Musial  
47. Blood bank supply  
48. Dixie pronoun  
49. Gettysburg victor  
50. Writer Chekhov  
52. Leaf picker-upper  
55. Dosage unit  
57. Go lickety-split  
60. Fair mark  
61. Matterhorn, for one  
62. Spy org.  
63. Anthem composer

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