

Cowgirls sweep doubleheader in Scott City

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The Goodland High School softball team ended its regular season on a high note Monday, sweeping a doubleheader against Scott City, 22-6 and 7-5.
In the first game, the Cowgirls took the lead in the top of the first inning and kept it, scoring at least two runs in each of the five innings. With the score 6-3 after the third, Goodland scored nine runs in the fourth to go up 15-3. In the fifth, the girls scored seven to Scott City's three to make it 22-6 and end the game by rule.
In the second game, Goodland led 1-0 after the first inning but the

Lady Beavers came back to tie it at 2 in the second. Neither team scored in the third. The Cowgirls retook the lead in the fourth, scoring five runs making it 7-2. The only scoring after that was the three runs Scott City got in the bottom of the sixth.
The only other time this season Goodland swept an opponent was on April 7 at home against this same Scott City team.
Coach Andy Scheopner said it was a happy bunch of girls on the trip back to Goodland.
The wins lifted the Cowgirls'

record to 7-13 for the season. Goodland is seeded No. 5 in Monday's Class 4A regional tournament in Russell. Goodland's Cowgirls will face the Cowgirls from Abilene, also 7-13, in the first round. The winner will take on top-seeded Russell on Wednesday.
Scheopner said Abilene won a coin toss to become the No. 4 seed.
In the opener, Goodland took a 2-0 lead after one, led 4-3 after two and 6-3 after three. In the fourth, the Cowgirls exploded for nine runs on six hits, helped out by several defensive mis-

cues by Scott City. Leading 15-3, Goodland's momentum at the plate continued with eight hits in the fifth leading to seven runs to make it 22-3. The Beavers were able to score three runs in the bottom of the fifth.
The Cowgirls combined for 23 hits, led by junior Justeen Koehler and freshman Samantha Raymer with four each. Koehler had three singles and a double, drove in a run and scored three. Raymer hit four singles, driving in two and scoring three.
Juniors Chelsea Gray and Jordan Frazier, sophomore Lindsay Schields and freshman Andrea Wolak all had three hits. Gray, Raymer, Frazier, senior Ciara Ab-

bey and sophomore Shandel Simon all scored three runs.
In the second game, Goodland took a 1-0 lead in the first inning when Gray scored on a passed ball, then went up 2-0 in the top of the second when Raymer hit a single that drove in senior Aubrea Winter. However, Scott City scored two runs in the bottom of the second.
With the score still 2-0 all going into the top of the fourth, the Cowgirls came up with another big inning, scoring five runs on seven hits. They had a pair of doubles, one by Frazier and the other by junior Melissa Swager, each of which drove in a run.
The score remained 7-2 until the

bottom of the sixth, when Scott City scored three to close within two. Neither team scored in the seventh, leaving the final 7-5.
Raymer led the way with four hits, including a double, scored a run and drove in another. Winter, Koehler and Gray each hit two singles.
The junior varsity also won both games in Scott City, taking the first 20-1 and the second 18-12 to improve its record to 8-10.
The Cowgirls game against Abilene will begin around 7 p.m. (Mountain Time) Monday on field No. 3 in Russell's Memorial Park. The park is on the city's east side of town near the golf course.



Raymer



Freshman Josh Doke, hit a single in the second inning of the second game to drive in a run against the Beavers of Scott City on Monday at Memorial Field. Photo by Liz West/The Goodland Star-News

Beavers win two from Cowboys

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The Scott City Beavers came from behind twice to win the first game of a doubleheader against the Cowboys 7-6 on Monday, then used that momentum to win the second 11-4.
In the opener, the Cowboys led 2-1 after two innings but fell behind 4-3 in the third. Goodland regained the lead 6-4 in the fourth. Scott City made it 6-5 in the top of the fifth, where the score stayed until the top of the seventh. Then the Beavers added two more runs to retake the lead 7-6. Scott City then held the Cowboys to a "three-and-out" to end the game.
"It's sort of the same story for us," said Cowboys coach Steve Jimenez. "They did everything they could to give this one to us, but until we learn how to cut out the mental errors, we won't win the close games."
In the nightcap, all nine Scott City batters got to the plate in the top of the first, scoring four runs and forcing an early pitching change. Goodland scored twice in the bottom of the first, then added another in the second to get within one at 4-3.
Both teams scored once in the third, with Scott City picking up another run in the top of the fourth to make it 6-4 going into the fifth. However, the Beavers' defense kept Goodland scoreless in the final three innings while their offense scored three in the sixth and two more in the seventh to make the final 11-4.
"In the second game, our pitching didn't give us a chance," Jimenez said. "We tried to hang in there, but once we got behind it was tough."

Goodland regained the lead in the bottom of the fourth when the Cowboys scored three times. Lohr started things off with a double to right field, scoring a on a throwing error by Scott City which tied the game at 4.
Two pitches later, Zelfer scored his second run, again on a passed ball, giving the Cowboys a 5-4 lead. Four batters after that, Pettibone hit a single up the middle to drive in sophomore Tyler Hillmer, making Goodland's lead 6-4.
In the top of the fifth, with two outs, Zelfer was called for a balk, advancing each runner on base. That scored a run for Scott City, narrowing Goodland's lead to one.
The score remained 6-5 until the top of the seventh. There the Cowboys got the first two Beaver batters out. The next batter walked, then stole second. A hit to left scored the runner to tie the score at 6, then a single hit down the left field line allowed the second runner to score, giving Scott City a 7-6 lead.
Goodland went "three up, three down" in the bottom of the seventh, ending the game.
Between games a short presentation was made where two checks totaling more than \$1,000 was donated to the Goodland Baseball Club to help buy more wind-screens for Memorial Field's outfield fence. Myrna Dautel, for the Ken Dautel Memorial Fund, and Esther Elliott, for the Eugene Elliott Memorial Fund, presented the checks to club President John Dautel.
The Beavers opened the second game by scoring four runs, highlighted by a two-run single to center field by Ayden Kitch. Goodland scored twice in the bottom of the first when Zelfer hit the ball into deep left field, driving in Dautel and senior Jake Alander. However, Zelfer was tagged for the third out at home, ending the inning with the score 4-2.
The Cowboys held Scott City to a "three-and-out" in the top of the second, the first two on strike outs by Lohr, who relieved Alander in the first inning. In the bottom of the second, freshman Josh Doke hit a drive that got past the Beaver second baseman, driving in junior Bobby Miller to cut Scott City's lead to one..

the one the Beavers scored earlier in the inning to make it 9-4. Goodland suffered another "three-and-out" in the bottom of the sixth.
Dautel replaced Lohr on the mound to start the seventh inning. With two outs and runners on first and second, Scott City's Trey Strecker hit a single to right, scoring both runners increasing the Beavers' lead to seven. In the bottom of the seventh, the Cowboys could only manage a single hit, and the game ended with the final 11-4.
The Cowboys start post-season play on Monday at the Young Memorial Park in Colby. Goodland, seeded No. 8, will face the top-seeded Eagles at 5 p.m. (Mountain Time).

Tournament attracts 54 golfers

The team of David Thille and Ed Flodin had the best score of the day at the 13th annual Ernie Elliott Memorial Golf Tournament held last Sunday at the Sugar Hills Golf Club.
Fifty-four golfers participated in this year's tournament which followed a low ball format for the first nine holes and was a scramble on the back nine.
Thille and Flodin scored a 70 to win the first flight of the men's division. The team of Travis Jones and Doug Johnson was second with a 71. Third place went to Perry Warren and Mike Elliott who scored 73.
Bill Steiner and Jim Mull scored 76 to win the men's second flight.

Stan and Kevin Kibel were second with an 80. Greg Doll and Dennis Daise were third also scoring an 80.
Winning the first flight of the couple's division were Jon and Lynnette McLean who shot 72. Dev and Tara Mull finished second just one stroke behind the winning couple. Brandon Wagoner and Nikki Strome teamed up to finish third with a 75.
Tom and Ramona Livengood scored an 81 to win the second flight of the couple's division. Kevin and Colleen Wagoner were second with 82, and Darwin and Nita McClung finished third with 90.
Terri Albers and Reta Brouillette

won the women's division with a round of 75, one stroke better than the second-place team of Connie Livengood and Jackie Elliott.
Jon McLean sank a 31-footer to win the men's flag prize for the longest putt on Hole No. 4. Other flag prize winners were Flodin who had the longest drive on No. 9 and Steve Raymer who came closest to the pin on No. 10 at 12 feet 9 inches. Jones had the longest putt on No. 14 at 47 feet 6 inches.
Colleen Wagoner won both longest putt prizes sinking one from 25 feet 11 inches on No. 4 and 13 feet 5 inches on No. 14. Pauline Unruh had the longest drive on No. 9.



Go Cowboys & Cowgirls!

Goodland High School

Baseball	Today, in Goodland against Hays, 3 p.m. Monday - Thursday, Regionals.
Softball	Monday - Thursday, Regionals in Russell.
Track	Today, Northwest Kansas League meet in Hoxie, 2 p.m. Friday, May 20, Regional track meet in Colby
Tennis	Today, in Colby, 2 p.m. Friday and Saturday, May 20 and 21, State meet.
Golf	Today, Northwest Kansas League meet in Goodland, 2 p.m.

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student of the week




Name: Derrick Raymer
Parents: Steve and Debra Raymer
Grade: Senior
Age: 18
We've nominated this student because: Derrick is a leader in athletics, activities and academics. He gives 100% in all areas of involvement. He is an excellent role model for the underclassmen. He has performed well in Calculus this year and it comes from the hard work and time that he has dedicated to the subject.
Student Comment: Calculus by far is my toughest class, and I enjoy the challenge. My favorite thing is being a peer counselor.

I'm going to remember my senior year of football and good times with friends. I will always remember every Friday night at Cowboy Stadium and the Max Jones Fieldhouse on game nights.
Activities involved in at school: Football, basketball, golf, National Honor Society, FCCLA, peer counseling, weight lifting.
My choice of movies, books, and games: I love to watch comedies, especially Old School and Meet The Fockers. I listen to rap and country music. I really don't read a whole lot other than magazines. I also like to play pitch and Texas Hold em
After I leave Goodland High School I intend to: Attend Garden City Community College and play football. I will get my associates degree in Math and Science. I will then transfer to a four year school and major in law or a field of medicine.
And 10 years from now, I think I'll be: Hopefully finishing up school and starting a family and life. Maybe playing golf at Pebble Beach, I may not have enough time!

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