



THE STARSHOOTERS' Cassidy Shields had the ball while her teammate (in white) Jordin Wasson helped and Alli Auxier cheered. They were playing Hot Stuff with (from left) Keatra

Fisher, Miki Dorshorst and Dena Andersen in the Sappa Valley Shootout.

— Herald photo by Jonna Inman

Lady Devils win fourth meet

The Lady Red Devils are running away with the honors this season, snaring their fourth championship on Friday at the Oakley Invitational.

Previously, the Decatur Community High girls had taken first place at meets in Hoxie and twice in Atwood.

On Friday, the Lady Devils had 115.5 points to outdistance St. Francis at 99.5; Oakley, 63.5; WaKeeney, 58; Grinnell, 51; Hill City, 48.5; Wallace County, 33; Triplains, 21; Brewster, 20; Quinter, 18; Golden Plains, 15; and Cheylin, 0.

Helping the girls to their win were:

- Lauren Fortin, first, 100-meter dash, 12.8 seconds, and third, javelin, 97 feet, 5 inches.
- Lydia Karnopp, first, triple jump, 33-10.25, and third, long jump, 14-9.
- Christa Hardy, first, 100-meter hurdles, 18:02, and fifth, 300-meter hurdles, 57.01.
- Kaitlyn Stapp, first, high jump, 4-10; third, 100-meter dash, 13.4; and sixth, 200-meter dash, 28.98.
- Sarah Murray, second, discus, 96-4, and fifth, javelin, 89-3.
- Melenda Johnson, fourth, 300-meter hurdles, 56.59, and fifth, 100-meter hurdles, 19.43.
- Whitney Beinke, fourth, 400-meter dash, 1:05.54.
- Heather Glodt, fourth, 100-meter dash, 13.49.
- Rebecca Helm, fifth, 3200-meter run, 14:19.89.
- Lacey Ream, sixth, 400-meter dash, 1:06.16.
- Danica May, sixth, shot put, 29-6.
- Tricia Dorshorst, sixth, high jump, 4-6.

• The 4x100-meter relay team of Stapp, Glodt, Fortin and Karnopp, first, 52.26.

• The 4x400-meter relay team of Fortin, Karnopp, Ream and Beinke, first, 4:21.13.

• The 4x800-meter relay team of Beinke, Lori Marietta, Ream and Sarah Murray, second, 10:48.38.

The Oberlin boys team came in third behind Oakley, 84, and St. Francis, 81. Oberlin had 73 points, followed by Quinter, 58; Hill City, 38; Grinnell, Triplains and WaKeeney, 36; Hoxie, 30; Wallace County and Brewster, 28; Cheylin, 19; and Golden Plains, 11.

Scoring were:

- Lance Fortin, first, javelin, 157, and second, high jump, 5-8.
 - Teryn Grafel, first, 100-meter hurdles, 15.75, and second, 300-meter hurdles, 43.35.
 - Denton Bailey, second, javelin, 148-7.
 - Joe Mondero, third, 100-meter dash, 11.48, and 200-meter dash, 23.99.
 - Garrit Peters, fourth, 400-meter dash, 55.63.
 - Gannon Reichert, fifth, shot put, 39-2, and sixth, discus, 115-7.5.
 - Jesse Juenemann, sixth, pole vault, 11.
 - The 4x400-meter relay team of Fortin, Grafel, Bruce King and Peters, third, 3:39.67.
 - The 4x100-meter relay team of King, Mondero, Grafel and Bret Marietta, fourth, 46.24.
- The team was to be in St. Francis on Tuesday.
- On Monday, the freshmen and sophomores will be at a meet in Atwood starting at 3 p.m., and on Tuesday the annual Oberlin Invitational will start at 3 p.m.

Oberlin teams win Sappa Valley Shootout

The Oberlin Cyclones Mid-America Youth Basketball team sponsored the second annual Sappa Valley Shootout 3-on-3 Tournament on Saturday, April 16, in the junior and senior high gyms at Decatur Community High School.

Seventy teams participated from 20 area towns. Two Oberlin teams took the championship in their age brackets.

The third annual Sappa Valley Shootout is scheduled for April 22, 2006, and plans are being made to include first- and second-grade boys and girls as well as high school boys

and girls.

Cyclone team members include Andy Anderson, Andy Inman, Jason Thomas, Jesse Juenemann, Brent Stallman, Kurt Olson, Kyle Glodt and Nolan May.

Winners from the tournament include:

3rd and 4th grade girls: Champions: Colby Triple Threat, Alexa Haas, Kenzie Curry, Bailey Terrell; second: Colby Fearsome Fillies, Keana Keck, Karly Kriss, Alexi Regier.

3rd and 4th grade boys: Champions: McCook Indians, Brady

Fortin, Chris Hoffman, Marcus Gonzales; second: Colby Swishers, Aaron Higerd, Todd Kane, Quade Woofert.

5th and 6th grade girls: Champions: Oberlin Red Raiders, Rachele Scott, Jordan Dreher, Carissa Wentz; second: Oakley Hoopsterz, Brooke Hemmert, McKenzie Weiser, Brecka Waugh.

5th and 6th grade boys: Champions: Wauneta Ultimate CFL, Chris Bartels, Tyler Kayton, Drew Harris; second: Colby Little Giants, Connor Stephens, Rocque Russell, Travis White.

Atwood offers summer basketball

Atwood Summer Recreation is sponsoring a summer league basketball series from May 30-June 30 for area students.

Junior high girls will play on Mondays and junior high boys on Tuesdays. High school girls will hit

the court on Wednesdays and the high school boys on Thursdays.

Registration forms and rules are available at area high school and junior high offices. Deadline for registration is Friday, May 6. The entry fee is \$50 per player, which

will include a jersey. Those who already have jerseys can pay \$35.

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