

Sports

Wrestlers win triangular over Atwood and Hoxie

The Decatur Community High wrestlers downed the boys from Atwood and Hoxie at a triangular meet in Hoxie on Thursday.

Oberlin overcame Rawlins County 59-18 and Hoxie 48-26.

Rawlins County had to forfeit four weight categories — 106, 132, 138 and 285 pounds — and neither team had anyone at 195.

Oberlin won six matches, all by pins or technical falls, against the Buffaloes and lost three.

Hoxie had to forfeit five categories — 113, 145, 152, 170 and 285 — and again neither team had anyone at 195.

Oberlin's wrestlers pinned three Hoxie boys.

Wrestling were:

- 106 pounds, Daniel Lerew was pinned by Bryce Bacon, Hoxie.

- 113 Troy Juenemann, pinned Joey McFee, Atwood.

- 120, Gabe Anderson was pinned by Macrae Migchelbrink, Atwood, and pinned Tristan Storer, Hoxie.

- 126, Jude Wallinger was pinned by John Solko, Atwood, and by Matt Heim, Hoxie.

- 132, Kelly Brown pinned Drake Rowh, Hoxie.

- 138, Dayton Dreher pinned Weston Bainter, Hoxie.

- 145, Chris Anderson pinned Jonathan Markland, Atwood.

- 152, Grant Gilliam was pinned by Shelton McCain, Atwood.

- 160, Matt Glading won a 16-0 technical fall over Cody Wright, Atwood, and lost 16-0 to Calvin Ochs, Hoxie.

- 170, Rex Diederich pinned Neil Portschy, Atwood.

- 182, Konnor Witt pinned Anthony Meridda, Atwood, and was pinned by Steven Yegey-Dibble, Hoxie.

- 220, Channing Fortin pinned Bryce Henry, Atwood and lost 5-4 to Brandon Salmans, Hoxie.

The wrestlers will take the holidays off. Their next meet will be at 5 p.m. Thursday, Jan. 3, when McCook and Phillipsburg will be in Oberlin for a triangular.

Boys wrestle at tourney

Nine Oberlin wrestlers attended a tournament in Cambridge, Neb., on Saturday.

The tournament was not on Decatur Community High's schedule but Coach Joe Dreher said they got an opportunity to send some of his less experienced wrestlers.

The boys came home with a second

place, plus two fourths and a fifth in their weights.

Wrestling were:

- 106 pounds, Daniel Lerew, 0-2.

- 113, Justice Harris, 0-2.

- 120, Jude Wallinger, 0-2.

- 132, Kelly Brown, 2-1 second.

- 138, Adam Zillinger, 1-2.

- 152, Bryson Wesley, 3-2 for fifth.

- 160, Grant Gilliam, 2-2 for fourth.

- 182, Konnor Witt, 0-2 for fourth.

- 285, Ben Glading, 0-2.

Red Devils still state ranked

After three weeks of wrestling, three Decatur Community High boys are still ranked statewide in Class 3-2-1A by the Kansas Wrestling Coaches Association.

Junior Dayton Dreher is ranked second at 138 pounds, senior Kade Brown is fourth at 152 and senior Channing Fortin is fourth at 220.

The Red Devils are ranked seventh as a team by the coaches.

Other area wrestlers in the rankings include:

- Norton's Caysean Campbell, 106, fifth; Ethan Ross, 113, fifth; Branson Addington, 120, fourth; Alec Hager, 126, second; John Rise-wick, 132, first; and Eli Bozarth,

145, sixth.

- Phillipsburg's Kyle Witmer, 106, second; Caleb Studley, 132, third; and Michael Dusin, 138, sixth.

- Rawlins County's Joey McFee, 106, third, and John Solko, 113, fourth.

- Smith Center's Cale Rogers, 106, sixth; Brody Frieling, 120, fifth; Clint Rogers, 126, fifth; and Kyler Atwood, 182, first.

- St. Francis, Dylan Wolaver, 152, fifth.

- Hoxie's Calvin Ochs, 160, first; Steve Yergey-Dible, 182, third; and Brandon Salmans, 195, third.

- Oakley's Cody Faulkender,

sixth, and Jason Berggren, 170, fifth.

Norton is ranked first in Class 3-2-1 while Hoxie is fourth and Smith Center, fifth.

Ranked in Class 4A are:

- Colby's David Mainus, 106, sixth; Dustin Reed, 126, first; Macen Shull, 138, fifth; Quade Woolfer, 160, fourth; Andrew Taylor, 170, fourth; Beau Brown, 182, third; Troy Quenzer, 195, sixth; and Zell Bierberle, 285, first.

- Goodland's Aaron Avelar, 113, fourth; Austin Hernandez, 126, sixth; and Tyler Gastineau, 195, fifth.



TRYING TO GET AROUND a Hill City defender, Demi Murray was looking for an open shot during a game in Oberlin last Tuesday. — Herald photo by Abby Hissong

Leoti beats Oberlin

The Decatur Community High basketball boys fell 51-38 to the Wichita County Indians on Friday in Leoti.

Leoti took a 17-11 lead in the first quarter and added to it in the second, outscoring Oberlin 15-6 for a 32-17 lead at the half. In the third quarter, both teams scored 8 and in the fourth, the Red Devils outscored the Indians 13-11.

The middle of the game was the hardest on Oberlin, as the Red Devils only scored two two-point field goals in the second quarter and only one in the third.

While the Indians outshot the Red Devils in two-point field goals, hitting 18 to Oberlin's six, Oberlin hit eight of nine free throws for 90 percent to Leoti's six out of 13 for 46 percent. Oberlin also had six three point baskets to Wichita County's three.

Scoring for Oberlin were Kelden Breth, 10 points, including two three pointers; Kyle Breth, 9 with one three-point shot; Tyler Bruggeman, 5 with a three pointer; Konner Fortin, 4; Noah Nelson and Ganon Henningson, 3 each on a single shot each; and Ryan May and Regent Erickson, 2 each.

Bruggeman had two assists and Kelden Breth one.

Bruggeman led in rebounds with seven, followed by Kelden Breth and Regent Erickson, three each, and Kyle Breth, Konnor Fortin and Ryan May, one each.

Kelden Breth and Bruggeman each had two steals and Noah Nelson one.

Konnor Fortin blocked three shots while Kelden Breth stopped one.

The team was to play in Logan on Tuesday then will be off until Friday, Jan. 4, when they play Oakley at home, with the boys game starting about 8 p.m.



DRIVING TOWARDS THE BASKET, Konner Fortin worked to keep the ball away from a Wichita County defender on Friday. — Herald photo by Sarah Fredrickson

Red Devils fall 44-38 to Ringnecks at home

The Decatur Community High Red Devils fell 44-38 to the Hill City Ringnecks last Tuesday in Oberlin.

Oberlin started out with a 12-10 lead in the first quarter but fell behind in the second as the Hill City boys outscored them 14-11 to take a 24-23 lead at the half.

In the third quarter, Oberlin regained the lead, outscoring the Ringnecks 13-9.

The fourth, however, was a disaster for the Red Devils, as they were able to score only 2 points while the visitors hit 11 to take the win.

Scoring were Ryan May, 14 points, Tyler Bruggeman 11, Kyle Breth 6, Noah Nelson 5 and Regent Erickson 2. May and Kyle Breth

each made two three-point shots while Nelson sank one.

May also led in assists with three, followed by Erickson, two, and Kelden Breth, Nelson, Konner Fortin and Bruggeman, one each.

Bruggeman had 10 rebounds, followed by May, eight; Fortin, six; Erickson, four; Nelson, three; and Kyle Breth, one.

May, Erickson and Bruggeman each had a block. Kyle Breth and May had two steals each while Kelden Breth and Nelson had one each.

The Red Devils got seven charity shots and made only three of them for 43 percent. The team made 33 percent of their two-point shots and 26 percent of their three pointers.

Girls down Lady Indians

The Lady Red Devils basketball team edged the Wichita County Lady Indians 54-53 on Friday in Leoti.

Oberlin started out strong, outscoring the Indians 18-13 in the first quarter. In the second, Leoti put up 17 to Oberlin's 12 for a 30-all tie at the half.

Oberlin scored 12 points in each of the third and fourth quarters. In the third, Leoti scored 8 and in the fourth, a strong 15 to come close.

The Lady Red Devils had 22 trips to the charity line and sank 11 for 50 percent while Leoti got 25 shots and sank eight for 32 percent.

Oberlin hit 17 of 57 two-point shots for 30 percent and three of eight three pointers for 38 percent.

The Lady Indians hit 29 percent of

their two-point shots and 28 percent of their three pointers.

Scoring were Miki Dorshorst, 15 points, Hannah May 14, Demi Murray 11, Shawn Baker 9, Alexis Hissong 4 and Kariah Castle 1. Murray, Dorshorst and Baker each had a three-point basket.

Dorshorst had six assists, followed by Hissong, three, and Murray, two.

May and Hissong each had nine rebounds, Murray had eight; Dorshorst, six; Baker, five; Morgan Jansonius, three; and Castle, one.

Dorshorst had four steals and Baker and Murray had one each and Castle had a block.

The Leoti junior varsity beat Oberlin 29-26.

Oberlin had a bad start, as the

Indians shut the Lady Red Devils out 4-0 in the first quarter.

In the second, Oberlin outscored Leoti 7-4, but the Lady Indians were still ahead 8-7 at the half.

In the third quarter, Leoti scored 14 to Oberlin's 6 for a healthy 22-13 lead.

Oberlin came back in the last quarter, outscoring Leoti 13-7, but the home team held on.

Scoring were Castle, 8; Ara Marine, 7; Molly Jansonius, 5; Grace Randel, 3; Morgan Jansonius, 2; and Nikki Bates, 1.

The girls were to play in Logan on Tuesday, then will be off until Friday, Jan. 4, when they play Oakley at home starting at 6:30 p.m.

Oberlin girls lose to Hill City

The Decatur Community High girls basketball team lost 65-45 to the Lady Ringnecks of Hill City last Tuesday in Oberlin.

Hill City outshot the Lady Red Devils in the first, second and fourth quarters, 16-14, 17-7 and 21-13. In the third quarter, each team scored 11.

Oberlin was five for 10 at the free-throw line for 50 percent. The girls hit 17 of 55 two-point shots for 31 percent and two of seven three pointers for 29 percent.

Scoring were Miki Dorshorst, 14 points; Shawn Baker, 9 including two for two at the free-throw line;

Caitlin Gault and Demi Murray, 5; and Morgan Jansonius, Alexis Hissong and Hannah May, 4 each.

Baker and Dorshorst each had a three-point shot.

Murray had four assists, followed by Alexis Hissong, three, and Dorshorst, two.

Dorshorst had seven rebounds, Hissong, six; Murray, five; Morgan Jansonius and Gault, four each; Baker and May, three each; and Ara Marine, one.

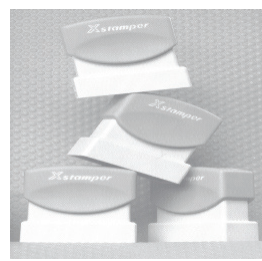
Hissong and Baker each had a block and Dorshorst had three steals and Jansonius one.

The Oberlin junior varsity lost

42-30.

Oberlin started out ahead, outscoring Hill City 9-2 in the first quarter. The Lady Ringnecks came back in the second quarter, outscoring Oberlin 13-9 to leave the Lady Red Devils with an 18-15 lead at the half. In the third quarter, Hill City scored 17 to Oberlin's 4 points to take a 32-22 lead. The Lady Ringnecks hit 10 points to Oberlin's 8 in the last quarter to seal the win.

Scoring for Oberlin were Gault, 9; Molly Jansonius, 5; Kaitlynn Fisher, 4; Grace Randel and Nikki Bates, 3 each; and Marine, Kariah Castle and Kassidie Jensen, 2 each.



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