

**SPORTS**

**Thinclads have busy week**

**Junior High Track**  
Participating in the Meason County Middle School Invitational Saturday, April 25 saw the highlight of activities this week for the boys and girls teams from Nicholas County.

Schools invited to participate were Russell, West Carter, Boone County, and Nicholas County. The winning team in the boys division was Russell, in the girls division, Meason County.

The girls team from Nicholas County finished fourth only one point separated the second place team from the fourth place team, and the boys team finished a disappointing fifth.

Medals were awarded to the first three finishers in each event. Bronze medal winners from Nicholas included the 400 meter relay team composed of Henry Breakshire, Keri Bunker, Amy Tassary, and Andrew Hall; Amy Tassary, 1500 meter hurdles; Christy Barton, 200 meter dash.

River medal winners were 1600 meter relay team: Andrea Hall, Terry Eubank, Christine Hutton, Nikki Boney; 800 meter relay team: Amy Tassary, Christy Barton, Amy Tassary, Andrea Hall; Nikki Boney - 800 meter dash.

This week the Junior High team will participate in the Conger Relay, April 29, at Fleming County, and the Whangam Conference Meet in Bees, May 1.

**High School Track**  
The Nicholas County Track Team participated in two meets this past week.

On Tuesday, April 21, the boys and girls teams traveled to Fleming County and participated against teams from Fleming County, Bath County, Morgan County, Lewis County and Boone County. The girls team finished third, and the boys team finished fourth.

**NCHS diamondmen even mark at 7-7**

**Fryman top hitter for Jackets**

Nicholas County's baseball team evened its season mark to 7-7, splitting four games last week.

The Jackets opened play against Meason County.

Todd Frye opened on the mound for Nicholas County going six and one-third innings. They notched 10 strikeouts in his tenure on the hill for the Jackets.

John Waggoner came on in relief, one in the third, and two in the fourth, notching four strikeouts. He pitched one and a third inning, getting four strikeouts of his own, to get the win.

Nicholas County finished the game with 10 hits, while committing two errors, and Meason County tallied 11 hits and had one mistake.

Nicholas County continued to mill in the northern part of the state with a 12-4 pasting of the Jackets.

The Jackets opened the first inning scoring on the Bullpups, but the hosts took the score, 1-1, after two innings.

Nicholas team scored in the second and both added a run in the third for a 3-2 lead.

Nicholas County went on in the fourth and fifth innings scoring four in the fourth, two in the fifth and two more in the sixth, while holding the Bullpups to single runs in the fourth and fifth.

Nicholas County finished the game with 12 runs, 12 hits and 11 strikeouts.

Mayville played five runs on six hits but committed six errors.

Darwin Howard picked up two more runs in the bottom of the fifth to tie the final, 4-1 margin.

Nicholas County was held to three hits, and committed one error. Powell County also had four hits, and committed one error.

Fryman opened on the mound for Nicholas County and took the game. He came on in the fourth for the Jackets.

Through the Powell County game, the Nicholas County team is led in hitting by Fryman, with 23 hits in 50 at bats for a .460 average.

Wendell McInnis has 21 hits in 50 at bats for a .420 average with a team high 17 runs batted in.

Tommy Maybrier has 20 hits in 50 at bats for a .400 batting average. Allan is hitting at a .367 clip and Frye is hitting .306 for the Jackets.



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**GENERAL NEWS**

**Worthington fighting water plan**

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to try to discuss the project.

Berits said the committee will meet on the city's finances and to discuss the project.

"There wasn't much more that I could have said at the meeting," he said.

"I know representative Worthington was opposed to the project, but that he would show up at the meeting and be prepared to go to the wall against the project."

Berits could not rule out some financing arrangements the city might make to pay for the project.

"I can say down the road that we won't have to have a water increase or that the possibility of a half-cent payroll-occupational tax doesn't exist, but the city will do what it has to do to be financially responsible to both the citizens of the city and county, and to the operation of the project," he added.

He had hoped that the committee's approval would merely be a formality, however Worthington is really leading a charge against the project and that has put things on hold.

Berits, along with city councilman Carlisle, expressed his concern about Worthington's proposal.

"I had drawn up a plan to the best to solve the water problem, but later changed my mind," Laster said. "After studying the financing of the project I discovered there may be a better way to do it, he added.

"I am very concerned about the impact the delay may have on the project," Laster said. "I thought we had all of this worked out. Worthington has a lot of people in his district working for the project. This can have a lot of impact on the project."

Berits agreed with Laster, and furthermore spoke those views at the committee's meeting.

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**Election features one**

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"After all, I would be their circuit clerk, and you won't find a finer bunch of people than in Nicholas County."

Q. How can the office best serve the people of Nicholas County?  
A. "By keeping the hours in line with the needs of the working people. If someone called in an emergency and needed my services, I would be there, because it would be a part of my job."

Winkles: "By answering the public's questions."

Q. How do you feel about the election? We use our sources to find the law. Do you have any specific changes you feel the General Assembly should make to assist the clerk's office in better serving the people of Nicholas County?  
A. "I haven't had a chance to work with the General Assembly, but from what I can understand, it's a good relationship."

Winkles: "I feel the General Assembly has been more than fair to the circuit clerk's association."

Q. There are always little things that the people disagree with, but that the whole feel they work with well. What are the advantages of having the position decided rather than appointed?  
A. "As far as I'm personally concerned, I am not in favor of having any office appointed."

Q. If you are elected, you know it what the people wanted...  
A. "You are actually serving the people, and your salary comes from their tax dollars."

Q. How do you feel about the election?  
A. "I feel that the clerk's office here has a close relationship with the state."

Q. I know that fines and bonds are charged on a day-to-day basis.  
Winkles: "Yes, we have a staff auditor who checks my bookkeeping records every two months, and every penny must be accounted for."

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