



Brownfield freshman Ty'essa Langehennig scoops in for a pitch. The Lady Cubs opened their softball season Monday night with a home win over Seagraves.

Lady Cubs open season with Seagraves win

Brownfield's pack of Lady Cubs are excited about their new softball season - and about the way they opened it Tuesday.

The Lady Cubs garnered a big 20-0 win against Seagraves' newly-formed squad. Because of the Lady Eagles' lack of experience, the agreed to play only five innings with a "mercy" limit of five runs each.

"I think we did some good things, but it's hard to tell because (the Lady Eagles) weren't a very strong squad," said returning longtime head coach Brenna Bruns.

The Lady Cubs had some good strike-outs and catches that kept the Lady Eagles from even landing on base at least two innings. Seagraves' closest chance at a run was in the fifth, when their bases were loaded by the time a third Lady Eagle struck out.

The Lady Cubs anticipate making plenty more great memories the rest of their new season. Although they have so far earned only a single district victory during the program's entire seven-year history - a match four years ago against Lamesa - that unfortunate record could easily turn around with a new opponent list and a full 30-player roster filled with talent.

"There's going to be a lot more depth," Bruns said. "It's kind of exciting to see where we've come from."

The Lady Cubs have returned four seniors this year - infielder Haeven Salazar, pitcher and

shortstop Ashlee Zambrano, center-fielder Dallas Bruns and Kaley Kevil, who will likely catch and man first base. They also welcome new Assistant Coach Amanda Parsons, a former All-American four-year catcher at Lubbock Christian University whose infectious enthusiasm and love of the game make her seem as much a cheerleader as an instructor.

"She brings a lot of experience and energy," Bruns said.

As the first softball season following the University Inter-

scholastic League's reclassification of Brownfield ISD as 2A, the Lady Cubs will now face a district-opponent list of Lamesa, Denver City, Colorado City and Coahoma. Their preseason will continue with the Prairie Dog Tournament this Thursday through Saturday in Lubbock, followed by a trip to Post on Tuesday.

To keep up with the Lady Cubs all season and view extra photos, visit the *Brownfield News* at www.brownfieldonline.com and on Facebook.



Brownfield freshman Cassie Avalos tosses a pitch to a Lady Eagle batter. The Lady Cubs opened their softball season Monday night with a home win over Seagraves.

Broncos take second in Tahoka power meet

The Meadow Broncos earned a second-place team finish in a powerlifting meet Thursday in Tahoka.

Brownfield Cub lifters placed fourth of the six schools represented at the meet.

Powerlifters compete in three separate events - the squat, bench press and dead lift. Individual finishes and their combined total lifts included:

Brownfield
114-pound weight class - Alex Urbano, fifth, 490 pounds

123-pound weight class - Marcus Gonzales, fourth, 495 pounds; Jose Garcia, participant

148-pound weight class - Ethan Harper, ninth, 640 pounds

165-pound weight class - Prince Kim, sixth, 680 pounds

181-pound weight class - Raymond Vasquez, sixth, 860 pounds; Bradley Bandy, seventh, 850 pounds; Aaron Aguirre, ninth, 685 pounds; Rodney Warren,

participant
198-pound weight class - Lane Rocky, second, 780 pounds

220-pound weight class - Eddie Aguirre, second, 1,105 pounds

242-pound weight class - Socorro Rivera, third; Roman Alvarado, participant

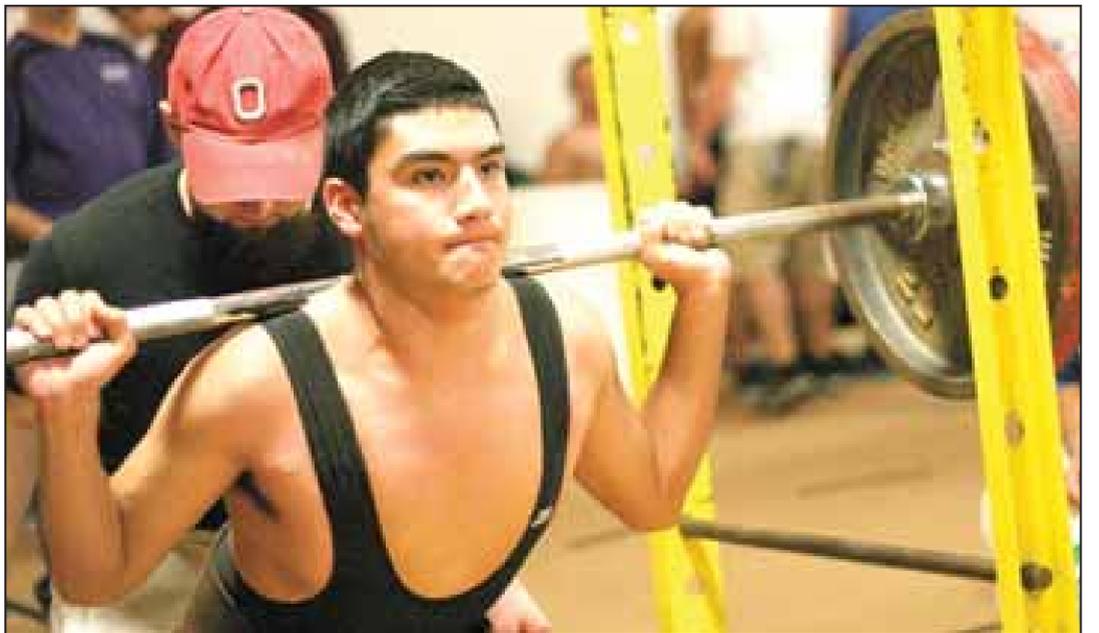
Meadow
114-pound weight class - Arturo Rodriguez, third, 690 pounds;

123-pound weight class - Gavon Gardner, first, 720 pounds; Ray Aguilar, fifth, 485 pounds

148-pound weight class - Rafael Urias, first, 960 pounds; Jonathan Flores, third, 900 pounds; Ethan Mullins, sixth, 770 pounds

165-pound weight class - Brady Tekell, third, 935 pounds; Andrew Castillo, fourth, 800 pounds

181-pound weight class - Luis Torres, second; 1,030 pounds; Steven Sanchez, eighth, 845 pounds



(ABOVE) Meadow's Andrew Castillo concentrates on a squat. The Broncos and the Brownfield Cubs both competed in Thursday's powerlifting meet in Tahoka.

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