

PLAY DAY

The County Superintendent's office and the schools of Griggs county are hard at work getting ready for Play Day which will be held at Cooperstown on Saturday, May 10. The program is as follows:

10:30Athletic Events.
12:00Lunch.
1:00Movie.
3:30 Declamatory Contest (rural)
4:00Drills & Dances
5:00Base Ball
7:30Spelling Contest.

The Athletic Events this year will be somewhat different from last year. There will be one contest for the rural schools and one for the graded schools. Melvin Holland, Lewis Person and Sidney Lee have charge of the rural events. The graded school events will be supervised by Edmond Bryant of Cooperstown. He will be assisted by the Superintendents and Principals of the graded schools in the county. Each school is to bring two judges for the athletic events. In order that the smaller schools might be given an even chance with the larger schools it was decided that each contestant from Binford and Sutton be allowed to enter three events and each contestant from Hannaford be allowed to enter two events, while each contestant from Cooperstown be allowed to enter only one event. The winners in the athletic events in the rural section will be awarded ribbons and money. The winners in the grade events will be awarded prize ribbons. The winners in the High School events will be given medals. The town schools receiving highest number of points will be awarded a large championship penant as will the school winning the base ball game.

The Cooperstown band has promised to furnish music throughout the day. Mr. Christianson expects to have his small boys band trained sufficiently by that time so that they may also be able to give some selections. Hot coffee will be served free to those who care to bring a picnic dinner. The movie will be shown free to all children under 16 years of age. The Declamatory contest for the rural schools is under the auspices of the K of P lodge. The Masonic lodge has charge of the spelling contest which will be held in the evening of Play Day. The Drills and Plays promise to be real good this year. The Binford, Sutton and Cooperstown schools have promised to give drills and dances. Four or five of the larger rural schools are also planning for the or dances. The Base Ball game will be a game between some of the town schools. This should prove interesting to young and old alike.

GRADED ATHLETIC EVENTS

High School Boys

1. Relay race, 400 yards, three contestants from each school.
2. Running high jump, 3 trials.
3. Running broad jump, 3 trials.
4. 220 yard dash.
5. 100 yard dash.

High School Girls

1. Relay race, 200 yards, three contestants from each school.
2. Running high jump, 3 trials.
3. Running broad jump, 3 trials.
4. 75 yard dash.
5. 100 yard dash.

GRADES 6th, 7th and 8th

Girls

1. Tug of war, 6th, 7th and 8th grades.
2. 50 yard dash, 6th, 7th and 8th grades.
3. Relay race, 200 yards, 4 contestants from each school.
4. Distance throw ball.

Boys

1. Tug of war, 6th, 7th and 8th grades.
2. 100 yard dash, 6th 7th and 8th grades.
3. Relay race, 200 yards, 4 contestants from each school.
4. Distance throw ball.

GRADES 1st, 2nd, 3rd and 4th

Girls

1. 25 yard dash.
2. Potato race.

Boys

1. 50 yard dash.
2. Potato race.