

SPORTS

TD boys flying high ahead of IMC basketball action

Hawks have won three of last four games

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The Dalles boys battled back from a 32-28 halftime deficit with a 38-16 run in the final 16 minutes of action to defeat Goldendale by a 66-48 margin in Tuesday's non-league hoops contest played at Kurtz Gym.

In the second half, the Hawks limited the Timberwolves to five field goals, one in the fourth quarter, forced 20 turnovers for the game and totaled 20 steals.

Jacob Hernandez posted 21 points, three rebounds, four assists and two steals, and Spencer Taylor tacked on 18 points, four rebounds, two steals and two blocks to lead TD.

Jaxon Pullen contributed nine points and three steals, Styles DeLeon went off for seven points and two steals,

Dalles Seufalemua added four points, three assists and three steals, and Shane Floyd ended up with three points, four rebounds and three steals.

TD made 20 of 57 shots, 3 of 18 from long range, hit on 19 of 26 free throws, committed just 11 turnovers and dished off 18 assists as a team.

Goldendale had 17 field goals, four 3-pointers, and went 10 of 18 from the line.

Nick Lee paced the Timberwolves with 11 points, and the duo of Cameron Mann and Corbin Bland tallied eight points each.

TD (6-9 overall) hosts Crook County (8-4) at 6:30 pm Friday and hosts Redmond (7-7) at 6:30 pm on Friday, Jan. 24.

TD girls inch to 32-31 win

Jenna Miller scored 12 points, Pearl Guzman added nine and Gus Decker sank six points to lead a depleted TD Riverhawks girls team playing without Kilee Hoylman and Laurn Belanger, who was

injured early in the second half, to a 32-31 nail biting victory over Goldendale, Wash. Tuesday night in girls basketball action in The Dalles.

Guzman nailed the eventual game-winning layup on an assist by Mercy Iaulualo at the 1:44 mark and TD made three defensive stands down the stretch to hold on.

With the help of Miller and Guzman's combined 14 first-half points, The Dalles led 12-7 through one quarter and were ahead by a 19-18 halftime margin, but then Goldendale had an 8-5 spurt to go ahead 26-24 with one quarter remaining.

Grace Schatz and Coddling had two points each, and Belanger scored a point for the Riverhawks, who drained 12 field goals, four 3-pointers, and converted 4 of 8 free throws.

No. 18-ranked TD (6-8 overall) played at Crook County (2-9) Friday for the start of league, and travels to Redmond to take on the Lady Panthers (1-10) at 6:30 p.m. on Friday, Jan. 24.



Riverhawk senior Dalles Seufalemua coasts to the rim for a layup in Tuesday's non-league hoops contest versus Goldendale. In the second half, the Riverhawk defense limited the Timberwolves to five field goals, forced 20 turnovers and had 20 steals in their lopsided 66-48 win. Ray Rodriguez photo



Jenna Miller reeled off a team-best 12 points and The Dalles girls basketball team erased a 26-24 deficit with an 8-5 fourth-quarter rally to defeat Goldendale, Wash., 32-31. Ray Rodriguez photo

Hot streak moves Sherman boys to first in league

Huskies using balanced attack to get back on track

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The Sherman Huskies started 2-7 on the year and then flipped the switch with four consecutive league wins, capped by last Saturday's 57-30 trouncing of Echo in boys basketball play at Echo.

The Huskies led 38-24 through three frames and then landed the knockout blow with a 19-6 fourth-quarter surge.

Sharp-shooter Nick Riggs canned 12 points, Wade Fields chipped in 11, and the duo of Will James and Luke Stone tallied nine points each to lead the Huskies, who made 22 field goals, two 3-pointers, and drilled 11 of 21 free throws.

Echo totaled 13 field goals, two 3-pointers, and connected on 2 of 9 from the line as Mason Murdock (13) and Cameron Scott (10) led the charge.

Last Friday, the Sherman boys and girls were in action in Moro against Lone-Arlington, with the boys pulling off a 67-49 upset while the girls lost by a 39-25 final.

The Husky boys outscored the Cardinals by a 32-17 edge in the first half and added a 14-11 third-quarter run to lead 46-28 through three frames.

Riggs scored 19 points, Fields notched 17 and James poured in 14 points for the Huskies, who drilled 26 field goals, four 3-pointers, and

connected on 11 of 20 free throws.

Lone-Arlington made 13 field goals, three 3-pointers, and went 20 of 27 from the line.

Jace Troutman had 20 points, Wesley Goad checked in with 16, three others had three points and Hunter Padberg was held to two points for the Cardinals.

Sherman (6-7 overall, 4-1 league) traveled to Maupin Friday, hosts Dufur at 6 p.m. Tuesday, and makes a trip to Dayville-Monument at 5:30 p.m. Thursday.

The standout trio of Natalie Martin, Jaelyn Justesen and Allie Marker rattled off 19 points, but Rachel and Faith McCarty turned the tide with their combined 25 points to spearhead Echo's 54-24 victory last Saturday in Big Sky Conference girls basketball action in Echo.

Martin was good for eight points, Justesen checked in with six, Marker notched five, Mercedes Cardona had three and Daisy Brown finished with two points for the Lady Huskies, who made eight field goals, one 3-pointer, and hit 3 of 13 free throws.

Rachel McCarty tallied 13 points, while Faith McCarty ended her night with 12 points.

The Lady Huskies stayed tough for three quarters against a challenging Lone-Arlington squad, down 23-18 after three quarters, until the Cardinals managed to create some distance in a 16-7 final-period rally to close out the win.

Marker led Sherman with eight points, Cali Johnson

picked up seven and Martin was good for five points. Jessica Medina paced the Cards with 16 points.

Sherman (4-7, 1-3) is still one game back of third place, and they host Dufur at 6 p.m. Tuesday, head to Dayville-Monument at 4 p.m. on Thursday, Jan. 23, and host Klickitat, Wash. at 7:30 p.m. on Friday, Jan. 24.

Dufur teams lose to Perrydale

The Dufur boys had a rough shooting night from the floor with five second-half field goals, one in the fourth quarter, in their 45-37 loss to Perrydale last Saturday in a non-league contest played in Perrydale.

The Rangers led 22-20 at the half, but Perrydale went on a 25-15 second-half spurt to seal its win.

Cooper Bales scored 11 points, Jacob Peters had 10, Trey Darden added six and Alex Barrett finished with five points for the Rangers, who hit 16 field goals, five 3-pointers, and made 7 of 14 free throws.

Perrydale drained 16 field goals, one 3-pointer, and connected on 12 of 18 free throws. Josh Crawford led the Pirates with 14 points, Kiler Thorson dropped 13 points and David Domes notched six points.

Dufur (6-6 overall, 2-1 league) is at Mitchell at 3:30 p.m. Saturday, and heads to Sherman at 6 p.m. Tuesday.

Playing without top point guard Jessica Brown for most of the night, the Dufur girls basketball team managed six field goals in its 41-17 loss at

Perrydale last Saturday.

Added to the six baskets, the Lady Rangers clanged 2 of 12 free throws and had six players score points.

Brooke Beachamp reeled off a team-high five points, Emily Crawford and Jadyn Fargher totaled three points each and the trio of Mikayla Kelly, Zoe Hester and Kierstin White had two points apiece.

Dufur (7-5, 2-1) was at Mitchell Saturday, is at Sherman at 4:30 p.m. Tuesday, and hosts Perrydale at 6 p.m. next Friday.

SWC boys, girls hit the hardwood

Condon-Wheeler was the next opponent on the docket for South Wasco County and both the Redside boys and girls flexed their muscles in a big way Friday in Maupin.

The Lady Redsidies broke open a 30-17 halftime lead with a 20-9 third-quarter run in their 54-33 romp and the boys continued that trend with a 40-20 second-half flurry to upend the Blue Devils in league action.

In all, SWC sank 36 field goals, four 3-pointers, and hit 12 of 17 free throws.

Brock LaFaver led with 26 points and 11 rebounds, Garrett Olson tallied 25 points and 10 boards, Oscar Thomas rattled off 16 points, six rebounds and five steals, and Tanner Davis finished with seven points, seven assists and four steals.

Defensively, SWC (8-4 overall, 2-2 league) had 20 steals and 15 pass deflections, and dished off 25 assists on 36 field goals.



Sherman guard Nick Riggs dribbles inside for an offensive opportunity in boys basketball play this season in Moro. The Huskies ran their win streak to four games after beating Lone-Arlington and Echo last weekend. Ray Rodriguez photo

Following their Sherman game Friday, the Redside boys are in Crane at 2:30 p.m. Monday, at Horizon Christian at 7:30 p.m. Tuesday, and at Spray with a start time of 7:30 p.m. on Friday, Jan. 24.

The Lady Redsidies stopped a streak of four losses in their last five games, as Destiny Mora-Lopez reeled off 23 points, Kylie Iverson drilled 12 and Jade McCoy contributed 10 points in the team's 55-33 drubbing of Condon.

SWC jumped ahead 30-17 at the half and dropped the hammer down on Condon with a 20-9 third-quarter spurt.

Kiara Takagi led the Devils with 12 points and both Abby

Colby and Megan Aamodt added six points each.

In a showdown at No. 13-ranked Damascus Christian, South Wasco County saw a 19-18 halftime deficit swell to 35-25 after a 16-7 third-quarter rally in a 42-35 road loss last Saturday.

Destiny Mora-Lopez scored 14 points, Hailey Ocacio had eight and both Jade and Sadie McCoy tallied four points each. Emily Powers paced Damascus with 16 points.

SWC (6-6, 2-2) hosted Sherman at 6 p.m. Friday, is at Crane at 1 p.m. Monday, and heads to Spray for a league tilt at 6 p.m. on Friday, Jan. 24.

Ready, aim, fire: Maupin duo does it again

Jason and Julie Hull drill combined 47 of 50 free throws for fourth straight district title

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Coming off a fourth straight Elks National Hoop Shoot Free Throw title, Jason and Julie Hull not only improved on their outputs of 22 for 25 on Dec. 21, the Maupin tandem shattered those numbers for a fourth district championship in a row.

The sharpshooting Hulls answered the bell by making a combined 47 of 50 attempts to chalk up first place at the Elks Northeast District 1 Free Throw event held on Sunday, Jan. 5 at Sandstone Middle School in Hermiston.

In his final round clash, Jason and his opponent, out of Ione, matched each other's 10 of 10 split. As the pressure mounted, the lone shooter canned 6 of 15 free throws to end up 16 of 25, but Jason made good on 14 of 15 shots and topped out at 24 of 25.

Julie, who has been to state

in four consecutive years, and claimed regionals runner-up twice, fired home a precise 23 out of 25, which propelled her to the top of the pack.

Now with his stroke working at an optimum rate, Jason has an opportunity to get over the state hump, where he has placed second in the past two years.

Three years ago, Jason made his move to the National Hoop Shoot finals at DePaul University Chicago, Illinois.

Up next, the standout brother-sister combo gets on the hardwood in state competition on Saturday, Feb. 8 in Silverton.



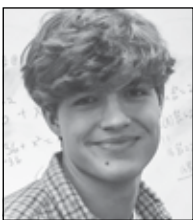
Surrounded by administrators and event organizers, Maupin natives Jason, on left, and Julie Hull combined to sink 47 of 50 attempts and score first place for the fourth year in a row at the Elks Northeast District 1 Free Throw event held on Sunday, Jan. 5 at Sandstone Middle School in Hermiston. Ronda Hull/Contributed photo

Dr. Cullen's Student of the week

Jesse Larson for Calculus:

Jesse Larson is Student of the Week in Calculus. Jesse is a very hard working student and never complains despite recent football injuries.

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BRIEFLY

TD track holding coffee fundraiser

The Dalles track and field squad is selling one-pound bags of coffee for \$15 each as a fundraiser for the upcoming 2020 spring season.

Each bag can be ground or whole bean and is available at Kainos Coffee, located at 418 E. 2nd St., or through head coach Garth Miller.

Call the shop at 541-769-0080 or contact Miller at 541-980-3181.

Valentine's Day Run slated

The second race of the three-part Jumpstart Valentine's Day Winter Trail 3k, 5k and 10k run/

walk is planned for 10 a.m. on Saturday, Feb. 8 at Lewis and Clark Festival Park.

Costs are \$20 with a shirt with free racing socks and running gloves while supplies last, and \$8 without a shirt by the pre-registration cutoff of Feb. 5.

On the day of, fees rise to \$25 with a shirt and \$10 without.

Award medals are offered to the top 3 overall in each of the five age divisions, male and female. All District 21 elementary students are free to participate.

This is a Colonel Wright Elementary School Physical Education fundraiser.

For more information, flyers are available at the park entrance or through email at jumpstartyouthactivities@gmail.com.

Athlete of the Week

Mauricio Carrera

The Dalles High School Senior

In his first tournament action of the season, The Dalles senior wrestler Mauricio Carrera, a four-year letterman, jumped up from 182 pounds to 195 and claimed three consecutive victories, two by second-round pinfall, to help the Riverhawks secure fifth-place honors at the Bob Beisell Dual Tournament held last Saturday in Forest Grove.



The Athlete of the Week will receive a large 2 topping pizza from Papa Murphy's. Congratulations to our winner 1-18-20



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