

# Roseburg Opens 1961-62 Basketball Season With Clash Against Pelicans Tonight On Klamath Falls' Boards

## Indians To Meet 1960's Champs In Two-Night Hardcourt Opener

Roseburg's Indians will open the 1961-62 basketball season tonight when they meet a highly talented group of Klamath Falls Pelicans at Klamath Falls.

The Tribesmen will stay over at Klamath Falls for a two-night stand against the Pelicans, with game time both nights set for 8 o'clock. KQEN will carry the play-by-play action for fans not able to make the trip.

The openers for the Indians will be repeats of last year's openers when Klamath Falls invaded Roseburg. Last year the Indians edged the Whitebirds in overtime Friday, then lost a heart-breaker to the eventual state champs Saturday.

During the 1960-61 season the Pelicans and the Indians battled for the number one rating on the prep polls throughout the season. The powerful Pelicans held the top spot until the final few weeks of the season when the Indians took over the number one rating.

Going into the state tournament, the Indians and the Pelicans were ranked as the number one and two teams. The Indians ran into trouble in the tournament, losing to Wilson of Portland and South Salem after dumping David Douglas in their opener. The Pelicans conquered all - comers, finally downing Medford to win the state crown.

This year will find the Tribesmen and the Pelicans both sporting strong starting units again and the weekend outings could be just as close as last year's openers. Roseburg will have a slight advantage in height and should be able to match the Klamath Falls quiet in speed.

Roseburg Coach Curt Jarvis has announced his tentative starting lineup for the weekend. At the forward slots will be two veterans in the form of Ray Palm and Tom Hobbs, 6-2 and 6-3 respectively. Both were regulars last year as they helped the Indians

able to start. If he is not in the starting lineup his place will be filled by senior letterman Doug Lyda. Lyda is scheduled for plenty of action even if he does not



RAY PALM  
... set to start

start as he will relieve the forwards. Lyda measures 6-4. Veteran Marv French (6-0) and speedster Spike Moore (5-7) will fill the guard positions for the Indians. French was a regular last year and is a two-year letterman. Moore moved up from last year's Jayvees and has worked hard to earn his starting spot.

Others set competing the roster for the Indians will be Rich Bakala (6-3), Bill Brothers (5-11), Paul Brothers (6-0), Dick Burke (6-7), Bruce Long (6-0), Don Lowe (6-2), Bob Manning (5-6) and Jim Wassom (6-0).

The Pelicans will be paced by 6-3 center Gary Patzke. Patzke is one of the six returning lettermen for the Pelicans and has been picked to be the outstanding prep star in the state this year.

Along with Patzke the Pelicans will have Dana Ash (6-3) and Rich Bogatay under the hoop. Ash and Bogatay are both returning lettermen.

Away from the basket the Pelicans will be led by returnees Kent Hunsaker (6-4) and Sherm Allen (5-8). Allen provides good speed and is a top defensive star for Klamath Falls, while Hunsaker is ranked along with Patzke as a top scoring threat.

Top reserves for the Pelicans include guard Dave Stippich (5-8) and forward Fred Kelley (6-4). Stippich lettered for the state champs last year, while Kelley is a promising newcomer up from the Jayvee squad.

The tentative starting lineup for tonight and Saturday's games:

Roseburg	Pat	K. Falls
Hobbs (6-3)	F (6-1)	Bogatay
Palm (6-2)	F (6-3)	Ash
O'Neil (6-5)	C (6-3)	Patzke
French (6-0)	G (6-1)	Hunsaker
Moore (5-7)	G (5-8)	Allen

### Hockey Results

**National Hockey League**  
By THE ASSOCIATED PRESS  
**Thursday Results**  
Toronto 1, Montreal 1 (tie)  
Detroit 3, Boston 1

**Friday Games**  
No games scheduled

**Saturday Games**  
Detroit at Montreal  
Chicago at Toronto  
New York at Boston

**WESTERN HOCKEY LEAGUE**  
By THE ASSOCIATED PRESS  
**(Thursday's Results)**  
Spokane 7, Los Angeles 4

## Packers Concede Respect For Giants — But That's All

GREEN BAY, Wis. (AP)—The Green Bay Packers concede high respect for the New York Giants, but little else. The Western Division leaders think their Eastern rivals are no tougher than many other National Football League clubs.

"New York can't be any tougher than most of the others we meet throughout the season," said Coach Vince Lombardi. "Sure, the Giants are very strong. But so are the Lions, the Rams, the Colts and others. They're all rough."

**Few Chuckles**  
Lombardi managed a few relaxed chuckles Thursday after a workout attended by several standouts who missed early week practice sessions because of injuries and outbreak of flu. Only veteran defensive tackle Dave Haner and Green Bay's

trio of Army privates were missing.

The leaders of the West and East place 9-2 records on the line Sunday in a showdown at Milwaukee County Stadium, the Packers' home-away-from-home 125 miles south of Green Bay. The Packers hold a 2½ game lead in their division, while the Giants are in a battle in the East, holding only a game margin on Philadelphia.

Noting that New York must move to a meeting with the Eagles at Philadelphia a week from Sunday, Lombardi said:

"They've got to win this one and it should be interesting, because of their position and schedule. The Giants have a little bit more going for them. But our fellows don't know the meaning of the word quit and we'll be ready for them."

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## Indian Gridiron Power Noted By Oregonian

While still in a state of bewilderment over Roseburg's whitewash of the Beaverton 11 in the state grid finals, Portland sports writers are not hesitant to note what a powerful squad the Indians were.

Leo Davis, sports writer for the Oregonian, in speaking of Coach Roy Thompson's charges points out that in 48 minutes the Indians destroyed a Beaverton team which Coach Duke Moore spent two months in building.

He quotes the Roseburg coach's explanation of what happened: "If there was a key to our win," said Thompson, "it had to be the line's great secondary effort." "The first move wasn't bad, either. The kids hit and kept hitting until the whistle called them off. Bob Welch (160 pound guard) was moving his man 10 feet on the charge."

**Stars Share Wealth**  
"The Roseburg coach was reluctant to single out players for special mention on the grounds all of them were great. But less partisan fans were audibly impressed by Tom Hobbs, Ray Palm, Kenny King, Mike Flury and of course Brothers. Hobbs had a tremendous night against the left side of the Beaver line and through the holes he bulldozed Flury ran for 131 yards. Which prompted Roseburg fans to needle us gently for

ignoring the big kid as all-state material. "Thompson contended all year King is as good a linebacker as Oregon can claim. He saw nothing in the title tilt to change his mind. He also revealed that Palm actually "sleeps" with a football. . . . easy to believe after watching him. Spectacular catches are rule rather than exception with Palm, but we doubt if he's had many that topped the pass interception against Beaverton. It was a one-handed, finger-tip grab that few preps could duplicate.

"Scouting reports also contributed heavily to the Roseburg win. For example, Thompson's scout "estimated" Beaverton's punter could be had and the Indians proved it true to set up their first touchdown. King cut the Beaver's Mike Wherly down before he had a chance to get boot to hall and Roseburg had possession on the 13.

"Thompson credits his assistants with a large share of Roseburg's success. Joe Schaffeld, Oregon grizzer, served as offensive line coach and worked with the defensive front wall. Pete Hopkins, a Lewis & Clark grad, supervised offensive backs and defensive secondary.

"Moore agreed with Thompson's analysis. "We didn't react," he said, "it was the poorest contract and after a block reaction I've seen." However, the coach didn't quit on his Beavers. He pointed out they beat some good teams to reach the finals but just failed to come up for the big one."

**'61 Grid Season Ends 'Militarily'**  
By THE ASSOCIATED PRESS  
The 1961 college football season finishes its regular campaign on Saturday with its annual military maneuver in gigantic Philadelphia Stadium when Army meets Navy before President Kennedy and 102,000 fans.

Indications are that one of the two service schools may get to play UCLA in the Rose Bowl on New Year's Day in one of two bowl spots to be decided as the curtain falls on another hectic season. If it isn't a service academy, it will probably be either Minnesota or Michigan State of the Big Ten.

**Bluebonnet Spot**  
The other is the Bluebonnet Bowl spot left open for Rice (6-3), if it wins over Baylor (5-4). The latter already is ticketed for New York's Gotham Bowl against Utah State, win, lose or draw.

Alabama's Crimson Tide (9-1), playing Auburn, could nail down the No. 1 spot in next week's final Associated Press poll, and with it the mythical national title, plus a share of the Southeastern Conference title with Louisiana State.

The Tide has already indicated it will go to the Sugar Bowl to face Arkansas, making the announcement official after its game against Auburn. The Auburn Tigers (6-3), incidentally, are hoping for a Rice defeat that could send them into the Bluebonnet Bowl against Kansas.

Expanded hunting opportunities are in store on Saturday for a group of well prepared shotgunners.

According to the Oregon game commission the season on black brant opens Saturday and extends through Jan. 30.

The commission explained that the black brant is found almost entirely along the coastal areas, although a few stray birds have been taken inland as far as Summer Lake.

## Drain To Open Cage Action In Emerald Tourney Tonight

Warmups are over for the Drain Warriors as they open the 1961-62 basketball season tonight in the Emerald League jamboree, then clash with the Sutherlin Bulldogs Saturday in a practice game.

Competing in the strong Emerald League, the Warriors will meet their first league opponent Jan. 18 when they travel north to face the St. Francis Saints in Eugene. Coach Dennis Olsen reports that five lettermen are back in uniform to lead the Warriors. Olsen feels the season will be above average and, if everything goes well, the Warriors could be in the running for the title.

Pleasant Hill's Hillbillies are rated as the team to beat in the Emerald League as they came on strong in the last half last year to win eight straight before losing out in the A-2 state tournament. The Hillbillies will be led by junior Bruce Bradshaw who set the scoring mark among A-2 players last year as a sophomore.

Leading the Warriors on the warpath will be three-year veteran Gary Cox. Cox, a 5-10 guard, has made the varsity team since his freshman year, and is prepping for his best season ever.

The tallest of the lettermen is one-year veteran Dennis Christensen who uses his 6-0 frame to work either the post or a forward spot. Completing the list of returnees is Gill Henderson, 5-11 forward, Ran Cool, 5-7 guard, and John Snead, 5-11 forward or center.

Providing the height for the Warriors is 6-6 senior Victor Gratz, while Graham Derbyshire and Ramsay Derbyshire both stand 6-2. Completing the varsity roster will be Mickey Gurney, Rex Sverdring and Tom White.

**Overall Record**  
The Warriors had an overall league record of 7-9 last year, and were 8-10 for the season.

**DRAIN**  
1961-62 Basketball Schedule  
**December**  
1 Emerald League Jamboree  
2 Sutherlin at Drain  
8 St. Francis at St. Francis  
9 Junction City at Drain  
15 Pleasant Hill at Pleasant Hill  
16 Sutherlin at Sutherlin

**January**  
2 McKenzie at Drain  
5 Creswell at Creswell  
12 Elmira at Drain  
13 Oakridge at Oakridge  
19 Central Linn at Drain  
26 St. Francis at Drain  
27 Junction City at June. City

**February**  
2 Pleasant Hill at Drain  
9 McKenzie at McKenzie  
10 Creswell at Drain  
16 Elmira at Elmira  
17 Oakridge at Drain  
23 Central Linn at Central Linn  
24 democratic league games.  
JV games start at 6:30 p.m., varsity games at 8.

**Sports Calendar**  
**Friday**  
**Basketball**  
**Non-League**  
Roseburg Indians vs. Klamath Falls Pelicans, 8 p.m., Klamath Falls.  
Myrtle Point Bobcats vs. Douglas Trojans, 8 p.m., Douglas.  
St. Mary's of Medford vs. Riddle Irish, 8 p.m., Riddle.  
Rogue River vs. Glendale Pirates, 8 p.m., Glendale.  
Illinois Valley Lions vs. Myrtle Creek Vikings, 8 p.m., Myrtle Creek.

**Saturday**  
**Basketball**  
**Non-League**  
Roseburg Indians vs. Klamath Falls Pelicans, 8 p.m., Klamath Falls.  
Mapleton Sailors vs. Douglas Trojans, 8 p.m., Cave Junction.  
Riddle Irish vs. Illinois Valley Lions, 8 p.m., Cave Junction.  
Glendale Pirates vs. Rogue River, 8 p.m., Rogue River.

**Sunday**  
**Oregon Professional League**  
Medford Cyclones vs. Roseburg Timber Tribes, 1 p.m., Roseburg Bowl.

**Pressure Building In Tom McNeely**  
TORONTO (AP)—The pressure building up within was beginning to show on challenger Tom McNeely Jr. as the date drew closer for his title fight with heavyweight champion Floyd Patterson.

Although admitting "growing tension" the unbeaten, 24-year-old husky from Arlington, Mass., still spoke confidently today of knocking out the champion next Monday night.

Even reports of Patterson's blazing final boxing workout on Thursday failed to shake the optimism of the crewcut 200-pounder.

**Can Be Hit**  
"Patterson can be hit and Patterson goes down," said McNeely. "The record proves that, Ingemar Johansson has had him down nine times alone. Roy Harris dropped him and even Pete Rademacher had him down. If I get him down, I'm going to keep him down."  
"My two hands are better than just Johansson's right. I know what Patterson can do and when he is vulnerable. He can be had early and the earlier I hit him the better it will be for me."  
McNeely, who finished his boxing drills last Sunday, laughed off statements of Patterson's manager, Gus D'Amato, that he has been boxing secretly.  
"That's a big joke," he said. "I've boxed more than 500 rounds since last April and that's plenty. All I want to do now is be ready. I don't want to go stale."  
McNeely merely limbered up and went through calisthenics Thursday while Patterson boxed two rounds.



TUNING UP — Pittsburgh halfback Fred Cox displays kicking form at School practice field. He's booted field goals of 52, 47 and 45 yards in games this season.

## Major College Basketball Opens Season To Unknown Reception

By THE ASSOCIATED PRESS  
Major college basketball, rocked by its second widespread scandal in a decade, opens a new season tonight with a job on its hands.

After the scandals of 1950-51, it took the better part of five years before the shocked public forgot its jibes about bribes and began accepting the sport, particularly in the big, publicized arenas of the East.

What kind of reception is in store for basketball this time, after sweeping disclosures that dragged in the names of 37 players from 22 colleges and universities, is anyone's guess.

**Exceptional Players**  
Back again are such exceptional players as Jerry Lucas of Ohio State, Terry Dischinger of Purdue, Ghet Walker of Bradley, Len Chappell and Billy Packer of Wake Forest, Art Hayman of Duke, Billy McGill of Utah, Dave Debusschere of Detroit, Johnny Rudometkin of Southern California, Vinnie Ernst and Jimmy Hadnot of Providence.

Also Don Nelson of Iowa, Gary Rosenburg of Dayton, Carroll Broussard of Texas A&M, Del Ray Mounts and Harold Hodgins of Texas Tech, and Paul Hoque, Tony Yates and Tom Thackof Cincinnati, the Bearcat bunch that upset mighty Ohio State in overtime in the NCAA championship final at Kansas City last March.

Ohio State, picked to again top the nation's teams in the pre-season poll of The Associated Press panel, returns with John Havlicek and Mel Nowell to accompany player of the year Lucas.

**High Gear**  
The major schedule, which moves immediately into high gear Saturday, opens with a score of

**WASHINGTON (AP)**—College sports leaders have stepped up their drive for more control over amateur sports with a double barreled attack on the Amateur Athletic Union.

AAU officials, meeting here in their annual convention, fired back Thursday and there was promise of more hostilities over the weekend.

Each side says the U. S. team to the 1964 Olympics will suffer if the other side wins.

**Seeking Federation**  
Don Canham, University of Michigan coach and executive vice president of the National Collegiate Track Coaches Association, said in Ann Arbor the track coaches are seeking a federation to rule over track and field affairs, now governed solely by the AAU.

Basketball coaches already have made a similar proposition. They have scheduled their fifth meeting with AAU officials Wednesday to discuss the controversy.

The National Collegiate Athletic Association, in a report released in Kansas City, threatened a boycott of AAU events unless the colleges are given more power over amateur athletic events.

**No Other Group**  
"The AAU takes the position that no other organization or segment of amateur athletics shall be accorded a significant place in determining amateur sports policies in the United States or this nation's position on international sports questions," the NCAA report said. "In other words, the AAU believes that this is its exclusive prerogative."

"They want either to destroy the AAU or make it so impotent it can't operate," replied AAU President N. J. Barak of Columbus, Ohio. "If the AAU is ever going to die, it's going to die fighting."

Canham said Charles D. Werner of Penn State, president of the college track coaches group, would voice the association's views in a statement to the AAU convention this weekend.

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TALL STORY, Wilt the Stilt Chamberlain, all seven feet one inch of him, of Philadelphia grabs a rebound under the Warriors' basket during the game with the Pistons at the Detroit Olympia. Out-maneuvered is the home club's Walter Dukes, who towers on even seven feet.

**J. CUPIT GETS AWARD**  
EVANSTON, Ill. (AP)—Jacky Cupit, 23, another Texan who joined the golf tour during 1961, has been named "rookie of the year" by Golf Digest. Cupit had earned \$21,560 through Oct. 22 and was in 28th place on the PGA money list.

**Mac Wood**  
That Good—Chevron  
HARVARD at UMPQUA