

## Five Players Lead Frosh To 12th Win

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Five Frosh players, led by Bill Drozdak's 25, scored in double figures Monday night to lead Oregon to a resounding 112-86 win over the Linfield JVs.

Stan Love, John Green and Leonard Jackson each canned 15 points and reserve guard Rick Brosterhous hit his season high with 14 as the Frosh, rebounding from a Saturday loss to the Oregon State Rooks, rolled to their 12th victory in 13 games.

The game was a "homecoming" for Drozdak, Love and Green, who had been suspended prior to the OSU game, and they made the most of it. While Green and Love were hot from underneath, Drozdak was hitting 8-12 from virtually everywhere on the floor.

Jackson, with 7-12 from the floor, picked up three quick first half fouls and played only eight minutes in that period, but came back as the leading second half scorer for the Frosh.

Brosterhous, meanwhile, recovering from a shoulder operation early in the year, continued his steady improvement, hitting 6-10 from the floor. The team as a whole had their best shooting performance of the season, 52.3.

With Drozdak leading the charge with 11, the Frosh moved to a quick 40-16 lead in the first 11 minutes of the game. The Frosh increased a 60-32 halftime advantage to 96-60 with eight minutes remaining, when the reserves came in to finish up.

Jay Crittenden, who was also experiencing a "homecoming," connected on two free throws with 6:16 remaining to give the Frosh their third 100-point game of the season.

Carlton Slater, the 5-9 floor leader, played his usual strong defense and got his usual cheers from the partisan crowd. But Monday night's hero was reserve Bill Maxey. Max, who ripped off his warmup jacket at OSU Saturday only to find that he wasn't wearing a jersey, was wildly applauded when his lay-up with 0:39 remaining gave the Ducklings their final points.

Drozdak's performance was his second highest of the year. The game's leading scorer, however, was Linfield's Ross Petersen with 27 points.

The Frosh travel to Portland Friday for a rematch with the Portland Frosh. Oregon has beaten the Young Pilots three times this year by an average score of 91-47.

### WRA Schedule

#### INTEREST GROUPS

Badminton—7 p.m., Wednesday.  
Basketball—7 p.m., Tuesday and Thursday.

Gymnastics—7 p.m., Tuesday in Men's PE; 7 p.m., Thursday in Gerlinger Hall.

Swimming—7 p.m., Wednesday.  
Slinnastics—7 p.m., Tuesday.

#### CLUBS

Bowling Club—intercollegiate match Tuesday, 4:15, OCE here; club 4 p.m. Thursday.

Amphibians—A Group, 7 p.m. Wednesday and Thursday at Leighton Pool.

#### INTRAMURALS

Bowling—4 p.m., Tuesday and Wednesday.

Badminton—4 p.m., Tuesday and Thursday.

#### BASKETBALL

5:00 Tuesday—Off Campus I vs. Kappa Kappa Gamma. Off Campus II vs. Highland House.

#### MEETING

WRA Executive Council Meeting, 6:15 Thursday, 207 Gerlinger.

### IM Schedule

#### BASKETBALL

2:50—Court 40—Watson A vs. Boynton A.  
Court 43—Burgess A vs. Debusk A.

4:35—Court 40—Diads A vs. Hawaiians A.  
Court 43—Westmoreland A vs. College Inn A.

5:15—Court 40—Lambda Chi Alpha A vs. Delta Upsilon A.  
Court 43—Chi Phi A vs. Chi Psi A.

#### HANDBALL

4:00—Stafford vs. Phi Gamma Delta  
Tau Kappa Epsilon vs. Boynton



Photo by Gary Lineburg  
SENIOR DISTANCE RUNNER Jerry VanDyke breaks the tape at the close of his winning 1600-yard run at the Oregon Indoor Invitational Track and Field Meet at Memorial Coliseum in Portland Saturday night. VanDyke's time was 2:09.3, six-tenths of a second better than second-place Rick Mesmer of Washington. Oregon's Mike Crunican finished fourth in 2:10.3. Other top performances turned in by Oregon track men included the 1-2-3 finish of Wade Bell, Dave Wilborn and Roscoe Divine in the mile; the 2-3 finish of Arnie Kvalheim and Tom Morrow in the two mile; and the Ducks' first place finish in the mile relay.

## Bill 'Disastrous', Ritchey Claims

By RICK FITCH  
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If student fees were cut off from the athletic department, the effect would be "disastrous," according to Norv Ritchey, administrative assistant to the athletic director.

"Five years ago, we decided to join the coast conference and compete with teams like UCLA, USC and Stanford. Our president issued a statement that said we would compete favorably. If this proposal (by Senator Tom Fagan) were put into effect, and we didn't get student fees, I don't know where the money would come from."

Ritchey estimated student fees currently make up "about 20 per cent" of the total athletic department budget. He called this "grossly inadequate" compared to the other schools in the conference.

The selling of "season" tickets to students at \$15 apiece would not make up a quarter of a million dollars a year. We couldn't sell that many tickets."

He said that if the proposal were enacted, it would bring about more of the "professionalism" against which proponents of the bill are reacting. "Critics would be able to say more than ever that our program 'smacks of professionalism,'" Ritchey said. "We would then be totally self-supporting."

It is wrong, according to Ritchey, to "put the athletic department out in the street," because the athletic department plays a vital educational role at the University. "We feel that athletics play a part in the overall educational program. We contribute as much educationally as any department on

campus. But now people say we should be self-supporting."

Student fees currently go into the athletic department's general fund. According to Ritchey, student fees have never been used in their capital building program (the construction of Autzen Stadium, etc.)

Other than student fees, the department is self-supporting, Ritchey said. "In the state of Oregon, Oregon and Oregon State occupy unique positions in their athletic program from other state-supported colleges in that they receive no tax support other than student fees. We are regarded, basically, as being self-supporting."

Ritchey said the results of the Feb. 7 vote on Fagan's proposal would be unacceptable to the athletic department and probably unacceptable to President Flemming and the State Board of Higher Education.

"It is not our prerogative to decide one way or the other. Funding comes through the budget office. All the Senate can do is pass a resolution based on the outcome of the vote. This would only be advisory. The president is the final authority."

"Legally and historically, the state board has guarded these auxiliary fees with some jealousy. I think it would be a tragedy any time you would start dividing up student fees to individual factions. If you ask every student, every student will have a different idea as to where his money should go."

"I think any election, to be valid, has to have a better turnout than we've had before. You can't have 25 percent of the people vote and say that's the way the entire student body feels."

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# Oregon Downs Utah, 85-77

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If you were told that a basketball team representing the University of Oregon had just defeated a similar team from the University of Utah, an appropriate answer might be "So what?"

Even if you were given additional information — Oregon entered the game with a 4-11 record compared to Utah's 13-5 mark — you could conceivably say "Well listen, man, stranger things have happened."

But if you observed Oregon's 85-77 victory over Utah in McArthur Court last night, your sole summation of the sideshow action would likely be "Hot damn, I can't believe this!"

The on-court struggle between Oregon and Utah was exciting enough, but the antics of Redskin coach Jack Gardner bordered on the unbelievable.

In the first half the Ducks and Redskins traded the lead seven times between themselves, although Oregon was in control for most of the 20 minutes. Ken Smith had 14 points and John Pinkstaff 11 to account for more than half of UO's intermission total of 46.

Interestingly coach Steve Belko's team required twice as much time to score 46 points Saturday in the loss to Oregon State.

The Duck's halftime margin of 46-39 was attained chiefly because they converted 12 of 14 free throw attempts, while the visitors went to the line but eight times.

Utah challenged Oregon in the second half, closing to 51-50 with 16:24 to go on a jumper by guard Merv Jackson. And at 9:54 Jackson snapped through another leaping cast-off to bring the Redskins to 64-60.

But consecutive baskets by Smith, Rick Abrahamson, Billy Gaskins and Pinkstaff got Oregon rolling again, and the Ducks maintained a safe margin until the ultimate 85-77 score at the game's conclusion.

Outstanding performances were turned in by every Oregon starter in this surprising victory. Pinkstaff was a savage on the backboards, picking off 18 rebounds in addition to his 21 points. Abrahamson contributed 14 points, and Smith 18 to Oregon's offensive outburst.

However, Gaskins must be singled out for the most significant contribution. Billy shot in 22 points, and his maneuvering and passing to set up open teammates was the major factor in the victory.

Gaskins would either hit on jump shots from medium distance, feed Abrahamson or Smith for jumpers, or drive Utah insane with dribbling exhibitions underneath the boards.

Particularly upset with Gaskin's ability to move in the heavy traffic under the boards was Redskin coach Gardner. He accused referees Frank Buckiewicz and John Thomas of not calling Gaskins for fouling when he had the ball.

Garner was so incensed that he was slapped with three technical fouls in the first half, and was resultingly banished from the game. It took Oregon Athletic Director Len Casanova and two assistants to convince Gardner he would do well to leave.

After the game Gardner blew his cool completely. "Apparently this official doesn't know basketball. He is obviously incompetent. He definitely has rabbit ears," claimed the Utah coach. His references seemingly were directed to Buckiewicz. Additionally, Gardner said he "came close to forfeiting the game. He (Buckiewicz) had a chip on his shoulder."

## Swimmers Plan Weekend Home

The Dolphin Court, a German band, and water polo and trampolene exhibitions will highlight "Homecoming Weekend" for the Oregon swim team after two weeks on the road.

A pair of tough home meets will be the center of activity, and entertainment will take place between various events. Washington travels to Eugene Saturday following a Friday swim meet pairing the host Ducks and San Jose.

### Tickets Available

Student tickets for the Oregon-UCLA basketball game of Feb. 10 will be available at McArthur Court beginning at 1 p.m. today.

There are 5000 tickets available on a first come, first served basis. The student must present his athletic card, and may obtain only one ticket.



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