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Huskies upend netters

By Todd Fletcher Of the Emerald

The Oregon volleyball team earned a split decision this weekend, first caging the Washington State Cougars, then succumbing to the bite of the University of Washington

On Friday, the Ducks had no problems with a young Cougar team winning in three games, 15-2, 15-7 and 15-9.

After tournaments in California and Utah, Duck coach Chris Voelz said the win over WSU was crucial because it allowed Oregon, 14-10 this season, to shed itself from those first home game "jitters".

Those "jitters" weren't too evident in the first game against the Cougars, as Oregon jumped out to an 11-1 lead behind the serving of senior Cathy Hill, the setting of junior college transfer Lisa Gemoya and the blocking of Sue

The final two games followed the format of the first. Harbour connected on four straight serves as Oregon opened up a 13-7 advantage in the second game. And sparked by the play of Gemoya with the help of a Barb Lutz drop shot and a kill by Hill, the Ducks cemented the decision.

The third game was all Harbour as she served six straight points to lead Oregon to the win.

"I like beating the Cougars," said Harbour, who hails from Pullman, Wash.

Against Washington, the Ducks took commanding leads in all five games. But in each game, save the second and fourth, the Ducks found a way to let the Huskies creep back.

Oregon took an 8-3 lead in the first game, but the Huskies battled back to tie the match at eight and went on to win 15-10.

"They were big hitters," said Voelz, "but the hard balls didn't hurt us, it was the little things. The service reception errors, hitting shots wide, that's what hurt us.'

The second game saw a totally different Oregon team take the floor. The Ducks, behind seven straight serves by Cynthia Shepherd, proceeded to blow the Huskies off the court 15-3.

The teams split the next two games to force the decider.

Pushed to five games for the first time this season, the Ducks and Washington played very tentatively. Both team's first serves were net balls and the first score didn't come until five minutes into the contest when Duck Heidi Eakin's serve was returned long.

Finally settling down, Oregon looked like it would make it three straight over the Huskies by pulling out in front 12-6. But enter Washington's Stacy Brittain. The 5-8 senior, who was injured the first two times the teams met, served up the last nine Husky

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points, four of them aces.

'Hopefully going the five games will help us in the long run," said Voelz. "Lutz played great on defense, but nobody else played up to par," Voelz added. "We made too many transitional errors. We just didn't play well."

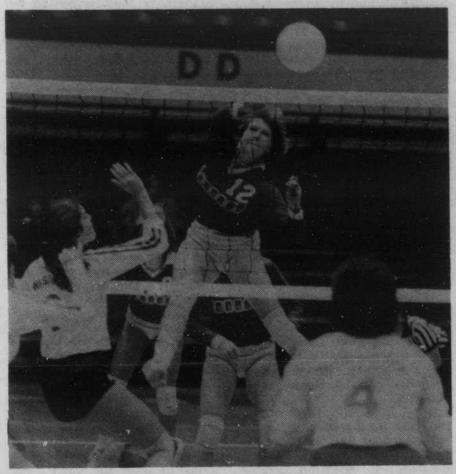


Photo by Dave Kao

Cynthia Shepherd kills this shot, but it wasn't enough as the Ducks fell to Washington.

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he University of Oregon Foundation's Annual

Fund is launching its annual telefund on Monday, Oc-

tober 10. In order to meet this year's telefund goal of

100,000, Joe Farmer, Annual Fund Director, is in-

viting student organization to provide the majority of

the volunteers required to make the calls to alumni

across the United States and ask for support of the

he calling will take place for thirty nights on Mon-

day, Tuesday, Wednesday and Thursday evenings

from October 10 through December 2, with the ex-

ception of Election Day on Tuesday, November 8

and Thanksgiving, November 24. On October 10,

11, 12, and 13, the volunteers will consist of local

alumni and University faculty and staff. Student

organizations are being asked to provide thirty

volunteers for each evening October 17-20, 24-27, November 1-3, 7, 9, 10, 14-17, 28-30, December 1

Each evening the callers will meet in the Bean Com-

plex Dining Area for refreshments and a brief orienta-

tion by the Foundation staff at 6:00 p.m. The calling

will begin at 6:30 p.m. and continue until 9:15 p.m.

Student organizations providing volunteers will

compete for three cash prizes. There will be a first, se-

cond and third place cash gift of \$300, \$200, and \$100,

respectively. The prizes will be awarded to the student organizations that acquire the largest number of

pledges. Each student organization participating will

be eligible for one prize only. The prizes will be awarded during the first part of the second term after

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In addition to the cash prizes, Joe Farmer is going to pay each student organization for the volunteers they provide. With a maximum of 30 callers a night, the student organizations will receive \$3.00 for each volunteer they have reporting at 6:00 p.m. and call until 9:00 p.m. If an organizations provides thirty callers and wins first place, they will receive '390 for the evening's work.

Telefunds not only provide gifts to the University, they also establish an important line of communication for alumni. Many of the alumni have not heard from the University, except through the mail, for many years. The personalized call from campus can bring back fond memories, update alumni on University programs and allow them to ask questions on other areas of interest.

If your organization is willing to help with this worthwhile event, please call Joe Farmer at the University of Oregon Foundation, Extension 3016.

