

SCOREBOARD

LOCAL SCHEDULE

Friday PREP TRACK AND FIELD

La Grande at Class 4A state track meet, Gresham, all day
Enterprise, Union at Class 2A state track meet, Monmouth, all day
Cove, Imbler, Elgin, Joseph, Powder Valley at Class 1A state track meet, Mon-

mouth, all day

PREP BASEBALL

Wallowa Valley vs. TBD, Irrigon, Special District 5 playoffs, 1 p.m.

PREP SOFTBALL

Pendleton at La Grande, 4:30 p.m.
Enterprise vs. Nyssa at Vale, Special District 2 playoffs, noon

— Subject to change

BASKETBALL

NBA Playoffs

All Times PDT
CONFERENCE FINALS (Best-of-7; x-if necessary)
Eastern Conference
Toronto vs. Milwaukee

Wednesday, May 15: Toronto at Milwaukee, 5:30 p.m.
Friday, May 17: Toronto at Milwaukee, 5:30 p.m.
Sunday, May 19: Milwaukee at Toronto, 4 p.m.

Tuesday, May 21: Milwaukee at Toronto, 5:30 p.m.
x-Thursday, May 23: Toronto at Milwaukee, 5:30 p.m.
x-Saturday, May 25: Milwaukee at Toronto, 5:30 p.m.
x-Monday, May 27: Toronto at Milwaukee, 5:30 p.m.

Western Conference
Golden State vs. Portland
Tuesday, May 14: Golden State 116, Portland 94, Golden State leads series 1-0
Thursday, May 16: Portland at Golden State, 6 p.m.
Saturday, May 18: Golden State at Portland, 6 p.m.
Monday, May 20: Golden State at Portland, 6 p.m.

x-Wednesday, May 22: Portland at Golden State, 6 p.m.
x-Friday, May 24: Golden State at Portland, 6 p.m.
x-Sunday, May 26: Portland at Golden State, 6 p.m.

HOCKEY

NHL Playoffs

All Times PDT
CONFERENCE FINALS (Best-of-7; x-if necessary)
EASTERN CONFERENCE
Boston vs. Carolina

Thursday, May 9: Boston 5, Carolina 2
Sunday, May 12: Boston 6, Carolina 2
Tuesday, May 14: Boston 2, Carolina 1
Thursday, May 16: Boston at Carolina, 5 p.m.
x-Saturday, May 18: Carolina at Boston, 4:15 p.m.
x-Monday, May 20: Boston at Carolina, 5 p.m.
x-Wednesday, May 22: Carolina at Boston, 5 p.m.

WESTERN CONFERENCE
San Jose vs. St. Louis
Saturday, May 11: San Jose 6, St. Louis 3
Monday, May 13: St. Louis 4, San Jose 2, series tied 1-1
Wednesday, May 15: San Jose at St.

Louis, 5 p.m.
Friday, May 17: San Jose at St. Louis, 5 p.m.
Sunday, May 19: St. Louis at San Jose, noon
x-Tuesday, May 21: San Jose at St. Louis, 5 p.m.
x-Thursday, May 23: St. Louis at San Jose, 6 p.m.

SOCCER

Major League Soccer

EASTERN CONFERENCE					
	W	L	T	Pts	GF GA
Philadelphia	7	3	2	23	23 12
D.C. United	7	3	2	23	17 11
Montreal	6	5	2	20	15 19
New York City FC	4	1	6	18	15 12
Atlanta	5	3	2	17	12 8
Toronto FC	5	4	1	16	22 17
Columbus	5	7	1	16	12 18
Chicago	4	4	4	16	19 13
New York	4	5	2	14	16 14
Orlando City	3	5	3	12	13 17
Cincinnati	3	7	2	11	10 18
New England	3	8	2	11	14 31

WESTERN CONFERENCE					
	W	L	T	Pts	GF GA
Los Angeles FC	8	1	3	27	29 8
LA Galaxy	7	4	1	22	18 16
Seattle	6	1	4	22	20 13
Houston	6	2	1	19	17 10
FC Dallas	5	4	2	17	16 14
Minnesota United	4	4	3	15	19 18
Real Salt Lake	4	6	1	13	15 20
Vancouver	3	5	3	12	11 14
San Jose	3	6	2	11	14 22
Portland	3	6	1	10	13 21
Sporting KC	2	4	4	10	19 19
Colorado	0	9	2	2	16 30

All Times PDT
Wednesday, May 8
Atlanta 2, Toronto FC 0
Columbus 3, LA Galaxy 1
Chicago 5, New England 0
Montreal 2, New York 1

Friday, May 10
Vancouver 1, Portland 0
Cincinnati 2, Montreal 1
New York 3, FC Dallas 1
Philadelphia 2, Toronto FC 1
New York City FC 2, LA Galaxy 0
Los Angeles FC 3, Columbus 0
New England 3, San Jose 1
Chicago 2, Minnesota United 0
Real Salt Lake 3, Colorado 2
Seattle 1, Houston 0

Sunday, May 12
Atlanta 1, Orlando City 0
D.C. United 1, Sporting Kansas City 0
Wednesday, May 15
D.C. United at Toronto FC, 5 p.m.
Portland at Houston, 5:30 p.m.
Atlanta at Vancouver, 7 p.m.
Orlando City at Seattle, 7:30 p.m.
Thursday, May 16
FC Dallas at Los Angeles FC, 7 p.m.
Saturday, May 18
New England at Montreal, 10 a.m.
Toronto FC at Real Salt Lake, noon
Chicago at San Jose, 12:30 p.m.
Seattle at Philadelphia, 4:30 p.m.
Columbus at Minnesota United, 5 p.m.
D.C. United at Houston, 5:30 p.m.
Vancouver at Sporting Kansas City, 5:30 p.m.

Sunday, May 19
Cincinnati at Orlando City, noon
Los Angeles FC at FC Dallas, noon
Atlanta at New York, 2 p.m.
Colorado at LA Galaxy, 5 p.m.

BASEBALL

MLB Standings

AMERICAN LEAGUE					
East Division					
	W	L	Pct	GB	
Tampa Bay	25	15	.625	—	
New York	24	16	.600	1	
Boston	22	20	.524	4	
Toronto	17	24	.415	8½	
Baltimore	14	26	.350	11	

Central Division					
	W	L	Pct	GB	
Minnesota	26	15	.634	—	
Cleveland	22	19	.537	4	
Chicago	19	22	.463	7	
Detroit	18	22	.450	7½	
Kansas City	15	27	.357	11½	

West Division					
	W	L	Pct	GB	
Houston	28	15	.651	—	
Seattle	22	23	.489	7	
Los Angeles	20	22	.476	7½	
Texas	17	22	.436	9	
Oakland	19	25	.432	9½	

All Times PDT
Monday's Games
Baltimore at N.Y. Yankees, p.p.d.
Houston 8, Detroit 1
L.A. Angels 5, Minnesota 4
Chicago White Sox 5, Cleveland 2
Seattle 6, Oakland 5, 10 innings

Tuesday's Games
Baltimore at N.Y. Yankees, p.p.d.
Cleveland 9, Chicago White Sox 0

Colorado 5, Boston 4, 11 innings
Houston 11, Detroit 4
Tampa Bay 4, Miami 0
Minnesota 4, L.A. Angels 3
Kansas City 11, Texas 5
Toronto 7, San Francisco 3
Seattle 4, Oakland 3
Wednesday's Games
L.A. Angels (Cahill 2-3) at Minnesota (Odorizzi 5-2), 10:10 a.m.
Baltimore (Hess 1-4) at N.Y. Yankees (Happ 2-3), 12:05 p.m., 1st game
Toronto (TBD) at San Francisco (Anderson 0-0), 12:45 p.m.
Baltimore (Cashner 4-1) at N.Y. Yankees (German 7-1), 3:35 p.m., 2nd game
Colorado (Marquez 4-2) at Boston (Rodriguez 4-2), 4:10 p.m.
Houston (Verlander 6-1) at Detroit (Soto 0-1), 4:10 p.m.

Thursday's Games
Oakland at Detroit, 10:10 a.m.
Texas at Kansas City, 10:15 a.m.
Baltimore at Cleveland, 3:10 p.m.
Toronto at Chicago White Sox, 5:10 p.m.
Minnesota at Seattle, 7:10 p.m.

National League
East Division
Philadelphia 24, 17, .585 —
Atlanta 21, 21, .500 3½
New York 20, 20, .500 3½
Washington 16, 25, .390 8
Miami 10, 30, .250 13½

Central Division
Chicago 25, 14, .641 —
Milwaukee 25, 19, .568 2½
St. Louis 23, 19, .548 3½
Pittsburgh 21, 18, .538 4
Cincinnati 18, 24, .429 8½

West Division
Los Angeles 28, 16, .636 —
Arizona 23, 20, .535 4½
San Diego 22, 20, .524 5
Colorado 20, 21, .488 6½
San Francisco 17, 24, .415 9½

All Times PDT
Monday's Games
Philadelphia 7, Milwaukee 4
Arizona 9, Pittsburgh 3
Tuesday's Games
Chicago Cubs 3, Cincinnati 1
Milwaukee 6, Philadelphia 1
N.Y. Mets 6, Washington 2
Colorado 5, Boston 4, 11 innings

Tampa Bay 4, Miami 0
St. Louis 14, Atlanta 3
Pittsburgh 6, Arizona 2
Toronto 7, San Francisco 3
L.A. Dodgers 6, San Diego 3
Wednesday's Games
Pittsburgh (Archer 1-2) at Arizona (Greinke 5-1), 12:40 p.m.
Toronto (TBD) at San Francisco (Anderson 0-0), 12:45 p.m.
Chicago Cubs (Darvish 2-3) at Cincinnati (Gray 0-4), 3:40 p.m.
Milwaukee (Gonzalez 1-0) at Philadelphia (Arrieta 4-3), 4:05 p.m.
N.Y. Mets (Font 1-0) at Washington (Corbin 3-1), 4:05 p.m.
Colorado (Marquez 4-2) at Boston (Rodriguez 4-2), 4:10 p.m.
Tampa Bay (Staneck 0-1) at Miami (Urena 1-5), 4:10 p.m.
St. Louis (Wacha 3-0) at Atlanta (Soroka 3-1), 4:20 p.m.
San Diego (Strahm 1-2) at L.A. Dodgers (Maeda 4-4), 7:10 p.m.

Thursday's Games
Milwaukee at Philadelphia, 10:05 a.m.
N.Y. Mets at Washington, 10:05 a.m.
Chicago Cubs at Cincinnati, 3:40 p.m.
St. Louis at Atlanta, 4:20 p.m.
Pittsburgh at San Diego, 7:10 p.m.

TRANSACTIONS

Tuesday

FOOTBALL
National Football League
CAROLINA PANTHERS — Claimed TE Temrick Hemingway off waivers from Denver.
DENVER BRONCOS — Placed OL Nico Falah on injured reserve. Signed LB Justin Hollins to a four-year contract.
HOUSTON TEXANS — Waived LB Dexter Wright. Signed RB Taiwan Jones.
INDIANAPOLIS COLTS — Signed DE Dadi Nicolas. Waived CB Jamal Peters with an injury settlement.
MINNESOTA VIKINGS — Signed OL Garrett Bradbury.
NEW YORK GIANTS — Signed OT Mike Remmers.
NEW YORK JETS — Claimed WR Xavier Ubosi and OT Calvin Anderson from the New England Patriots. Waived WR DeAngelo Yancey and OT Diegout Joseph.
TENNESSEE TITANS — Waived WR Devin Ross.

Blazers get blasted in Game 1

By Janie McCauley
The Associated Press

Stephen Curry made nine 3-pointers and scored 36 points, and the Golden State Warriors beat the Portland Trail Blazers 116-94 on Tuesday night in Game 1 of the Western Conference finals while playing without injured star Kevin Durant once again.

Curry shot 12 for 23 in his fourth 30-point performance this postseason, finding far more open looks than he had in the last round against Houston. The two-time NBA MVP outplayed the Portland duo of Damian Lillard and CJ McCollum, who combined to go 11 for 31 facing a strong Golden State defense.

Klay Thompson had 26 points, including a late one-handed slam. Draymond Green established the energy on both ends early for the well-rested Warriors and finished with 12 points, 10 rebounds, five assists, three blocks and two steals.

Lillard scored 19 points back home in Oakland, just miles away from where he grew up. McCollum had 17 and missed five of his six 3s as the cold-shooting Blazers went just 7 for 28 from long range.

Game 2 is Thursday night, and the Warriors are unlikely to have two-time reigning NBA Finals MVP Durant back from a strained right calf. An update on Durant's status is expected that day once he is re-examined.

Curry matched his postseason career high for 3s, also accomplished in Game 1

of last year's finals against Cleveland. He found his groove far earlier than in the Game 6 clincher at Houston on Friday night, when he scored all 33 of his points in the second half.

Little brother Seth struggled with three points for Portland, which shot 36.1% overall.

Lillard hit a game-winning 3-pointer with 6.3 seconds remaining in overtime Dec. 27 in his last regular-season game at Oracle Arena. He averaged 28.3 points and 6.5 assists in four regular-season games against Golden State this season.

He arrived for Game 1 in a custom Oakland Athletics baseball jersey having averaged 30 points in his nine previous playoff matchups against the Warriors.

Green has at least 10 rebounds in six straight playoff games, matching his postseason career-best streak of six also done last year.

The teams combined for 11 turnovers in the opening quarter.

Golden State began its fifth straight Western Conference finals, joining the Lakers as the only other team to do so.

The Warriors won their previous two postseason series with Portland, both over the past three seasons. They had a four-game sweep in the first round in 2017 during a remarkable 16-1 run to the title and a five-game Western Conference semifinal series the previous year.

"The Warriors were a special team that year that they swept us," Blazers coach Terry Stotts said. ■

Outlaws earn state playoff berth

Observer staff

The Enterprise Outlaws softball team used a power surge to secure a spot into the state playoffs, hitting three home runs in a 14-2 home win over Irrigon Tuesday in the opening game of the Special District 2 tournament.

"The girls played a flawless game with their backs against the wall, and I couldn't be prouder of them," head coach Gary Gasset said.

Liz Rowley hit two of the home runs, including a grand slam, and drove in six runs to lead Enterprise. Jessie Teeney also homered, had three RBIs and scored three runs. The Outlaws pounded out 14 hits, with Lexie Gasset collecting three to lead the team and five other players getting two hits.

Gasset also tossed a complete game, allowing two runs on five hits in five innings with five strikeouts for the win.

The Outlaws (12-9 overall) face Nyssa in the semifinal round of the tournament Friday in Vale, with

the winner meeting the regular-season league champion Vikings for the district tourney title.

UNION/COVE FALLS TO GRANT UNION

Deficits of six and eight runs and six errors were too much for the Union/Cove Ladycats softball team to overcome in an 11-7 loss to the Grant Union/Prairie City Prospectors in a non-league matchup Tuesday in Baker City.

The Prospectors scored the game's first six runs, and eventually opened up a 10-2 lead through four innings after Taylor Allen's two-run single. The Ladycats got back within 10-4 in the fifth on Kylie Marriott's RBI single when Kylie Bruce was hit by a pitch with the bases loaded.

Brianna Kohr, who had two hits, roped a two-run triple and scored on a passed ball in the sixth, but Union/Cove pulled no closer.

Kaylin Nowak, who also had two hits, had a two-run single in the third to get Union/Cove on the board after the Prospec-

tors built a 6-0 lead.

Callie Glenn had two hits and scored twice. In the pitcher's circle, the freshman gave up 11 runs on 13 hits in five innings with one walk, but six of the runs were unearned.

Union/Cove (16-6 overall) opens the state playoffs at home May 22 against an opponent yet to be determined.

BOBCATS SEE SEASON END WITH LOSS

The Union/Cove Bobcats baseball team saw its season end with a 16-6 road loss to Pilot Rock/Nixyaawii/Ukiah in Special District 7 play Tuesday.

D.J. Coon powered the offense with two hits, including a grand slam, and finished with four RBIs. Cole McLean also homered and drove in two runs, and Keegan Glenn went 2-for-3.

The Bobcats finished the season with a record of 6-11, doubling their win total from a year ago and winning more games than the previous three years combined. ■

SUTO

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kids with the dedication and work ethic that she has put in the last four years," he said. "I don't know when she decided she was going to be a golfer, but when she did her

focus has been to go to state every year and be in the top 10, top five."

The coach added, "It's been fun watching her for four years. I hope I've got another one out there somewhere (with the same dedication) who decides they want to be that same

kind of person."

St. Mary's Baylee Hammericksen, who edged Suto by five shots for the state title a year ago, repeated with a two-day score of 139, seven shots ahead of runner-up Yvonne Vinceri of Riverdale. ■

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