ON THE SLATE

Tuesday, Oct. 5

PREP VOLLEYBALL
Elgin at Powder Valley, 5 p.m.
Enterprise at Cove, 5 p.m.
Wallowa at Joseph, 5 p.m.
Pendleton at La Grande, 6 p.m.

PREP GIRLS SOCCER
La Grande at Ontario, 2 p.m.

Wednesday, Oct. 6

PREP BOYS SOCCER
Ontario at La Grande, 5 p.m.

Thursday, Oct. 7

PREP VOLLEYBALL
Stanfield at Union, 5 p.m.
Cove at Griswold, 5 p.m.

Friday, Oct. 8

COLLEGE VOLLEYBALL
Eastern Oregon at Corban, 7 p.m.

COLLEGE MEN'S SOCCER
Eastern Oregon at Rocky Mountain College, noon

COLLEGE WOMEN'S SOCCER
Eastern Oregon at Rocky Mountain College, 2:30 p.m.

PREP FOOTBALL
Wallowa at Crane, 1 p.m.
Lyle/Wishram/Klickitat at Imbler, 2 p.m.
Cove at Adrian, 6 p.m.
La Grande at Nyssa/Harper Charter, 6 p.m.
Powder Valley at Union, 7 p.m.
Elgin at Enterprise, 7 p.m.

PREP VOLLEYBALL
Imbler at Powder Valley, 4 p.m.
Cove at Adrian, 4:30 p.m.
Elgin at Enterprise, 5 p.m.

PREP CROSS-COUNTRY
La Grande, Baker/Powder Valley, Imbler, Union/Cove, Elgin at Tiger Invite, La Grande Country Club, 3 p.m.

Saturday, Oct. 9

COLLEGE FOOTBALL
Rocky Mountain College at Eastern Oregon, 1 p.m.

COLLEGE VOLLEYBALL
Eastern Oregon at Bushnell, 5 p.m.

COLLEGE MEN'S SOCCER
Eastern Oregon at Providence, noon

COLLEGE WOMEN'S SOCCER
Eastern Oregon at Providence, 2:30 p.m.

PREP FOOTBALL
Huntington at Joseph, 2 p.m.

PREP VOLLEYBALL
Powder Valley at Clash of Classification at Powder Valley High School, TBA
La Grande at Seaside Tournament, TBA
Heppner, Enterprise at Union, noon

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go out and get after it. I want to win when I'm out there."

Even in a loss, McIlmoil noted that the impact of having MacMillan back on the field was monumental for the Tigers.

"It was really important for our team to see him back," he said. "He's played great, considering everything he's been through."

MacMillan was back stronger than ever in his second game of the season against Burns on Oct. 1. After La Grande went down 12-0 early in the game, MacMillan was a major spark in a come-from-behind 35-20 victory. He scored two late rushing touchdowns from 27 yards and 20 yards out to give the Tigers a late advantage.

La Grande currently stands at 3-1 on the season and 3-0 in league competition with three league matches remaining before the postseason. Not only does MacMillan provide a huge mid-season spark for the Tigers, but the star player is just happy to be back playing football during his senior year.

"It's awesome," MacMillan said. "I love getting out there and playing football again. It's the best time of the year."

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of Idaho, completing 14 passes out of 37 attempts for just 180 yards and one interception. Against Southern Oregon he looked much more poised in the pocket, but the Eastern offense still was inefficient. Quinn passed for 233 yards and threw for two interceptions as Eastern struggled to run the ball.

Eastern's defense is allowing just over 21 points per game, but the team is only scoring roughly 16 points per contest. The defensive unit has kept the team within reach of victory over the last three games, but the offense has been unable to capitalize on turnovers and big stops.

Head coach Tim Camp emphasized that Eastern needs to get back in rhythm ahead of the matchup with Southern Oregon. After another inefficient output, next week's matchup with Rocky Mountain College will be a telling performance for the offense. It remains to be seen if the Mountaineers will make any adjustments to personnel or play calling on offense after two straight losses.

Stand out play extends volleyball team's winning streak

LA GRANDE — The Eastern Oregon University volleyball team kept its winning streak alive, behind strong performances from Sade Williams and Breanna Shaffer in a weekend sweep.

The Mountaineers defeated Evergreen State in a five-set thriller on Oct. 1, followed by a win over Northwest in four sets. Eastern won the match against Evergreen State 21-25, 25-9, 25-16, 20-25 and 15-6. The team came back on the following day to beat Northwest 25-17, 19-25, 25-17 and 25-13.

Eastern has won its last nine matches to improve to 15-4 on the year and 10-1 in conference play.

Sade Williams was crucial in the win over Evergreen State, scoring several key points in the fifth set tiebreaker. Down 2-0 in the final frame, Williams recorded an emphatic kill that got the crowd fired up, followed by an ace on the ensuing serve. This sparked a big run by the Mountaineers, followed by Williams recording three kills in Eastern's final five points. Off an assist from Hannah Ledgerwood, Williams earned a kill for the Mountaineers to take the final set 15-6 and win the match. She finished the match with 13 kills, three aces and one block.

Williams and Shaffer are two key components alongside a strong starting group for the Mountaineers. Eastern has dominated in conference play and continues to climb up the NAIA national rankings, with the team currently slated at No. 13.

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No. 1 and No. 2, the top ranked Badgers fell 38-0 to Adrian.

"Powder Valley did not show up for that game," Badgers head coach Josh Cobb said.

The big story coming into the game was Powder Valley's high-octane offense matching up with Adrian's brick wall of a defense. Unfortunately for the Badgers, defense prevailed as Powder Valley took its first loss of the year. Powder Valley came into the game averaging 48.5 points per game through a 4-0 start to the year, while Adrian outscored its opponents 170-8 coming into the matchup.

The typically dynamic trio of quarterback Reece Dixon, wide receiver Kaden Krieger and running back Clay Martin were completely stifled in the loss. The Badgers tallied only a handful of first downs throughout the game and early turnovers hurt momentum.

"We could not get around the edge. They had the outside contained really well," Cobb said. "They're a darn good football team."

Cobb said this game will be telling to see how the team responds for the rest of the season.

"They can learn from this or they can roll over," he said.

Morehead, McLaughlin step up for shorthanded Elgin

UNION — Elgin's three-headed rushing attack of Ty McLaughlin, Bruce Morehead and Joe Lathrop was missing a piece this week, as Lathrop was limited due to an injury suffered last week against Crane. With Morehead as the only running back in the backfield, the junior stepped up in a big way during a 48-24 win over Union on Thursday, Sept. 30.

Morehead broke loose for 212 yards and three touchdowns as Elgin's offense dominated the game in the second half. McLaughlin, the team's sophomore quarterback, also helped compensate for Lathrop's missing production, rushing for 271 yards and three touchdowns.

The duo of running backs typically split carries and work the opposite sides of the line, but Morehead was tasked with playing the role of the workhorse running back for the entire game. Lathrop played through the injury, but served primarily as a decoy wide receiver.

"It took us a while to get the offense up and rolling without Joe in the backfield, but the offensive line stepped up big," Elgin head coach Kirt McClure said.

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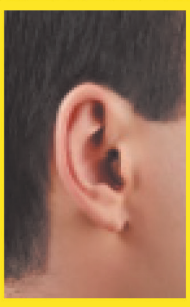

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