

STANDINGS

COLLEGE BASEBALL

Team	League	Overall
Lewis-Clark State	19-3	48-4
British Columbia	14-9	27-22
College of Idaho	14-10	29-25
Corban	10-12	23-22-1
Bushnell	9-14	11-36
Oregon Tech	9-15	30-25
Eastern Oregon	4-16	11-34

COLLEGE SOFTBALL

Team	League	Overall
Oregon Tech	25-5	43-10
Southern Oregon	14-6	46-10
Eastern Oregon	24-6	39-13
College of Idaho	22-8	37-13
British Columbia	17-13	20-18
Corban	12-18	19-33
Carroll	11-19	14-31
Bushnell	11-19	15-33

Northwest	11-19	16-32
Warner Pacific	4-26	6-36
Providence	4-26	6-34

PREP BASEBALL

Team	League	Overall
La Grande	10-0	21-1
Baker/Powder Valley	6-2	12-8
Ontario	1-7	1-16
McLoughlin	1-9	4-11

2A/1A Special District 7

Team	League	Overall
Dufur/South Wasco Co.	10-0	16-1
Weston-McEwen	10-0	12-1
Heppner/Lone	8-4	9-8
Sherman/Arlington/Condon/Wheeler	4-5	6-6
Grant Union/Prairie City	3-4	8-8
Union/Cove	3-6	3-6
Stanfield/Echo	3-8	5-11
Pilot Rock/Nixyaawii/Ukiah	2-7	5-1

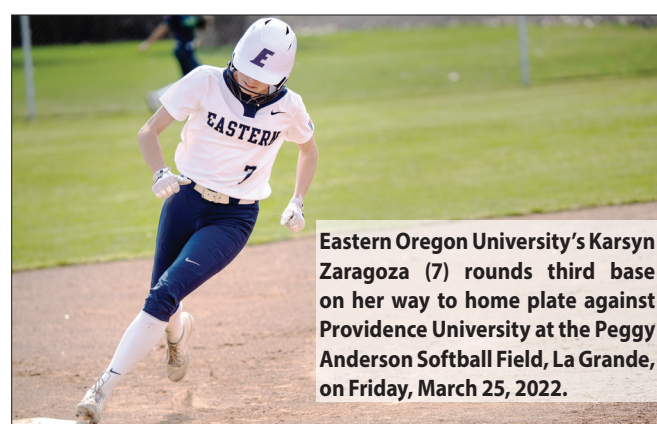
Adrian	0-0	3-0
Lyle/Wishram/Klickitat/Trout Lake	0-9	0-10

PREP SOFTBALL

Team	League	Overall
La Grande	7-1	11-5
Ontario	5-3	13-5
Baker/Powder Valley	2-6	8-8
McLoughlin	2-6	4-10

2A/1A Special District 6

Team	League	Overall
Grant Union/Prairie City	8-0	18-0
Union/Cove	6-4	12-5
Weston-McEwen	5-1	10-5
Pilot Rock/Nixyaawii	4-2	10-6
Echo/Stanfield	3-5	11-8
Heppner/Lone	2-6	3-15
Adrian	0-0	2-1
Elgin/Imbler	0-10	0-10
Lyle/Wishram/Klickitat	0-0	0-0



Eastern Oregon University's Karsyn Zaragoza (7) rounds third base on her way to home plate against Providence University at the Peggy Anderson Softball Field, La Grande, on Friday, March 25, 2022.

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SOFTBALL

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April 22. Eastern swept the first three conference games and lost the fourth matchup 9-6. The victories propelled the Mountaineers to a tie for first overall in the Cascade Collegiate Conference standings, but the team ultimately finished third amid a tight finish at the top of the rankings.

Heading into the team's

first-round matchup, Eastern boasts a 3-1 record against Corban on the year. The Mountaineers outscored the Warriors 18-13 across a four-game series.

Eastern is set to square off against Corban at 11:30 a.m. on May 6, with the winner advancing to play Southern Oregon later on the same day. The loser of the first-round matchup will have a chance at redemption in the double-elimination tournament.



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Solo Taylor (16) leads the troops during Eastern Oregon University football practice at Community Stadium in La Grande on Wednesday, Aug. 11, 2021.

FOOTBALL

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for the evening Blue and Gold football game. On the community engagement side of things, the Eastern wrestling team will host a cornhole tournament from 9 a.m. to 6 p.m. The tailgate zone and beer garden will be up and running from noon through 7 p.m. Eastern will host a silent auction benefitting the athletic department from noon to 5 p.m. And a family fun fest is set to take place from noon to 6 p.m.

The Blue and Gold game at 6 p.m. is the main event of the weekend.

"We want it to be a competitive game," Camp said of the scrimmage. "It's controlled, obviously, but there's a certain amount of things I want to see in the game."

For Camp and the football team, the spring game serves as an integral experience for newcomers and experienced players alike. Camp stated that the team will go through a standard game day routine, from morning walk-throughs to pregame rituals — the scrimmage will be primarily offense versus defense to simulate in-game action. The second half of the game will be more situational, running through special teams plays and other scenarios. Camp said the experience will go a long way particularly for freshmen and players looking to step up into

bigger roles this fall.

"Some of these kids haven't done that, so that's what I try to use the spring game for," he said. "It's good prep for Aug. 27 when Montana Tech is here."

Camp noted that the team currently has more than 90 athletes on the roster, with 27 students taking part in the upcoming recruiting class.

"Spring is a chance to see a bunch of different guys playing together and seeing who works together well," the coach said. "As a team, we're really working together right now. We're just making sure we get the correct looks and playing good football."

As for position battles, Camp said that every position is open.

"That's spring football, there's nobody really set in stone," he said. "We do have some performers who I think can shake up the Frontier Conference, but at the same time, they're going to go out there and fight for the job every day."

Camp emphasized the role that community engagement plays in the event, as the team's spring game has grown over his 15 years as head coach. The team has also recently been a part of Arbor Day tree planting, STEM kits for local schools and other community events.

"Getting out in the community is probably the most important thing these kids do," Camp said, "to be able to give back to Eastern Oregon University and the community."

ON THE SLATE

May 3 results

PREP BASEBALL

La Grande 10, McLoughlin 0
La Grande 12, McLoughlin 0
Weston-McEwen 13, Union/Cove 0

PREP SOFTBALL

La Grande 12, McLoughlin 0
La Grande 13, McLoughlin 1

Friday, May 6

COLLEGE SOFTBALL
Eastern Oregon vs. Corban, Klamath Falls, 11:30 a.m.

PREP BASEBALL
Umatilla at Joseph/Enterprise/Wallowa (2), 1 p.m.

PREP SOFTBALL
Pilot Rock/Nixyaawii at Elgin/Imbler (2), 2 p.m.
Umatilla at Joseph/Enterprise/Wallowa (2), 1 p.m.

PREP TRACK & FIELD
Cove, Elgin, Imbler, La Grande, Powder Valley, Union, Joseph at Baker Invitational, 10 a.m.
Enterprise at Grant Union Invitational, noon

Monday, May 9

PREP GIRLS GOLF

La Grande at 4A Special District 4 Championships, Pendleton

Tuesday, May 10

PREP BASEBALL

Stanfield/Echo at Union/Cove, 4 p.m.
Joseph/Enterprise/Wallowa at Weston-McEwen (2), 3 p.m.

PREP TENNIS

Four Rivers at La Grande, 3 p.m.

PREP BOYS GOLF

La Grande at 4A Special District 4, Payette, Idaho

Friday, May 13

PREP BASEBALL

Baker/Powder Valley at La Grande (2), 2 p.m.
Nyssa at Joseph/Enterprise/Wallowa (2), 1 p.m.

PREP SOFTBALL

Baker/Powder Valley at La Grande (2), 2 p.m.
Heppner/Lone at Union/Cove (2), 2 p.m.

Nyssa at Joseph/Enterprise/Wallowa (2), 1 p.m.

PREP TRACK & FIELD

Cove, Elgin, Imbler, Powder Valley, Joseph at 1A Special District 4, Baker High School, 1 p.m.

Union, Enterprise at 2A District 5 Championship, Weston-McEwen, 11 a.m.



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