

Sports notes

Results: The results of the Community College Fall Archery Tournament, Columbia Round, Oct. 30, are as follows:

Men's Compound-Sighted, first place LeRoy Dukes with 709 points and Cliff Conley with 704.

Women's Compound-Sighted, first place and only competitor was Linda Sanders with 692 points.

Men's Limited-Sighted, the winner was Steve Rethati with 641 points and second place going to Keith Gannon with 637.

Men's Compound-Unsighted, first place Robinson took first with 647, followed by Charlie Gannon with 505 and Bob Peppel with 488.

The winners of each class received a trophy and although only eight people were present, due to the weather conditions, it was considered to be a success.

Facilities open: Exercise and weight rooms at the College are and will continue to be open and free to the public every Thursday through Thursday nights from 6:30 p.m. to 10:30 p.m.

For that matter, all College facilities are open free to the public every day when there is a scheduled event. Lockers and showers are also available to the public and the facilities include up-to-date equipment for physical conditioning, said Paul Fiskum, community services director.

Coats and towels are also available to the public for a fee of \$4 per person.

Intramural-Five-Man basketball is scheduled to get going soon with the games on Tuesdays and Thursdays from 11 a.m. to 1 p.m.

However, there is a nine-man maximum squad (five-man minimum squad) and once the season has started there can be no new players added.

Sign-up has already begun with one team already completing their maximum squad number.

Importance of football at Clackamas: Head Coach Gary Gehrman and Defensive Coach Paul Fiskum brought up some interested points at the Athletic Study Committee meeting held Wednesday, Nov. 2 concerning the importance of football at Clackamas and what it meant to the people involved.

Both Gehrman and Fiskum said that without football they personally wouldn't be where they are today in coaching and with degrees.

Gehrman pointed out that Clackamas provides an opportunity to local athletes to make a choice, whereas if Clackamas football wasn't here the athlete would have to go somewhere else and in some cases it would be an added burden to both the athlete and the athlete's family.

"Taking away football at Clackamas would be denying the skilled athlete the chance to participate on his level and thus disrupt the athlete's total well-being," Gehrman said.

As to the importance to the people involved, Gehrman said that none of his assistants are earning a full salary and that one of his coaches is coaching gratis.

Britz makes Nationals

Kelly Britz qualified for the national cross country meet last Saturday at the Region 18 Championships in Eugene. Britz's time was 26:34 for fourth place. He could not, however, provide the points needed for the rest of the team to qualify as they placed third.

"The statistics show it. We let people beat us that shouldn't have," Coach Buck Monroe said. "Greg Mischel pulled it up and did a good job."

Mischel placed 22nd in team placement. Ken Wanvig and Akan Knoop took 15th and 16th. Don Brown and Rick Jones fell below expectations, however, placing 27th and 29th.

"Brown and Jones performances really hurt us," Monroe said. "The others would have done better if they would have run faster earlier but they were just too far off the pace."

"I look forward to Kelly running well at the nationals," Monroe said. "He'll be running on a flat course and he should just eat it up."

"I think he has an outside chance of beating Lane's Ken Martin," Monroe said. "I think he'll place in the top 20 there."

The national championships will be held this Saturday in Tucson, Arizona at Pima College.



Kelly Britz
... favored in nationals

Cougars battle Treasure Valley in home game

Treasure Valley won the first two contests in 1971 and 1972 by the scores of 42-6 and 19-13 before Clackamas won their first game in 1973, 26-14. The Cougars also won the next encounter on a disputed field goal in the closing seconds, 25-24.

Treasure Valley bounced back to win the next two games 34-20 in 1975 and 20-10 in 1976.

Last year's game was one of the biggest upsets of the series as second place Clackamas entered the game with a 5-4 mark, Treasure Valley was 2-7.

Treasure Valley won the game. The 14-hour bus ride severely hindered the Cougars' mental preparation and they were really never in the game.

"We were a much better ball club than they were last year, and we're going to make sure that this doesn't happen again this year," Fiskum said.

Treasure Valley's quarterback Jeff Kenney is fifth in the league in total offense with a 103 yard per-game average and is third in passing with a 7.6 completions per game.

They also have a strong running back in Tom Fuller, who is fourth in the league in all purpose rushing.

Clackamas' Brad Roberts is fourth in the league in passing with an average of 7.5 completions per game and is seventh in total offense with a 96.1 yard per-game average.

The Cougars are second in the league in

pass defense with a 101 yard per-game average and are second in interceptions with 14.

Stu Gausson, the Cougar's punt and kick-off return specialist, is third in the league in all-purpose rushing.

The Cougar players choose to ignore the facts and generally feel confident.

Tim Burnette, a 1975 graduate of Rex Putnam, feels that the Cougars "should win by two touchdowns."

"It's going to be a boring game because we are going to run right over them," said Rocky Schneider.

"The Cougars should win easily," said Marty Pinz, with Danielson agreeing. "We should win without any problems."

"We should win," said Fiskum. "However, it won't be that easy because Treasure Valley took probably the best team in the state, Columbia Basin, right down to the wire before losing 28-21."

"Their bad record is not indicative of what kind of a team they really are," said Fiskum. "We have no reason to be overconfident. People say we played a good game against Mt. Hood, but we should have won. It simply goes down as another loss."

"We do have one advantage and that is that it is their turn to make the 14-hour bus ride." The game is at Clackamas next Saturday at 1:30.

