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Netmen ready for state

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It was a busy and strenuous weekend, to say the least, for the CCC men's tennis team.

The netmen's weekend began Friday with a league match in Pendleton where the team was to take on Blue Mountain and later that evening play Treasure Valley in an exhibition match.

Against Blue Mt., the Cougs could only manage a 3-3 tie with the Cougs losing some tough matches at the lower positions. However, Dave Long and Dave Thomas continued to display outstanding tennis skills as both won in the singles competition as well as combining for a win at the number-one slot.

After competing in the Blue Mt. match, the team had to turn right around and play the ever-tough team from Treasure Valley. Unfortunately, the Cougs were unable to overcome the rather harsh situation

to upset T.V. and lost, 6-3.

Again Thomas and Long dominated their particular slots. Both won in singles as well as gaining the win at the number-one doubles bracket.

On Saturday, after arriving home from Pendleton somewhere in the neighborhood of 2:30 a.m., the Cougs played host to Umpqua and Linn-Benton. Even though the team had to be tired, they dropped both schools, 4-2, with Dan Alexander gaining his first league victory over Linn-Benton.

At first glance it may appear that Coach Rich Taylor is attempting to run his team into the ground with all the matches that the squad is playing, but if a closer view is taken, there is at least a bit of method to his madness.

Taylor, in an attempt to prepare his team for tournament play, has scheduled numerous matches to simulate

as close as possible, what the actual tournaments will be like. With the state and regional tournaments around the corner, stamina will be an extremely important ingredient if an individual is to win.

Of the upcoming tournaments, Coach Taylor said, "We should win the state match unless something goes wrong." Taylor added, "Blue Mt. is strong at three and four and if everything went the other way someone else could win. But we would have to really blow it in order for that to happen."

What it all boils down to is Clackamas against Treasure Valley in the regional tournament. And if seasonal records are at all representative, it looks as if T.V. should win the regional team title. Taylor tends to agree with this statement, but said that his team does have an outside chance at defeating T.V. Said Taylor, "It will really depend on how some of our lower people do."

At Mt. Hood relays

Tracksters meet match

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Placing no better than third in any event last Saturday at the Bill Wilde Memorial 11th annual Mt. Hood Relays, the College's women tracksters, pitted against local rivals Mt. Hood, Lane, Linn-Benton and Chemeketa, some Washington-based teams, and North Idaho College bowed out in their first non-scoring meet.

This Saturday's test, excluding one week of leg and technique work, could spell doom for the Cougs when they face Mt. Hood and Lane in Gresham at 1 p.m. Coach Marilyn Linsenmeyer's women are likely to pay a heavy price for depth problems this season, when they host the OCCAA show-down May 2 and 3.

Last Saturday, the Cougar competitor's combined strength as sprinters seemed to pose little threat to Lane and Mt. Hood Community College's sprint teams, as the Cougs outpaced Lane in only three events and Mt. Hood in two. The foursome of Dani Varner, Jodi Moore, Lisa Pierce, and Sue Hanneman outran Mt. Hood with a national qualifying time of 51.98 and placed fourth in the 400-meter relay. Lane

settled for fourth, though, in the 1600-meter relay as the combination of Hanneman, Pierce, Carolyn Raimondi and Beth Kokesh jaunted to third.

Joy Czoski put the shot 37'6," outdistancing Randi Reynolds of Lane, taking fifth, and twirled the discus for fourth in front of Helen Klopman of Lane. The Cougs' 800-meter relay team sped past Mt. Hood for third with a time of 1:50.58.

Ping-pongers drop opener

I bet most of you did not even know that we had a table tennis team here at Clackamas. But, if you have ever been strolling through Randall Hall and noticed the ping pong

tables then you know what I'm talking about.

Last weekend, the CCC table tennis team traveled to Eugene to tangle with the team from the University of Oregon and did not do too badly, losing a heartbreaker, 8-7.

The match consisted of six singles matches and three doubles contests. Each singles match consisted of two games with the doubles matches going one game.

The Cougar team lost twice at both number one and two singles as Bounthalangsy Sovannachoumham and Tim Titrud both lost two games. Tim Kelley split his games while the following three singles players all won two games: Tong Tang, Khiet Nguyen and Thoun.

In the doubles pairings the number one and two singles players teamed up to play at the number-one position, as did three and six as well as four and five. The first and third doubles teams managed wins to keep the Cougs close.

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Men's track

With no actual league matches scheduled, the CCC men's track team competed at the University of Portland in a sort of practice meet while also competing in the Mt. Hood relays this past weekend.

On a miserable day, Coach Buck Monroe took primarily his sprinters to the University of Portland to compete in the dual meet between U of O and Central Washington University.

Several individuals fared well. Bret Brouse won his heats in the 100-meters as well as the 200-meters. And although Brouse did not win his 800-meter heat, he turned in his best personal time, clocking a 1:57.

That evening, Coach Monroe took mainly field event people to the Mt. Hood relays.

As a team, the Cougs finished fourth overall but had several individuals who performed well. Jeff Forrell won the long jump with a mark of 22'2-1/4" as well as finishing third in the triple jump. Rich Ferguson finished first in the triple jump with a leap of 43'9". Ferguson also tied for third in the high jump.

The CCC tracksters will face their toughest dual meet of the season this week as they meet Mt. Hood and Lane this Saturday at Mt. Hood Community College.

Golf

For some reason, the CCC golf team has trouble winning on their own course but does well when visiting others. Such was the case last week as the team won a conference match in Albany at the Spring Hill Country Club, besting second-

place Chemeketa by three points, 310-313.

Dan Hixson continued to perform excellently, gaining medalist honors by shooting a one-over-par 73. Randy Reid fired a 77 while Bernie Pliska shot a 70 and Darren Slusher finished with an 81.

On Friday the Cougs were back at Arrowhead and ended up third out of three teams. Lower Columbia finished first with a 311. Again Dan Hixson took medalists honors, shooting a two-over-par 74. Bernie Pliska was second for the Cougar golfers with a 77.

Baseball

The CCC baseball team continues to have problems, dropping three out of four games last week.

Last Tuesday the Cougar nine faced Chemeketa and managed to split the double header, losing the first game, 7-6, before winning the second, 5-4.

In the second game against Chemeketa, Mark Law pitched a two hitter but was hurt by walks and allowed Chemeketa to score four runs. However, a Dave Case homer in the fifth and an RBI double by Steve Mills kept the Cougs on top for the win.

On Saturday, the Cougar nine tangled with Umpqua and ended up on the short end of an 11-0 score in the first game and dropped the night cap, 11-3.

The Cougs only managed three hits in the opener, on three singles. In the second game CCC came up with three runs in the first inning but remained scoreless through the rest of the contest while Chemeketa rattled the boards for 11 runs.



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