

Wrestlers place well at regionals; on to nationals

by Lyn Marie Thompson

Photo Editor
Clackamas Community College wrestlers took second place at the regionals in Colorado last weekend, and six of the ten who went qualified for the nationals to be held in Chicago Feb. 26-28.

The seven teams who competed in the regionals and their scores were: (1) North Idaho 118 1/2 pts. (2) Clackamas 78 1/2 pts. (3) Ricks 65 1/4 pts. (4) Highline 42 1/2 pts. (5) Col-

orado NW 31 pts. (6) Big Bend 8 3/4 pts. (7) SW Oregon 1/2 pts.

The ten wrestlers representing Clackamas in the regionals were: Doug Harper 118 lb., Kevin Campbell 126 lb., Kerry Doss 134 lb., Pat Utter 142 lb., William Taylor 150 lb., Tim Jordan 158 lb., Lazarro Ybarra 167 lb., Juan Ybarra 177 lb., Tim Jenk 190 lb., and Bill Springs Heavyweight.

"We have one of the most outstanding teams that we've

had in a long time," commented coach Norm Berney. He went on to say, "I think the team has a good comradeship. They're a good group of individuals. They're really coming together as a team. If they keep working hard, and improve from where they're at now, we could do real well at the nationals."

Doug Harper took first in the 118 class, beating an All-American from North Idaho in his final match of the regionals

12-2. Not only did Harper qualify for the nationals, but he was also voted "Outstanding Wrestler" of the regionals.

Also taking first place in his weight class of 150 was William Taylor. Placing second were Kevin Campbell 126 lb., Kerry Doss 1-4 lb., and Juan Ybarra 177 lb.

Tim Jordan took third in the 158 class, but made the nationals by way of wild card, in other words, he was voted to

go. Also taking third were Lazarro Ybarra 167lb. and Tim Jenk 190 lb. Pat Utter took fourth in the 142 class.

When asked about his feelings on how the regionals went and how the nationals will go, coach Berney replied, "This is the most points Clackamas has scored in regionals since about 1977. If we work hard, we could possibly put three of the six qualifiers in the national finals. We feel really good about it."

Experience leads Peterson

by Sherri Michaels

Reporting II class
"I like to learn and I assume everybody else does too," said Carol Peterson, the new Health and Physical Education Department Chairman.

Peterson, 49, started teaching in 1958 at Oak Ridge Jr. and Sr. High Schools after receiving her teaching degree from Oregon State University. From there she moved on to Clackamas High School and taught there for eight years. During her last two years there, she also worked part-time at Clackamas Community College teaching physical education and health.

She had "no decision" to make on her choice of career. "I just knew that was what I was going to do from grade school," said Peterson.

Her realm of teaching at the College has included First Aid, Games and Rhythms, classroom Driver's Ed. (of which she was the first to teach here). She is currently teaching Mental Health, and Alcohol and the Body, both of which are her favorites.

In addition to new responsibilities as Department Chair, Peterson has to spend slightly more time doing paperwork but "would never trade paper shuffling for teaching."

Peterson believes "education is important" and stresses this by being on the Wellness Team here at the College; giving outside



CAROL PETERSON- Head of Physical Education Department.

presentations and talks on health, humor and stress management to organizations such as U.S. Forest Service and Safeway. She aides others by providing "more opportunities to make better choices in life."

Everything that Peterson does follows her simple but true philosophy, "Everything we need to know about life we can learn in kindergarten." In other words, "If it ain't fun don't do it."

Cougars end season with win over Umpqua

by Christopher Curran

Sports Editor

On Feb. 14 the Cougars finished their regular season with a 68-66 win over Umpqua Community College.

The two point victory was the team's ninth straight. Their last loss was a 84-83 overtime defeat against Lane in Eugene.

Led by sophomore Pete Newlin's 22 points and six rebounds, the Cougars finished their season with records of 11-3 in league and a 22-4 mark overall.

Terry Newton scored 14 points, Russell Livingston 12, and Jeff Stein 10 for Clackamas, who led 30-28 at halftime.

Chris Paroine led the Timbermen with 18 points and 10 rebounds. Prince Watkins and Steve Hutchinson followed with 17 and 16 respectively for Umpqua, who shot just 45% from the field while Clackamas shot 59%.

Clackamas pounded Portland Community College 105-76 Feb. 11 in Randall Hall. Terry Newton

led all scores with 30 points and Pete Newlin followed with 23 points.

Guard Jeff Stein and center Joe Clarizio scored 11 each, Rick Flemmer eight, Todd Harris seven, and Tim Feilds came off the bench and hit six free throws in the final minutes of the game. Newton and Clarizio had six rebounds apiece and Newton and Stein dished out nine assists each.

Leading the way for Portland was sophomore Tim Simmitt with 21 points, John Thompson with 14 points, and Lake Oswego's Jeff Whipps, who scored 11 points including three from three point range.

Clackamas got out to an early 24-10 lead and from then on, the Panthers never got within 14 points. The score at halftime was 51-37 in favor of the Cougars.

The Cougars shot 61% from the field and 70% from the free throw line while the Panthers shot 39% from the field and 81% from the line.

Cougars make playoffs

Following their ninth straight victory against Umpqua Community College, the Clackamas Cougars will see post-season action. The team's first playoff game will be Saturday against a sub-tournament team.

Pete Newlin and Terry Newton will lead the Cougars as they host their opponent in Randall Hall Sat., Feb. 21 at 8p.m.

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