

Clackamas conquers Clark and Umpqua



photo by Vivian Johnson

This year's track team is continuing its winning ways with a combined men's and women's record of 13-0. The men have now won 42 straight while the women have won 26 straight.

By Greg Tully
Staff Writer

The Cougars dominated their meet against Umpqua and Clark last Saturday, allowing both teams to finish undefeated at 13-0.

Meanwhile, Clackamas' Mike Hieb had a big performance at the Mt. SAC relays in Walnut, California. Hieb won the Community College division in the javelin, with a throw of 215'11".

It's very prestigious for someone to even be invited to that competition," said Coach Mike Hodges. "Mike is one of the top athletes in the javelin in the U.S."

At the meet in Roseburg, Clackamas easily defeated second-place Clark 102.5-49 in the men's division and 68-39 in the women's.

"The facilities were a mess," Hodges said. "There was no women's long jump or triple jump for safety reasons and there was no starter's gun, so they had to use a real gun."

In spite of the conditions, Ryan Parshall won both the hammer throw and the discus. Parshall demolished the field with a throw of 143'10" in the hammer, beating the second-place finisher by over 37 feet. Mat Davis was fifth with a throw of 94'1".

Parshall won the discus with a throw of 131'5". Justin LaPointe was second with a season's-best 129'3" and Davis was fourth with a personal-record 117'1".

LaPointe also finished second in the shot put with a qualifying throw of 43'7".

Chuck David took top honors in the javelin with a throw of 171'6", while Mike Owings was third with a personal record of 165'11".

In the 5000, Randy Faddis won

with a personal record time of 16:03.6. Oscar Bauman was second in 16:26.0.

In the 1500, Gene Branderhorst won in 4:05.6, a personal record and a qualifying performance. Billy Borkus was second in a season-best 4:07.2. Nathan Matlock finished fourth in 4:14.5, followed by Jason West in 4:15.0.

"As a group, our distance runners were outstanding," Hodges said. "They weren't as affected by the conditions and I was real pleased with their efforts."

In the 800, Tim Marshall was second in a personal record time of 2:00.2.

Dean Jolley took first in the triple jump with a distance of 45'6", followed by Joey Bias at 40'7". Jolley also took second in the long jump, with a leap of 21'1.5".

Carey Platt took first in the 400m hurdles in 58.3, and second in the 100m hurdles in 16.3, while

Darwin Arnold was first in the 100m hurdles in 15.5.

In the 400, Juha Tuominen was second in 50.2, Scott Willhite third in 50.8 and Robert Adriance fourth in 53.6.

Tim Grady took the 200 in a season's-best 22.6, with Willhite second in 23.1 and Jason West finishing fourth in 23.5.

Grady also finished second in the 100 in 11.3 seconds, followed by Bias in the same time.

Sean Brandel won the high jump at 6'2" and Mike Brown was fourth at 5'10".

The Cougars' team of Grady, Jolley, Tuominen and Bias won in 43.9 seconds in the 400m relay.

The team of Boede, Adriance, Marshall and Arnold won the 1600m relay in 3:38.4.

On the women's side, Heidi Spillum won the 3000 in a qualifying time of 10:29.1, breaking her personal record by almost 40 seconds.

Ilene Penas won the shot put with a distance of 41'9.5", followed by LaChelle Pierce at 35'9.5".

Jill Warrington won the discus with a throw of 115'7", a season best and a qualifying performance. Penas was third (110'1"), and Pierce fourth (105').

Warrington also finished third in the javelin with a throw of 119'6", followed by Angie Kuehne at 116'7".

Kathy Muck was second in the high jump at 5', followed by Alicia Smith at 4'8", a personal record.

Smith also took the 100 in a

time of 12.9 seconds and finished second in the 200 in a qualifying time of 26.2. Both were personal records. She also was part of the two victorious relay teams.

"She really had a great day," Hodges said. "She couldn't take part in her normal event (long jump) and it was nice to see her fill in other places."

Roni Del Sol was second in the 1500 in a personal record time of 5:07.7.

Amy Hines and Deanna Arreola finished 2-3 in the 100m hurdles, in times of 16.7 and 18.4, respectively and 1-2 in the 400m hurdles in 1:09.3 and 1:12.3.

Sonia Schmuland was second in the 800, in a time of 2:35.2 and Del Sol was third in 2:38.3.

The team of Smith, Del Sol, Arreola and Hines won the 1600 relay, while Smith, Arreola, Hines and Spillum took the 400 relay in 53.3 seconds.

The meet meant that the men would finish undefeated for the third straight year, giving them 42 straight wins, while the women were undefeated for the first time since the late 70's. They have now won 26 straight.

The meet also gave Hodges 500 career wins. He now has a career record of 502-89 over 27 years.

The Clackamas Invitational is at 11 a.m. on Saturday. There should be 16 teams there, including all NWAACC teams, plus Western Oregon and Concordia.

Sports Column Greg Tully's Fearless Forecast

Alright, it's been waiting for a couple of weeks, but here it is—Greg Tully's fearless forecast for the 1992 baseball season:

AL East AL West

1. Toronto Texas
2. Boston Chicago
3. Milwaukee Seattle
4. N.Y. Yankees Oakland
5. Cleveland Kansas City
6. Baltimore Minnesota
7. Detroit California

NL East NL West

1. Chicago Cincinnati
2. Pittsburgh San Diego
3. St. Louis Atlanta
4. NY Mets San Francisco
5. Philadelphia Los Angeles
6. Montreal Houston

NL Cy Young: Jose Rijo, Cincinnati

AL Cy Young: Roger Clemens, Boston

NL MVP: Barry Larkin, Cincinnati

AL MVP: Frank Thomas, Chicago

NL Rookie of the Year: Lance Dickson, Chicago

AL Rookie of the Year: Jim Thome, Cleveland

Alright, the Dodgers have a lot of great players, but half of them will be on the DL soon.

The Mets poor fielding and in-fighting will keep them from competing.

I thought of picking Jim Abbott for the Cy Young, but there's just no consistently dominating force in all of pro sports than Clemens.

Pittsburgh can't decide whether to go for a title this year or to build for the future. As a result, they will do neither.

Oakland has one more year to go for the glory and my vote says they will come up short.

Cincinnati and Toronto have the most talent in baseball. Texas will win big with a lot of players you've never heard of and one you have (Nolan Ryan).

And the Cubs? This reporter says they will call up one of two young phenom pitchers (Dickson or Turk Wendell) to help them break the jinx and finally go to the World Series.

And how about this for an upset special? If the Legend can play, look for the Celtics to knock off Michael and the Bulls.

My prediction: Boston over Phoenix in six games in the finals and then McHale and Bird hang it up.

Softball

April 14						
Game 1						
Clackamas	203	210	2	10 15 2		
South Puget Sound	011	000	0	2 4 2		
WP-Holm, SB-Meck (3), Peck (1).						
Game 2						
Clackamas	000	300	0	3 13 0		
South Puget Sound	000	000	0	0 2 0		
WP-Hefflinger, SB-Stickel (2).						
April 18						
Menatchee Valley	150	021	0	9 13 3		
Clackamas	037	120	x	13 18 1		
WP-Seastron.						
Western Washington						
Clackamas	000	001	0	1 6 1		
Clackamas	000	081	x	9 13 0		
WP-Hefflinger.						
Clackamas						
Clackamas	100	000	00	1 7 2		
Yakima	100	000	01	2 7 1		
LP-Holm.						
April 19						
Spokane	040	200	000	6 10 3		
Clackamas	320	100	001	7 17 0		
WP-Holm.						
Clackamas						
	AVG	R	H	2B	3B	RBI
Corie Peck	.508	24	32	1	3	12
Jenny Topham	.500	11	17	0	1	11
Cindy Vance	.440	5	11	3	0	6
Julie Stickel	.375	6	18	0	1	8
ERA						
Jenny Hefflinger	1.05	4	0	30	29	8 8
Kim Holm	1.06	3	1	47	46	15 10
Dawn Seastron	1.30	3	0	27	13	9 7
(Stats as of 4/11)						

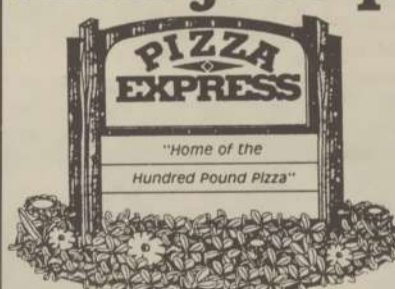
Baseball

NWAACC Baseball Statistics (as of 4/9/92—min. 25 ab)										
Pitching		AVG	BB	H	2B	3B	HR	BB	RBI	SO
Tim Enslley	380	40	8	15	6	2	1	9	0	0
Cody Nelson	350	40	9	14	5	0	4	11	1	0
Eric Nielson	340	41	13	14	2	1	0	6	7	0
Roger Spriggs	340	35	2	12	1	0	0	6	0	0
Mike Christman	270	33	4	9	1	0	0	5	0	0
Pitching		ERA	IP	L	IP	R	ER	H	BB	SO
J.R. Lesch	1.50	2-0	18	7	3	8	7	22		
Jon Bukowski	2.60	1-1	17	7	5	13	7	10		
Bill Beck	4.30	1-1	15	10	7	15	5	12		

Baseball

April 14-Doubleheader-										
Game 1										
Clackamas 9, Chemeketa 5										
	ab	r	h	bi						
Nielson	3	2	1	1						
Spriggs	1	0	0	0						
Enslley	5	2	2	1						
Nelson	4	2	2	0						
Christman	3	0	1	0						
Bukowski	4	0	0	1						
Simonis	4	1	0	0						
Bittner	4	1	0	0						
Robertson	0	1	0	0						
Nichols	4	0	1	2						
Totals	33	9	7	6						
Chemeketa	100	020	002	-5						
Clackamas	300	402	00X	-9						
	IP	H	R	ER	BB	SO				
Beck, W	7	8	3	2	2	5				
Grace, S	2	1	2	1	1	2				
Game 2										
Clackamas 4, Chemeketa 2										
	ab	r	h	bi						
Nelson	3	2	2	1						
Bukowski	3	0	1	0						
Enslley	3	1	1	3						
Nelson	2	0	0	0						
Christman	0	0	0	0						
Simonis	3	0	1	0						
Nichols	3	0	1	0						
Bittner	1	1	1	0						
Robertson	2	0	0	0						
Branlett	1	0	0	0						
Moore	1	0	0	0						
Grace	0	0	0	0						
Totals	22	4	7	4						
Chemeketa	000	020	0XX	-2						
Clackamas	200	200	XXX	-4						
	IP	H	R	ER	BB	SO				
Avery, W	7	4	2	2	6	6				

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