

Cougar Sidelines

Wrestling

Clackamas will host its 14th annual Takedown Tournament on Nov. 1.

The tournament is open to all competitors. There will be a elementary, high school, and open divisions.

Matches will consist of three one-minute rounds with a 30-second rest between each round. Elementary matches will be three 30-second rounds.

The tournament will be double elimination with the elementary level divided by age, weight, and grade.

Registration and weigh-ins run 8-10 a.m. in Randall Hall Gymnasium. Wrestling commences at 11:30 a.m. for elementary and at noon for juniors and open-level competitors. All wrestlers must register by 10 a.m.

Entry fee is \$6 per person.

For more information call Jim Jackson, athletic director at 657-6958 ext. 2295.

Halloween Run

Clackamas Community College is hosting a Halloween 8K Trail Run and 2 mile Fun Run/Walk on Sunday, Oct. 26.

The events will be held on campus to take advantage of the quiet and scenic surrounding roadways and trails. Complete course directions will be available during the check-in located in lower Randall Hall.

All runners must check in outside the Health, PE & Community Recreation Office [R-14] by 11:15 a.m.

First and second place awards in each 8K division will be presented immediately after the race results are compiled. Divisions with fewer than four entries may be combined.

Fun Run/Walk participants will be eligible for "bewitching" door prizes.

The entry fee is \$7 or \$12 with a commemorative T-shirt.

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Clackamas hits the road after exhausting win over Chemeketa

JOHN THORBURN
Sports Editor

The Clackamas volleyball team is maturing quickly.

With nine freshman on this season's team, new goals had to be set and player roles needed to be redefined. After winning last year's championship and looking at a large number of new faces coming to this fall's squad, opponents around the league looked at Head Coach Kathie Woods' Cougars as a struggling team in 1997.

Over the weekend, Clackamas [6-0, 23-5] traveled to Walla Walla, Washington to participate in the Walla Walla Crossover Tournament. The tournament marked the halfway point of the season with seven league games remaining.

On Saturday, the Cougars capped a perfect weekend with a commanding win over Walla Walla Community College 15-4, 15-6. Clackamas held opponents to an average score of 5.92 as they went 12-0 in game totals for the tournament and 6-0 in matches.

Freshman Amy Kraljev continued her dominance of the league with 40 kills, 27 digs and 12 blocks for the weekend.

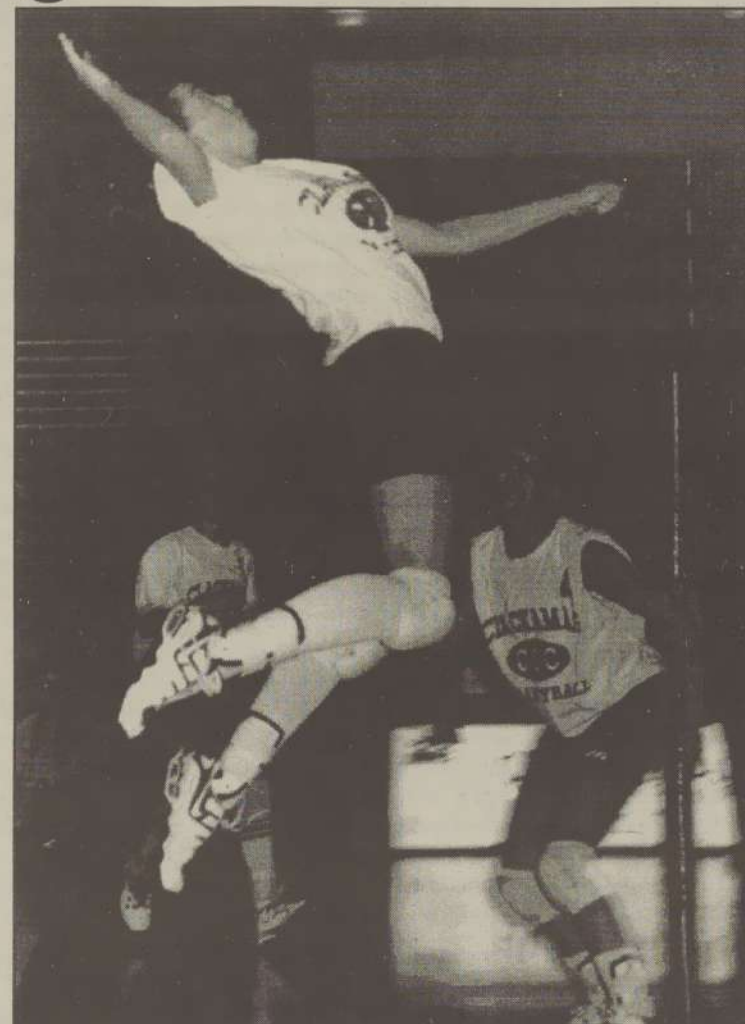
"We wanted to go to Walla Walla and just come home with an overwhelmingly strong showing," said Coach Woods. "And that's exactly what we did. It was a reminder of who we are."

Last Wednesday, the Chemeketa Chiefs were reminded of who the Cougars were as they met Clackamas in a Southern Division showdown. Chemeketa, favored to win this year's Northwest Athletic Association of Community Colleges [NWAACC] along with Clackamas and Mt. Hood Community College came into the match with a perfect 22-0 overall record [5-0 league].

The Cougars put their 22-game league win streak on the line against the disciplined Chiefs and needed a strong performance from everyone to topple the favored team from Salem.

"We had a well-balanced attack against Chemeketa," said Coach Woods. "That's exactly what we needed against them because they're such a disciplined defensive team that we had rallies that just lasted forever."

In the opening game against the



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Freshman Amy Kraljev pounded the ball against the rival Chemeketa Chiefs last Wednesday in route to the Cougars' 23rd consecutive league victory.

Chiefs, Clackamas took an easy 15-5 victory and things looked good for the young Cougars. In the second game, however, Chemeketa responded with a strong effort but still lost 15-12.

In the third and deciding game, the Chiefs showed their strength by pushing Clackamas in a see-saw battle that lasted close to an hour. The Cougars won their 23rd straight league game with a nailbiting 22-20 victory.

"I think we won that game because we stayed steady," said Woods, "and we fought hard and we kept focused on what we were set out to do. We weren't worried about them catching up or anything we just worried about getting the ball up and getting up to the right spot."

Freshman Christy Ekberg finished with 17 kills and 22 digs while Sophomore Amy Felando had 38 assists and 15 digs and Mattye Walsworth recorded 27 digs.

"Now we're halfway through our league," said Coach Woods, "and we're undefeated, we're 6-0 and we are the only team that can say that

right now. So we're definitely in a high right now and we're playing really well. We want to use that as a confidence builder, we're not overconfident because we know that on any given day any team can beat us. Being at the top every team is going to be out to get us so they're going to be playing their best games against us so we need to make sure that are continuing to play our best games and play better and better. We can't afford to let up at all."

Clackamas played four out of their first six league games this season at home so the Cougars will be on the road facing their competition in the second half of the season.

Clackamas will face both Mt. Hood and Chemeketa in their respective gyms in upcoming weeks.

"It's a long road to the championship," said Coach Woods.

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Kathie Woods
Coach

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1997 FALL SPORTS CALENDAR



Cross Country

10/18 OPEN

10/25 Southern Region Championships @ Chemeketa

11/1 OPEN

11/8 NWAACC Championships

Volleyball

10/17 Umpqua @ Roseburg

10/18 SWOCC @ Coos Bay

10/22 Linn-Benton

10/24-25 Halloween Classic @ Gresham

