

# Pioneer basketballers, wrestlers go searching for league victories

The Sandy High School winter sports teams will try to get back on the winning road this weekend.

The basketball team after beating Molalla 44 to 38 last week fell to Estacada Tuesday night 43 to 40. Meanwhile the wrestlers fell to both Molalla and Estacada this past week.

The basketball team will meet Forest Grove here on Friday night and then travel to Silverton for a game on Tuesday night.

The wrestlers are entered in a tournament at Forest Grove this weekend and will host Silverton here on Tuesday night.

The wrestlers will also be at home on Jan. 20 for their last home meet of the season against Sweet Home.

In the win over Molalla, coach Jim Kitchen said he felt his team was finally starting to play the ball he felt they should

be playing every game.

"But after the loss to Estacada we have to start all over again," said Kitchen.

The coach credited the defensive play of his team for their win over Molalla. Top scorers for Sandy were Rick Zimmerman and Pat Sutton with 12 points each.

The Pioneers took the lead in the first quarter 11 to 6 and led at every quarter break after that in posting the win.

While in the Estacada game, the Pioneers never led, although they did earn a tie midway through the third period.

Kitchen said terrible shooting and too many turnovers killed any hopes of victory in the Pioneers first home game of the season.

The coach pointed to Zimmerman's 2 for 11 and Dean Dickenson's 3 for 13 shooting from the field as keys to

reasons why the Pioneers offense was stopped.

Overall the team shot a terrible 29 per cent from the field and only made 4 of 17 freethrow tosses.

Kitchen also stated that early foul problems on his big men hurt the effort of the team on the boards.

Getting points for Sandy in the two games were: Zimmerman 18, Perkins 14, Sutton 18, Dickenson 14, Leary 7, Petersen 4, Turin 2, Nippert 3.

Wrestling coach Ron Calhoun said his young team has been coming close but falling short in the last three matches.

The Pioneers opened with three straight dual match wins and now have dropped their last three matches.

They lost to Molalla 31 to 25 and to Estacada 35 to 16 last week. Both matches were close down to the finish.

Winners for Sandy in the

Molalla match were Gene Delay, Pat Dyal, Mark Sherman, Jerry Stratton and Doug Harding.

Winners in the Estacada match were Delay, Dyal, Sherman and Harding.

Dyal is now 10-0 for the season while Sherman and Harding are both 9-1 in matches.

Coach Calhoun is especially pleased with the performances of Sherman who is just a sophomore.

The team received some bad news at the Molalla match when Greg Jordan suffered a separated shoulder and is out for the season.

## Buses hit

Gresham police reports show that the School Bus Service lot was entered Jan. 10. Seven keys, a first aid kit and 12 fire extinguishers were taken. The loss was set at \$170.



A SANDY player does the splits as he attempts a shot. Players from both Estacada and Sandy prepare to battle for the rebound. The Sandy 8th graders won this game 45

to 36 while the 7th graders took a 46 to 28 win. One Estacada player seems to be trying to balance on the out-of-bounds line.

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## Sandy Grade teams win b-ball games

Balanced team scoring, rugged rebounding, and a tough full-court press gave the Sandy eighth grade basketball team a 45 to 36 victory over Estacada on Jan. 7.

Bill Anderson pulled down 18 rebounds, 11 in the first half to help Sandy to a 23 to 21 halftime lead. Scoring leader was Mark Peterson with 11, but Ron

Lamm, Bill Anderson, Doug Nealeigh, and Larry Dahike followed closely.

Next game for Sandy is Jan. 14 at home against Molalla.

The seventh grade won their game from Estacada 46 to 28 as Brad Paluck poured in 24 points. Next game for the seventh graders is Jan. 18 at North Marian.

## Ski racers busy over weekend

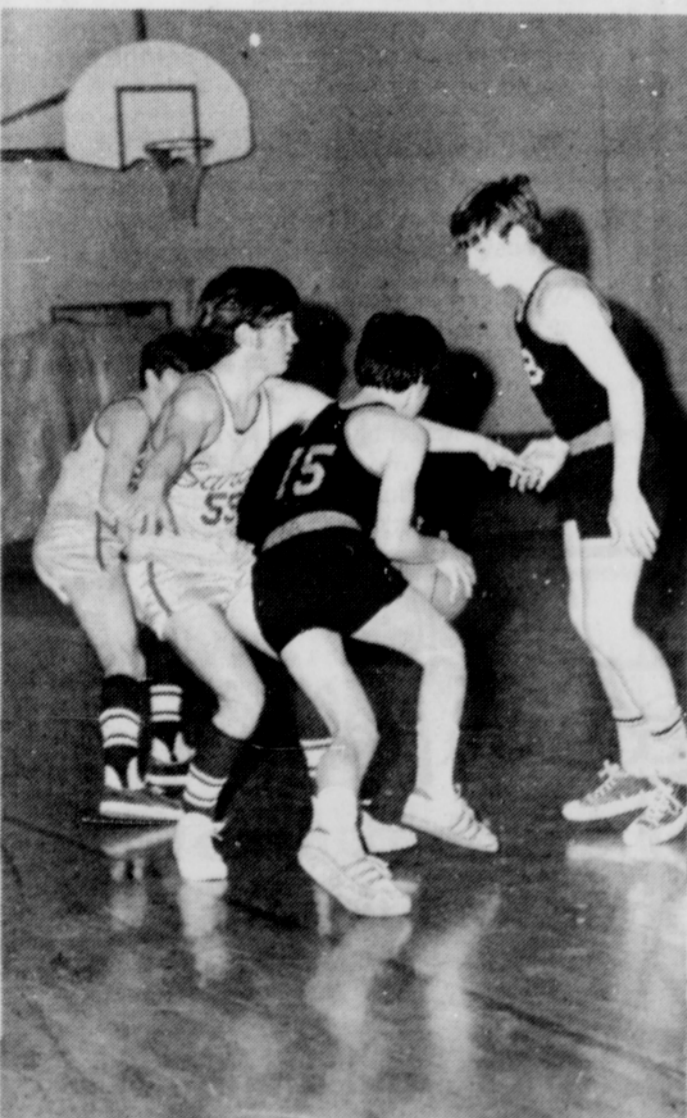
**MEADOWS TEAM SCORES**

**MT. HOOD MEADOWS:** The Meadows race team made a successful foray to the Shakespeare Cup at Mt. Ashland over the weekend with Ron Taylor, 17-year-old Portland team member winning the junior expert boys' race.

Thirteen-year-old Patty Kent was second in the giant slalom and slalom in the junior novice field—moving to the intermediate field after this, her first race. Mathew Zevely, Vancouver, Wash., racing in his first try, finished second in the junior novice boys' field after 160 racers had worn down the course. Eloise Carson of Portland was second in the girls' expert field, while Teresa Ward, White Salmon, Wash., won the junior intermediate girls' trophy.

**WEATHER HAVEN**

**COOPER SPUR:** It's an old, but growing more familiar story, according to Cooper Spur vice president Bob Lee. When last weekend's Southwestern blizzard struck most of Mt. Hood over the weekend, it spared the Spur. Apparently the 11,235-foot bulk of Mt. Hood shunts the storms on around the area. "The sun shone most of Saturday with a light snowfall that turned into a heavy fall in the afternoon," said Lee. Last Saturday, a ski touring aficionado missed his wax in rapidly changing temperatures here. With the sticky skis, he first fell trying to get up the T-bar to start his tour. When the skis finally started moving, he had to run all the way up the line, to keep ahead of the Tee.



SANDY GRADE School basketball players last week picked up a win over Estacada at the 8th grade level and at the 7th grade level. Here the Sandy eighth graders, in the white, apply their full court press.

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A SANDY player moves for a layup over the outstretched hands of an Estacada defender. Action came during the recent

win by Sandy 8th graders over the visitors from Estacada grade school.

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## Blue Marlin team swims to victory

The Blue Marlin swim team will have their next meet of the season on Jan. 15 at Longview. The team last weekend beat a team from Salem 266 to 180 in a meet held here.

Getting first place wins for the Sandy team were Pam Polivka, Erica Neuenfeldt, John Martin, Nancy Marsh,

Gary Roth, Steve Lindsey, J. Duff, Bob Anderson, Jo Cyphers, Carl Neuenfeldt, Lori Anderson, Jeanne Duff, Joni Duff, and five relay teams took first places.

Several of the above swimmers took several first place wins in this meet.

In a meet held on Sunday at

Parkrose only a few Sandy swimmers competed. Getting first places for Sandy were Jeanne Duff, Chris Roth, Jo Cyphers and Carl Neuenfeldt. Also a girls relay team took 1st in their event.



AN ESTACADA seventh grader takes a seat and watches a teammate try to stop the shot of a Sandy Grade School Player. The Sandy team won 46 to 28.

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# Bowling News ...

## Mt. Hooders 1-6-72

	W	L
Williams Thriftway	6	0
Cedar Plaza	4	2
Pioneer Real Estate	4	2
Oregon Tri Svgs	3	3
Jennie Welch's Atqs	3	3
Deas In & Out	2	4
Ethel's Bty Salon	2	4
Sandy Fnrri Hmc	0	6

High Ind. Game and Series: Cedar Plaza & Pioneer R.E. 913; Cedar Plaza 2628.

High Team game and Series: Irene Blount 214; Terri McManus 539.

## Early Birds 1-18-72

	W	L
Sandy Lbr	3	1
Hide-a-way Crms	3	1
Lewis Hrdwr	3	1
Zig Zag Inn	2	2
Ted's Tckle Shp	2	2
TJ's	1	3
Swails Plbg	1	3
Pioneer Motel	1	3

High Ind. Game and Series: Betty Chesnut 189 and 504.

High Team game and Series: Hide-a-way Ceramics 668; Sandy Lumber 1923.

## Sandy Men's 1-6-71

	W	L
Smith Mtrs	44	20
Sandy Rexall	43	21
Cedar Plaza	37 1/2	26 1/2
Swails Plbg	37	27
Clackamas Cty Bk	34	30
Meier Dairy	27 1/2	36 1/2
McKinnon Entr.	25	39
Thriftway	8	56

High Ind. Game and Series: Gene Madison 230; Chuck Ruegg 604.

High Team game and Series: Swails Plumbing 1026; Clackamas County Bank 2936. 1st half league winner.

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