

Overtime loss makes Hood 0-2

Hood ski meet rescheduled

Peninsula became the second team in two nights to snare its first ever win over Mt. Hood Community College in basketball play Saturday by collecting a 57-55 overtime decision.

Olympic pulled off the same feat Friday and the Olympic-Peninsula axis sat at 2-0 each after scuttling Clark last weekend as well.

Surprisingly enough, defending Coastal Division champion Mt. Hood now sits 0-2 in the division ranks.

"I'm not really bent out of shape," said Saint coach Herb Booth about his team's lower-than-usual status. "I am disappointed but I would have really felt bad if we were beat badly. As it stands, with our 11-

3 record, we've been beaten in each loss by 11, 6 and 1 seconds."

The point spread in those losses has been six points, two each time.

"I can't really feel that bad about those," added Booth. "Against Peninsula it was a bit of freshmanitis, partly in our guards. With hard work we'll come back."

Hagbo is still coming back from his kidney injury.

A matter of opponents looking to beat the reigning team, Booth said both Olympic and Peninsula were "sky-high for us." Peninsula got a 27-26 halftime edge but the Saints knotted it up at regulation, 50-50, with Keith Rice's desperation 30-foot swisher.

But the tired Saints faded in the extra period, as Rick Davis hit a three-point play in the final seconds.

Todd Cross led the Hood effort across the board with 4-9 field shooting, seven rebounds, eight assists and four steals. Rice had 18 points, Persels 12.

The Mt. Hood Community College Holiday Ski Classic, originally scheduled for last weekend, was postponed until this Friday, Saturday and Sunday because of lack of snow.

The ski meet, bringing together such teams as Feather River (Calif.) CC, Oregon State, Oregon, Eastern Oregon, Southern Oregon, Lewis & Clark, Central Oregon CC and Portland State, will be held at Multnomah, which just opened for the season Saturday.

"There was more snow there than we thought," said Mt. Hood ski coach Chuck Dalich, "but it will still take some time to get the meet set up." Preparation started last Friday.

Wedding stories should be submitted within one month of the ceremony.

Olympic squeaks past MH, 62-60

Though quick to notice its dilemma, the Mt. Hood Community College basketball team's comeback bid at the end fell short as host Olympic CC of Bremerton, Wash., pulled off a 62-60 squeaker Friday night in the NWAACC Coastal Division opener.

The Saints continued their Washington road trip Saturday at Peninsula CC of Port Angeles, played past press deadline, and will be in Aberdeen next Wednesday for a 7:30 p.m. bout with Grays Harbor.

The loss snipped Mt. Hood's 10-game winning string, dropped the Saints to a 11-2 overall mark and put the defending division champions in a hole at 0-1 in the division race.

After throwing a full court press at the Rangers in the waning minutes of the game, Artie Harrison cashed in a field goal with 20 seconds left to knot the encounter at 60-60. Calling a

time out with eight seconds to go, Olympic formulated strategy and came out ready to gun in the winning basket.

The initial shot went astray, but the Saints missed two opportunities come away with the rebound. The loose ball fell into the hands of Olympic's Brian Miller who popped in a 10-footer with a second left to decide the game.

"It was a real tough game as far as aggressive play goes," said Hood coach Herb Booth. "Olympic played a good game and was ready for us."

The Saints had held a 33-31 halftime advantage but fell cold early in the second half. Olympic took over and led by as much as eight before a Hood press and a key three-point play by Keith Rice brought the Saints close once again.

Rice took game honors with 20 points and 14 rebounds while both teams shot poorly from the field, Hood 22-72 (.306) and Olympic 27-67 (.403).

Master's swim meet slated

An AAU Master's Invitational will be held Saturday and Sunday at the Sandy swimming pool.

The two-day affair will open with one event Saturday, the 165-yard freestyle. Sunday events will start at 9 a.m.

The meet will feature participants from age group 20-24 and up.

Fred Springer of Gresham (45-49 age group) and Alice Zabudsky of Boring (30-34 age group) are local entrants. Both have national rankings. Another nationally rated swimmer who is a possible entrant is Dawn Musselman of Seattle (60-64 age group).

Gobbler hunt registration set

The Fish and Wildlife Department is accepting applications for the controlled spring turkey gobbler which begins in late April.

The application deadline is 5 p.m., Feb. 9. Details concerning this season and instructions are listed on page 5 of the 1976 upland bird and waterfowl synopsis available from license agents.

The hour's top news story is what the radio announcer picks up first.—Grit.



KRIS PATTERSON tells David Flaskerud that she will take an in-between size. Flaskerud teaches in the Sandy Elementary School District and Kris works at the Sandy Senior Center. The Ski Swap is slated for Wednesday, Jan. 19, in the Community School trailer. (Post photo)

Ski swap scheduled

Next Wednesday is the date set for the Sandy Community School sponsored ski swap.

The public is invited to come buy, sell or trade equipment during the sale slated in the Community School trailer near the Sandy Elementary School administration office. The swap will begin at 7 p.m.

A flea market with toys and games will also be featured during the evening. People are invited to bring toys and games to the Community School to sell or trade.

Those wishing to reserve a space at the sale may call the Community School at 668-5744.

BOWLING

Early Birds
Jan. 10, 1977

Sandy Arco	8	0
Running	5	3
Action Auto	5	3
Zig Zag Inn	3	5
Hide A Way	3	5
Sandy Lumber	1	7
Sandy Truck line	postponed	
Coast-to-Coast	postponed	
High Individual Game and Series, Barb Johnson, 193 and 535.		
High Team Game, Sandy Arco 748, High Team Series, ZigZag Inn, 2041.		

Sandy Men's
Jan. 6, 1977

Clackamas Co. Bank	4	0
Cedar Plaza	4	0
Sandy Auto Body	3	1
Sandy Rexall	3	1
Sharon's Pantry	1	3
Sheppard & Kubitz	1	3
The Mafia	0	4
Smith Motors	0	4
High Individual Game, Warren Decker, 226. High Individual series, Glenn Bennett, 585.		
High Team Games and Series, Sandy Rexall, 999 and 2916.		

Mt. Hooders
Jan. 6, 1977

Pioneer Real Estate	2 1/2	1/2
Sandy Funeral Home	2	1
Sheppard & Kubitz	2	1
Oregon Trail Savings	2	1
Sandy Travel Service	1	2
T.J.'s	1	2
Williams Thriftway	1	2
Jenne Welch Anti.	1/2	2 1/2
High Individual game and series, Grace Lamb, 254 and 637.		
High Team game and series, Pioneer Real Estate, 977 and 2668.		

Hood women slate basketball opener

The season of promise opens Thursday for the tallest women's basketball team ever at Mt. Hood Community College.

The opponent is arch-rival Clark College, a team the Saints have never beaten, and game time is 5:30 p.m.

Of course, it is noted, the Saint volleyballers had never topped Clark before this season and four of those players will be starters for Hood.

Marion Anacker at 5-10 is the likely starting center, flanked by 5-9 Diane Harmon and 5-7 Mary Delany (Gresham High). Playmaking 5-2 guard Linda Chase (Gresham High) and 5-4

Donna Yamashita (Barlow) round out the five.

Other players who will see action are 5-10 Diane Jones, 5-10 Tracy Castro, 5-5 Shawn Goodway (Parkrose) and 5-5 Kathy Pahlke.

"We have more height and have installed a new offense," said Saint coach Dorian Harris. "The team is aggressive and will fast break. We'll look for the good inside shot and will be a much better rebounding team."

The last major outbreak of bubonic plague, in Siberia in 1910, took 60,000 lives.

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Saint wrestlers stop Green River

Out of three tries, Mt. Hood Community College's wrestling team came out on the short end of the stick twice Saturday but protected an unblemished league record.

The Saint grapplers snared a 22-20 win over Green River for the second victory in as many tries in conference dual meet action on the Hood mats. After that, though, the Saints were felled by Clackamas 26-13 and Umpqua 23-19, dropping their overall record to 2-2.

League action picks up Friday with a 7:30 p.m. meet at Grays Harbor in Aberdeen, Wash. On Saturday, the Saint matmen will be the nightcap for a special tripleheader: the Portland Wheelblazers will pit a wheelchair basketball game at 4 p.m., the Hood basketballers will battle at 7 p.m. and the Saint wrestlers will take on Centralia at 9 p.m., all in the Hood gymnasium.

The Saint wrestlers were scheduled to meet the University of Oregon JV team Wednesday night, results not available at press deadline.

"It gives us a good start in conference," said coach Gary Head of the Green River contest. "We feel pretty good about it since we won the featured matches."

After a big draw by Steve Moses at 142, Mike Ward and Mark Tuttle collected wins at 150 and 158 which turned around the string of points to the Saint side. Green River won the first three matches but was blanked until defending league heavyweight champion Brad Stohr nailed down Dave Bartkowski in 2:54.

Head said the Clackamas meet was closer than the score indicates. He shuffled his lineup and got a 4-2 Steve Bragg win at 177 over Kim Roehl and a 2-2 Tuttle draw at 167 on Wayne Snoderly, though Head said he thought "Mark outwrestled him."

MT. HOOD 22, GREEN RIVER 20
118—Jeff Phelan (GR) dec. Dan Dire, 10-6
126—Nick Capato (GR) pinned Norm Shadlow, 4:05
134—Tony Butinovich (GR) dec. Kelly Wilson, 7-2
142—Steve Moses (MH) drew with Matt McCleary, 6-6
150—Mike Ward (MH) dec. Pat Smith, 6-5
158—Mark Tuttle (MH) dec. Dennis Underwood, 3-1
167—Pat Stivers (MH) dec. Floyd Steiger, 7-1
177—Cliff Gambrel (MH) dec. Paul Impson, 17-2
190—Steve Bragg (MH) won by forfeit
HWT—Brad Stohr (GR) pinned Dave Bartkowski, 2:54

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