

Scappoose runs away with league opener, 47-13

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For the Astoria Fishermen, it was just one of those nights. Whatever could go wrong, did go wrong.

And the Scappoose football team — or more specifically, Owen Parson — was there to take advantage.

A close ball game at halftime (Scappoose 14, Astoria 7) turned into a second half blowout, as the Indians overcame multiple penalties (nine for 67 yards) to score a 47-13 win over the Fishermen.

The Cowapa League football opener was played in front of a packed house at CMH Field, where the Indians were making their first-ever appearance in the long rivalry.

But it was Parson who will remember this one a little more fondly than the rest of us. And walked away with two CMH Field records that will likely stand for a long, long time — longest interception return and longest fumble return for touchdowns.

Listed on the roster as a quarterback/cornerback, the 6-foot-1, 180-pound senior scored three touchdowns, covering a combined 254 yards.

Officially, Parson touched the ball just three times, and scored each time.

With Astoria driving for a possible game-tying touchdown midway through the first half, Parson intercepted a pass in the end zone and returned it 103 yards for his first score.

The Fishermen still managed to close to within seven points at halftime, when Fridtjof Fremstad — on a fourth-and-22 play — found Kyle Strange over the top for a 36-yard touchdown.

The Indians pushed the lead back to 20-7 when quarterback Robert Lohman hit teammate Michael Gift down the center of the field for a 77-yard touchdown play.

Astoria came right back with a 14-play drive that reached the Scappoose 1-yard line, where the Indians forced a fumble on a fourth down play, and — you know who — scooped the ball up and sprinted 99 yards the other way for a touchdown.

Parson would add a third touchdown late in the fourth quarter, breaking tackles and running 52 yards for a score on his first offensive touch of the game.

The Fishermen scored on the game's final play from scrimmage, a 6-yard pass from Trey Hageman to Tyler Ranta.

Lohman was 19-of-23 passing for 234 yards and three touchdowns.



Astoria's Ryker Helmersen, No. 8, makes a leaping catch while defended by Scappoose's Christian Olsin, No. 2, during their football game Friday. See more photos from Friday's games at www.dailystorian.com



ABOVE: Astoria's Carter Wallace, No. 21, runs through tackles during the football game against Scappoose Friday at Columbia Memorial Hospital Field.

LEFT: Astoria's Fridtjof Fremstad, No. 14, fumbles the ball in the third quarter of the football game against Scappoose.

Gulls run wild in win over Valiants

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SEASIDE — Seaside had a successful Homecoming Friday night at Broadway Field. Alex Barker made sure of that.

The Gulls' senior running back rushed for 324 yards and four touchdowns to help Seaside to an easy 49-26 win over Valley Catholic, in a Cowapa League opener.

Seaside had three scoring plays of 50 or more yards, beginning with Otto Hoekstre's 75-yard pass to Jaxson Smith in the first quarter.

Barker scored his first touchdown, a 77-yard run late in the first half, helping Seaside to a 26-7 halftime lead.

Barker had TD runs of 59 and 36 yards in the third period.

Seaside had 21 first downs and 554 yards in total offense. The Gulls (3-1 overall) play at Tillamook (1-3) Friday.

Warrenton 20, Nestucca 0

CLOVERDALE — The Warrenton Warriors posted another shutout win over the Nestucca Bobcats Friday, 20-0, in nonleague football action in Cloverdale.

Justice Watson rushed 19 times for two touchdowns and 242 yards, the ninth-best single-game rushing total in school history. Senior David Foster recovered three fumbles, a school record; and Gavon McFadden intercepted three passes to tie a school record for a single game, the last time being Thomas McFadden in 2010.

Warrenton opened the scoring on a 1-yard pass from Preston Miller to Hunter Wilson for a 7-0 halftime lead.

Watson ran for 154 of his yards in the second half, which included a 72-yard run to start the fourth quarter.

The Warriors — who defeated Nestucca 33-0 last year — held the Bobcats to 72 yards total offense.

Knappa 34, Waldport 14

WALDPORT — Knappa scored its first victory of the season Friday night at Waldport, a 34-14 nonleague win over the Irish.

Andrew Goozee "ran the ball really well, our line did a great job of blocking, and defensively we tightened things up," said Knappa coach Barendse. "Our kids just responded really well. We still have some injuries, and you never know how your kids will get off the bus and play after a long road trip."

Knappa is still without quarterback Dale Takalo, with Mason Hoover running the offense in his place.



Seaside's Alex Barker turns the corner and heads up field for another gain in Friday's win over Valley Catholic.

"Mason Hoover completed a few first down passes to multiple receivers and completed a few other passes that kept our drives alive," Barendse said. "He threw the ball well. Our line stepped it up as well on both sides of the ball."

In the first half, Goozee had 139 yards on just 13 carries, with two touchdowns for a 14-7 halftime lead.

And he didn't slow down in the second half, rushing for 176 yards on 15 attempts, with three more touchdowns.

For the game, Goozee ran for 315 yards and five touchdowns.

The Loggers now gear up for their annual Clatsop Clash with Warrenton. The Warriors defeated Knappa 6-0 last season at Warrenton.

Ilwaco 60, Chief Leschi 20

PUYALLUP, Wash. — Ilwaco racked up 352 yards rushing in a 60-20 win over winless Chief Leschi Friday night in Puyallup, Wash.

Jack Kaino led the Fishermen with 237 yards on just 11 carries (over 21 yards per carry), with two touchdowns in

the Pacific 2B League win.

Riki Thompson caught a 49-yard TD toss from Jack Odneal, and James Schenk returned an interception 50 yards for a score.

Naselle 42, Oakville 12

OAKVILLE, Wash. — Naselle built a 28-0 lead in the first quarter, and the Comets cruised to another easy win Saturday, 42-12 at Oakville.

Naselle's Hayden Gundmundsen rushed for 94 yards and three touchdowns on five carries, and Jacob Scrabeck ran six times for 72 yards.

Volleyball

Eagles def. Warriors

WARRENTON — Catlin Gabel remained unbeaten in league play with a three-game sweep at Warrenton Saturday afternoon, 25-15, 25-8, 25-14.

Libby Biel had nine kills and Landree Miethe added three blocks for the Warriors, who slip to 1-4 in league.

The Eagles improve to 6-0 in league. Warrenton hosts De La Salle Tuesday.

SCOREBOARD

FOOTBALL		Third Quarter	
Scappoose 47, Astoria 13	Scappoose 7 7 1221-47	Sea: Barker 59 run (Whitney Westerholm kick)	VC: Hyland 51 pass from Welsh (Rapp kick)
Astoria 0 7 0 6-13	First Quarter	Sea: Barker 36 run (kick failed)	VC: 10 pass from Welsh (kick failed)
Sca: Robert Lohman 12 run (Eleanor Jones kick) 9:56	Second Quarter	VC: 10 pass from Welsh (kick failed)	VC: 10 pass from Welsh (kick failed)
Sca: Owen Parson 103 interception return (Jones kick) 11:40	Third Quarter	Sea: Smith 1 run (Taylor Barnes kick)	Sea FG 29
As: Kyle Strange 36 pass from Fridtjof Fremstad (Carter Wallace kick) 1:37	Fourth Quarter	Valley Catholic Leaders	Rushing: Eckrosh 11-92. Passing: Welsh 13-23-156-1. Receiving: Hyland 4-74, Rapp 4-44.
Third Quarter	Sea FG 29	Seaside Statistics	Rushing: Barker 24-324, Smith 4-23, Hoekstre 4-23, Teubner 3-3, Ward 3-3. Passing: Hoekstre 6-8-164-0, Smith 0-1-0-0. Receiving: Marston 3-62, Smith 2-81, Barker 1-21.
Sca: Michael Gift 77 pass from R.Lohman (kick failed) 9:45	Fourth Quarter	Warrenton 20, Nestucca 0	Warrenton 7 0 6 7-20
Sca: Parson 99 fumble return (pass failed) 1:40	Team Statistics	Nestucca 0 0 0 0-0	War: Hunter Wilson 1 pass from Preston Miller (David Foster kick)
Fourth Quarter	SCA AST	War: Justice Watson 15 run (kick failed)	War: Watson 72 run (Foster kick)
Sca: Mason Reardon 8 pass from R.Lohman (Jones kick) 9:54	First Downs	Warrenton Statistics	Rushing: Watson 19-242, Bighill 2-10, McFadden 1(-)-5, Miller 9(-)-51. Passing: Miller 9-15-93-1. Receiving: McFadden 4-40, Wilson 3-33, Little 1-17, Watson 1-7.
Sca: Reardon 15 pass from R.Lohman (Jones kick) 7:37	Total Offense	Nestucca Leaders	Rushing: Zeller 5-26. Passing: Elder 3-12-28-3. Receiving: McColly 2-28.
Sca: Parson 52 run (Jones kick) 3:17	Rushes-yards	Ilwaco 60, Chief Leschi 20	Ilwaco 14 12 2014-46
As: Tyler Ranta 6 pass from Trey Hageman (no attempt) :00	Passing	Chief Leschi 6 0 1420-23	CL: Kahea Baker 90 interception return (run failed)
Team Statistics	Comp-Att-Int	Ilw: Alec Bell 4 run (run failed)	Ilw: Bell 4 pass from Jack Odneal (Odneal run)
SCA AST	19-23-1	Ilw: Kaino 56 run (pass failed)	Ilw: Riki Thompson 49 pass from Odneal (kick failed)
15 18	Fumbles-lost	Ilw: Brandon McMullen 3 run (Jorge Galvan kick)	CL: Ja'Alam Love 7 pass from Sean Allen (Rhett Chee run)
367 276	1-1 4-3	Ilw: Kaino 30 run (kick failed)	Ilw: James Schenk 50 interception return (Galvan Kick)
22-133 48-142	2 5	Ilw: Brandon Duke 1 run (Galvan kick)	Ilw: McMullen 31 run (Galvan kick)
234 134	Sacked-yards	Ilwaco Statistics	Rushing: Kaino 11-237, Bell 9-55, McMullen 4-40, Duke 6-22, Schenk 2-5, Odneal 1-1. Passing: Odneal 6-11-98-0. Receiving: Thompson 4-47, Bell 2-23.
19-23-1 14-24-2	1-2 3-15		
Fumbles-lost	Penalties-yards		
1-1 4-3	9-67 5-30		
Turnovers	Scappoose Statistics		
2 5	Rushing: Parson 1-52, Clark 9-38, R.Lohman 6-31, White 6-12.		
3-15	Passing: R.Lohman 19-23-234-1. Receiving: McNabb 6-38, Gift 5-112, Reardon 5-56, Erhardt 1-14, Nelson 1-8, Clark 1-6.		
9-67 5-30	Astoria Statistics		
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First Quarter	Second Quarter		
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Sea: Alex Hyland 16 pass from Aidan Welse (Chris Rapp kick)	Sea: Hoekstre 1 run (conversion failed)		
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