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BASEBALL

Astoria defeats Tillamook, 6-1

Astoria's Trey Hageman and Ebin Hillard both hit home runs, and Dylan Rush pitched a complete game for the Fishermen, in a 6-1 victory Tuesday over Tillamook at CMH Field.

Hageman had three of Astoria's eight hits and drove in three runs, while Rush gave up eight hits with eight strikeouts and a walk on the mound.

Tied 1-1 going into the bottom of the fifth, the Fishermen scored five runs to pull away for the win. Astoria (4-1) remains one game behind Banks (5-0) in league play.

The struggling Cheesemakers fall to 1-4 in league, and will host Astoria for a single game Thursday.

Warrenton slips past Royals, 9-6

WARRENTON — The Warrenton Warriors tuned up for a big doubleheader Wednesday with a 9-6 win over Portland Christian, in Lewis & Clark League baseball action at Huddleston Field.

In a back-and-forth contest, Warrenton held a 4-0 lead after one inning, before the Royals rallied and took a 6-5 lead in the top of the fourth.

The Warriors answered with a run in the bottom of the fourth, then scored three in the sixth to secure the win.

Warrenton had 10 hits, while four Warrior pitchers (Devin Jackson, Austin Little Gabe Breitmeyer and Dalton Knight) gave up 11 hits, with seven strikeouts and two walks. Warrenton committed four errors, having not played outside much in the last week.

The win sets up a big twinbill at home Wednesday against Rainier.

"We had not played since the eighth (of April), so I guess I don't feel too bad about how we performed, having been off for nine days," said Warrenton coach Lennie Wolfe. "The frustrating thing with the rainouts, was that we didn't want to burn arms (with two doubleheaders over the next three days), and we burned one arm today, so Breitmeyer won't be available. But we did what we had to do on the hill.

"Devin was fantastic, and we really got after it offensively in the sixth inning," he said. "It was fun. We really played some 'old' Warrenton baseball, hitting and running the bases aggressively."

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GOLF

Seaside defeats defending state champ

The Daily Astorian

GEARHART — In a match between two teams that have won the last 14 Cowapa League championships and three of the past four state titles in 4A boys golf, Seaside once again has the upper hand on Scappoose.

Rapidly rising up the list of state title favorites, the Gulls knocked off the defending state champions in a league dual match Monday afternoon at Gearhart Golf Links.

Several career-low scores helped Seaside card a 334 team score to 345 for Scappoose, in the final dual match between the two teams. The Indians will make the jump to the 5A level next year.

"It was another great match in the long history of this friendly rivalry," said Seaside coach Jim Poetsch, whose team has won nine league titles to five for Scappoose.

The Indians' Chase Elliott came in with an 80, which earned him medalist honors. It also gave Scappoose an eight-



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Hayden Vandehey of Banks slides safely into home plate, under the tag of Seaside catcher Alex Teubner.

Banks outlasts Seaside

The Daily Astorian

SEASIDE — It took eight innings and three different sports, but the Banks Braves finally got a win in Seaside.

Earlier this school year, the Braves brought top-ranked teams to the coast in football and boys basketball, only to come up short to the Gulls in both sports.

The third sport was the charm for Banks, which scored five runs in the top of the eighth inning for an 8-3 victory over Seaside, in a Cowapa League baseball game Tuesday at Broadway Field.

Still, it was nearly another heart-breaking defeat for the Braves.

Leading 3-1, Banks pitcher Hayden Vandehey took a no-hitter into the fifth inning, when Seaside's Payton Westerholm reached on an error with one out.

Duncan Thompson broke up the no-hitter with an infield single, and Isaias Jantes drew a walk to load the bases.

Seaside's player of the game was definitely Astor Landwehr.

The senior had driven in the Gulls' first run in the first inning with a sacrifice fly.

And he drove in the tying runs in the bottom of the fifth. Following the walk to Jantes, Landwehr singled to left to score Westerholm and Thompson to knot the game at 3-3.

Landwehr came up big again in the top of the sixth. With two outs and a Banks runner at second, Blake Gobel's fly ball to shallow right was caught by a diving Landwehr to end the inning.

The Gulls had a golden opportunity to end it in the bottom of the seventh,

loading the bases with two outs, before Thomas Cook struck out the final batter to end the inning.

The Braves took advantage of their new life in the top of the eighth.

Vandehey led off with a single, Tyler Lilly reached on a bunt and Blaine Herb walked to load the bases with no outs.

And that's when the floodgates opened. Vandehey scored on a wild pitch, pinch-hitter Dalton Renne drove in Lilly, an infield single by Hayden Gobel brought in Herb, and a bases-loaded walk forced in another run.

The Braves tacked on one more for good measure, and Cook retired the side in order in the bottom of the eighth for the victory.

Vandehey had three hits and drove in two runs for Banks, while Seaside stranded nine base runners.

Pelicans beat the Blazers to go up 2-0

By ANNE M. PETERSON
Associated Press

PORTLAND — Removed from the turbulence that marked his previous seasons in New Orleans, Jrue Holiday is in a good place — and it shows.

Holiday had a career playoff-high 33 points as the Pelicans took a 2-0 lead in their first-round playoff series against the Portland Trail Blazers with a 111-102 victory on Tuesday night. The series shifts to New Orleans on Thursday.

Holiday struggled at times with injuries after coming to the Pelicans in 2013. Then in early 2016 he took a leave of absence when doctors discovered that his wife, former U.S. national soccer team player Lauren Holiday, had a brain tumor while she was pregnant with the couple's first child.

"He's been through some tough times, the first year he's injured, he's on minute restrictions through the

greater part of the season, and then everybody's familiar with the situation with his wife and what they had to go through there," coach Alvin Gentry said. "Everybody's healthy and in a good place now so I think mentally he's in a good place."

Holiday played Tuesday night with emotion he did not often show earlier in his career. He agreed that it felt a weight has been lifted.

"My family's the most important thing to me, and with them being OK I can come back to the team freely and be able to help them out now," Holiday said. "It's been fun. I feel like my teammates and the organization definitely helped me out coming back from things with my family, and even the injuries, with being able to play and being able to perform at the peak I'm performing."

Holiday also had nine assists for the Pelicans, while Rajon Rondo came close to his 11th postseason triple-double with had 16 points, 10 rebounds and nine assists.

NBA PLAYOFFS: RND 1

No. 6 seed

NEW ORLEANS PELICANS

(48-34)

No. 3 seed

PORTLAND TRAIL BLAZERS

(49-33)

Game 3: New Orleans leads 2-0

Thursday, 6 p.m.

At New Orleans,
Smoothie King Center

TV: NBATV

SCOREBOARD

PREP SPORTS SCHEDULE

TODAY
Baseball — Rainier at Warrenton (2), 3:30 p.m.
Softball — Seaside at Tillamook, TBA; Rainier at Warrenton (2), 3:30 p.m.; Knappa at Vernonia (2), 3 p.m.
Track — Astoria/Seaside at Tillamook, 3:30 p.m.
Boys golf — Banks Invitational, Noon

THURSDAY
Baseball — Astoria at Tillamook, 5 p.m.; Seaside at Banks, 5 p.m.
Softball — Tillamook at Astoria, 5 p.m.; Banks at Seaside, 5 p.m.; Warrenton at Portland Adventist (2), 3:30 p.m.
Track — NWL meet, Knappa, 3:30 p.m.
Boys golf — Astoria at Tillamook, 1 p.m.

BASEBALL

Banks 8, Seaside 3
Banks 200 010 05—8 9 2
Seaside 100 020 00—3 2 1
 Vandehey, Cook (7) and Herb; Westerholm, Thompson (8) and Teubner. W: Cook. L: Thompson. RBI: Ban, Vandehey 2, Herb, Renne, H.Gobel, Partain, Bunn; Sea, Landwehr 3. 2B: Ban, H.Gobel. HBP: Ban, Herb; Sea, Westerholm, Blanchard. LOB: Banks 7, Seaside 9.

Astoria 6, Tillamook 1
Tillamook 000 100 0—1 8 0
Astoria 010 500 x—6 8 0
 Harmon, Richardson (4); Rush and Hillard. W: Rush. L: Harmon. RBI: Til, Brown; Ast, Hageman 3, Hillard, Kolee, Rush. HR: Ast, Hageman, Hillard. HBP: Ast, Hillard. LOB: Tillamook 6, Astoria 7.

Warrenton 9, Portland Chr. 6
Portland C. 013 200 0—6 11 4
Warrenton 410 103 x—9 10 6
 Dailey, Osborne (3), Marshall (6) and Siegel; Jackson, Little (2), Breitmeyer (3), Knight (7) and Morrow. W: Breitmeyer. L: Osborne. RBI: PC, Chinchilla, Dailey, Mihalak, Osborne; War, Breitmeyer 2, Morrow 2, Little, Kapua. 2B: PC, Chinchilla; War, Breitmeyer. HBP: PC, Mihalak. LOB: Portland Christian 10, Warrenton 5.

SOFTBALL

Astoria 15, Tillamook 1
Astoria 0(10)2 03—15 20 0
Tillamook 001 00—1 6 4
 W: Julia Norris (6 Ks, 1 walk). L: Lili Vogel (0 Ks, 1 walk). RBI: Ast, Hankwitz 3, Barendse 2, Norris 2, Ranta, Lyngstad, Both, O'Brien, Helligso, Pritchard, Helmersen; Til, Knutsen. 2B: Ast, Barendse, Ranta, Hankwitz; Til, Nelson. LOB: Astoria 7, Tillamook 5.

Warrenton 11, Portland Chr. 1
Portland C. 100 00—1 1 3
Warrenton 261 2x—11 7 0
 W: Niqui Blodgett (12 Ks, 4 walks). L: Olivia Stumetz (2 Ks, 7 walks). RBI: PC, Antonov; War, Duncan 2, Kadera 2, Baker, Bussert, Mossman, Ramsey. HBP: War, Blodgett, McFadden, Ramsey, Thomas. LOB: Portland Christian 4, Warrenton 9.

Knappa 14, Neah-Kah-Nie 3
Knappa 554 00—14 7 3
Neah-Kah-Nie 020 10—3 2 4
 W: Madelynn Weaver (3 Ks, 3 walks). L: Hannah Grider (0 Ks, 6 walks). RBI: Kna, Carlson 4, Hendrickson 2, Rethati 2, Patterson; NKN, Ramirez 2. 2B: Kna, Carlson. HBP: Kna Patterson 2. LOB: Knappa 8, Neah-Kah-Nie 5. DP: Neah-Kah-Nie.

BOYS GOLF

Seaside 334, Scappoose 345 at Gearhart Golf Links
Seaside (334)
 Jackson Kunde, 40-43—83
 Mason Shamion, 43-40—83
 Samson Sibony, 41-43—84
 Curtis Kunde, 41-43—84
 Connor Merrell, 46-42—88
Scappoose (345)
 Chase Elliott, 42-38—80
 Jake Gray, 45-42—87
 Jack Eggers, 41-48—89
 Jaden Holmanson, 46-43—89
 Lucas Elliott, 46-46—92