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Cottage Grove teams sweep Astoria

WARRENTON — After two wins to open the season, the Astoria boys soccer team lost its second straight game Saturday, as Cottage Grove scored a 2-1 win over the Fishermen at Volunteer Field.

Meanwhile, at Cottage Grove, the Lady Lions blanked Astoria 3-0 in a nonleague girls soccer match Saturday.

Catlin blanks Seaside boys

PORTLAND — The Seaside boys soccer team played one final tune-up before league play begins, as the Gulls traveled to Portland to face Catlin Gabel, the No. 1-ranked 3A team.

And the Eagles scored the win, 2-0, dropping Seaside to 3-3 overall.

The Gulls will look to rebound Thursday, when they host Astoria for the Cowapa League opener at Broadway Field.

Astoria vs. Seaside girls soccer action begins at 5:45 p.m., followed by the boys' game.

NW Stars basketball clinic is Oct. 7

The one-day Northwest Stars Coast Clinic basketball camp will take place Oct. 7 at Astoria High School.

Cost is \$40 for session 1 (for boys and girls in grades 5-8), which runs from 9-11:30 a.m.; \$45 for session 2 (boys and girls in grades 9-12), from 1-4 p.m.

The coaching staff will give instruction on attack moves, footwork, finishing, shooting and decision-making.

Players can save \$10 if they register by Sept. 20.

For more information, contact Mike Jacobson at 503-440-8965 or Angie Sun at 503-914-8118.

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SCOREBOARD

PREP SPORTS SCHEDULE

TODAY

Volleyball — Astoria at Seaside, 6:30 p.m.; Faith Bible at Knappa, 6:30 p.m.; Jewell at Crosshill Christian, 6 p.m.

Boys soccer — Astoria at Scappoose, 4:15 p.m.

WEDNESDAY

Volleyball — Valley Catholic at Seaside, 7 p.m.; Warrenton at Rainier, 6 p.m.



Naselle quarterback Cole Dorman escapes pressure from a Rainier Christian defender, in a lopsided 72-12 victory two weeks ago. Dorman led the Comets to another easy victory Saturday at Tacoma Baptist.

Naselle defeats Tacoma Baptist

By AARON MEAD
For The Daily Astorian

TACOMA, Wash. — The Comets' superior passing game and an explosive performance by Fa'aoso Tutu'u led to a lopsided road win over a talented Tacoma Baptist team, as Naselle beat the Crusaders 56-20 at Curtis High School in Tacoma on Saturday night.

Tutu'u recovered a Crusader fumble deep in Comets' territory and returned an interception 80 yards for a touchdown, helping the Comets to a 24-6 halftime.

His 62-yard touchdown run on the opening drive of the second half turned it into a blowout, and he

added a 31-yard score in the closing minutes.

Tutu'u finished with 129 yards rushing on eight carries, despite having a 77-yard first-half run called back on holding.

"He's just a freak athlete," fellow running back Antonio Nolan said of Tutu'u. "He's fast, he has vision and cutting ability."

Naselle quarterback Cole Dorman added touchdowns on a 40-yard run and a 22-yard deep ball to Ethan Lindstrom.

Timing in the Comet passing game was precise. Dorman, a senior, has been throwing to most of his receivers for three or four years.

"Every time Cole has time, he

finds someone," Nolan said. "We (receivers and running backs) are good at running routes. We practice it a lot, the timing of it."

"I consider him the most accurate passer I've had," longtime coach Jeff Eaton said.

Lindstrom set up the Comets' first touchdown with a 24-yard catch-and-run, using a nifty move to elude his defender. For their second touchdown, the Comets turned to a trick play. Dorman connected on a short pass to Jacob Eaton in the middle of the field. Eaton drew tacklers and lateraled to Nolan, who took off for the 39-yard score.

The Comets (2-1) host Darrington in a league opener Friday at 6 p.m.

Astoria advances to title match in Dallas tournament

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DALLAS — The Astoria volleyball won three straight matches and seven games in a row in the championship bracket of the Dallas Tournament, held Saturday in Dallas.

Hosted by the Dallas Dragons — who are coached by Astoria graduate Kayce Lilley — the Lady Fishermen finished pool play and advanced all the way to the title match against No. 4-ranked Philomath.

Before they faced the Warriors, the Fishermen scored two-game sweeps over Jefferson (25-17, 25-19), Central (25-20, 25-21) and Blanchet Catholic (25-22, 25-22).

In the championship match, Philomath managed to rally from a one-game deficit to defeat Astoria, 23-25, 25-12, 15-8.

In other Saturday tournament action, Warrenton finished with a two-game win (25-18, 25-11) over Waldport in the Vernonia tournament.

Vogelbach's slam in 8th powers Seattle over Houston 4-1

By KRISTIE RIEKEN
Associated Press

HOUSTON — When Houston's Jake Marisnick made a highlight-reel catch on a ball hit by Robinson Cano for the second out of the eighth inning Monday night, Seattle manager Scott Servais started to think it just might not be his team's night.

Turns out he just had to wait a little bit longer.

Rookie pinch-hitter Daniel Vogelbach hit his first career grand slam two batters later, lifting the Mariners over the Houston Astros 4-1 on Monday night.

The Mariners trailed 1-0 when Nelson Cruz singled off Hector Rondon (2-5) with no outs in the eighth, and Kyle Seager singled with one out.

Cano then hit a ball into shallow center field that looked like it would drop, but Marisnick, who also made a nice grab for the inning's first out, sprinted before diving and extending his arm to make the catch.

Rondon walked pinch-hit-



AP Photo/David J. Phillip
Seattle Mariners' Daniel Vogelbach hits a grand slam as Houston Astros catcher Martin Maldonado watches during Monday's game in Houston.

ter Denard Span to load bases before Vogelbach sent a 97-mph fastball into the bullpen in right-center.

"Obviously a great at-bat by him and really coming through in a big moment," Servais said. "It seems like we had to figure out a way to get the ball away from Marisnick. ... We figured out a way to hit one where he couldn't catch it."

Mack, Amukamara lead Bears over Seahawks 24-17

By ANDREW SELIGMAN
Associated Press

CHICAGO — Khalil Mack once again put on the sort of havoc-wreaking show the Chicago Bears envisioned when they traded for the superstar pass rusher.

Even better for them, they came away with the victory this time.

Mack had one of six sacks against Russell Wilson, Prince Amukamara returned an interception 49 yards for a touchdown and the Bears beat the

UP NEXT: SEAHAWKS

- Dallas Cowboys (1-1) at Seattle Seahawks (0-2)
- Sunday, 1:25 p.m.
- TV: FOX

Seattle Seahawks 24-17 Monday night to give coach Matt Nagy his first career victory.

Mack sprinted out of the tunnel to a neat ovation prior to his first appearance at Soldier Field since a blockbuster trade from Oakland just over two weeks ago. That deal hap-

pened after he held out the entire offseason and preseason seeking a contract extension from the Raiders rather than play under the final year of his rookie contract. Chicago gave him a six-year, \$141 million extension that guarantees \$90 million — the richest deal ever for an NFL defensive player.

Mack also had the crowd roaring with a strip-sack in the first half, smacking the ball out of Wilson's hand as he wound up to pass, and he consistently pressured the quarterback.



ELECTION FORUM

WHEN:
7 p.m. Wednesday, Sept. 19

WHERE:
Seaside City Hall, 989 Broadway St.

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