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## Sports shorts

### Former lawmaker speaks against daily fantasy sites

LAS VEGAS (AP) — The U.S. congressman who drafted the 2006 legislation used by DraftKings and FanDuel as proof of their legitimacy says it is “sheer chutzpah” for the daily fantasy sites to pretend the law makes them legal.

Former Rep. Jim Leach said lawmakers had no idea daily fantasy sports would “morph into today’s cauldron of daily betting.” He said his anti-gambling act was supposed to stop gambling on the Internet, not promote it.

In an email exchange with The Associated Press, Leach said the carve out for fantasy sports in the Unlawful Internet Gambling Enforcement Act (UIGEA) does not provide them with immunity against other federal and state laws that could limit their activities.

### Southern Cal fires troubled Sarkisian

LOS ANGELES (AP) — Southern California fired Steve Sarkisian on Monday, one day after the troubled football coach was put on leave.

Athletic director Pat Haden made the move

one day after determining Sarkisian showed up at school in no condition to lead practice, although Haden refused to reveal specifics about the coach’s condition.

Offensive coordinator Clay Helton was appointed interim coach Sunday.

USC hasn’t elaborated on Sarkisian’s problems, but the second-year coach had an embarrassing public display in August at a pep rally where he appeared to be intoxicated while giving a speech. Sarkisian later apologized and said he had combined alcohol and medication, but promised not to drink again during the season.

Sarkisian’s uneasy appearance Sunday prompted Haden to make the program’s fourth coaching change in just over two years.

**“This landmark legislation eliminating the R-word in California schools clearly demonstrates that this issue is not going away, and that opposition to the Washington team on this issue is only intensifying.”**

— **Ray Halbritter**  
Oneida Indian Nation Representative of the group Change The Mascot, which supported the bill signed Sunday by California Governor Jerry Brown making the state the first to bar public schools from using the Redskins name for sports teams. Four California schools will be forced to change their mascot by 2017 when the law goes into effect.

**THIS DATE IN SPORTS 1903** — The Boston Pilgrims win the first World Series, 5 games to 3, with a 3-0 victory over the Pittsburgh Pirates.

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## College Roundup

# Bartlow, defense lead EOU to upset win

Eastern Oregon beats No. 4 Carroll

By **SETH DAHLE**  
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LA GRANDE — From ending the Saints’ 44-game Frontier Conference winning streak in 2011 to scoring 21 unanswered to defeat Carroll in 2013, the Eastern Oregon University football team has booked quite a few memorable moments against the Saints.

The Mountaineers added to that collection Saturday as the Navy and Gold came from behind to knock off No. 4 Carroll for the third time in the

past five seasons, 28-21. “Great day to be a Mountie,” said head football coach Tim Camp. “I want to thank the fans for their belief and support of our players and coaches. They played and coached at a high level today and Eastern Oregon University was rewarded with a win over the fourth-ranked Carroll College Fighting Saints.”

Junior quarterback Zach Bartlow completed 13 of 20 passes and amassed a season-high 105 rushing yards, including two touchdowns on the ground for EOU.

Senior wide receiver Jace Billingsley rushed 71 yards on



Kathleen Brown photo courtesy of EOU Sports Information  
**Eastern Oregon running back Jace Billingsley (7) and offensive lineman Andre Bremby (72) celebrate a big play in Saturday’s 28-21 win over Carroll College in Helena, Mont.**

## MLB

# Cubs slug to NLDS lead



AP Photo/Charles Rex Arbogast  
**Chicago Cubs’ Anthony Rizzo (44) hits a home run against the St. Louis Cardinals during the fifth inning of Game 3 in baseball’s National League Division Series, Monday, Oct. 12, 2015, in Chicago.**

# Mets take control against Dodgers

Associated Press

CHICAGO — The young sluggers of the Chicago Cubs are making themselves at home in the playoffs.

On a rare off night for Jake Arrieta, the Windy City kids bashed their way to the brink of the NL Championship Series — and a spot in the record book.

Jorge Soler, Kris Bryant and Kyle Schwarber connected as the Cubs set a postseason mark with six home runs and beat the St. Louis Cardinals 8-6 on Monday for a 2-1 lead in the NL Division Series. Arrieta struck out nine before departing in the sixth inning, and the bullpen finished the job in the first playoff game at Wrigley Field in seven years.

“To see the ball fly out of the yard as many times as it did was incredible,” Arrieta said.

Starlin Castro, Anthony Rizzo and Dexter Fowler also went deep for Chicago, which held a share of the previous postseason record with five homers in Game 1 of the 1984 NLCS against San Diego.

“Pretty impressive,” manager Joe Maddon said. “You know, I know the wind was blowing out — we’ll concede that — but most of them were properly struck. We are definitely capable of that.”

A third straight win for the Cubs on Tuesday afternoon, and the once woebegone franchise will advance to the NLCS for the first time in 12 years. The Cardinals, who led the majors with 100 wins this season, have won at least one playoff series in each of the last four years.

Jason Hammel starts at home in Game 4. John Lackey, who won the opener, pitches for the Cardinals.

“I want to win championships. I want to be on good teams,” Lackey said. “Got a chance here, still, and try to keep it moving.”

Jason Heyward and Stephen Piscotty homered for St. Louis, which got to Arrieta for four runs in his worst start in four months. But the Cardinals were unable to keep the Cubs in the ballpark.

St. Louis trailed 8-4 before Piscotty hit a two-run shot with two out in the ninth, a scary moment for a towel-waving crowd of 42,411 used to playoff heartache. But Hector Rondon retired Matt Holliday on a harmless bouncer to second, and the party was on.

**METS 13, DODGERS 7** — At New York, with big hits rather than beanballs, the New York Mets wiped  
See **MLB/2B**

## Prep Roundup

# Spikers split in Heppner

Mustangs host league double dual

East Oregonian

HEPPNER — On Saturday the Heppner Mustangs welcomed in league foes Culver, Pilot Rock, and Irrigon for some double dual matches.

When all was said and done, Heppner split their rounds in Saturday’s double dual, falling to Culver 3-0 and then defeating Irrigon 3-1.

Culver defeated Heppner (11-11, 4-4) with scores of 25-12, 25-16, and 25-17. Against Irrigon, Heppner dropped the first set 25-21 but then responded to win the next three sets 25-11, 25-21, and 25-21.

Heppner coach Dieter Waite was ecstatic to see his team come back to save a split against Irrigon.

“These girls have never really quit all season,” he said. “We’re just thin depth wise and get tired a little quicker. But the offense was just good enough to hold off a really scrappy Irrigon team today.”

Against the Knights, Jessica Kempken led the Heppner attack with 11 kills while Onna DeLoach and Sydney Maben each added four kills.

Heppner also put up a good fight against the league-leading Culver squad, but Waite said his team just couldn’t match the Bulldogs.

“They just had too much firepower,” Waite said. “We didn’t pass well, either, and we usually need to pass well to play well.”

Irrigon’s second match of the day was against Pilot

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## WAR on 84

# Bulldogs pull away in second half for rivalry win

Rosales scores twice, Hermiston beats Pendleton

By **MATT ENTRUP**  
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Some second-half adjustments shook Hermiston from its 40-minute slump on Monday and the Bulldogs quickly took control of Monday’s boys soccer version of the War on 84 for a 3-1 win over rival Pendleton.

Hermiston senior Edwin Rosales scored the first two goals and Joel Mendez sealed the Columbia River Conference win with just minutes to play.

“It’s tough to play on a Monday,

and they’re high school boys and it’s tough to get them focused up for a middle of the week game,” said Hermiston coach Rich Harshberger. “But they did well and so I don’t have any complaints.”

The first half, however, went just how hosting Pendleton (3-7-1, 0-3 CRC) wanted.

“We know that Hermiston’s a really great team that likes to work (the ball) outside-in,” said Pendleton coach Jeremy Talbot. “And so (the key) really, was just making sure we’re staying marked and not allowing them to get open.”

Hermiston (8-2-1, 2-1) was controlling possession, but not



generating much of an attack as the teams went into intermission knotted in a scoreless tie.

“We just had a hard time getting our feet under us today,” said Harshberger. “We had possession, we just weren’t executing our game plan really well. We really hit our stride there in the second half.”

“That was the game plan, to use the (field) width and work (the ball) around to exploit gaps, and the guys started to settle down and have a little fun. The first goal definitely helped a lot, just to ease the tension a little bit.”

Rosales allowed the Bulldogs to breathe a little easier when he

rerouted a drop pass from John Mejia into the far corner of the net from 10 yards out in the 44th minute.

“They gave us more opportunities to the goal (in the second half) since we used a different method,” Rosales said. “We were on top of them the whole game.”

“We were dropping a guy back to keep them from going over the top on us,” Talbot said, “and really, they made a good adjustment. They started bringing guys from the middle to the outside which I think made a big difference. We were having trouble matching up with them on the outsides and so that made it easier for them to get the ball in.”

Rosales nearly struck again in  
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