

# Cardinals come up short in overtime loss to Sherman

East Oregonian

Finding consistent success from the free throw line has been a struggle for the Ione Cardinals girls basketball team this season.

Saturday afternoon's game was a perfect example

as the Cardinals made just 9-40 from the line in a 54-45 overtime loss to Sherman in a Big Sky League game. Head coach Nathan Heideman said that the Cardinals (0-10, 0-2 BSL) had a chance to win the game at the end of regulation as Ivy Sandford stepped to

the free throw line with just one second left in the game tied at 43-43, but unfortunately both attempts rimmed out.

Then in overtime, Sherman (3-6, 1-1) took advantage of a few Cardinal mistakes to earn the win.

"The girls have struggled this year and they just couldn't handle the pressure I guess," Heideman said. "Too many bad passes, too many turnovers. It's frustrating because we could've put them away."

Ione did have three

scorers reach double digits as Maggie Flynn led with 13, Sandford had 11 and Morgan Orem had 10. Kiersten Casper led Sherman with 11 points.

Ione will now look to regroup as they next travel to Arlington on Friday.

**SHS 12 9 12 10 11 - 54**  
**IHS 7 14 10 12 2 - 45**  
 SHERMAN — K. Casper 11, E. Hill 6, D. Winslow 6, C.J. Johnson 6, E. Stutzman 6, T. Henderson 6, J. Justesen 6, L. Grenvik 5, S. Lepinski 2.  
 IONE — M. Flynn 13, I. Sandford 11, M. Orem 10, K. Gilbert 5, E. Taylor 2, K. Bass 2, S. Qualls 2.  
 3-pointers — SHS 3, IHS 2. Free throws — SHS 10-27, IHS 9-40. Fouls — SHS 31, IHS 23. Fouled out — I. Sandford (IHS), E. Hill (SHS), E. Stutzman (SHS).

## SCOREBOARD

### Local Slate

**BOYS PREP BASKETBALL**

**Today**  
 Mac-Hi at Hood River Valley, 7 p.m.  
 Pendleton at La Grande, 7:30 p.m.  
 Weston-McEwen at Umatilla, 7:30 p.m.  
 Arlington at Condon/Wheeler (at Fossil), 7:30 p.m.

**Wednesday**  
 Hermiston at La Grande, 7 p.m.

**Thursday**  
 Nixyaawii at Wallowa, 7:30 p.m.

**Friday**  
 Pilot Rock at Culver, 6 p.m.  
 Pendleton at Sunset, 7:15 p.m.  
 Irrigon at Riverside, 7:30 p.m.  
 Heppner at Stanfield, 7:30 p.m.  
 lone at Arlington, 7:30 p.m.  
 Condon/Wheeler at South Wasco, 7:30 p.m.  
 Powder Valley at Echo, 7:30 p.m.  
 Nixyaawii at Helix, 7:30 p.m.

Sisters 67, Mountain View 58  
 West Salem 56, McNary 47  
 SkyWest Crossover Challenge  
 Henley 48, Siuslaw 42  
 Marshfield 47, Klamath 40  
 Mazama 65, South Umpqua 59

**Monday's Game**  
 La Salle 78, Sandy 70, OT

**GIRLS BASKETBALL**

**Saturday's Games**  
 La Grande 59, Nyssa 54  
 SkyWest Crossover Challenge  
 Brookings-Harbor 51, Siuslaw 29  
 Henley 54, Marshfield 45  
 North Bend 57, Klamath 40  
 South Umpqua 58, Myrtle Point 18

**Monday's Games**  
 La Salle 70, Sandy 39  
 R.A. Long, Wash. 55, Astoria 44

**4A Greater Oregon League**

Conf.	Ovr	Rank
Baker	1-0	10-3
Ontario	0-0	2-11
Mac-Hi	0-0	1-9
La Grande	0-1	6-7

**3A Eastern Oregon League**

Conf.	Ovr	Rank
Vale	0-0	9-2
Burns	0-0	8-4
Nyssa	0-0	8-4
Irrigon	0-0	7-5
Riverside	0-0	6-3
Umatilla	0-0	5-8

**2A Columbia Basin Conference**

Conf.	Ovr	Rank
Pilot Rock	0-0	10-2
Culver	0-0	8-4
Weston-McEwen	0-0	8-4
Heppner	0-0	5-5
Stanfield	0-0	2-9

**NCAA**

**Men's Top 25 AP Poll**

The top 25 teams in The Associated Press' college basketball poll, with first-place votes in parentheses, records through Jan. 8, total points based on 25 points for a first-place vote through one point for a 25th-place vote and last week's ranking:

Record	Pts	Prv
1. Baylor (65)	15-0	1608
2. Kansas (8)	14-1	1517
3. Villanova (1)	15-1	1499
4. UCLA (1)	16-1	1433
5. Gonzaga	15-0	1366
6. Kentucky	13-2	1327
7. Duke	14-2	1173
8. Creighton	15-1	1111
9. Florida State	15-1	1071
10. West Virginia	13-2	972
11. North Carolina	14-3	902
12. Butler	14-2	880
13. Oregon	15-2	869
14. Louisville	13-3	744
15. Xavier	13-2	651
16. Arizona	15-2	634
17. Purdue	14-3	584
18. Wisconsin	13-3	581
19. Virginia	12-3	580
20. Notre Dame	14-2	468
21. Saint Mary's (Cal)	14-1	377
22. Cincinnati	13-2	256
23. Florida	12-3	252
24. Minnesota	15-2	167
25. Kansas State	13-2	20
25. Southern Cal	15-2	20

**NWAC East Standings**

Conf.	Ovr	Pct	GB
Big Bend	2-0	10-5	667
North Idaho	1-0	13-1	929
Walla Walla	1-0	10-3	789
Spokane	1-1	12-3	800
Treasure Vall.	1-1	8-5	615
Yakima Valley	1-1	7-7	500
Wenatchee Val.	1-1	5-9	357
Blue Mountain	0-2	2-10	167
Columbia Basin	0-2	1-12	077

**Women's Top 25 AP Poll**

The top 25 teams in The Associated Press' women's college basketball poll, with first-place votes in parentheses, records through Jan. 8, total points based on 25 points for a first-place vote through one point for a 25th-place vote and last week's ranking:

Record	Pts	Prv
1. UConn (33)	14-0	825
2. Baylor	15-1	783
3. Maryland	15-1	745
4. Mississippi St.	17-0	726
5. South Carolina	13-1	699
6. Notre Dame	15-2	670
7. Florida St.	15-2	595
8. Washington	16-2	544
9. Louisville	15-3	540
10. Oregon St.	15-1	509
11. Ohio St.	14-4	488
12. Duke	14-2	436
13. Stanford	13-3	429
14. Miami	13-3	388
15. Virginia Tech	15-0	347
16. Texas	10-4	346
17. UCLA	11-4	326
18. West Virginia	14-2	269
19. Arizona St.	12-3	263
20. South Florida	13-1	181
21. DePaul	13-4	142
22. Oklahoma	12-4	139
23. N.C. State	13-4	104
24. California	13-3	50
25. Kansas St.	12-4	46

No. 12 Duke at No. 23 N.C. State, Noon  
 No. 13 Stanford at Colorado, 1 p.m.  
 No. 17 UCLA vs. Oregon, 1 p.m.  
 No. 21 DePaul vs. Xavier, Noon  
 No. 24 California at Utah, 11 a.m.

**GIRLS PREP BASKETBALL**

**Today**  
 Weston-McEwen at Umatilla, 6 p.m.  
 Arlington at Condon/Wheeler (Fossil), 6 p.m.  
 Mac-Hi at Hood River Valley, 7 p.m.  
 Sunnyside (WA) at Hermiston, 7 p.m.  
 La Grande at Pendleton, 7 p.m.

**Thursday**  
 Nixyaawii at Wallowa, 6 p.m.

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 Pilot Rock at Culver, 4:30 p.m.  
 Irrigon at Riverside, 6 p.m.  
 Heppner at Stanfield, 6 p.m.  
 lone at Arlington, 6 p.m.  
 Condon/Wheeler at South Wasco, 6 p.m.  
 Powder Valley at Echo, 6 p.m.  
 Nixyaawii at Helix, 6 p.m.

**BOYS BASKETBALL**

**5A Columbia River Conference**

Conf.	Ovr	Rank
Hermiston	0-0	9-3
Pendleton	0-0	3-4
Hood River	0-0	3-7
The Dalles	0-0	2-6

**4A Greater Oregon League**

Conf.	Ovr	Rank
La Grande	1-0	10-0
Mac-Hi	0-0	5-5
Ontario	0-0	4-6
Baker	0-1	6-11

**3A Eastern Oregon League**

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Umatilla	0-0	8-5
Irrigon	0-0	7-4
Burns	0-0	7-5
Riverside	0-0	4-6
Nyssa	0-0	3-7
Vale	0-0	1-9

**1A Big Sky League**

Conf.	Ovr	Rank
Horizon Christian	1-0	7-4
Arlington	1-0	6-4
South Wasco	1-0	4-4
Condon/Wheeler	1-0	4-6
Sherman	1-1	3-6
Mitchell/Spray	0-1	2-4
Dufur	0-1	2-5
Ione	0-2	0-10

**1A Old Oregon League**

Conf.	Ovr	Rank
Nixyaawii	3-0	10-0
Powder Valley	2-0	8-2
Echo	2-1	9-3
Joseph	2-2	8-3
Helix	1-2	5-4
Wallowa	1-2	1-10
Cove	0-2	3-7
Pine Eagle	0-2	0-6

**Record**

Others receiving votes: Seton Hall 11, South Carolina 7, Iowa State 7, Indiana 6, Virginia Tech 6, Maryland 5, SMU 5, Clemson 4, UNC-Wilmington 3, VCU 3, Nevada 2, Dayton 2, Wichita State 2.

**Sunday, Jan. 8**  
 No. 4 UCLA 89, Stanford 75  
 No. 11 Virginia 79, Wake Forest 62  
 No. 20 Purdue 66, No. 13 Wisconsin 55  
 No. 14 North Carolina 107, N.C. State 56  
 California 74, No. 25 Southern Cal 73

**Monday's Games**  
 No games scheduled

**Today's Games**  
 No. 1 Baylor at No. 10 West Virginia, 4 p.m.  
 No. 2 Kansas at Oklahoma, 6 p.m.  
 No. 3 Villanova vs. No. 15 Xavier, 4 p.m.  
 No. 6 Kentucky at Vanderbilt, 4 p.m.  
 No. 7 Duke at No. 9 Florida State, 5 p.m.  
 No. 23 Florida at Alabama, 6 p.m.  
 No. 25 Kansas State at Texas Tech, 6:15 p.m.

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No. 11 Ohio State 78, No. 10 Oklahoma 73	14-2	436
No. 12 Washington 83, Clemson 59	13-3	429
No. 13 Stanford 82, No. 20 California 66	15-2	544
No. 14 Duke 96, Seton Hall 65	15-3	540
Texas A&M 77, No. 24 Kentucky 68	15-1	509

**Pac-12 Standings**

Conf.	Ovr	Pct	GB
Oregon St.	4-0	15-1	938
Washington	4-1	16-2	889
Stanford	3-1	13-3	813
Arizona St.	3-1	12-3	800
Wash. St.	3-2	8-8	500
UCLA	2-2	11-4	733
Oregon	1-3	11-5	688
California	1-3	13-3	813
Colorado	1-3	11-4	733
Arizona	1-3	10-5	667
Utah	1-3	12-3	800
USC	1-3	10-5	667

**Cascade Conference Standings**

Conf.	Ovr	Pct	GB
Southern Ore.	8-0	15-1	938
Eastern Ore.	8-0	15-2	882
Oregon Tech	6-2	13-5	722
NW Christian	6-2	9-6	600
C. of Idaho	6-2	6-8	429
Corban	3-5	9-7	563
Northwest	3-6	8-11	421
Multnomah	2-6	4-12	250
Evergreen	2-7	3-13	188
Warner Pacific	1-7	3-15	167
Walla Walla	0-8	2-12	143

**PREP WRESTLING**

**Friday-Saturday**  
 Hermiston, Pendleton, Mac-Hi, Riverside, Irrigon, Heppner at Oregon Classic (Deschutes County Fairgrounds), TBD

**Saturday**  
 Echo at Bonanza Tournament, 9 a.m.

**2A Columbia Basin Conference**

Conf.	Ovr	Rank
Stanfield	0-0	9-1
Heppner	0-0	8-2
Weston-McEwen	0-0	7-5
Pilot Rock	0-0	7-5
Culver	0-0	0-10

### Football

**NFL**

**Wild-card Playoffs**  
**Saturday, Jan. 7**  
 Houston 27, Oakland 14  
 Seattle 26, Detroit 6

**Sunday, Jan. 8**  
 Pittsburgh 30, Miami 12  
 Green Bay 38, N.Y. Giants 13

**Divisional Playoffs**  
**Saturday**  
 Seattle at Atlanta, 1:35 p.m. (FOX)  
 Houston at New England, 5:15 p.m. (CBS)

**Sunday**  
 Pittsburgh at Kansas City, 10:05 a.m. (NBC)  
 Green Bay at Dallas, 1:40 p.m. (FOX)

**NBA**

**Sunday's Games**  
 Philadelphia 105, Brooklyn 95  
 Washington 107, Milwaukee 101  
 L.A. Clippers 98, Miami 86  
 Houston 129, Toronto 122  
 Memphis 88, Utah 79  
 Cleveland 120, Phoenix 116  
 Detroit 125, Portland 124, 2OT  
 Golden State 117, Sacramento 106  
 L.A. Lakers 111, Orlando 95

**Monday's Games**  
 New Orleans 110, New York 96  
 Minnesota 101, Dallas 92  
 Oklahoma City 109, Chicago 94  
**Today's Games**  
 Chicago at Washington, 4 p.m.  
 Atlanta at Brooklyn, 4:30 p.m.

**Pac-12 Standings**

Conf.	Ovr	Pct	GB
Arizona	4-0	15-2	882
Oregon	4-0	15-2	882
UCLA	3-1	16-1	941
Utah	2-1	11-4	733
Wash. St.	2-1	9-6	600
California	2-2	11-5	688
USC	2-2	15-2	882
Arizona St.	2-2	9-8	529
Washington	1-2	8-7	533
Colorado	0-3	10-6	625
Stanford	0-4	8-8	500
Oregon St.	0-4	4-13	235

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Eastern Ore.	8-0	15-2	882

### Hockey

**NHL**

**Sunday's Games**  
 Pittsburgh 6, Tampa Bay 2  
 Carolina 4, Boston 3, OT  
 Columbus 2, Philadelphia 1, OT  
 Ottawa 5, Edmonton 3  
 Chicago 5, Nashville 2  
 Minnesota 2, Anaheim 1

**Monday's Games**  
 Florida 3, New Jersey 0  
 Washington 4, Montreal 1  
 Winnipeg 2, Calgary 0  
 Dallas 6, Los Angeles 4

**Today's Games**  
 Columbus at Carolina, 4 p.m.  
 Philadelphia at Buffalo, 4 p.m.  
 Boston at St. Louis, 5 p.m.  
 Vancouver at Nashville, 5 p.m.  
 Detroit at Chicago, 5:30 p.m.  
 San Jose at Edmonton, 6 p.m.  
 Dallas at Anaheim, 7 p.m.

**WOMEN'S COLLEGE BASKETBALL**

**Wednesday**  
 Blue Mountain at Yakima Valley, 6 p.m.