Prep roundup

Heppner rocks homecoming with big win against Irrigon

East Oregonian

HEPPNER — Mason Lehman scored four touchdowns — three rushing and one receiving — and the Heppner Mustangs ran away with a 38-2 homecoming night win over Irrigon on Friday.

A safety was the only thing that got Irrigon on Heppner's scoreboard in the nonleague game. Heppner quarterback Jayden Wilson was 4-7 for 142 yards, threw for one touchdown, and rushed for another, and Lehman ran for 100 yards.

Irrigon running back Josue Auilera ran the ball 17 times for 59 yards.

"It was a typical homecoming game," said Mustangs coach Greg Grant. "There was lots of energy and a lack of focus."

Heppner (4-2, 1-0) will resume league play next Friday when they host Weston-McEwen, while Irrigon (3-3, 0-1) travels to Vale.

BURNS 38, UMA-TILLA 12 — Umatilla suffered a home loss to Burns on Friday night.

Quarterback Andrew Earl lead the Vikings, passing for 233 yards and two touchdowns. Running back Ramiro Alverez hauled in three passes for 59 yards and caught one touchdown.

"The kids keep improving on passing and running," said Umatilla coach Dan Durfey. "We stopped Burns' ball in the second half up until the last two minutes, when they put two touchdowns past us. We wait till we're down to

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come alive."

Umatilla (1-5, 0-2) will have a bye week before hosting Vale on Oct. 19.

ECHO 39, MCKEN-**ZIE 19** — The Cougars rallied from a 19-13 halftime deficit to hand the host Eagles their first

"It was awesome," Echo coach Rick Thew said. "It rained the whole night, but it was fun.'

Mason Smith ran for five touchdowns for the Cougars (4-1), while Devan Craig scored at the end of the game, taking the ball out of an opponent's hands at the 1-yard line, and running 99 yards for a touchdown.

Defensively, Mychael Pointer was tasked with McKenzie's containing Daniel Quirk.

'He played amazing," Thew said of Pointer. "His job was to make sure he didn't get loose."

McKenzie (5-1), which was averaging 67 points a game, was held scoreless in the second half.

GRANT UNION 32, STANFIELD 8 — The Tigers led 8-6 at the half, but the second half belonged to the Prospectors (3-3, 1-0) in the Special District 6 matchup.

"We played good, and were putting together good drives, but we had some penalties and turnovers at the worst time," Stanfield coach Davy Salas said. "We were playing good defense and moving the ball in the first half."

AJ Keeney scored for the Tigers, who dropped to 0-2 in league play and 0-6 overall.

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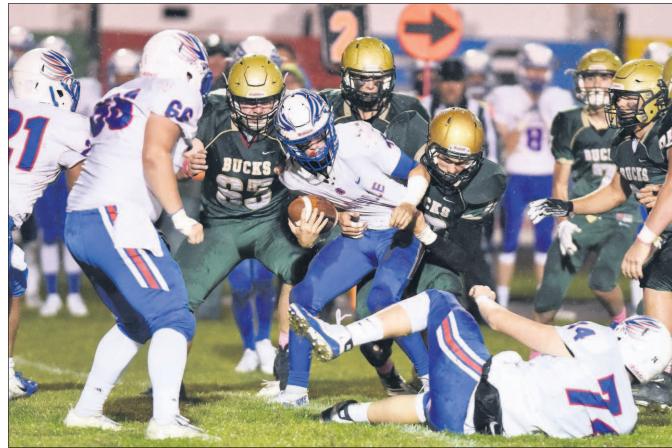
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DAWGS: Hermiston can't

score in second half



Pendleton's Beau Skinner wraps up La Salle quarterback Ethan Edgerly in the Bucks' 62-14 win against the Falcons on Friday in Pendleton.

BUCKS: Sorey rushed for 111 yards and passed for 106

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scored his third touchdown. La Salle answered with a 31-yard rushing touchdown from running back James Menor.

With 34 seconds left in the second quarter, Sorey launched a 43-yard pass to Yeager in the end zone to give the Bucks a 48-14 half-

Pendleton scored their final two touchdowns in the third quarter — a 15-yard rush from Patterson, and a rushing score from Yeager.

With the win, the Bucks improved to 6-0 for the season.

"Every win feels great," said coach Erik Davis. "This was an opportunity to play a

quality team. The kids dominated up front and didn't let the weather dictate them. Trent took care of the football, and our defense just flies around."

Sorey rushed for 111 yards, passed for 106, and scored two touchdowns. Patterson rushed for 92 yards and four touchdowns. Yeager scored three times, and rushed for 112 yards.

"There weren't a whole lotta flaws tonight," said Sorey, who was crowned homecoming king during halftime. "I just want to stay healthy with a full crew going into playoffs. We're ready."

Pendleton will push for 7-0 when they host Parkrose (3-2, 3-1) on Thursday.

Beavers expect Cougars ready to run

By ANNE M. PETERSON AP Sports Writer

Facing pass-happy Washington State on Saturday means Oregon State's harried run defense might get a

But the Beavers will still have to deal with Gardner Minshew.

The Cougars (4-1, 1-1 Pac-12) rushed for no net yards — that's zero — last week against Utah. Instead, Mike Leach's team relied on Minshew's arm.

The graduate transfer threw for 445 yards and three touchdowns in the 28-24 victory over the Utes, including an 89-yard touchdown to Easop Winston in the fourth quarter that essentially won it for the Cougs.

Which is good and bad news for the Beavers, whose rushing defense is ranked 127th among FBS teams (303.4 yards per game). But they're ranked 88th nationally for pass defense, allowing 240.2 yards a game.

Leach wasn't concerned about Washington State's one-dimensionality against the Utes. He said lots of players contributed that's what he wants.

He scoffed at the idea that teams need a 50-50 attack.



AP Photo/Young Kwak

Washington State quarterback Gardner Minshew II throws a pass while under pressure from Utah defensive back Marquise Blair during the first half of an NCAA college football game Sept. 29 in Pullman, Wash.

"That's 50 percent stu- said. ' Leach said. nothing clever about that."

Coach Jonathan Smith fully expects the Cougars to run it more against the Beavers. Oregon State (1-4, 0-1) allowed Arizona State 396 rushing yards last weekend in a 52-24 loss. Eno Benjamin ran for a school-record 312 of those yards and was named the Pac-12 Offensive Player of the Week.

"They do have some backs that can do some things. And they throw the ball to the backs — so there's some weapons there," Smith

But in all likelihood it's not the running backs the Beavers will need to key in on: It's Minshew, who has had five straight games with at least 300 yards passing.

Minshew is the national leader among quarterbacks with averages of 398.4 yards passing and 37 completions per game. So far he's thrown for 14 TDs.

The Beavers pass-rush could use some help, too, Smith acknowledged.

"It's a work in progress It's not where we want it,' the coach said. "We've had

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Saturday

Arizona State at Colorado, 1 p.m. (Pac-12)

Washington at UCLA, 4:30 p.m. (Fox)

Washington State at Oregon State, 6
p.m. (Pac-12)

California at Arizona, 7 p.m. (FS1)

Utah at Stanford, 7:30 p.m. (ESPN)

National Hockey League Friday's Games
Carolina 3, Columbus 1
San Jose 3, Los Angeles 2, OT

Saturday's Games
Edmonton vs. New Jersey at Goteborg,
SWE, 10 a.m.
Winnipeg at Dallas, 4 p.m.
Montreal at Pittsburgh, 4 p.m.
N.Y. Rangers at Buffalo, 4 p.m.
Ottawa at Toronto, 4 p.m.

National Basketball Association

National Basketball Association Friday's Games Philadelphia 120, Dallas 114 Orlando 119, Flamengo Flamengo 82 Toronto 120, Melbourne United 82 Washington 121, Miami 114 New York 106, New Orleans 100 Memphis 120, Atlanta 110 Oklahoma City 113, Minnesota 101 San Antonio 117, Detroit 93 Denver 96, Perth Wildcats 88 Utah 129, Adelaide 36ers 99

Ottawa at Tompa Bay, 4 p.m.
Florida at Tampa Bay, 4 p.m.
Nashville at N.Y. Islanders, 4 p.m.
Vegas at Minnesota, 5 p.m.
Chicago at St. Louis, 5 p.m.
Philadelphia at Colorado, 6 p.m.
Anaheim at Arizona, 6 p.m.

Vancouver at Calgary, 7 p.m

Basketball

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NCAA Football Pac-12 North

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Colorado

Arizona State

Hockey

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Saturday's Games

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Arizona UCLA

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Other things to know as Oregon State hosts Washington State: PIERCE BACK?: Ore-

gon State running back Artavis Pierce was listed as probable going into Saturday's game. That's good for the Beavers. Pierce broke out for a pair of long TD runs in the opener before an elbow injury in the second week. He'll rejoin freshman Jermar Jefferson, who leads the Pac-12 with an average of 145.4 rushing yards a game.

But the Beaversw will likely be without senior quarterback Jake Luton, who is still recovering from a high ankle sprain.

FAMILIAR Leach is certainly not unfamiliar to Smith, who was an assistant to Chris Petersen at Washington before becoming head coach at Oregon State.

THAT 'STACHE: Leach thinks the attention paid to Minshew's mustache is a bit overblown.

"The poor guy came in with a mustache and all of a sudden the mustache took off," Leach said.

He suggested that Cougars mascot Butch might

want to sport a mustache.

SCOREBOARD

Local slate

Saturday, October 6 Volleyball Echo at Dufur, 11 a.m.

Echo at S. Wasco County, 3 p.m. Helix at Wallowa, 10 a.m. Helix at Joseph, 1 p.m. Union at Heppner, 4 p.m. Grant Union at Stanfield, 12 p.m. Grant Union at Weston-McEwen, 3 p.m. Weston-McEwen at Stanfield, 4 p.m. **Boys Soccer**

Drigon at Riverside, 1 p.m.
De La Salle N. Catholic at Umatilla, 1 p.m.
Mac-Hi at Ontario, 1 p.m. Girls Soccer Irrigon at Riverside, 1 p.m. Mac-Hi at Ontario, 3 p.m.

Mac-Hi at Ontario, 3 p.m.
Cross Country
Hermiston at Richland Invite, 11 a.m.
Girls Swimming
Hermiston at Tri-City Champs, 11 a.m.
Tuesday, October 9

Volleyball Volleyball Irrigon at Umatilla, 4 p.m. Dufur at Ione, 5 p.m. Sherman at Echo, 5 p.m. Weston-McEwen at Heppner, 5 p.m. Helix at Stanfield, 5 p.m. La Grande at Mac-Hi, 6:30 p.m. Pendleton at The Dalles, 6:30 p.m. Hermiston at Richland, 7 p.m. Girls Soccer

Girls Soccer Irrigon at Hood River Valley, 4:30 p.m. Hermiston at Richland, 7 p.m Thursday, October 11 Football Pendleton at Parkrose, 7 p.m. Dufur at Pilot Rock/Nixyaawii, 7 p.m. Arlington/Condon at Ione, 7 p.m.

Volleyball Weston-McEven at Pilot Rock, 4 p.m. Mitchell/Spray at Ione, 5 p.m. Weston-McEwen at Union, 5 p.m. Stanfield at Enterprise, 5 p.m. Condon/Wheeler at Riverside, 5 p.m. oner at Pilot Rock, 4 p.m. Hermiston at Kennewick, 7 p.m

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Redmond at Pendleton, 4:30 p.m.
Hermiston at Kennewick, 7 p.m. Cross Country Hermiston at Kamiakin, 3 p.m.

Friday, October 12 Echo at Mitchell/Spray/Wheeler, 3 p.m. Weston-McEwen at Heppner, 7 p.m. Riverside at Grant Union, 7 p.m.

Irrigon at Vale, 7 p.m.
Mac-Hi/Helix at La Grande, 7 p.m.
Eisenhower at Hermiston, 7 p.m.
Saturday, October 13
Volleyball
Powder Valley at Helix, 10 a.m.

Joseph at Helix, 1 p.m

Echo at Mitchell/Spray, 1 p.m. Pilot Rock at Enterprise, 12 p.m Pilot Rock at Grant Union, 12 p.m. Irrigon at Vale, 11 a.m.
Irrigon at Nyssa, 3 p.m.
Riverside at Nyssa, 11 a.m.
Riverside at Vale, 3 p.m.
Umatilla at Burns, 1 p.m. Boys Soccer Irrigon at Nyssa, 12 p.m. La Grande at Mac-Hi, 12 p.m. Riverside at Umatilla, 1 p.m.

Girls Soccer Irrigon at Nyssa, 1 p.m. La Grande at Mac-Hi, 2 p.m. Riverside at Umatilla, 3 p.m

Girls Swimming Hermiston at Whitman, 12:30 p.m.

Baseball

Major League Baseball American League All Games on TBS Boston vs. New York

Friday: Doston Vs. New York Friday: Doston 5, New York 4 Saturday, Oct. 6: New York at Boston (Price 16-7), 5:15 p.m. Monday, Oct. 8: Boston (Porcello 17-7) at New York, TBA x-Tuesday, Oct. 9: Boston at New York,

-Thursday, Oct. 11: New York at Boston, Houston vs. Cleveland

Friday: Houston 7, Cleveland 2
Saturday, Oct. 6: Cleveland (Carrasco 1710) at Houston (Cole 15-5), 1:37 p.m.
Monday, Oct. 8: Houston (Keuchel 12-11)
at Cleveland (Clevinger 13-8), TBA
xTuesday, Oct. 9: Houston at Cleveland,

x-Thursday, Oct. 11: Cleveland at Houston. Mational League
FS1 and MLB Network
Milwaukee vs. Colorado
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Friday: Milwaukie 4, Colorado 0 2 (10 innings)
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x-vvednesday, Oct. ID: Colorado at Milwaukee, TBA Los Angeles vs. Atlanta Thursday: Los Angeles 6, Atlanta 0 Friday: Los Angeles 3, Atlanta 0 Sunday, Oct. 7: Los Angeles (Buehler 8-5) at Atlanta, 5:07 p.m. (FS1)

x-Monday, Oct. 8: Los Angeles at Atlanta, x-Wednesday, Oct. 10: Atlanta at Los Angeles, TBA

Football

PREP FOOTBALL
Adrian/Jordan Valley 56, Powder Valley 12
Amity 50, Willamina 14 Astoria 25, Tillamook 12 Bandon 52, Illinois Valley 7

Banks 55, Valley Catholic 0 Barlow 28, Sandy 12 Beaverton 38, Mountainsid Burns 38, Umatilla 12 Cascade 30, Sisters 7 Central Catholic 42, Centennial 19 Chiawana, Wash. 34, Hermiston 10 Clackamas 51, Gresham 8 Clatskanie 55, Taft 12 Coquille 50, Reedsport 12 Cottage Grove 45, Elmira 13 Crater 41, Ashland 13 Crescent Valley 38, South Albany 3 Dufur 56, Imbler 14 Echo 39, McKenzie 19 Eddyville 58, Jewell 24
Estacada 28, North Marion 20
Falls City 34, Siletz Valley 22
Forest Grove 26, Hillsboro 21
Gaston 29, Portland Christian 8
Glendale 56, Myrtle Point 22
Grant Union 32, Stanfield 8
Harper 54, Mitchell/Spray/Wheeler 6
Harrisburg 33, Sutherlin 7
Heppner 38, Irrigon 2
Hood River 43, Putnam 12
Jone 42, Sherman 22
Jesuit 36, Sheldon 32
Joseph 27, South Wasco County 16 Eddyville 58, Jewell 24 Joseph 27, South Wasco County 16

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Mazama 14, Marist 6
McNary 21, Sprague 14
North Bend 62, Redmond 7
North Douglas 30, Yoncalla 28
North Medford 37, Grants Pass 29
Pathrana 28, Willian 19 Parkrose 26, Wilson 18 Pendleton 62. La Salle 14 Pilot Rock 54, Union 24 Powers def. Gilchrist, forfeit Prairie City 67, Huntington 22 Rainier 32, Dayton 8

Sunday's Games
Miami at Cincinnati, 10 a.m.
N.Y. Giants at Carolina, 10 a.m.
Denver at N.Y. Jets, 10 a.m.
Jacksonville at Kansas City, 10 a.m.
Green Bay at Detroit, 10 a.m.
Baltimore at Cleveland, 10 a.m. Reynolds 67, David Douglas 14 Ridgeview 49, Springfield 21 Roosevelt 28, Lincoln 21 Santiam 74, Chemawa 6 Santiam Christian 32, Siuslaw 6 Scio 46, Yamhill-Cartton 0 Sherwood 38, McMinnville 27 Silverton 23. Dallas 8 South Eugene 28, North Eugene 0 South Medford 33, Roseburg 12 St. Paul 70, Waldport 12 Sunset 35, Aloha 12 The Dalles 14, Woodburn 13 Thurston 61, Willamette 0

Tigard 62, Oregon City 27 Tualatin 48, Westview 16 Vale 20, Nyssa 10 Wallowa 58, Pine Eagle 16

West Salem 25, South Salem 0

National Football League AMERICAN CONFERENCE Pct PF

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Atlanta at Pittsburgh, 10 a.m.
Tennessee at Buffalo, 10 a.m.
Oakland at L.A. Chargers, 1:05 p.m.
Minnesota at Philadelphia, 1:25 p.m.
Arizona at San Francisco, 1:25 p.m.
L.A. Rams at Seattle, 1:25 p.m. Dallas at Houston, 5:20 p.m. Open: Tampa Bay, Chicago Monday, Oct. 8

Washington at New Orleans, 8:15 p.m.

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Portland 115, Phoenix 93
Golden State 122, Sacramento 94
Saturday's Games
Boston at Cleveland, 4:30 p.m.
Indiana at Memphis, 5 p.m. L.A. Clippers vs. L.A. Lakers at Anaheim,

Utah 129. Adelaide 36ers 99

Sports Watch Saturday, Oct. 6 AUTO RACING

10:05 p.m. ESPN2 — Formula One, Honda Japanese Grand Prix, at Suzuka, Japan COLLEGE FOOTBALL

9 a.m. ABC — Maryland at Michigan ESPN — Alabama at Arkansas ESPN2 — Kansas at West Virginia FOX — Oklahoma vs. Texas, at Dallas FOX — Oklanoma vs. lexas, at Dallas FS1 — Northwestern at Michigan St. 12:30 p.m. ABC — Florida St. at Miami CBS — LSU at Florida ESPN — Clemson at Wake Forest ESPN2 — Iowa St. at Oklahoma St.

FS1 — Kansas St. at Baylor

4 p.m. ESPN — Kentucky at Texas A&M

4:30 p.m.
ESPN2 — Auburn at Mississippi St.
FOX — Washington at UCLA
5 p.m. ABC — Notre Dame at Virginia Tech

7 p.m. FS1 — California at Arizona 7:30 p.m. ESPN — Utah at Stanford GOLF

5 a.m. 12 a.m. (Sunday) ESPN2 — Asia-Pacific Amateur Championship, final round, at Singapore (same-day

soccer 10 a.m.
NBCSN — Premier League, Tottenham vs.

Cardiff City 12:30 p.m.
NBC — Premier League, Manchester
United vs. Newcastle

Sunday, Oct. 7 MLB BASEBALL

1:30 p.m. MLB — NL Division Series, Game 3, Milwaukee at Colorado 8 p.m.
FS1 — NL Division Series, Game 3, L.A.

Dodgers at Atlanta
NFL FOOTBALL 10 a.m. CBS — Jacksonville at Kansas City FOX — Green Bay at Detroit

CBS — Regional coverage, Oakland at

L.A. Chargers

1:25 p.m.
FOX — Regional coverage, Arizona at San Francisco, Minnesota at Philadelphia OR
L.A. Rams at Seattle

5:20 p.m. NBC — Dallas at Houston