

SPORTS BRIEFS

Coleman earns Benny Award for wrestling

By ANNIE FOWLER East Oregonian

Hermiston native Bob Coleman earned Oregon State University's Most Inspirational Award for wrestling during the Benny Awards on Wednesday night.



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Coleman won a Pac-12 title at 184 pounds and advanced to the N C A A Wrestling Championships.

He finished the season with a 17-16 record. Coleman, a junior, also earned his first Pac-12 Wrestling All-Academic selection in March.

The 2016 graduate of Hermiston High School is an agricultural business management major carrying a 3.06 GPA.

MCC golf honors

Hermiston's Garrett McClannahan and Madison McClannahan were selected to the Mid-Columbia Conference honorable teams.

Garrett, a senior, advanced to the 3A state tournament at Indian Summer Country Club in Lacey, Washington. He shot an 87 in the first round to make the cut.

Madison, a sophomore, earned a trip to the girls 3A state tournament at Hawks Prairie Golf Course in Lacey. She shot a 109 in the first round, missing the cut.

Angela Park of Southridge was named the girls Player of the Year, while Carter Sheets of Richland earned the honor for the boys.

Things to know about NCAA baseball regionals

By ERIC OLSON Associated Press

OMAHA, Neb. — The NCAA baseball tournament opens Friday with play in 16 double-elimination regionals. Regional winners advance to best-of-three super regionals next week, and the final eight go to the College World Series in Omaha beginning June 15. Some of the top story lines:

WHO'S HOT

Central Michigan has won 18 games in a row and is in the NCAA Tournament for the first time since 1995. The Chipewas (46-12), who play Miami in the Starkville (Mississippi) Regional, need one win to tie the school record in coach Jordan Bischel's first season.

WHO'S NOT

Arizona State, which won 21 straight to start the season, has lost five of its last seven. Baylor has lost four of five, Duke seven of 10, Florida six of 11, Michigan seven of 12, Louisville six of 10 and Auburn 11 of 17.

CURSE OF THE 1 SEED

The last No. 1 national seed to win the championship was Miami in 1999, the first year of the current tournament structure. Oregon State was a No. 3 seed when it won the title last year. The most recent No. 1 to reach the College World Series finals was Texas in 2009.

FEELING A DRAFT

At least a dozen projected first-round picks in the Major League Baseball draft Monday through Wednesday are in the tournament, including the likely No. 1 selection, Oregon State catcher Adley Rutschman. Others are Arizona State outfielder Hunter Bishop, California first baseman Andrew Vaughn, Vanderbilt outfielder J.J. Bleday,



AP Photo/Butch Dill, File

Vanderbilt's JJ Bleday smiles as he greets teammates after his solo home run during the third inning of the Southeastern Conference tournament NCAA college baseball game against LSU on Saturday, May 25, in Hoover, Ala.

TCU pitcher Nick Lodolo, Baylor catcher Shea Lodegliers, West Virginia pitcher Alek Manoah, Texas Tech infielder Josh Jung, Clemson shortstop Logan Davidson, North Carolina first baseman-outfielder Michael Busch, North Carolina State shortstop Will Wilson and Campbell pitcher Seth Johnson.

NAME YOU KNOW

Mississippi State senior center fielder Jake Mangum is the Southeastern Conference's all-time hits leader (372) and is three hits from becoming the first Bulldogs player to collect 100 in back-to-back seasons. Mangum bats leadoff and has reached base in 212 of 235 career games started.

NAME YOU DON'T KNOW

Campbell's Seth Johnson has gone from being a light-hitting shortstop in junior college to potential first-round draft pick as a pitcher. He hadn't pitched since middle school before begging his coach at Louisburg College in North Carolina to give him a chance last year. He totaled six innings over five appear-

ances, striking out 11 and walking none. Johnson transferred to Campbell and though his 3-3 record and 4.72 ERA are modest, he's touched 98 mph and is consistently in the low 90s with a four-pitch repertoire.

CHASING .400

Three players are batting better than .400 — Oregon State's Rutschman (.419), Vanderbilt third baseman Austin Martin (.414) and Creighton first baseman Jake Holton (.405).

MAKING THEIR PITCH

The top six ERA teams are in the tournament: UCLA (2.59), Oregon State (2.98), Texas A&M (3.04), Fordham (3.08), Georgia (3.10) and UC Santa Barbara (3.21).

UCLA leads the nation with 11 shutouts, 6.16 hits allowed per nine innings and 1.06 walks/hits per innings pitched. The Bruins are in the top 10 in strikeout-walk ratio (3.12) and strikeouts per nine innings (10.5). Louisville's Reid Detmers, Vanderbilt's Drake Fellows, Fresno State's Ryan Jensen, Omaha's Payton Kinney and

UCLA's Jack Ralston share the national lead with 11 wins apiece.

BIG BOPPERS

Seven players in the tournament have hit at least 20 homers: Vanderbilt's Bleday (nation-high 26), Georgia Tech's Kyle McCann (23), Arizona State's Bishop (22), Mercer's Kel Johnson (22), Miami's Alejandro Toral (22), Arizona State's Spencer Torkelson (21) and Southern Mississippi's Matt Wallner (21).

MARTIN'S LAST CHANCE

Florida State, at 42 in a row, owns the longest active streak of NCAA appearances. Mike Martin has led the Seminoles to the national tournament each of his 40 years as coach and has made it to the CWS 16 times. He retires after the season, making this his last chance to win his first national championship.

Vanderbilt, at 14 straight, has the second-longest streak of appearances, followed by Florida (12) and Clemson (11).

Omaha of the Summit League is in the tournament for the first time.

Game: Bucks will take on top-ranked Panthers

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backed their pitching staff with timely hitting and stellar defense.

"We are a team, not one guy," Haguewood said. "We have guys who contribute day in and day out. I'm proud of the way they have come together. They have one last game to go to battle with their buddies."

The Panthers (24-4), beat Thurston 1-0 in the semifinals, getting a solid outing from 6-foot-5 senior Kaleb Kantola.

Central will start senior Ruben Cedillo against the Bucks.

"We have a deep pitching staff," Roberts said. "We are confident in our next guy up."

Roberts said he has not seen Pendleton play, but he has gotten a few scouting reports.

"From what I've heard, they will have solid pitching," he said. "We are not

taking them lightly. Their ranking (No. 9) might not show it, but they are a good team."

The one advantage the Panthers have Saturday, is they have played three games at Volcanoes Stadium this spring, while the Bucks have never been there.

Haguewood has been there twice in 2A/1A title games with Weston-McEwen in 2012 and 2014.

"The field is deeper, and the sounds are different because it is next to the freeway," Haguewood said.

With the semifinals Tuesday and the finals Saturday, Roberts said his kids were ready to play the next day.

"There is that anticipation," he said. "We just have to keep them loose and focused. The last thing we we say to them, is remember to have fun, make a good memory and enjoy it."

Roberts: Making his championship debut

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three strikeouts along the way.

"He shut down a very high-quality team," Haguewood said. "He keeps his pitch count down. That's always a good thing to do."

This isn't Roberts' first showing on a prestigious Pendleton team. Last fall, he was a quarterback for the varsity football team, which went undefeated in league play and made it all the way to the 5A state semifinals. And in the winter, he was a guard for the basketball team, whose state playoff run ended with a semi-consolation game against Crater.

Although football is his sport of choice, he's been playing baseball ever since he could swing a bat hard

enough to hit a ball off a tee. He'll play Pendleton Legion baseball in the summer before rejoining the Bucks for his last year of high school.

"We practice every day. We enjoy getting better with each other," he said. "I love pitching for this team. We've got a lot of good leadership from our seniors."

The Bucks left Friday morning for Keizer, where they'll vie for Pendleton baseball's first-ever state title. Although they are coming in as the underdogs against the No. 1 team in the 5A division, Roberts is eager for the opportunity he's been given.

"I feel a lot of things at once — I'm happy, excited, nervous — just put those all together," he said. "I'm ready to go."

Haney suspended for women's golf comment

NEW YORK (AP) — Swing coach Hank Haney has been suspended from the SiriusXM PGA Tour Radio channel because of saying on his show that a Korean would probably win the U.S. Women's Open and that he couldn't name six players on the LPGA Tour.

He then said he would go with "Lee" and if he didn't have to mention a first name, "I'd get a bunch

of them right." Haney, who coached Tiger Woods for six of his majors from 2004 to 2010, apologized on Twitter.

A statement from the PGA Tour and SiriusXM said the comments were insensitive and do not represent the views of either party. The statement says Haney has been suspended. Haney says he accepts the suspension and apologized again.

SCOREBOARD

NBA PLAYOFFS FINALS (Best-of-7; x-if necessary) Golden State vs. Toronto Thursday, May 30 Toronto 118, Golden State 109, Toronto leads series 1-0 Sunday, June 2 Golden State at Toronto, 5 p.m. Wednesday, June 5 Toronto at Golden State, 6 p.m. Friday, June 7 Toronto at Golden State, 6 p.m. Monday, June 10 x-Golden State at Toronto, 6 p.m. Thursday, June 13 x-Toronto at Golden State, 6 p.m. Sunday, June 16 x-Golden State at Toronto, 5 p.m.

NHL PLAYOFF GLANCE STANLEY CUP FINALS (Best-of-7; x-if necessary) Boston 1, St. Louis 1 Monday, May 27: Boston 4, St. Louis 2 Wednesday, May 29: St. Louis 3, Boston 2, OT Saturday, June 1: Boston at St. Louis, 5 p.m. June 3: Boston at St. Louis, 5 p.m. June 6: St. Louis at Boston, 5 p.m. June 9: Boston at St. Louis, 5 p.m. June 12: St. Louis at Boston, 5 p.m.

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NCAA BASEBALL REGIONALS At Morgantown, W.Va., Friday, May 31 Game 1 — Duke (31-25) vs. Texas A&M (37-21-1), 1 p.m. Game 2 — Fordham (38-22) at West Virginia (37-20), 5 p.m. Saturday, June 1 Game 3 — Game 1 loser vs. Game 2 loser, 11 a.m. Game 4 — Game 1 winner vs. Game 2 winner, 4 p.m. Sunday, June 2 Game 5 — Game 3 winner vs. Game 4 loser, Noon Game 6 — Game 4 winner vs. Game 5 winner, 3 p.m. At Chapel Hill, N.C., Friday, May 31 Game 1 — UNC Wilmington (32-29) at North Carolina (42-17), 11 a.m. Game 2 — Liberty (42-19) vs. Tennessee (38-19), 4 p.m. Saturday, June 1 Game 3 — Game 1 loser vs. Game 2 loser, 10 a.m. Game 4 — Game 1 winner vs. Game 2 winner, 3 p.m. Sunday, June 2 Game 5 — Game 3 winner vs. Game 4 loser, 10 a.m. Game 6 — Game 4 winner vs. Game 5 winner, 3 p.m. At Greenville, N.C., Friday, May 31 Game 1 — Campbell (35-19) vs. N.C. State (42-17), Noon Game 2 — Quinnipiac (29-27) at East Carolina (42-15), 3 p.m. Saturday, June 1 Game 3 — Game 1 loser vs. Game 2 loser, 8 a.m. Game 4 — Game 1 winner vs. Game 2 winner, 1 p.m. Sunday, June 2 Game 5 — Game 3 winner vs. Game 4 loser, Noon

Game 6 — Game 4 winner vs. Game 5 winner, 3 p.m. At Louisville, Ky., Friday, May 31 Game 1 — Illinois State (34-24) vs. Indiana (36-21), 11 a.m. Game 2 — UIC (29-21) at Louisville (43-15), 3 p.m. Saturday, June 1 Game 3 — Game 1 loser vs. Game 2 loser, 8 a.m. Game 4 — Game 1 winner vs. Game 2 winner, 1 p.m. Sunday, June 2 Game 5 — Game 3 winner vs. Game 4 loser, Noon Game 6 — Game 4 winner vs. Game 5 winner, 3 p.m. At Athens, Ga., Friday, May 31 Game 1 — Florida State (36-21) vs. FAU (40-19), Noon Game 2 — Mercer (35-27) at Georgia (44-15), 4 p.m. Saturday, June 1 Game 3 — Game 1 loser vs. Game 2 loser, 10 a.m. Game 4 — Game 1 winner vs. Game 2 winner, 4 p.m. Sunday, June 2 Game 5 — Game 3 winner vs. Game 4 loser, Noon Game 6 — Game 4 winner vs. Game 5 winner, 3 p.m. At Atlanta, Friday, May 31 Game 1 — Coastal Carolina (35-24-1) vs. Auburn (33-25), Noon Game 2 — Florida A&M (27-32) at Georgia Tech (41-17), 4 p.m. Saturday, June 1 Game 3 — Game 1 loser vs. Game 2 loser, 10 a.m. Game 4 — Game 1 winner vs. Game 2 winner, 4 p.m. Sunday, June 2 Game 5 — Game 3 winner vs. Game 4 loser, Noon Game 6 — Game 4 winner vs. Game 5 winner, 3 p.m. At Nashville, Tenn., Friday, May 31 Game 1 — McNeese (35-24) vs. Indiana State (41-16), 10 a.m. Game 2 — Ohio State (35-25) at Vanderbilt (49-10), 4 p.m. Saturday, June 1 Game 3 — Game 1 loser vs. Game 2 loser, 10 a.m. Game 4 — Game 1 winner vs. Game 2 winner, 4 p.m. Sunday, June 2 Game 5 — Game 3 winner vs. Game 4 loser, 12 p.m. Game 6 — Game 4 winner vs. Game 5 winner, 6 p.m. At Lubbock, Texas, Friday, May 31 Game 1 — Army (35-24) at Texas Tech (39-17), 1 p.m. Game 2 — Florida (33-24) vs. Dallas Baptist (41-18), 5 p.m. Saturday, June 1 Game 3 — Game 1 loser vs. Game 2 loser, 10 a.m. Game 4 — Game 1 winner vs. Game 2 winner, 4 p.m. Sunday, June 2 Game 5 — Game 3 winner vs. Game 4 loser, 12 p.m. Game 6 — Game 4 winner vs. Game 5 winner, 6 p.m. At Corvallis, Ore., Friday, May 31 Game 1 — Michigan (41-18) vs. Creighton (38-11), 1 p.m. Game 2 — Cincinnati (30-29) at Oregon State (36-18-1), 7 p.m. Saturday, June 1 Game 3 — Game 1 loser vs. Game 2 loser, 1 p.m. Game 4 — Game 1 winner vs. Game 2 winner, 7 p.m. Sunday, June 2 Game 5 — Game 3 winner vs. Game 4 loser, 12 p.m. Game 6 — Game 4 winner vs. Game 5 winner, 6 p.m.