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Holiday Tourney Set



Harley Kelly is attempting a shot over the stretched arm of Ralph Minnich during a game in the elimination tournament held in the Community Center over Thanksgiving week-end. The Duffs rolled past the Warhawkers by the score of 124-80. Spilyay Photo

The Warm Springs Nation will hold its 19th annual All-Indian Holiday Basketball tournament starting on Wednesday December 28 and will run through Saturday Dec. 31. The first game will kick the annual event off at 6 p.m. Wed. and on Thurs. The first performance will start at 1 p.m. and another at 6 p.m. On Fri. the games will get under way again at 1 and at 6 p.m. On Saturday the day of the finals things will get going at

9 a.m. and at 5:30 p.m. There will be two games per session, and all action will take place at the Warm Springs Community Center.

Sancationed by the National Indian Activities Association (N.I.A.A.) will provide top Indian teams from Indian country. There will be ten teams vying for this year's championship. Teams from Popular, Montana; Vermillion, S.D.; Davis California; Seattle, Washington;

Bismark, S.D.; Chiloquin, and at press time three other teams have not yet been named, and to round out the ten will be the Host Warm Springs Magpies.

Each year as the holiday tournament gets underway it is obvious that the competition is becoming stronger and this year should prove just that. One can purchase advanced tickets from one of the tournament princesses; either a single game or a season ticket.

Indian Cattlemen's Association Rodeo Finals

This years N.A.I.C.A. National Finals were held in the Tulsa, Oklahoma sports arena. A well organized rodeo with top notch action livened this years annual event.

However there were two obstacles that plagued this years affair and they were (1) the N.A.I.C.A. did not advertise well

enough in advance for the public in the general area as the attendance was very slim, (2) on those same days over in Albuquerque, New Mexico the I.N.F.R. were staging their finals also which drew many top Indian cowboys there.

The N.A.I.C.A. finals in Tulsa was pretty much open to anyone who had sufficient evidence of Indian descent. Hopefully these two rodeos will not be on conflicting weekends next year.

The NAICA rodeo was of top caliber which provided the spectators with glamor and championship style from the stock furnished by the Jiggs Butler Rodeo Stock Contractor's.

One of the special features there was Match riding which was won by Roy Cooper in a winner take all encounter. At this time only the winners names were available and are as follows: Winner of the bull riding was Carey Hiner; in the steer riding for boys 14-15 Marty Johns was the winner; steer riding for boys 10-13 C.L. Johnson was the winner; in the bareback and saddle bronc Howard Hunter proved too much as he won both events; the barrel

race winner was Jackie Mudal; calf roping winner was Randy White; winner of the steer wrestling was Dell Fritzler, the team roping winners were Dan Dodson and Slim Dodson.

A more detailed report will appear in a later edition as there were several from Warm Springs represented there.

The Way The Pins Fall

Zane Jackson Logging Co. emerged on top of the first one-third of the bowling league standings by winning 29-15, Thomas Sales and Services 2nd with 28-16, Kahneeta and Confederated Tribes tied for third with 25-19 each, Madras Auto Supply 4th with 21-23, Warm Springs Chevron and Macy's 5th

with 22-22, VFW Post 4217 Warm Springs Athletic Association and Alice's Restaurant each had 19-25, Porterhouse 17-27 and bringing up the rear was the Farm Bureau Ins. Co. with 16-28.

In their last meeting for that period on the high team 3-game series Kah-Nee-Ta rolled a total of 2641, Macy's had 2603, Con-

federated Tribes 2600. In the high individual three-game series Ed Pidgeon rolled 622 for top honors; John Wright nipping his heels with a 620; Gene Greene followed with 582. First in the high team game Kah-Nee-Ta had 918, Warm Springs AA 911, Madras Auto Supply 904; first in the high individual game Ed Pidgeon 244, Tony Suppah 240 and John Wright 236.

Starting the next period Zane Jackson's Logging Co. is leading with a 4-0, Madras Auto Supply and Warm Springs Chevron 3-1, Porterhouse 2½-1½, Confederated Tribes Farm Bureau, VFW Post 4217, Alice's Restaurant all have 2-2, Warm Springs Athletic Association 1½-2½, Macy's and Thomas Sales and Service 1-3, Kah-Nee-Ta 0-4.

Sign Up For Holiday Bowling Tourney

If you sign up before December 21 for the Warm Springs Holiday All-Indian Bowling Tournament you'll save yourself a late registration fee and make scheduling a lot easier for tournament director Mike Clements.

The tournament will be held December 31-January 2 and entries close December 31. Featured in the tournament will be divisions for men's and women's singles, doubles and teams of four as well as mixed doubles.

The ABC-sanctioned tournament will be held at Pelton Lanes in Madras beginning at 10:00 a.m. Saturday and Sunday,

with the championship games getting underway Monday at 11:00 a.m.

Entry blanks and ruels are available from Mike Clements, P.O. Box 715, Warm Springs, 553-1456 (home) or 553-1161 ext. 270 (office).

*** Cagers Gearing Up For Opener ***

Madras White Buffaloes eye a long narrow path as the basketball season opener nears. Their first encounter will be

with Oakridge in Madras on December 9, in one of their pre-season games. Four returning lettermen head up this

year's squad, Brooks, Gallagher, Dupont and Whitney Miller and they are backed up with some excellent new talent in Brian Defender, Simon Kalama, Mike Fiala from Warm Springs as well as Dmytryk, Wilson and Wickliffe.

Joe Blinco on his second season as head Coach sees an interesting season and has a better outlook on the Greater Oregon league which include Crook County, Grant Union, Mac Hi, Wahtonka, Burns, Nyssa, Vale and Madras. Teams to watch this year are Mac Hi, Burns and Vale. Blinco is pleased with the kids and expects a good season.

The pre-season games are fine because this give the Coach an opportunity to see just what he has to work with. The starting positions are still up for grabs at this point as all the boys show a lot of promise. Blincoe said that the pattern will run similar in most respects as of the previous season, but there will be alternations as there are in any situation.

The Central Oregon tournament will be one of the big tests for the Buffaloes which include Crook County Cowboys, Redmond Panthers, Bend Lava Bears and the Madras White Buffaloes.

said he would probably keep eleven team members and that everybody would get a lot of playing.

Wiles doesn't seem too concerned about the upcoming December 8 game against Bend. "Bend has big, tall girls so we'll just have to outrun, outshoot, and outquick 'em," he states matter-of-factly.

The coach seems enthusiastic about their two-day tournament December 9th and 10th at Sheridan. "We rent a beach cabin and I stay in the basement while the girls share the upstairs and the cooking duties," he remarked. "It's fun and we save a lot of money that way."

With another week of practice ahead of them and the leadership of an enthusiastic coach, all that need be added is a good turn-out and lusty shouts of "ow-na!"

ior), Sally Rhoad (senior), Marla Patt (senior), Radine Johnson (sophomore), Jennita Ennis (junior), and Roxanne Spino (junior).

As for Kimiko Danzuka, Wiles thinks that "she'll take over where Kim Manion left off." He refers to Danzuka as a tiny player with exceptional ability.

"Mina Shike does a lot of rebounding and has good hands," Wiles continued. But he said her problem last year was foul trouble. "If we can just keep her out of foul trouble this year she'll be great."

Wiles had a great deal of praise for Radine Johnson and expects to see her play a lot this year.

"It should be exciting," predicted Wiles. "We have a more balanced team this year — and seven or eight could start." He

Girls White Buffs Team Shaping Up For First Test

"Our goal is to do what we did last year until someone proves us different," says Coach Dave Wiles of his girls varsity basketball team.

Since early November, when the first practice session was held, Wiles has been helping shape up a team that he thinks can do the job. And the first test will be against Bend at Madras on December 8.

At this state, it appears that half the team will again be comprised of girls from Warm Springs.

As of press time, Wiles said that the starters will most likely be seniors Mary Nelson and Mina Shike at forward, Roberta Koch (junior) at center, and guards Kimiko Danzuka (sophomore) and Joanie Hatfield (senior).

The other team members are: Tammi Winterburn (jun-

Trailblazer Schedule

HOME

OCTOBER					
SAT	OCT	22	SAN ANTONIO	8:00 PM	
TUE	OCT	25	BUFFALO	8:00 PM	
FRI	OCT	28	PHILADELPHIA	8:30 PM	
NOVEMBER					
TUE	NOV	1	N.Y. KNICKS	8:00 PM	
SAT	NOV	5	SEATTLE	8:00 PM	
SUN	NOV	6	INDIANA	7:00 PM	
TUE	NOV	8	KANSAS CITY	8:00 PM	
SAT	NOV	19	CLEVELAND	8:00 PM	
SUN	NOV	20	DETROIT	7:00 PM	
WED	NOV	23	CHICAGO	8:00 PM	
SAT	NOV	26	N.Y. NETS	8:00 PM	
TUE	NOV	29	PHOENIX	8:00 PM	
DECEMBER					
TUE	DEC	13	BUFFALO	8:00 PM	
SAT	DEC	17	WASHINGTON	8:00 PM	
TUE	DEC	20	BOSTON	8:00 PM	
FRI	DEC	23	LOS ANGELES	8:00 PM	
SUN	DEC	25	GOLDEN STATE	7:00 PM	
JANUARY					
SUN	JAN	1	KANSAS CITY	7:00 PM	
TUE	JAN	3	CHICAGO	8:00 PM	
SAT	JAN	7	DETROIT	8:00 PM	
SUN	JAN	8	NEW ORLEANS	3:45 PM	
TUE	JAN	10	N.Y. KNICKS	8:00 PM	
THU	JAN	26	N.Y. NETS	8:00 PM	
SUN	JAN	29	HOUSTON	TBA	
TUE	JAN	31	MILWAUKEE	8:00 PM	
FEBRUARY					
FRI	FEB	3	GOLDEN STATE	8:00 PM	
SUN	FEB	12	DENVER	1:00 PM	
TUE	FEB	14	PHOENIX	8:00 PM	
WED	FEB	15	ATLANTA	8:00 PM	
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TUE	MAR	21	SEATTLE	8:00 PM	
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APRIL					
TUE	APR	4	HOUSTON	8:00 PM	
FRI	APR	7	DENVER	8:00 PM	
SUN	APR	9	LOS ANGELES	3:30 PM	

AWAY

OCTOBER					
FRI	OCT	21	AT SEATTLE	8:00 PM	
WED	OCT	26	AT DENVER	6:35 PM	
NOVEMBER					
FRI	NOV	11	AT ATLANTA	5:05 PM	
SAT	NOV	12	AT HOUSTON	6:05 PM	
TUE	NOV	15	AT MILWAUKEE	5:30 PM	
WED	NOV	16	AT INDIANA	5:05 PM	
SUN	NOV	27	AT LOS ANGELES	7:00 PM	
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FRI	DEC	2	AT PHOENIX	6:30 PM	
TUE	DEC	6	AT CLEVELAND	5:00 PM	
WED	DEC	7	AT PHILADELPHIA	5:05 PM	
FRI	DEC	9	AT BOSTON	4:30 PM	
SAT	DEC	10	AT N.Y. KNICKS	5:00 PM	
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