

Spilyay Tymoo

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Shawn Best, Omak, Washington, completes an eight second ride.

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Many participate at Tygh Valley

Kicking off another year of glory or despair for the Indian Cowboy of the Western States All-Indian Rodeo Association, a rodeo was sponsored by the Tywama Saddle Club, and held in Tygh Valley, Oregon. With superb weather conditions this year as the temperatures soared into the high 80's and low 90's provided perfect rodeo weather. Indian cowboy's and cowgirl's from throughout the western states emerged on Tygh Valley, for two days of tough competition working with the top rodeo stock provided by the Sombbrero Rodeo Ranch of Sisters, Oregon.

The Tywama All-Indian rodeo once noted for producing one of the most exciting rodeos with the wild horse right off the range from the Warm Springs reservation, horses that never have been handled by man before created some wild and unpredictable scenes that wooed the crowds of thousands in previous years. Some said that that was like a flash back to the old days of years past.

For the rest of the season Indian cowboys will follow a string of WSIRA sanctioned rodeos trying to pile up as many points as they can before the season ends. The contestants who have compiled the most points in their special events which could be either in the rough stock or timed events will be declared the champion of that event. The top two contestants in each event will earn the right to represent the WSIRA at the National finals held each year in November.

Now that the Tygh Valley rodeo is the thing of the past the next one will be held during the 22nd annual Chief Schonchin Days Rodeo in Klamath Falls, Oregon. This is a WSIRA sanctioned rodeo and will be held on May 25-26.

During the two day rodeo at Tygh Valley competition was tough with some very close scores in all the events. Following are the results.

In the bareback riding contest there were a total of 11 entries, 19 in the saddle bronc, 13 in the bullriding, 18 in the calf roping, 37 in the cow milking, 11 in the steer wrestling, 120 in all in the team roping, 29 in the barrel race, seven entries in the wild horse race and two in the Jr. bareback riding.

Bareback: 1. John Hammack, score 70; 2. Terry Parrish, score 65; 3. Shawn Best, score 60; ground split among the top three.

Saddlebronc: 1. Vince Garcia, score 68; 2. Elwood Hinkley, 66; 3. Frank Paz, 66, 4. Shawn Best 65.

Bullriding: 1. Allen Flett, 72; 2. Dave Best, 71; 3. Shawn Best 69; 4. ground split among the top three.

Wildcow Milking: 1. Anson Begay, Warm Springs, Oregon 24.79; 2. Wes Williams, Sr. 32.72; 3. Bozo Sampson, 32.76; 4. Roger Fiander, 37.52; 4. Fred Herrera, 37.63; 5. Jr. Adams 40.21.

Calf roping: 1. Todd Cline, Carson City, Nevada, 12.68; 2. Jerry Small 12.97; 3. Robert Hicks, 13.78; 4. Ed Harry, 15.47.

Steer Wrestling: 1. Garret Spoonhunter 9.80; 2. Cort Herrera, 13.53; 3. John Mesplie 97.78, 4. ground split among the top three.

Team roping: 1. Thumper Miller and Erwin Miller, Chiloquin, 8.79; 2. Fred Williams and Wes Williams, Schurz, Nevada, 9.48; 3. Fred Kinerson, and Randy Rogers, 9.65; 4. Jr. Adams and Wayne Hamlin 10.05; 5. Jr. Adams and Roger Fiander 10.36; 6. Melvin Sampson and Roger Fiander 10.60.

Barrel Race: 1. Lorraine Garcia, 19.236; 2. Sharon Covington, 19.266; 3. Sammy Allen, Warm Springs, 19.285; 4. Marla McDade, 19.286; 5. Marita Johnson, Warm Springs 19.400; 6. Lucella Glazier, 19.434.

Wildhorse race: On Saturday the team from Portland of Charley Scott, Buck Smith, Warm Springs, second and Jason Smith, Warm Springs, third.

On Sunday, Jason Smith first, Buck Smith, second and Marvin Martinez third.

Jr. Bareback: There were two entries in this event they were Tom Waters, Chiloquin and Thurman Squimphen of Warm Springs.

Little League underway

During the first round of action on May 20, the little league got into full swing as the teams took to the field for the first time this year by pitting the Little Bucks against the Christian Church in Madras and the Insurance Mart against the Papooses here in Warm Springs, while Culver stood idle this week.

The Little Bucks had little trouble with the Christian Church beating them soundly 15-1, on their home field. In the meantime here in Warm Springs it was a little different story as the highly rated Insurance Mart pounded out a 7-6 win over the Papooses in a close and good game. At times both teams

looked real good and again they looked a little sluggish. But with it being the first game in the season things could shape up as time goes on.

On Wednesday May 22, the Christian Church will play a game with Culver, the Little Bucks will travel to meet the Insurance Mart in Madras, The Papooses drew a bye.

Some of the particulars the coaches and players must follow during the season. (1) All games must start at 6 p.m. (2) No inning shall start after 7:30 p.m. while school is in session; or after 8:30 p.m. when school is out. (3) The home team is responsible for game balls, and is the official score keeper. (4)

No smoking—Little League regulations (5) Pitchers may pitch six innings per week—only three innings a game.

White Buffaloes victorious at meet

Madras White Buffaloes won 12 of 17 events in the May 9 track meet with Bend scoring 79 over Bend's 65 points.

Jeff Houts set a school record with a 13-6 pole vault. He also finished first in the 110 high hurdle with a 16:36.

Mike Donaghu placed first in the 1500 meter with 4:14.02 and the 800 meter with 2:00.05.

The 100 meter run was taken by Mike Hulsey in 11:56 Hulsey finished first in the 200 meter with 24:18.

Dale Hemerick placed first for Madras in the 300 meter hurdle with a 43:74.

A 10:00 time in the 3000 meter run brought Don Hoaglin in first.

Jason Smith threw a 45-6 shot put.

Madras also took the 400 meter and 1600 meter relays.

In JV events Jason Palmer finished first in the 100 meter with 12:62 and the 200 meter with 25:89. Mike Hulsey threw a 36-8 shot put while Mike Ragland placed first in discus with a 117-2½ throw.

Madras also took the 400 meter relay and 1600 meter relay.

White Buffalo girls won 68-61 over Bend. Finishing first for Madras were: Robi Osborn in the 500 meter, 5:19:10; Laurie Williams in the 100 meter, 13:14; Leah Wilkinson in the 400 meter, 62:17 along with completing the long jump with 15-3; Lisa Harrison in the 200 meter, 26:69. Madras took the 1600 meter relay with a 4:28.12 time.

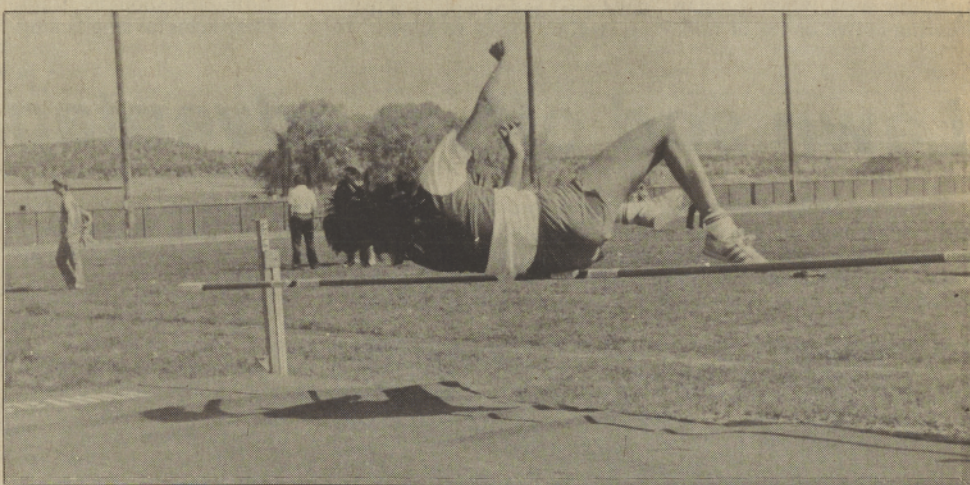
W.S. girls begin year

With four teams in Jefferson County the girls took to the field on May 21, where Culver went up against the Madras team No. 1., while here at home the Warm Springs girls hosted the Madras No. 2 team.

It didn't take the Warm Springs girls long to get things going as they beat the Madras team soundly 17-1, to open up a good showing for the 85 year. Being

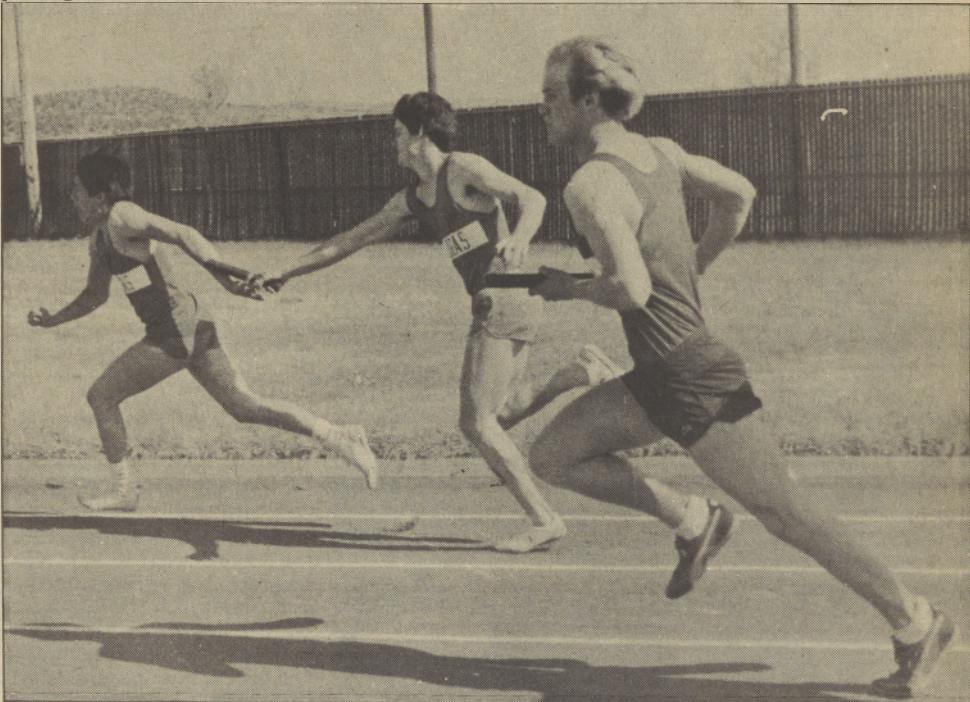
alert at all times the W.S. girls were able to score each time they were up to bat. It was quite evident that the girls from Madras need a lot of practice and are still not ready to play ball.

On Thursday May 23, the girls will travel to Culver for a game while the two Madras teams will play at Madras.



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Monica Wahnetah finished second with a 4'2" high jump during competition with Bend High School at Madras May 9. She jumped a 4'8" during competition with Mt. View High School May 14, again placing second.



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Madras High takes first in 400 mile relay during May 9 track meet. Taking the baton from Madras High JV team member Todd Beamer is Jason Palmer. Also pictured is varsity runner Lowell Heydon.



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