

Spilyay Tymoo



SPORTS

Buffaloes bomb Nyssa Bulldogs Vale gets win in overtime

The Madras White Buffaloes took a wrong turn somewhere along the way now find themselves with a

one-win and two-loss record. They dropped their opener by one point to the Burns Hilanders 50-51, and

were edged out by the Vale Vikings 65-58. They came back to post a 68-65 overtime win over the Ontario Tigers on their home court. The last two games were on the road which are always tough to win.

On January 20, the Buffs hosted the Nyssa Bulldogs for their second home GOL game. This was perhaps one of those times Nyssa thought the bus should have broken down or something because they were almost blown out of the gym with the final score 82-46.

The way it looked, the Buffs were out to prove they are the "Best in the West," despite the two losses earlier. Before the night was over the entire bench got into the act and all scored but one.

The Buffs jumped out to a 21-2 first quarter lead and never looked back nor were they in any kind of trouble the rest of the night. Meanwhile the Nyssa Bulldogs were taking those desperation three-point shots, hoping one would fall. They did manage to get 8 three-pointers. Nyssa's big quarter were the third and fourth when all the regulars were sitting on the bench.

Eric Petersen led the scoring for the Buffs with 14. Commingore 13, Harris 12, Earnest 10, Remo Smith 10, Collins 8, Sullivan 8, Scott Moses 4, Holiday 2, and Boyle 1. Jones.

This week the Buffs have just one game on Saturday night when they travel to Milton-Freewater to meet the Mac Hi Pioneers.

A basketball game for the first place spot in the Greater Oregon League took place between the Vale Vikings and the Madras White Buffalo girls on Friday January 19, 1990, as each team entered the game undefeated in league play.

Although outmanned in height and experience the White Buffalo girls made it known they were no push-over and took Vale right down to the wire. At the end of regulation play the scoreboard lit up a 51-51 tie, forcing an overtime. This was a game that could have gone either way. Vale outscored the Buffs in the first two quarters. After one quarter of play, Vale 18, Buffs 16. They outscored the Buffs in the second quarter 14-10 and led at halftime 32-26.

In the second half, the Buffs made a great comeback to outscore the Vikings 12-7 in the third and 13-12 in the final quarter. With about three minutes left in the game Vale started to play keep-away as they led with a pretty comfortable score but with some turnovers and a lot of hustle by the Buff girls they were able to catch up, first by a foul on Laura Sahme where she made both ends of a one and one and another on Becky Dodson. She also converted on the one and one leaving a score of 51-48. With time running out Vale made a turnover and Becky Dodson took a pass and made a desperation three-point shot where the ball hit nothing but the net which brought the almost packed house to its feet with a roar and to see the score tied at 51 apiece as time ran out.

On the opening tip the Buffs blew a lay-up and a tip and fouled a Vale player which sent them ahead on two foul shots. Moses and Dodson were the only ones who could score in the overtime for the Buffs and the Vikings went on a rampage at the foul line where they collected all their points in the overtime period and to give them the victory. Shirley Allen, Michelle Simmelink and Laura Sahme all fouled out. Allen and Simmelink during regular play and Sahme during the overtime period.

Buff girls top Nyssa

The week-end of January 12, 13, 1990, the girls picked up a couple of Greater Oregon League basketball wins.

On Friday night they hosted the Nyssa Bulldogs and beat them 55-20. Jumping right out to a 10-4 first quarter lead. The Lady Buffs never looked back as they picked up their second league win for the year. By half time the score was 19-9 and the girls were in a comfortable lead, out playing their foes in the first two quarters quite handily. The third and fourth quarters, it was all Madras and the whole bench got into the game and saw plenty of action.

Jocelyn Moses led the scoring for the Lady Buffs with 13, from 6 field goals and one at the foul line. Michelle Simmilink was next with 10 points all from 5 field goals. Laura Sahme chipped in 9 points with 4 field goals and one from the foul line and she had several assists. Becky Dodson added 8 points from three field goals and two foul shots. Joey Ratliff popped in six points from three field goals, Shirley Allen had two field goals for four points, Marcy Haws three, Becky Soliz, Louanne Foltz each had one point apiece and Arlene Duff.

The top scorer for the Nyssa Bulldogs was Candy Carter with a total of 9 points. Smith 3, Severin 2, Martinez 2, Langley 2, Walker 2, Ramos, Ellsworth, and Shipp. Martinez fouled out of the game and there was one technical foul on the Nyssa bench.

Angie Evans, a highly regarded basketball player and a great athlete, outscored everyone despite a box 1 defense which was set up to try to contain her. She ended up with a total of 25 points, Maag 13, Shelton 9, Kavanaugh 7, Minar 6, Aldred 2.

Becky Dodson, Laura Sahme and Jocelyn Moses all scored 14 points each for the Buffs, Michelle Simmelink 9, Marcy Hawes 4, Joey

Ratliff, Shirley Allen. With this game now in the record books the future still looks bright for the Buffs even though Vale still appears to be the "Beast in the East."

The Buff girls hit the road this weekend as they travel to Nyssa on Friday night and they face the Baker Bulldogs on Saturday night. It still is a tough road but if the Buff girls hang tough they could end up with a good season.

Buff girls get win on road

On Saturday, January 13, the Buffalo girls traveled to Milton-Freewater to face the Mac Hi Pioneers and came away with another win as they soundly beat Mac Hi 67-35.

Like jumping out of the starting gates to over run their opponents the Buff gals were on top 11-6 at the end of one. And by half time the score was 34-19, with the Buff in no serious trouble at all.

Jocelyn Moses again led the scoring for the Buff gals with a total of 23 points, Shirley Allen 15,

Becky Dodson 10, Becky Soliz 6, Marcy Hawes 4, Laura Sahme 2, Michelle Simmilink 2, Joey Ratliff 2, Durette 2, Mandy Fine 1.

Jennifer White tipped the scoring for the Mac Hi Pioneers with a total of 19, Schubert 6, Jennings 4, Stickler 3, Keller 2, Brutscher 1, Roloff, Winn, and Reicheret.

On January 19, the Buffs host the ever tough Vale Viking team who has another unbeaten record in league play and is the top contender for the GOL crown.



Scott Moses goes high in the air for two points against the Nyssa Bulldogs as the Buffaloes went on a rampage winning 82-46 in GOL action.

Basketball tourney scheduled

The first weekend in February is the time set for the 40-Year and Over Basketball Tournament. Players will coming from all parts

of the nation including Arizona, Nevada, Idaho, Montana, California, Washington and Oregon. Make plans to attend.

Boys will play the Baker Bulldogs February 2 at MHS. Girls play Ontario Tigers February 3. JV begins at 5:45, Varsity at 7:30 p.m.

New football for next season

Like a new kid on the block there is a new feature for the coming football season and that's a fluorescent football which was designed by Charles O. Finley.

According to a person with the Oregon State Activities Association (OSAA), the ball has been approved by the National Federation of State High School Associations for use. It was also approved by the OSAA for use next season here in this state.

This is entirely up to the coaches to decide on whichever they want to use. The main feature for the use of this ball is it can be seen much better at night especially for the pass receivers. At night is when most of the high school games are played across the country. The stripes on the ball be painted length wise in fluorescent yellow stripes. During the games the two teams can use whichever type of ball they prefer, they are not required to use what the other team is using.



In a game against the Nyssa Bulldogs girls basketball Laura Sahme goes up for a basket, gets fouled, to end up with a three-point play.

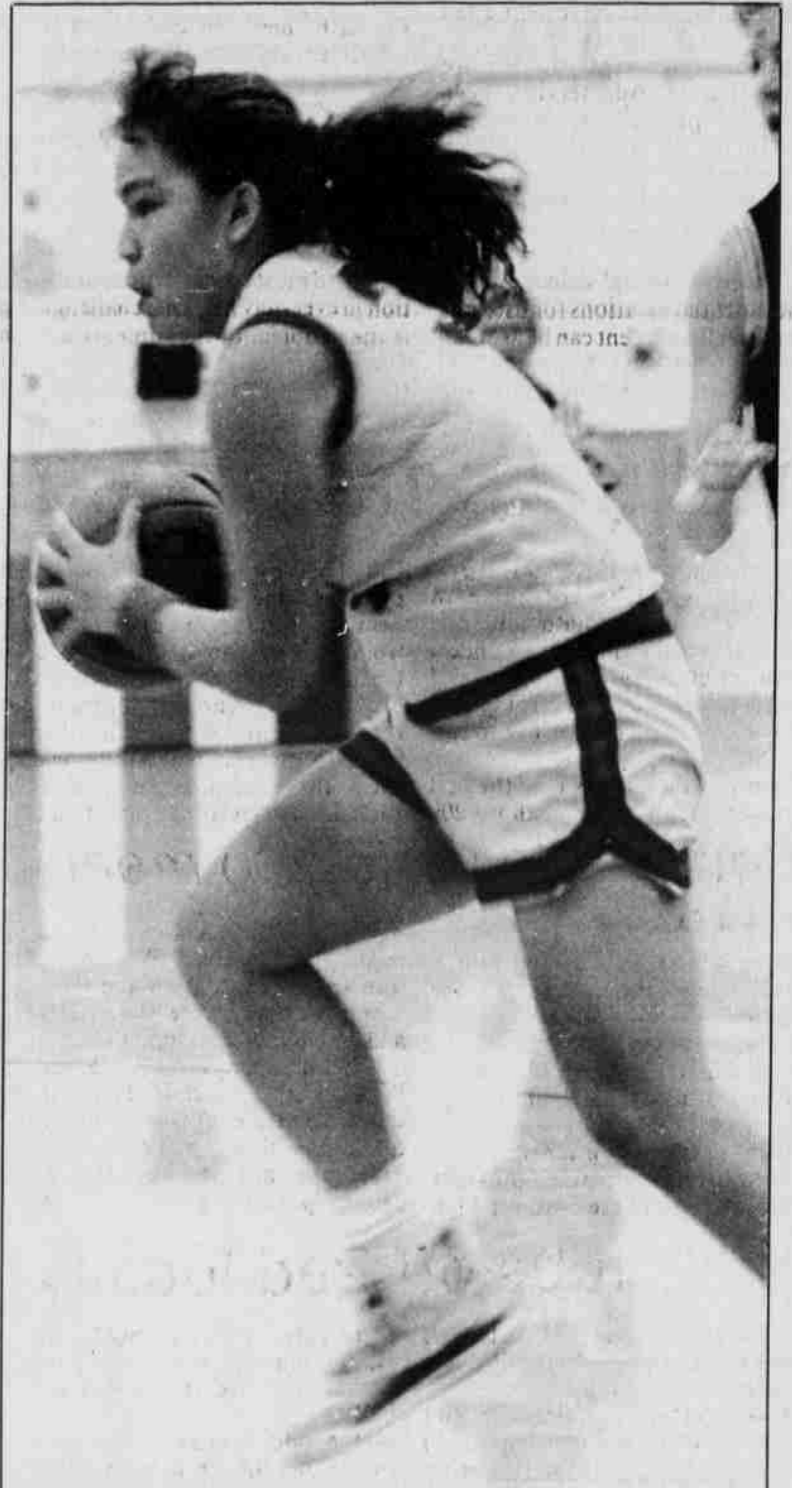
Co-ed volleyball tourney set

A Co-ed volleyball tournament is set for January 27, 1990 at the Warm Springs Community Center. It begins at 9:00 a.m. The fee is \$60.00.

Sweatshirts will be awarded to first place winners. Second and third place will receive T-shirts.

Special T-shirts will be awarded for team sportsmanship. Door prizes will also be awarded.

The tournament is sponsored by the Warm Springs Recreation Department. Call 553-1361 for more information.



Becky Soliz makes a move toward the basket during the game with Nyssa.

1989-90 Varsity/JV wrestling schedule

WED	1/17	REDMOND TRNY F/S	3:30
SAT	1/20	STEVENSON TRNY V	10:00
FRI	1/26	*BURNS JV/V	HOME 4:00
SAT	1/27	*VALE JV/V	HOME 2:00
WED	1/31	MT VW TRNY FR/SO	MT VW 3:30
FRI	2/2	*ONTARIO JV/V	AWAY 5:45
SAT	2/3	*BAKER JV/V	AWAY 1:00
SAT	2/10	*NYSSA JV/V	HOME 2:00
SAT	2/17	*MAC-HI JV/V	AWAY 2:00
FRI	2/23	DISTRICT JV/V	ONTARIO 3:00
SAT	2/24	DISTRICT JV/V	ONTARIO 10:00

*Denotes League Match

Public meeting scheduled

The staff of the Recreation Department would like to invite you to a public meeting on Thursday, February 1, 1990 at 6:30 p.m. The purpose of the meeting is to give the recreation department an opportunity to share some of our proposals for the facility. This will also

give you an opportunity to provide us with your ideas of how the recreation department can be improved.

The meeting will be held in the Social Hall at the Warm Springs Community Center.

