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Scott Riddle blocks a shot in game against LaSalle.

Madras scores 62-49 win over LaSalle

The no. 1 Madras White Buffaloes hosted the LaSalle Falcons on Saturday February 1, at the Buff Dome. In front of one of the largest crowds this year, the Madras boys held off LaSalle 62-49, to improve their Tri-Valley record to 10-1 and 15-2 overall. Madras is now tied with Wilsonville for first place in the Tri-Valley league standings.

In the first quarter LaSalle built a 5-0 lead before the Buffs came back to even the score at 14 each. Madras pulled ahead and after one they had a 17-14 lead.

The second quarter Madras' Miller picked up his third foul and had to sit down, but Wyatt came and gave the Buffs a lift with four points in the quarter. The home team outscored the visiting Falcons 18-10 in what proved to be the turning point of the game.

When Scott Riddle joined Brian Miller on the bench because of foul trouble, LaSalle looked as if they were going to make an run at the

Buff lead, but instead, the Madras team picked up their defense and built their lead to an 35-24 advantage at the half. Before Riddle left he made three great plays, he took an offensive charge, made a three-point basket and blocked a shot.

The third LaSalle and Madras traded baskets with the Falcons scoring 11 to the Buff's nine. The score read Madras 44, LaSalle 35.

In the fourth period of play, Madras put the game out of reach by scoring 18 points in the quarter, LaSalle scored 14 points but that was not enough to catch the Buffaloes.

The Buffs had three players score double figures lead by Riddle with 16, Jon Klos, at 10 and Brian Miller with 11. LaSalle was lead in scoring by Dave Mueller with 15 and Pietrok had 11. LaSalle's senior Jeff George, point guard, who had 24 points the last time the teams met was held to two points by Michael Kirsch.

Madras' next game is at Valley Catholic February 7.

Buff's coast to victory

The no. 1 Madras boys overcame the loss of three regular starters and beat Valley Catholic 78-52 at Valley Catholic. Brian Miller lead way with six three pointers enroute to a game high 34 points.

Madras played Valley Catholic and had several players step up their game in winning. The first quarter the Buffs had an 19-8 lead and 39-19 half time lead. Madras coasted the rest of the way winning by the score of 78-52.

Madras used three players from the JV team. 6'3" Jason James a junior, 6'1" Brian Sites sophomore and 5'10" sophomore Steve Reeder.

The three regular starters were Michael Kirsch who got injured in the first quarter. Scott Riddle and Peter Johnson did not make the trip due to injuries.

The scoring for Madras was as follows: Miller 34 points, Rico 12, Klos 9, James 8, and Wyatt 5. Five other players scored two points.

Madras boys win showdown with Wilsonville

The Madras White Buffaloes hosted the Wilsonville Wildcats at the Buff Dome, Tuesday 11. The Tri-Valley league's top two teams were trying to earn the automatic berth to the class-three state tournament. The stage was set with a packed Buffalo Dome, for the first time this year Madras had to use the upper bleachers.

Madras started slowly but as the game went along they picked up easy baskets and ran away with an 86-62 win. The win puts Madras in the first place and they can win the Tri-Valley league title outright if they win two out of the next three games.

In the first quarter both teams started out even the Buffs scored first with a three point basket by Riddle but the Wildcats responded by taking a two point lead. Madras then started to settle down and at the end of one the Buffs were ahead 18-16.

The second quarter belonged to Madras. They out-scored the Wildcats 16-6. Riddle lead Madras by scoring nine in the quarter in helping Madras build a 34-22 half-time lead. Riddle had 16 points at the half.

Madras came out of the lockers and scored six unanswered points to make Wilsonville call a time-out. The Madras freight train kept rolling and had a 63-38 lead after three periods of play. Riddle still had the hot hand scoring 14 in the period. Michael Kirsch added six in the period with three coming by a three point basket. Madras used great defense to get easy transition baskets.

The Buffs went out of the Wilsonville Wildcats in the fourth with Madras at times leading by as many as 30 points. Mid-way through the quarter the Wildcats put in the reserves and never got closer then

twenty points after that. Madras pulled its starting five off, each received a standing ovation coming off the floor.

Madras coach Evan Brown stated "We came out after halftime determined to make a statement that we are going to be tough to beat in our gym. Riddle got going and scored a quiet 36 points. Our defense stepped up in the third and when our defense does, that we get easier looks at the basket."

"We now are in the driver's seat for the league title. We don't need anyone's help now if we take care of business the rest of the way." Brown concluded.

Madras' next two games are on the road with the first stop The Dalles on February 14, and Gladstone on February 18. Madras wraps up the regular season with Portland Christian coming to town on February 22.

1st Annual North End Express All-Indian 30&over scheduled for February 21-23, at the Warm Springs Community Center. For more information call Austin Greene at 553-3242 or 553-1953

Lady Buffs sweep two

The Madras Lady Buffaloes won two games over the weekend. First was Portland Christian on Friday February 7, and Valley Catholic on Saturday February 8.

Madras defeated Portland Christian 50-36 on Friday, then on Saturday the Lady Buffs defeated the Valiants of Valley Catholic, by the score of 70-55. The Lady Buffaloes league record is 10-4 and 13-5 with only two games left. Madras traveled to Wilsonville on Tuesday February 11, and on Saturday February 15. The Dalles will be in town for the last league game.

In Friday's game, Madras got great play from Deece Suppah who had a game high 16 points. Taralee Suppah pitched in 12 points.

Madras played pressure defense and had an 13-8 lead after one quarter of play.

The Lady Buffs then out scored the Royals 29 to 10 in the next two quarters of play and lead 42-18 after three quarters.

The Lady Royals made the score closer by out scoring Madras 18-8 in the fourth for the final score of 50-36.

In Saturday night's game, Madras used a full court press to break down the Valiants and won by the score of 70-55. Individual score was not available a press time.



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Scott Riddle scores two of his game high 36, in contest with Wilsonville.

Jefferson County Middle School sports schedule

The JCMS sports have changed with the girls starting basketball and the boys wrestling. The schedule for both sports is as follows:

Girls Basketball, consist of three teams. House A=White, House B=Red and House C=Red.

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| Thursday-13 | | | |
| White | at Hartman Blue | Redmond | 4 pm |
| Blue | at Obsidian Red | Redmond | 2:30 pm |
| Crook County | Madras Red | JCMS | 4 pm |
| Tuesday-18 | | | |
| Madras White | Hartman Blue | Redmond | 4 pm |
| Madras Blue | Obsidian Red | Redmond | 4 pm |
| Hartman Blue | Madras Red | JCMS | 4 pm |
| Wednesday-19 | | | |
| Madras&Intramurals | Sisters | Sisters | 4 pm |
| Thursday-20 | | | |
| Culver | Madras White | JCMS | 4 pm |
| Madras Blue | Hartman White | Redmond | 4 pm |
| Madras Red | Obsidian Red | Redmond | 4 pm |
| Tuesday-25 | | | |
| Madras White | Bye | | |
| Obsidian Red | Madras Blue | JCMS | 4 pm |
| Madras Red | Gilchrist | Gilchrist | 4 pm |
| Thursday-27 | | | |
| Crook County | Madras White | JCMS big gym | 4pm |
| Gilchrist | Madras Blue | JCMS small gym | 4pm |
| Madras Red | Obsidian White | Redmond | 4 pm |
| Tuesday March 4 | | | |
| Madras | Madras | JCMS | 4pm |
| Madras&Intramurals | Crook County | | 4pm |
| Thursday-6 | | | |
| Madras Blue | Obsidian White | Redmond | 4pm |
| Madras Red | Hartman White | Redmond | 4pm |
| Hartman Blue | Madras White | JCMS | 4 pm |
| Tuesday-11 | | | |
| Madras White | Obsidian Red | Redmond | 4 pm |
| Madras Blue | Hartman Blue | Redmond | 4pm |
| Sisters | Madras Red | JCMS big gym | 4pm |
| Sisters Intramurals | Madras | JCMS small gym | 4 pm |
| Thursday-13 | | | |
| Madras White | Gilchrist | Gilchrist | 4pm |
| Madras Red | Culver | Culver | 4pm |
| Sisters | Madras Blue | JCMS big gym | 4pm |
| Sisters Intramurals | Madras | JCMS small gym | 4 pm |



Deece Suppah passes the ball during with Valley Catholic.

Wrestling schedule

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| Wednesday February 12 | |
| Madras & Obsidian | Cascade 4pm. |
| Wednesday-19 | |
| High Desert & Sisters | Madras JCMS 4pm. |
| Wednesday-26 | |
| Madras, LaPine & Sisters | Obsidian Redmond 4pm. |
| Wednesday March 5 | |
| Culver & Crook County | Madras JCMS 4pm. |
| Wednesday-12 | |
| District Meet | All Teams Crook County |
| weigh in's | 11:00 am |
| Meet starts | 12:00 pm. |

National Sports Coaches of Oregon certification class, which is good for one year, has been rescheduled to Saturday March 1, at the Warm Springs Community Center social hall, from 1 pm. to 4 pm. All Indigenous game coaches and Little League coaches are urged to attend. The cost is \$15 per coach. For more information contact Andy Leonard at 553-3243.

The fifth annual Warm Springs Cougars youth basketball tournament is rescheduled to February 28, March 1 and 2 at the Warm Springs Community Center. Entry fee is \$135 for both boys and girls teams. For more information, contact Austin Greene at (541) 553-3243 (work) or (541) 553-1953 (home)

Madras girls win in overtime

The Madras Lady Buffs traveled to LaSalle and came away with an overtime win, 62-58, improving their league record to 8-4 and 11-5 overall. Madras now stands three games behind first place The Dalles (10-2) and second place Gladstone (9-3).

Madras fell behind early in the game. With one quarter of play done the Lady Buffs were down 15-12. In the second quarter Madras got going and built a 29-23 lead.

In the third, the Lady Falcons scored 20 points but Madras responded by scoring 14 points of their own and the quarter ended in a 43-43 tie. In the fourth both teams scored 12 points and at the end of the fourth it was tied at 52 all.

In overtime Madras, scored 10 to LaSalles six points to come away with an 62-58 Tri-Valley win. TaraLee Suppah got things rolling with a three-point basket at the

beginning of the overtime period and Madras also got a great effort on defense from Deece Suppah who had a steal. Then Anne Gregg made two free throws to seal the victory for the Lady Buffs.

Madras coach John Peterson stated, "TaraLee and Deece Suppah carried the scoring load for us with 14 points each and Katie Christensen added 13. Kea Wyatt did a nice job controlling the game and Heather Duff held LaSalle high scoring Richards to 14 points. Peterson also added, "Since Deece Suppah move up to varsity from J.V. she makes us a better defensive team and always seems to be around the ball. They are starting to play together much better and we are in a good position with only four games left, since we have three games at home. The team is starting to realize they can win the close games." Peterson concluded.