

Girls finish 3rd at State



Madras, wearing their dark uniforms, beat Banks in the first round of the State Tournament at Gill Coliseum in Corvallis.

Congratulations to the Madras White Buffalos girls varsity basketball team. They finished third at the OSAA 4A State Tournament.

On the first evening of the tournament, Madras defeated Banks 41-27. The statistic sheets for the tournament say the following:

In the game against Banks, Abby Scott had 13 points, Rosey Suppah 11, Joella Smith 6 points, Mysti Spino 4, and Mallory Smith 4.

Joella Smith, Cheyenne Wahnetah and Lucy Suppah each had three steals, and Abby Scott also had two blocks. Smith had four assists, while Scott had three and Lucy Suppah had two assists.

On the second day of the tournament, Madras lost to No. 1 seeded Cascade by a score of 48-38.

In that game, Abby Scott had 12 points, Joella Smith 9, Rosey Suppah 7, and Lucy Suppah 5 points.

Joella Smith had three steals. Mysti Spino had two assists. Abby Scott had four steals and two block shots.

In the game, Madras got behind Cascade early by 10 points and couldn't make up the deficit.

The next day Madras played Henley, winning 44-30, for third place in the tournament.

Abby Scott scored 17 points, Joella Smith had 9 points, Rosey Suppah 8, Cheyenne Wahnetah 5, and Lucy Suppah 3.

McConville named League All Opponent

Tribal member Charice M. McConville was chosen to the George League All Opponents.

McConville is a student and basketball player with the Klickitat Vandals of the Greater Columbia Gorge League.

Charice's parents are Michael Sean McConville Sr. and Kris Sampson.



Her paternal grandparents are Shirley and Gary Iman of Wishram, Wash.

Maternal grandparents are Gerald I. Sampson Sr. and Rosalind C. Sampson of Warm Springs.

Charice McConville (left) plays for the Klickitat Vandals.

Outstanding play at Klamath Falls tourney

Abby Scott and Cece Polk played for the Crater Lake Ladies Women's Basketball Team in the Fifty-Seventh Annual Nation Mens-Womens Tournament, held the weekend of March 18-20 in Chiloquin.

Scotty Riddle, former Madras White Buffalo varsity bas-

ketball player now at the Oregon Institute of Technology, played in the men's tournament.

Scott and Polk led their team to the championship game against NIAA powerhouse women's team out of Seattle, the Tri-Coastal Natives.

Scott was named the tournament Most Valuable Player, at age 16 the youngest to gain MVP recognition. Polk made the All Tourney Team.

Scotty Riddle, who plays forward at OIT, was named the Most Valuable Player in the men's tournament.

Schimmel leads Cardinals to first-round win

Louisville freshman point guard Shoni Schimmel had a team-high 19 points on Sunday against the Vanderbilt Commodores, in the first round of the Women's NCAA Tournament.

Louisville won the game 81-62. The Cardinals were scheduled to play this Tuesday evening against Xavier (game-time was after deadline for this publication).

In the game against Vanderbilt, Schimmel directed a young-but-poised offense.

Louisville used its quickness to build a 12-6 lead, forcing three quick turnovers. Vanderbilt guard Gabby Smith, playing in her hometown,

brought the Commodores back by scoring eight straight points.

That's when Louisville's tough man-to-man defense and balance took over.

Five Cardinals scored during an 11-0 run that built the lead to 27-16. Vanderbilt never got closer than seven points the rest of the way.

In the second half, Schimmel took over by hitting three consecutive baskets.

She got a rebound and drove the length of the court for a bank shot, then hit a pull-up jumper that made it 49-32, giving the Commodores a sense of desperation.

Vanderbilt went with a

quicker lineup and scored the next 12 points out of a timeout.

Louisville then went inside to regain control.

Louisville (21-12) failed to make the tournament last season after losing to Connecticut in the 2009 title game, a one-year absence that motivates a team starting freshman Schimmel and two sophomores.

The failure to make last year's tournament was especially galling because Louisville hosted opening-round games at Freedom Hall.

Coach Jeff Walz made his players attend the other teams' practices and see what they were missing.

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Pool tournament in memory of past players

There will be a Memorial Pool Tournament on Saturday, April 23 at the Rialto Tavern, 25 S.W. D Street, Madras.

The tourney may continue on Sunday, April 24, depending on the number of teams.

On Saturday, the tournament begins at 1 p.m. Registration is due by April 8, brackets done by April 15. 8-ball BCA; 3-person teams, one women required per team.

Winner - Race to 5/Lose - Race to 3 - Double elimination. Stick fee is \$20 per person. Payout: First place: 50 percent plus jackets. Second place: 30 percent and vests. Third place: 20 percent sweatshirts.

Prize for 1 - Top Man and 1 - Top woman shooter. Sportsmanship award for 1 - Team.

Raffle: various items/need not be present. Raffle tickets presale to be done. Silent auction: to take place during games. Fifty-fifty card game sales.

Friday: April 22 (Jackpot) starts at 7 p.m.: \$8 per person.

Mail entry form with name of captain, players names, fees by money order; and cell phone number. Address:

Attn: Lynn Davis; P.O. Box 208, Warm Springs, OR 97761.

Contacts: Pat Allen 541-325-3631; Lynn Davis 541-460-2028; Pearl Vanpelt 541-553-3212.

Memorial

The tournament is in memory and recognition of the following friends and family that have played: Myrtle Adams, Louis Allan Bagley, William Loren Bagley, George Berry, Blackwolf Kenneth Wilton, Jim Bryant, Tony Bryant, Kenny Calica, Gerald Charley, Cecil Conner, Eunice Faye Esquiro.

Dorothy Patricia "Pebbles" George, Jewels "Julie" George, Janice Marie Gilbert, Babette Greene, Martina Ann Heath, Charles Jack, Cy Katchia, Rita "Patches" Marchand, Charles Gibson Moody, Gary Rice, Wilma Scott, Ray Shike Sr., Norma M. Smith, Patricia Speakthunder, Frances Jeanne Thomas, Roscoe Thompson Jr., Leland Thompson Sr., Clay Thompson, Deanna Thompson, Lillian Walsey, Naomi "Wimpy" Winishut (bartender and shot pool at Rainbow Tavern.); Omar "Poopsie" Winishut (managed and played pool at the first pool hall in Warm Springs); Doris Wolfe, and James Wolfe.

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