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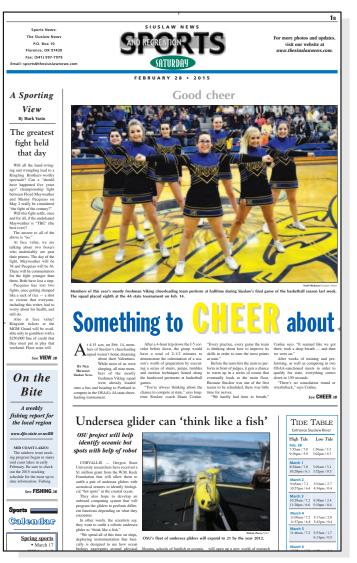
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After a four-hour trip down the I-5 corridor before dawn, the group had a total of 2-1/2minutes to demonstrate the culmination of a season's worth of preparation by executing a series of stunts, jumps, tumbles and motion techniques honed along the hardwood perimeter at basketball games.

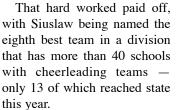
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"You're always thinking about the chance to compete at state," says long-time Siuslaw coach Diane Conlee. "Every practice, every game the team is thinking about how to improve its skills in order to earn the most points at state."

Because seven out of nine members of this year's team were freshman, Conlee choreographed the routine herself so that the team could focus all its attention on perfecting it.



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Leading Siuslaw this season was lone senior and two-year veteran Kennedy Roylance, along with junior Amilia Perez.

Freshman included Tallyn Bello, Emilee Christiansen, Emma Collins, Siarrah Rain, Victoria Rojas, Ariel Rosinbaum and Andrea Sanchez.

FEB. 28

LOCAL EQUESTRIANS SADDLE UP FOR STATE Mapleton's Geddes brothers qualify for multiple events

Chet and Jd Geddes will be in the saddle roping and competing in cow events with the

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best equestrians in the state.

Chet has already qualified for state in steer daubing, while he and his brother, Jd, are poised in first and second place in roping and steer daubing.

Together, they are ranked fifth in team penning.

May 13 **DUNES CITY TRIATHLON** Third annual event gets

largest turnout yet Athletes of all ages and skill level, from Olympic to enthusiast, gathered for Dunes City's third annual Oregon Dunes

Triathlon and Duathlon. Participants had the choice of competing in all three events - swimming, cycling and running - or a combination, including sprint, relay, Olympic, individual and team relay.

The top winners in the sprint division for the men was 21year-old Marco Ramirez with a time of 1:02:45. The female winner was 46-year-old Sara Cannon in 1:09:43.

In the Olympic division, 28 year-old Stephen Campbell men's triathlon in won the 2:16:38.

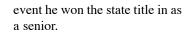
individuals who made their mark on everything from golf, track, basketball and football, as well as a spirit of volunteerism that has helped Siuslaw cross country and track programs become one of the best in the state.

Beginning in 1959, the first inductee named to this year's roster was John LaDuke, who won back-to-back state championships in the broad jump (1959, 1960), and was also a member of the state championship track team in 1960.

From the wrestling mats, **Ron Bly** was honored for his achievement as the 1965 state wrestling champion.

Susan Emery, a three-sport standout athlete, is well-known by anyone who followed Siuslaw sports in the late 1980s. Emery was a fierce competitor in volleyball, basketball and track, where she held the school record in both hurdles events in 1987.

During that same period, 1988 graduate Sherri Stapleton was a feared force on the hardwood, named the league's 1988 Player of the Year, as well as First Team All-



Calendar

<u>Oct. 2</u>

Oct. 22 8:31am / 6.3 8:13pm/ 6.3

1:49am / 0.8 2:29pm / 2.6

Oct. 23 9:21pm / 6.8 2:50am / 0.7 9:24pm / 6.5 3:33pm / 1.8

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His performance at the 2004 state meet led to the distinction as the meet's top individual point scorer. He remains on the 4A's top 10 list in both the 110meter hurdles and pole vault.

Cram was also named First team All-State in football.

Also being inducted was the 1988 state championship cheerleading team, as well as the 1993 and 1994 state championship golf teams.

Lastly, as a proponent, promoter and volunteer, local running enthusiast Jim Archer has been a mainstay to Siuslaw's cross country and track programs for more than two decades.

All were inducted into Siuslaw's Hall of Fame July 31, at the Florence Events Center.

May 20

LADY VIKS TAKE LEAGUE TRACK TITLE In addition, the boys team placed third and qualified

five athletes for state It was a day of personal bests and standout performances for the Vikings during last week-

events at district, two individual events and one team event.

Senior Joe Dotson raced to the district title in the 400meter race with a time of 50.99, while senior Seth Campbell won the 800-meter crown with a time of 1:58.60. He will also compete for the state title in the 3,000 meters after finishing second in 9:06.70.

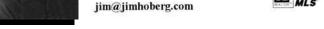
Dotson, who was second in the 300-meter hurdles (40.43), will advance to state in that event.

Campbell and Dotson eventually teamed up with Tyler Williams and Billy Jones in the 4x400-meter relay to win the event in 3:54.40.

Jones will also move on to state in the long jump after finishing second at district with a leap of 19-04.

Freshman thrower Trent Reavis placed second in the shot put at 46-05, qualifying him for state this weekend. Reavis was also third in the discus with a throw of 126-04.

SAILORS LAND FIVE SPOTS AT STATE MEET Jacob Pruett earned right to compete in all three throwing



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Annick Chalier, 36, won the women's race in 2:38:21.

MAY 16

HALL OF FAME **INDUCTEES ANNOUNCED** Seven individuals and two teams join The Hall

With names spanning nearly 40 years of athletic achievement and community service, this year's honorees included

Tournament and First Team All-State after Siuslaw won the 1988 state title.

Stapleton was inducted as part of the 1988 state championship team during last year's HOF ceremony.

Breaking into the new millennium, 2004 graduate Collin Cram remains the schoolrecord holder in three track events: the 110-meter high hurdles, 300-meter intermediate hurdles and the pole vault - an





Brush Cutting 🛓 Maintenance "Making Friends One Job at a Time." licensed, bonded, insured CCB 183908 end's Far West District meet in Brookings, where the Lady Vikings outscored Marshfield by 24 points to claim the district crown - along with six individual titles.

Though the boys finished third in team scoring, they will be sending five athletes to compete in nine events this weekend at Hayward Field in Eugene for the 4A state meet.

The girls, meanwhile, will send 11 Vikings to compete in nine events.

On the track, sophomore Celie Mans took the title in both the 3,000 meters and 1,500 meters, with times of 11:04.49 and 4:59.21, respectively. She also ran a leg on the 4x400-meter second-place relay team with Kennedy Pendergrass, Kaylee Graham and Destinie Tatum.

In the throws, sophomore Carissa Oliver was also a twotime champion, taking home titles in the shot put (34-05) and discus (121-0).

Tatum, also a sophomore, won the 400 meters in 1:01.4.

Junior runner and leaper Mikaela Siegel will move on to the state meet in the long jump after finishing second at 16-01. Siegel also scored for the Viks with third place in the 300meter hurdles (50.55), 100meter hurdles (16.26) and triple jump (33-07).

Joining the 4x400-meter relay team at state this weekend will be the 4x100-meter relay team of Abby Watkins, Elyssa Rose, Hannahleah Jakobsen and Stevie Miller, which finished second in 53.13.

In the 400-meter race, Pendergrass will compete for the state title after placing second to teammate Tatum with a time of 1:02.1.

The Viking boys won three

events

The Sailors set a dozen PRs including eight total lifetime records during the Mountain West League district meet.

For the boys, six athletes scored in double digits en route to four individual championship titles and three secondplace finishes.

The girls team also had three athletes score in double digits, along with having four lifetime personal bests and an individual district title in the pole vault for junior Hannah Rodet (5-6).

In the boys division, senior Jacob Pruett led the team in individual scoring with 33 points. Pruett won the shot put with a PR mark of 41-02, and the javelin (147-11). He was also second in the discus (106-8), qualifying him for state in all three events this Friday at Hayward Field in Eugene.

The Sailors also claimed the league crown in the 110-meter hurdles with sophomore Tyler Packebush's personal best time of 19.33, as well as sophomore Hunter Simington's PR vault of 11-6 for the league title and state qualification.

Packebush, who had the day's second-highest number of points with 33, was second in the pole vault with a personal best mark of 10-0.

Senior Chris Free, who was third in individual scoring with 25 points, will compete at state in the triple jump after finishing second with a leap of 38-05.25. He was also third in the long jump at 18-05.5.

The Sailors also got scoring from senior Tucker Ford, who was third in the javelin (138-01), fourth in the high jump (5-6), and eighth in the triple jump (32-07.25).