

Siuslaw News Sports & Recreation

VIKS PIN 14TH AT COTTAGE GROVE INV.

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Siuslaw took to the mats with 31 other schools over the weekend, competing at the two-day Cottage Grove Invitational mega-meet, where wrestling teams from multiple divisions from around the region got a taste of state competition.

The Vikings had seven wrestlers score to help Siuslaw finish 14th among the 32 teams.

"Our kids wrestled tremendously," said Siuslaw coach Neil Wartnik, whose team had three top-four placers. "They came and battled for two days, and had some major victories."

Leading Siuslaw was senior 152-pounder Talamoa Tupua, who won six out of seven matches, including over returning state champion Thomas



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Siuslaw senior 152-pounder Talamoa Tupua placed third at the 32-school meet after winning six matches.

Harvey of Lowell, in a 9-5 decision.

Tupua opened with a win by fall against Thomas KcKinney of Hidden Valley in 4:00. He then defeated Hidden Valley's Braydon Wright (8-6), but then lost to Austin Tillery of Henley by fall in 5:00.

Knocked into consolation, Tupua went on to win his next four matches, two by technical fall over Oakridge and Sheldon. Tupua's win against Harvey put him into the match for third place, where he landed a major decision over Asa Alexander of Cascade, 14-5.

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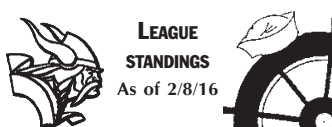
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MID COAST LAKES
Stocking of rainbow trout will begin soon in many mid coast water bodies. Look at the stocking report to see the full stocking season.

Fishing for the various warm water fish species tends to be slower during the winter months. There are numerous lakes in the Florence area that can provide good opportunity and have both boat and bank access.

SIUSLAW RIVER:
Steelhead
The winter steelhead fishery is fair to good for both the Siuslaw and Lake

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LEAGUE STANDINGS
As of 2/8/16

BASKETBALL

FWL GIRLS		MWL GIRLS	
BROOKINGS	6-0	LOWELL	11-1
MARSHFIELD	4-2	SILETZ	11-2
DOUGLAS	3-3	T. LAKE	9-3
N. BEND	3-3	MCKENZIE	8-4
SIUSLAW	1-5	ALSEA	5-8
S. UMPQUA	1-5	MAPLETON	3-9

FWL BOYS		MWL BOYS	
MARSHFIELD	6-0	SILETZ	10-0
S. UMPQUA	5-1	LOWELL	8-2
N. BEND	4-2	T. LAKE	7-3
BROOKINGS	2-4	MOHAWK	5-6
SIUSLAW	1-5	EDDYVILLE	4-8
DOUGLAS	0-6	MAPLETON	2-8



PHOTOS BY NED HICKSON/SIUSLAW NEWS

Mapleton sophomore post Dominic Wells looks for an opening against Mohawk's full-court press Friday night.

Mapleton teams meet match vs Mohawk

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MAPLETON GIRLS: 24 MOHAWK: 34
MAPLETON BOYS: 49 MOHAWK: 54

The last time the Sailors and Indians faced each other, in Marcola, it was a pair of close games that remained tight throughout most of the first three periods. In that matchup, the Lady Sailors came out on top by seven points, 30-23. The boys team had a narrow loss by just nine points, 44-35.

Friday night, when the two teams faced off once again — this time at Mapleton — it was another battle to the final buzzer for both teams.

Except this time, neither Sailors team was able to claim victory.



In both cases, a late-game rally by the Indians proved to be the difference in an otherwise virtual stalemate.

In the boys game, after Mapleton

junior post Josi Hays battles in the paint after grabbing a steal against Mohawk.

junior post Nick Smith tied the game at 2-2 early in the first quarter, the Indians went on a 12-0 run that left the Sailors trailing 14-2 until Smith scored on a jumper with 4:34 remaining.

After a free throw from Mohawk, Smith scored on offensive rebound.

Aside from a free throw from sophomore post Dominic Wells, Smith was the only scorer in an opening period that put Mohawk ahead 22-9.

In the second quarter, juniors Hunter Simington and Tyler Packebush came in off the bench and were able to put

See **MAPLETON 3C**

SPORTS

Calendar

Feb. 11

- MHS GIRLS BB
AT MCKENZIE
5:30 P.M.
- MHS BOYS BB
AT MCKENZIE
7 P.M.
- SHS WRESTLING
AT PHILOMATH
4:30 P.M.

Feb. 12

- SHS GIRLS BB
HOSTS BROOKINGS
6 P.M.
- SHS BOYS BB
HOSTS BROOKINGS
7:30 P.M.

Feb. 13

- SHS CHEER SQUAD
AT STATE IN PORTLAND
TBA

TIDE TABLE

Entrance Siuslaw River

High Tide	Low Tide
Feb. 10 1:16am / 7.6 1:00pm / 8.2	7:07am / 1.4 7:34pm / -0.7

Feb. 11 1:55am / 7.9 1:50pm / 7.8	7:570am / 1.2 8:15pm / -0.1
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Feb. 12 2:37am / 8.0 2:44pm / 7.2	8:50am / 1.1 8:59pm / 0.6
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Feb. 13 3:21am / 8.0 3:45pm / 6.5	9:48am / 1.0 9:46pm / 1.3
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Jan. 14 4:10am / 7.9 4:56am / 5.9	10:53am / 1.0 10:40pm / 2.1
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Feb. 15 5:06am / 7.8 6:17pm / 5.6	12:04am / 0.9 11:46pm / 2.7
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Feb. 16 6:08am / 7.6 7:43pm / 5.5	1:18am / 0.7
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