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Joe English Golf Tournament



AUG. 22, 2016 Ron and Ryan Klampe won the net division of the Joe English parent-child event at Ocean Dunes. The father-son team's net score was 60.

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A total of three home games are scheduled for the fall:

- Sept. 16, in a preseason game against Newport;
 - Sept. 30, in a regular season game

against North Bend; and

• Oct. 21, against Brookings for the homecoming and final game of the regular season.

Family passes for all three home games are \$50, or get individual reserved tickets for all three contests for

Tickets will be available for advanced

purchase at the high school office Monday, Aug. 29, through Thursday, Sept. 1, from 8 a.m. to 3:30 p.m. each

Previous season ticket holders can come in today or Thursday between 8

a.m. and 3:30 p.m. to purchase tickets. For more information, call the school office at 541-997-3448.

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athlete who led scoring on the basketball court for the Vikings in 1957 and 1958 with an average of 16 points per game and qualified for state in track and field his junior and senior years, savored the moment with his son.

"I am grateful and thankful to be here," he said to a packed room of more than 100. "Athletics has been an important part of our family and the community through the generations.

It's a true honor to be a part of that history."

The evening was a time-traveling experience, with athletes taking the stage chronologically and sharing their memories of Viking athletics through the decades, as well as offering some levity in the present.

"I used to run the 180-yard dash faster than it took me to walk up these stairs to the stage," joked 1965 graduate Les Conley, who was recognized for his achievements in track and field.

Conley won back-to-back dis-

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Siuslaw Hall of Fame inductee Danielle (Wilson) Glenzel talks about the sense of community she feels as an athlete.

trict championships in the 100yard dash and 180-yard low hurdles (1964, 1965) and won the state championship in the 100yard dash his junior year — tying for first in the event his senior year. He was also a top runningback, which included an 83-yard touchdown as a senior.

"When I finally beat Tooey Emery for the first time during one of our practices, it changed everything for me," Conley said. "I felt I could do anything and ran with that kind of confidence. It wasn't until many years later that I found out I had gotten away with the worst false start ever.

"But... oh well."

Toni (Winther) Stonelake, who graduated in 1965 with Conley, was credited with being the inspiration for creating Siuslaw's first girls track and field team under Hall-of-Fame coach Liz McCain.

Stonelake's daughter, Kelly Sorensen, who was inducted in 2001, was on hand for the ceremony on behalf of her mother, who Sorensen described as being "an amazing woman her whole life who has always been, and continues to be, a true inspira-

Stonelake ran the 100-yard, 220-yard and a leg on the 440yard relay at state during the team's first year, and also competed in the long jump. As a junior, she returned to state in several events in 1965.

"I am extremely proud of what my mother contributed to the women's track and field program," said Sorensen, who read a letter sent by her mother.

"When we started, we didn't

even know what starting blocks were for," Stonelake wrote. "The program has come a long way since then. I am proud to be a part of it."

Other individual inductees included:

- 1967 graduate Dick Pickett, who was a four-year wrestler at Siuslaw who went on to claim the state title at 141 pounds his senior year, giving up only one point — during the bout for the state title - throughout the whole tournament.
- Wayne Jackson (1974), who had a .400 batting average as a freshman and also lettered three years while on the golf team. On the gridiron, Jackson was named All-State as a runningback and finished his career with 2,335 "all-purpose" yards — including 266 yards and six touchdowns in his final game.
- Danielle Wilson (1987), a three-sport athlete who lettered four times in track and three times in both volleyball and basketball. Wilson had two secondplace finishes in the discus at state, and placed fifth in the shot
- Brent Sanford (1993), who still holds the No. 1 spot on Siuslaw's All-Time list for most rushing yards in a single game with 315 against Gold Beach in 1990. He is also No. 2 for career yardage with 3,032 in just three years, and No. 4 on the All-Time list for career scoring with 222

• Doug Kelley (1993), a golfer who shot a 152 his junior year to finish fifth at state, then tied for second at district his senior year. Advancing to state, he shot backto-back 72s to tie for first place individually and lead the Vikings to their first state championship.

The ceremony also inducted the 1996 boys cross country team, coached by Johnson in his first-year heading up the program. Though the team didn't have a single runner place in the top 10 at the state meet, the Vikings were able to beat out St. Helens and Phoenix for Siuslaw's first state title since

The 1997 boys track and field team, coached by Gary Giddens, was also inducted for its achievements that year, including its fourth district title and qualifying for 13 events at state, where it was co-state champions with La Salle after tying with 52 points.

"It wasn't me knowing that they would be state champions," Giddens said Saturday night. "It was that they knew they would be state champions. I saw that during the very first practice that year.

"They came in, went to work and never looked back."

Thanks to Siuslaw's Hall of Fame, Viking fans and past athletes get to take a look back and celebrate the school's rich athletic history together.



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