

Siuslaw News Sports & Recreation

SPORTS
Calendar

Jan. 30

• **MHS B-BALL**
HOSTS MOHAWK
GIRLS: 5:30 P.M.
BOYS: 7 P.M.

Feb. 1

• **SHS WRESTLING**
AT N. BEND
2 P.M.

Feb. 2

• **MHS B-BALL**
HOSTS MARSHFIELD
GIRLS: 5:30 P.M.
BOYS: 7 P.M.

Feb. 3

• **SHS B-BALL**
AT S. UMPQUA
GIRLS: 6 P.M.
BOYS: 7:30 P.M.

Vik grapplers narrowly fall to Philomath, 39-36

BY NED HICKSON
Siuslaw News

With little more than two weeks remaining before district competition (Feb. 10-11), the Viking wrestling team is gearing up for a chance at a state appearance for some of its wrestlers.

Chief among them is Richard Huff, wrestling at 113 pounds, whose record of 23-2 bodes well for some time on

the state mats.

Last weekend at the Sutherland Invitational, Huff pinned Dayton opponent Noah Mauhew in just 41 seconds in the championship round following pins against Bailey Wentz of Glide (1:44) and Jakob Allen of Douglas (1:27) earlier in the day.

This past Tuesday, Huff was among six wrestlers who came away with a win at the Philomath dual meet. While

Huff, as well as Eyza Abbas Carrasco, won by forfeit, Siuslaw had four wins by pin: Joaquin Cervantes (145 lbs.), Nick Steinman (170 lbs.), Clark Hooper (182 lbs.) and Matthew Horillo (285 lbs.).

Despite Siuslaw's pins and wins by forfeit, the Warriors managed a slim 39-36 win after claiming the 152-pound and 160-pound matches.

Siuslaw will be back on the mats this

Wednesday at the Far West League tournament at North Bend, then again that weekend at the multi-divisional Cottage Grove Invitational Feb. 3 and 4.

Siuslaw will compete for a chance at the state mats during district competition at South Umpqua Feb. 10 and 11, with top finishers qualifying for state competition Feb. 24 and 25 in Portland.



Mapleton sophomore Haley Wells sinks a short jumper in Tuesday night's game against Lowell.

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SAILORS FALL TO SILETZ, LOWELL

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Tuesday night was "ladies night" as the Lady Sailors hosted the Red Devils of Lowell while, in the stands, members of the Mapleton boys' team offered support while having the night off.

Though it was one of the lowest-scoring games of the season for the Lady Sailors, 8 of the team's 10 points came from sophomore post Haley Wells, who had two games in double-



Mapleton junior post Dominic Wells makes the most of a fastbreak opportunity.

digit scoring last week.

"It doesn't show on the scoreboard, but the girls battle hard every game. They never quit," said Mapleton coach Mike Murray, whose team is at 0-4 in league. "It's not easy when you sometimes end the game with only four players on the court because of fouls." Such was the case Tuesday, when

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LEAGUE STANDINGS
As of 1/27/17

BASKETBALL

FWL BOYS		MWL BOYS	
N. BEND	4-0	T. LAKE	3-0
SIUSLAW	3-1	EDDYVILLE	3-0
MARSHFIELD	3-1	LOWELL	2-1
DOUGLAS	2-2	SILETZ	2-1
BROOKINGS	0-4	MOHAWK	1-2
S. UMP.	0-4	MAPLETON	1-2

FWL GIRLS		FWL GIRLS	
MARSHFIELD	4-0	LOWELL	3-0
N. BEND	3-1	MOHAWK	2-1
DOUGLAS	3-1	ALSEA	2-0
SIUSLAW	1-3	SILETZ	1-1
BROOKINGS	1-3	MCKENZIE	1-2
S. UMP.	0-4	MAPLETON	0-3

On the Bite

A WEEKLY
FISHING REPORT FOR
THE LOCAL REGION

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MID COAST LAKES:

Holdover trout will be available in most lakes. Fishing for the various warm water fish species will slow as water temperatures cool. There are numerous lakes in the Florence area that can provide good opportunity.

SIUSLAW RIVER:

Steelhead
The Siuslaw River and bay is closed to Chinook salmon.

Fishing is slow.

The Siuslaw River and Lake Cr. are open for steelhead fishing. Casting spinners, drifting bait or using a bobber and jig can be effective.

ALSEA RIVER:

Chinook, steelhead
Steelhead fishing opened on the Alsea River and listed tributaries. Fishing is fair when river conditions are favorable.

Casting spinners, drifting bait or using a bobber and jig can be effective.

SALMON RIVER:

Steelhead
The Salmon River opened for wild and

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TIDE TABLE

Entrance Siuslaw River

High Tide Low Tide

Jan. 28
3:41am / 6.3 9:45am / 2.0
3:21pm / 5.9 9:53pm / 0.8

Jan. 29
4:17am / 6.2 10:33am / 2.0
4:07pm / 5.4 10:29pm / 1.3

Jan. 30
4:54am / 6.2 11:25am / 2.0
5:00am / 4.9 11:07pm / 1.8

Jan. 31
5:36am / 6.2 12:25am / 2.0
6:06pm / 4.6 11:52pm / 2.3

Feb. 1
6:23am / 6.1 1:31am / 1.7
7:24pm / 4.4

Feb. 2
7:15am / 6.2 12:49am / 2.6
8:45pm / 4.5 2:36pm / 1.4

Feb. 2
8:10am / 6.3 1:56am / 2.9
9:54pm / 4.7 3:34pm / 1.0

SIUSLAW NEWS

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Viks boys down Douglas, girls come up short

BY NED HICKSON
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Siuslaw was home Tuesday night to host Douglas, with the Lady Vikings tipping off in the first matchup of the night. Senior Destinie Tatum came the closest to double-digit scoring, leading Siuslaw with 9 points, with 7 points from senior Brittany Long and 6 points from freshman Mia Collins.

But Douglas (3-1), ranked No. 12 in the

4A division quickly got ahead and stayed there, using its high-pressure defense to limit Viking possessions and control the backboards for a 61-35 win.

That same night, the Far West League's other two top teams also came away with victories — North Bend over Brookings-Harbor (49-42) and Marshfield over South Umpqua (60-30) — to keep the Lady Pirates at the top of the league at 4-0.

Against Douglas, the Lady Viks also got

scoring from Claire Waggoner (4), Madison Reynolds (4), 2 points each from Marika White and Nikki Launius, and 1 point from Abby Watkins.

Following the girls game, the Viking boys tipped off for what became the team's seventh win in 11 games after a 45-36 defeat of the Trojans. Juniors Kyle King, Trent Reavis and Jared Brandt combined for 38 of the

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SHS bowlers roll into district this weekend

BY NED HICKSON
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This past Sunday, Siuslaw's bowling teams competed in their final tournament before heading to district this weekend. At Firs Bowl, the Lady Vikings held the lead heading into the qualifying round, where they defeated Willamette to reach the finals.

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