

Siuslaw News Sports & Recreation



LEAGUE STANDINGS
As of 5/8/17

BASEBALL/SOFTBALL

FWL BOYS		FWL GIRLS	
N. BEND	10-2	S. UMP.	10-2
S. UMP.	8-5	N. BEND	9-4
DOUGLAS	8-5	DOUGLAS	8-5
BROOKINGS	7-8	MARSHFIELD	7-6
MARSHFIELD	4-9	BROOKINGS	1-9
SIUSLAW	1-11	SIUSLAW	1-10

SPORTS Calendar

- **MAY 11**
SHS BASEBALL
HOSTS N. BEND
3 AND 5 P.M.
SHS SOFTBALL
AT N. BEND
3 AND 5 P.M.
- **MAY 12-13**
SHS TRACK
FWL DISTRICTS
AT N. BEND
10:30 A.M.
MHS TRACK
MWL DISTRICTS
AT MCKENZIE
10:30 A.M.

TIDE TABLE

Entrance Siuslaw River

High Tide	Low Tide
May 10	
12:10am / 7.3	6:53am / -0.4
1:10pm / 6.1	6:47pm / 2.0
May 11	
12:40am / 7.3	7:28am / -0.5
1:49pm / 6.1	7:21pm / 2.2
May 12	
1:11am / 7.2	8:02am / -0.6
2:28pm / 6.0	7:56pm / 2.5
May 13	
1:42am / 7.1	8:37am / -0.5
3:08pm / 6.0	8:31pm / 2.8
May 14	
2:14am / 6.9	9:14am / -0.4
3:50pm / 5.8	9:10pm / 3.0
May 15	
2:49am / 6.6	9:53am / -0.2
4:36pm / 5.7	9:53pm / 3.2
May 16	
3:28am / 6.3	10:36am / 0.1
5:26pm / 5.6	10:46pm / 3.3

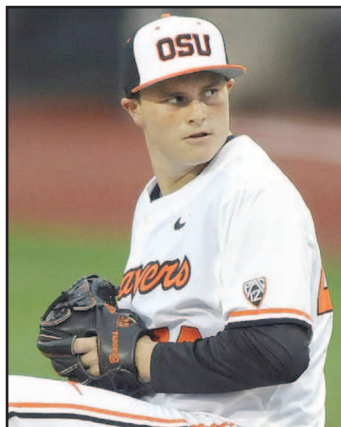
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Thompson named nation's 'Top Pitcher' for April

ARLINGTON, Texas — Oregon State University red-shirt junior Jake Thompson was named the nation's Pitcher of the Month for April on Monday by the National Collegiate Baseball Writers Association (NCBWA).

Thompson, who improved to 10-0 yesterday in his first start in May, went 4-0 in April, allowing just a 0.71 earned run average (ERA). He earned two of his wins in rubber games, and held opponents to



COURTESY PHOTO
Jake Thompson

three runs, 22 hits and nine walks while striking out 35 in 38 innings over five starts.

The Florence native is tied for the nation's lead with 10 wins and his 1.20 ERA on the year is ranked fifth. Opponents have scored just 12 runs — 11 earned — off of Thompson in 82 1/3 innings. In addition, he has 84 strikeouts to 25 walks and 50 hits allowed for a WHIP of 0.91.

The award is his second major honor over the last

week. On Thursday, Thompson was named as one of three Oregon State players to the CoSIDA Academic All-District 8 team.

An economics major, he is now eligible to be an Academic All-American, with the announcement for that determination coming in early June.

Meanwhile, OSU's baseball team is on its way to being the nation's consensus No. 1 team for the seventh consecutive

week. Baseball America, D1Baseball.com, Collegiate Baseball and Perfect Game all had the Beavers ranked at No. 1 as of Monday morning.

The Beavers open a three-game series with the Oregon Ducks this Thursday night at PK Park in Eugene.

The Civil War series is scheduled for a 6:05 p.m. start. The game can be heard live on the Beaver Sports Network, TuneIn and OSU Beavers.com.



PHOTOS BY NED HICKSON/SIUSLAW NEWS

Siuslaw senior Abby Coday releases a pitch against North Bend Monday afternoon during senior night.

2017 Siuslaw HOF inductees announced

The public is invited to attend the 7th annual Siuslaw High School Hall of Fame induction ceremony, which will be held Friday, Aug. 18, at Three Rivers Casino and Hotel.

The 2017 Siuslaw Hall of Fame inductees are:

- The late Ray Hines (Class of 1948)
- Dick Hoberg (Class of 1968)
- Rich Ross (Class of 1984)
- Kelli Lang (Class of 1985)
- David Brackney (Class of 1991)
- Ricky Lowe (Class of 1994)
- Deacon Perkins (District Staff & Coach)
- 1983 and 1984 Girls State Champions 4x100 relay team of Kelli (Lang) Hagen, Tammy (Courtney) Johnson, Terri Gortler and Shelly (Smith) Conro.
- 1967 Boys mile relay team of Bob Hylton, Everett May, Greg Wells and Larry Ulrich

The nominations, along with the eventual selections for the Hall of Fame, are based on at least one of four basic criteria including athletic accomplishment during and/or beyond high school; team success or achievement; as a private citizen who made significant contribution to the athletic program at Siuslaw High School; as an outstanding district employee; or through significant civic or academic achievement beyond high school.

Doors open at 5:30 p.m., including a full dinner and ceremony.

Tickets are \$20 per person, which is sponsored by the Siuslaw Athletic Booster Club.

For more information, or to submit nominations for 2018, email SiuslawHOF@gmail.com or contact Chris Johnson at 541-991-0217.

VIK TEAMS BITTEN BY 'DAWGS

BY NED HICKSON
Siuslaw News

Monday afternoon, the Lady Vikings entered their final week of Far West League softball, with seven seniors marking what will be the final week of the Siuslaw athletics career.

Before the start of Monday's home game against North Bend, fans took time to recognize seniors Jenicah Ecker, Nikki Launius, Heidi Jones, Sara Keel, Claire Waggoner, Katherine Dodson and Chehalis Stinger before they took to the diamond.



Senior catcher Hunter Simington looks for the sign from third-base coach Randy Parades.

Each was introduced by school principal Kerri Tatum, who shared the players future plans, favorite softball memory and advice to returning softball athletes.

Afterward, the Bulldogs got off to a fast start, scoring 6 runs in the top of the first inning, then 5 in the second, threatening to end the game in five innings on the 10-run rule.

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