

# Siuslaw News Sports & Recreation

## SPORTS Calendar

### • JAN. 9

MHS GIRLS B-BALL  
AT SILETZ  
5:30 P.M.

MHS BOYS B-BALL  
AT SILETZ  
7 P.M.

SHS GIRLS B-BALL  
AT J. CITY  
7:15 P.M.

SHS BOYS B-BALL  
HOSTS J. CITY  
7 P.M.

### • JAN. 11

MHS GIRLS B-BALL  
HOSTS EDDYVILLE  
5:30 P.M.

MHS BOYS B-BALL  
HOSTS EDDYVILLE  
7 P.M.



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Mapleton's (from left) Nathan Roane, Nate Neece, Dominic Wells and Cole Spencer enter the court for the Sailors.

## MAPLETON LANDS EAGLES

Mapleton's boys team improved to 2-1 in league; girls now 0-3 after loss to McKenzie

BY NED HICKSON  
Siuslaw News

MAPLETON GIRLS: 13 MCK. GIRLS: 59  
MAPLETON BOYS: 59 MCK. BOYS: 39

Tuesday night, Mapleton was on the road in the Eagles' nest at McKenzie High School, where the Sailors split the night.

The girls were the first to tip off against a high-pressure Eagles defense that has managed to go 2-1 in the Mountain West League so far this season, creating a tie with Alsea.

The Lady Sailors had no luck con-



Mapleton junior Erin Michael brings the ball down for the Lady Sailors.

trolling McKenzie's momentum before falling 13-59.

Lowell remains undefeated at 2-0 to lead the MWL girls division.

The boys, meanwhile, handed the Eagles their second-straight loss with a hard-fought 59-39 road victory that improves Mapleton to 2-1 with Lowell and Eddyville in the MWL. Triangle Lake leads the league at 2-0.

Mapleton plays Tuesday, at Siletz, beginning with the girls at 5:30 p.m.

## TIDE TABLE

Entrance Siuslaw River

High Tide	Low Tide
Jan. 6 3:29am / 7.5 2:59pm / 7.3	9:18am / 2.5 9:40pm / -0.1

Jan. 7 4:19am / 7.4 4:00pm / 6.5	10:22am / 2.4 10:30pm / 0.7
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Jan. 8 5:10am / 7.4 5:10pm / 5.9	11:32am / 2.2 11:22pm / 1.5
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Jan. 9 6:01am / 7.4 6:29pm / 6.4	12:44pm / 1.9
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Jan. 10 7:42am / 7.5 9:05pm / 5.4	1:18am / 2.8 2:50pm / 1.1
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Jan. 11 8:29am / 7.6 10:06pm / 5.7	2:17am / 3.2 3:40pm / 0.7
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Jan. 12 9:12am / 7.7 10:53pm / 5.9	3:11am / 3.4 4:23pm / 0.3
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## Siuslaw teams sweep Waldport match-ups

BY NED HICKSON  
Siuslaw News

SHS GIRLS: 38 WHS GIRLS: 25  
SHS BOYS: 42 WHS BOYS: 33

The Siuslaw girls basketball team picked up its third win of the pre-season Tuesday night at home against Waldport. Six members of the Lady Vikings line-up contributed to scoring, with freshman Brea Blankenship and sophomore Mia Collins each scoring in double digits at 10 points apiece.

Six of Blankenship's points came from beyond the arc on a pair of 3-pointers, along with 6

boards and a 2 steals. At the post, Collins also nabbed 6 rebounds to go with 6 blocked shots and a trio of assists.

Siuslaw also got scoring from senior Carreina Greenburg with 8 points along with 5 boards; junior Alyssa Richards, who had 6 points and 6 rebounds; and 2 points each from freshman Gracie Freudenthal and junior Madison Reynolds, who also grabbed 3 boards.

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Siuslaw sophomore post Mia Collins had 10 points and 6 rebounds against Waldport.



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## VIKING WRESTLERS PLACE THIRD AT FAR WEST LEAGUE DUALS

BY NED HICKSON  
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Siuslaw wrestlers were on the mats at Douglas High School on Thursday for the six-team Far West League Dual meet. The Vikings won their first three rounds, defeating North Bend 42-30, then Brookings-Harbor (41-

21) before sweeping their first three opponents with a 47-6 pummeling of South Umpqua.

Siuslaw Gavin Fletcher (126 lbs.), Patrick Hill (132 lbs.) and Riley Jennings (170 lbs.) each won by pin against North Bend, along with forfeit wins for Sal Sierra (145-lbs.) Jay Goldblatt (160 lbs.), Luis Infante (182 lbs.), and Matthew Horillo (285 lbs.)

Against Brookings, the Viks got wins from Elijah LaCosse (126 lbs.), Ryan Jennings (152 lbs.), Goldblatt, Riley Jennings, Christian Newlan (220 lbs.) and Horillo.

The Viks faced Marshfield in the fourth round. Though the Viks got wins from Richard Huff (132 lbs.), LaCosse, Hill, Ryan Jennings and Infante, Marshfield edged Siuslaw 39-

27 to remain the only undefeated team at the meet.

The Viks were also dealt a loss from host Douglas, 42-26, giving Siuslaw (3-2) a third-place finish overall behind first-place Marshfield (5-0) and second-place Douglas (4-1).

Siuslaw is back on the mats today for the Bend Invitational.

## Time Out

BY LLOYD LITTLE  
Retired teacher, coach  
and game official

(With more than 55 years as an athlete, coach, official, parent and spectator, I've gained some insights and perspectives regarding athletics. In this weekly column, I share what I've learned about sports from these multiple points of view.)

### Not so 'instant' replay

Football fans across America have binge watched football for two weeks. There are only two things that have disrupted the plethora of games.

The first being wet grocery bags. The second was the announcement "the last play is under further review."

Instant replay is no longer, nor has it ever been, "instant." As technology has improved the angles and speed of the replays go

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## On the Bite

A WEEKLY  
FISHING REPORT FOR  
THE LOCAL REGION

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### WINTER TROUT FISHING

Don't let your trout fishing season end just because the cold weather has arrived. Here are just some of the weekend opportunities from this week's Rec Report:

• Several ponds and lakes in the Willamette Zone just took delivery of

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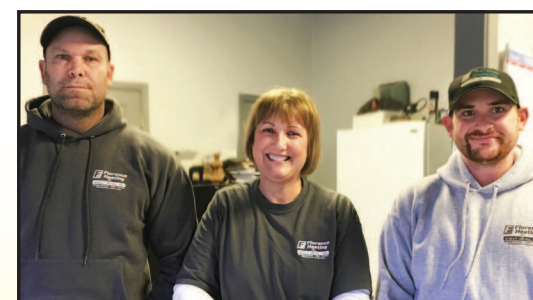
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