

Calendar

Jan. 24

• MHS basketball at Crow
Boys: 5:30 p.m.
Girls: 7 p.m.

Jan. 25

• SHS basketball hosts J. City H.S.
Boys: 5:45 p.m.
Girls: 7:15 p.m.
• SHS wrestling at C. Grove Inv.
Day one
4 p.m.

Jan. 26

• SHS wrestling at C. Grove Inv.
Day two
10 a.m.

Jan. 29

• MHS basketball hosts McKenzie H.S.
Boys: 5:45 p.m.
Girls: 7:15 p.m.

Tide Tables

Entrance Siuslaw River

High Tide

Low Tide

Jan. 23

7:24am / 2.2
8:03pm / -1.3

1:49am / 7.5
1:13pm / 8.6

Jan. 24

2:33am / 7.7
2:07pm/ 8.0

8:19am/ 2.0
8:48pm/ -0.7

Jan. 25

3:19am / 7.7
3:04pm / 7.2

9:18am / 1.8
9:34pm / 0.1

Jan. 26

4:06am / 7.7
4:08pm / 6.4

10:22am / 1.7
10:22pm / 1.1

Jan. 27

4:55am / 7.7
5:21pm / 5.8

11:31am / 1.5
11:15pm / 1.9

Jan. 28

5:47am / 7.7
6:45pm / 5.4

12:43pm / 1.3

Jan. 29

6:42am / 7.6
8:12pm / 5.3

12:15am / 2.7
1:53pm / 1.1



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Siuslaw junior Matthew Horrillo won the 220-pound bracket during Siuslaw's annual Nick Lutz Memorial Invitational on Saturday.

Siuslaw fourth at 18-team home meet

The Viking boys and girls teams had several top-three finishes.

By NED HICKSON
SIUSLAW NEWS

Siuslaw hosted teams from throughout the region and from all classification levels during its annual Nick Lutz Memorial Invitational on Saturday, with the Viking boys claiming several upset-wins to secure fourth place overall — and the highest 4A finish at the 18-team meet.

“The level of wrestling was outstanding,” said Siuslaw coach Neil Wartnik. “So many of the matches went down to the wire, with numerous upsets throughout the day — and our Vikings participated in a number of them.

“We came out on the upper hand several times.”

Siuslaw junior heavyweight Matthew Horrillo had the day’s highest individual finish for the Viking boys team as well as the biggest upset. Coming into the tournament ranked as the fourth seed, Horrillo went on to up-end top seed 6A wrestler Benjamin Lutz of Sheldon, 6-5, in the semi-finals match at 220 pounds. Down by 1 point in the final seconds of the match, Horrillo turned the tables by scoring a takedown for a 6-5 win. He then went on to pin No. 2 seed Mike Montgomery,



Siuslaw sophomore Adrianna Edwards placed third overall in the girls 130-pound division.

a senior from Elmira, in 4 minutes, 23 seconds for the tournament title round.

“Matthew had an amazing day,” said Wart-

nik. “His championship was impressive given that he defeated the second-, third- and fourth-place finishers in the tournament — a feat that is rare.”

Finishing second for the Viks was senior 170-pounder Riley Jennings, who won a pair of tough matches — by pin and 15-12 decision — in order to reach the finals and face Drew Swenson of Cottage Grove. Jennings held the lead until the final seconds, when Swenson tied the match with a penalty and an escape, send it into overtime where he won in sudden victory.

“Riley’s performance at 170 was outstanding. He handled himself with great composure,” said Wartnik. “His development over the season has been impressive.”

Siuslaw also got third-place finishes from sophomores Brady Libby (120 lbs.), Elijah LaCosse (132 lbs.) and Hector Garcia (160 lbs.)

At 152 lbs., sophomore Ryan Jennings had three wins on the day to place fifth overall.

In the girls’ division, Siuslaw had outstanding performances from its three wrestlers,

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VIKING BOYS, GIRLS
SUNK BY PIRATES

By NED HICKSON
Siuslaw News

Siuslaw girls: 29
Marshfield girls: 79

Siuslaw boys: 31
Marshfield boys: 68

With both Marshfield teams ranked among the top 3 in the state at the 4A division by the Oregon School Activities Association (OSAA) — include No. 1 for the Lady Pirates — Siuslaw knew it would have its hands full in both instances.

And it was right.

The girls were the first to tip off at Marshfield, where the top-ranked Lady Pirates wasted no time in getting the upper hand, securing a 53-point lead by halftime (63-10). Though the Lady Viks were able to nearly double their first-half scoring in the third and fourth quarters with 19 points, Marshfield easily held on for the win, 79-29.

Sophomore Gracie Freudenthal led the Lady



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Siuslaw senior guard Jordan Taniguchi nabs a rebound. Taniguchi had the game's final possession and basket for the Viks on Friday.

Viks in scoring with 10 points, 7 rebounds and 4 blocked shots. Fellow sophomores Lindsey Long, Brea Blankenship and Lizbeth Garcia-Galvan

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MID COAST LAKES:
Stocking of mid coast lakes stopped in early June, but fishing for warmwater species can still be good in several area lakes, including Ollala Reservoir, Mercer Lake, Siltcoos Lake and Tahkenitch Lake.

SIUSLAW RIVER:
Winter steelhead

Winter steelhead has been fair on the Siuslaw system to date. A few fish are being caught every day when the conditions are good. The Siuslaw River is dropping into good shape this week and conditions should be

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