

# 2016

## 16 SPORTS HIGHLIGHTS



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Dayville's Kristina Humphreys throws the javelin at a Grant Union meet. She won the 1A state title for javelin last May.



Long Creek steer wrestler GW Clark competes at the May 14-15 Burns High School rodeo. See more photos at MyEagleNews.com.

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7. The Grant Union Lady Prospector basketball team, coached by Mark Mosley, finished fourth at state with a 41-30 win over the Imbler Panthers in Pendleton.

8. Grant Union wrestlers Clay Johnson (132 pounds) and Andrew Copenhaver (152), coached by Andy Lusco, reached the OSAA State Wrestling Championship podium, each placing fourth in their brackets.

9. The Grant County Wildfire 13-14-15 softball team placed second at the Oregon Juniors Little League State Championships.

10. The Grant Union Prospector football team reached the state quarterfinals this year. They were also the Wapiti League champions, and head coach Jason Miller was Wapiti Coach of the Year.

11. The Monument/Dayville Tiger boys basketball team, coached by Jeff Schafer, placed first in the 1A-8 High Desert District and reached the state playoffs Feb. 27, where they lost a close game to Hosanna Christian at the Dayville court.

12. Mt. Vernon steer wrestler Trevor Knowles finished 12th in the world standings at the Dec. 1-10 National Finals Rodeo in Las Vegas.

13. GW Clark of Long Creek entered the June 8-10 Oregon State High School Rodeo Finals in eighth place for steer wrestling, and finished 10th. He qualified for Silver State in Winnemucca, Nevada.

14. Owen Parsons and his wrestling buddies, coached by Tye Parsons, competed at the Feb. 7-8 Oregon Wrestling Association Kids State tournament in Salem. Owen Parsons earned the state youth wrestling title in the 55-pound weight class.

15. Mt. Vernon calf roper Chad Finley placed first in the event with a time of 8.20 at the Grant County Rodeo in September.

16. The John Day Swim Team, coached by Sabrina Howard, placed third at the July 29-31 Cascade East Finals in Lakeview.



Dayville/Monument Tiger Dakota Emerson (21) breaks away in the hotly contested tournament championship game against the Jordan Valley Mustangs. LEFT: Emerson holds the net — the coach and each team member cut a portion off — after their 52-46 win over Jordan Valley in the district championship game.

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Kori Pentzer (23), of Grant Union, goes up for a shot against Catherine Clemens (10), of Burns, during the March 3 state 2A quarterfinal game at Pendleton High School.



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Trevor Knowles, a Mt. Vernon steer wrestler, finished in 12th place in the World Standings at the Dec. 1-10 NFR Rodeo in Las Vegas.