

Football Practice to Start Here August 24

With fall and football weather rapidly approaching, Heppner football coach James Mallon this week called for the start of practice sessions on Tuesday, Aug. 24. Until school starts, the drill will be held from 9 to 12 in the morning with a two-day lay-off on Sept. 5 and 6.

Coach Mallon said today he wants all boys who expect to play to contact him before the Aug. 24 date so that they may be issued uniforms. He also said that all high school boys will be welcome regardless of experience, and expressed the hope that he would have a large squad ready for the Sept. 17 season opening game which will be played against Pilot Rock on the Heppner field.

Mallon said that his new offense will consist mostly of the split-T formation plays and indicated that one inter-squad scrimmage is scheduled for the windup of the pre-school practice sessions. Movies are to be taken of this and should be returned in time for the squad members to view them before the Pilot Rock game.

He also said that practice sessions during the fall will be ar-

ranged so as not to conflict with other activities.

Schedule Given

Mallon released the fall football schedule which opens on Sept. 17 with a home game. The complete schedule shows: Sept. 17—Pilot Rock, here; Sept. 24—Tone, here; Oct. 1—Umatilla, there; Oct. 8—Stanfield, there; Oct. 15—Maupin, here; Oct. 22—Grant Union, there; Oct. 29—Moro, there; Nov. 11—Echo, here.

Rules Given for Use Of Forest Areas

Do you like to picnic, camp, fish, swim, ride horseback, or just get out to the quiet beauty of the woods and mountains? There will be 100 million Americans enjoying these pursuits this summer says county agent N. C. Anderson. He points out that many more people are visiting forest areas and parks, and that we must all set higher standards in forest manners. Otherwise, the careless visitor, the litterbug, and the vandal may seriously hurt our finest recreation.

Mr. Anderson offers a check list of good forest manners. It's from Charles Ross, Oregon State College farm forestry specialist.

Improved camp ground: Use facilities provided to keep the camp clean, garbage cans, etc. Build fire in fireplace or stoves provided. Be sure fire is out before you leave. Tidy up the place, put melon rinds, paper plates, orange and banana peels, bottles, cans, newspapers, in the garbage containers provided. Leave table tops as clean and neat as you found them.

Making your own camp: Get a campfire permit from the nearest forest ranger station. Dig garbage and latrine pits. Locate them so they will drain away from any spring. Dig the pits deep enough so there'll be at least six inches of soil on top when they're covered over after serving their purposes.

Campfires: Be sure it's safe; careless campfires ranked second in man-caused fires in Oregon last year. Clear away all inflammable materials down to mineral soil for a 100 foot diameter circle. Get fire wood from dead limbs. Don't cut green trees or otherwise deface them. Remember, the true woodsman leaves no trails behind him—except perhaps fire wood for the next visitor. Put your fire out before leaving. Take a stick and stir the coals while pouring water on them. Water goes much further when this method is used. When you think the fire is out, test with your fingers to be sure no live coals remain.

Smoking: If a smoker, strictly observe our laws that prohibits throwing of cigarette stubs or pipe ashes from cars. Smokers in the forest should be sure that the stubs or pipe ashes are dead out. Carry an axe, a shovel, and a canvas bucket in your car if you are to stay in forest areas.

VETERINARIAN AT MEET
Dr. George Marugg, Federal veterinarian for Morrow county, will be in Seattle the week of August 24 to attend a meeting of the American veterinary medical association.

Ione Swimming Pool Given Class A Rate

The Ione board of education and administration today revealed they have received a report from the state board of health stating that the school has been granted a Class A swimming permit, and that the pool was found to be in excellent condition. The pool was checked on August 5.

The water is tested three times a day and rest rooms are cleaned twice a day with recommended solutions, it was said. The chlorinator is of the latest type and was found to be working perfectly. Samples of the water in the pool are sent to the state lab for checking once a week.

In a statement from the letter sent to the school, the state said, "footbaths are no longer required by this office, and it is suggested that they be discontinued."

Three Students From County Enter OSC

OREGON STATE COLLEGE, Corvallis, (Special)—Three students from the Heppner area have been granted admission to Oregon State college for the 1954-55 school year, according to the OSC registrar's office.

They are James M. Wightman, Heppner; Leonard Olmstead and Leo Skoubo both of Boardman. Other local names may be added to the list as student applications, accompanied by high school records, are received and processed in the registrar's office.

During new student week, which is scheduled for September 19 to 25, students receive special instruction on courses of study and registration procedures. They also complete placement examinations and take part in a variety of campus activities. Classes start September 27.

HOSPITAL NEWS

New Arrivals—To Mr. and Mrs. Marvin Britt, Spray, a 6 lb. 3 oz. girl, born August 14, named Debra Lee. To Mr. and Mrs. Al Winkelman, Lexington, a 8 lb. 2 oz. girl born Aug. 14, named Debra Kay. To Mr. and Mrs. Lyle VanDusen, Monument, a 7 lb. 13 oz. boy, born Aug. 15, named John Reuben. To Mr. and Mrs. Robert Humphrey, Fossil, a 7 lb. girl born Aug. 16, named Fern Elizabeth.

Medical—Bonnie Herd, Heppner, dismissed; Irvie Bennett, Heppner; Jay Vaughn, Mayville; Mrs. Ruth C. Williams, Heppner. **Major Surgery**—Morris Elder, Heppner; Clifton Swan, Heppner; Mrs. Betty Lee Fryer, Kinzua; Mrs. Melba D. Kelly, Kimberly. **Minor Surgery**—Karlene Collins, Kinzua; Verina French, Heppner, dismissed.

Boardman News

Mr. and Mrs. Dewey West Jr. and children, Larry and Dewena returned home Friday after a week along the Oregon Coast.

Mr. and Mrs. Eldon Lily and family motored to Ione Sunday and were guests of Mrs. Lily's grandfather Mr. H. O. Ely.

Mr. and Mrs. Emmett Rogers and sons Albert and Duane, motored to Blalock Sunday and were dinner guests at the home of Mrs. Rogers' nephew and niece Mr. and Mrs. Russell Erickson. Mrs. Oscar Johnson Hood River, mother of Mrs. Erickson and sister of Mrs. Rogers returned home with the Rogers for a weeks visit.

Mr. and Mrs. R. E. Hagy and son Chas., Spokane, Wash., were weekend guests at the home of Sgt. and Mrs. Gren Hawes.

Guests last week at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Lee Harwood was Mrs. Harwood's sister, Mrs. Edna Marris, her son-in-law and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Fred Ferguson and son Fred, Whitewood, S. D. Mrs. Marris will remain here for a short time, at the Harwood home. Mr. and Mrs. Ferguson left for home Monday, via Portland.

County Part in Civilian Defense To Be Discussed

Morrow county will be one of 10 counties represented at a special civil defense study in Salem on August 23.

Problems posed by the combination of a flood on the Columbia river and an enemy attack on Portland will be discussed at the state civil defense office by Morrow county CD director Bradley Fancher and officials from other civil defense agencies and the Corps of Army Engineers.

It will be a continuation of the June exercise, Operation Alert, when the problem was limited to the first 24 hours following the hypothetical atomic attack.

"Rather than separate the two incidents, it is more realistic to treat them as related events," said state civil defense director Arthur M. Sheets. Although a flood would be secondary to the destruction of atomic attack, if the stricken area were later covered by flood waters it would seriously interfere with disaster relief work.

In May, civil defense officials in Oregon met with representatives of the Corps of Army Engineers, drainage and diking districts and other groups. The staff study this month will be the first one that combines two types of disasters—bombing and flood—as a single problem.

Sheets said the first goal is to review present flood plans and to determine to what extent the civil defense services would be involved during a large-scale flood. Later, CD Directors will use this study as a basis for solving the problems which will exist in transportation, utilities, emergency welfare and other services.

DRIVING BRINGS FINE

James V. Allred, Heppner was fined \$50 and costs by justice of the peace J. O. Hager when he pleaded guilty to a charge of reckless driving. He was arrested early Monday morning after having struck a parked car on N. Court street belonging to Lyle Jensen.

Mrs. Carl Gaede and nephew, Arthur Chase, Gresham, were the weekend guests at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Bob Miller. The two ladies are sisters.

School Band Practice To Start August 23

Heppner high school band instructor James Wilson announced this week that both grade and high school bands will start rehearsals Monday, Aug. 23. The grade band will meet at 10 a. m. and the high school group at 6:30 p. m.

The high school band will play at the East-West Shrine football game in Pendleton on Aug. 23 and both bands will play for the Heppner rodeo parades it was announced.

All previous members and last year's beginners are urged to report for the grade band practice Wilson said.

HOUSE GUESTS AT PIEPERS

Mr. and Mrs. Earl Hall spent last week at the home of her parents Mr. and Mrs. A. G. Pieper of Lexington. Their children, Marcia and Larry, have spent the summer with their grandparents and will remain during the coming school year while Larry attends the Lexington school.

On Saturday night, Mr. and Mrs. Bob Thompson were house guests of the Piepers when they joined Mr. and Mrs. Hall on the trip to Long Beach, California where the men are stationed with the Navy.

Mr. and Mrs. Lester Doolittle returned Sunday from a two week's stay at Ritter mineral springs.

My Neighbors

By BILL PALLOUS



"We decided to try your advice about investing in stocks—so now could you lend us some bread and potatoes?"

Local News In Brief

Mr. and Mrs. Ray Drake left the first of the week to spend a week or 10 days at Ritter mineral springs.

Ted Thomson left Tuesday for New York after a two weeks visit here with his mother Mrs. Anna Q. Thomson.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Penland had as their guests Monday, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Ohling of Portland. Saturday guests at the Penland home were Mr. and Mrs. Preston Moy of Walla Walla.

Mr. and Mrs. Wilbur Osterloh and sons Walter and Ronnie of Baker spent the weekend visiting at the home of her brother and family, Mr. and Mrs. Robert Penland.

Mr. and Mrs. Jeff Carter and family left Saturday for a weeks vacation to Seattle.

Mr. and Mrs. Howard Mills and children, Michael and Randy of Salem left Friday after a weeks visit at the home of his sister and husband, Mr. and Mrs. Lowell Gribble. Doug Gribble accompanied them back to Salem for a two weeks visit there.

Charles Bailey left for Portland last Monday to resume plastic surgery at Providence hospital.



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