

## Heppner Second In B Division At EOC Meet

By MAC HOSKINS

Competing in the "B" school division rather than taking on the "big boys" of the "A-1" division, Heppner's cindermen finished second to Pilot Rock in the Eastern Oregon College Invitational Relays Saturday at La Grande.

The Mustangs' 48 points placed them behind Pilot Rock, with 58. Third place went to Wall-owa, with 36½. Ontario and Baker shared the championship of the large school division, each tallying 41 points.

Heppner won two relays and one individual title. In the discus relay, Stan Rauch and Steve Wagenblast combined for a total of 261' 2½", tops in that event. Heppner's distance medley team, composed of Lennie Hanna, Jim Jacobs, Bill McLeod and Tim Smith, topped that event in the fine time of 7:01.2. High hurdler Dave Hall captured his specialty with a 15.6 second clocking.

The Mustangs also captured three second places. McLeod and Hall cleared the shuttle hurdles in a combined time of 29.6, only a tenth of a second behind Pilot Rock. In the 880 yard relay, Mustangs' Smith, Hanna, McLeod and Jacobs finished at 1:40.1. Jacobs and Wagenblast also pushed the 12-pound ball a collective 85'11", good enough for second in the shot put relay.

In the pole vault, Steve Baker soared 11 feet—his all-time best and good for third place. Heppner also took fourth place points in the 440 yard relay by sprinting a 47.5.

### HOSPITAL NEWS

Patients admitted to Pioneer Memorial hospital during the past week and still receiving medical care, are the following: Bettie Doherty, Heppner; Vernon Gilman, Heppner; Edris Lindstrom, Ione; Pearl Wright, Heppner; Elizabeth Bailey, Heppner; Gordon Stoddard, Condon; Joseph Falardeau, Heppner, and Mike Alsop, Heppner.

Those who had received medical care, and later dismissed, were the following: Margaret O'Hara, Heppner; Sam Hughes, Heppner; Janet Crabtree, Lexington; Matthew Howard, Lexington; Robert Steagall, Lexington; Henry Krebs, Arlington, and Faye McKee, Condon, deceased.

Mr. and Mrs. David Matteson of Condon became parents of a baby girl, born Tuesday, May 2, weighing 6 lb, 6 oz. She has been named Jodi Dawn. Maternal grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. Harvey Spivey of Baker, and paternal grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. James Fordice of San Diego, Calif.

## Diamond Team Defeats Condon

By RICK JOHNSTON

The Mustangs made it a sweep over the Condon baseball team as they downed the hometown Blue Devils, 6-3, there on May 2.

The local nine wasted little time as Johnston got aboard on a fielder's choice and stole second before Jim Doherty lashed a long double to score Johnston from second. The Mustangs then scored two more in the second as the Blue Devils committed an error with two outs, giving the Mustangs life. Heppner concluded its scoring with two runs in the third and one in the fourth. Condon came up with two tallies in the third and one in the fifth but couldn't quite slug out a victory over the Mustangs.

Rob Jackson started on the mound for the Blue Devils and needed relief help from Mike Gronholm in the fifth inning. Jackson gave up all the Mustangs' runs as Gronholm shut down eight of the nine Mustang batters he faced via the strikeout route. Russell Kilkenny was on the hill for the Mustangs and gave up three runs on four hits. Kilkenny shut down nine of the Condon batters on strikes.

Jim Doherty with 2-4 and Jerry Healy with 1-3 were the top Mustang performers at the plate. Ken Humphrey hit the top ball of the day, with a towering 300-plus double straight to center. The Condon fielders committed five bobbles while the Mustangs committed three.

	R	H	E
HEPPNER	6	4	3
CONDON	3	3	5

Heppner—Kilkenny and Johnston. Condon—Jackson, Gronholm (5) and Logan. WP—Kilkenny. LP—Jackson.

## Lutheran Youth To Be Confirmed In Sunday Services

The Rite of Confirmation will be held at Hope Lutheran church, Heppner, on Sunday, May 14 at 11 a.m. followed by Holy Communion.

Those catechumens who are confirming their baptismal vow after two years of special intensive study are: Janet McCurdy, Debbie Majeske, Victor Klingler, Tana Rauch and Diana Cutsforth.

The Rev. Donald R. Pederson will be the celebrant and the festival service will be followed by a dinner in the church in honor of those being confirmed.

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## Mustang Trackmen Fifth at Burns

By MAC HOSKINS

Competing among some of the "big boys" of central Oregon track on Saturday, April 22, the Heppner High track team came out on the short end of things as they took fifth in the S-team Burns Lions Invitational meet on the Hillanders home field.

Powerhouse Madras edged out arch rival Burns for the team championship by racking up 127 points. Burns tallied 99, followed by two A-1 schools, Crook county of Prineville with 83½ and Redmond with 68. Heppner tallied 61, Grant Union 27½, Wahtonka 19, and Lakeview 9.

Heppner won two individual events to help make its presence known. Steve Wagenblast hurled the discus 136'10" to top that event, and Tim Smith toured the two mile in a winning 10:36.7.

Hurdler Dave Hall took two second places, skimming the highs in 15.5 and the lows in 21.5. He also added a third place broad jump leap of 19 feet.

Bill McLeod's 2:09.5 time in the 880 was good for third place. Jim Jacobs won fourth place in the shotput with a toss of 43'7". Wagenblast tossed the shot 43'6½".

In the relays, Heppner took third in the 440 with a time of 49.2 and fifth in the mile relay with a time of 3:49.6.

Top marks posted by non-Mustang athletes included a half-mile and mile double win by sophomore Jim Muckey of Redmond. Muckey is currently one of the most promising youngsters in Oregon prep circles, as his 4:35.5 mile and 2:05.8 half-mile attest.

In junior varsity competition, won by Redmond, Heppner took next to last with 12 points. Pat Sweeney pole vaulted nine feet to capture second in that event.

## Carr to Attend History Institute

Charles J. Carr, teacher of history and social studies at Heppner High school, is one of 25 instructors selected to attend a special six-weeks course in Latin American history at the University of Idaho from June 19 until July 28.

He was selected from 945 applicants from 49 states as well as U. S. possessions and foreign countries. The institute is sponsored by the Department of Health, Education and Welfare under the National Defense Education Act.

The Carrs will leave Heppner a week before the beginning of the institute in order to visit relatives and to attend a reunion of his high school class in Lewiston, Idaho. He plans to return to Heppner to teach during the next school year.

Metsker maps of Morrow, Gilliam, Umatilla, Wheeler counties on sale at the Gazette-Times.



STEVE WAGENBLAST

## Wagenblast Wins DeKalb Award

Steve Wagenblast of Heppner High school has been announced as the winner of the 1967 DeKalb Agricultural Accomplishment Award given to outstanding senior in vocational agricultural departments. To receive this award he excelled in scholarship, leadership and farm program activities during his four years in high school.

Steve is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Alvin Wagenblast of Lexington. Steve has been vice president and reporter of the Heppner chapter of the FFA district sentinel of the Blue Mountain FFA, State Star Farmer, and a member of the National Honor Society.

His farming program consisted of raising registered Polled Herefords, registered quarter horses, market steers and wheat crop. After high school Steve plans to attend Oregon State University, majoring in Agriculture.

Steve is the first DeKalb Agricultural Award winner from Heppner High school, and as such his name will be engraved with the other winners on a special honors plaque provided by the sponsor.

## Marine to Leave For Vietnam Duty

Carl Jacobson, who attended Heppner High school as a sophomore in the 1964-65 school year, is visiting here with Mr. and Mrs. Wade Bothwell before going to Vietnam on June 20 with the U. S. Marine Corps.

Jacobson, whose parents live in Nebraska, enlisted in the Marines last July 8 and started basic training at San Diego, Calif., in August, 1966. He is now on a 20-day leave. Mrs. Bothwell is his aunt.

The young marine expects to work in communications when he goes to Vietnam. His parents, Mr. and Mrs. Dale E. Jacobson, moved to Nebraska recently from Seattle.

## Class Decides On Graduation Theme, Program

At the last senior class meeting, the seniors formed their graduation plans. The graduation song was voted upon with the winner being, "The Impossible Dream." The class motto is "To reach the unreachable star."

Mrs. Dale Holland was the choice for guest vocalist at graduation ceremonies. The Heppner Grade school band will provide music for the graduation march.

Ed Hienstra, senior advisor, will introduce the graduating class.

A letter was received from Roy Kirk, former HHS teacher, stating his regrets for being unable to accept the class invitation to attend commencement ceremonies.

Terry Corbin and Sheila Luciani were unanimously chosen as grand marshalls for graduation. Candlelighters will be Russell Kilkenny, Steve Pettyjohn, Marsha Lovgren, and Debbie Young. Ushers are Randy Stillman, Earl Ayres, Bob Dobbs, Bill McLeod, Louella Roark, Paula Stewart, Kathy Matthews and Mary Pierce.

The Rev. Father Beard will be asked to give invocation and benediction at baccalaureate ceremonies. The class chose Rev. Dirk Rinehart, Episcopal minister, to deliver the invocation and benediction at graduation. The Rev. Don Pederson of the Lutheran Church is the tentative speaker for baccalaureate services.

The class also voted on what type of entertainment and refreshments would be served at the annual Elks' graduation dance.

## Awards Given Jaycee Members; Install Officers

Jaycee-of-the-Year honors went to Wayne Harsin at the Morrow County Jaycee annual banquet, held Saturday, May 6, in the Wagon Wheel banquet room. Some 34 guests, including visitors from La Grande and Wallowa county, heard Jerry Hollomon present the award which accompanied Harsin's past president's plaque.

The program began with a resume of the year's achievements, presented by Clyde Allstott, Bob Richards, president of Wallowa County Jaycees, presented Spoke Awards to Clyde Allstott, Tom Wilson and Jerry Samples, and to Darrel McLachlan, who was unable to be present. Spoke awards are given one-year members who have fulfilled the award requirements.

Richards also presented a Spark Plug award to Harsin, given for meeting special requirements by a member of more than a year.

Ed Patterson, state vice-president of LaGrande, installed the following newly elected officers: Clyde Allstott, president; Jerry Samples, first vice-president; John Privett, second vice-president; Jerry Hollomon, secretary; Wayne Lamb, treasurer, and Reggie Pascal and Tom Wilson, directors.

Mayor Clarence Rosewall spoke to the members, congratulating them on their achievements and thanking them on behalf of the city. He also spoke of work which remains to be done.

Guests at the banquet included wives of the Jaycees, Mayor and Mrs. Rosewall, Mr. and Mrs. Patterson and Mr. and Mrs. Bob Pyle of La Grande, Richards and two fellow Jaycees from Wallowa county.

## Boardman Seaman Serves on Carrier

Seaman Apprentice Alan W. Moore, USN, son of Rollo E. Moore of Rt. 1 Boardman, is off the coast of Vietnam helping to launch air strikes against the enemy as a crew member aboard the attack aircraft carrier USS Kitty Hawk.

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Kitty Hawk also serves as the flagship for Commander Task Force 77, the attack aircraft striking force for the Seventh Fleet.

## Many Contestants Enter Two Wrangler Playdays

Third and fourth of four Wranglers playdays held in April were held on Sunday, April 23, and Sunday, April 30. A good crowd of contestants competed in the events according to Mrs. Roice Fulleton, who reported event winners and times.

### BARREL RACES

In the six and under group barrel race winners for April 23 were Maureen Healy, 23.4; Ronnie Currin, 29.8; Kyrny Robinson, 34.0; Cindy Dougherty, 39.9; Jana Steagall, 41.5. Winners for April 30 were Maureen Healy, 22.4; Cindy Dougherty, 23.0; Ronnie Currin 25.3; Jana Steagall, 33.4.

Winners for the 7 thru 12 group for April 23 were Mary Adair, 20.5; Dovie Alderman, 21.2; Susan Healy, 21.9; Joan Healy, 22.4. April 30 7 thru 12 winners were Janice Healy, 18.5; Mary Adair, 18.6; Joan Healy, 19.4; Kyle Robinson, 19.8.

Thirteen thru 17 barrel racers came up with these times April 23, Becky Fulleton, 19.6; Sherri O'Brien, 20.4; Marcia Jones, 20.8; Craig Munkers, 21.0. April 30 times were Sherri O'Brien, 17.9; Marcia Jones, 18.1; Rubianne Fulleton, 18.4; Alvin Ashbeck, 18.6.

Senior barrel race winners for April 23 were Bob Steagall, 17.4; Bev Steagall, 18.0; Cliff Adair, 20.7; Kite Healy, 21.0; for April 30 Gale Malcom, 16.4; Bob Steagall, 17.4; Bev Steagall, 18.0; Cliff Adair and Merylin Robinson, 18.6.

### POLE BENDING

Six and under winners for April 23, Maureen Healy, 33.8; Ronnie Currin, 47.0; Kyrny Robinson, 48.3; Kenny Lee Howard, 48.8. For April 30, Maureen Healy, 32.4; Ronny Currin, 38.7; Cindy Dougherty, 41.0; Kyrny Robinson, 41.7.

Times for seven thru 12 year-old pole benders for April 23 were, Joan Healy, 27.2; Abbie Wilson, 28.5; Barry Munkers, 28.6; Dovie Alderman and Patsy Daly, 28.9. April 30 times were Joan Healy, 26.8; Barry Munkers, 28.3; Dovie Alderman, 28.4; Lisa Collins, 29.2.

Times for the 13 thru 17 group for April 23 were Becky Fulleton, 23.8; Alvin Ashbeck, 25.6; Marcia Jones, 26.1; Patti Healy, 26.4; for April 30 Becky Fulleton, 23.8; Marcia Jones, 26.4; Sherri O'Brien, 27.2; Rubianne Fulleton, 27.4.

Senior pole benders times for April 23 were Bev Steagall 23.4; Bob Steagall, 24.6; Cliff Adair, 25.2; Roice Fulleton, 25.9. April 30 times were Bev Steagall, 23.6; Bob Steagall, 24.4; Gale Malcom, 25.1; Cliff Adair, 25.3.

### RING RACE

April 23 winner in the six and under division was Cindy Dougherty; for April 30 Cindy Dougherty, 35.2; Ronny Currin, 42.2; Maureen Healy, 46.8.

In the seven thru 12 division on April 23 times were, Kyle

Robinson, 15.5; Joan Healy, 17.0; Susan Healy, 19.0; Mike Bergstrom, 19.7. April 30 times were Kyle Robinson, 11.3; Lisa Collins, 13.0; Abbie Wilson, 16.2; Susan Healy, 17.5.

Ring race times in the 13 thru 17 division for April 23 were, Becky Fulleton, 13.4; Marcia Jones, 14.2; Janet Palmateer, 14.5; Craig Munkers, 15.2.

April 30 times were Bruce Bergstrom, 10.8; Becky Fulleton, 14.1; Rubianne Fulleton and Marcia Jones, 14.2.

Senior ring race times for April 23 were Roice Fulleton, 12.8; Deane Graves, 14.0; Bev Steagall, 14.2; Bob Bergstrom, 14.4. For April 30, Bob Steagall 10.1; Bob Bergstrom, 11.2; Bev Steagall, 12.6; Roice Fulleton, 13.4.

### NOVELTY GAMES

Two new games were tried on April 23—Put and Take and Roping the Sack. Roping winners were, for the men, Bob Steagall and Roice Fulleton, and for the ladies, Kite Healy.

On April 30 there was a Hat Race. The six and under winners were Maureen Healy, first; and Cindy Dougherty, second. In the seven thru 12 competition, Janice Healy was first, Barry Munkers, second, Mike Bergstrom third, and Mary Adair fourth; 13 thru 17, Marcia Jones first, Craig Munkers second, Bruce Bergstrom third; seniors, Bob Steagall, Kite Healy second, and Bob Webb third.

Wranglers have been most grateful for the work of those who came out and helped during the four play days. Mary Malcom, Betty Fulleton and Kay Anderson were record keepers; Archie and Dimple Munkers were timers; Fred Mandkin brought and set up the announcing system, and Harold Erwin and Wilbur Steagall did the announcing for the series.

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