

## Irrigon Youth Enjoy Annual Track Meet

By FRANCES ROSE WILSON  
Parents and pre-schoolers gathered at A.C. Houghton School Thursday for the annual track meet, with students from kindergarten through grade 6 participating. Various athletic events were held in the morning and afternoon and the group joined in a picnic lunch at noon.

sponsored Mother's teas during the week.

Darwin Christiansen underwent surgery at St. Anthony Hospital in Pendleton Tuesday to repair damage to a broken leg sustained in a motorcycle accident.

Mrs. Warren McCoy and daughters, Debbie McCoy and Susan Simmons, drove to Portland and spent Thursday and Friday with her sister, Mrs. Kay Cameron.

Mrs. Warren McCoy spent Friday in Hermiston working with the VFW Auxiliary in selling poppies.

Mr. and Mrs. Don Kenny left Saturday for a trip to Wyoming and California where they will visit friends and relatives.

"Music in May"  
Sherry Partlow rode to Forest Grove with Randy Baker of Boardman and their music instructor, Mr. Weddle. The students will participate in the annual "Music in May" festival, with various activities Thursday through Sat.

Mrs. Robert Schmolli and children, Nicholle and Daniel, drove to Portland Wednesday to visit her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Blohm and her sister, Michelle-Nicholle Blohm, of Miami, Florida. Miss Blohm is a stewardess with Eastern Airlines.

Mrs. Don Kenny is recuperating at her home after being hospitalized at the Umatilla Hospital.

Mrs. Josie Buchanan is a patient at Good Shepherd Hospital, where she is being treated for a stroke suffered on Mother's Day.

Mr. and Mrs. Earl Isom took their trailer house to Cutsforth Park Wednesday for a camping trip.

Mr. and Mrs. Vernon Stewart and Sharon, Dodie Hilling, Mrs. Ruth McCoy and Mrs. Ellen Reeder drove to La Grande Thursday to attend the funeral of Stewart's grandmother, Mrs. Kate Stewart.

Kindergarteners Visit  
The Kindergarten class at A.C. Houghton School, taught by Mrs. Elaine Nelson was host to prospective kindergarten students who visited during the week.

Mr. and Mrs. Bill Cooley, Burrell Cooley and Mrs. Vera Cooley drove to Portland Monday to visit Mrs. Cooley's sister, Mrs. Alva Whitaker, who underwent surgery at Good Samaritan Hospital.

**Kinzua**  
Friendship Club was held Wednesday evening at the First Grade Room with Pat McMinn as hostess. High was won by Carol Norris, second high was won by Ruth Carey and pinochles were won by Carol Norris and Betty Murdock. Others playing for the evening were Sue Mattison, Cindy Weaser, Rosemary Nelson, Evy Luper, Deena Reid, Barbara Heim, Irene Samples and Sharon Bell.

## Outdoor School Enlarges Concept of Heppners Backyard

Heppner Elementary 6th grade students spent the week of May 7 - 11 camping at the U. S. Forest Service installation at Tupper.

**Indian Adoptions**  
The camp was oriented to an Indian theme with three cabins: Soaring Eagle, Spotted Fawn and Morning Dove. The instructional tribes were the Klickitat and the Clatsop. In keeping with the theme the Chinook Jargon was used throughout the program with such terms as Mam-ook (work), muck-a-muck (food), tumwater (showers), pow-wow (campfire), totem (flag) ceremony, tepee check (cabin inspection) and many more.

The high school counselors took camp names during the week: Hawk, Butch Taylor, Buzzie, Anita Davidson; Shadow, Kristi Haguewood; Shorty, Dave Daly; Bilbo, Mary Abrams; Skeeter, Tracie Norne; Tawni, Lynda Baker; Pud, Kelwayne Haguewood; Snooks, Tami Meador; Moose, Randy Morris; Slick, Mark Schlichting; Skeezeix, Lisa Collins. These people were assigned responsibilities from dining hall and program planning, recreation, field study, living groups, weather to flag duties. Always in leadership roles or assisting an instructor.

**Resource People**  
During the week, resource people from the community area gave of themselves to come to the camp and present tribal instruction in areas of conservation - environmental study and outdoor living. Norm Clow of the U.S.F.S. taught a unit on map reading and compass use. Here, the students were involved in locating positions on a map and locating a

two-reading compass course. Bob Kelly of BMCC taught a unit on geology. Students learned of the geological origins of Morrow County and land forms from surrounding areas. They also learned to identify various types of rocks. Al Osmin of the SCS taught a unit on soil involving students in soil testing of pH factors, temperatures and physical composition.

**Wild Life**  
Glen Ward and Jack Melland, OSGC combined efforts in the study of wildlife. Students here were treated to quite an array of examples of local wildlife from horns and hides to track casts. Habitat and animal instincts were studied. To emphasize instinct, homing pigeons were released to return to Heppner. Dennis Martin U.S.F.S. instructed a unit on plant life, identifying local plants, their uses and values. Students found they could count the rings of a tree to find its age without cutting it down, an increment bore used by groups to check their estimates.

Errol Claire of the OSGC Fisheries Division taught the water unit Thursday at Bull Prairie. Students learned of the interrelated needs of water and other resources, testing for useable water and waterlife. Equipment from scuba gear to fish shockers was examined, demonstrated and discussed. Bob Jepsen, local rancher, mountain climber and outdoor enthusiast taught a unit on survival in the out-of-doors involving students in building shelters from natural materials, fishing poles from scratch and fires without matches. Each student put together his own survival kit before going to outdoor school

and had an opportunity to use it in cooking his own evening meal over a campfire. On the menu were beef chunks, potatoes, apples, carrots, celery and two fresh trout caught by Scott McEwen and Randy Cole.

**Recreation Hours**  
Recreation time scheduled for late afternoon was a favorite activity for many. Archery, riflery, bait casting, hiking and arts and crafts were taught by high school counselors with

interests in these areas. Awards were given in each area for the outstanding students of the day.

Evening were taken by campfire activities planned and led by counselors. Skits, songs, fellowship and fun were the order for the evening pow wows.

Gladys Van Winkle, assisted by volunteer helpers prepared the meals for the week keeping everyone more than well fed. Monday evening Pat and Karen Cutsforth gave a hand; Tues-

day, Eva Griffith and Norma Harrison spent the day with the kitchen crew; and Wednesday, Micky Mollahan and Ethlyn Jones helped in the kitchen and also visited the field study areas. While mentioning kitchen help Mr. Agee, Mrs. Erwin and Mrs. Van Winkle combined breakfast skills with a meal-time skit of their own under the slogan: "If it's smoking it's cooking, if it's black it's done."

**Plant a Spruce**  
The week was brought to a

close with a Thursday evening soil ceremony pow wow with each person receiving a spruce tree to plant. This was followed by a review session Friday morning conducted by the regular classroom teachers, Inez Erwin and Clint Agee. Final action before leaving Tupper was the retiring of the American flag to be placed in safekeeping to fly over many more Outdoor School programs in the years to come.

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