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Members of the Heppner Swim Team dove off the starting blocks Monday in their 30-meter freestyle competition against the visiting Milton-Freewater team. Lana Reid, Heppner, appeared to be in the lead at the start and finished a strong second to her sister, Dana Reid in the girls, 9-10 years old, in time of 31.2. Dana completed the course in 29.3. Heppner swimmers captured the meet by one point, 215-214.

Heppner swim team captures victory with one point margin, 215-214

The Heppner Swim Team captured its first swim meet of the season against Milton-Freewater Monday, by one point, 215-214.

The Heppner girls medley team, aged 12 and under won the first event, the 120 meter relay in a time of 1:48.4; in the boys medley relay, 12 and under, the Heppner boys defeated the M-F team in a time of 2:14.1 compared to the visitor's 2:17.5; girls 13-18, Heppner, picked up 14 points in the 120 meter relay and in the boy's division, Milton-Freewater boys won the event in a 1:43.1 clocking; 30 meter freestyle, girls 8 and under, both teams tied with 14 apiece with Micky Hutchinson swimming the distance in 40.6, two seconds off of her closest M-F competitor, Tracy Hansen in 42.2; the 30 meter freestyle for

boys 8 and under saw Milton-Freewater scoring 8 pts; in the 30 meter freestyle for girls 9-10, Dana Reid scored the fastest time for Heppner in 29.3, Lana Reid swam the distance in 31.2, Beth Forrar in 32 seconds and Bobbette Angel in 34.3; and Duane Ball and Craig Angell were first in the 30 meter freestyle, 9-10 with 25.1 and 32.1 times.

In the 60 meter freestyle relay, girls, 11-12, Kelli Bergstrom, Heppner, placed first in a time of 43.8 followed by Shelly Biddle, in 53.2, Ellen Arbogast, 53.3, Heidi Samples, 53.6, S. Forrar, 54 and Andrea Ball, 1:00.3. In the same style, boys 11-12, Cam George, Heppner placed first in a time of 52.9.

Mary Arbogast, Heppner, swam the 20 meter freestyle for girls 13-14 in 2:2.9 and

Terry Gray, Heppner swam the same distance in the 13-14 boys division in 1:52, giving the Heppner swimmers a 60-39 point margin.

Other results included: 120 meter freestyle, Lottie Laughlin, 15-18 girls, 1:48.4 and Cindi Bergstrom, 1:54.6; boys 15-18, Lloyd Humbert, M-F, 1:42.1; 30 meter breaststroke, 8 and under, Julie Kopta, M-F, first, 51 seconds; boys division, 30 meter breast, Kevin Phillips, M-F, 45 seconds and Craig Angell, Heppner, 47.5; 30 meter breast, girls 9-10, Beth Forrar, Heppner, 35 seconds, Dana Reid, Heppner, 35.1, Lana Reid, 37.1; boy's division, Duane Ball, Heppner, 41.4; 60 meter breast, girls 11-12, Kelli Bergstrom, Heppner, 58 seconds; boys division, Cam George, 1:51.1; 120 meter breast, girls 13-14, Vicki

Oltman, M-F, 2:31.4; boy's division, Terry Gray, Heppner, 2:44.1; 120 meter breast, girls, 15-18, Cindi Bergstrom, Heppner, 2:17.7; boys division, Wayne Stiller, M-F, 2:28.8; girls backstroke, 30 meters, 8 and under, Natalie McCulloch, M-F, 42.6; boys division, Kevin Phillips, M-F, 46.8; 30 meter backstroke, girls 9-10, Beth Forrar, Heppner, 36.7; boy's, Duane Ball, Heppner, 31.1; girls 60 meter backstroke, Heidi Samples, Heppner, 1:03.4; boy's division, Cam George, Heppner, 1:14.4. By the 31st event, the Heppner team still had the lead, 150 to 118 pts. but by the 49th, the Milton-Freewater team caught up in the 120 meter event with Renae Stanton, M-F, swimming the distance in 1:16.5. But the Heppner swimmers clung to their one point advantage through the final events.

Red Cross lessons start July 30

Red Cross swimming lessons start July 10 at the Heppner Swimming Pool. Prospective students should sign up at the swimming pool.

The minimum age to enroll is five years old.

At 9 a.m., lessons are set for advanced beginners, intermediates learn at 10 a.m., beginning swimmers at 10:30 a.m. and beginners at 11 a.m.

Adult swim lessons are offered from 6-7 p.m. Tuesday through Saturday.

Winners reported in men's play

Jeff Edmundson scored the first low gross in men's play Sunday at Willow Creek.

Second low gross was turned in by C.C. Carmichael. Jim Wishart scored the first low net trailed by Elmer Palmer in second place.

First in the least putts division was Ron Bowman and second, Jerry Daggett.

The long drive was won by Charles Stark and closest to the pin was Jeff Edmundson.

Nazarenes need b-ball players

Dennis Atterbury of the Heppner Church of the Nazarene is trying to recruit other basketball players.

If you are interested in playing, contact him at 676-5529.

Umatilla Forest campground opens at Bull Prairie Lake

All campgrounds are open in the Heppner Ranger District and all facilities open at Bull Prairie, according to the weekly recreation report by the Umatilla National Forest.

Trails are open but have not been maintained.

And fishing is reported to be slow to moderate at Bull Prairie. There was severe winter kill of fish in Penland Lake, but it has been restocked by the Oregon Department of Fish and Wildlife. No motorized boats are allowed on either Bull Prairie or Penland Reservoir. Forest officials report that the road leading into Bull Prairie is rough with numerous potholes. In the Ukiah Ranger District, all campgrounds are open except Gold Dredge fishing camp which is closed for construction. The trails are open. The Ukiah-Granite

Road is under heavy reconstruction for the first two miles out of Ukiah and travelers asked to detour around that portion by using the Texas Bar Road, No. 55, until further notice.

The Pendleton Ranger District reports that all roads are open but some of the side roads have logs across them. Construction work was slated to begin on Summit Road on June 25 and there could be short delays in travel over from Highway 204 to Ruckley Junction until July 16. From July 16, the road will be closed for oiling.

As of June 19, the fire danger was reported to be low throughout the Umatilla National Forest but officials advised that all fires be properly built and completely extinguished before leaving.

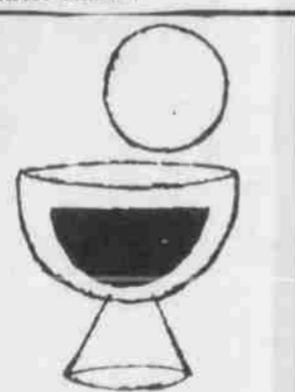
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Monday Morning Quarterback

By Jim Hackett

With the beginning of summer, the usual team sports seem to attract less attention than the recreational pursuits in the nearby mountains and on the golf course.

The county roads are normally filled with tourist traffic streaming to Penland Lake or Bull Prairie Reservoir for weekend campouts.

During a recent news assignment in the Heppner Ranger District, I had a chance to drive through the almost untouched forest meadows between Bull Prairie and Tupper Guard Station and noticed a group of RV's parked in a quiet, forested field. They appeared to be enjoying "getting away from it all" away from the regular campgrounds.

The reservoir looked peaceful with only a few park visitors and YCC workers, untouched by weekend boating activities. The Youth Conservation Corps has announced plans for a second fishing dock to be built on the lake, adding to its fishing accessibility for those visitors without boats.

Because of the approaching fire season, forest visitors are advised to carry a shovel and bucket in their car and during Fourth of July, to keep campfires within established parks. Keep Oregon green and beautiful.

It would be a great idea on Fourth of July if one of the communities or group of citizens in Morrow County arranged sporting events in a celebration of the holiday. I feel such events as a youth and adult bicycle race, lake rubber raft or inner tube race on Penland Lake or Bull Prairie might keep people at home and save on gas supplies.

If your sport is horseshoe pitching, you might be interested in watching the Oregon Open Money Horseshoe Tournament Saturday and Sunday, June 30 and July 1 on the Weber Field Courts in Hermiston. The tourney is expected to draw some of the top men and women pitchers from throughout the Pacific Northwest.

Last year, 53 pitchers entered from Washington, Oregon, California and Idaho and \$2,700 awarded in prize money. Interested contestants had to apply by Wednesday.

The pitching begins at 9 a.m. on both days.

Angels hang on to narrow league lead in second half

The Angels held on to their lead in the second half of the Little League this week despite a 2-3 loss to the Dodgers who are tied for second place.

The Angels have a 4-1 record and the Dodgers a 3-2 record. The Giants are tied for second place with an identical 3-2 mark.

Giants captured a pair from the Braves and the Angels and Dodgers split a pair in the weekly action. The Giants defeated the Braves 6-3 and 8-4 to move into their tie with the Dodgers.

And the Dodgers were defeated in Condon, 8-10, but came back to win by a point over the Angels, 3-2. Their win snapped a four game winning streak by the Angels.

There are two weeks left in the Little League season.

Bread tourney on June 30

The seventh annual Warm Springs Fry Bread Open Golf Tournament on the Warm Springs Indian Reservation will be held June 30 and July 1, not June 22-24 as previously announced by the Confederated Tribes.

Several thousand dollars in merchandise prizes are offered in the golf tournament, to be held on the 18-hole course at Kah-Nee-Ta Resort.

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PGE ENERGY UPDATE

Conservation Contest Winners Each Ride Off With Pair of 10-Speed Bikes

Two winners rode off with 10-speed bicycles as the top prizes in PGE's recently concluded Design-A-Conservation-Billboard contest. Tina Maniatis, Portland was the under 18-age first prize winner with the words, "Plug into Conservation — Unplug what you don't need", connected with an electrical cord with a plug on the end. The senior, over-18 winner, was Beverley Sweet, also of Portland with the words, "I didn't save energy either" appearing on a blacked-out background. Eighteen other runners-up winners received gift certificates for energy-saving clothing such as sweaters and parkas. PGE thanks some 15,000 conservation-minded people for requesting entry blanks.

Conservation Winner Says "Thanks"

Dear PGE,

Thank you for choosing my design as one of the nine runners-up in your conservation contest.

I shall use the certificate in the manner in which you indicated, probably buying sweaters.

I do feel it is an honor, thank you again.

Janet Streight
Oregon City, OR

Boardman Coal Plant Passes Midway Mark

One of the several needed generating plants that has not been delayed and is on schedule in the Northwest is the 530,000 kilowatt Boardman coal-fired plant in North Central Oregon. Approximately 1000 workmen are on the job putting the plant past the midway mark with a construction schedule calling for it to produce electricity by late summer, 1980. Contracts totalling \$200 million have been let since construction began in February, 1976. The plant, owned principally by PGE, will represent a total investment of an estimated \$535 million.

"Keep Trojan Working" Say Nearby Residents

Following the accident at the Three Mile Island nuclear power plant in Pennsylvania in March, 1979, PGE hired the independent survey firm of Bardsley & Haslacher to find out how the residents of Columbia County felt about the Trojan plant. The interviewers asked the straightforward question of "Would you favor or oppose shutting down the Trojan nuclear plant in Oregon?" The results: 87 percent opposed shutting down of Trojan; 7 percent favored the shutting down of Trojan; 6 percent were undecided. The plant, as most PGE customers know, is located in Columbia County and almost nine out of 10 of those residents oppose shutting down the plant. PGE thanks those residents for their resounding vote of confidence in the operation of Trojan.

PGE, Four Other Utilities To Select Geothermal Site

As part of its program in developing alternative generating resources, PGE is participating with four other Western Utilities in selecting a site, probably by fall, for a prototype geothermal generating plant. The five-company group is evaluating bids submitted by engineering firms to design a generating plant and several geothermal developers will be asked to submit site suggestions later this month. The site is likely to be in northern Nevada.

Government Tax Credits Available for Solar Assists

Sizeable savings in the form of Oregon and federal income tax credits can be realized by homeowners who purchase and install solar water and space heating systems. For example, Oregon offers a tax credit of 25 percent of the cost of a system to a maximum of \$1000. The federal government provides a credit of 30 percent on the first \$2,000 and 20 percent on the next \$8,000 with a maximum credit of \$2,200. On a \$4000 solar system, more than half of the purchase price is returned to the purchaser through tax credits. For \$4,000 to \$10,000 systems, 33 to 50 percent is returnable depending on the actual installed price. For further details, write the Department of Energy, Room 111, Labor and Industries Bldg., Salem, OR 97310 or call PGE, 226-8478.

Thought For the Day

"The only thing more expensive than education is ignorance."
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