

Best all-around game of season ends in 62-45 win for Fillies

By Dana Reid
The Heppner Fillies played their best all-around game of the season in their second league win against the Stanfield Tigers, according to Coach Mike Royer. The Fillies met the Tigers at Stanfield, January 11. The Fillies started the game with a pressuring full court defense. This hassle bothered the Tigers to leave Heppner with a 24-0 lead at one point in the first quarter.

The Fillies didn't seem to have anything going wrong for them in the first half. Shots were dropping from all over the court and steals were coming from down and up court.

The only drawback was Heppner's leading scorer, Lana Reid, went to the bench early because of foul trouble. Royer complimented Dana Reid for good shooting and Missy Turner for defense.

"Dana shot the ball well and had some really nice passes in the first half. Missy is back to full strength and it makes a difference when she's out there on defense," said Royer. Stanfield deserves some credit on their defense. They played a diamond and two which means three players played a zone while the other two played man-to-man.

The Tigers efforts made Heppner work harder on offense and that is what they did finishing the first half with a 43-13 lead.

The second half of the game went just as well for the Fillies with the

exception of foul trouble. Heppner managed around that fault and picked up in the other areas of the game. Aggressive defense pushed the Fillies over the line in the fouling aspect. Andrea Ball fouled out half way through the third quarter. Lana Reid took over and took her fifth foul just minutes later. Heppner's post, Theresa Lindsay put up her fifth foul as Penny Connor filled her position on the court, only to reach her fifth.

The fillies ended with four players fouled out but left an impressive mark with the Stanfield Tigers finishing the game 62-45.

"It was the best all-around game we've played all season," said Royer "we played solid defense and the press worked for us in the first half." Missy Eubanks led the fillies with 17 points and 11 rebounds. "Missy Eubanks had another good game and Penny Connor also played her best game of the year offensively," commented Royer.

Royer felt Heppner did well covering Lana Reid's missing position. "We had some players pick up the scoring slack when Lana got into foul trouble and that's good to see," he said.

"Dana Reid and Eubanks shot the ball from outside and we need that outside shooting threat," added Heppner's coach. "It was a good weekend for us," Royer concluded. "It's always nice to win on the road."

The Fillies may face one of their toughest games so far this season when they host the Pilot Rock Rockets, Friday, January 17. Remi Rieser heads the ninth state ranked Rockets as their leading scorer.

Pilot Rock holds an impressive record, matching the Fillies 2-0 league and 9-1 season records. Saturday, Jan. 18, the Fillies meet the Umatilla Vikings, also at Heppner.

Umatilla has lost one league game and has also won one. The Fillies aren't sure what to expect but they'll find out this weekend. Both games start at approximately 6 p.m.

Ione junior high girls wallop Helix

By David Wagenblast
Ione Junior High girls kept their undefeated season going by beating Helix 36-23, January 9. The scorers for Ione were Mary Cupps with 12 points, Amy Wagenblast with 10 points, Jo Cupps 6 points, Lori McCabe 4 points, and Linda and Nancy Morter both with 2 points.

Coach Norris played everyone on the team. Kim Newton led Helix with 10 points.

	1	2	3	4	F
Ione	11	9	9	4	36
Helix	9	4	6	4	23

Fouled Out - Jo Cupps, Ione. Kim Newton, Helix.

Bowling News

Koffee Kup Keglers

Team	Won - Lost
The Pytts	4 - 0
Gutter Dusters	3 - 1
M.C.G.G.	3 - 1
The Hopefuls	3 - 1
The Hi Ho's	1 - 3
The Dregs	1 - 3
No Pin Hitters	1 - 3
Beechers Alley Cats	0 - 4

Splits: Millie Hanna 5-4-7.
High game: Billie Doherty - 224
High series: Billie Doherty - 581
High team game: The Dregs - 589
High team series: M.C.G.G. - 1,695.

Sparetimers
January 7

Team	Won - Lost
Central Market	4 - 0
Gardners	3 - 1
Lens Processing	3 - 1
Les Schwab	3 - 1
Petersons	1 - 3
Black Mt. Elec	1 - 3
Bud's Pub	1 - 3
TJ's Camera	0 - 4

Splits converted: Phyllis Hunter and Chris Limanen 5-7; and Carol Norris 5-10.
High game: Millie Hanna - 223.
High series: Millie Hanna - 591.

Thursday Night Ladies
January 9

Team	Won - Lost
B.P.O.E.	8 - 0
Kinzua Corp	7 - 1
Bark'n Chips	7 - 1
B & C Repair	5 - 3
Ray Boyce Ins.	3 - 5
J & J Ceramics	1 - 7
Depot Nursery	1 - 7
Country Rose	0 - 8

Splits converted: Jan Paustain and Alvina Padberg 5-10; Carol Norris 6-7-10; and Karen Palmer 4-5-7.
High game: Katie McRoberts - 219.
High series: Inetia Cantin - 580.

Dime a Dozen
January 5

Team	Won - Lost
No. Four	4 - 0
No. Eight	4 - 0
No. Six	4 - 0
No. Three	3 - 1
No. Seven	1 - 3
No. Two	0 - 4
No. One	0 - 4
No. Five	0 - 4

Splits converted: B. Doherty 4-5-7 and 7-6-10, B. Corbin 4-7-9, and C. Bredemeier 6-7-10.
High game: D. Campbell - 208, K. McRoberts - 206.
High series: D. Campbell - 544, K. McRoberts - 560.
High team game: No. Eight - 773.
High team series: No. Eight - 2,238.

Dime a Dozen
January 12

Team	Won - Lost
No. Eight	7 - 1
No. Six	7 - 1
No. Four	5 - 3
No. Three	4 - 4
No. Seven	3 - 5
No. Two	2 - 6
No. One	2 - 6
No. Five	2 - 6
No. Nine	2 - 6

Splits converted: J. Rickert 5-6-10 and 2-7, K. Willson 4-5, J. Tanory 3-10, and E. McRoberts 3-10.
High game: Doherty-Campbell - 193, V. Brinda - 205.
High series: A. Campbell - 519, K. McRoberts - 549.
High team game: No. Eight - 774.
High team series: No. Eight - 2,172.

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Early Mustang lead ends in defeat



Loran Hays (23) tries to stop Pirate layup in game last Friday.

By Ashley Conklin
When the Heppner and Riverside boys basketball teams met on Friday, Jan. 10 both teams performed similarly to the Dec. 7 game, Riverside won 58-50. Both times the Mustangs raced to a big lead only to have it decimated. This time the Pirates escaped with a 55-50 victory. Early in the initial period Heppner jumped out to a seven-point lead. The Pirates came back to trail just 12-11 at the end of the period. The Mustangs were out and running in the second quarter as well.

When Todd Lindsay put in a bucket at the 2:41 mark the Mustangs were leading 25-13 and had Riverside on the ropes. However, the Mustangs were unable to deliver the knockout punch as Riverside went on an 8-1 tear to come within 26-21 at the half. Based on his team's first half performance, Pirate skipper Larry French said, "We usually shoot better than that." At that point, the Pirates had converted only 10 of 31 tries from the field, a poor 31 percent.

In the third period Riverside went to their bread-and-butter, finding 6'4" Twin Towers Brian Byrd and Brian Sheadel inside. The two paid dividends right away. Sheadel's three-point play with 4:32 remaining in the period gave Riverside their first lead of the contest. Meanwhile, Byrd powered in 10 fourth period points.

"At halftime we switched to a 1-3-1 zone offense in order to get both Brians more involved in our offense," stated French. Not to be outdone, the Mustangs still led 42-40 at the end of the period, thanks to a Wayne Wilgers hoop off a Bryan Padberg feed with seven ticks on the clock. The lead see sawed back and forth in the final quarter. The Pirates looked to be in trouble when Sheadel sat down with his fourth foul and 4:49 remained in the game. However, he returned with 3:23 left.

Riverside led 53-50 after Bingo Ganvoa hit one of two free throws. On the next trip down the floor, the Mustangs missed a crucial shot and Riverside's Mike Griffin was fouled

STATISTICS

	1	2	3	4	F
Heppner	12	14	16	8	50
Riverside	11	10	19	15	55

	FG	FT	F	R	A	T
Padberg	0-4	0-0	2	3	1	3
Duncan	0-0	0-0	0	0	2	1
Hayes	2-3	0-1	1	2	4	4
Harrison	0-1	0-0	0	0	0	0
Wilgers	9-16	4-4	1	1	2	32
Clement	4-6	2-4	0	11	0	10
Lindsay	5-15	0-1	5	7	2	30
Kenison	2-6	0-0	2	11	3	0
Totals	22-51	6-10	11	35	14	50

Riverside - McClintock 0-3,0-0,0; Stevens 3-12,0-0,6; Ganvoa 2-6,1-2,5; Griffin 2-7,2-3,6; Byrd 10-14,0-0,20; Sheadel 7-10,2-3,16; Tolar 1-2,0-0,2.
Totals 25-54,5-9,55.
Fouled out - Lindsay, Total fouls - Heppner 11, Riverside 13.

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