

Heppner dance team, rally squad awarded

By DANAREID
The Heppner High Dance Team and Rally Squad proved themselves at the Columbia Basin Conference District 7A tournament by being awarded the half-time entertainment award and the boys rally squad award.

Both the dance team and the cheerleaders are often times overlooked. Each of these squads put in countless hours of preparing themselves for the sports events.

The dance team consists of 12 members which are seniors: Michele Miles, Cindy Piper, Lana Reid, Noella Rill, Sandra Wattenburger, Missy Turner, Shelly Biddle, Tammy Hayes, and Dana Reid, junior Dorothy Hays and freshmen Christy Stroeber and Benji Pearson.

Heppner's dance team performed Thursday night at half-time of the Heppner Mustangs and Riverside Pirates championship game.

The girls danced to "How Will I Know" which was choreographed by Senior Shelly Biddle.

The dance team had performed this particular routine earlier in the season on Heppner's home court.

The routine seemed to be well-liked by Mustang and Filly fans and was chosen by the girls to use at district.

Not only was it liked at Heppner but also by the district as Heppner's Dance Team was announced this year's District Half-Time Entertainment award winners.

Heppner's Dance Team will perform at the regional tournament once again at half-time of the championship game between the Heppner Mustangs and Grant Union on Friday.

This year's rally squad consists of seniors Missy Gates, Paula Plocharsky and Sandra Wattenburger and junior Paula Heatherly.

The cheerleaders raised spirit and were named the boys rally squad award winners. The cheerleaders were judged on appearance, sportsmanship, enthusiasm and originality.

Heppner FFA'er advances to state competition

Seven members of the Heppner FFA Chapter attended the Sectional Leadership Skills Contest on February 25, at LaGrande High School.

Alex Lindsay participated in the Extemporaneous Public Speaking Contest, taking first place. He will advance to state competition during the FFA State Convention March 21-24 at OSU in Corvallis.

Noella Rill participated in the Prepared Public Speaking Contest, but did not place.

Other members from Heppner who attended the contest were, Nance Wright, Nancy Bailey, Kim Wright, Dorothy Hays, and Patty Altizer.

Six Heppner basketball players named to district all-star teams

By Ashley Conklin

At the Columbia Basin Conference District 7A tournament in Pendleton on Friday, Feb. 28 the conference all-star teams were announced. There were three boys' teams and two girls' teams.

The boys and girls district champions, Heppner, netted two boys on the first team and four girls on the first and second teams.

Todd Lindsay, a 6 ft. 3 in. senior and Wayne Wilgers, a 6 ft. junior, Heppner's boys' representatives, were both on the first team.

Earning first team recognition for the girls were Heppner's Lana Reid, a 5 ft. 7 in. senior and Missy Eubanks, a 5 ft. 9 in. junior.

The Fillies also placed Dana Reid and Missy Turner on the girls second team. Reid is a 5 ft. 6 in. senior and Turner, also a senior, is 5 ft. 4 in.

Listed below are the CBC all-star teams.

BOYS

First Team

Todd Lindsay, 6 ft. 3 in. senior, Heppner; Wayne Wilgers, 6 ft. junior, Heppner; Brian Byrd, 6 ft. 4 in. senior, Riverside; Brian Sheadel, 6 ft. 4 in. senior, Riverside; and Jeff Hull, 6 ft. 2 in. senior, Wasco County.

Second Team

Chris Stevens, 6 ft. senior, Riverside; Dan Kurtz, 6 ft. 1 in. senior, Umatilla; Russell Richards, 5 ft. 10 in. senior, Wasco County.

in. junior; Jeff Walker, 6 ft. senior, Stanfield; Howard Wagoner, 5 ft. 11 in. senior, Stanfield; Randy Seibel, 6 ft. 3 in. senior, Wahtonka; and Tracy Fields, 5 ft. 10 in. junior, Sherman County.

Honorable Mention

Stacey Hammer, 5 ft. 11 in. senior, Wasco County; Wayne Sehman, 6 ft. 3 in. senior, Umatilla; Bill Martin, 6 ft. 2 in. sophomore, Sherman County; and Trent Eastmen, 6 ft. 3 in. senior, Weston-McEwen.

GIRLS

First Team

Lana Reid, 5 ft. 7 in. senior, Heppner; Missy Eubanks, 5 ft. 9 in. junior, Heppner; Michelle Mark, 5 ft. 6 in. senior, Riverside; Patti Sharp, 5 ft. 10 1/2 in. senior, Sherman County; Karen Doherty, 5 ft. 9 in. junior, Pilot Rock; Remi Resser, 6 ft. 1 in. senior, Pilot Rock; and Lindy Porfily, 5 ft. 7 in. sophomore, Stanfield.

Second Team

Dana Reid, 5 ft. 6 in. senior, Heppner; Missy Turner, 5 ft. 4 in. senior, Heppner; Karen Bjorklund, 5 ft. 8 in. senior, Weston-McEwen; Tricia Quaempts, 5 ft. 9 in. senior, Weston-McEwen; Deana Adams, 5 ft. 11 in. senior Umatilla, Amber

Coe, 5 ft. 6 in. senior, Wasco County, and Kim Kiser, 5 ft. 4 in. junior, Wahtonka.

Degree of Honor installs officers

Mr. and Mrs. Lawrence Clausen of Bend came to Heppner Feb. 25 for a visitation at the Degree of Honor Lodge and for the installation of the 1986-87 officers.

The Clausens joined members of the lodge for dinner at the Wagon Wheel Cafe preceding the meeting. Mrs. Clausen, Oregon State Director and National Outer Watch, acted at the installing officer as the following new officers were given authority:

Past-president, Nina Denton; President, Betty Tanner; Vice-President, Vivian McConnell; Second Vice-president, Mildred Padberg; Secretary-treasurer, Joyce Breeding; Usher, Bernice Nash; Assistant Usher, Adelle La Trace; Inner Watch, Marie Steagall; Outer Watch, Esther Bergstrom; Pianist, Shirley Connor; Captain of Drill Team, Babe Harris; Ritual Counselor, Mary Bryant; Escort Staff, Eleanor Gonty and Babe Harris.

Lodge trustees installed were: Bernice Nash for three years; Ida Farra for two years; Shirley Connor for one year.

Mrs. Clausen reminded the members to keep Saturday, May 10 open for the District Meeting which will be held in Baker.

After the installation meeting refreshments were furnished by Ida Lynn, Mary Bryant and Mildred Padberg.

The next regular Degree of Honor meeting will be on Tuesday evening, March 11, at 8 p.m. in the lodge hall.

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- Ale
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- Little people of Ireland
- Irish clover
- Young man
- Nationality
- Ewes and lambs
- Hearty soup
- Rock with special powers
- Dog that works with sheep
- Family
- Milk oath

DOWN CLUES

- Tavern
- Distinctive speech pattern
- Patron Saint
- Erin
- Gentleman
- A bowling tournament in Heppner
- Lass
- A smoker
- Color
- Club
- Driven from Ireland

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