

Mustang victory results Mustangs hand win to Sherman County from battle with Eagles



Gene Garrett shoots jumper against Wahtonka. No. 10 is Bryan Padberg.

By Ashley Conklin
Enough shots were fired last Friday night for a small war, but it was only a Columbia Basin Conference basketball game, and when the battle was over the Heppner boys came up with an 81-69 victory over the Wahtonka Eagles.

The game was a contrast in styles as Heppner, who led the CBC in team offense entering the contest, likes to run while Wahtonka, one of the league's top defensive teams, prefers a slower-paced game.

However the game was to the Mustangs liking and, as a result, it was the offensive minded team that won.

"Wahtonka played really well," Heppner coach Mike Royer said. "I didn't expect them to run with us and that might have worn them down in the end because everything went our way the last three minutes of the game."

The Mustangs had entered the fourth quarter with a slim 57-56 lead but the Eagles refused to quit as it took 10 fourth quarter points from Wayne Wilgers and eight from Bryan Padberg for Heppner to win.

Wilgers led all scorers in the game with a career-high 30 points and Dick Devin had the game of his life with a career-high 22 points to pace the Mustangs.

Jeff Kielen led the Eagles with 19 points from inside and outside as Larry Shannon and Tim Grant were also in double figures with 14 and 11 points respectively for Wahtonka.

Each team got its offenses into high gear in the early going as Wahtonka took a 22-18 first period lead over Heppner.

Kielen pumped in six points to lead the Eagles in the first period while Wilgers gunned in eight for the Mustangs.

Heppner, which was a sizzling 33 of 58 from the field for the game, a 57 percent clip, kept the nets afire in the second quarter with 23 points to grab a 41-38 first half lead.

Devin found the range from the perimeter in the second quarter and

worked his way inside against the taller Wahtonka front line for 12 points in the quarter and 16 in the half.

Devin came out firing in the third frame to score six points early on and then it was Wilgers' turn as he chipped in eight in the frame but the Eagles held their own and trailed only 57-56 entering the fourth quarter.

The tall Wahtonka front line started to take its toll in the fourth quarter as Heppner's Trent Harrison, who wound up with seven rebounds, fouled out.

But the Mustangs were able to control the final minutes as Wilgers had five field goals in the quarter and Padberg chipped in two field goals and four of four free throws. It was two Wilgers lay-ins and Padberg hitting the game's final six points that made the difference in the end as well as four key points from Duane Ball.

Padberg had another strong game for the winners with 17 points, a career-high 12 assists, and 4 steals. Ball and Devin added five and four assists respectively while Wilgers led Heppner with 10 rebounds.

After the torrid first half, the Mustangs were even hotter in the second half, making 16 of 24 field goals for an eye-opening 67 percent.

With the fast tempo created by the two teams, the Mustangs committed 20 turnovers but the difference in the game was that while Heppner is accustomed to high-scoring affairs, the Eagles are not.

	1	2	3	4	F
Wahtonka	22	18	18	11	69
Heppner	18	23	16	14	81

	FG	FT	R	A	ST	TO
Heppner	51	37	30	2	10	23
Wahtonka	41	22	22	3	7	14

Wahtonka Co. 7, 2-3, R. Shannon 6, 2-5, 14; Mitchell 9, 0-1, R. McElmer 3, 3-4, 9; Peters, Sandoz 1, 0-0, 2; Carter 7, 1-4, 11; Rogers 7, 0-0, 4; Kinkead 9, 1-2, 15. Total 36, 8-17, 44.
Fouled out: Carter, Sandoz, Harrison. Total fouls: Heppner 19, Wahtonka 19.

By Ashley Conklin
The Goodwill truck pulled up to Moro last Saturday night and the Sherman County Huskies accepted the charity to defeat Heppner's boys basketball team 60-52 in Columbia Basin Conference action. Heppner, which dropped to 4-3 in CBC play and 7-7 overall, fell into a first place tie with the Pilot Rock Rockets in the Eastern Division of the CBC.

The Mustangs played perhaps their worst half of basketball all season long in the opening half as they fell behind 40-18 and spent the second half trying to get back into the game.

But the difference in the game was at the free throw line where the Huskies were 28 of 37 for a torrid 76 percent compared to 50 percent for Heppner which went to the free throw line four times and made two shots. The Mustangs were whistled for 26 fouls in the game to seven for Sherman County with only one of those fouls coming in the first half.

"We're a team that relies heavily on our outside shooting and we weren't hitting in the first half," explained Heppner coach Mike Royer. "That, coupled with the Sherman County's hot shooting, was the difference in the first half."

"It's tough to lose when you go to the line almost 40 times," he added, "and I found that aspect of the game a little bit ridiculous."

Arlington downs Cards 66-55



Dustin Padberg shoots layup. No. 41 is Richard Basford.

Arlington's Rick Mahler scored 31 points to lead the Honkers to a 66-55 victory over the Lone Cardinals Friday night at the victor's home court. "We played very well at times, some excellent fast breaks and some good ball movement," said Lone's coach Del LaRue. "We just lost intensity on the boards and defensively at initial times."

Lone's Kevin Ball led the team with 8 assists and 5 steals. Ken Snider had 15 points and Ball added 13.

	1	2	3	4	F
Arlington	14	19	14	19	66
Lone	14	19	14	19	55

	FG	FT	R	A	ST	TO
Arlington	54	30	30	2	12	22
Lone	40	20	22	3	10	21

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Heppner Frosh escape Pilot Rock

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Behind a strong fourth quarter effort, Heppner's freshmen boys basketball team squeaked by the Pilot Rock Rockets 39-38 on January 20.

Russell Britt, who led all scorers with 19 points, sank a free throw with less than 10 seconds remaining to put the Mustangs on top 39-38.

Heppner then held on as Casey Pedro drew an offensive foul from a Rocket with four seconds to play to seal Pilot Rock's fate.

The Mustangs trailed 27-24 entering the fourth quarter but rallied

behind the play of Britt and Ryan Miller to outscore the Rockets 15-11 in the final frame.

Britt and Miller each had five points in the quarter. Miller ended up with 12 points for the game.

Tucker Hodgen led a balanced attack for the Rockets with 12 points.

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The Mustangs were unable to buy a basket in the first two periods as Sherman County, paced by 6' 3" Bill Martin, led 19-4 after the first quarter and 40-18 at intermission.

Heppner, which shot 57 percent from the floor in Friday's win over Wahtonka, were 25 of 66 from the field Saturday night for 38 percent but were absolutely frigid in the first 16 minutes.

The Mustangs have made a habit of coming back from huge halftime

deficits to make it a close game at the end, and Saturday night was no different.

Heppner, one of the shortest teams in the league, was able to match up with the Huskies fairly evenly and crawled back into the game with a tenacious man-to-man defense and the ability to start hitting the outside shot.

Sophomore Bryan Padberg, one of the CBC's top point guards, scored eight points in the third frame as the Mustangs outscored Sherman County 16-7 in the frame to pull within 47-34 entering the fourth quarter.

Heppner continued to make a run at the Huskies in the fourth quarter, pulling to within eight points on several occasions.

However with each Heppner run Sherman County would quickly call a timeout and fend off any hopes of the Mustangs pulling the game out.

The Huskies literally lived at the foul line in the fourth quarter, converting 13 of 17 attempts for 77 percent. In the process, Heppner lost starters Duane Ball and Dick Devin who fouled out of the game. Sherman County, which had 20 second half points, had only two field goals in that half.

Russell Britt and Wayne Wilgers did their best to bring the Mustangs within striking distance in the fourth

quarter as Britt came off the bench to hit four of four field goals for eight points in the quarter as Wilgers contributed six more points.

The Mustangs will hope to get back into the win column this weekend when they host Pilot Rock on Friday at approximately 8 p.m. and Weston-McEwen on Saturday at approximately 6:15 p.m.

Heppner defeated Pilot Rock two weeks ago, 71-60 and will have to stop the Rockets' Jamie McCall the second time around and will face the TigerScots on Saturday, the Eastern Division's cellar dwellers.

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b. Interest-bearing balances	3,986,000
2. Securities	6,486,511
3. Federal funds sold	3,500,000
4. Loans and lease financing receivables:	
a. Loans and leases, net of unearned income	16,513,873
b. LESS: Allowance for loan and lease losses	(353,239)
c. LESS: Allocated transfer risk reserve	NONE
d. Loans and leases, net of unearned income, allowance, and reserve (item 4 a minus 4 b and 4 c)	16,160,634
5. Assets held in trading accounts	992,482
6. Premises and fixed assets (including capitalized leases)	593,642
7. Other real estate owned	72,008
8. Other assets	551,596
11. TOTAL ASSETS (sum of items 1 through 11)	34,248,506
LIABILITIES	
13. Deposits:	
a. In domestic offices:	
(1) Noninterest-bearing	2,665,257
(2) Interest-bearing	27,980,357
20. Other liabilities	285,785
21. TOTAL LIABILITIES (sum of items 13 through 20)	30,931,399
EQUITY CAPITAL	
24. Common stock (No. of shares a. Authorized 30,000 b. Outstanding 30,000)	750,000
25. Surplus	1,850,000
26. Undivided profits and capital reserves	717,807
28. TOTAL EQUITY CAPITAL (sum of items 24 through 26)	3,317,807
29. TOTAL LIABILITIES AND EQUITY CAPITAL (sum of items 21, and 28)	34,248,506

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I, the undersigned officer, do hereby declare that this Report of Condition has been prepared in conformance with official instructions and is true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

SIGNATURE OF OFFICER AUTHORIZED TO SIGN REPORT: Patricia Gentry, Cashier DATE SIGNED: 1-28-87

NAME AND TITLE OF OFFICER AUTHORIZED TO SIGN REPORT: Patricia Gentry, Cashier PHONE NO: 503-676-9125

We, the undersigned directors, attest the correctness of this Report of Condition and declare that it has been examined by us and to the best of our knowledge and belief has been prepared in conformance with official instructions, and is true and correct.

SIGNATURE OF DIRECTORS: (s) E. Dick, Jr. (s) Howard Bryant (s) G. H. Pierson