

Honkers stay on top of Cardinals

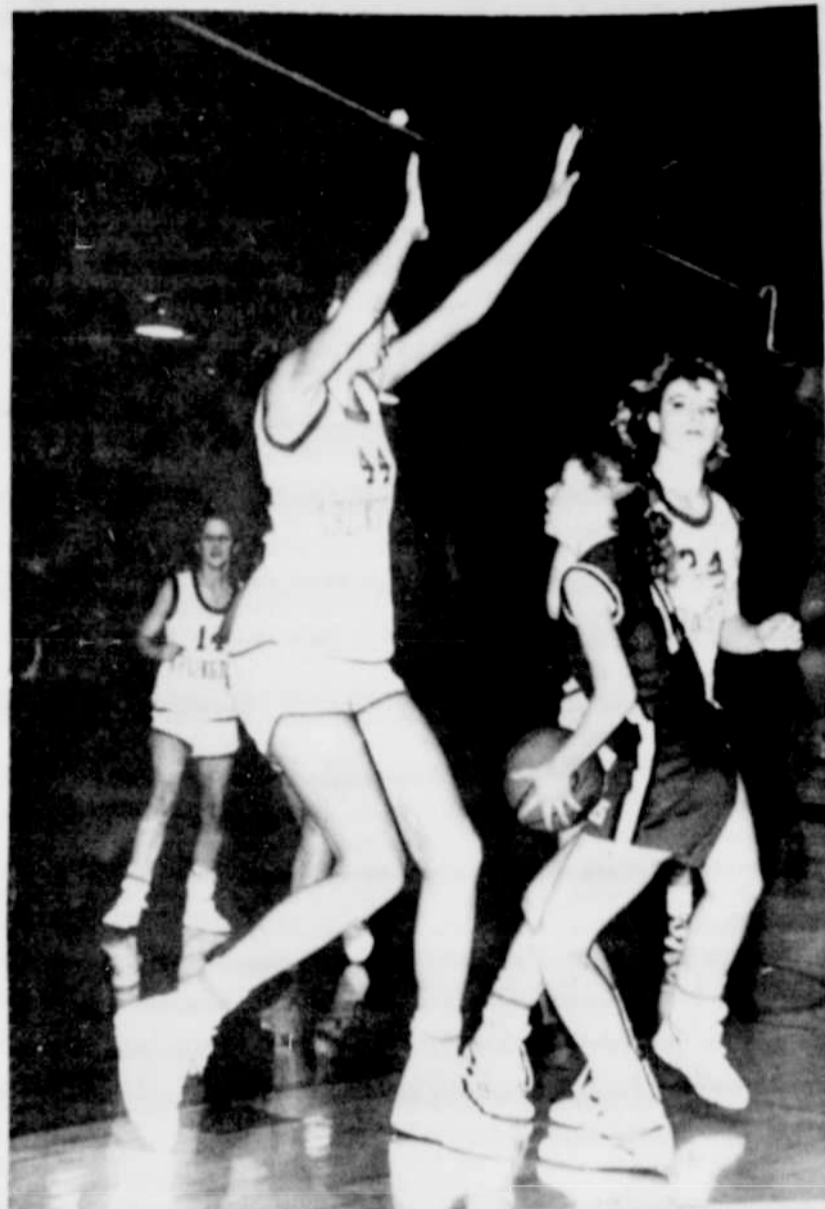


Photo by Wayne Hams

Shannon Perez (15) lone looks for another option while Arlington's (44) 6' 3" Jennifer Sharp guards her.

By Sean Warren

The lone Lady Cardinals took on the Arlington Honkers in a strong league rivalry for the second time this season. The Lady Cardinals who lost their first meeting in the Condon Christmas Tournament, was out for revenge in the contest. Arlington won 64-29.

Ione was outscored in the first quarter 14-7. Ione played tough in the game but couldn't seem to come back after the shaky first quarter. The Cardinals had a tough time on the defensive end as the Honkers got nearly all the offensive rebounds they wanted. Arlington got several third and fourth attempts which allowed them to score nearly at will.

Ione was outscored in the second quarter 17-6. They played decently on the defensive end but couldn't

seem to get anything to drop.

The third quarter was worse for Ione who got outscored 18-2. The Cardinals who had only scored 15 points in the third quarter mounted a furious charge in the fourth quarter. Finally things started to go lone's way as shots started to fall. Ione got their break going in the fourth quarter and showed Arlington they could play on the same level with the Honkers.

Sophomore Linda Morter led the way for the Cards scoring 12 points.

Senior Jennifer Sharp and senior Shelly Webb combined for 49 points. The 6' 3" Sharp scored 30 points with Webb adding 19 points.

Statistics
Ione (29) Morter 5-2-2-12; Pughman 3-0-4-6; M. Cupps 3-1-3-7; Padberg 1-0-3-2; Paves 1-0-1-2; Doherty, Anderson, Nelson. Totals 13-3-14-29.
Arlington 14 17 18 15 64
Ione 7 6 2 14 29
Fouled out-None. Total Fouls-Ione 17, Arlington 14.

Ione boys take on Echo



Ione's (44) Gary Rea shoots for two against Echo Cougars

Ione hosted the Echo Cougars Friday, January 29, in a must win situation for Ione. The Cards lost by a score of 63-48. Echo had defeated the Cards by one point at Echo in a tight defensive game.

Ione was outscored in the first quarter by a score of 13-10. Both teams missed easy shots underneath and on the break that would have escalated the score higher.

The second quarter was a good one for both teams with Ione getting outscored 19-15. Since they were outscored 32-25 at the half, they came out and attempted to play zone against the visiting Cougars. Ione played successfully for several minutes until Echo got hot from the outside forcing the Cards back into the man-to-man defense.

Ione's shooting went cold in the third quarter while Echo's turned blazing hot. Ione was outscored in the third 16-9. Ione cut the score to

seven in the fourth quarter but couldn't seem to cut the lead any further. During the final two minutes, Echo increased their lead to 15.

Leading the way for Ione was senior Ken Snider and Dustin Padberg who both added 11 points respectively.

Senior Dan McCarty led Echo with 17 points and senior Cory Welch also added 16 points to help the Echo cause.

Statistics
Ione (48) Snider 5-0-11; K. Ball 2-0-4; Padberg 4-3-4
11; Rex 3-0-4; B. Ball 3-0-8; Morter 3-1-4; Hams
1-0-1-2. Totals 21-5-11-68.
Echo 13 19 16 15 63
Ione 10 15 9 14 48
3-point goals Welch 2; Snider 1. Fouled out, Padberg.
Total Fouls Echo 12, Ione 16.

Ione takes on tough Arlington squad

By Sean Warren

The lone boys team travelled to Arlington to square off against the league leading Honkers. Ione who had won only one league game this year was determined to play well and try to come away with a win. The score was Arlington 55, Ione 44.

Ione came out playing an aggressive defense that allowed them to outscore Arlington 11-10. Ione was executing well and they were hitting all of the shots that would be essential if they were going to win the game. The defense proved to be the major factor in the game as both teams worked extremely hard on the defensive end of the court.

Arlington edged the Cardinals by one point in the second quarter to make the score 19-19 at the break. Height was another factor in the game as Arlington had two players over 6'4" while Ione has a smaller lineup with only one player over 6' 1".

Ione started slow in the third quarter allowing Arlington to score 16 points in the third as opposed to only 10 points by Ione. The fourth quarter proved to be a close one as lone caught up to within three points on a three point bomb by both senior Kevin Ball and Ken Snider. Snider who hit three, three point goals in the second half led the Cardinals with 13 points. Junior Dustin Padberg also had a good game scoring 12 points.

Arlington scored the last six points of the game to win the quarter 20-15 and the game by a score of 55-44. Leading scorers for Arlington were seniors John Galvin with 19 points and Jeff De Bolt who chipped in 12 points of his own.

Statistics
Snider 5-0-13; K. Ball 0-4-9; Padberg 5-2-4-12; Rex 2-0-4; B. Ball 0-3-4; Morter 0-0-2-0; Hams. Total 19 27-44.
Ione 11 8 10 15 44
Arlington 10 9 14 20 55
3-point goals Snider 3; K. Ball 1. Fouled out Morter.
Total Fouls-Ione 17, Arlington 9.



Dustin Padberg (41) goes for a layin.

Photo by Wayne Hams

Class A statistics listed

By Jason Dougherty

After four weeks of league play, Mustang Bryan Padberg is ranked first in assists with 5.4 per game, and second in steals with 4.4 per game. Padberg is ranked third in points with an average of 21.8 points a game. Russell Britt and Dick Devin are ranked fifth and sixth consecutively in points. Britt is averaging 19.2 points per game and Devin is averaging 18.4 points per game.

The Heppner Mustangs are ranked second in team offense in the league overall and rank sixth in team defense.

In the East CBC Division, the top two teams are the Stanfield Tigers and the Heppner Mustangs. In the West CBC Division the top two

teams are the Sherman County Huskies and the Riverside Pirates.

The Heppner Fillies are ranked seventh in team offense and fifth in team defense after four weeks.

Jennifer Curran is ranked fourth in league points averaging 12.0 points per game. Sandi Turner and Tami Lindsay rank second and third consecutively in league rebounding. Turner averages 11.2 rebounds and Lindsay averages 9.4 rebounds per game. Turner also ranks fourth in league assists.

The top tow teams in the East CBC division are the Weston-McEwen Tiger-Scotts and the Heppner Fillies. The top two teams in the West CBC Division are the Wasco County Redside and the Riverside Pirates.

Cold shooting defeats Fillies

By Jason Dougherty

It was a tough night for the Fillies as they were defeated 54-39 by the hot shooting of the Stanfield Tigers Saturday, Jan. 30.

The Fillies were led the whole way by the Tigers. In the second quarter it seemed that the Fillies were going to take control of the game as they fought their way back to within 2 points before the half.

Coming out in the second half the Fillies started losing ground again as the hot shooting of Stanfield's Michelle Bradley kept the Tigers on a roll. Cold shooting in the fourth quarter hurt the Fillies even more as the Tigers defeated the Fillies 54-39. Tami Lindsay led the Fillies with 13 points and 8 rebounds.

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