

Mustangs give Sherman first loss of the season in overtime



Will Martin (22) and Russell Britt (14) try to take the ball away from Sherman County.

By Jason Dougherty

The Heppner Mustangs dished out a first league loss to the Sherman County Huskies last Saturday night. In over-time, the Mustangs defeated the Huskies 46-43.

The Mustangs played excellent defense throughout the game, as they held the Huskies hot shooter Bill Martin to only 9 points.

The Mustangs led the Huskies by two at the half with a score of 21-19.

Coming out in the second half the score stayed within three as both teams were playing equally on offense. The Mustangs led at the end of the third quarter by one point as their defense was still working well. Approaching the end of the fourth quarter the Mustangs slipped a little, letting the Huskies tie the game up with 35 seconds left in the game. The Mustangs came down the floor

running a stall play hoping to get the last second shot before the buzzer.

As the time ticked away the Mustangs tried to work the ball inside for a short jump shot, but failing to do so. Mark Fishburn took the last second shot, but missed sending the game into overtime with a tied score of 40-40.

With 3 minutes put back on the clock both teams began playing cautious ball as they were looking for safe shots. Husky, Tim Danielson scored first in the overtime putting them up by two, but the Mustangs came back as Mark Fishburn was fouled on a completed shot and then sank the free throw to put the Mustangs up by one. Then the Mustangs fouled Husky Ray Brown as he completed one of his free throw's tying the game up at 43-43. Barney Lindsay was fouled and completed one of his free throws putting the Mustangs up by one.

With 12 seconds left on the clock, Bryan Padberg was fouled and sent to the line. He completed both shots and led the Mustangs over the Huskies 46-43 to give them their first league loss in eight games.

The leading scorers for the Mustangs were Russell Britt with 15 points and Dick Devin chipped in 14 points.

Ione boys stomp Cascade Locks

By Sean Warren

The Ione Cardinals hosted the Cascade Lock Pirates Saturday with Ione winning 57-45.

The game was important for Ione who still has a possible playoff spot available. The game was a defensive struggle for the first half. Ione only managed to score 9 first quarter points but held the Pirates to only six points.

Cascade Locks took the second period 12-6. The Pirates took an 18-15 lead into the halftime break. The Cardinals changed their defense and came out pressing in the third quarter.

The Cards exploded offensively in the third quarter scoring 18 points. The Pirates could only manage 8 points due to the aggressive press the Cards had set up.

Both teams put on a clinic of scoring in the fourth quarter. Ione scored 24 points while the Pirates scored a very respectable 19 points.

Leading scorers for Ione were junior Dustin Padberg with 18 points and senior Ken Snider bringing up second with 14 points. Senior Kevin Ball had a fantastic game scoring 13 points along with 9 crucial steals in the game.

"We came out and changed our defense, we pressed the whole second half and got a few turnovers," said coach Del LaRue when asked about the game.

The Cards who still have a chance of making the playoffs are 3-6 in league play and 5-12 overall standing. The Cards play at Helix Friday, February 12. Games start at 3 p.m.

Statistics

Ione (27) Scorer 5-4-14; K. Ball 5-3-13; Padberg 7-4-14; B. Ball 1-1-3; Marder 1-1-3; Bradford 2-0-4; Totals 22 13-23 57.	Cascade Locks 4-12 8 19 45
Ione 9 6 18 24 57	9 6 18 24 57
3 pt. goal-Lafferty 2, Lee 1. Fouled out-Stubbs. Total Fouls-Cascade Locks 18, Ione 13.	

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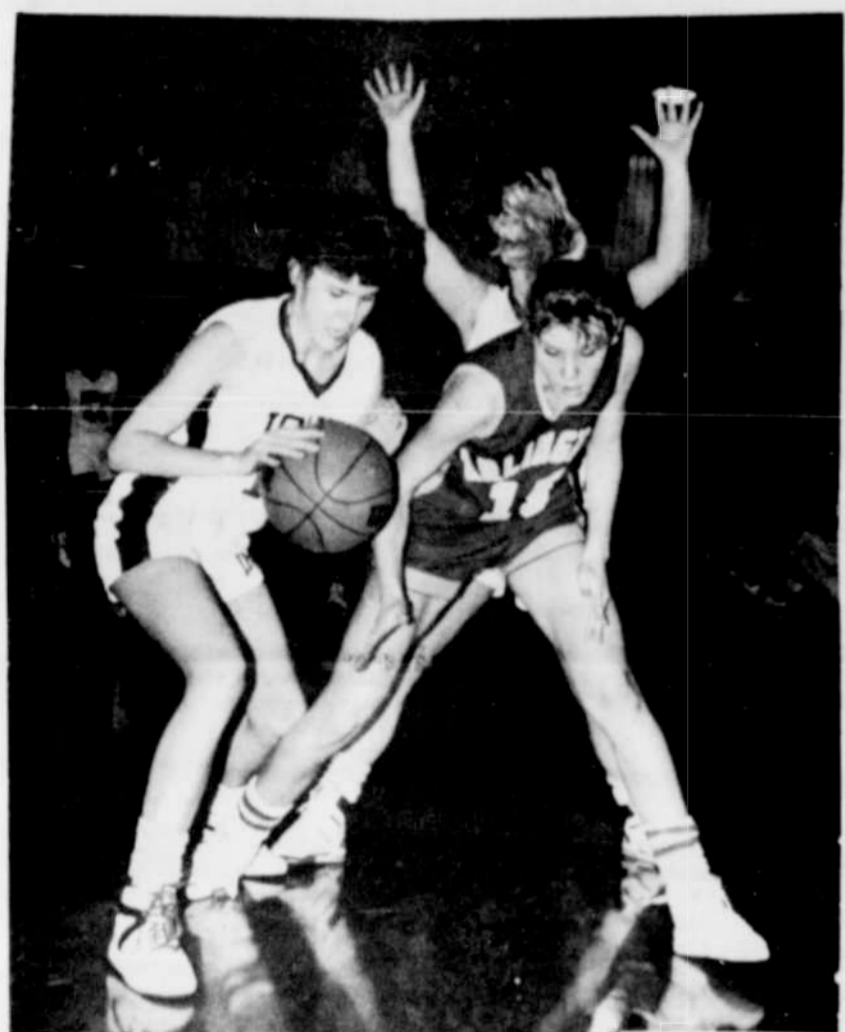
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Ione girls defeated by Arlington Honkers



Ione's Darcee Padberg dribbles around (15) Mickie Meisner from Arlington.

By Sean Warren

The Ione girls took on the District bound Honkers in a home game that started a two game homestand for the Cardinals with a score of Arlington 75, Ione 42.

Ione had a hard time getting started in the first quarter getting outscored 18-4. 6'3" senior Jennifer Sharp had a great game scoring 42 points, 26 in the first half.

Ione's best quarter was the second quarter, they were only outscored by six points and scored 19 points of their own. Arlington took a 43-23 lead into the halftime break.

Height and experience was again a major factor for two Cardinals whose tallest player is only 5' 8". Ione has no seniors on their team and only three juniors.

Arlington outscored the Cards 16-8 in the third quarter and 16-11 in the fourth to take a 75-42 win.

Ione coach Jocelyn Jones said after the game "that (the height factor) was our main problem, if we had six more inches we probably would have had a game, 42 points is impressive."

Along with Sharps 42 points, Webb scored 10 points to lead the Honkers in their victory.

Sophomore Mary Cupps led the Cards with 14 points and junior Michelle Papineau took a strong second with 10 points. "My kids are improving" coach Jones added, "this is our year to take some lumps, next season it will be our turn."

Statistics

Arlington 18 25 16 16 75
Ione 4 19 8 11 42
Ione: Padberg; Paves 1-0-2; Nelson 2-0-4; Doherty 2-1-3; Waggoner 2-1-4; Marder 3-0-6; Papineau 4-2-10; Cupps 6-2-14; Totals 18 6-11 42.
Fouled out-Marder, Cupps. Total Fouls-Arlington 15, Ione 18.

4-H News

Cow-A-Rama

Cow-A-Rama 4-H club from Morrow County (Boardman-Heppner members) met at the Tom Troxell ranch in Heppner on January 30. All members have a Dairy or Beef heifer project in addition to some hogs and chickens this year. Dee Gantenbein, Boardman, is 4-H club leader.

Officers elected for the 1988 year are as follows: Kevin Troxell-president; Rick Osmin-vice president; Jeanie Patterson-first secretary; Kristi Gantenbein-second secretary; Jodi Vandeventer-treasurer; Krystal Troxell-sergeant of arms; Amy Gantenbein-reporter; Laurel Temple-member at large.

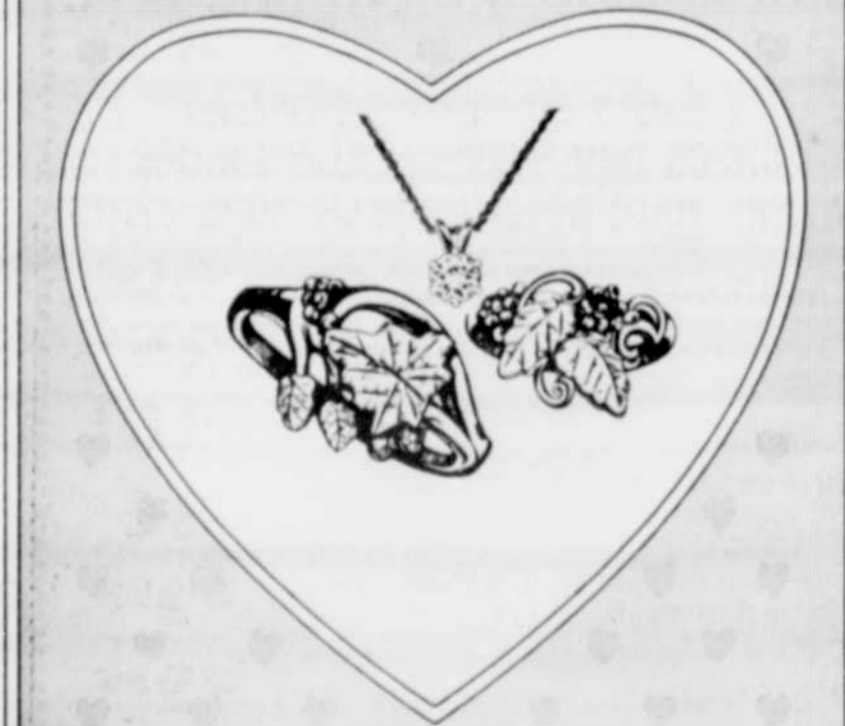
Members celebrated Kevin Troxell's birthday with a hot lunch and a decorated cake and ice cream.

Crazy Cookers

By Alisha Mariatt, Reporter
Last Tuesday there was cooking. We made sandwiches and drank milk and juice. The meeting was under the leadership of Chloe Pearson at her home.

By Mark Moeller, reporter
The members of the Crazy Cookers 4-H club met at the home of Chloe Pearson at 4:30 p.m. Wednesday, February 3. Attending were Mark, Melissa, Trent, Philip, Jessica, Alicia, Renee and Alena. We made stir fry vegetables, and cashew chicken. Each member learned how to set his own place at the table. Dinner was served.

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