

Garden clubs have use for casket flags

Have you wondered what to do with a casket flag? Garden clubs of the Oregon State Federation, of which the Lone and Heppner clubs are members, are collecting these flags for the "Avenue of Flags" project for Willamette National Cemetery, Portland.

A considerable number have already been donated as well as contributions for the poles. "It is a beautiful sight to see them on display along the roadways within the cemetery on Memorial Day, Fourth of July, and Veteran's Day," said Helen Martin, chairman for Willamette National Cemetery Blue Mtn. District No. 10. "The Boy Scouts place small flags on each grave for these special days."

Any donation may be made to a member of any garden club (Heppner, Lone, Boardman, Echo, etc.) to

Helen Martin, Lone, or they may be sent directly to Willamette National Cemetery, but in that case the district chairman would have no record of the donation.

The name of the deceased veteran, branch of service, name and address and relationship to the donor should all accompany the donated casket flag. The donor will receive a certificate of appreciation from an official of the cemetery.

The Oregon State Federation of Garden Clubs have been landscaping the cemetery for over 30 years and will continue to do so. A carillon bell tower has been erected. A tape project for playing bells is underway as well as the "Avenue of Flags" project. "A visit to Willamette National Cemetery would be well worth your time," said Martin.

Ione suffers setback

The lone Cardinals suffered a high-scoring setback at the hands of the Riverside Pirates on the baseball diamond last Thursday. More than the weather was cold that day as the Cards were unable to find their mark from the mound, losing 23-5. The game was played in Ione.

On the bright side, the Cardinals scored five runs on eight hits and five errors. David Wagenblast had two runs, one in the first inning and one in the third. Jim Davison and Travis Greenup scored in the third inning and Jim Holtz scored in the fourth.

The Cardinals kept their error total down, committing just six. This total was close to half of the errors they had in their last outing.

The fatal factor, however, were the 18 walks given up by the Cardinal pitchers. Riverside capitalized 11 times on walks and also used them to load the bases. When the Pirates got a hit, they were able to bring in several men to score.

"We should have been in that game," said coach Craig Gutierrez. "You just can't do it by walking so many people." He said the weather was probably the major factor for his team's pitching woes.

By Anne Morter

The lone tracksters had another busy week, competing in a five-way meet in Heppner on Tuesday and traveling to the State "B" Invitational at Mt. Hood Community College in Gresham on Saturday. The Cards got their first taste of inclement conditions, battling the wind and cold on Tuesday and the rain on Saturday.

On Tuesday, the girls scored 49 points to place second behind Heppner with 69 points. The boys tied for second with Pilot Rock. Both teams scored 40 points, again behind Heppner with 56 points.

Mike Garrett, Gabe Garcia and Danielle Stefani were the day's double winners. Garrett won the javelin with a throw of 131'10" and the 800 meters in 2:39.6. He also placed second in the 400 meters. Garcia won the 100 meters in 11.7 and the 400 meters in 58.67. In addition, he placed second in the 200 in a time of 24.87. Stefani won the 1500

(6:07.35) and the 800 (3:00.2).

Several other Cardinals had good performances. Jo Cupps won the javelin with a throw of 120'9 1/2" and placed second in the discus 99'2" and shot up 31'2". Crystal Minster collected a blue ribbon in the 400 meters, running the distance in 1:13.4. She was also second in the 200, 31.38 and fourth in the long jump 13'6 1/2". Wendy Anderson grabbed a third in the javelin with a throw of 63'9", a third in the discus with a toss of 72'7" and a fifth in the shot put with a throw of 29'10". Mac Lovett claimed fifth in both the long jump 16'6 1/2" and the 100 meters 12.63 as well as a sixth in the 200, 25.87. Mike Lovgren placed fifth in the 1500 in 7:26.

The Cardinals faced the cream of the Class B crop on Saturday at the State "B" Invitational. With the stiffer competition, the Cards had a tough time scoring. The girls chalk-

ed up 28 points to finish in eighth place. The boys scored just one point and ended up well back in the pack.

Danielle Stefani paced the girls team with a wire-to-wire victory in the 3000, running the distance in 11:55. She also placed fifth in the 1500 in 5:26. Both times are new school records. Jo Cupps threw the javelin 111'2" to finish second. The winner of that event is a familiar name to Ione sports fans, Jessica Puckett. The 6'1" standout athlete from Mt. Hood Christian won the event with a throw of 140'9", far outdistancing the field. Completing the girls scoring, Janie Cupps placed third in the high jump, jumping 4'6".

Gabe Garcia scored the only point for the boys, placing sixth in the 400 with a time of 54.5.

The Cardinals next outing is the Big Sky track meet to be held Saturday, May 5, in Condon.

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Anyone 13 to 15 years old wishing to try out for Babe Ruth baseball should contact Rick Johnston, 676-5562 or Tom Wicklund, 676-5259 by May 10.

Mustangs win double header

By Bob Krein

On Tuesday, April 24, the Heppner Mustangs played the Weston-McEwen Tiger-Scots in a double header.

The Mustangs trailed 1 to 0 after the first inning but came back in the second inning when Slater Mitchell scored on a single by Brandon Pedro. The Mustangs then took the lead 2 to 1 in the third inning when Bob Krein scored on a double by Russell Britt. The Mustangs then scored two more runs in the fourth inning when Brandon Pedro scored on a double by Jason Britt and then Britt scored on a single by Krein.

The Mustangs added another run in the fifth when Russell Britt scored on a single by Mitchell. The Mustangs added a run in each of the last two innings to give the Mustangs a 7 to 3 victory. Mitchell went 3 for 4 with two doubles to lead the Mustangs. Russell Britt got the win pitching five innings and striking out

13. Scott Coe came in and got the save to preserve the win for the Mustangs.

In the second game the Mustangs wasted little time in taking the lead. Krein reached base and was hit in by Russell Britt. Britt was hit in by Mitchell, Mitchell was hit in by Tom Kenny and Kenny was hit in by Jason Britt to give the Mustangs an early 4 to 0 lead. That turned out to be all the Mustangs and pitcher Jim Kindle needed as he pitched a 1 hit shutout.

The Mustangs added six more runs in the game including a 3-run double by Doug Devin. The Mustangs won 10-0 in five innings and improved their record to 6 and 2 in league play and 7 and 4 overall. The Mustangs are also currently ranked seventh in state according to the last coaches poll.

Saturday's game against Pilot Rock was rained out.

		Game 1				
		AB	R	H	RBI	SB
Heppner	Weston	0	1	1	1	1
B Krein		3	1	2	1	3
D. Devin		4	0	0	0	0
R. Britt		4	1	2	1	1
S. Mitchell		4	2	3	1	0
B. Pedro		3	1	2	1	2
J. Britt		4	1	1	1	0
E. Connor		2	0	0	0	0
C. Grabeel		3	1	1	0	0
T. Kenny		1	0	1	1	0
S. Coe		1	0	0	0	0
J. Maben		1	0	0	0	0
J. Kindle		2	0	0	0	0
R. Currin		1	0	0	0	0
R. Osmin		1	0	0	0	0
Totals		30	7	12	6	6

		Game 2				
		AB	R	H	RBI	SB
Heppner	Weston	4	0	1	4	10
B. Krein		3	1	0	1	1
D. Devin		4	0	2	4	1
R. Britt		3	1	1	1	1
S. Mitchell		3	1	1	1	0
B. Pedro		4	1	0	0	0
J. Britt		3	1	2	1	0
T. Kenny		3	2	2	1	0
R. Osmin		2	1	0	0	0
J. Kindle		1	0	0	1	0
E. Connor		0	0	0	0	0
C. Grabeel		0	0	0	0	0
S. Coe		0	0	0	0	0
J. Maben		0	0	0	0	0
R. Currin		0	0	0	0	0
Totals		26	10	9	9	3

St. Patrick's Senior Center Bulletin Board



By Jane Rawlins

Good news: plans are now in place for an exercise class for seniors over 55. The class will be taught by physical therapist Rick Burrell and Mrs. Burrell. Exercises will be standing or sitting routines or a combination of the two. Classes will be held 12 to 12:30 p.m. Tuesdays and Thursdays beginning May 17 in the senior center dining room. There is a suggested donation of \$4 per month to help cover expenses. Twenty-five have registered but there may be room for a few more. Call our office soon, 676-9030.

This week: Friday, Shirley Haugen will represent us at an Intergenerational Conference in Portland. Saturday afternoon is the Sophia Struthers-Darrel Smith wedding reception.

Next week: A full Monday is planned beginning at 10 a.m. with the Sr. Center Board meeting with Rollin Reynolds to begin forming a Sr. Center trust fund.

Quilters and Company will meet from 1-4 p.m. to complete a children's quilt. Last week 24 pottolders went to the elementary school. Cooks and bricks were covered with velvet to serve as door stops in our office.

Heppner Garden Club will meet at 7:30 p.m. in the front room with a container planting demonstration by West Winds Nursery and "Recycling Opportunities" by Virginia Sinclair of Milton-Freewater.

The BMCC Knitting Class the last of this series, will be at 7:30 p.m. in the dining room.

Tuesday, the class of 1950 will meet in the dining room at 7:30 p.m. Wednesday at noon is the Mother's Day dinner. The menu is baked ham with raisin sauce, mashed potatoes, fruit salad, cooper perry salad, hot rolls, and pudding. Last week our cooks were happy to report they received the big mixer they wanted at a very low cost.

At 1:30 p.m. the Sr. Center Board meets in the office.

At 7:30 p.m. VFW will meet in the front room.

Thursday at 9 a.m. the Widowed Persons Service meets.

Friday at 9 a.m. the cooks will have their food sale and coffee hour will be from 2-4 p.m. in the front room.

Saturday afternoon in the foyer and dining room a special celebration of Millard and Florence Holt's golden wedding anniversary is planned.

The activities committee announces that the second Sunday potluck party has been postponed from Mother's Day to May 20.

Pirates hold winning streak

By Mikka Evans

The Riverside Pirates kept their winning streak going by beating the Hermiston junior varsity 3-2.

Riverside used all four of their key pitchers, Matt Andreason, Billy Byrd, Mike Tallman and Scott Timms, to keep them all in practice since this was the only game this week for the Pirates.

Next week, the Pirates will get back into Columbia Basin Conference play trying to maintain their winning streak. They met the Umatilla Vikings at Riverside on May 1 and will meet the Pilot Rock Rockets on May 5 in a double header at Riverside.

HHS golf team competes

By Pete Pearson

The Heppner High School golf team competed in a meet at Milton-Freewater Monday, April 23. A second meet was scheduled at home Friday, but it was cancelled because of rain.

At Milton-Freewater, Eric Hill was the medalist with a 69. Rich Pettyjohn and Pete Pearson led Heppner with an 80 and 82. Scott Johnston shot a 94; Jason Hanna, 99; Shane Munkers, 107; Hiroki Tanaka, 108; and Chuck Rollis 120.

WCCC Golf

Ladies Play

April 24, 1990

Flight A: low gross-Anita Boyer; low net-Lois Hunt; least putts-Barb Gilbert and Martha Peterson; short drive-Juanita Martin; K.P.-Anita Boyer; chip in-Lois Hunt #11 and Barb Gilbert #17; Birdie-Barb Gilbert #17.

Flight B: low gross-Neoma Bailey; low net-Doll Campbell; least putts-Kal Healy and Mary Beamer; short drive-Jo Pettyjohn; K.P.-Jo Pettyjohn; chip in-Suzanne Jepsen #13.

Flight C: low gross-Cam Wishart; low net-Sharon Rietman; least putts-Cam Wishart; short drive-Sharon Rietman.

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