

Cardinals lose first game of season



Photo by Wayne Hams

Lone's Greg Holtz outruns Wallowa defender

By Anne Morter

The Lone Cardinals played their first full football game at home last Friday, September 9, losing to defending state champion Wallowa, 56-30.

The first half was all Wallowa, as the Cards watched their opponents put 32 points on the board in the first half. Wallowa scored once more before the Cardinals responded with a couple of scores of their own. The teams traded touchdowns on their way to the final margin.

The Cards racked up 199 yards of total offense in the game but the bigger, stronger, more experienced Wallowa squad tallied a whopping 484 yards. The Cardinals, with

sophomore quarterback Luke Swanson at the helm, ran 34 times for a net of 116 yards. In the air the team stats said six completions on 16 tries for a total of 83 yards.

Sophomore Randy Scott proved to be a bright spot as he led the Cards in rushing with 58 yards and dodged opponents as he returned kick-offs and punts. Scott was responsible for one of the Cardinals' touchdowns. Rodney Ehrmantraut scored a touchdown and was the second leading rusher with 40 yards. Greg Holtz also scored and had 39 yards rushing.

Freshman Marc Orem was another young player who showed potential as he was the

leading receiver catching five passes for 89 yards. Orem scored a touchdown and three extra points. He also led the defensive statistics with seven unassisted and seven assisted tackles. Nathan Heideman added three unassisted tackles and 13 assists in the game.

"They were tough," said head Coach Gregg Rietmann of the Wallowa team. Rietmann said by the second half his team had settled down and realized they could play with them. "I saw some bright spots," he said, but also noted that the game pointed out several areas where more work is needed. "It was a good first game for us. We got to see everyone play," said Rietmann.

Lady Cards lose opener

By Anne Morter

The lone lady Cardinals lost their season opener to Pilot Rock last Thursday, September 8, but in the eyes of first year head coach, Charity McElligott, they showed promise. The lady Cards took the visiting Rockets to three games but couldn't quite collect the win as Pilot Rock claimed the match 15-7, 5-15, 16-14.

Communication problems and jitters opened the door for the Rockets in the first game.

With game time delayed, the Cards looked cold once they finally took the court. The girls struggled to find their rhythm as the Rockets eased to the win.

The match took on a different look in the second game where strong front row play by Suzie Heideman and Melissa McElligott was complimented by Jessica Stefani's hot serving. This time it was the Rockets who found themselves out of contention before they realized what happened.

The Cardinals looked ready to finish off the match with a

win as they cruised out to a 7-0 lead in the third game. They reached game point while Pilot Rock had only nine points. A couple of calls didn't go the Cardinals' way and coach McElligott noted that the team went into a mode of playing "safely, instead of playing our game." That combination of factors was all Pilot Rock needed to rally for the win.

Despite the loss, McElligott has high hopes for the season. With five returning starters and two girls in the 6'0 range she would have to be pleased. "I think we have a very good team and a chance to do good things," she stated.

Lone Boosters plan year activities

By Anne Morter

The Lone Booster Club met for the first time this school year on Thursday, Sept. 8 to begin planning activities for the 1994-95 year.

The first fund-raising event is a steak dinner planned for Friday, Sept. 23, the day the number one Dufur Rangers come to town for what should be a showdown football game. Dinner will be served from 4:30 to 7:30 p.m. and will include an 8 ounce barbecued steak, baked potato, salad and bread. The cost will be \$6 per person. Drinks, hot dogs, and other snack items will also be available at that time.

In other Booster Club business, Rick Minster was elected president for the 1994-95 school year. Hank Pointer will serve as vice president and Del LaRue as the secretary-treasurer.

Annual dues of \$5 per person are payable now to Del LaRue. The Booster Club was formed last year with the intent of supporting Lone High School programs hit by Measure 5. All parents and friends of the school are encouraged to join.

Rodeo Court takes first in parades

The 1994 Morrow County Fair and Oregon Trail Pro Rodeo Court continues to represent the county in high fashion as they took the sweepstakes award at the Walla Walla Frontier Days Parade over Labor Day weekend.

Saturday, Sept. 9, the court families, complete pennant bearers, gathered for a tailgate picnic before the Dress Up

Parade in Pendleton. A birthday cake was presented to Princess Kimberly Bedortha, who turned 17 on Monday. After the picnic the court rode in the parade and earned another first place trophy.

This is the last parade in which the court will be judged for the year. The 1994 court officially will conclude their reign Friday, Sept. 16, at the Westward Ho! Parade.

Stress Management workshop planned

"Stress Management," a two-hour workshop sponsored by Coalition in Oregon for Parent Education (COPE), will be held September, 20, from 6:30 to 8:30 p.m. at the Morrow County Mental Health building, Boardman office, conference room in Boardman.

A special invitation goes out to parents of children with special needs, including foster and surrogate parents, and the professionals who work with these children. The workshop is free, and open to the public.

For more information call Robin Wortman, 886-9235, or Lynn Cameron, 573-1127.

Cross-Country tournament Sept. 18

Sunday, Sept 18, is the annual men's play Cross-Country Tournament. Each year the course lay-out is changed and par 60 now becomes a difficult 68.

Out of 45 golfers last year the Aug. score was 26 over par (course record is 71).

Breakfast will be served at 7 a.m. followed by a shotgun tee-off at 8 a.m. Prizes will be awarded to the top six places gross and net with trophies for the first three finishers in each flight.

Cost for all events, plus special event prizes is \$5.

Rodeo court tryouts slated

The Morrow County Fair and Oregon Trail Pro Rodeo Court will be holding tryouts for the 1995 court on Sunday, October 9, at 10 a.m. at the fairgrounds in Heppner. Girls must be 16 years old before August 1, 1995, to try out. Competition will be in horsemanship and speaking.

Applications and rules may be picked up at the Fair Office in Heppner, 676-9474, or from Julie Ashbeck, chaperone, 989-8202. The deadline for application is Wednesday, October 5. No late entries accepted.

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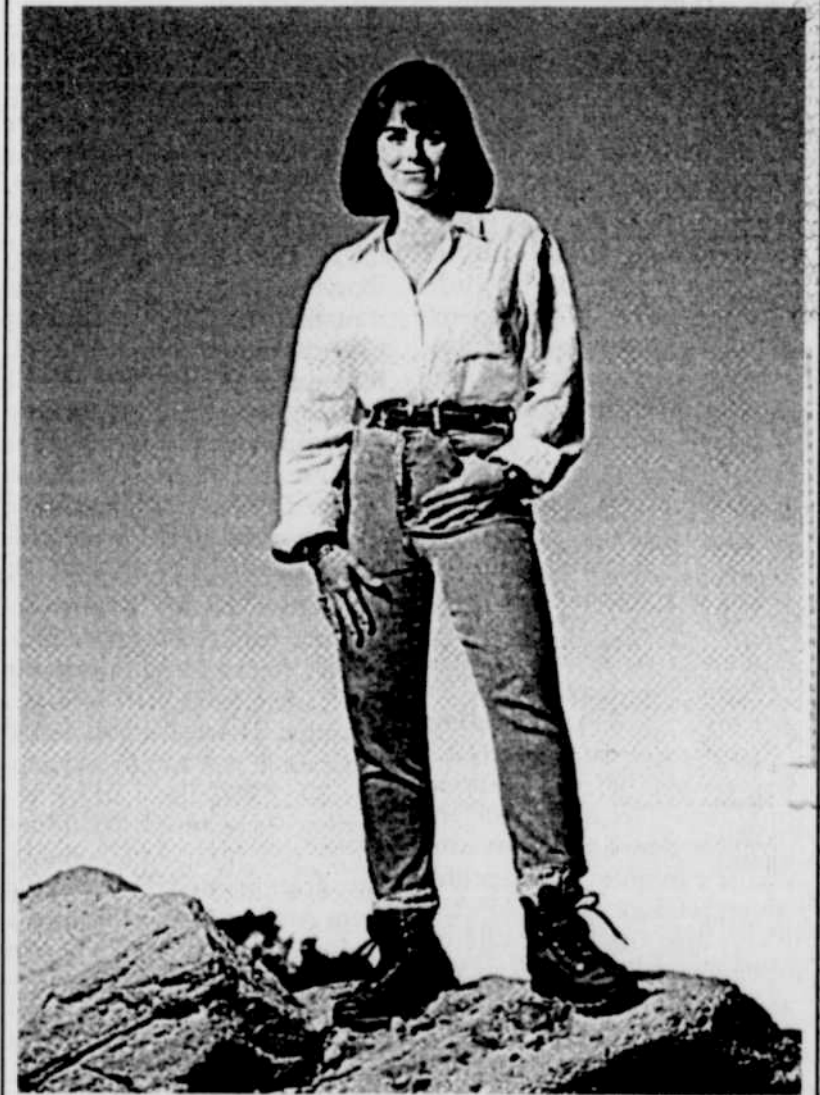
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