

Cardinals snare first league win

By Anne Morter

The lone Cardinals snared their first league win last Friday, Oct. 7, with a 48-12 decision over the Condon Blue Devils in a game played on the road. The win moved the Cards league record to 1-2 and their season mark to 2-3.

According to Coach Gregg Rietmann, the first quarter was a battle of ball control. The Cards scored on their first drive down the field. Then Condon's possession ate up the majority of the period.

In the second quarter, the Cards' defense toughened up, forcing the Blue Devils to give the ball up repeatedly. At the same time, the lone offense went to town, scoring five touchdowns and pushing the halftime score to 36-0. Condon

got on the board with a touchdown in the third quarter and again in the fourth, but the Cards matched them each time, easily romping to the win.

The Cardinals played a balanced game, netting 191 yards on the ground and 193 in the air for 384 yards of total offense. Condon, behind the running of John Hawk, had 238 rushing yards but just three yards in the air.

The Cards' ground attack was led by Jared Ashbeck with 151 yards rushing and three touchdowns. Greg Holtz scored twice, the first on a 60 yard pass run and the other a 35 yard punt return. Rodney Ehrmantraut scored in the third period on a 12 yard run and Marc Orem caught the second

of two Luke Swanson touchdown passes for a 39 yard touchdown reception.

Swanson tallied 193 yards passing, completing six of his 11 attempts with no interceptions. Besides the scoring runs by Holtz and Orem, Swanson connected with Randy Scott for a 53 yard gain and Ashbeck for a 35 yarder.

Coach Gregg Rietmann was pleased with the first league win, especially the defensive efforts. "It was our best defensive game of the year," he said. The Cards face Culver Thursday evening, Oct. 13, in Ione. The Cardinals must beat Culver and the remainder of their league opponents to keep their playoff hopes alive. Game time is 7:30 p.m.

Mustangs whip Tigers, 20-0

The Heppner Mustangs traveled to Stanfield Friday Oct. 7, and brought with them a rock hard defense whipping the Tigers, 20-0.

The Mustang defense wasted no time setting up the offense with great field position. Sophomore Jim Schlaich stepped in front of a Mark Newman pass and returned it to the Stanfield 15 yard line. Quarter back Brian Koffler ran the option for 14 yards and Junior running back Shaun Hisler bulled into the end zone from a yard out for the touchdown. The pat was wide left and Heppner led 6-0 with 9:22 remaining in the quarter.

The defensive effort was tough from end to end. Schlaich, Hisler, John Qualls, Jon Hanna and Chris Sykes along with the rest of the defensive team, limited the Tigers to seven first downs and only 164 yards total.

The Mustangs scored early in the second quarter on a 50 yard drive. Hisler ripped off consecutive runs of 13, 12, and 11 yards to put Heppner in scoring position, Senior Fullback Chad Skroch scored the first of his two touchdowns on the night, with a six yard blast to put Heppner up 12-0 after a missed pat run.

While the Mustangs defense continued to administer an old fashion butt whipping to the Tigers' offensive, the offense of the Mustangs sputtered. Hepp-

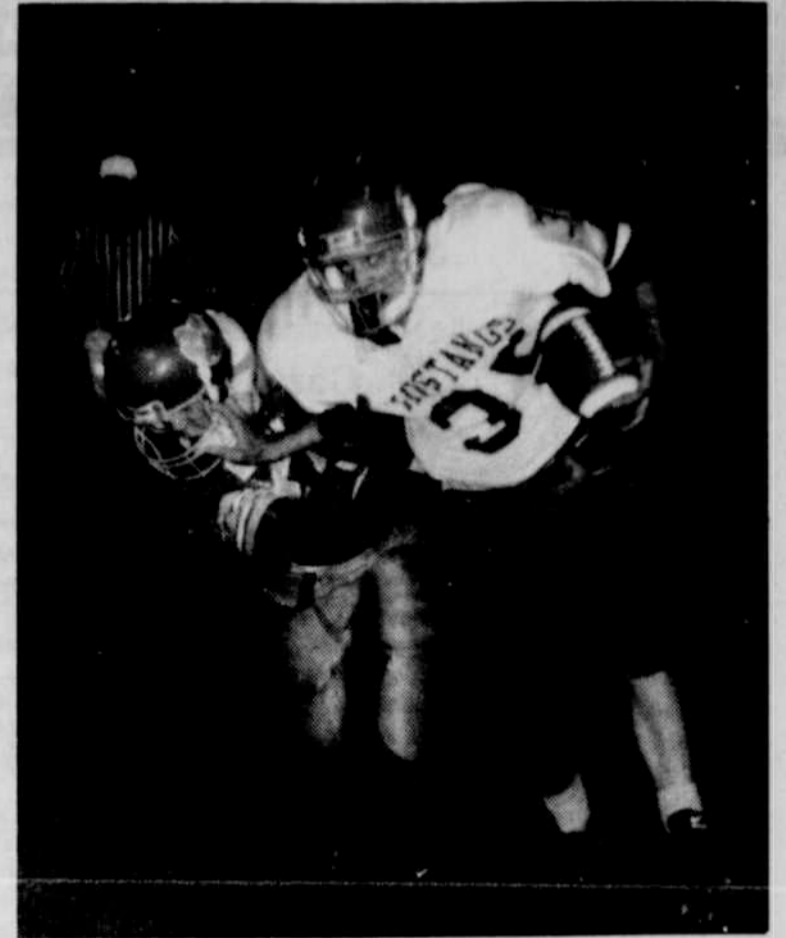


Photo by Joyce Hughes
Jim Schlaich (35) pushes away a Stanfield player to gain some yardage for the Mustangs

ner fumbled away three drives of the first four in the second half and were their own worst enemy.

With the game clock running down, the Tigers were stopped by the Mustangs on their own 40 yard line. The Mustangs used their toe-to-toe double wing formation to spring Skroch loose for a 40 yard touchdown run. Chris Dickenson added the running pat and Heppner

led 20-0 with 5:38 left in the game.

The Tigers were stopped by the Mustangs on the final drive by a Dickenson interception.

The win brings the Mustangs league record to 2-1 and 5-1 on the season. This week is a bye for Heppner. The Mustangs then travel to Pilot Rock Oct. 21 and finish the regular season with home games against Wan-tonka and Weston McEwen.

Fillies beat Pilot Rock

By Donna Moeller

On Thursday, Oct. 6, the Fillies traveled to Pilot Rock, winning the match in two games, 15-3 and 15-12.

The Fillies jelled well on the court, showing a great team effort. Char Coe had seven straight serves in the first game with one ace. Rondi Robinson, Lori Moeller and Coe played a serious game at the net, with blocks and successful spikes. Robinson also had two ace spikes for the night.

Kelsie Evans and Stormy Howard displayed good hustle in the back court. Jenny Krein

continued to quarterback the team, while Traci Dickenson, Annie Hisler and Tina Kemp added to the team effort.

The junior varsity won in three games, 11-15, 15-12 and 15-10. Angela DeBo had eight straight points in game three. Jossie Evans was the main intimidation at the net with three kill spikes for the night.

The C team lost in two games 14-16 and 7-15.

The next home game for the Heppner Fillies will be Thursday, Oct. 20, against Weston-McEwen.

Fillies lose to W-M

By Donna Moeller

Weston-McEwen beat the Heppner Fillies in conference play on Tuesday, Oct. 4, 4-15 and 8-15.

Char Coe and Kelsie Evans lead at the service line. Rondi Robinson had two kills at the net, while Coe and Lori Moeller both had several successful spikes. Jenny Krein and Stormy Howard worked well in the back row as setters.

The junior varsity won in three games, 5-15, 15-7 and 15-9. Jessica Sumner had seven straight serves in the third game to help secure the match. The C team won in two games 15-12 and 15-7.

Lady Cards beat Condon

By Anne Morter

The lone lady Cardinals advanced their league record to 5-0 with a win Friday, Oct. 7 over the Condon Blue Devils. Faced with a much improved Condon team, the Cardinals needed three games to defeat the Devils in Condon, 15-8, 13-15, 15-11.

Due to a late arrival in Condon, the lady Cards weren't as warmed up as their coach would have liked but they produced a solid game for the win in the first game. In the second game, Condon used a packed gym and a rowdy homecoming crowd to jump out to a big lead. Lone rallied but it was too little and too late. The third game, the Cards took advantage of a slow start by Condon and jumped to a 10-1 lead, led by Jessica Stefani's 10 straight points. Condon wasn't about to go down easy in the third game but the Cards proved to be too strong.

The lady Cards served 92 percent as a team with perfect serving by Kim Bedortha, Becky Wagenblast and Allison Sullivan. Melissa McElligott was the leading scorer with 12 points.

In serve receives Bedortha led with 94 percent on 16 attempts. Stefani recorded a 100 percent success rate on six receives.

The team recorded 100 percent blocking, led by Sullivan with seven blocks and four stuffs. McElligott had three blocks with two stuffs and Suzie Heideman also had three with one stuff.

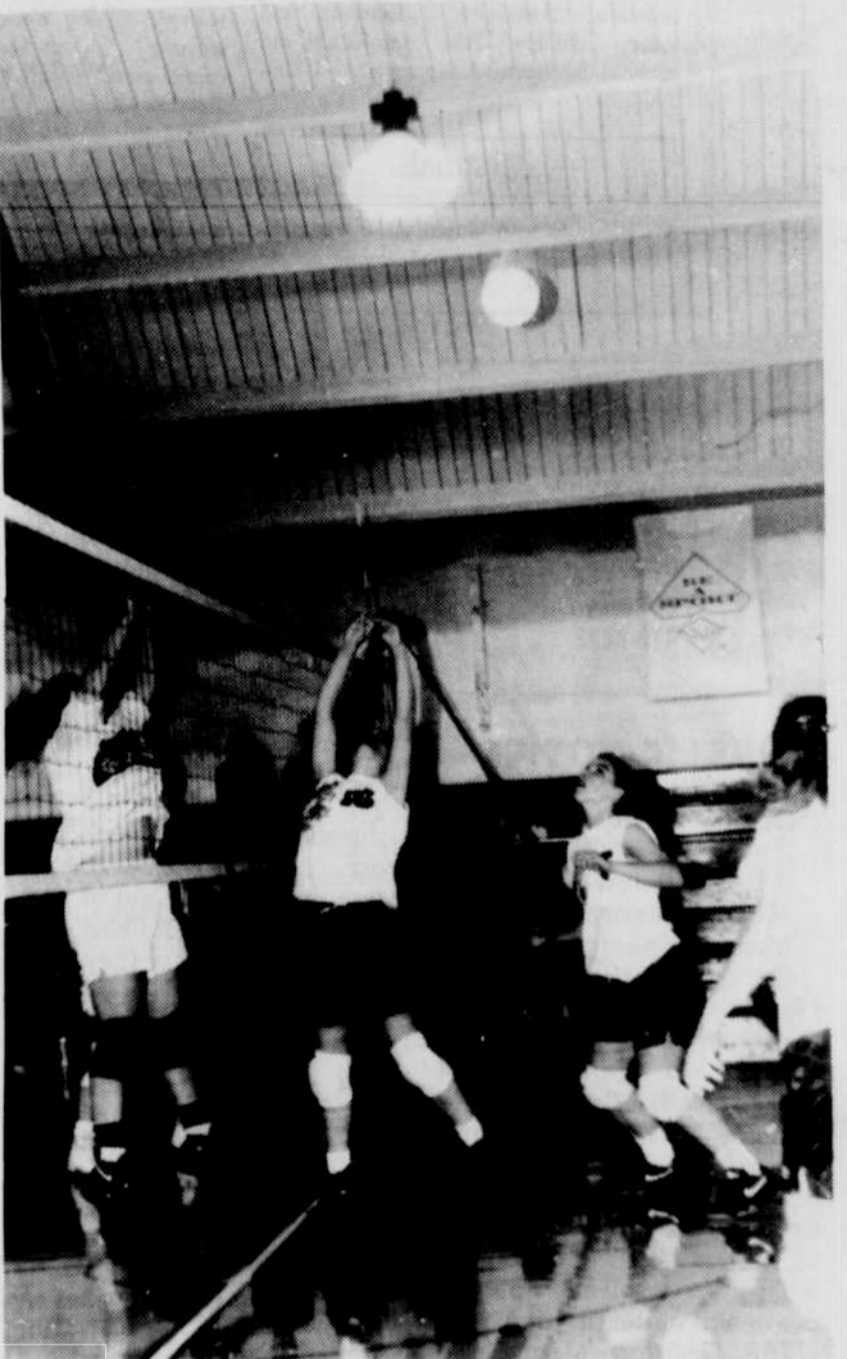


Photo by Wayne Hams
Lady Cards play Condon tough

Mary Jane McCarty led the team in setting with 96 percent on 26 sets. Wagenblast recorded 84 percent on 27 sets and Lynde Minster came off the bench with some strong sets in the first and third games to

keep the Cards going. At the net McElligott had 18 good hits with six kills but the lady Cards had no shortage of hitters as Sullivan, Heideman, Wagenblast, McCarty and Bedortha all had strong performances.

Player of Week Oct. 2-8 #21 Chad Skroch QB/DB 170 lb. Sr.	Player of Week Sept. 25-Oct. 1 Oct. 2-8 #11 Mandi Gutierrez C-Team 5'8" So. #7 Char Coe V 5'11" Sr.
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Deadline nears for wool contest

By Anne Morter

The deadline for the District 5 "Make It Yourself With Wool" contest is approaching fast, reminds Maureen Krebs, district director. The contest will be held Friday, November 11, in Ione. Contestants must have their completed registration forms returned to Krebs no later than October 28.

Garments are judged on style and construction and must be at least 60 percent wool. Winners will be announced at a style show open to the public in the afternoon.

The District 5 contest is open to residents of Morrow, Gilliam, Umatilla, Wasco, Sherman, Wheeler and Hood River Counties. Men and women are eligible to compete in four age groups: pre-teen (12 and under), junior (13-16), senior (17-24) and adult (over 24). Categories are determined by the contestant's age as of December 31, 1994. Winners in the junior and senior divisions will advance to state level competition to be held in conjunction with the Oregon Sheep Grower's convention Dec. 3 in Hood River. A state junior and senior winner will then advance to national competition to be held in Washington, DC, in February.

Entry forms are available from local County Extension agents, many local fabric stores or from Krebs. Additional contest information may be obtained from Krebs at (503) 422-7548.

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