

CBC record still spotless Lone JVs defeat Heppner Fillies take win over Lone



Mustang linebacker Shaun Hisler (32) brings down Husky ball carrier.

The Heppner Mustangs kept their CBC league record spotless as they traveled to Sherman County and blanked the Huskies 22-0 on Friday night, Sept. 29.

The game started slowly, as both teams traded punts for the first 1 1/2 quarters. The Mustangs' defense was solid and stopped the Huskies in their tracks. Sherman County gained only 27 yards on the ground for the evening and 19 yards in the air.

Running back Jim Schlaich sparked the Mustangs with a 38 yard run on their last possession of the half. After trying the middle of the line for three plays, the Mustangs went to the air. Quarterback Brian Koffler hit senior tight end Ben Ewing with a six-yard touchdown pass. Justin Matteson added the pat and Heppner lead 7-0 at the half, as safety Jeff Watkins intercepted the Huskies right before the half.

After exchanging punts in the second half, Rod Zumwalt set the Mustangs up with great field position with a 25 yard punt return to the Sherman County 20 yard line. Shaun Hisler needed only two run-

ing plays to hit paydirt. Matteson was good again on the pat for a 14-0 lead with :55 seconds left in the third quarter.

Schlaich closed out the scoring for Heppner after the Huskies were stopped deep in their own territory on a punt snafu. He dived over from the one-yard line for the score and caught the two point pat from Koffler for a 22-0 final score.

Schlaich also intercepted a Sherman County pass on their next possession. Coach Greg Grant used the next two series for the Mustangs to let the entire roster stretch out after the long bus ride. Sophomore Travis Wilhelm and freshman Derek Gunderson each packed the ball twice and freshman Shane Matheny turned a broken play into a nine yard gain.

The Mustangs pack a 2-0 league record and 4-1 season record into their next game, Oct. 6, at the Morrow County Fairgrounds. The Stanfield Tigers travel to Heppner for this homecoming game. The Tigers were spanked by the Weston-McEwen TigerScots Friday night, 42-0.

By Kara Miller

The Lone Cardinal JV volleyball team lost their first match against the Heppner Fillie JVs, 11-15, but came back strong to win the next two, 15-7 and 16-14. Good serving by

Maci Childers, Katie Garrett, Tori Odinet, Megan Proudfoot and Niki Sullivan were key to the wins. "Better serving helped improve their teamwork and contribute to their win," said coach Cathy McCabe.

Cardinal Varsity beats Honkers

By Kara Miller

Lone Cardinal Varsity volleyball squad took on the Arlington Honkers in their second league contest of this season in lone, Tuesday, Sept. 27, and came out with the win going the full distance, 15-3, 13-15, 15-4.

The game saw 100 percent serving from Melissa McElligott, Marie Tworek, LaRee Anderson and Brenda Holtz, backed by McElligott and Kara

Miller with five spikes each. Stephanie Haguewood and Suzy Heideman each had three spikes, McElligott had three kills and Heideman had one.

Having only two returning starters from her 1994 team, coach Charity McElligott used the three games to try different rotations and put new people in different positions. "It was a chance to play everyone and get lots of playing time," said coach McElligott.

Fillies lose to Huskies

The Heppner Fillies took on unbeaten powerhouse Sherman County Huskies on the Huskies home court Sept. 26. The match saw an explosive Huskie team win, 15-13 15-2.

The Huskies, casting a tall front line, quickly shot ahead in game one, firing numerous spike attacks that the Fillies struggled to handle. Heppner dug a deep hole for themselves committing defensive errors and found themselves down 4-13.

Heppner battled back behind a comeback charge led by senior Jessica Sumner and junior Traci Dickenson with 7-7 and 5-5 serving consistency. Annie Hisler and Dickenson sent a pair of spike balls down to whittle the score to 8-14.

Hisler again produced a kill

and Lori Moeller followed suit to help the Fillies climb back, 11-14. It was do or die, and Sherman County began to panic, as Heppner was once again coming back on Sherman. Great teamwork on the part of the Fillies and a lapse from the Huskies had the game within Heppner's reach at 13-14. Heppner erred and lost the heartbreaker, 13-15.

The Fillies started game two with inconsistencies and rapidly fell, 2-15. Only 13 serves were served and Heppner completed 12 of them.

Tina Kemp, Dickenson, Sumner and Moeller gave strong serving performances, while Stormy Howard and Hisler continued to hustle and ignite the offense with setting and floor leadership abilities.

Cardinal 'C' team loses to Heppner

By Kara Miller

The eight girls making up the youngest volleyball team on the lone Cardinal roster took to the floor against Heppner's Fillie C team in Fillie territory Thursday night, Sept. 28. The Cardinals lost the first match 2-15, won the second 15-3 and lost the third 2-15.

Good serving by Lela Gribkov and Rosanne Baker, as well as enthusiasm and teamwork from the rest of the squad, helped the Cardinals win the second match 15-3, but they struggled with serving in their loss of the other two matches.

Lone volleyball defeated by Echo

By Kara Miller

Lone faced Echo on their home court Friday, Sept. 29. The young Cardinal volleyball team came out strong, but were ultimately defeated, 15-5, 7-15, 9-15.

Melissa McElligott, Suzy Heideman, Dawn Boor and Kara Miller served well. McElligott had eight spikes and LaRee Anderson and Miller each had four. McElligott had six kills and Heideman, three. Heideman and Miller each had

three dumps. McElligott also had four blocks and one stuff; Heideman had five and one, while Jenny Sullivan had four and one respectively.

"We hope to make some changes and come back a better, stronger team," said coach Charity McElligott.

The Cardinals travel to Helix Tuesday, Oct. 3, then meet Condon in the Lone High School homecoming matchups in lone on Friday, Oct. 6, starting at 5 p.m.

Seminar slated at Adventist Church

A video series seminar titled "Discoveries in Prophecy" featuring Mark Finley, speaker/director of the "It is Written" telecast is continuing in October at the Heppner Seventh-Day Adventist Church.

Upcoming subjects are as follows: Thursday, Oct. 5, "The Bible's Longest Prophecy"; Saturday, Oct. 7,

"Why Our Streets Have Become Unsafe"; Tuesday, Oct. 10, "6000 Year-Old Remedy for Tension"; and Thursday, Oct. 12, "The Greatest Religious Cover-up in History".

The seminar runs from 7-8 p.m. Saturday, Tuesday and Thursday evenings at the church, 560 N. Minor. Admission is free and child care will be provided.

Rebekahs to hold card party

By Delpha Jones

The first card party of the winter series, sponsored by Holly Rebekah Lodge, will be

held at the hall, Saturday, Oct. 7. There will be prizes and refreshments. Cards will start at 7:30 p.m.

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The Heppner Fillies volleyball team took a long sought after win from neighboring rival lone Thursday, Sept. 28, with 15-10, 13-15 and 15-7 match scores.

lone, last year's State 1A volleyball champions, had a hard time finding consistency in the match.

In game one, both Heppner and lone traded missed serves, as both teams played erratic volleyball. Heppner finally settled down to take a 3-1 lead, only to see the game tied up at 6-6 behind a strong Lori Moeller serve and a Tina Kemp kill. With Stormy Howard setting, Annie Hisler had the hot hand, going 8-8 on spike and tip attempts and had six kills to help the Fillies take a commanding lead.

lone's Melissa McElligott could not be counted out, as she came up with strong smashes to keep lone's hopes alive to fight back to 10-13. lone erred and with Traci Dickenson serving, Hisler finished the game with a kill to make it 15-10.

Game two saw lone take a 2-0 lead over the Fillies, but the game began to be played in a see-saw manner with each team trading points back and forth. Neither team could find a rhythm that would work.

Moeller sent two ace serves over to claim a 7-5 lead for Heppner, but again, McElligott fought back for lone, to smash a kill and Heppner was once again trailing 9-10. Moeller

answered with a kill to tie the game at 12-12 and Heppner was called for a backrow player violation. lone took game two 15-13.

Heppner raced back with strong teamwork in the third game, behind a Tina Kemp kill and serve, and a big Moeller block on McElligott's spike attempt. After five power serves by Moeller and a kill put down by Jessica Sumner, the Fillies led 10-2.

McElligott answered again with a kill, but it was now Heppner 13-2. lone wasn't giving up as Stephanie Haguewood roared back with strong serving to keep lone in the game. Behind Kara Miller sets and McElligott's spikes, lone fought back to 7-14. Jossie Evans put the game and match away for Heppner with a big spike kill at 15-7.

Heppner, gaining a much-needed win, gave credit to a total team effort with all players having a hand in the win. Setter-hitters Stormy Howard and Hisler continued to work the ball to Heppner's front line with Moeller, Traci Dickenson, Evans, Kemp and Mindy Binschus becoming targets. Jill Barber, Sumner, Kemp and Dickenson lead the charge in Heppner's back row. Rene Devin came in in serving position to help the Fillie cause.

Heppner will travel for a rematch with Wahtonka Thursday, Oct. 5. The Fillies will not play at home again until Oct. 12 against Pilot Rock.

Lone Cards beat Echo



lone ball carrier Mark Orem tries to elude Echo defender

The Lone Cardinals won their first league game of the year, and they did it in a big way, beating Echo 54-14 Friday, Sept. 29 in lone.

Big gun for the Cards was running back Randy Scott who

scored five touchdowns, including a 30 yard punt return for a score. In all Scott rushed six times for 81 yards.

The lone defense also had a big night, holding Echo to just over 150 total yards offense on the night.

Heppner competes in tournament

The Heppner Fillies' volleyball team traveled to Athena Saturday, Oct. 1 to play in a CBC-Wapiti league tournament.

Coach Terri Gentry used the

day to play different player combinations throughout all the matches. Highlights for the Heppner team was the play of Jossie Evans, Rene Devin and Jill Barber.

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