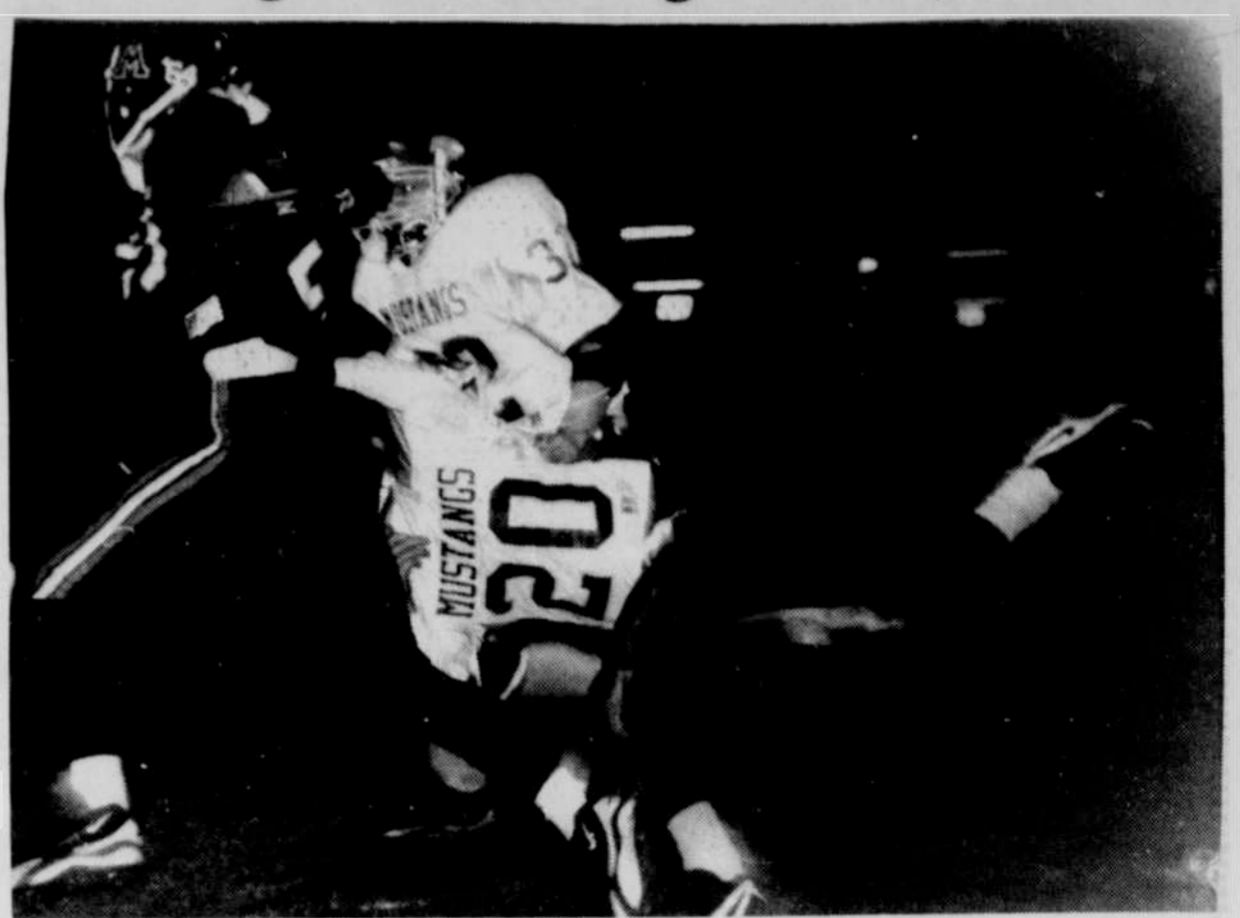


# Lone ends season with win Mustangs lose to TigerScots, 41-13



Randy Scott (25) heads for one of the Card's touchdowns.



Derek Gunderson (20) and Shaun Hisler (32) bring down Weston-McEwen ball carrier.



Graduating senior football players and their parents.

The Lone Cardinals ended their season with a win Friday, November 3, pouncing Wheeler, 43-36, to finish third in the tough Big Sky conference. The Cards finished the season 3-2 in league, and 5-3 overall. Their only league losses came at the hands of number one ranked Dufur and number two ranked Culver. Their only other loss was to the number one ranked Washington team, Touchet.

"If you consider who we lost to, the kids had a pretty good year," commented one lone fan. Lone started strong against Wheeler Friday, putting up 21 points in the first quarter, all on the rushing of the Cards' work horse running back Randy Scott. The Falcons made a run at the Cards in the second half, pulling to within one point, but lone's Pete Cantu punched in a 12 yard score to keep the game out of reach for the visiting Falcons.

Cantu had a good night for lone, rushing for a total of 150 yards and scoring two TDs. Joe Bacon pulled in one of quarterback Luke Swanson's passes for a score and finished the game with six catches for 123 yards. Swanson, who came off a hand injury that took him out of the quarterback slot for three games earlier in the season, finished up with 168 yards passing.

The Weston-McEwen TigerScots used a bruising running attack and a potent passing attack to run past the Heppner Mustangs, 41-13, Friday night, Nov. 3, at Athena. The win clinched the CBC title for the TigerScots and they will host a first-round game against the Imbler Panthers. The Mustangs will hit the road and travel to Nyssa to face the Wapiti League champions, Saturday, Nov. 11, at 12 noon Pacific Standard Time (1 p.m. Mountain Standard Time). The Mustangs needed a near-perfect effort against Weston-McEwen and they did not get it as they fumbled the ball away four times against the talented TigerScots. Heppner had their best defensive stand as they held the TigerScots who had first and goal on their first possession. After running three and out, the Mustangs gave Weston-McEwen the ball on their own 33

yard line. TigerScots quarterback Casey Perkins found 6'8" Bill Albert in the end zone for a 15 yard touchdown play and the TigerScots led 6-0. The Mustangs could not move the ball again and Perkins found end Matt Bailey open for a 47 yard touchdown pass with :16 left in the first stanza. Perkins and Bailey connected for the two point pat for a 14-0 lead. After fumbling the ball away after a good drive deep into the TigerScots territory, Jim Schlaich stepped in front of a Perkins pass and scooted 19 yards for the Mustangs' first score. Eric Schonbachler added the pat and Heppner trailed 14-7. Weston-McEwen used a bruising running attack with their next possession, going 68 yards on only eight plays with Randy Perkins going three yards for the score for a 21-7 lead with 2:36 left in the half. Another Mustangs fumble

gave Weston-McEwen the ball right before halftime and sophomore Chris Grimes sprinted 53 yards with only :17 seconds remaining in the second quarter for a 28-7 lead at the half. Running back Max Bebb scored touchdowns in the third and fourth quarters to ice the win. Mustangs quarterback Brian Koffler hit Shaun Hisler with a 10 yard pass to complete the Mustangs' scoring. Hisler gained only 52 yards on 18 carries but ended the regular season with 1,054 yards, a great feat for any running back at any level of play. The Mustangs, 7-2 on the season, face the 8-1 Nyssa Bulldogs next Saturday. The Bulldogs' only loss this year was to the 3A Vale Vikings. This is the Mustangs fifth postseason appearance in the past six years, including a state championship in 1992.

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## MCWL announces contest winners



Lone Elementary students pose with winning farm safety posters.



Sam Boardman Elementary students with their winning posters.

Winners from a "Farm Safety" poster contest have been announced, according to Morrow County Wheat League president, Judy Rea. One hundred, forty-six students from lone K-5 and Sam Boardman Elementary grades 1-2 participated in the contest. Each artist did a colorful poster telling a particular story about safety on the farm with animals or machinery. Checks for \$10, \$5 and \$3 were awarded to the top three artists from each grade. Winners are as follows: lone Elementary fifth grade-first Aaron Tworek, second Diana McElligott, third Tracy Griffith, fourth grade-first Sarah Bar-

row, second Natalie McElligott, third Johnny Collins; third grade-first Kasie Peterson, second Katie Vosberg, third Kelly Thompson; second grade-first Jennifer Griffith, second William Grubough; first grade-first Jose Renteria; kindergarten-first Emily Rietmann, second Sergio Renteria, third Justin Archer. Sam Boardman Elementary: first grade-second Kalah Lane, third Nathan Van Gorder; second grade-third Veronica Varela. All posters will be on display in Portland, Nov. 26-29 at the Oregon Wheat Growers League annual convention.

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