

Local family creates model of the Courthouse



Norman DeBoer shows model of the Morrow county courthouse he created

Combining ideas and the skills of each family member, Norman DeBoer and his family created a model of the Morrow County Courthouse.

The model was built from numerous pictures, a special visit to the Courthouse to get intricate details of the building, and inside the mind of a carpenter.

DeBoer would build the project in his mind at night and bring it into reality during the day, along with any suggestions from his wife or family. Being skilled in wood, when it came to siding for the Courthouse he enlisted the help of his daughters, Cheryl and Suella. Cheryl used a plaster technique to create the siding and Suella and her family created all the windows.

DeBoer lives in Boardman with his wife of 58

years, Marie. The couple moved to Boardman in 1991 from Montana. From 1991 until a hip replacement in 2001 slowed him down a bit, he and his wife traveled the U.S. donating his skills as a carpenter to Boys' ranches, churches, summer camps and colleges. They traveled in a motor home and asked only for a motor home hookup and worked for free.

The DeBoer's settled in Boardman to be close to children and grandchildren, who keep him busy and active with sports activities and carpentry. He is currently working on a cedar hope chest for his granddaughter.

DeBoer said he feels better keeping busy and is pleased

Mustang defense shuts out Tigerscots

By Rick Paullus

A strong defense helped the Heppner Mustangs win a key Columbia Basin Conference game against the visiting Weston-McEwen Tigerscots 6-0 on Friday, Oct. 11 and move into first place. The win improve the Mustangs to 3-0 in the CBC and 5 and 1 overall and have another crucial game next week at Culver on Friday, Oct. 18 at 2 p.m.

The Mustangs moved into Tigerscot territory on their first drive getting 616 yards on a pass from Chuy Elguezabal to Brad Adams, and a 12-yard gain by Adams but the drive stalled and Weston-McEwen took over at their 17-yard line after a punt.

Donald Adams stripped the ball from a Tigerscot ball carrier and Luke Murray jumped on it at the 14-yard line. Tyler Boyer ran for eight yards, Adams three then Boyer took it in from three yards out for what proved to be the only scored of the game. The snap on the extra point try was bobbled and Kyler Lovgren was tackled trying to get rid of the ball.

On the Tigerscots next possession they were driving inside Mustang territory when Jode Coil intercepted a pass at the four-yard line. But the Mustangs gave it right back on a fumble that the Tigerscots recovered at the six-yard line.

The Mustangs defense stood up to the challenge though and held the Tigerscots on down taking over at the one-yard line. Adams went for six yards on the first play of the second quarter the Tigerscots jumped offense to give the Mustangs a first down at the twelve. Adams ran three times for 18 yards then Elguezabal hit Justin Botefuhr for a 32-yard gain to the Weston-McEwen 44-yard line. The Tigerscots defense then dug down and took over on downs at midfield.

Elguezabal then picked off a pass deep in Mustang territory and made a spectacular return reversing his field twice, bringing it back to the Weston-McEwen 39-yard line.

The Mustangs were unable to move the ball and the half ended up with the score 6-0.

The Tigerscots took the second half kick-off and were forced to punt which was downed at the one-yard line. The Mustangs were unable to move the ball and forced to punt which was brought back to the Heppner 29-yard line. But Murray killed the threat by intercepting a pass and bringing it back to the twenty-three.

Adams carried the ball 10 times for 53 yards on the drive that finally ended with the Tigerscots taking over on downs deep in their own territory.

The Tigerscots then put together a drive of their own getting deep into the Mustangs territory and looked like they were going to get the tying touchdown but the Mustangs stiffened getting a couple of stops before Murray jumped on another fumble at the Mustangs 37-yard line with just under eight minutes left.

Adams then went back to work carrying nine times for 49 yards with Elguezabal twice for six yards both times picking up first downs as the Mustangs got down to the eight-yard line before running out the clock to preserve the win.



Tyler Boyer gets some yardage against Tigerscots photo by Teresa Hughes

The defense was led by Murray with 26 defensive points with Brad Adams adding 24 points and Donald Adams adding 21 points. Botefuhr had 18 points, Boyer 14 points, Ben Turrell, who played a solid game at tackle, had 12 points, Elguezabal 11 points and Connor Kilkenny and Coil each had 10 points.

Adams finished with 168 yards on 28 carries with Elguezabal hitting three of seven passes for 48 yards.

Weston-McEwen 0 0 0 0-0

Heppner 6 0 0 0-6

First Quarter
Heppner: Tyler Boyer three-yard run (run failed) 7:45

Team Statistics
Rushes-Yards: Weston-McEwen 33-129, Heppner 42-187
Passing Yards: Weston-McEwen 13, Heppner 48
Passes: Weston-McEwen 1-7-3, Heppner 3-8-0
Fumbles-lost: Weston-McEwen 6-2, Heppner 1-1
Penalties-yards: Weston-McEwen 6-40, Heppner 9-66

Individual Statistics
Rushing: Weston-McEwen: Eric Delph 17-72, T.W. Clayton 9-36, Jeremy Parker 6-29, Alec Shard 1(-8); Heppner Brad Adams 28-168, Boyer 3-12, Chuy Elguezabal 9-10, Jode Coil 1(-3)

Passing: Weston-McEwen: Parker 1-7-2 13, Delph 0-1-1 0; Heppner Elguezabal 3-7-0 48, Coil 0-1-0 0

Receiving: Weston-McEwen: T.J. Parrish 1-13; Heppner: Justin Botefuhr 1-32, B. Adams 1-16, Boyer 1-0

Mustang JVs lose to Pilot Rock

By Rick Paullus

The Heppner Mustang JV football team dropped a 14-8 loss to the visiting Pilot Rock Rockets, on Monday, Oct. 14. The Mustangs, 3 and 2 on the years, have one game remaining at Weston-McEwen on Monday, Oct. 21 at 5 p.m.

The first half ended a scoreless tie as neither team could get anything going offensively.

Cody Walton recovered a Rocket fumble in the third quarter but the Mustangs couldn't capitalize. The Rockets then scored on a 20-yard pass play to take a 6-0 lead after three.

The Rockets scored again in the fourth on a 50-yard punt return and ran in the two-point conversion to take a 14-0 lead.

The Mustangs got on the board when Walton caught a short pass from Matthew VanCleave and turned it into an 88-yard touchdown. Matt Kenny

ran in the two-point conversion to cut the lead to 14-8 with 2:14 left.

The Mustangs had one more chance when Kenny recovered the onside kick but they couldn't get the big play they needed.

Pilot Rock 0 0 6 8-14
Heppner 0 0 0 8-8

Third Quarter
Pilot Rock: 20-yard pass (run failed) 5:39

Fourth Quarter
Pilot Rock: 50-yard punt return (run good) 8:07

Heppner: Cody Walton 88-yard pass from Matthew VanCleave (Matt Kenny run) 2:14

Booster club auction/dinner results



Diane Kilkenny in serving line at dinner

Heppner High School booster club sold 247 dinners at their Saturday, Oct. 12 auction/dinner. This number is down about 40 from last year and 100 from the previous year.

The dinner and auction grossed \$15,800 and net estimates are looking to be somewhere between \$12-\$13,000.

Monies raised by the booster club go to grades 7-12 for scholarships and other various projects.

169 signatures tuned in for BMX track

Approximately 169 signatures were turned in to the Heppner City Council Monday in favor of keeping a BMX track at Hager Park. The petition was in response to an earlier petition against the track by persons living near the track.

Varsity Lady Cards claim victory against Falcons

Ione volleyball teams hosted Wheeler on Saturday, Oct. 12.

Even though the Ione varsity team claimed the victory, it seemed like a repeat performance of last week with Wheeler taking the second game to stretch out the match.

The Lady Cardinals won the first game of the match, 25-18. Natalie McElligott was relentless, hitting the open spots on the court and blocking Wheeler's hits. Tracy Griffith also was commended for doing an outstanding job at the net.

In the second game of the match, Ione let down a little and made some unforced errors allowing Wheeler to take the game, 21-25.

The Lady Cardinals came back with a vengeance in the next to games, 25-14, 25-17 to claim the match.

Emily Key scored the team high of 16 points. Key also delivered 34 passes, and one hit. Diana McElligott scored 11 points, delivered 39 passes, 22 hits, 23 kills and blocked seven Falcon hits. Caitlin Orem scored ten points, delivered 43 passes, four hits and two kills. Natalie McElligott scored nine points, delivered 43 passes, 26 hits, hammered 19 kills, and led the team with ten blocks. Megan E. McCabe scored five points, delivered 11 passes and 34 set assists. Meghan McCabe scored four points, delivered 23 passes, six hits, one kill and 48 set assists. Tracy Griffith delivered six passes two hits and two kills. Sara Peck aided the team with five passes, one block and one hit.

Ione's junior varsity volleyball team played one extended game against Wheeler, on Saturday, dropping the match 25-30.

Barbara Holland led Ione with four points, four passes, three hits and one kill. Jamie VandenBrink scored three points and delivered five passes. Abby Key scored two points, delivered three passes, two hits and 14 set assists. Kim Morris scored one point and delivered eight passes. Alyssa Rietmann scored one point, delivered 26 passes and six hits. Sara Peck scored one point, delivered two passes, three hits and one kill. Missy Baker delivered one pass, six hits and one kill. Jenny Griffith delivered three passes and two hits. Ashly Grams passed four balls, hammered three hits and delivered five set assists.

Ione victorious over Lyle

Ione Cardinals traveled to Lyle, WA, for a non-league game Friday, Oct. 4.

Nick Christman brought in three touchdowns for team and had 112 yards for the night. Dan Satterly helped the team by bringing in one touchdown and had 31 yards for the night. Other teammates were helpful in bring in touchdowns to bring the game to 49-12 in the end.

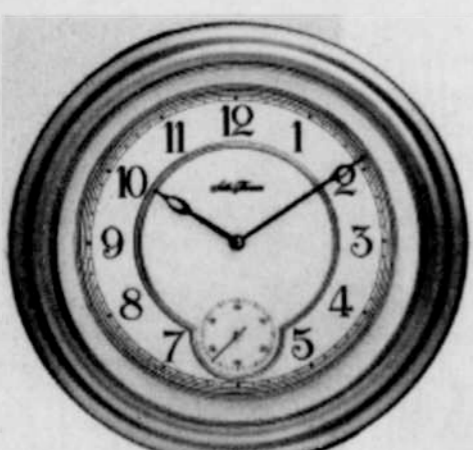
Rushing: Andrew Rietmann 4-118, Mike Radie 2-42, Til Tullis 2-4, Nathan Rea 5-50, Kyle Palmateer 3-2,

William Bergstrom 1-12, Dan Satterly 3-12, and Arthur Ekstrom 1-2.

Receiving: Brian Gutierrez 2-6, Kelly Thompson 2-63, Bill Gates 2-25, Rietmann 1-7, and Tyler Raible 2-31.


Passing: Nick Christman 7 Completions and 10 Attempts, and Satterly 2 Completions and 5 Attempts.

Tackling: Austin Arballo 2 Un-assisted, 1 Assisted, Nathan Rea 2,7; Satterly 3,3; Christman 0, 3; Gutierrez 1,4; Raible 1,0; Tim Doherty 1,2; Radie 0,3, Cameron Krebs 3,4; Rietmann 0,2; Brian Bunch 0,1; Palmateer 0,2; Cayle Krebs 1,6; Bill Ross 1,1; Paul Neiffer 3,6; Tullis 2,1; Gates 1,2.



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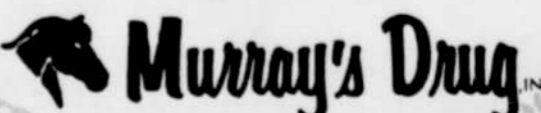
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Friday, October 18th at 11 a.m.
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