

## Cardinals participate in Condon Invitational

One Day after running at the Umatilla Rivers Edge Track Meet, the Ione Cardinals were at it again, this time in Condon. The Cardinal boys' team finished second overall, while the girls took third overall, at the Condon Invitational meet held April 19.

For the boys' team, Andrew Rietmann had two first place finishes, winning the 100m dash with a time of 10.88 and won the 200m dash with a time of 22.68. Rietmann also finished third in the 400m with a time of 56.23. Mike Radie was close behind with a second place finish in the 100m dash with a time of 11.38. Radie also finished second in the 200m dash with a time of 23.44.

Tyler Brown placed fourth in the javelin with a throw of 133 feet 2 inches. Cayle Krebs finished third in

the discus with a throw of 119 feet. Billy Ross placed fifth in the triple jump with a jump of 33 feet 10 inches.

The 4x100m relay team of Radie, Nick Christman, Krebs and Rietmann finished second with a time of 45.89. The 1600m relay team of Brown, Ross, Christman and Radie finished fifth with a time of 4:00.

On the girls' team, Diana McElligott took away three first place ribbons in the 100m dash with a time of 12.81; 200m dash with a time of 26.49; and in the 400m with a time of 1:01.

Ashley Grams finished first in the 300m hurdles with a time of 53.86.

The 4x100m relay team of Eva Chitty, Grams, Natalie McElligott and Diana McElligott finished second with a time of 53.69.

## Mustangs shut-out Tigers

By Rick Paullus

Good pitching, defense and timely hitting helped the Heppner Mustangs to a 9-0 win over the visiting Stanfield Tigers in Columbia Basin Conference action on Tuesday, April 22. The Mustangs, 1-0 in the CBC and 10-3 overall, have a double header at home against Umatilla on Saturday, May 3 and have a non-league game against Riverside at home on Tuesday, May 6, at 4 p.m.

After a scoreless first, the Mustangs scored three in the second when Billy Gates doubled, Kory Paullus walked, Josh Gutierrez had an RBI single, Jode Coil singled home Paullus and Gutierrez scored when the ball got by the left fielder.

They added two more in the third when Brad Adams reached on an error, Donald Adams walked, Paullus had an RBI single and got into a rundown to score another run to make it 5-0.

In the fourth, Coil reached on an error and came around to score on a Chuy Elguezabal single. They added

another in the fifth when Gates walked and Cody Walton came in to run for him. Donald Adams had a sacrifice bunt and Gutierrez had an RBI single.

The Mustangs added two more in the sixth when Elguezabal reached on an error and came around to score on a Josh Winters single and he ended up scoring on a Luke Murray bunt.

Elguezabal picked up the win going six innings-striking out eight, allowing three hits, while walking two.

Winters went three for four with an RBI; Gutierrez went two for three with two RBI and Gates scored twice.

Kyler Lovgren made several outstanding plays at third base.

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Stanfield 000 000 0-0 4 5

Chuy Elguezabal, Brad Adams (7) and Billy Gates; Jacob Flemmer and A.J. McQuown. W-Elguezabal. L-Flemmer. 2B-Flemmer (S); Gates (H). 3B-none. HR-none.

## Mustang JVs beat Tigers

By Rick Paullus

The Heppner JV baseball team built a 10-0 lead after four innings and had to hang on to beat the visiting Stanfield JVs, 10-8, on Friday, April 25. The Mustangs improved to 8-2 on the year and will host Pilot Rock on Friday, May 2 at 3 p.m.

The Mustangs took an early lead when Cody Walton singled, Kyle Carlson walked and Kiel Nairns brought both home with a double. Dan Basile had an RBI single, Matthew

VanCleave singled Basile to third and he scored on a passed ball to make it 4-0.

In the second, Walton walked and stole second, Nairns had an RBI double, Trevor Rhea had an RBI single and Basile had an RBI double to make it 7-0.

The Mustangs added three more in the fourth. They came when Walton doubled, Carlson walked, Walton scored on a passed ball, and Nairns had an RBI double and scored as Robert Whalen reached on an error.

The Tigers scored five in the fifth and three more in the sixth to get within two but the Mustangs held on for the win.

Nairns went four for four with four RBI, three doubles and scored three runs. Walton went two for two, walked twice and scored three runs. Basile went two for four with two RBI, VanCleave went two for three and Carlson scored twice.

Sloan Keithley pitched three scoreless innings striking out four and giving up just one hit.

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Stanfield 000 053 0-8 6 4

Sloan Keithley, Matthew VanCleave 4, Dan Basile (6) and Kyle Carlson; McFarlane and Smith. W-Keithley. L-McFarlane. 2B-McFarlane (S); Kiel Nairns 3, Cody Walton, Basile (H). 3B-Jarod Little (S). HR- none.

## Mustangs sweep Rockets

By Rick Paullus

The Heppner Mustang baseball team recorded their fourth and fifth straight shutouts and their tenth straight win in sweeping the Pilot Rock Rockets 7-0 and 12-0, with the second game being cut short to five innings due to the 10-run rule, on Saturday, April 26. The Mustangs, now 3-0 in the CBC and 12-3 overall, will host Umatilla for a double header on Saturday, May 3 at 11 a.m., and face Riverside at home on Tuesday, May 6 at 4 p.m., in a non-league game.

The Mustangs scored the only run they needed in the first when Brad Adams hit a two-out double and scored on a Kory Paullus single.

They added two more in the fifth when Jode Coil singled, Chuy Elguezabal was hit by a pitch, Adams was intentionally walked and Paullus singled to score two.

The Mustangs added insurance in the seventh as Elguezabal walked and scored on Adams' double. Paullus

reached on a fielder's choice, Luke Murray was intentionally walked, Paullus scored on a wild pitch, Donald Adams walked and Kyler Lovgren singled to score two more and make it 7-0.

Elguezabal went the distance on the mound to pick up the win striking out ten, walking none and scattering four hits.

Brad Adams went two for three with two doubles; Paullus went two for four with three RBI; Lovgren went two for four with two RBI; Coil went two for three; and Elguezabal scored twice.

The Mustangs again struck early in the second game as Elguezabal walked, stole second, went to third as Josh Winters struck out and reached on a passed ball and scored on another passed ball. Brad Adams walked, Murray grounded out to move the

runners up, Billy Gates scored both with a double and scored as Donald Adams reached on an error.

They broke out the long ball in the second when Coil hit a homerun to right, Elguezabal singled and Brad Adams made a home run to right-center to make it 7-0.

In the third, Josh Gutierrez singled, Coil reached on an error, moving Gutierrez to third, who scored when Coil stole second.

The Mustangs put the game away in the fifth when Donald Adams walked and went to third on Ben Turrell's single, Cody Walton running for Turrell went to third on a Gutierrez RBI single, Trevor Rhea grounded out to score Walton, Kiel Nairns, Gutierrez scored on a wild pitch and Brad Adams had an RBI double to make it 12-0.

Brad Adams went the distance to pick up the win pitching a one-hitter, striking out five and walking one.

Adams helped himself at the plate going two for two with a double and a home run and three RBI. Gutierrez went two for three with an RBI and score twice and Elguezabal scored twice.

Game One  
Heppner 100 020 4-7 8 3

Pilot Rock 000 000 0-0 4 1

Chuy Elguezabal and Billy Gates; Erick Stelk and Phillip Perrine. W-Elguezabal. L-Stelk. 2B- Brad Adams 2, Jode Coil (H). 3B- none. HR- none.

Game Two  
Heppner 431 04-12 10 0

Pilot Rock 000 00-0 1 3

B. Adams and Gates; Colby Norquist, Mitch Bymes (2), Michael Krösting (3) and Perrine. W- B. Adams. L-Norquist. 2B- B. Adams, Gates (H). 3B- none. HR-Coil, B. Adams (H).

## Cardinal boys take second, girls tie for third

The Ione Cardinals boys' track team finished second, while the girls' team tied for third, at the Umatilla Rivers Edge Track Meet, April 18.

The Lady Cardinals were led by Natalie McElligott, who finished first in the long jump with a jump of 14 feet 10 inches. She also finished first in the triple jump with a jump of 30 feet 4 1/2 inches.

Diana McElligott took first in the 100m dash with a time of 13.18, and also placed first in the 200m dash with a time of 27.49. Ashley Grams finished first in the 300m hurdles with a time of 51.52; she also took third in the 100m hurdles with a time of 19.15. Eva Chitty finished second in the 400m with a time of 1:06.

The 4x100m relay team of Chitty, Grams, Natalie McElligott and Diana McElligott finished first with a time of 54.63. The 1600m relay team of Chitty, Sarah Peck, Kim Morris and Grams finished first with a time of 4:43.

The boys' team was led by Andrew Rietmann who finished first in the 100m dash with a time of 11.59. Rietmann also finished first in the 200m dash with a time of 23.50.

## HJHS track team hold meet in Irrigon

Heppner Jr. High's track team participated in their second meet of the year, April 11 against Columbia Middle School.

Bryson Wood received first place in all three individual events in which he competed. The individual events included 400m- 58.97 seconds; 200m- 26.15; and long jump- 15 feet and 7 inches.

Tony Haguewood participated in three individual events. The individual events included second place in the 300m hurdles- 49.74; fourth in 200m- 27.31; and second in high jump- 4 feet and 11 inches.

Brendan McElligott participated two individual events and created a new school record. The NSR for the 800m is 2:18.70; Bryan Padberg held the old record at 2:19. McElligott also placed second in the 400m at 59.75.

Justin Delveaux participated in one individual event. He received fourth in javelin- 114 feet.

Wood, Haguewood, McElligott and Delveaux also participated in the 4x200m

relay and took first place at 1:56.48.

Casey O'Neal received second place in high jump at 4 feet 11 inches.

Caleb O'Neal participated in three individual events. He placed third in high jump- 4 feet 10 inches; sixth in shot put; and fourth in 100m hurdles- 18.1.

Nathan VanCleave received third place in shot put at 35 feet 5-3/4 inches.

Casey O'Neal, Caleb O'Neal, VanCleave and Lane Bailey participated in the second 4x200m relay and received fourth place.

Nacho Elguezabal received sixth in discus at 85 feet 9-1/2 inches. Aaron Allstott received fourth in shot put at 34 feet 11-3/4 inches.

For the girls, Megan Orr received first in discus at 66 feet 11 inches. Orr also received fourth in 100m- 14.38 and fourth in 200m- 31.42.

Kylie Doherty, Mahaley Huddleston, Cyde Coil and Kelsey Wolff received sixth place for the girls in the 4x200m relay.

## HJHS track team participates in Pilot Rock Invitational

The Heppner Jr. High School track team participated in the Pilot Rock Invitational, a five-way meet, April 18. This was their third meet of the season.

Bryson Wood took first and made a new school record in javelin with a throw of 141 feet 4 inches. Wood also took first in 400m and long jump and second in the 200m.

Nathan VanCleave received first in the 300m hurdles, fourth in the 400m and also participated in shot put.

Tony Haguewood took first in high jump at 5 feet 1 inch. He also placed second in 100m hurdles, third in 100m and fourth in 200m.

Lane Bailey, Aaron Allstott, Justin Delveaux and Casey O'Neal took third in the 4x100m relay. Jason Houweling, Matt McCabe and Colton Hanson took fourth in the second 4x100m relay.

Allstott, Delveaux, Casey O'Neal and Caleb O'Neal took first in the 4x200m relay.

Individually, Bailey took fifth and Delveaux took fourth in javelin; McCabe took fifth in discus; O'Neal took third in triple jump; and

Hanson took fourth in 100m hurdles.

Houweling took second in both 300m and 800m. Allstott took first in shot put and third in 100m hurdles. Rounding out the boys, Caleb O'Neal took first in 100m hurdles and second in high jump.

In the girls' division, Kelsey Wolff took first place in the 400m. Megan Orr took second in shot put, third in discus, fourth in 100m and fifth in 200m.

Kendra Rayburn, Cyde Coil, Mahaley Huddleston and Baillie Keithley took fourth in the 4x100m relay. Kylie Doherty, Coil, Huddleston and Keithley took fourth in the 4x200m relay.

Coil also received fifth in the javelin at 67 feet 5 inches. Huddleston placed fifth in shot put and Doherty placed fourth in 100m hurdles and fifth in high jump.

## Singspiration to be held in Ione

A Singpiration will be held, Sunday, May 4 at 7 p.m., at the Ione United Church of Christ in Ione. Everyone is invited to come and join in the singing and sharing.



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