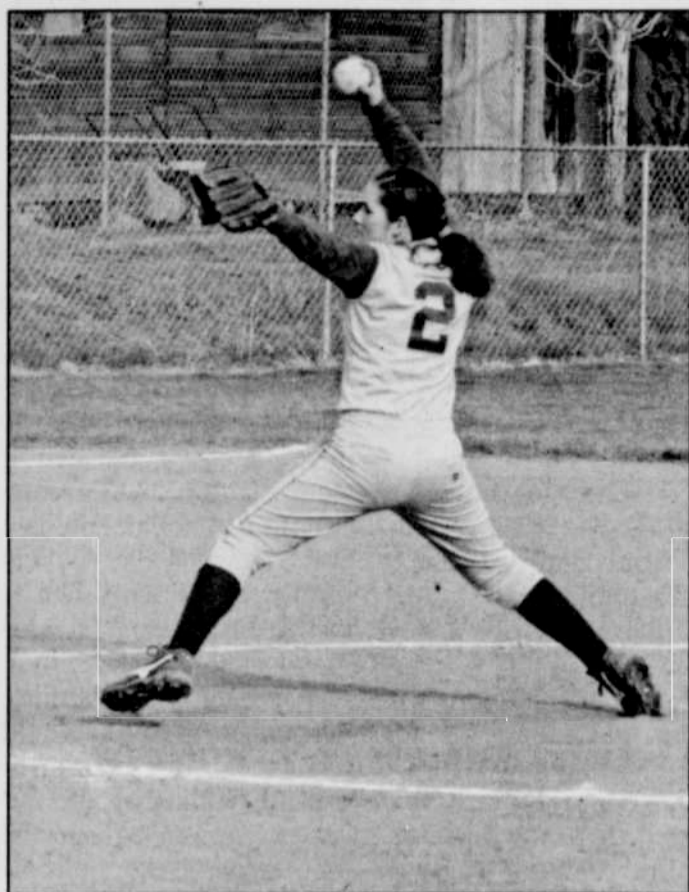


HHS softball falls to Weston-McEwen



Heppner Mustang Cassie Day hurls a pitch in Friday during the softball game against Weston-McEwen. The Mustangs lost both games in the double header. -Photo by Sandy Matthews

HHS golf team to host 12th annual three man scramble

Heppner High School golf team will be sponsoring the 12th annual three-person scramble at Willow Creek Country Club on Sunday, April 26.

Play will be a three-person scramble using the Oldsmobile Scoring Method. The team handicaps have been established using this method and allowing a maximum handicap of 12 per team.

Cost of the tournament is \$35 per player and is open to the first 27 teams. Prizes will be awarded for first through third place (net

and gross). Tee prizes will be given for every hole. KP and long putt prizes will also be awarded

Registration forms are available at Heppner TV. Registration will be accepted the day of the event from 8 a.m. until tee time at 9 a.m. Lunch will be served following play.

Proceeds from the scramble will benefit the HHS golf team.

For more information call Greg Grant at 676-5257 or Matt Scrivner at 676-8001.

Heppner girls' track team finishes second at Dick Hornya Invitational

There were 21 teams competing at the Dick Hornya Invitational in Stanfield on April 17th, and the Heppner girls' track team finished second to Sherman County. The girls were only three points behind the first place Huskies.

The girls finished first in only one event - the 4x400-meter relay - but still managed 95 team points. Erin Price led the Mustangs with three second place individual finishes in the 400-meter dash, 100-meter hurdles, and 300-meter hurdles. Price was caught from behind in an exciting 400 race that saw first and second separated by only .03 of a second. Catherine McElligott raced to two third-place finishes in the 1500 meter run and the 300-

meter hurdles. The Mustangs finished two-three-five in the 300 hurdles with Brynna Rust getting fifth. Keshawna Talamantes led the field events with places in two events - sixth in the shot put and third in the discus. Carrie Haguewood matched her season best of 4'10" in the high jump while finishing second, and Vivian Thompson jumped her personal best of 30'9" in the triple jump on her way to a second place finish in the event.

Jordan Wright had a personal best mark of 134'5" in the javelin and finished fifth. Jordan Hatfield and Spencer Palmer finished fourth and seventh in the 800 meters, and Alex Pickles finished sixth in the long jump and seventh in the

triple jump. The Mustangs have two meets remaining before their district meet on May 8th. They will travel to Moro for the Sherman Invitational and to Hermiston for the Kiwanis Invitational on Saturday, April 25th. Coach Melissa Coiner said, "We have several of our kids nursing injuries, and we hope to get them healed before our district meet in three weeks."

Boys' placers: 100M - 7. Chick (12.11); 800M - 4. Hatfield (2:19.33), 7. Sp. Palmer (2:22.08), 3000M - 8. Nelson (11:48.93); 4x400 relay - 5. Heppner (Hatfield, Chick, B. Holland, Sp. Palmer) (3:56.85); Javelin - 5. Wright (134'5"); Long Jump - 6. Pickles (18'3");

Triple Jump - 7. Pickles (36'6").

Girls' placers: 400M - 2. Price (1:03.10), 8. Rust (1:09.27); 1500M - 3. McElligott (5:34.20); 3000M - 8. J. Chapa (14:41.11); 100M Hurdles - 2. Price (17.32); 300M Hurdles - 2. Price (49.77), 3. McElligott (50.84), 5. Rust (53.54); 4x100 Relay - 3. Heppner (Lee, Putman, Arevik, Patton) (56.39); 4x400 Relay - 1. Heppner (McElligott, Rust, Price, Arevik) (4:29.39); Shot Put - 6. Talamantes (28'8"); Discus - 3. Talamantes (90'5"); High Jump - 2. Haguewood (4'10"), 5. Patton (4'6"); Long Jump - 3. Lee (14'1"), 7. Thompson (13'4.5"); Triple Jump - 2. Thompson (30'9").

Mustangs host first track meet of season

The Heppner High School track team hosted their first meet of the season on Tuesday, April 14. The Mustangs hosted 10 other teams on their home track.

Several Heppner athletes got season best marks despite the cold weather. Carmen Lee ran her fastest time of the year in the 100-meters while finishing second. She also recorded her best long jump of the year and finished third. Keshawna Talamantes racked up a second place finish in the javelin and two fourth place finishes (shot put and discus). Catherine McElligott and Brynna Rust finished one-two in the 300-meter hurdles, and McElligott also won the 1500-meters. Erin Price finished first in the 200-meters and the 400-meters and finished second in the 100-meter hurdles. The girls' 4x400-meter relay team (Price, McElligott,

Rust, Frida Arevik) ended the meet with a first place finish as well. The group of Mustang high jumpers finished third (Carrie Haguewood), fourth (Lee), fifth (JoAnna Patton) and seventh (Marlen Weise).

The Mustang throwers led the boys' team. Jordan Wright finished first in the javelin, second in the shot put and third in the discus. In the shot put, Mark McCabe was second and Deniz Kalyon was fifth. In the discus, Spencer Palmer was sixth and McCabe was seventh. Brandon Garcia finished third in the javelin. Alex Pickles finished third in the long jump and fourth in the triple jump. Bryan Holland got third in the 400-meters and fifth in the long jump. Spencer Palmer got second in the 800-meters, and Eric Vogel was second in the 3000-meters and third in the 1500-meters.

Dedication to be held for HHS track

The Heppner High School and Junior High track teams will be honoring past coaches and a past administrator for their dedication to the Heppner track program.

Enough funds were raised through generous donations to build a six-lane, rubberized track at Heppner High School in 2005. The track will be dedicated on Sunday, May 3, to the following people who were instrumental in building the track tradition at Heppner High School: Don McClure, Dean Naffziger, Dorothy Agee, Dale Conklin, Chuck Starr, Phyllis "Payne" Armitage, Susan Healy Hisler, Steve Brownfield, and Wade Smith.

Track donors, including past state champions and their families, will also be recognized. Lanes at the track are: 1. Padberg

Lane, 2. Butter Creek Lane, 3. Heppner/Willow Creek Lane, 4. Lexington/Sand Hollow Lane, 5. Ruggs/HHS Booster Club Lane, 6. Kilkenny Lane. Blocks lining the track have already been painted to recognize past state champions.

The junior high and high school track team are also sponsoring a youth track meet to coincide with the event. Registration for the youth track meet begins at 12:45. The track dedication and recognition ceremony will be held at approximately 1 p.m. with the youth track meet to follow.

The youth meet is for ages 0 through grade five. Events will be long jump, tennis ball throw, 25-meter, 50-meter, 100-meter, and 400-meter runs. Ribbons will be given to all children who participate.

Ladies Play Day results

Ladies Play Day was held on Tuesday, April 14, at the Willow Creek Country Club. Results are as follows:

April 14
Low gross of the field was Pat Edmundson and Carol Mitchell. Low net of the field was Lorrene Montgomery. Least putts of the field was Pat Dougherty.

Flight A winners were: low gross was Virginia Grant; low net was Nancy Propheer; and least putts was Sandi Hanna.

Flight B winners

were: low gross were Betty Christman and Jackie Allstott

Flight C winners were: low gross was Sheron Woodside.

KP #3: flight A was Carol Mitchell.

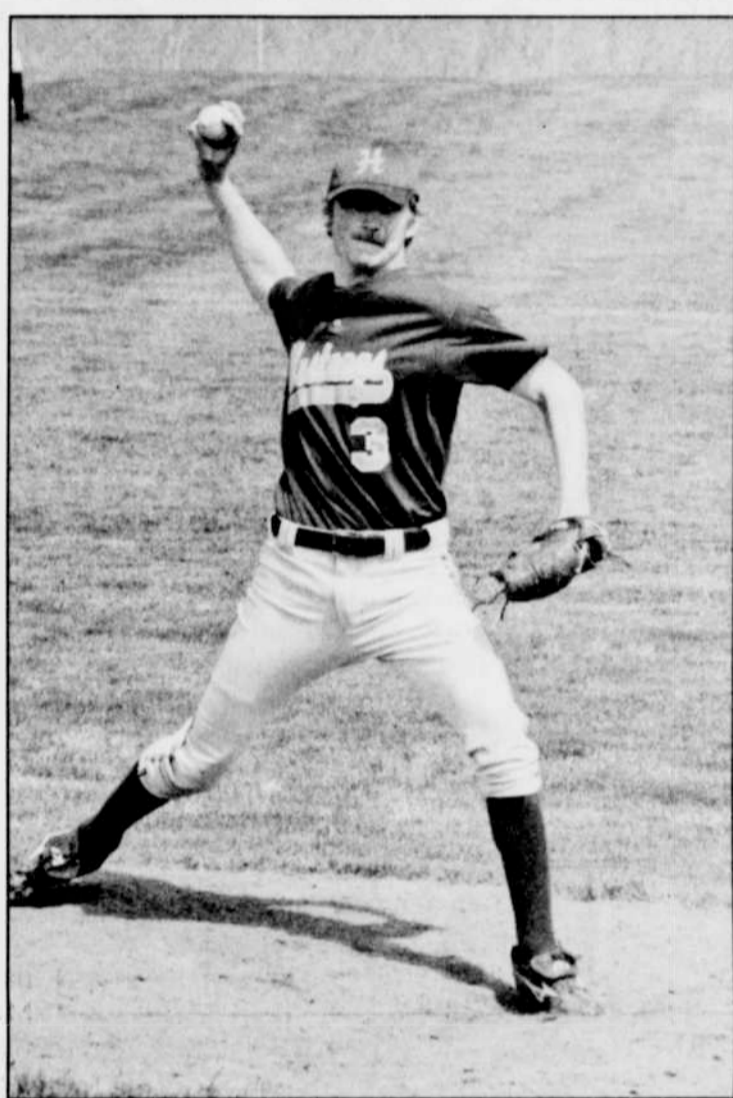
Long Drive #1: flight A was Pat Edmundson; and flight B was Lorrene Montgomery.

Long Putt #2: flight A was Carol Mitchell.

Birdies: Pat Edmundson on #1.

Match players need to sign-up by May 20 at the clubhouse.

Coil takes to the mound



Heppner Mustang Wacy Coil takes to the mound after several years of making his home behind the plate. The Mustangs beat the Weston McEwen Tiger Scotts 9-2 and 15-9 in the double header in Heppner this weekend. -Photo by Sandy Matthews

Pendleton 14U team wins first softball tournament of year



Pictured is Baily Bennett with her team's trophy. -Contributed Photo

The Pendleton 14U softball team, an ASA (Amateur Softball Association) team in the 14 and under age group, held their first tournament of the year called the 3 Rivers Rally in Richland, WA.

Seven teams were entered in this age group from Hood River, Baker City, Hermiston and Tri-Cities.

On Saturday, Pendleton 14U went 3-0 in pool play beating the Tri-Cities Storm, Tri-Cities Ringors and Hood River Heat. On

Sunday, they made it into bracket play with a bye in the first round and played the Oregon Outlaws in the second round, beating them 6-2 which placed Pendleton 14U in the championship game.

The team ended up winning the championship game 7-1 against the Tri-Cities Storm. Baily Bennett pitched four and 2/3 innings for the Pendleton 14U, giving up only three runs in a 10-5 win. The team has seven more tournaments scheduled at this time.

Mr. Bill's Traveling Trivia Show!
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