

## HHS 'C' team ends victorious season

The Heppner High School boys' "C" team completed their season recently and finished the year with an 8-1 record. The Mustangs swept their last three games of the year by beating the Arlington Honkers 39-31, the Condon/Wheeler Knights 36-24 and the Weston-McEwen TigerScots by a score of 45-29.

Against the Honkers a balanced scoring attack was led by Caden Hedman with 10. Kolby Currin had nine points and Jake Lindsay eight. Kevin Murray followed with five, Ryan Cecil scored three, and Kaden Corbin and Cade Arbogast each had two points in the game.

In the game with Condon/Wheeler the team outscored the Knights in each quarter. They were led in scoring by Murray and Corbin, who each had eight points for the game. Hedman tallied six and Lindsay had five. Jeremiah Petzoldt had four points,

Arbogast three and Currin two.

Every team member scored in the final game of the season against the TigerScots. Currin, Hedman and Murry each scored eight points. Scoring five points in the game and pulling down many big rebounds was Jeff Dowdy. Scoring four points each were Lindsay, Cecil, Corbin and Petzoldt.

Leading the team in scoring for the season were Lindsay and Hedman, who averaged nine points per game each. Murray averaged eight and Currin seven. Averaging four points a game were Corbin and Petzoldt. Scoring three points a game was Arbogast, and at two points per contest were Cecil and Dowdy. Murray led the team in rebounds and Hedman in assists.

It was a great season for this team as they all got to play a lot of minutes and they improved as a team each week.

## Cardinals bring down Grizzlies across the board

The weather interrupted last weekend's plans for Ione's basketball teams, but that doesn't keep them from riding high on sweeping victories against Helix at home last Tuesday, Feb. 4.

The Cardinal boy's varsity team defeated the Grizzlies 92-58, while the varsity girls secured a 52-39 victory and the boys' JV team brought down Griswold 37-25.

Stats are as follows:  
**Varsity Boys v. Helix, Feb. 4**

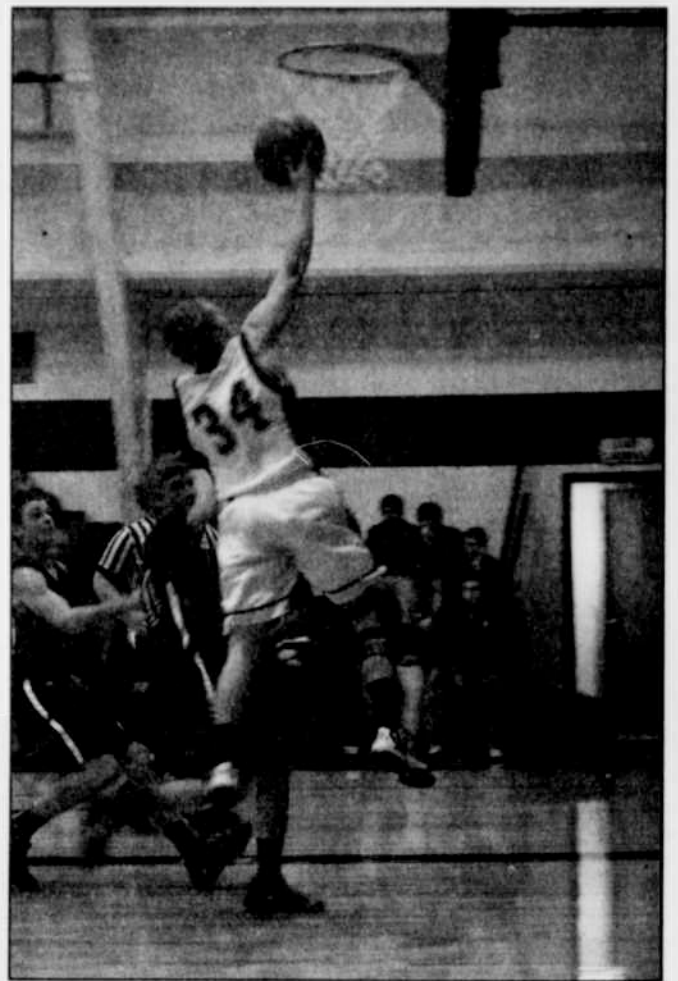
Ione 92, Helix 58  
Halftime: Ione 50, Helix 30  
*Player stats:*

Jailin Conboy: 38 pts, 11 ast, 11 reb  
Luke Jobs: 22 pts, 11 ast  
Bailey Haguewood: 8 pts  
Joel Stillman: 2 pts  
Dalton Hughes: 4 pts  
TJ Patton: 8 pts  
Jason Juarez: 10 pts

Ione made 10 three-point shots and Helix made seven for a game total of 17 three-point shots.

**Varsity Girls v. Helix, Feb. 4**

Ione 52, Helix 39  
*Player stats:*  
Adara Hasbell: 14 pts, 7 steals  
Sadie Hasbell: 7 pts, 9 rbd  
Lauren Garrett: 9 pts, 8 rbd



Above: Ione senior Joel Stillman leaps above the heads of the Grizzlies to make a shot during the Feb. 4 JV game. Below: Cardinal varsity player Luke Jobs, senior, outruns a Grizzly with the net in sight during the Feb. 4 varsity game in Ione. -Photos by Paula Emmel



Jaqueline Juarez, an Ione senior, shoots a three-pointer in the game versus the Helix Grizzlies last Tuesday. -Photo by Paula Emmel

Emily Holland: 6 pts  
Rachel Holland: 6 pts  
Hannah Padberg: 2 pts  
Jessie Flynn: 8 pts  
JV Boys v. Helix, Feb. 4  
Ione JV 37, Helix JV 25  
*Score by Quarters:*  
Ione JV: 10, 19, 26, 37  
Helix JV: 6, 8, 15, 25  
Fouls: Ione JV 17, Helix JV 12  
Rebounds: Ione JV 41, Helix JV 34  
*Player: Reb, Ast, Pts*  
Danny Doherty: 1, 1, 3  
Henry Padberg: 4, 0, 5  
Donald McElligott: 7, 0, 2

Joe Doherty: 3, 2, 4  
Austin Carter: 7, 2, 8  
Zane King: 3, 0, 4  
Daniel Holtz: 4, 0, 0  
Jason Juarez: 3, 2, 9  
Joel Stillman: 1, 1, 2  
Jorge Aguilar: 10, 0, 0

"We faced a much improved Helix ball team this time around. Overall it was a good ball game.

Jason Juarez had nine points and seven steals in two quarters, Austin Carter had eight points, seven rebounds, four steals in the game. Jorge Aguilar had



10 rebounds and Donald McElligott brought down seven rebounds," said Ione Assistant Coach Brian Spivey.

"Our freshman really stepped it up in this game; I'm really proud of how far they have come this season."

## Band puts pep in players' steps



While the focus during games is on the players, high-school games wouldn't be the same without the often unsung talents of the pep band. Above, Heppner band member Brian Fowler plays the clarinet at the Feb. 4 game versus the Irrigon Knights. -Photo by Sandra Putman

## Ione 4-H Bakery Bunch Food News

By Madison Orem

The Bakery Bunch 4-H group met on Friday, Jan. 31, in Heppner at the annex building. There were seven members present with leaders Heidi Nelson and Nancy Jepsen.

Rebecca Jepsen was home on break and was there also as a leader. Morgan Orem was present as a junior leader.

The meeting began by reciting the 4-H pledge. Then Nancy Jepsen had a short quiz, asking everyone questions about hamburger. The group then

had a discussion about hamburger. They played "Hamburger Battle." There were four kinds of burger, that the group compared the meat by weighing and tasting them.

Next, the group broke into three groups to make sloppy Joes. The groups used the burger that they had compared earlier. There was discussion about adding things to a recipe.

After the sloppy Joes were made, then everyone enjoyed some for lunch.

The next meeting will be Friday, Feb. 14, in Ione.

## Ione city council meeting rescheduled

The City of Ione City Council meeting has been rescheduled due to a change in the basketball schedule. The meeting time has been changed from Tuesday, Feb. 11, to Thursday, Feb. 13, at 6 p.m. at Ione City Hall.

The public is asked to attend, as public input is needed for the Pre-Disaster Mitigation Plan.

The wastewater study is not yet complete and will be presented at the March 11 council meeting.

## Justice Court Report

Morrow County Justice of the Peace Ann Spicer has released the following Justice Court report:

-Brent Irwin, 46, of Sunriver, OR, pled guilty to Attempted Waste of Wildlife. He received a \$1,000 fine, was sentenced to 90 days in jail and two years bench probation, and was banned from hunting the Heppner Unit for the duration of his probation (two years).

## DA's Report

Morrow County District Attorney Justin Nelson has released the following report:

-Dakota Duane Kaneaster, 19, was convicted of one count of Harassment - Constituting Domestic Violence, A Class B misdemeanor reduced to a Class A violation. An additional count of the same charge was disposed without conviction. Fines, fees and assessments totaled \$793.

-Alejandro Cisneros, 25, was convicted of two counts of Harassment - Constituting Domestic Violence, A Class B misdemeanor, and sentenced to 90 days jail time on each count. However, for each count, execution of 75 days jail time was suspended and the defendant sentenced to 24 months bench probation, to include no contact with the victim, completion of anger management and drug and alcohol treatment, 15 days of jail time, and 30 hours of community service if not deported or upon return to the U.S. Total fines, fees and assessments were \$593.

-Victor Flores Martinez, 35, was convicted of one count of fleeing or Attempting to Elude a Police Officer, a Class C felony. The defendant's driver's license was suspended for 90 days and the defendant sentenced to six months prison time, with credit for time served and to run concurrent with additional sentences. Martinez was also sentenced to one year post-prison supervision. Additionally, Martinez was convicted of one count of Reckless Driving, a Class A misdemeanor. The defendant's driver's license was suspended for 90 days and the defendant sentenced to six months prison time, with credit for time served and to run concurrent with additional sentences. Additionally, Martinez was convicted of one count of Criminal Trespass II, a Class C misdemeanor, and sentenced to six months prison time, with credit for time served and to run concurrent with additional

sentences. Additional counts were disposed without conviction. Fines, fees and assessments totaled \$891.

-Jose Antonio Pena Jr., 23, was convicted of Assault IV, a Class A misdemeanor, and sentenced to 180 days jail time. However, execution of 180 days jail time was suspended and the defendant sentenced to 24 months bench probation, to include 60 hours of community service, no offensive contact with the victim and successful completion of anger management. Additional counts were disposed without conviction. Total fines, fees and assessments were \$500.

-In a separate case, Jose Antonio Pena Jr., 23, was convicted of Harassment - Constituting Domestic Violence, A Class B misdemeanor, and sentenced to 90 days jail time. However, execution of 90 days jail time was suspended and Pena sentenced to 24 months bench probation, to include 30 hours of community service, no offensive contact with

the victim and successful completion of anger management. Additional counts were disposed without conviction. Total fines, fees and assessments were \$793.

-Tyler James Sanders, 21, was convicted of Failure to Register as a Sex Offender, a Class A misdemeanor, and was sentenced to 30 days jail time. Total fines, fees and assessments were \$100.

-Daniel Hernandez, 49, was convicted of harassment, a Class B misdemeanor; sentence of 90 days jail time was suspended and the defendant sentenced to 24 months bench probation. Fines, fees and assessments totaled \$100.

-Frank Andrew Mackey, 28, was convicted of one count of Burglary I, a Class A felony. The defendant was sentenced to 29 months prison time with credit for time served, as well as three years post-prison supervision. Additional counts were disposed without conviction. Total fines, fees and assessments were \$200.

## Sheriff's Report

November 22: Morrow County Sheriff's Office served a warrant to Irma Irene Garza, 40. She was lodged at Umatilla County Jail with \$200,000 bail.

-MCSO received report of a driver who had run out of gas on I-84/Three Mile Canyon. A deputy and Boardman Police Department assisted.

-MCSO responded to a report of found property in Heppner. The finder said he wanted a finder's fee for recovering the property.

-MCSO, Boardman Ambulance received report of a motor vehicle accident on I-84 Boardman. The accident was non-blocking, but an ambulance was needed. MCSO cited Heriberto Rodriguez Garcia, 41, for Careless Driving-with

a motor vehicle accident.

-MCSO received report of a pocket watch taken from a house in Irrigon.

-MCSO received report from Morrow County maintenance that someone lost a bale of hay on Hwy. 74, Lexington and it was all over the north-bound lane.

-MCSO received request for a welfare check on a dog in Lexington because it was cold and the owners would be gone all day. MCSO responded and contacted the owners. They would give the dog another blanket and check on her.

-MCSO received request for a welfare check from Adult Protective Services for a client who was talking about "just ending it." MCSO responded and determined that the subject was talking

about ending services with them and not his life.

-MCSO cited Daniel Christopher Pryor, 44, for Violation of the Basic Rule, 80 mph in a 55 mph zone.

-MCSO received report of a mid 90s model Dodge pickup that almost rammed someone on the freeway and ran off at the 171 exit. Information was relayed to Oregon State Police.

-MCSO received report that Stanfield Police Department arrested David Own Wiggins, 52, in Morrow County for DUII. He was lodged at Umatilla County Jail.

-MCSO received a relayed report from OSP about a possibly intoxicated driver in a white Dodge Journey with Washington plate. The subject had

dropped off a female in Arlington around 30 minutes earlier and when the subject got out of the car, multiple beer cans fell out of the vehicle and the subject appeared intoxicated. MCSO responded and checked the area, but was unable to locate anything.

-MCSO received report of theft of prescription drugs on Chase Street in Heppner.

-MCSO received notice of a commitment order with mental health adjudication and firearms prohibition.

-MCSO received report from an Irrigon woman of someone doing "burnouts" in front of her house, involving a blue Dodge and a white Dodge. MCSO responded and located one of the vehicles that was parked.