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Offensively the Mustangs moved the ball well on the ground, producing 249 yards, while adding another 63 yards in the air, bringing their total to 312 yards on the day.

Statistics for the game included linebackers Conor Brosnan and Brock Hisler leading the team in tackles at six apiece. Ty Boor, Blaine Mahoney and Cade Cunningham, all added five tackles each. Cameron Proudfoot had four tackles,

while Tucker Ashbeck had three. Kason Cimmiyotti, Jace Coe, Caden George and Toby Nation all added two tackles. Kegan Stegall added a tackle as well. Landon Mitchell threw the ball 12 times and completed five passes for 63 yards. Kason Cimmiyotti had two receptions for 50 yards, Jace Coe brought in two receptions for 16 yards. Brock Hisler also had one reception. Brock Hisler gained 101 yards on

the ground and added two touchdowns. Jace Coe and Caden George rushed for 66 yards and one touchdown each. Aden Lathrop rushed for 14 yards and Landon Mitchell rushed for 10.

Heppner will continue their season on Thursday October 7, as they host Riverside in a league matchup. The Mustangs JV team will also be playing a home contest against the La Grande JV team on Monday, October 11 at 4:30 p.m.



Cade Cunningham forces the quarterback from the pocket. -Photo by Damon Brosnan



Kason Cimmiyotti recovers a fumble enroute to scoring in the first quarter. -Photo by Damon Brosnan

Catholic church building celebrates 50 years

By Kay Proctor

Plans are underway at St. Patrick's Church in Heppner to celebrate the 50th year of their church building on November 21 this year.

The Parish was established in 1887 with a church building on Chase Street. That church, now a private home, also served as one of the temporary morgues during the 1903 Heppner flood.

On September 17, 1941, ground was broken for a larger, red brick church on Gale Street and completed just two months and ten days later on November 27. Because of increasing maintenance costs and a need for more space, the red brick church was torn down in April 1971 and the present 'green' church was constructed on its site. Mass was held in the Parish Hall during construction.

The modernistic church



The current St. Patrick's Catholic Church building was built and dedicated in 1971. -Contributed photos.

building was designed by Jerry Mossman, and the general contractor was Aiden Vixie, whose son still operates the family construction business in Walla Walla. Father Raymond Beard and many parishioners contributed to the building process, which was officially dedicated on November 10, 1971.

Michael Scott Lovgren was the first baptized infant in the new church building in December 1971 and that same month, John and Jill O'Donnell were the first

couple married there.

In recognition of the 50-year anniversary, there will be a Mass at 11 a.m. on November 21 followed by a luncheon at the Parish Hall. Both are open to the public. The Parish is asking for photos, stories or memories of the past 50 years, or even prior, for display and/or to share in a slide presentation at the luncheon. The deadline for these is November 5. Please contact the church at saintpatschurch@gmail.com or 541-676-9462 for more information.



Blaine Mahoney chases the quarterback down in the third quarter. -Photo by Damon Brosnan

Ione/Arlington volleyball takes on Sherman County



The Ione/Arlington team took the match against Sherman County to five but could not convert the win at Sherman on September 29.

Left: Bella Mastriona (#7) and Grace Ogden (no number visible) both get up to get the ball over. Right: Madison Orem (#9) looks on as Grace hits the ball. -Contributed Photos.



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