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Seaside's Emy Kiser drives to the basket against Elma.

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Seaside tops Woodburn at Stayton Classic

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The Seaside Lady Gulls won one and lost two in the SCTC Holiday Classic, Dec. 27-29 at Stayton High School.

Salem Academy scored a 49-26 win over the Gulls in a consolation final Saturday.

"We actually were very ready and had a great first half," said Seaside coach Mike Hawes, whose team trailed 24-18 at halftime.

The Gulls, however, did not score in the third period, as Salem Academy opened up the lead.

Annaka Garhofer and Emy Kiser scored eight points apiece to lead Seaside.

After Thursday's 58-34 loss to Cottage Grove, the Gulls bounced back with a 60-42 come-from-behind win over Woodburn.

"Again, we came out slow but eventually wore them down," Hawes said. "Morgan Blodgett had 18 (points) and made shots all over."

Lilli Taylor added 14 points and Kiser scored 13 for the Gulls.

Elma 37, Gulls 30

SEASIDE — The Elma girls basketball team enjoyed winning last year's Seaside Holiday Classic so much, they came back and did it again.

After beating Astoria in last year's title game of the tournament, the

Eagles held off a big challenge from Seaside in the Dec. 22 championship contest, 37-30.

The Eagles had to overcome some heavy foul trouble and a defensive-minded Seaside team, by breaking a 23-23 tie in the fourth quarter and outscoring the Gulls 14-7 over the final six minutes.

With the help of seven points in the first quarter from Quin Mikel (tournament Most Valuable Player), the Eagles held a 15-6 lead after one period.

But the Gulls turned the tide, in a hurry.

Forcing turnovers and drawing fouls, Seaside went on a 10-2 run in the second quarter, pulling to within 17-16 at halftime. Ruby Douglas highlighted the run with two scores underneath, and teammate Alyssa Goin closed the half with a late basket.

Seaside tied the game at 19-19 on a jump shot by Emy Kiser in the third quarter, but that was Seaside's only field goal of the second half until Morgan Blodgett scored with 43 seconds left in the game, with the rest of Seaside's points coming at the free throw line.

Kaelyn Burgher led the Eagles with 10 points, followed by Kali Rambo with nine and Jalyn Sackrider with eight, as all three finished with four fouls.

Lilli Taylor had a game-high 11 points for the Gulls, and made the all-tournament team along with team-

mate Emy Kiser.

"We lost to a good team, and we had a five-point third quarter where we missed some easy shots and free throws that might have made a difference," said Seaside coach Mike Hawes. "But the growth this team has shown all season long has been awesome. We said all along we're not sure who we are, but maybe we're going to be pretty good."

"We need to continue to take care of the ball, and make shots," he said. "Ruby Douglas is starting to become a very good post."

Seaside reached the title game with a 38-28 win Friday over Cottage Grove. Blodgett and Annaka Garhofer scored nine points each for the Gulls, who built a 24-12 lead late in the second quarter, then maintained a 10- to 12-point advantage the remainder of the game.

Seaside opened the tournament against winless Crook County in a late matchup Dec. 20, and the Lady Gulls pulled away in the second quarter for an easy 44-20 win.

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From there, the Gulls did what they do best — force turnovers and dominate the boards — and finished the game with an 18-2 run.



SCOREBOARD

GIRLS BASKETBALL

Elma 37, Seaside 30

ELM (37): Kaelyn Burgher 10, Rambo 9, Sackrider 8, Mikel 7, Bieker 2, Olson 1.

SEA (30): Lilli Taylor 11, Kiser 5, Zagata 4, Blodgett 4, Douglas 4, Goin 2, Garhofer, Turner.

Elma 15 2 6 14—37

Seaside 6 10 5 9—30

Seaside 38, Cottage Grove 28

CG (28): Gracie Arnold 14, Ladd 5, Gardner 5, Blomquist 3, May 1.

SEA (38): Morgan Blodgett 9, Annaka Garhofer 9, Kiser 8, Taylor 6, Douglas 6, Turner, Zagata, Goin.

C.Grove 7 7 7 7—28

Seaside 10 14 5 9—38

Seaside 44, Crook County 20

CC (20): Dallas Hutchins 8, Barker 4, Woodward 2, Kasberger 2, Bales 2, Freeman 1, Mode 1.

SEA (44): Emy Kiser 10, Taylor 8, Zagata 6, Blodgett 6, McFadden 5, Douglas 5, Garhofer 2, Turner 2, Goin, LaPlante, Van Dusen.

C.County 2 5 11 2—20

Seaside 4 15 15 10—44

BOYS BASKETBALL

Seaside 49, Thurston 45

SEA (49): Chase Januik 18, Westerholm 13, Hague 11, Br.Johnson 3, Be.Johnson 3, Thompson 1.

THU (45): Isaac Lange 19, Miller 17, Crist 4, Bryant 2, Stranieri 2, Alonzo 1.

Seaside 12 8 12 17—49

Thurston 12 13 11 9—45

Seaside 61, Bend 59

SEA (61): Ryan Hague 23, Januik 12, Thompson 12, Westerholm 9, Br.Johnson 5, Snyder, Sibony, Meyer, Be.Johnson.

BEN (59): Justin Kerr 16, Warinner 13, Brown 12, Robertson 6, E.Chopra 6, A.Chopra 2, Miller 2, Teichrow 2.

Seaside 12 20 9 20—61

Bend 13 16 16 14—59

Seaside 66, Newport 47

NEW (47): Justin Plechaty 16, Beaudry 15, Hidalgo 10, Baldwin 2, Martinson 2, Tapia 2.

SEA (66): Chase Januik 20, Westerholm

16, Hague 13, Be.Johnson 9, Thompson 5, Rich 3, Br.Johnson, Pugh, Snyder, Sibony, Meyer.

Newport 14 11 10 12—47

Seaside 19 19 12 16—66

Seaside 81, Corbett 50

COR (50): Preston Horvath 11, Paintner 10, Dennerline 7, Fundak 6, Jo.Newton 4, Ja.Newton 4, Wright 2, Rolens 2, Zeise 2, Ronfeld 1.

SEA (81): Chase Januik 21, Hague 18, Westerholm 14, Br.Johnson 7, Be.Johnson 7, Thompson 6, Snyder 3, Rich 3, Meyer 2, Pugh, Sibony, Acree.

Corbett 14 9 12 15—50

Seaside 27 20 23 11—81

Seaside 78, Montesano 52

MON (52): Braden Dohmann 10, Nicklas 9, Winter 7, Ridgway 6, Farmer 6, Parker 4, Bates 3, Olsen 2, Wills 2, Adams 2, Mesquita 1.

SEA (78): Payton Westerholm 20, Januik 15, Be.Johnson 13, Hague 9, Thompson 7, Br.Johnson 3, Snyder 3, Acree 2, Rich 2, Meyer 2.

Montesano 12 11 13 16—52

Seaside 17 25 18 18—78

2018 SEASIDE HOLIDAY CLASSIC

ALL-TOURNAMENT TEAM

Girls

MVP: Quin Mikel, Elma

Gracie Arnold, Cottage Grove

Madison Ficek, Marist

Emy Gardner, Cottage Grove

Emy Kiser, Seaside

Julia Norris, Astoria

Kali Rambo, Elma

Jalyn Sackrider, Elma

Lilli Taylor, Seaside

Megan Wagner, Newport

Boys

MVP: Payton Westerholm, Seaside

Matt Beaudry, Newport

Ryan Hague, Seaside

Chase Januik, Seaside

Ben Morehouse, Marist

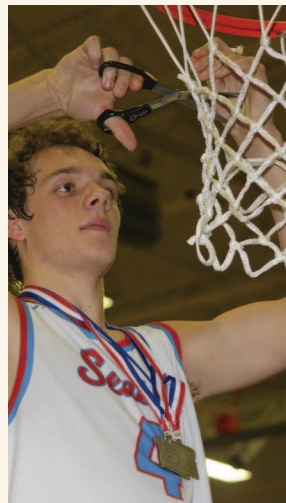
Dylan Paintner, Corbett

Byron Patt, Madras

Justin Plechaty, Newport

Sam Winter, Montesano

ATHLETES OF THE WEEK



Gary Henley/Seaside Signal
Ryan Hague, Seaside High School

HIGH SCHOOL

Ryan Hague, Basketball

The junior was Seaside's "Mr. Clutch" in the Summit Holiday Classic, Dec. 27-29. In a semifinal win over 6A Bend, Hague made 3-of-6 free throws in the final minute and finished with a game-high 23 points. In the championship victory over 5A defending state champion Thurston on an easy 44-20 win.

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George Fox University photo
Jackson Januik, George Fox University

COLLEGE

Jackson Januik, Basketball

The Seaside graduate had his biggest week at the collegiate level. A sophomore guard at George Fox University, Januik opened his week with a career-high 20 points in a 92-81 loss to the nation's No. 1-ranked Division III team from Nebraska Wesleyan. He was 8-for-12 from the field (4-5 from the 3-point line), with six assists and two steals. He had a team-high 19 points in a 78-68 win over Chapman. He was 5-for-6 from the 3-point line. He had six assists in a 107-68 victory at La Verne.

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