

Fun in the snow

There hadn't been enough snow in Vernonia this winter to allow sledding, but that changed on January 26 and 27, when about seven inches fell in town, and a lot more in higher elevations.

Enjoying it all were John Steward and his son, Bridger, on the opposite page. At right are Tiffany and Damon McNeill; far right, the Pastor family builds a snowman; center, Corey Maller can't get enough sledding; below, Heather Uerling enjoys an uphill pull.



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WGS Girls take top spot at basketball tournament

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High School in Hillsboro.

Their first game, against Forest Grove, was 30-29. The second, against Meadow Park of Beaverton, ended with a three-point spread, 38 to 35. In the third game, the Vernonia girls defeated Highland Park of Beaverton with a clutch free throw to tie - with only three seconds left - capped by an offensive rebound for the final bucket and a 41-39 win.

Team members are Christina Sohler, Nandi VanMeter, Natalie Driver, Jessie Long, Jor-eigh Landers, Erin Gherke, Jessie Roberts, Brittney Lindauer and Anna Naspini.

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