

Enterprise, Vallivue Take Weekend Hoop Contests From Nyssa Bulldogs

By FRANK PARR

Friday night on the home court, the Nyssa Bulldogs lost a portion of the slim chance they have for getting into the regional tournament to be held in La Grande. There is still a chance if they can turn the tables on the Savages when they play the return engagement with them Feb. 22 on the Enterprise court.

Payette Pirates Add to Downfall Of Bulldog Five

Racking up 58 and 59 points but still coming out on the short end of the final score has been the fate of the Nyssa hoopsters in the last two games.

The Payette Pirates ran their score to 71 last Tuesday evening on the Idaho floor to add their bit to the downfall of the Bulldogs.

Playing without the services of Jim Benedict, the Bulldogs simply could not stop the Payette offense. Their own offense was good; Alan Cottle poured in 21 counters for his high game score of the season and Brent Schulthies added 13. But with contributions from the rest of the crew, these weren't quite enough.

To date, the Bulldogs have averaged 45 points per game, while allowing their opponents 69 counters. Although their eyes are getting better, it seems the opposition has the same idea.

JV Squad Fares Better

The junior varsity squad came through with another victory over the Payette JVs.

The entire squad got into the scoring column while piling up 61 points to Payette's 31. John Moore led the Bullpups with 17 counters; Terry Olt picked up 11. Gene Brown, Paul Smit and Neal Bohannon added 6 points apiece; Royce Zobell, 5; Brad Maxfield, 4; Tom Moore, 4; Mike Kodama, 2.

For the season, Nyssa's JV boys have won five and lost six games. They have scored 522 points to 546 for their opponents.

Nyssa Wrestlers Down Enterprise

A little variety was added to the usual sports program last Friday evening when the wrestling squads of Enterprise and Nyssa squared off against each other in a preliminary match prior to the basketball game.

Nyssa's "grunt and groan" artists, with the aid of considerable body English from Coach Mel Calhoun, were able to walk off with top honors by a score of 43 to 15.

The Bulldogs picked up seven falls to two for Enterprise and won two matches by decisions against one decision for Enterprise.

The Nyssa lads who pinned their men were Sam Cleaver, Joe Grijalva, Ralph Carter, Pat Dority, Chuck Anderson, Fred Wight and Gary Mason. Bulldogs winning by a decision were Knute Cleaver and Jim Houston.

Dan Reece got a draw with his opponent. Lads who worked just as hard but added no points to the Nyssa score were Ralph Estrada, Jim Ableman and Orville Anderson.

GAA Hosts Playnight For the Benefit of All Members to Take Part

(From the Nyssa High Bulldog)

Playnights sponsored by the GAA have attracted many members to participate in this event that is held twice monthly.

During the playnights the girls have the opportunity to play basketball, tumble or work out on the trampoline.

Miss Joleen Reece, GAA adviser, stated that other SRV schools in the area will be invited to attend this playnight once a month. Miss Reece also said that participation was really good, but that there is always

The Bulldogs were making a contest out of it Friday evening. They led at the end of the first quarter and again at the beginning of the fourth period. Halfway through the last quarter the Savages tied the score at 42-44 and closed it out at 50-47.

Saturday the Bulldogs participated in a battle for the cellar position in the Snake River A league. Nyssa took the bottom position by losing a close one to Vallivue. Final score was 62-55.

Vallivue Scores 20 Points

After outscoring the Vallivue lads in the first and second periods, the Bulldogs opened the gate in the third quarter, allowing their opponents 20 points while picking up only eight counters. The score at this point was 43-35 in favor of the Falcons.

Coach Chick Quinowski's lads came back in the fourth quarter to gain one point but it was far short of the points needed to win the contest.

Jack Bowen's junior varsity did not play Friday night due to the fact that Enterprise brought their wrestling team instead of the junior varsity. Saturday night at Vallivue, however, Coach Bowen's boys picked up another victory by downing the Falcon JVs by a 52-43 tally. Almost all the lads got into the scoring act, but Terry Olt led the pack with 23 points.

Bulldogs Play Good Games

This completes the first round of play for all teams in the Snake River Valley conference. The Bulldogs have played some fine games but they have all been on the short end of the score.

So far, team and coach are in there trying to pull something out of the fire. If followers of the Bulldogs are discouraged, we should pretty well realize how the lads on the team feel.

If they were a ratty bunch of poor trainers and indifferent to whether they played good ball or not, it would be easy to run them down, but these kids are working. To the best of our knowledge, they are trying to keep fit and are deserving of the support the townspeople and student body have been giving them.

On Friday, Jan. 24, the Ontario Tigers will challenge the Bulldogs on the Nyssa court.

Nyssa Junior High Lads Share Honors With Weiser Squads

Weiser junior high brought seventh and eighth grade basketball teams to Nyssa last Friday. Coach Dan Martin's eighth graders defeated the Weiserites by a 27-14 score, but Jim Skeen's seventh grade squad lost a hard-fought game by a score of 26-21.

The local eighth graders won in a decisive manner, completely outclassing the Idaho lads and Coach Martin cleared the bench to give all his boys a showing. Frank Rambaud picked up 9 points; Scott Jefferies, 5; Dan Wilson and Craig Talbot, 4 each; Darr Jensen, 3; Gary Berg, 2.

Reid Saito, Billy Kouns, Fred Schilling, Larry Shaw, Clinton Robbins, Ken Brown, Russell Myrick, Larry McArdle and Jerry Anderson all saw action.

For the seventh graders, Stanley Palmer made 11 points; Jim Beck and Steve Moss, 4 each; Larry Wilson, 2. Don Soderstrom and Joe Sifuentes also saw action.

Nyssa's junior high hoopsters travel to Vale Friday for a very crucial game at 1 o'clock in the afternoon.

room for more girls. She also wishes that all GAA members would take part.

NYSSA HIGH SCHOOL CALENDAR OF EVENTS

Tonight — Wrestling, Payette here.

Jan. 24 — Basketball, Ontario here.

Jan. 24 — Wrestling, Burns at Burns.

Jan. 25 — Basketball, Emmett here.

TAP benefit dance in community hall following game.

Jan. 27, 11 a.m.—Industrial accident program on artificial respiration.

Jan. 27, 7 p.m.—SRV school-masters meeting in Ontario.

Jan. 27, 7 p.m.—GAA meeting.

Jan. 27—Sophomore class party.

Jan. 28 — FFA farmer interviews at Ontario (all day).

Jan. 28, 7:30 p.m. — Tri-Hi-Y meeting.

Wrestling Schedule

Jan. 24—Nyssa at Burns, 7 p.m.

Jan. 30—Boise at Nyssa, 7:30 p.m.

Feb. 4—Nyssa at Adrian, 7 p.m.

Feb. 11—Nyssa at Vale, 7 p.m.

Feb. 15—Burns at Nyssa, 7 p.m.

Jan. 30, 11 a.m.—FFA district speaking and parliamentary contest.

Jan. 30, 7 p.m. — Wrestling, Boise here.

Jan. 31—Basketball, Meridian here.

Feb. 1—Basketball, Vale there.

Feb. 1—Wrestling, Enterprise there.

Butcher Sinks Second Hole-in-One Golf Shot

Another hole-in-one shot was big news appearing on a small post card mailed recently from Phoenix by Lynn Butcher and received by his brother, Dick of Nyssa.

Butcher sank his tee shot on the 187-yard eighth hole on the Papago Links in the Arizona city.

This is his second as on July 27, 1960, he aced the 148-yard number nine hole on the Ontario golf course.

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GUESTS IN ELDREDGE HOME

Mrs. Bill Regan and Mrs. Dan Griffin of Menlo Park, Calif., Paul and Stan Sargent of McPherson, Kan., were Monday evening dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. Tom Eldredge.

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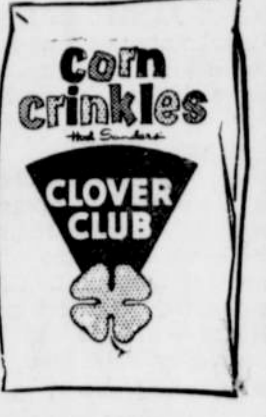
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