



## A fistful of jersey

*Homedale High School sophomore linebacker Daniel Valadez snags the jersey of of Parma quarterback Franky Olmos for a sack during first-half action Friday night at Deward Bell Stadium. Photo by Gregg Garrett.*

# Homedale Jug-geronaut bottles up rival Parma

Homedale High School's football team cashed in Friday night for a sweet victory against rival Parma.

The Trojans scored twice on both sides of the ball at Deward Bell Stadium to pummel the 2A Panthers 28-0 and win the annual battle for the Milk Jug. Parma fell to 2-1.

"It's been frustrating because the kids haven't had any rewards for their hard work and talent," Homedale coach Thomas Thomas said.

The payoff came Friday night when the Trojans (1-1 overall) scored three touchdowns in the third quarter.

And everyone got in on the act.

After Ryan Johnson scored

on a 1-yard plunge for a 14-0 lead, linebacker Jared Brackett recovered a Parma fumble in the end zone for another touchdown.

Kyle Carson rumbled 16 yards to pay dirt after scooping up a blocked punt to cap the scoring.

"Once our kids started having success they just built upon it," Thomas said. "It was like a frenzy, and they started flying around even more."

The swarm started late in the first half, which caused some concern for Thomas. The game was scoreless until Garrett Sweet hauled in his third touchdown reception of the season.

Tyler Christofferson, who seems to establishing himself as the Trojans' quarterback, lofted a 32-yard fade pass to Sweet to get

the Trojans on the board.

"I was just a frustrating first half because we controlled the ball, but couldn't punch it in," Thomas said.

"On offense, we have to have the ability to finish drives."

On defense, the Trojans were successful stuffing Parma's attempts. Linebackers Christofferson and Jeremy Ensley helped contain the Panthers' running game to just 57 yards on 40 carries. Homedale also forced seven fumbles, three of which were recovered by the Trojans.

"I knew we had the ability to do it," Thomas said of the Homedale defensive performance.

The Trojans play host to New Plymouth (0-2) on Friday night for Homedale's homecoming game.

# Trojans grab big soccer win over Payette boys

Andres Vasquez scored on a well-executed corner kick in the second half Saturday to lift Homedale High School's boys soccer team to its first victory of the season Saturday in Payette.

"This victory means a lot to the team since this is the first time we have defeated Payette," Homedale coach David Correia said in a press release.

Vasquez's clutch goal and 12 saves by goalie Uriel Ozuna sparked the Trojans' 2-1 3A Snake River Valley conference win over Payette.

"Andres Vasquez's positioning and timing were perfect to simply push the ball into the goal," Homedale coach David Correia said in a release.

The visiting Trojans (1-2 overall, 1-1 3A SRV) gave Payette a 1-0 lead in the first half with an own goal. The ball bounced around in the Homedale zone before banging off a Trojan defender and into the net.

A few minutes later, Armando Escutia boomed a 40-yard kick past the Payette goalkeeper to tie the game.

"I saw various moments of great soccer," Correia said. "This indicates that the team is evolving. I'm sure the team will be more consistent as the season progresses."

The Trojans played host to Payette on Tuesday. Results

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# Boise rules Snake River cross country invitational

## Trojans runners improve times

After playing host to a big meet, the Homedale High School cross country team has set small goals for the season.

"We're just going to focus on going after certain individuals," first-year coach Nick Schamber said after the Trojans' Snake River Invitational last week.

"We're going to set where we need to be for that race and find kids from other schools at that pace, so (Homedale runners) know who to target and go after."

There were plenty of indi-

viduals from which to chose for the fledgling program during its own Snake River Invitational, which attracted 15 schools from the Treasure Valley and Oregon. Among the schools were 5A teams like Boise and Timberline.

"There are school here that are way out of our league," Homedale freshman Tyler Gibson said. Gibson finished the race in 18 minutes, 58 seconds.

Schamber attributed the impressive turnout to the cancellation of a meet that usually attracts 5A schools and high fuel prices. Some valley high schools would

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# Fast-starting Adrian sprints by Harper-Huntington

When a team's starting quarterback is on the sidelines with an injury, the last thing you'd expect is for the remaining players to roll up 54 points and more than 400 yards offense.

But Adrian High School, sans senior Logan Branstiter, dominated its non-conference eight-man football game against visiting Harper-Huntington on Friday night. The Antelopes used defense to set up an early score and ramblod to a 54-14 victory.

"I think we executed really well, especially in the first quarter," Adrian coach Gene Mills said.

Adrian (2-0) scored 26 points

**Adrian  
54  
H-H  
14**

*Brett Buchholz scored on runs of 4 and 44 yards to power the Antelopes to a 2-0 start.*

in the first quarter at Ward Field on Friday night, capping a 24-minute span over two games in which the Antelopes tallied 56 points.

And this all comes with Branstiter standing around with a clipboard and two fingers on his left (non-throwing) hand wrapped in a splint. The 6-foot-3, 190-pound quarterback hurt his hand while inner-tubing on Lake Owyhee last month, and he has been shut

down until the Cove game on Sept. 23, Mills said.

Sophomore Aaron Langley and junior Kade Thomas split the signal-calling duties against Harper-Huntington (0-2), but the offense had easy pickings early on because of a fierce Antelope defense led by junior Joseph Witty and a poor decision by Harper-Huntington's James Stacy.

Stacy touched the opening kickoff and let it roll out of bounds on the 5-yard line. Three plays later, Witty pounced on Stacy's fumble to set up the Antelopes on Harper-Huntington

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## Turnover

*Adrian defenders Kade Thomas (26) and Harley Gordon (52) scramble for the ball after Harper-Huntington's James Stacy fumbled on the third play of the game Friday at Ward Field.*



Sports

Battle for position

Homedale High School junior Scott Thatcher, right, moves ahead of Meridian's Joey Hewitt as the pair nears the end of the Snake River Invitational cross country race Thursday in Homedale.



Invite

have made the trip for meets in North Idaho last week if not for the rising cost of diesel.

"We were basically the only show in town," Schamber said. "There was one meet in Coeur d'Alene and one in Soda Springs, but with the price of gas, I think it's going to be more common to see teams staying closer to home."

Boise dominated the meet, winning both the boys and girls varsity runs. Anne Lovelace, a sophomore, ran away and hid from the rest of the field in the girls varsity race.

"I liked the finish because I was in first," she said with a smile. "It was nice to come in on the straightaway of the track."

Because of what Schamber called problems with the Global Positioning System used to map the course, Thursday's layout was about two-tenths of a mile shorter than the regulation 3.1 miles. Lovelace finished the race in 17:58, 30 seconds ahead of second-place Amanda Palmer of Weiser.

The course began on the athletic track at Deward Bell Stadium and then looped around the perimeter of Nolan Taggart Park before heading out to Riverside Park and passing in front of Homedale High School. The runners finished back at Nolan Taggart after taking one final jaunt around the Bell track.

"It think it was good," Lovelace said of the course. "It felt a little short, but it was a good mix of cement, track and a little uphill."

Boise's powerhouse team didn't seem to mind the layout at all in sweeping both team championships. All five Boise girls finished in the top 15. On the boys side, Bryant Denson edged teammate Nick Bolinder by six-tenths of a second for the victory, and the Braves picked up the top four spots in the race. They also had

six runners in the top seven.

"They had an almost perfect score," Schamber said of the boys' 16 points. "They're quite an impressive group."

"Dave Mills has been there for quite a while and has built a good program."

And building a program is what Schamber is attempting to do at Homedale. He didn't have any girls in the varsity race because Chelsea Hicks and Belen Vega were playing for the Trojans' girls soccer team against Middleton.

But there was a full complement of Homedale boys running in the varsity meet.

"With these kids being in their first year, I think we would have more success if we ran them junior varsity, but I don't have enough kids to do that," Schamber said.

"I think they're just going to get better as the year progresses. I can see it in their times."

None of the athletes on Homedale's roster has run cross country before. Some have a limited background in track and field.

Scott Thatcher, a junior who ran track in the spring, finished in 18:44, the 36<sup>th</sup>-fastest time in a field of 71 despite the hot conditions — and not limbering up before the race.

"Not stretching helped me," Thatcher said, surprisingly not looking over his shoulder to see if his coach was listening. "I think I was (close to) 18:30 and my last time was 19:56."

The Trojans' next chance to build on their times comes Thursday against Weiser at Rolling Hills Golf Course. Yes, there are a lot of hills on the course.

"I think we need to work on some things," Schamber said. "I think Scott and Tyler are about where I want them to be. I'd like to see them take a minute off their times before season's end."

— JB

Snake River layout gives glimpse of sport's future

Boise High School athlete Anne Lovelace said she enjoyed the fact that the Snake River Invitational meet finished at Deward Bell Stadium last week in Homedale.

Homedale cross country coach Nick Schamber sees such a finish as the wave of the future for his sport.

"You always hope that parents can come out and watch the kids," Schamber said. "I'm seeing cross country, especially in this state, becoming more and more popular and more of a spectator sport."

But with a 3.1-mile course covering hills, streets and everything in between, cross country is not a spectator-friendly sport.

"One of the drawbacks is you

see (the athletes) take off and see them finish, but you don't see much in between," Schamber said.

A layout like the one utilized last week for the Snake River could change that, though.

The race was run along streets in Homedale and began and finished inside Nolan Taggart Park, which is adjacent to the Homedale High School football field. There were plenty of bleachers for spectators, but most fans and coaches and teammates milled



Nick Schamber

around the park's grounds waiting for the athletes to re-enter the area.

Homedale's athletes seemed to enjoy having a home meet.

"There was more pressure running at home, which is a great thing for me," freshman Tyler Gibson said.

Still, there were plenty of vantage points on the course — be it on Owyhee Avenue or along Riverside Avenue into Riverside Park or along the perimeter of the high school.

"This was a course that was designed before," Schamber said. "I changed it a little to make it a little more spectator-friendly."

— JB

Trojan Fall Sports

FOOTBALL

Varsity — Friday, Sept. 16, home vs. New Plymouth (homecoming), 7 p.m.  
Junior varsity — Thursday, Sept. 15 at New Plymouth, 7 p.m.

VOLLEYBALL

Varsity — Thursday, Sept. 15, home tri-meet vs. Middleton and Parma, 7 p.m.  
Varsity — Saturday, Sept. 17 at Fruitland Tournament, 8 a.m.  
Varsity — Tuesday, Sept. 20, home vs. McCall-Donnelly, 7 p.m.  
JV Games are 1 Hour before Varsity Games Excluding Tournaments

CROSS COUNTRY

Thursday, Sept. 15 at Weiser, Rolling Hills Golf Course, 4 p.m.  
Tuesday, Sept. 20 at Middleton, Purple Sage Golf Course, Caldwell, 4:15 p.m.

SOCCER

Boys soccer  
Monday, Sept. 19, home vs. McCall-Donnelly, 5:30 p.m.  
Tuesday, Sept. 20 at Fruitland, 5 p.m.  
Girls soccer  
Monday, Sept. 19, home vs. McCall-Donnelly, 4 p.m.  
Tuesday, Sept. 20, home vs. Fruitland, 5 p.m.

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PREP FOOTBALL LEADERS

Homedale offense							
Passing	Comp.	Att.	Int.	Pct.	Yards	YPG	TDs
Christofferson	8	17	3	.471	119	59.5	3
Krzesnik	3	12	3	.250	45	22.5	0
Totals	11	29	6	.379	164	82.0	3
Homedale defense							
Rushing	G	Att.	Yards	YPC	YPG	TDs	
R. Johnson	2	35	195	5.6	97.5	1	
Carson	2	35	111	3.2	55.5	1	
Christofferson	2	17	45	2.6	22.5	0	
Ensley	1	2	7	3.5	7.0	0	
Lootens	2	4	6	1.5	3.0	0	
Krzesnik	1	1	-9	-9.0	-9.0	0	
Totals	2	94	355	3.8	177.5	2	
Receiving	G	Rec.	Yards	YPR	YPG	TDs	
Sweet	2	5	95	19.0	47.5	3	
Lootens	2	3	54	18.0	27.0	0	
Carson	1	1	10	10.0	10.0	0	
Wass	1	1	6	6.0	6.0	0	
R. Johnson	1	1	-1	-1.0	-1.0	0	
Totals	2	11	164	14.9	82.0	3	
Scoring	G	TD	FG	PAT	2-PAT	Total	Avg.
Sweet	2	3	0	0	0	18	9.0
Carson	2	2	0	0	1	14	7.0
R. Johnson	1	1	0	4	0	10	10.0
Brockett	1	1	0	0	0	6	6.0
Totals	2	7	0	4	1	48	24.0

Marsing offense							
Passing	Comp.	Att.	Int.	Pct.	Yards	YPG	TDs
Quebrado	10	26	2	.385	234	117.0	3
B. Smith	0	4	1	.000	0	0.0	0
Totals	10	30	3	.300	234	117.0	3
Marsing defense							
Rushing	G	Att.	Yards	YPC	YPG	TDs	
Gibson	2	51	267	.2	133.5	1	
Sauer	2	13	33	2.5	16.5	0	
Price	2	14	17	1.2	8.5	0	
McClellin	1	2	17	8.5	17.0	0	
Mantujano	1	1	1	1.0	1.0	0	
B. Smith	1	1	-6	-6.0	-6.0	0	
Quebrado	2	15	-36	-2.4	-18.0	0	
Totals	2	97	293	3.0	146.5	1	
Receiving	G	Rec.	Yards	YPR	YPG	TDs	
McClellin	2	7	170	24.3	85.0	2	
Price	2	2	52	26.0	26.0	1	
Covey	1	1	12	12.0	12.0	0	
Totals	2	10	234	23.4	117.0	3	
Scoring	G	TD	FG	PAT	2-PAT	Total	Avg.
McClellin	2	2	0	0	0	12	6.0
Price	2	1	0	0	1	8	4.0
Gibson	2	1	0	0	0	6	3.0
Totals	2	4	0	0	1	26	13.0

Rimrock offense							
Passing	Comp.	Att.	Int.	Pct.	Yards	YPG	TDs
Hofer	6	15	1	.400	89	44.5	0
Totals	6	15	1	.400	89	44.5	0
Rimrock defense							
Rushing	G	Att.	Yards	YPC	YPG	TDs	
Aquiso	2	41	209	5.1	104.5	1	
Hofer	2	35	138	4.1	69.0	2	
C. Hipwell	2	14	60	4.3	30.0	0	
Snyder	1	6	5	0.8	5.0	1	
Totals	2	96	412	4.3	206.0	4	
Receiving	G	Rec.	Yards	YPR	YPG	TDs	
Aquiso	1	4	60	15.0	60.0	0	
Richardson	1	1	20	20.0	20.0	0	
Welsh	1	1	9	9.0	9.0	0	
Totals	1	6	89	14.8	44.5	0	
Scoring	G	TD	FG	PAT	2-PAT	Total	Avg.
Hofer	2	2	0	0	0	12	6.0
Welsh	2	1	0	0	1	8	4.0
Aquiso	2	1	0	0	2	10	5.0
Totals	2	4	0	0	3	30	15.0

PREP STANDINGS

Football					
3A SRV	Conf.		All		
	W	L	W	L	
Fruitland	0	0	3	0	
Payette	0	0	2	1	
Homedale	0	0	1	1	
Weiser	0	0	2	0	
McCall	0	0	1	2	
Middleton	0	0	1	2	
This week's games (All played Friday, 7 p.m.)					
New Plymouth at Homedale					
Fruitland at Ontario, Ore.					
Nampa Christian at McCall-Donnelly					
Parma at Payette					
Weiser at LaGrande, Ore.					
Last week's scores					
Homedale 28, Parma 0					
Emmett 25, Middleton 22					
Fruitland 41, Filer 7					
Payette 18, Gooding 12 (OT)					
Weiser 32, Vale, Ore. 8					
Kamiah 12, McCall-Donnelly 6					

2A WIC	Conf.		All		
	W	L	W	L	
Nampa Chr.	0	0	2	0	
Parma	0	0	2	1	
Melba	0	0	1	1	
New Plymouth	0	0	0	2	
Marsing	0	0	1	2	

This week's games (All played Friday, 7 p.m.)					
Glenns Ferry at Marsing					
Melba at Wendell					
Nampa Christian at McCall-Donnelly					
New Plymouth at Homedale					
Parma at Payette					
Last week's scores					
Marsing 44, Valley 28					
Homedale 28, Parma 0					
Glenns Ferry 39, Melba 20					

1A, Div. I	Conf.		All		
	W	L	W	L	
Cascade	0	0	2	1	
Council	0	0	1	1	
Garden Valley	0	0	2	0	
Idaho City	0	0	1	2	
Rimrock	0	0	0	3	
Tri-Valley	0	0	0	3	

This week's games (7 p.m., Friday)					
Owyhee, Nev., at Rimrock					
Wells, Nev., at Idaho City					
(Saturday)					
Tri-Valley at Pine Eagle, Ore.					
Garden Valley vs. Cole Valley, 2 p.m.					
Council vs. Genessee, in Riggins, 7 p.m.					

Last week's scores					
Cole Valley 33, Rimrock 6					
Notus 26, Idaho City 18					
Cascade 38, Wilder 16					
Council 34, Powder Valley, Ore. 6					
Garden Valley 46, Horseshoe Bend 14					
Joseph, Ore. 56, Tri-Valley 0					

PREP RESULTS

Cross country					
Snake River Invitational (Thursday in Homedale)					
Varsity boys					
Team — 1. Boise, 16; 2.					

Vallivue, 60; 3.Timberline, 169; 4. Meridian, 204; 5. Payette, 213; 6. Vale, Ore., 216; 6. Weiser, 222; 7. (tie) Greenleaf Friends Academy, 250; Horseshoe Bend, 250; 9. Melba, 261; 10. Homedale, 286

Individual — 1. Bryant Denson, Boise, 15 minutes, 25 seconds; 2. Nick Bolinder, Boise, 15:25.62; 3. John Mering, Boise, 15:34; 4. Geoffrey Williams, Boise, 15:37; 5. Weston Carmichael, Vale, 15:43; 6. Erik Montgomery, Boise, 15:44; 7. Royce Hyland, Boise, 15:56; 8. Tevin Gilbert, Val, 16:20; 9. Kyle Sauer, Val, 16:30; 10. Tyler Silveria, Val, 16:45

Homedale — 36. Scott Thatcher, 18:44; 42. Tyler Gibson, 18:58; 68. Matt Borschwa, 24:43; 69. Troy Christensen, 24:47; 71. Levi Jones, 30:28

Varsity girls					
Team — 1. Boise, 34; 2. Weiser, 48; 3. Vale, 119; 4. Payette, 167					
Individual — 1. Anne Love-lace, Boise, 17:58; 2. Amanda Palmer, Wei, 18:28; 3. Ashley Allcorn, Meridian, 19:28; 4. Sarah Olson, Boise, 19:34; 5. Lisa Stewart, Vallivue, 19:36; 6. Jaime VanLith, Val, 19:36.63; 7. Jessica Lanser, Boise, 19:42; 8. Layna Oyervides, Wei, 19:48; 9. Becca Wiggins, Wei, 20:06; 10. Fiona Wilhelm, Boise, 20:07					

Football					
Adrian 54,					
Harper-Huntington 14					
Harp.-Hunt. 0 6 0 8 — 14					
Adrian 26 8 0 20 — 54					
First quarter					

Adr — Langley 3 run (Sakulsupji pass from Thomas), 2:20					
Adr — Safety, Stacy steps out of end zone, 4:49					
Adr — Buchholz 44 run (Buchholz run), 5:13					
Adr — Buchholz 5 run (Witty pass from Thomas), 9:50					
Second quarter					
H-H — Stacy 16 run (run failed), 4:43					
Adr — Rogers 1 run (Langley run), 8:05					
Fourth quarter					
Adr — Almeida 13 run (pass failed), 3:59					
H-H — Casiano 90 kickoff return (Stacy run), 4:14					
Adr — Witty 68 pass from Langley (run failed), 5:23					
Adr — Langley 25 run (Phillips run), 11:07					
Team statistics					

	H-H	Adr
First downs	10	16
Rushes-yards	45-62	42-267
Passing yards	31	134
Passing	4-7-0	4-6-0
Total yards	93	401
Punts-Avg.	4-29.0	1-30.0
Penalties	6-38	9-50
Fumbles-lost	4-1	2-0

Individual statistics					
Rushing — H-H: Stacy 25-85, King 12-minus 24, Lawrence 4-minus 2, Casiano 3-6, Weatherby 1-minus 3. Adr: Rios 10-57, Langley 4-33, Buchholz 8-85, Thomas 1-8, Schumacher 2-19,					

Almeida 2-20, Jones 1-0, Rogers 5-14, Dondero 3-10, Meyer 2-2, Ishida 1-minus 5, Phillips 3-24

Passing — H-H: King 4-7-0 31. Adr: Thomas 2-3-0 41, Langley 2-2-0 93, Ishida 0-1-0 0.

Receiving — H-H: Lawrence 1-10, Bronson 1-12, Stacy 2-9. Adr: Witty 2-93, Schumacher 2-41

Junior varsity score — Harper-Huntington 8, Adrian 8

<b>Homedale 28, Parma 0</b>					
<b>Parma</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>— 0</b>
<b>Homedale</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>721</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>—</b>	<b>28</b>
<b>Second quarter</b>					
Hom — Sweet 32 pass from Christofferson (R. Johnson kick)					
<b>Third quarter</b>					
Hom — R. Johnson 1 run (R. Johnson kick)					
Hom — Brockett fumble recovery in end zone (R. Johnson kick)					
Hom — Carson 16 blocked punt return (R. Johnson kick)					



# Trojans modify McCall soccer dates

## SRV leaders ponder other proposals from Homedale brass

The rise in fuel prices isn't expected to slow anytime soon, so the Homedale High School brass has taken steps to curb the hit to the school's athletic pocketbook.

Principal Mike Williams and athletic director Dave Hart attended the monthly Snake River Valley conference meeting last Wednesday and made some headway to lessen the impact of rising transportation costs on the school's budget.

"We did some swaps, and some other schools weren't interested at this time but would explore it down the road," Williams said of the "mixed results" his proposals met at the meeting in Fruitland.

A minor step was revamping the soccer schedule. The Trojans boys and girls team now will play a home-and-away doubleheader with McCall-Donnelly this season. Both the boys and girls teams will play Monday at Sundance Park in Homedale. The girls game begins at 4 p.m., and the boys game will follow at 5:30 p.m. The game originally was scheduled for Thursday, but was moved, giving the Trojans

soccer teams three games in the span of four days next week.

All four teams will congregate in McCall on Oct. 4 for another doubleheader, with the boys playing at 5:30 p.m. and the girls playing at 7 p.m.

The modifications mean only one bus from the Homedale motor pool will be used for one trip to McCall, instead of one bus making two trips to McCall.

"The only thing about is that we have to down to a traveling squad to get all the kids on the bus," Williams said.

The proposal to create varsity-junior varsity football doubleheaders on a Friday night rather than dispatching a bus to a JV game the night before a home varsity game also was presented by Homedale at the SRV meeting.

"I think it was received well," Williams said. "We did this with Weiser a few years ago, I think, and it went quite well. But that was also something to think about for next year."

The logistics of a football doubleheader on a Friday will take some time to work out, Williams said.

"The reason it hasn't been approached before by a school of our size has been that we would suit down junior varsity players again for the varsity game," Williams said.

State rules limit the number of quarters an athlete can play in a given week and night, and schools with small rosters would have a difficult time staying in the parameters of the regulations.

"We'd perhaps make an appeal to that rule," Williams said of any move to be made in time for the 2006 season. "I think the would be a legitimate request with fuel costs."

Other issues that would need to be addressed include rounding up enough officials for two games in one night or finding a refereeing crew that would be willing to work double duty.

Williams said there would be better gate receipts from a doubleheader, but there would have to be an adjustment in compensation for ticket-takers.

"But we would save a bus and another school night out," Williams said. "The kids aren't gone on a Thursday night, and playing on a Friday they have all weekend to recover."

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## ✓ Soccer

weren't available at press time.

The next game for Homedale comes at 5:30 p.m. Monday at Sundance Park against McCall-Donnelly.

Middleton 5, Homedale 1

The Vikings broke through 30 minutes into the game to ignite a three-goal first half that powered them to an SRV season-opening win over the Trojans.



"The game was very *Cory Uria* physical,"

Correia said. "Both teams were trying to gain control of the midfield, therefore, the game tested the endurance of all players."

Homedale had two shots clang off the crossbar in the first half as the Trojans continued to attack.

Cory Uria scored in the second half for Homedale, but Middleton added two goals.

"Fatigue and a couple of unlucky plays were factors in Middleton's other two goals," Correia said.

Uriel Ozuna recorded eight saves in goal for the Trojans, while Ulysses Vargas corralled five shots by the Vikings.

### Girls

Middleton 6, Homedale 0

The Trojans opened the SRV season with a loss, but made progress as a program. Homedale fired a school-record eight shots on goal, and the Vikings turned away a penalty shot.

Michelle Ovieda was the goalie in the first half for the Trojans against a powerhouse Middleton team that was playing its fifth game of the season and is in the midst of an ambitious 19-game schedule in preparation to move up to the 4A ranks, according to Homedale coach Lesa Folwell.

"The only time you really know what you needed to work on and how you work as a team is when you play someone else," Folwell said.

"We have already discussed and worked on some of our weaknesses."

Daisy Prado was in the net for the second half for Homedale. Middleton scored three goals in each stanza.

The Trojans played a road game in Payette on Tuesday.

The next game for Folwell's squad comes Monday against McCall-Donnelly.

# HMS football, volleyball teams ready to start their seasons

The Homedale Middle School volleyball teams began the 2005 season with mixed results Thursday in Fruitland.

The seventh-grade A and B teams swept the Grizzlies in two games, while the eighth-grade teams both lost in three-game matches. In one game, a determined Homedale B team extended Fruitland to 30 points before losing.

The eighth-graders played in Middleton on Tuesday. Brenda Reay coaches the eighth-graders,

while Wayne Skeen coaches the seventh-graders.

The next matches for both teams come Monday against Ontario. The eighth-graders are in Oregon for a 4:15 p.m. start, while the seventh-graders play at home beginning at 4:15 p.m.

Middle school athletic director Luci Asumendi-Mereness said that the seventh-grade volleyball team and the eighth-grade football team will take the same bus on Sept. 20 and Oct. 11 in an ef-

fort to save fuel. The football team visits Wesier next Tuesday, while they'll challenge Fruitland on Oct. 11.

The seventh-grade volleyball team faces Ontario in Oregon on Oct. 11.

Football teams ready to go

Homedale Middle School's eighth-grade football team, coached by Dave Hann, is facing a player shortage this season. Four players from the 2004 sev-

enth-grade squad decided not to play this season and five others have left the team. The team began its season Tuesday at home with a game against Ontario.

"While it is disheartening to the remaining 13 kids, they are still excited about their upcoming season opener," Asumendi-Mereness said in a release, referring to the low numbers.

The athletic director said Hann is looking for an assistant coach, too.

The seventh-grade football team has 16 players ready to go for coach Doug Anders. The club started its season on the road against Ontario on Wednesday.

"They are small but mighty and should be fun to watch this season," Asumendi-Mereness said in the release.

The seventh-graders face Weiser at home at 4:15 p.m. next Tuesday. The next home game for the eighth-graders is Oct. 4 against McCall.

## ✓ Adrian

5-yard line.

Langley scored the game's first touchdown on a 2-yard sweep.

Four plays later, with his team deep in its own end again, Stacy stepped out of the back of the end zone for a safety while trying to control a bad snap on a punt.

Adrian senior Brett Buchholz returned the ensuing kickoff into Harper-Huntington territory then streaked 44 yards on the subsequent play from scrimmage for a touchdown that gave the Antelopes a 18-0 lead just 5 minutes, 13 seconds into the game.

"Our experience showed," Mills said. "We have 20 juniors and seniors. We should be OK."

One of those seniors is linebacker Robby Phillips, who teamed with Witty to deliver some hard hits and help hold Harper-Huntington to 93 yards total offense, including just one

yard in the team's first three possessions.

Phillips and the rest of Adrian defense seemed to enjoy the smell of blood in the water.

"Robby Phillips did a good job at linebacker," Mills said. "He missed last year with an injury. He's eager to play, and he's playing well."

When Harper-Huntington started another drive in the shadow of its own goalposts, Phillips was the lead shark. On three successive plays, Phillips had tackles that resulted in a net loss of four yards. He stuffed Levi Lawrence for a 3-yard loss on a first down from the 15; he popped Stacy at the line for no gain; and he stuck Stacy again for a 1-yard loss after the senior running back had accepted a screen pass from King.

To top that stand off, Harley Gordon and Chris Schumacher dumped Stacy for a 7-yard loss when he tried to fake a punt from

his 11-yard line.

"We came out aggressive on defense," Mills said. "We had some good hits and did a good job."

Witty let it be known that the Adrian defense was going for the jugular on Harper-Huntington's third series of the game. He smacked Harper-Huntington quarterback Matt King with a superb open-field tackle on second down. Lawrence Shenk, a 5-10, 240-pound senior defensive lineman, then corralled Lawrence for no gain to set up a three-downs-and-out situation for Harper-Huntington.

Shenk injured his knee on Harper-Huntington's next drive and was transported by ambulance to the hospital. Mills said Shenk suffered a possible cracked knee cap.

"He could be back, we just don't know yet," Mills said Sunday night. "It's real unfortunate for him because he just loves

football and he lives for it. It's tough."

Witty had two more tackles on that possession, but Harper-Huntington managed to score on Stacy's 16-yard scamper off a misdirection play.

Adrian's domination was two plays shy of perfect.

Harper-Huntington's only scores came on Stacy's run and a 90-yard kickoff return by freshman Steven Casiano after Adrian had taken a 40-6 lead on Frankie Almeida's 13-yard fourth-quarter run.

In the end, though, Harper-Huntington couldn't hang with Adrian's depth. Twelve players ran the ball for a total of 267 yards Friday, and five different players scored touchdowns.

"We have a lot of kids who can play," Mills said. "We basically have two varsity teams, and there's good competition."

— JB

## Homedale fans ready to bowl

The Homedale Fan Club hammered out some details for its events in October at a meeting last Wednesday.

The club will play host to a bowling night at Owyhee Lanes and Restaurant after Homedale High School's Sept. 30 football game against McCall-Donnelly. The bowling night is open to high school students for \$2. The club will supply food and drink.

The club will stage a fundraising scramble golf tournament Oct. 8 at River Bend Golf Course in Wilder.

For more information on the golf tournament or the fan club, call the organization's president, Darren Krzesnik, at 573-4993.

The next meeting for the booster club is at 7 p.m. Sept. 28 inside the Homedale High cafeteria.



# Looking back...

*from the files of The Owyhee Avalanche and Owyhee Chronicle*

## 50 years ago

September 15, 1955

### Homedale Trojans travel to Adrian seeking to overcome 11-year jinx

Homedale high school football team will lead off Friday afternoon at Adrian in their first game of the 1955 Snake river valley “B” league conference.

Coach Deward Bell says the boys looked good in practice Wednesday night and feels they have a fair chance of breaking the jinx which Adrian holds over the Trojans with 11 years of victories.

At the Jamboree in Parma Saturday night the boys drew the host team which has already played a game and was over the beginners jitters, but Bell reports they held their own very well considering the odds, and neither team scored in the quarter of play.

Reducing lettermen to a low seven, several of the boys with greater experience are laid up with injuries at this time.

Don Sweep, a three year letterman tackle of 190 pounds was lost to the squad when he was involved in a motorcycle accident shortly before school started.

Out with a cut foot is 165 pound letterman tackle Aaron Bright. Lynn Taggart, back, sustained a knee injury at the jamboree which put him out of playing condition for a few games.

Also unable to play are Lyle Taggart a first year man with a sprained ankle and Don Kushlan freshman guard is nursing a broken ankle.

In addition, halfback Vic Landa, 135 pounds, hasn’t yet returned from Spain where he has been visiting the past two months.

### Named to state advisory council

Two Homedale people have been appointed by Gov. Robert E. Smylie to a state advisory council on Disaster Relief and Civil Defense, the Chronicle learned this week.

Named to the group are Mrs. Iola Potter and James C. Hayes.

### Joe Eiguren says labor camp busy

Joe Eiguren, manager of the Homedale labor camp reports that the camp workers are busy in the harvest of potatoes, prunes, peaches and onions.

One group of six left the camp Tuesday to work in the potatoes at Blackfoot and Mr. Eiguren said others would start moving out after September 25.

### News about town

Mrs. Marjorie Vance returned Thursday, September 1, from Jacksonville, Fla., where she attended the funeral services of her brother Sam M. Turnage, Saturday, August 27. En route home she visited with her niece Mrs. C. W. Burroughs at Vicksburg, Miss. Mrs. Floyd Gossard substituted at the labor camp while she was gone.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Seda attended a wedding and reception of Donna Stimmel and Frank Haylett Sunday afternoon and then drove up to Caldwell where they visited with Mr. and Mrs. Abe Barberis.

Pfc. Leonard Kilsky left Caldwell by plane Friday and arrived at the Panama canal zone Saturday. He is stationed at a jungle post near Panama.

Mrs. Cleve Adams of Burley who visited last week with her mother, Mrs. Martha Mortensen left Sunday night with her son in law and daughter Mr. and Mrs. Robert Pollard and daughter of Kimberley who came Saturday to attend the wedding of Donna Stimmel and Frank Haylett.

Guests at the James Fackrell home over Labor day week end were their sons Charles and Frank and Mrs. Frank Fackrell and their daughter Mrs. Leonard Waller, baby daughter and four sons, all of Sutherlin, Ore.

Mr. and Mrs. Paul Forey of Stanfield, Ore., and son in law and daughter Mr. and Mrs. Nolan Christenson of Rexbury visited relatives here over Labor day week end. Among those visited were Mr. an Mrs. Harold Baker.

## 138 years ago

September 14, 1867

ORO FINO. This week we made a brief visit to the Oro Fino in company with Mr. Cage, the Superintendent, who acted as guide while we traversed the labyrinths of the mine. We bade adieu to the light of day and went down, down, in the darkness until we arrived where numerous candles were lighted and many strong armed miners were taking out the shining ore. The ledge becomes wider and better as it increases in depth. At present it varies from four to seven feet in width, and richer ore than was ever before known in the mine is being taken out. The almost perpendicular casings consist of smooth granite that have a very neat appearance, where the quartz is taken out. Upon our return to the surface we examined the dump pile and found several tuns of rock that had the appearance of having come in contact with a shower of molten gold that had spattered over the and penetrated it throughout. After the Oro Fino be in shape so that greater quantities of re can be extracted, it will make Silver City a lively business place without taking into consideration our other numerous and rich mines. Preparations are being made to run the mine and mill (or mills) all winter. They are laying in a large supply of wood, salt, quicksilver and chemicals, so that no impediment will be in the way. We would advise the curious to take a peep at the cabinet on exhibition at the office of the Oro Fino & Morning Star Company, if they decide to see one of the largest and richest collection or ores ever taken from one mine; but we would suggest to those having the custody of the same the propriety of locking it up in a strong safe at night, or some burglar many make a raise “in the usual way.”

LISLE LESTER’S READING TO-NIGHT. Everybody who can ought to be present to-night. Perhaps it may not be out of place to say the most desirable calls on such at occasion are directly in front of the speaker. We give a few general items of Lisle Lester’s (Mrs. Sigbee) history as a public reader for the benefit of those who may be unacquainted with it. In 1860, she spent several months under the tuition of the renewed tragedian, James Murdock, of Cincinnati, Ohio. He was teaching elocution at that time, and pupils from all parts of the United States made up his class. She was afterwards engaged by different literary associations of the Western cities, and gave Dramatic Readings in nearly all the Northern States. In connection with her literary duties on the Pacific Coast, she gave these readings in nearly every city and town in Oregon, California, Nevada and the Sandwich Islands. Her success was complete. No other reader that has ever visited the Coast has been so well received and as generally successful. On her tour through Oregon in 1864, she was one of the unfortunate victims of serious stage accident, and was obliged to sever herself from her former pursuits. She never intended to appear on the stage again as a public reader, but at the earnest solicitations of many friends she has consented to give an entertainment of this kind in this and Boise Cities. The admission is one dollar in legal tender. Excellent music has been provided for the occasion. Sunday School children will be admitted free of charge.

BROKE JAIL. The horse thief, of whom we made mention last week took “French leave” of the jail last Saturday night. He somehow got out of his cell, and either by his own handicraft, or by help “from the outside”, he managed to unlock the main entrance door. He was heavily ironed, but ere this has probably had them removed. Sheriff Springer, and assistants have been searching for him for several days, but as yet without success.

WE HAVE NEGLECTED the weather item for the last three weeks, during which time it has been exceeding fine – clear and gradually becoming cooler, and now we have real, unadulterated Indian Summer, its hazy atmosphere dimming the brightness of the sun, and casing the moon

to shed a milder light upon the earth.

WE NOTICED during the past week that our townspeople were having all the combustible rubbish, heretofore scattered over the streets, scraped up and burned. It is a praiseworthy action as well for neatness as for preventive of fire – a calamity which should be guarded against by every possible precaution.

ONIONS EXTRAORDINARY. “Red” received a load of onions last week from the ranch of McComt & Cowghays, in Boise Valley, six miles below the city. We were shown a specimen of them which measured twenty one inches in circumference and weighed a trifle over two and a half pounds.

CAPT. J. C. AINSWORTH, President of the Oregon Steam Navigation Company, is now on a visit to Owyhee, where he is largely interested in mines and mining property – the principal of which now is the Surplus Oro Fino and the Ainsworth quartz mill, on Sinker Creek. The Company of which Captain Ainsworth is President, has spent much money in this camp, and owing to the fact of never having given any personal attention to the expenditure, it has been done to little purpose. The Captain is sensibly pleased with the prospects of this camp, and deems the Company’s property very valuable – specially the Surplus Oro Fino, and he is determined to have work proceed at once, and owing to the large business under his care in Oregon, and realizing the importance of those who spend money here to have personal supervision thereof, he has “bonded” the Surplus for one year to Messr. Walbridge, Cole and Crane who are to sink one hundred feet deeper as apart of the consideration. Laborers have already been engaged, and with sicam hoisting works at hand the working will go right along.

We learn from miners and others who have worked in and visited this mien, that here is an excellent prospect with a little more labor of finding a body of ore equal to the present rich stuff coming from the Oro Fino. The last ore obtained from the shaft was worth \$25 per tun. Carefully assorted, the Surplus Oro Fino ore will pay a neat profit from the beginning.

QUARTZ EXCITEMENT. There is now a great excitement on the Oro Fino Mountain, caused by the discovery of a rich ledge, claimed by three different parties under as many different names. Hill Beachey and John C. Holgate claim it under the title of the “Golden Chariot; Fred. Reuter & Co. as the North Star; and Fogus & Co, under their new discovery, as the Ida Elmore.” We are not well enough versed in the matter to warrant us in stating an opinion as to whom it rightfully belongs; but understand that Reuter & Co. and Fogus & Co, have compromised; so that the contest will be now between Beachey and those two Companies, and before it is decided there will most likely be an expansive litigation. The ledge bears evidence of being immensely rich – from \$5 to \$30 to the tun being frequently obtained from dirt and decomposed quartz in the immediate vicinity of the ledge. We saw ore that was taken from the vein near the surface where Fogus is sinking a shaft with fine gold visible to the naked eye all over it. The Minear Mill is now engaged in crushing the ore from the Ida Elmore.

THE OWYHEE COMPANY is making extensive improvements. Their smelting and retorting works have recently been improved and enlarged – six new pans have been added to the mill, a large space has been graded enlarging the quartz yard, a large and substantial building has been erected, the lower story of which is intended for a store room and the upper part as sleeping apartments for the employees. They are also erecting a new residence – the old one will be used for an office. Vast quantities of wood are being piled up, and altogether, everything wears the appearance of a healthy business.



FAMILY FEATURES EDITORIAL SYNDICATE

An apple a day might keep the doctor away, but what about a tomato that could help fight cancer? Scientists are using biotechnology in an attempt to create even healthier foods for the future.

Seventy percent of foods in the supermarket already contain biotech ingredients. Current products of biotechnology help farmers produce greater yields, help crops resist pests or weed killers and/or reduce the environmental impact of agriculture. The next wave of biotechnology is aimed at bringing higher quality and more nutritious foods to American consumers.

For example, through the tools of biotechnology healthier oils with higher levels of heart-healthy oleic acids and reduced levels of trans fats are already on the market. Field trials are being conducted on cancer-fighting tomatoes, which contain 3.5 times the usual amount of the antioxidant lycopene. Additionally, research underway could eliminate life-threatening allergies to peanuts and shrimp. Other developments will increase the vitamin content of foods, help produce stay fresher longer or protect plants from diseases.

We invite you to “taste the future” by sampling the following dishes. Each recipe features biotech ingredients that either are already available at your local supermarket or are currently in development.

For more information, visit [www.whynbiotech.com](http://www.whynbiotech.com).

# TASTE THE FUTURE



Café Annie Agua de Melon

## Café Annie Agua de Melon

- 1 cantaloupe, cubed
- 1 cup granulated sugar
- 3 cups water
- Juice of 1 lime
- Raspberries to garnish
- Mint sprigs to garnish

Combine cantaloupe, sugar, water and lime juice in blender. Blend until smooth, passing liquid through sieve to remove any unblended pieces. Chill. Garnish with raspberries and mint sprigs.

Yield: 6 servings

*Biotech cantaloupe varieties have been developed to resist damaging viruses in order to reduce spoilage and extend shelf life.*

## Café Annie Poached Shrimp With Zucchini Salad and Creamy Pumpkin Seed Dressing

### Poached Shrimp

- 16 large shrimp, shell on
- 2 teaspoons coarse salt

### Zucchini Salad

- 2 zucchini, cut into 1/4-inch cubes or julienned
- 4 red radishes, cut into 1/4-inch cubes or julienned
- 1/2 white onion, cut into 1/4-inch cubes
- 1 serrano chile, minced
- 1 tablespoon minced fresh cilantro
- 1 tablespoon extra virgin olive oil
- 1 teaspoon fresh lime juice
- 1/4 teaspoon salt

### Creamy Pumpkin Seed Dressing

- 1 cup low-fat buttermilk
- 1/2 cup mayonnaise
- 1 cup hulled toasted pumpkin seeds
- 1 ounce cilantro, chopped
- 1 to 2 serrano chile(s), chopped with seeds
- 1 tablespoon fresh lime juice
- Salt, to taste

**Poached Shrimp:** Place shrimp in saucepan, add water to just cover. Add salt. Bring water to boil, then remove pan from heat. After 1 minute, drain water. Allow shrimp to cool in pot. Peel when cool.

**Zucchini Salad:** Combine cubed vegetables with serrano chile and cilantro. Toss with olive oil, lime juice and salt.

**Creamy Pumpkin Seed Dressing:** Combine all ingredi-

ents in food processor. Process until smooth, about 2 to 3 minutes. Dressing will be pale, flecked green and lightly thickened.

Yield: 4 servings

*Already available are varieties of biotech squash and zucchini that resist damaging diseases. Additionally, researchers have identified the enzymes in onions that spark tears and are working to provide tear-free onions. Finally, allergen-free shrimp are in development.*

## Café Annie Chicken Breasts With Corn Pudding and Red Chile Sauce

### Chicken Breasts

- 8 boneless, skinless chicken breast halves
- 2 tablespoons soybean oil
- 1 teaspoon salt
- 1 teaspoon freshly ground pepper

### Red Chile Sauce

- 1 tablespoon soybean oil
- 3/4 ounce guajillo chiles or New Mexico red chiles, seeded and chopped

- 1 cup chopped yellow onion
- 4 garlic cloves, chopped
- 1 large tomato, quartered
- 2 thick, white corn tortillas, cut into strips
- 6 allspice berries
- 1/4 teaspoon cinnamon
- 3 cups chicken broth
- 1 teaspoon salt

### Corn Pudding

- 6 ears yellow corn, shucked
- 2 tablespoons butter
- 1 teaspoon salt
- 4 dried corn husks, tied at one end

### Papaya-Avocado Relish

- 1 papaya, diced
- 1 avocado, diced
- 1/2 white onion, minced
- 2 tablespoons minced fresh cilantro
- 1 serrano chile, minced
- 1 teaspoon lime juice
- 1/2 teaspoon salt
- Pinch pepper
- Queso fresco to garnish
- Cilantro sprigs to garnish



Café Annie Poached Shrimp With Zucchini Salad and Creamy Pumpkin Seed Dressing

Biotech crops are changing the way real people eat, including you!

**Chicken Breasts:** Rub chicken breasts with soybean oil and sprinkle with salt and pepper. Place in pan coated with cooking spray. Broil until well browned. Bake at 275°F for 30 to 45 minutes, or until chicken is cooked through.

**Red Chile Sauce:** Heat oil in skillet over medium-high heat until hot. Add chopped guajillo chiles and sauté until lightly toasted. Add onions, garlic, tomatoes, tortillas and spices. Gently sauté until onion and tortillas are golden brown. Add chicken broth. Bring mixture to boil, lower heat to simmer. Simmer until tender, about 30 minutes. Remove from heat, cool to room temperature. Once cool, blend mixture until smooth. Return to original skillet, add salt and bring to simmer.

**Corn Pudding:** Cut kernels from cob. Process kernels in food processor into coarse puree. In skillet over medium heat, melt butter. Add corn puree to melted butter, slowly heat while stirring until corn thickens. Stir in salt. Spoon corn pudding into cornhusks.

**Papaya-Avocado Relish:** Gently toss together relish ingredients.

Warm pudding in corn husks in 350°F oven. Spoon red chile sauce and papaya-avocado relish over chicken breast. Garnish with queso fresco and cilantro sprigs.

Yield: 8 servings

*Biotech corn and sweet corn varieties are available. Some are tolerant to herbicides, allowing less plowing. Others resist damaging insects. New research also would enhance corn and other produce with higher levels of vitamin E, as well as other vitamins and minerals. A biotech papaya already on the market protects itself from a disease that nearly wiped out the Hawaiian papaya industry. Healthier soybean oil with lower levels of trans fats also has reached the marketplace. In addition to the cancer-fighting tomato, biotech varieties with built-in insect resistance and delayed-ripening traits are in development.*

Recipes developed by  
Chef Robert Del Grande,  
Café Annie, Houston.



Sports



Handoff

Quarterback Kelly Wilson, right, hands off to running back John Collett, back, who scored the Marsing Tigers' first touchdown Saturday.

Marsing peewee football begins season in style

Marsing's youngest Huskies kicked off their football season in style Saturday with two losses and a win, but an exciting brand of football for the crowd. Fans filled the seats at the Marsing field to watch the youngest football players in the league as they began their seven-week season.

Marsing Lions 11- and 12-year-old team kicked off the day's event with a loss to Stereo Shoppe, and the 9- and 10-year-old Raptors followed with a loss to Extreme. But the 7- and 8-year-old Tigers finished out the day with a 24-18 win over Les

Schwab. Each team has its own cheerleading squad to support the teams.

Running back John Collett started the Tigers' trek with a touchdown in the first quarter. Quarterback Kelly Wilson followed with a TD of his own. Both boys were the only ones to score in the game.

The clubs will play every other Saturday in Marsing beginning at 9 a.m. On Sept. 24, the Lions face Meridian Red, the Raptors will face Cutting Edge at 10:30 a.m. and the Tigers will look for another win when they host Outback at 12:30 p.m.

MARSING PEEWEE SCHEDULE

<b>Lions game schedule</b>	<b>Oct. 8</b>
<b>Saturday</b>	Marsing vs. Meridian Red, 10:30 a.m.
<b>Sept. 24</b>	<b>Oct. 15</b>
Marsing vs. Meridian Red, 9 a.m.	Marsing vs. Brighton, Mountain Home, 1 p.m.
<b>Oct. 1</b>	<b>Oct. 22</b>
Marsing vs. Status, 9 a.m.	Marsing vs. Overland, 10:30 a.m.
<b>Oct. 8</b>	
Marsing vs. Meridian Green, 9 a.m.	<b>Tigers game schedule</b>
<b>Oct. 15 and Oct. 22</b>	<b>Saturday</b>
Playoff games	Marsing vs. Lloyd, 1:30 p.m.
	<b>Sept. 24</b>
<b>Raptors game schedule</b>	Marsing vs. Outback, 12:30 p.m.
<b>Saturday</b>	<b>Oct. 1</b>
Marsing vs. Molenaar, Mountain Home Home 2, 1 p.m.	Marsing vs. ReMax, 1:30 p.m.
<b>Sept. 24</b>	<b>Oct. 8</b>
Marsing vs. Cutting Edge, 10:30 a.m.	Marsing vs. Meyer, 12:30 p.m.
<b>Oct. 1</b>	<b>Oct. 15</b>
Marsing vs. Molenaar, 1:30 p.m.	Marsing vs. HCS, 1:30 p.m.
	<b>Oct. 22</b>
	Marsing vs. Fairview, 12:30 p.m.

JV volleyball survives mistakes vs. McDermitt

by Chelicy Payne  
and Kelsey Prescott  
Jordan Valley Junior Reporters

It seems like every team has an off-game or two each season. The Jordan Valley High School volleyball team had to endure its against McDermitt, Nev., on the Sept. 7.

The Mustangs turned around a sluggish start that featured miscommunication between players to post a 25-11, 25-17, 25-18 victory over the host Bulldogs.



Scoring play

Junior Chelicy Payne completes a successful spike against the opposing McDermitt blockers during a Sept. 7 match in Nevada.

and I was proud of them, but I was glad to get the first road trip out of the way."

Bailey Kershner led the Mustangs with 19 service points, Michelle Baltzor followed with 11, and Lauren Cuvelier and Breann Hipwell both recorded nine. Cuvelier, Hipwell and Angela Larsen each had five kills. Kershner and Hipwell led in assists with 17 and 12, respectively.

Jordan Valley's junior varsity squad beat McDermitt 25-18, 25-19. Dinah Powers dominated the game by racking up 12 points in serves alone. Luisa Lowry followed with eight service points, and Athena Beckwith and Tina Stanford collected four apiece.

Beckwith was excited to be playing in the front row and had

a block and three kills. Nickie Naegle and Powers carded two kills apiece. Stanford and Nickie Naegle each had four assists.

In the second match, Jordan Valley posted a 25-13 and 25-11 win behind 13 service points and three kills from Sequoi Trautman. Elisa Eiguren served seven points and Kayla Cuvelier added six.

Beth Dowell, Jessie White and Elisa Eiguren all had two kills. Catie Kershner had six assists, while Jessie White had four and Eiguren had two.

"The JV played very well with a lot of improvement in transition and communication skills," coach Jacque Naegle said. "They also did a great job in both matches with their serving. We won both matches in straight sets. They improved since their first game with Adrian."



**Hot pursuit**  
Homedale High School's George Gaspar puts the rush on Parma junior varsity quarterback Rance Portneir during Thursday's game in Parma. The Trojans came from behind to beat the Panthers 27-20. Photo by Gregg Garrett.