

Girls Rebuilding

Norlina Boys Continue Wins

Michael Yancey helped the Blue Waves to a good lead and an opener victory, 59-47, against Northwest at Norlina Thursday night. Coach Tom Evans played almost all of the team during the game and in the third quarter the second team gave Norlina a 10-point lead. The game was controlled by Norlina after a 12-12 tie in the first period. Northwest hit 41 percent from the floor for the night. Yancey also led the Waves on rebounds, getting nine from the boards. Norlina 12 12 18 17 - 59 Northwest 12 8 15 12 - 47

In the second game last week, the Waves were again victorious Friday night against Park View, 71-65. Down by one point at the end of the first period, Norlina poured it on to outscore the opponents in each period. Shelton Hunter, junior wing man for the Waves, led the team with 20 points. David Rowlette hit from the post for 14 points and Larry Vaughan netted 12. The Waves outscored Park View on field goals but hit 54 percent to Park View's 60 percent on free throws. Norlina 12 24 15 19 - 71 Park View 14 11 20 20 - 65

Michael Yancey missed a free throw and scored on his own rebound to set Norlina ahead of Bluestone, 66-63, with seven seconds showing on the clock Tuesday night. At the foul line for a two-shot attempt, Yancey hit the first sending Norlina ahead by a point in a 63-63 ballgame. His next basket gave them a win. Yancey was high scorer for the night with 17 and led in rebounds for the Blitzing Blue Waves. Shelton Hunter and David Rowlette each made 12 points and Rowlette was second in rebounds. The close game had almost even records for the teams with Norlina hitting 45 percent from the floor and Bluestone, 56 percent; while the Waves grabbed 32 rebounds, Bluestone got 34 for the night. The margin was cut close on turnovers - Norlina with 26 and Bluestone with 30. Chris Puryear was leading scorer for the Virginia team with 15; followed by William Oliver with 14.

Norlina 18 14 13 21 - 66 Bluestone 9 14 23 17 - 63 Norlina is now 3-0 overall for the season. Jr. Varsity The jayvee team for Norlina was defeated in the first game, 54-51.

The Norlina High School lassies are rebuilding this year and have only one senior on the team.

Donna Paynter, senior and Irene Durham, junior, are returning players with some experience and Coach Bob Price believes these players will be the probable leading scorers.

Comprised of mostly sophomores, team members are Perseada Green, Conchetta Mayfield, Helen Gilchrist, Brenda Seward, Joanna Harrison, Temper Douglas, Juanita Yancey, and Shari Hendrick, sophomores; Connie Jordan, Irene Durham, Dorothea Fledge, Lucia Hargrove, juniors; Gloria Bryant, freshman; and Paynter, senior.

The Lady Waves opened the season against Northwest at Norlina Thursday night. Slow on defense, the lassies were not in defensive position several times enabling the Northwest team to handily make an easy basket and go home winners at 47-38.

Durham was high scorer for Norlina with 16 and Paynter connected for eight. Carolyn Hicks led the Northwest team with 23 and Joyce Zollicoffer made 12.

Banquet Honors Athletes

A dinner held at the school cafeteria on Nov. 29 honored the Hawkins Junior High School football players and cheerleaders. Given by parents and friends of the team, the dinner menu was turkey and trimmings. James Goolsby said the grace. Mr. Hudgins, assistant principal, welcomed all guests and players. Randy Garrett acknowledged local businesses making donations for the banquet: BB&T, Brown's Funeral Home, Drive 'N Shop, First Citizens, Green's Funeral Home, Harris-Turner Funeral Home, Hunter Drug, Dr. L. B. Henderson, Jr., I.G.A., Leggett, John R. Hawkins

Alumni and Friends, Odell's Grill, Pecker Wood Construction, Tar Heel Tire, Warrenton Tobacco Board of Trade, Western Auto, Village Florist and Red and White.

Mrs. L. Williams and Ms. L. Strickland, cheerleader sponsors, and John Coleman, James Goolsby and John Hawkins, coaches, gave remarks. Tammy Roberts, spokesman from the cheerleaders, presented an engraved bracelet to the cheerleader sponsors. Mark Alston, representing the football team, presented Coach Coleman an engraved stein. Goolsby and Hawkins were presented engraved key rings. Mrs. Robert Frazier presented key rings to Principal Wilkerson and assistant principal, John Hudgins. Mr. Wilkerson gave comments to the team, coaches and cheerleaders.

Warren County Schedules

Friday, December 9
JG at Scotland Neck, 7 p. m.
Norlina at Eastman, 7 p. m.
Warren Academy at Franklin Christian, 6:30 p. m.

Saturday, December 10
Northwest at JG, 6:30 p. m.

Tuesday, December 13
Eastman at JG, 6:30 p. m.
Norlina at Northwest, 7 p. m.

Daniel Is On Ball Team

RALEIGH - Frances Daniel of Warrenton is a member of the Peace College Green Giants basketball team, which opened its regular season Tuesday with a home game against Truett-McConnell College.



FRANCES DANIEL

Daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Frank H. Daniel of Warrenton, 19-year-old Frannie is a sophomore returnee who will be used as a wing player. She has had a good pre-season. Her good shooting from the outside will help the team.

Frannie played basketball four years at Warren Academy. The team is coached by Susan Cox, assisted by Sherry Leonardo. Team captains are Kathy Jacobs of Raleigh and Sue Saunders of Aulander.

The Green Giants' 20-game regular season schedule includes 10 division games. Competition outside the division promises to be even more challenging, the team believes.

The season will conclude with the National Junior College Athletic Association regional tournament March 3-4 in Anderson, S. C., followed by the nationals March 13-18 in Overland Park, Kan. Peace has placed among the top six junior college teams in AIAW nationals for the last three years. In 1976 the Giants placed third; in 1975, sixth.

Lose Tuesday

Lady Jackets Sting Scotland Neck Team In Season Opener

Lorraine Williams devastated Scotland Neck Friday night in the season opener with 33 points. The opposing team could not defend her constant layups and quickness under the basket.

On the other corner for John Graham was Edith Rodwell who netted 15 points during the game. Sharon Dunston, a rookie, played a good ballgame, making six points.

Mary Anthony was high scorer for Scotland Neck with 17 points and Peggy Williams had eight. The game was controlled by rebounds. Beverlyn and Lorraine Williams, and Terry Thompson grabbed 12 each with Rodwell getting 11 for the high rebounders while holding the Lions to only 28 for the game. Coach Ben Howard played the entire team, often switching all five players at one time.

Enfield ran away in the first period, making easy lay-ups on 14 turnovers by the Lady Jackets. The team had 29 turnovers in the game, mostly from the pressure in getting the ball up the court.

Lorraine Williams hit 26 for the JG team with Sharon Dunston contributing 11 points. Laura King and Nicholson of Enfield each had 20 points.

Down by 19 at the half, the girls played even in the second half with JG coming only to within eight points during the game. JG 8 10 17 13 - 48 Enfield 22 15 10 20 - 67 The girls' record is 1-1. Enfield moved to 2-0.

Boys

The John Graham boys have had tough ballgames, either winning or losing by only two points. In Thursday's game against Bluestone, Lawrence Boyd sunk a shot with seconds remaining to give John Graham a 49-47 victory.

Bluestone rallied from behind after the initial period. They scored only one point during the first quarter while JG tallied up 10. Darryl Lyles was high scorer for the Jackets with 11, followed by Green with 10 and Boyd, 9. William Oliver led the Virginia team with 16. The fans hardly caught their breath from Thursday's game before they were standing in anticipation with 38 seconds remaining in Friday's game. The score, tied constantly during the final minutes, was pushed ahead by Scotland Neck within the final seconds to give them a win at 54-52. JG's Stephen Foster played hard on both defense and offense, netting 10 points as did Darryl Lyles. Earnest Green led in rebounds for JG with 10. Donald Shields hit six field goals and two free throws to lead the Lions followed by Ricky Hill with 12. Shields also brought down 11 rebounds. JG 10 11 12 16 - 49 Bluestone 1 11 16 19 - 47 JG 12 10 17 13 - 52 S.N. 17 14 9 - 54

On Campus

News From John Graham

By Terry Thompson

Basketball season is officially here! Last Thursday at home, the junior varsity and varsity boys' team faced the Bluestone Barons from Virginia. Virginia girls play during football season. Although the junior varsity was defeated, 47-44, the young team under Coach McCoan Brown, showed great improvement as opposed to their pre-season scrimmage against Vance. The varsity boys won, 49-47. In Friday's game the Lady Jackets crushed the Lady Tigers, 60-43. The junior varsity and varsity couldn't get by losing by two points each game. Earlier this week, all three of the teams had their photographs taken for the annual. On Tuesday, Mrs. Virginia Levister accompanied some 25 students to College Career Opportunity Day at St. Augustine's, while Mr. Marlin and Mr. Stegall had their hands full with some 90 students visiting the Museum of History. The John Graham Chorale Society, under Mrs. Glendora T. Powell, will present their annual Christmas program in the auditorium. Admission is free, so there's no excuse not to go and enjoy the mellow sounds of the best of contemporary as well as traditional Christmas carols. The biology classes taught under Mrs. Cora Hawkins, presented Mr. Terry, principal, a pot of forced paperwhite Dutch-grown Narcissus bulbs that were planted in rich potting soil. A bit of life in this cold winter is definitely appreciated. Of course, all emphasis is placed on Dec. 21, when those halls empty out. Only 10 more days - not counting weekends!

Brief

Queen Elizabeth II has an allowance of \$3.4 million for expenses to operate British palaces royal activities and pay staff salaries.

Academy JV Wins

The Warren Academy junior varsity girls opened their season with a 25-12 conference victory at Enfield on Wed., Nov. 30. The Warriors scored first and led all the way. Balanced scoring with Claudia Coleman, Margaret Ross, Wanda Carroll and Lisa Delbridge getting four each, strong rebounding by Delbridge and Denise Cheek and a tough defense by all the Warriors enabled the coach to get all 18 girls into the action. Enfield was led by Patricia Read and Beth Tant with four points while Carla Graham and Susan Hawfield rebounded and defended well for the losers. The local girls hosted Hobgood Wednesday. They will go to Halifax on Dec. 14.

Trapping Law Cited

R. Cornell, wildlife enforcement officer, encourages all trappers in the area to review the statewide trapping law. He also pointed out G.S. 113-83 which specifically lists the fox as a "game animal." This list omits the fox from the list of fur-bearing animals." In pertinent part, G.S. 113-102 (d) states, "foxes may be taken with dogs only, except during the open season, when they may be taken in any manner." Cornell said G.S. 113-104 provides the manner of taking "game birds and game animals. Based on the foregoing statutes and interpretation of such, Cornell notes the fox is not a fur-bearing animal and it is his opinion that it is unlawful in this state to trap a fox.

Reid Leads WA Girls To Victory

Rhonda Reid, scoring almost half of the points for her team, led the Warren Academy girls to a 49-39 win against Wilson Christian Academy on Friday night. Playing good on both offense and defense, Reid also brought down nine rebounds in the game. The lassies got an early lead, outscoring Wilson Christian by ten points in the first period. The second period was more evenly matched with W. A. ahead,

33-19 at the half. But Wilson Christian attempted to turn the score around as they outscored the W.A. girls during the remaining two periods. Warren Academy, playing strong defensively, forced the opponents to turn the ball over 23 times during the game. Others scoring for W. A. were Peggy Alston with 12 and Justyn Fleming with 6. Leading scorers for Wilson were Kim Edwards with 11

and Jennifer Felton with 7. The same players led their teams in rebounds. The Warren Academy girls are off to a good start for the season with a 2-0 record. W.A. 13 20 8 8 - 49 Wilson 3 16 9 11 - 39 The second game of the night was a squeaker with Warren Academy losing, 46-44. Underdogs at 26-17 at half-time, the Warriors played a good second half and tied the game up with three minutes to play. Foul trouble plagued the team during the latter part of the game when several players were forced out by fouls. They could not connect on free throws either, hitting 10 of 32. Kevin Williams led the Warriors with 15 and Victor Coleman contributed 12 points. Paul Little netted 13 for Wilson. W. A. 7 10 18 9 - Warren Academy fell to 0-2 for the season.

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Name Omitted

The name, Kathy Newsome, was inadvertently omitted from Hawkins Jr. High School's first nine weeks' honor roll, the school announced this week.

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