

Westfield High Bombs Devils Last Tuesday

By BILL FARTHING

Westfield High School of Surry County bombed the Blue Devils of Appalachian High with a second half comeback 50-44 in a non-conference basketball tilt Tuesday night December 8 at Appalachian High's gym. The Bobcats of Westfield were trailing Appalachian 14 points at the half mark in the game.

The Bobkittens of Westfield captured the Blue Devilettes in their snare, 81-71.

This was the third loss for both boys and girls teams of Appalachian this season.

Leading the Devilettes scoring was Dianna Watkins with 44 points, 36 of which came from field goals. Watkins was hitting especially good from under the basket with an occasional hit from the outside. Rachel Rivers followed Watkins with 19 points. Rivers was hitting very good from the free throw line from which 7 points were obtained by her for the Apps. Carolyn Coffey pushed 5 points through for the Apps, while Linda Mast tallied the other 3 points for the Devilettes. Devilette guards were Mary Fletcher, Judy Greene, and Jeanette Lyons; with Jerel Dean Johnson in as a substitute.

Leading the Westfield girls scoring was Judy Vaughn with 39 points, followed by Nancy Cook with 32 points. Janie Eaton tallied the remaining 6 for the Bobkittens. Westfield guards were Linda Sheppard, Sandra Hunter, and Linda Taylor. Sylvia Arrington, and Huth Hall were substitutes for the Westfield girls.

Boys Game
The boys game was somewhat of a surprising upset. The Blue Devils boys bowed to the Westfield boys after leading them 14 points at the halftime. Leading the scoring for the losing Blue Devils was Robert Gragg with 21 points; 20 of which came from field goals. Following Gragg was Buddy Ayers with 11, Paul Bartlett, 6, King Triplett 4, and Bob Agle made the remaining 2 points for the Devils. Benny Austin and Robert Matheson were the only two subs for the Apps.

Leading the Bobcat pace was Jimmie Jessup with 23 points, 20 of which were field goals. Dean Sheppard followed with 11, Phil Arrington 7, Bronson Brim 6, Larry Inman 2, and David Hoeker made the other point for Westfield. Russell Mabe was the only sub for Westfield.

Summary—Boys
Westfield 7 12 17 14—50
Appalachian 16 17 6 5—44

Summary—Girls
Westfield 20 18 23 20—81
Appalachian 22 13 14 22—71

Referees—Bob Bruton, Jack Ponis.

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Watauga Democrat SPORTS

Devils, Devilettes Down Ashe Central

By BILL FARTHING
The Blue Devils and Blue Devilettes of Appalachian High, both hungry for a win after three losses in a row, whipped the Ashe Central Black Panthers and Pantherettes 67-50, and 44-42, in order, in a District 7 conference game.

Duck Pin League

Fox 66 No. 1 has lost only 1 game thus far in the second half of a split season on the duck pin league. This team was on the bottom at the close of the first half of bowling action on Wednesday nights.

In last Wednesday's match Fox 66 No. 1 took all 5 points from the last weeks first place team—Coffey's Woodworking. Nick Stakias, team captain, bowled 109 high score for the winning team and James Coffey had a 107 for the losers.

Jeanne's team captured 4 of the possible 5 points from Fox 66 No. 2, who naturally took 1 point. John Robinson and Clint Cannon bowled 111, tying for high score on the winning team, while Dot Baird had a 108, high for the losers.

Standings:
TEAMS W L
Fox 66 No. 1 14 1
Coffey Woodworking 10 5
Jeanne's 5 10
Fox 66 No. 2 0 15

Grain futures score moderate gains.

Trading is slow in Government bond market.

Speaking Of Golf

By JOE MAPLES

The Boone Golf Club's biggest booster in the eastern part of the State is in Duke Hospital, where he underwent a major operation last week for the removal of a lung. C. G. (Dave) Crockett of Williamston, a friend of mine for as long as I can remember, came to Boone last summer and played our course for the first time. He liked what he saw, and when he likes something, he tells people about it in a big way.

There will be many people coming to Boone because Dave told them about our course and how well he liked it, because they respect his opinion.

In all the years I've known this fine gentleman, I've never seen him get carried away with anything the way he was with our course. To say he was speechless would be in error because I've never seen him in that condition; but he was as close to being speechless as he's ever been when he got his first look at our course.

Dave has been coming to the mountains to play golf for nearly 20 years, and he says from now on his mountain golf will be confined to the Boone club. And when he says something, he means it.

Dave started playing golf at the age of 55, and took his first golf lesson from my father. Now, almost 70, he is fighting his toughest match, and knowing him as I do, he will win, and we will see him in Boone next summer, enjoying the game he loves so well.

I say he will win, because I've known him to be behind before. I've seen him behind me in matches only to come on strong in the final few holes to win going away. I learned long ago never to count him out of a match until the final putt was in the hole and the money in the bank.

The Boone club will learn in the future how fine a friend they have in this gentleman. We all wish for him a speedy recovery and an early return to golf and to Boone.

Looking for a nice Christmas present for someone? Give him a membership in the Boone Golf Club for the upcoming year. Nothing would be more appreciated, and you can still take advantage of the reduced rates.

14 Motorists Get Citations

Fourteen motorists were cited for traffic violations last week by Patrolman W. D. Teem and George E. Baker. The violations included two each for: No operator's license, no insurance; stop sign violation, and possession of non-tax paid whiskey.

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