

North's depth tops Muzbeck

When Lucio Toroyan scored an 8.35 on her floor routine Thursday night, North Farmington gymnastics coach Mary Glitz let out a sigh of relief.

With that 8.35, she knew her team had survived Walpole Lake Western and the brilliance of Barrie Muzbeck.

"Once Lucio got above 8.0, I knew we had it," Glitz said. "Because Barrie would have had to score better than 10.0 on her routine and not even she could do that."

So it was North Farmington remained undefeated with a 123.7-123.0 triumph at Walpole Lake Western.

"I was really worried that Barrie might pitch my girls out," Glitz said. "Most of them hadn't seen her perform."

Muzbeck's talent can be intimidating. As a sophomore two years ago, Muzbeck was the state's No. 1 high school gymnast in every event. She left the prep gym last year to compete internationally. She was making a big fir the U.S. national team before an injury sidelined her. She returned to high school competition this year.

And her ankle injury hasn't slowed her. On Thursday, she scored 9.55 on vault, 9.05 on uneven parallel bars, 8.4 on balance beam and a 9.55 on floor exercise. She won all four events.

"She was very impressive," Glitz said. "She made our girls produce to

gymnastics

the best of their ability and that's what they did on Thursday night."

Toroyan and Eileen Murtaugh helped North offset Muzbeck's phenomenal 37.35 all-around score with solid performances of their own. Besides her third place on floor, Toroyan grabbed second on vault (8.15) and bars (8.0) and a fourth on beam (7.55).

Murtaugh tied Toroyan for second on bars, added another second on floor (8.4), a third on beam (7.55) and a fourth on vault (7.9).

Kara Karu had a nice night, placing third on vault (8.1), fifth on bars (7.4) and fourth on floor (7.8). Cindy Tjian scored in two events placing fifth on vault (7.1) and fifth on floor (7.5).

North, at 8-0, will host Farmington Harrison on Monday. Walpole Lake Western is now 2-1.

FARMINGTON'S GYMNASIS improved their team score by 10 points but still left 15 shy of its first victory, as Grossie Polioe won't escaped with a 11.55-11.14 win Thursday.

"Very nice improvement," was how

Farmington coach Mary Beth Schornhorst summed up the meet. "Although, I think the judging may have been a little inflated. It was an exciting meet. The girls are taking the loss better than their coach."

Katie MacIntosh won both the vault (7.95) and the bars (8.05) for the Falcons. The talented senior grabbed second on beam (7.9) and floor (7.85).

Debi DelWitt scored in two events placing third on floor (7.85) and fourth on beam (7.85).

Stacy Swandarski placed fifth on vault (7.4), Pam Goodhue fifth on bars (5.65), Karen Runyan third on beam (7.35) and Lauren Mistor fourth on floor (7.4).

The Falcons (0-3) host Plymouth Salem Tuesday.

FARMINGTON HARRISON will take its 119.75-108.4 victory over Plymouth Canton Wednesday night, but don't expect the Hawks to gloat over it.

"It was not a very good night," said Harrison coach Linda Perkins.

A fall was cast over the meet early and neither team was able to shed it. Canton's Ann Healey took a frightening

fall during her bars routine. She was carried out of the Canton gym on a stretcher and rushed to the hospital.

Healey was not seriously injured, but a sore neck will keep her out of action for about a week.

Still, her fall took much of the competitive spirit out of Wednesday's meet. Harrison's Tracy Solomon led the Hawks with firsts on vault (8.05), bars (7.9) and floor (8.3).

Jill Bursa scored in all four events placing second on vault (7.95), second on beam (7.85), third on bars (7.15) and second on floor (8.05) — a successful move for the versatile senior.

Jody Solomon placed third on beam for Harrison (7.1), and Lauri Runk placed third on floor (8.0).

For Canton, Carol Horvath came through with a first on beam (7.8), Megan McGow placed second on bars (7.5) and Healey, prior to her injury, took third on vault (7.5).

The loss is Canton's third straight this season, but coach John Cunningham remains positive.

"Even though we didn't score well, we had some nice routines, especially on bars," he said. "And we were consistent at on vault. I'm pleased with the performances. We're going with an all-rookie team now."

Injuries to Healey and Cheryl Battaglia have put a huge dent into the Chiefs' depth.

The Hawks are 5-0.

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Pistole fires up North in victory

Julie Pistole is gaining confidence and that means nothing but trouble for the rest of the Northwest Suburban League volleyball teams.

Pistole, North Farmington's 6-foot front court specialist, took control of Redford Thurston Wednesday night, igniting the Raiders to a 15-3, 15-2 victory.

Pistole dominated in every phase of the match. She was 13 for 14 on serves scoring 13 points (at one point she served 9 straight points with 3 kills and she also played solid in the back row).

Suzette Greenberg also chipped in with 9 straight service points in game two.

volleyball

The Raiders are now 2-0 in the NSL and 11-3 overall.

FARMINGTON met up with the No. 4-ranked team in the state and Observance's best — Livonia Stevenson — last Wednesday, and, although the Falcons played well, the results were predictable.

The Spartans swept Farmington in two straight, 15-8, 15-12.

Farmington is now 2-7 on the season.

Hawks win city title

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the bench to give the Falcons some strong play from her setter position.

Farmington was the last team to beat North for the Farmington city

title. That was back in 1980. And guess who the Falcons' coach was at that time — none other than Ron Shortt. The last time Harrison owned the city title was in 1979.

"I'm very happy," Shortt said. "I just hope the bubble doesn't burst."

Caddies earn Evans Scholarship awards

Evans Scholarships have been awarded to 13 area high school seniors who are headed to Michigan State and University of Michigan in the fall.

The awards are part of a national Evans Scholars program administered by the Western Golf Association. This unique caddy-scholarship concept was initiated by amateur golfer Chick Evans in 1930. Since then, more than 4,000 caddies have graduated as Evans Scholars.

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Evans Scholars reading for MSU include:

Timothy Bellare, 17, growth, a senior at St. Lawrence Seminary in M'Calvey, Wis., caddied at Meadowbrook Country Club, Jerry Brown, 18,

people in sports

Detroit, senior at Redford Bishop Borgese, caddied at Western Golf and Country Club. Alan Kruck, 17, Farmington, a senior at Farmington High, caddied at Plum Hollow Country Club. Stanley Lafferty, 17, Detroit, a senior at Redford Catholic Central, caddied at Plum Hollow Country Club. Edward and James Wasko, 18, Livonia, seniors at Franklin, caddied at Western Golf and Country Club. Thomas Wicks, 17, Westland, a senior at Wayne Memorial, caddied at Dearborn Country Club.

Evans Scholars heading for U-M include:

Brian Bell, 17, Livonia, a senior at Bentley, caddied at Meadowbrook Country Club. Stephen Galsweh, 17, Detroit, a senior at Catholic Central, caddied at Dearborn Country Club. Glenn Higgins, 17, Redford, a senior at St. Agatha, caddied at Plum Hollow Country Club. Steven Joppick, 17, Farmington Hills, a senior at Catholic Central, caddied at Oakland Hills Country Club. Christopher Kautz, 17, Redford, a senior at Catholic Central, caddied at Western Golf and Country Club. Kristine Sizemore, 17, Farmington, a senior at Farmington High, caddied at Franklin Hills Country Club.

Tyndale cagers split

William Tyndale College got 21 points from Phil Carr and 18 from Mike Sacco in a 65-52 trouncing of Ontario Bible Jan. 11 at Oakland Community College.

Tyndale raced to a 28-21 advantage at the half and never trailed. The victory evened the Farmington school's record at 5-5.

On Jan. 3, Trinity College blasted Tyndale 75-54 at Southfield. Christian Carr's 13 points was best for Tyndale, with Doug Routledge adding 12 and Ray Schramm 11.

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