

Ferris bench tops Pioneers

Clarence James had a nice seat on the Ferris State bench. Oakland University's Pioneers wish he had stayed there.

James, a junior guard from Lansing, poured in 15 points in the final six minutes of Thursday's game to trigger Ferris' triumph at OU's Lepley Sports Center.

"The win boosted Ferris to 13-10 overall and 7-5 in the Great Lakes Intercollegiate Athletic Conference (GLIAC). For the Pioneers, it was their third straight loss. Their record slipped to 11-11 overall, 4-7 in the GLIAC.

OU was ahead 76-74 when James connected on a jumper and was fouled by Scott Bittlingier with 25 seconds left in OT. James converted the 3-point play to push the Bulldogs in front, 77-76. OU's Rob Alvin then lost the ball out of bounds and the Pioneers were forced to foul. James' two free throws capped the scoring.

OU SEEMED safely in control of the game until midway through the second half. The Pioneers hit 17 of 23 free shots in the first half (73 percent) to open a 41-39 lead at the intermission.

They increased that to 44 (64-50) with 7:21 to play. That's when James, Craig Chappell (13 points) and Kurt Stevens (12) came off the bench to spark a 20-5 Ferris rally. James had 10 points in the run.

Delaine Rimmer's jumper from the top of the key knotted it at 70 and forced overtime. OU helped by missing the front end in three 1-and-1 free

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throw situations in the final 3:30 of regulation.

Chris Howze had 21 points and 8 rebounds to lead OU, with Craig Tontl and Rob Skinner adding 12 each and Pete Schill, 10. Tontl also had 4 rebounds and 4 steals.

Mike Thomas topped Ferris with 16 points and 10 rebounds.

THE OU WOMEN exploded midway through the second half, outpointing Ferris 31-7 in a nine-minute span en route to a 71-55 victory in Thursday's first game at Lepley.

Reserves Cherry Wilks, Margaret Boyle and Lisa Quinn spearheaded the surge as the Pioneers went from a 39-36 deficit with 10:45 left to a 67-46 lead with 1:12 to go.

Boyle scored all 8 of her points in the streak, with Wilks getting 6 and Quinn 2. Wilks finished with 8 for the game and Quinn had 6.

Julie Wilga led OU with 14 points, including 5 of 6 free throws down the stretch. The scoring of Wilga and the bench helped offset a bad shooting night for regulars Brenda McLean (3-14 from the floor, 8 points) and Toni Gasparovic (0-for-7 from the floor, no points).

McLean did grab 19 rebounds to become only the fourth OU woman to accumulate more than 1,000 points and

1,000 rebounds in her career.

Sarah Knuth collected 12 points and 8 rebounds and Kim Nash had 11 points for OU. Katy Kelley's 29 points and 15 rebounds was best for Ferris.

The win raised OU's record to 11-12 overall and 6-5 in the GLIAC. Ferris fell to 11-12 overall and 5-6 in the GLIAC.

OU NOTES: Sophomores Jerry Umin, John Solomon and Pat Stano emerged as GLIAC wrestling champions, but the Pioneers did little else in placing third out of four teams in the league meet Friday at Lepley Sports Center.

Lake Superior State unseated Ferris

State as GLIAC champion, scoring 92 points. Ferris was second with 70%, while OU took third (48), just ahead of Grand Valley State (47).

Umin stretched his win-loss record to 15-1 by beating Karl Wimmer of Lake Superior 2-0 in the 158-pound final. Solomon outscored Keith Briggs of Ferris 11-6 to take the 167 title, and Stano edged Lake Superior's Tim Templeton 6-4 for the 177 crown. Solomon is now 10-7 for the season. Stano is 9-11.

The absence of Dave Wilgen (134 or 142), who was sidelined with a stomach ailment, hurt OU's scoring chances.

Lake Superior swept the GLIAC awards, with Wally Pamick (118) capturing Most Valuable Freshman honors and Mike Arnold (190) claiming the Most Valuable Performer award for the second-straight year. Lake Superior's Jim Falls was selected Most Valuable Coach.

A strong 2nd half send S'craft to win

The Schoolcraft College women's basketball team were down Henry Ford in the second half to post a 78-63 triumph on the road.

The victory gives Schoolcraft an overall record of 12-11. The Lady Ocelots are 7-4 in Eastern Conference

Kim Chandler, a freshman from Dearborn, led the winners with 22 points. Three other Schoolcraft players netted double figures including Maysy Aiken (16), Caryn Lamb (13) and Sherry Evans (11).

Debbie Deringer's 17 points topped Henry Ford.

OU inducts 3 more to Hall of Honor

The Oakland University Hall of Honor will welcome three new members at a banquet following the men's and women's basketball doubleheader against Michigan Tech Feb. 16.

Women's basketball standout Helen Sherada-Smith, soccer star Ken Whiteside and men's basketball ace Tim Kramer form the second class of inductees into OU's Hall. Former athletic directors Hattie Lepley and Corey Van Fleet, basketball players Carvin McLean and Kathy Hewitt and swimmer Paul Kuvvas were charter members.

Also to be honored is Richard Linton for his service to the OU athletic program. A member of both the President's Club and Community Athletic Committee, Linton was instrumental in the 1949 Thomas Road and Toast which raised nearly \$20,000 for the men's basketball program.

A banquet honoring the three new inductees and Linton will be held at Meadow Brook Hall following the basketball games. Tickets are \$17.50 each and can be obtained by calling 370-2100.

Here's a profile of the newest members of the Hall of Honor.

HELEN SHERADA-SMITH: Smith was OU's first All-American, an honor she earned by scoring 2,338 points and grabbing 1,524 rebounds in her career, which ended in 1980.

Smith's best scoring performance was a 43-point

outburst against Grand Valley on Feb. 16, 1980. Against Saginaw Valley in 1978, she set a school record by grabbing 27 rebounds.

Her other team records include: most field goals in a season (303 in 1979-80) and in a career (973); most field goal attempts in a game (45 vs. Grand Valley, 1980), season (765 in 1978-79) and career (2,160); most free throws in a season (158 in 1979-80); most free throws attempted in a season (419 in 1979-80); and most rebounds in a season (426 in 1978-79) and a career.

In 1980, Smith was selected as an All-American by both the College Sports Information Directors of American and the American Women's Sports Foundation.

Smith now teaches sixth grade at the John Newman Catholic School in Pueblo, Colo.

TIM KRAMER: Kramer is the second-leading scorer in OU history with 1,615 points, a career mark of 19.6 points. He is also fourth on the all-time rebounding list with 745, a 7.3 average.

Kramer led the Great Lakes Intercollegiate Athletic Conference (GLIAC) in scoring and rebounding in 1978-79, earning him a spot on the All-GLIAC first team. Kramer was also named to the National Association of Basketball Coaches All-Region third team.

That same year, Kramer was chosen as GLIAC

Scholar-Athlete. After graduating with his degree in political science, Kramer attended the Detroit College of Law. He is an attorney and lives in Grosse Pointe Park.

KEN WHITESIDE: Whiteside was the first soccer star in a program that has now become a national powerhouse. From 1973 to 1976, he scored 61 goals, which still stands as a school record.

Whiteside's 20 goals as a freshman is also an OU record. He netted 5 goals against Eastern Michigan that still stands as the OU single-game standard.

the week ahead

PREP BASKETBALL

Tuesday, Feb. 12
Liv. Bentley at Liv. Stevenson, 7:30 p.m.
Ply. Canton at Liv. Church, 7:30 p.m.
W.L. Western at Farm. Hamilton, 7:30 p.m.
Farmington at Ply. Salem, 7:30 p.m.
Northville at Liv. Franklin, 7:30 p.m.
Claremont at Liv. Western East, 7:30 p.m.
B'gate Anderson at Garden City, 7:30 p.m.
Bellefonte at Wad. John Glenn, 7:30 p.m.
Redford Union at Taylor Center, 7:30 p.m.
Crestwood at Red. Thurston, 7:30 p.m.
Wal. Kettering at N. Farmington, 7:30 p.m.
Cardinal Rooney at St. Agatha, 7:30 p.m.

Thursday, Feb. 14
Liv. Stevenson at Liv. Stevenson, 7:30 p.m.
Red. Thurston at N. Farmington, 7:30 p.m.
Friday, Feb. 15
Liv. Bentley at Ply. Canton, 7:30 p.m.
Ply. Canton at Liv. Church, 7:30 p.m.
Farmington at W.L. Western, 7:30 p.m.
Liv. Franklin at Garden City, 7:30 p.m.
Redford Union at Wad. John Glenn, 7:30 p.m.
Liv. Bentley at Wad. John Glenn, 7:30 p.m.
Wyandotte at Wad. John Glenn, 7:30 p.m.

Saturday, Feb. 16
Liv. Bentley at Liv. Stevenson, 7:30 p.m.
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Sunday, Feb. 17
First round of Catholic A-B playoffs

at U-D's Calkins Hall, 2, 4, 6 and 8 p.m.

PREP HOCKEY

Tuesday, Feb. 12
Liv. Franklin vs. Midford
Liv. Bentley vs. Garden City, 5:45 p.m.
Liv. Bentley vs. Garden City, 7:30 p.m.
Liv. Bentley vs. Garden City, 9:15 p.m.
Liv. Bentley vs. Garden City, 11:00 p.m.
Liv. Bentley vs. Garden City, 12:45 p.m.
Liv. Bentley vs. Garden City, 2:30 p.m.
Liv. Bentley vs. Garden City, 4:15 p.m.
Liv. Bentley vs. Garden City, 6:00 p.m.
Liv. Bentley vs. Garden City, 7:45 p.m.
Liv. Bentley vs. Garden City, 9:30 p.m.
Liv. Bentley vs. Garden City, 11:15 p.m.
Liv. Bentley vs. Garden City, 1:00 p.m.
Liv. Bentley vs. Garden City, 2:45 p.m.
Liv. Bentley vs. Garden City, 4:30 p.m.
Liv. Bentley vs. Garden City, 6:15 p.m.
Liv. Bentley vs. Garden City, 8:00 p.m.
Liv. Bentley vs. Garden City, 9:45 p.m.
Liv. Bentley vs. Garden City, 11:30 p.m.

MEN'S COLLEGE BASKETBALL

Wednesday, Feb. 13
Alpena CC at Schoolcraft College, 8 p.m.
Saturday, Feb. 16
Schoolcraft College at Marquette CC, 8 p.m.

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