



Ski Heil

By BILL CAMERON

According to the newspapers, we should declare a moratorium on skiing for this season. Mother Nature has really cast a gloomy outlook on the sport, at least in Michigan.

This weekend was the first time, in my recollection, that skiing made the front page of one of our major dailies. And of course, it had to be a negative report. My own reaction was to stay home for the rest of the winter unless I see six inches of snow outside my window. One of my compatriots suggested that there could possibly be some great sales of equipment soon! And then to read that 11 people were killed in Austria as a result of avalanches! How tragic. Unless you've seen the results of an avalanche, it's difficult to envision. I recall an avalanche in Val d'Isere, France, several years ago, in which about 20 people were killed.

The snow came down the mountain, crossed the road, and actually went uphill right through a lodge, where many people were sitting down for

Bentley Snaps Streak

Just as all good things must come to an end, all bad things also have to come to an end, and they did for Bentley High's basketball team.

The Bulldogs snapped a five game losing streak, a streak that saw them fall out of Suburban Eight contention from a 3-0 mark to a 3-3 record and from a 3-2 overall showing to a 3-7 development.

Bentley crushed Suburban Eight cellar dweller Trenton, 73-54.

Now comes the supreme test for John Farrar's Bulldogs.

THEY TRAVEL to Allen Park Friday night and Farrar would like nothing better than to be standing 7-0 overall come Saturday morning.

Trenton won the second half, 33-29, but the Bulldogs

Farmington's Mercy Hosting MAAU Girls' State Cage Tourney

Junior Olympics are coming to Farmington.

Our Lady of Mercy Catholic High School in Farmington will be the site of the Michigan Amateur Athletic Union '73 Junior Olympic girls' state basketball tournament, beginning March 19.

National sponsor is the Chevrolet Division of General Motors, with the Detroit Department of Parks and Recreation, Detroit Public Schools and Our Lady of Mercy the local sponsors.

There will be senior and intermediate divisions, with deadline for entries March 9.

THE TOURNAMENT is open to all interested teams throughout Michigan that can qualify. All players must be certified with the MAAU.

Winning teams will be eligible to compete in the Nationals.

Team entry fee is \$20 and anyone interested should contact Rose Swidzinski at Our Lady of Mercy in Farmington, located at 13 Mile and Middle Belt.

The senior division is 18 and under as of Jan. 1, '73, with the intermediate division being 15 and under as of the same date.

There will be double eliminations if eight teams or less enter.

Farmington Girls Nip Oak Park

Farmington High's girls gymnastic squad bested Oak Park in the final event, tumbling, 18.45 to 12.00, to score an overall narrow 66.45 to 64.95 victory.

The Falcon trio of Vandenberg, Hurst and Stoddard placed 1-2-3 in the tumbling event to give Farmington the edge it needed for victory.

Farmington won four of the six events.

Meet results:

- 107 - Pat Mullin (C) pinned Greg Patis (N), 2-51
114 - Steve Williams (C) pinned Mike Lenon (N), 2-33
121 - Mill Mills (C) defeated Dan Fialon (N), 2-1
128 - Rick Boehms (C) defeated Mark Okopy (N), 11-2
134 Steve Barger (N) defeated Mark Barry (C), 15-2
140 - Kim Schultz (C) defeated Joe Askenberry (N), 4-0
147 - Bill Norton (N) pinned Bob Stowers (C), 1-04
157 - Terry Delcott (C) pinned Tim Siegle (N), 1-54
163 - Rick Montanari (C) pinned Tim Johnson (N), 2-20
185 - Ron Redra (C) won by void
WMT - Dave Kuhn (C) pinned Sig Berggren (N), 1-51
- VAULTING: 1 - Mikeheavage (OPI), 4.55; 2 - Kurt (OPI), 4.05; 3 - Riley (OPI), 3.75; 4 - Padonette (FI), 3.75
UNEVEN BARS: 1 - Gorman (FI), 3.85; 2 - Mikeheavage (OPI), 3.25; 3 - Kurt (OPI), 2.80; 4 - Collins (FI), 2.50
BALANCE BEAM: 1 - Furgang (OPI), 4.10; 2 - Stan (OPI), 3.74; 3 - Hurst (FI), 3.25; 4 - Weinberger (OPI), 3.20
FLOOR EXERCISE: 1 - Vandenberg (FI), 6.50; 2 - Stoddard (FI), 6.85; 3 - Feldman (OPI), 6.35; 4 - Stein (OPI), 4.50
TRAMPOLINE: 1 - Kurt (OPI), 3.35; 2 - Padonette (FI), 3.00; 3 - Sidor (FI), 2.20; 4 - Froehchte (FI), 2.20
TUMBLING: 1 - Vandenberg (FI), 7.85; 2 - Hurst (FI), 6.45; 3 - Stoddard (FI), 6.15; 4 - Leonard (OPI), 4.85

Churchill Scores 'Six' 1st, 45-14

Livonia Churchill racked up another first in the sport of wrestling, it's first Western Six victory ever.

The Chargers chalked up five pins and three decisions in crushing Northville, 45-14.

Pat Mullin was the "Charger of the Meet" and Steve Williams was "Mr. Aggressive."

Meet results:

100 - Jack Barger (N) defeated Tony Bonetti (C), 16-0

Prep Schedule

- BASKETBALL**
- FRIDAY**
- Bentley at Allen Park
Borgess at St. Mary Redford
Churchill at Northville
Clarenceville at Kettering
Farmington at Waterford
Harrison at Thurston, 7:30 p.m.
GC West at Schaller, 4 p.m.
- WRESTLING**
- THURSDAY**
- GC West at Churchill, 6:30 p.m.
Franklin at Thurston, 6:30 p.m.
Northville at Harrison, 6:30 p.m.
N. Farmington at Oak Park, 7:30 p.m.
John Glenn at GC East, 6:30 p.m.
Plymouth at Rochester, 6:30 p.m.
Dearborn at Redford Union, 6:30 p.m.
Lathrup at Southfield, 6:30 p.m.
Clarenceville at Kettering, 6:30 p.m.
- FRIDAY**
- Stevenson at Pontiac Northern, 6:30 p.m.
GC East at Fordson
N. Farmington at Ferndale
Plymouth at Belleville
Allen Park at Redford Union
Lathrup at Hazel Park
- HOCKEY**
- WEDNESDAY**
- Aquinas vs Churchill (Ford), 8 p.m.
- THURSDAY**
- Franklin at Lathrup, 3:30 p.m.
- FRIDAY**
- Bentley vs Southfield (Ford), 7 p.m.
Churchill vs Stevenson (Ford), 9 p.m.
- SWIMMING**
- THURSDAY**
- Oakborn at Redford Union, 7 p.m.
Northville at Churchill, 7 p.m.
Oak Park at Franklin, 7 p.m.
Anderson at Clarenceville, 7 p.m.
Plymouth at Bentley, 7 p.m.
N. Farmington at John Glenn, 7 p.m.
Rochester at Lathrup, 6:30 p.m.
Thurston at GC East, 4 p.m.
Harrison at Farmington, 7:30 p.m.
GC West at Wayne, 4 p.m.
Ferndale at Southfield, 7:30 p.m.
- SATURDAY**
- GC East Invitational
- TUESDAY**
- Churchill at Lincoln, 4 p.m.
Clarenceville at WL Western, 4 p.m.
Niverville at John Glenn, 7 p.m.

Top Cage Scorers

	G	PTS	High	AVG
MALABY, Lathrup	14	330	41	23.6
BOLLIN, Bentley	13	277	28	21.3
CARLINGTON, John Glenn	13	273	29	21.0
SIELOFF, Harrison	12	247	32	20.6
VANWAGONER, Plymouth	14	287	39	20.5
GRIGAL, GC East	13	247	26	19.0
SOPKO, Bishop Borgess	16	276	33	19.3
PULKS, Redford Union	13	232	28	17.9
BOEGLER, Bentley	13	228	25	17.5
KASETA, Franklin	12	208	26	17.3
KEENAN, Thurston	13	224	27	17.2
PARKER, N. Farmington	13	219	27	16.8
SARELA, Clarenceville	15	248	31	16.5
HABERMAN, Stevenson	13	215	25	16.5
DAMASKA, Churchill	14	229	24	16.4
SIMONS, Clarenceville	15	223	28	14.9
REED, Churchill	14	204	24	14.6
SOVA, GC East	13	189	25	14.5
BJERKE, Redford Union	12	168	25	14.0
TRACY, Lathrup	14	194	31	13.9

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