

Pioneer success takes record toll

Records keep piling up for both Oakland University basketball teams.

On Thursday, the OU men defeated Michigan Tech 71-60 behind a superb defensive effort that limited Rod Ruth, the Great Lakes Intercollegiate Athletic Conference's leading scorer (24.8 points per game), to six points.

The win was the 20th of the season for the Pioneers, their first 20-win season in school history. It also kept alive their hopes for a berth in the 32-team NCAA Division II tournament.

The women had similar success, routing Tech 97-63 behind a balanced scoring attack that featured five players in double figures and three others with eight points each.

The win lifted the OU women to 20-7 overall and 10-5 in the GLIAC — the same record as the men. Margaret Boyle scored 13 points for the Lady Pioneers and dished out nine assists to cushion her league record for a season to 128. Boyle is averaging 8.5 assists per game and surpassed the former season-record of 114 set by Saginaw Valley State's Nancy Newton (1985-86) in a win over Wayne State.

THE OU MEN led the entire game against Tech (12-35 overall, 7-8 in the GLIAC), scoring the first six points. The Huskies made two runs at OU, the first allowing them to close to within 9-8 with 15:12 left. The Pioneers answered with 12 consecutive points, eight from John Henderson.

During the streak, OU held Tech scoreless for 6:10 and took a 21-8 lead with 9:36 to go. The Pioneers had a 38-35 halftime advantage, but the Huskies scored the first seven points after intermission to close to within 35-32.

Again OU had an answer, and again it was Henderson. The 6-foot-6 sophomore center got four points in a six-point run to push OU's lead back to 10, and Tech never again threatened. Henderson finished with a game-high 20 points.

But it was OU's defense of Ruth that keyed the triumph. Dave Huth, Pete Schill and Mike McCan all took turns in limiting Ruth to three-of-seven shooting.

Stacy Davis netted 12 points for OU, with Huth and Scott Bittlinger adding 10 each. McCan grabbed 11

OU sports

rebounds. Joe Sell topped Tech with 16 points.

THE OU WOMEN breezed against Tech (6-20 overall, 2-13 in the GLIAC), thanks to two Leah Fenwick-sparked scoring streaks. Tech led 14-10 with 12:30 left in the first half when the Lady Pioneers posted an 11-3 run that put them in ahead for good, 21-16. Fenwick had four points in the spurt.

Tech kept it close until the final five minutes of the first half. OU outscored the Lady Huskies 10-5 in that stretch to go from a 31-28 lead to a 46-31 halftime bulge. Again, Fenwick had four points in the streak. She finished with 14.

Joining Fenwick and Boyle in double-figures in scoring were Debbie Delle with 12, Sarah Knuth with 11 and Amy Atkinson with 10. Sonja Pearson, Celeste Sartor and Dawn Lichty had eight apiece. Mary Fisher and D'andra Foyfar netted 16 each for Tech.

Turnovers were a major factor in OU's win. The Lady Pioneers committed just 12 to 28 for Tech.

OU NOTES: Both basketball teams are excellent on the floor, but their success isn't limited to game time. The GLIAC all-academic team was announced last week, and mens team members Pete Schill and Scott Bittlinger and womens player Sarah Knuth were all selected to the first team.

Schill, a 6-7 junior forward, boasts a 3.65 grade-point average with a mechanical engineering major. Bittlinger, a 6-2 junior guard, carries a 3.69 GPA with an accounting major. Bittlinger also leads the Pioneer men in scoring with a 20 point-per-game average, third-best in the GLIAC.

Knuth, a 5-10 junior forward, has a 3.15 grade-point with a journalism major. Knuth also tops the Lady Pioneers in scoring with a 16-point average, fifth best in the GLIAC.

Also named to the mens team was Andy Kolp of Grand Valley State, a 6-1 junior guard from Birmingham Brother Rice. Kolp had a 3.38 grade point with a bio-medical sciences major.

OU's John Henderson was an honorable mention selection.

Mercy spikes 2 foes

Thanks to the blistering serve of freshman Jennifer Goff, the Farmington Hills Mercy volleyball team claimed a pair of non-league wins Wednesday at Riverview Gabriel Richard.

The Marlins beat both Dearborn Divine Child (15-10, 9-15, 15-7) and Dearborn St. Alphonsus (15-11, 15-12).

Goff served out both matches. In game three against Divine Child, with the score tied 7-7, she nailed

eight consecutive aces to finish the match. Mercy trailed 8-2 in the second game against St. Al's. Goff nailed six straight winners to tie the game. Later, she added the final two points on ace serves.

Mercy also received solid play from both Lynn Elliott (back row) and Meg Pinkerton (at the net).

Mercy, 9-13, will host Redford Bishop Borgess at 7 p.m. Tuesday in a pre-district qualifier.

sports shorts

● ALL-LEAGUE SKI

Three members of the Farmington Hills Mercy ski team have been named to the all-Mount Brighton Interscholastic Ski Association team for 1987.

Beth McIntosh, Leigh Clancy and Stephanie John were named to the team. The Marlins, regional champs, placed second in the league.

Mercy's No. 1 skier all season — Lexi Davis — did not earn all-league honors. Davis suffered two falls during the league race and did not place.

The Marlins will compete at the state finals today at Crystal Mountain.

● FARMINGTON HOSTS LEGION BOWLERS

For the third time in the past six years, the Michigan American Legion Bowling Tournament will be held in the Farmington area.

The Groves-Walker American Legion Post, 31775 Grand River, will host the tournament at Country Lane. The tourney will run six consecutive weekends beginning Saturday, March 6.

Some 3,000 bowlers are expected to compete. Call 478-9174 after 2 p.m. for more information.

● COACHES NEEDED

The Farmington Public School District is accepting non-teaching applications for assistant middle school track coaches.

Those interested should contact the Farmington Department of Athletics, 32500 Shawwassee, Farmington 48034, or call 471-8337.

Farmington Hills Mercy is seeking an assistant softball coach for the spring season. Those inter-

ested in this non-teaching position should call Mercy athletic director Ellen Sekera, 478-2836.

● K OF C SOFTBALL

Softball leagues for men, women and co-ed teams are forming at the Farmington Hills Knights of Columbus, St. Francis Council.

Call 476-1100 or 476-1101 for registration information.

● SOFTBALL SIGNUP

The Farmington Hills Recreation Division has openings available for new teams for the 1987 adult softball season in resident, open and industrial leagues.

Reservations can be made at the recreation office, 31555 11 Mile. A \$50 non-refundable deposit is required. Call 473-5579 for more information.



MARCH

SALE

BRITISH MADE LACE CURTAINS
• With Rod Pocket • Machine Wash & Dry
• Ready to Hang • No Sewing • By The Yard
Only Shop of its Kind in the U.S.A.

Visit The Lace Curtain Shop... It's like those found abroad. We have patterns to suit all tastes. All are sensibly priced and cost half the price of others. Yet all are top quality and British made. Most are purchased by the yard and come in assorted lengths. We also carry jardines, tablecloths, napkins, bedspreads, doilies, placemats, and wall hangings. You may have desired hushers for any width of window made and an option of one piece, No seams.

The Lace Curtain Shop
BRITISH MADE LACE CURTAINS
33216 Grand River (1 blk. East of Farmington Rd.)
Farmington • Mon.-Sat. 10-6 **471-2088**

Plate Lady
"The Gettysburg Address" by Mort Kunstler
1st in series: "Lincoln, Man of America" produced by Edwin M. Knowles China Company

Over 1,100 plates on display
We are a registered dealer of the Bradford Exchange
16347 Middlebelt Road • Livonia
(Between 5 & 6 Mile) 261-5220
Mon.-Fri. 10-6, Sat. 10-5, Sun. 12-5

FIREPLACE DOORS
Custom Glass from Steinhauer...
the world's finest fireplace doors

Hand Crafted to Fit Any Size or Shape
Call for FREE In-Home Price quote and Measurement
Steinhauer's
Detroit, MI Phone (313) 530-5010 • So. Lyon, MI Phone (313) 457-3044

Country House Photographic Studio
COUPON
WEDDING SPECIAL
Complete coverage with album from \$500.00
ANY WEDDING PACKAGE
Offer expires April 15, 1987

EVENINGS 360-2780

AMERICAN CRAFTSMANSHIP & SERVICE IS DEAD? NOT AT GREAT LAKES FINISHING!
"The Furniture Refinishing Specialists"

- Quality Refinishing • No Dip Tanks and Restoration • All Work Done by Hand
- Regluing & Repairs • Delivery & Pick-Up • In-Home Touch-ups • Your Home in 2-4 Weeks • References Upon Request

FREE IN-HOME ESTIMATES **871-6641** PICK-UP & DELIVERY FULLY INSURED

OUR PROMISE TO YOU
Educated Advice Guaranteed Results at a Fair Price

GREAT LAKES FINISHING SERVICES, INC.

THE FURNITURE REFINISHING PLACE
Specializing in In-Home Restoration.
Kitchen Cabinet Refinishing
-FREE ESTIMATES-
We can restore old pieces to look new again. Our prices are surprisingly affordable.

COUPON
10% OFF*
ANY REFINISHING JOB
EXPIRES 5-31-87
CALL 537-2286
18277 WOODBINE DETROIT

THANK YOU CHANNEL 7 FOR SELECTING **SILK GARDEN**
TO DECORATE THE WEDDING & CO. STUDIO WITH BEAUTIFUL SILK PLANTS & FLOWERS
Watch "John & Marian" at 9 a.m. Channel 7

Beautiful SILK FIGUS TREES 50" Leaves Potted in Plastic 6 ft. \$39.99 7 ft. \$59.99 8 ft. \$74.99	Ass't. SILK HANGING BASKETS \$9.99	SILK IVY PLANTS \$9.99
SILK PARLOR PALMS \$16.99	NEW LIFE-LIKE CACTUS 3" to 66"	

1003 DOWNEY (AT SOUTH BEND) IN THE BLOOMFIELD HILLS CENTER BLOOMFIELD HILLS 48304-1177 (1 BLK. WEST OF BROTHERS) (724) 423-2843 HOURS: MON.-SAT. 10 A.M.-5 P.M.; SUNDAY 12-4 P.M.

ANNUAL TAX SALE OF PROPERTIES DELINQUENT FOR TAXES IN OAKLAND COUNTY

This form is issued under the authority of Section 63 of Act 206, Public Acts of 1983, as amended. Lands delinquent for real property taxes of 1984 and prior years are scheduled to be offered for sale by the County Treasurer at the County Building in: Pontiac on May 5, 1987.

The legal description of properties to be offered for sale will be published on March 5, 1987, March 12, 1987 and March 19, 1987. In the Clarkston Reminder, Clarkston, MI.

State Treasurer
Lansing, Michigan

Public: February 18 and March 2, 1987

Listen to secrets of the Gnomes! Meet Sculptor, Tom Clark

OVER 500 SCULPTURES ALWAYS ON DISPLAY

Dr. Tom Clark, world famous artist and sculptor of Gnomes and other collectible figurines, will be appearing at Georgia's Gift Gallery, Friday, March 27th. Dr. Clark will be on hand from 3 to 7 P.M. to meet the public and participate in a special signing of his pieces. In addition, he will deliver a presentation on his work highlighting his use of materials and methods of idea development. We'll be celebrating with refreshments. Please join us.

Georgia's Gift Gallery
Featuring the Finest in Limited Edition Art & Collectibles
A Bradford Exchange Information Center
613 N. Main St. (Lilly Bldg.) • Plymouth (Old Village) • 413-7713
HOURS: Mon.-Wed. 10-7, Th & Fri. 10-6, Sat. 10-5, Sun. 12-5
Phone Orders Welcome • Free Delivery & Gift Wrap

WINDSOR'S MODEL 450

\$497.50 ONLY

18 x 7 DOOR AND OPERATOR PACKAGE.

Lift-Master
The Professional Line
Garage Door Openers

DOOR INCLUDES:
• 24 GAUGE STEEL
• TORSION SPRINGS
• BOTTOM WEATHERSTRIP
• RAISED ONLY
• STEEL HINGES
• PREPAINTED STEEL
• 10 YEAR RUST WARRANTY
• Installation Available

MODEL 1050
1/3 h.p.

One piece steel rail, rugged chain drive, 4 1/2 minute delay, automatic reverse, wall panel with lock, 6561 security codes.

Available at:
GARAGE DOOR MART
PHONE: 864-1930

Windsor Door Division
The Caco Corporation / A Caco Industries Company