A Weekly Look Into Region IX Athletics

Region IX

Week 6 • Oct. 2, 2013

Volleyball sub-region contests heat up

Western Wyoming takes over North lead with sweep over Casper

There were a couple of big contests over the past seven days.

On the volleyball front, Western Wyoming took the lead in the North sub-region after sweeping past Casper 25-16, 25-20, 25-22.

The other match for the conference lead came on the women's soccer front when Otero traveled to No. 2 Laramie County on Sunday. In the end, nothing was solved as the two squads finished with a 1-1 tie.

That contest was interesting as each team scored a first half goal. Otero struck first, scoring a goal in the 16th minute as Darian Drake score off an assist from Keenen Moreta.

Laramie County's only goal came in the 25th minutes from Morgan Wyatt from an assist from Yuko Shinomiya.

Laramie County outshot 14-9 and had six corner kicks to Otero's one.

Otero then fell to second place after dropping a 2-1 double overtime contest to Trinidad State on Wednesday. Daisy Perez scored in the first half for the Trojans before Otero scored a late goal to tie the game. Trinidad won the contest in the second overtime.

With the Trinidad win, the Trojans are 4-3 in conference play and in third place and 7-3 overall. Otero is still in second at 5-1-1 and 6-2-1 overall.

The volleyball match between the two Continued on back page



Above: Trinidad State's Tyler Wilt avoids a sliding WNCC player as he goes after the ball during the Trojans contest against WNCC on a rainy Friday. Trinidad won 3-0 over the Cougars and then lost to Northeastern Junior College 3-2 and then fell Wednesday, Oct. 2 to Otero.

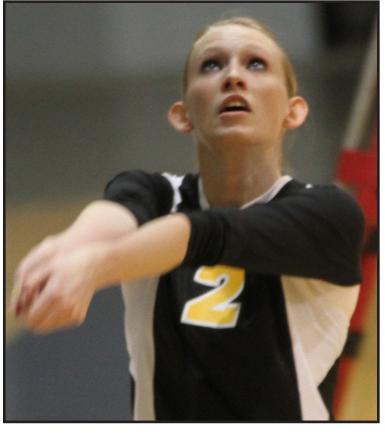
Right: Otero's Jessie Parra kicks the ball forward while avoiding the contact from WNCC's Raguel Flores on Saturday in Scottsbluff. Otero won 3-1 over the Cougars and then tied LCCC 1-1 on Sunday. Otero then lost on Oct. 2 in double overtime to Trinidad 2-1. The Rattlers host LCCC on Friday.



Region IX Volleyball Standings

Conference									Overall					
Team	Record	l Win %	Home	Away	GB	PF	PA	Record	Win %	Home	Away	PF	PA	Last 10
Western Nebraska CC	4-0	1.000	0-0	4-0	-	12	0	25-1	.962	6-0	19-1	75	15	10-0
Western Wyoming CC	5-0	1.000	3-0	2-0	-	15	3	19-4	.826	6-1	13-3	58	25	9-1
Northeastern JC	4-0	1.000	0-0	4-0	-	12	0	14-5	.737	3-3	11-2	46	23	7-3
Otero Junior College	2-2	.500	2-2	0-0	2	6	7	17-7	.708	9-2	8-5	57	34	7-3
Central CC-Columbus	2-1	.667	1-0	1-1	0.5	8	3	1 <i>7-7</i>	.708	8-0	9-7	56	30	6-4
North Platte CC	2-0	1.000	1-0	1-0	-	6	3	15-7	.682	8-0	7-7	51	35	5-5
Lamar Community Colle	ge 1-3	.250	1-2	0-1	3	4	9	15-8	.652	6-2	9-6	47	40	3-7
Sheridan College	1-3	.250	1-2	0-1	3.5	5	9	14-10	.583	9-3	5-7	50	32	4-6
Casper College	4-1	.800	2-0	2-1	1	12	4	13-12	.520	2-0	11-12	43	44	7-3
Northwest College	2-2	.500	1-1	1-1	2.5	7	7	9-9	.500	2-1	7-8	31	29	4-6
Laramie County CC	2-2	.500	1-1	1-1	2.5	6	6	10-11	.476	3-4	7-7	36	38	6-4
Trinidad State JC	1-2	.333	1-2	0-0	2.5	3	7	11-13	.458	3-2	8-11	43	50	5-5
Central Wyoming Colleg	e 1-3	.250	1-1	0-2	3.5	4	10	10-13	.435	1-1	9-12	35	43	4-6
Southeast CC	0-3	.000	0-2	0-1	2.5	1	9	8-11	.421	3-3	5-8	30	43	2-8-8
Eastern Wyoming Colleg	e 0-4	.000	0-1	0-3	4.5	2	12	7-15	.318	2-3	5-12	30	49	2-8
Dawson CC	0-0		0-0	0-0	1	0	0	2-16	.111	2-8	0-8	11	51	2-8
McCook CC	0-5	.000	0-2	0-3	4.5	1	15	1-24	.040	0-7	1-17	14	74	0-10

Sub-Region Standings North Division									
School	Subregion	Overall							
Western Wyoming	5-0	18-4							
Casper Casper	4-1	13-12							
Northwest Wyoming	2-3	9-9							
Laramie County	2-2	10-11							
Sheridan College	1-3	14-10							
Central Wyoming	1-3	10-13							
Eastern Wyoming	0-4	7-15							
South D	Division								
Western Nebraska	4-0	25-1							
Northeastern J.C.	4-0	14-5							
Otero J.C.	2-2	17-7							
Trinidad State	1-2	11-13							
Lamar C.C.	1-3	15-8							
McCook C.C.	0-5	1-24							
Division II									
North Platte	2-0	15-7							
Central-Columbus	1-1	16-7							
Dawson	0-0	2-16							
Southeast Nebraska	0-1	8-10							



Eastern Wyoming College's Jacey Holst passes the ball during the Lancers' game with WNCC on Tuesday. Holst led the Lancers with seven kills.

Upcoming Volleyball Matches

Thursday, October 3, 2013				
Colorado Christian J.V.	VS.	Northeastern Junior College	7:00 PM	Sterling, Colo.
Casper College	VS.	Central Wyoming College	7:00 PM	Riverton, Wyoming
Northeast Nebraska	VS.	North Platte Community College	7:00 PM	North Platte, Nebraska
Lake Region State College	VS.	Dawson Community College	7:00 PM	Glendive, Montana
Friday, October 4, 2013		, ,		
Western Nebraska CC	VS.	Cowley County C.C.		Tyler, Texas
Western Nebraska CC	VS.	Blinn College		Tyler, Texas
Northeast Nebraska	VS.	McCook Community College	7:00 PM	McCook, Nebraska
Eastern Wyoming College	VS.	Sheridan College	7:00 PM	Sheridan, Wyoming
Laramie County CC	VS.	Northwest College	7:00 PM	Powell, Wyoming
Central CC-Columbus	VS.	Iowa Western Tourney		Council Bluffs, Iowa
Monday, October 7, 2013		7		,
Northeastern Junior College	VS.	North Platte Community College	6:00 PM	North Platte, Nebraska
Trinidad State Junior College	VS.	Colorado Christian J.V.	7:00 PM	Denver, Colorado
College of Southern Idaho	VS.	Western Wyoming CC	6:00 PM	Rock Springs, Wyoming
Tuesday, October 8, 2013				
Western Nebraska CC	VS.	Casper College	7:00 PM	Casper, Wyo.
Sheridan College	vs.	Rocky Mountain J.V.	7:00 PM	Billings, Montana
Wednesday, October 9, 2013		neeky meantain j.v.	7.001711	Diffings, Memaria
Southeast Community College		North Platte Community College	6:00 PM	North Platte, Nebraska
Dawson Community College		Bismarck State College	7:00 PM	Bismarck, North Dakota
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Otero Junior College	VS.	Western Nebraska CC	6:00 PM	Scottsbluff, Neb.
Lamar Community College	VS.	Northeastern Junior College	7:00 PM	Sterling, Colo.
Trinidad State Junior College	VS.	McCook Community College	7:00 PM	McCook, Nebraska
Casper College	vs.	Sheridan College	7:00 PM	Sheridan, Wyoming
lowa Western C.C.	vs.	Central CC-Columbus	7:00 PM	Columbus, Nebraska
Friday, October 11, 2013	v 3.	Central Ce-Columbus	7.00 1 101	Columbus, Nebraska
Lamar Community College	VC	Western Nebraska CC	7:00 PM	Scottsbluff, Neb.
Trinidad State Junior College	VS. VS.	Northeastern Junior College	7:00 PM	Sterling, Colo.
Otero Junior College		McCook Community College	7:00 PM	McCook, Nebraska
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Central Wyoming College	VS.	Eastern Wyoming College	7:00 PM	Torrington, Wyo.
Western Wyoming CC	VS.	Laramie County Community College	7:00 PM	Cheyenne, Wyo.
Jimmy Johns Classic	VS.	Central CC-Columbus		Columbus, Nebraska
North Platte CC	VS.	New World/Jimmie Johns Invite		Columbus, Nebraska
Southeast Community College		SCC P'zazz Tourney		West Burlington, Iowa
Dawson Community College	VS.	Great Falls Tourney		Great Falls, Montana
Saturday, October 12, 2013		M C I C		
Lamar Community College	VS.	McCook Community College	4 00 DI	McCook, Nebraska
Trinidad State Junior College	VS.	Western Nebraska CC	1:00 PM	Scottsbluff, Neb.
Otero Junior College	VS.	Northeastern Junior College	1:00 PM	Sterling, Colo.
Casper College	VS.	Northwest College	3:00 PM	Sheridan, Wyoming
Central Wyoming College	VS.	Laramie County Community College		Cheyenne, Wyo.
Western Wyoming CC	VS.	Eastern Wyoming College	3:00 PM	Torrington, Wyo.
Jimmy Johns Classic	VS.	Central CC-Columbus		Columbus, Nebraska
North Platte CC	VS.	New World/Jimmie Johns Invite		Columbus, Nebraska
Southeast Community College		SCC P'zazz Tourney		West Burlington, Iowa
Dawson Community College	VS.	Great Falls Tourney		Great Falls, Montana

Region IX Men's Soccer Standings

C	onference							Overall					Last
Team Rec	ord (W-L-T)	Win %	Home	Away	GB	GF	GAI	Record (W-L-T)	Win %	Home	Away	GF	GA 10
Laramie County CC	7-0-0	1.000	6-0-0	1-0-0	-	18	2	8-3-1	.708	7-1-1	1-2-0	26	12 8-2-0
Otero Junior College	5-3-0	.625	2-1-0	3-2-0	2.5	26	10	7-5-0	.583	3-1-0	4-4-0	36	16 7-3-0
Northeastern JC	4-4-0	.500	3-3-0	1-1-0	3.5	11	16	5-6-0	.455	4-3-0	1-3-0	14	23 5-5-0
Trinidad State JC	4-4-0	.500	2-1-0	2-3-0	3.5	15	17	6-5-0	.545	4-2-0	2-3-0	21	21 6-4-0
Western Wyoming CC	3-3-1	.500	2-1-1	1-2-0	3.5	8	8	7-5-1	.577	4-2-1	3-3-0	33	18 5-4-1
Northwest College	2-2-3	.500	0-0-1	2-2-2	3.5	12	12	4-4-3	.500	1-1-1	3-3-2	17	17 3-4-3
Western Nebraska CC	2-5-1	.313	1-5-1	1-0-0	5	9	16	2-7-1	.250	1-5-1	1-2-0	10	26 2-7-1
Sheridan College	0-6-1	.071	0-0-0	0-6-1	6.5	3	21	1-6-1	.188	0-0-0	1-6-1	7	21 1-6-1

Men's Soccer Scores and Schedule

Wednesday, September 25, 2013			
Northeastern Junior College 1	L vs.	Western Nebraska Community College 4 W	2:00 PM Sterling, Colorado
Friday, September 27, 2013			
Laramie County CC 3 W	VS.	Northwest College 2 L	1:30 PM Cheyenne, Wyoming
Northeastern Junior College 1	L vs.	Otero Junior College 5 W	1:30 PM Sterling, Colorado
Western Wyoming CC 3 W	VS.	Sheridan College 1 L	2:30 PM Rock Springs, Wyoming
Western Nebraska CC 0 L	VS.	Trinidad State Junior College 3 W	4:00 PM Scottsbluff, NE
Saturday, September 28, 2013			
Western Wyoming CC 1	VS.	Northwest College 1	11:30 AMRock Springs, Wyoming
Laramie County CC 1 W	VS.	Sheridan College 0 L	1:30 PM Cheyenne, Wyoming
Northeastern Junior College 3	Wvs.	Trinidad State Junior College 2 L	2:00 PM Sterling, Colorado
Western Nebraska CC 0 L	VS.	Otero Junior College 2 W	4:00 PM Scottsbluff, NE
Monday, September 30, 2013			
Northeastern Junior College 1	Wvs.	Western Wyoming Community College 0 L	2:30 PM Sterling, Colorado
Wednesday, October 2, 2013			
Western Nebraska CC 0 L	VS.	Northeastern Junior College 1 W	2:00 PM Scottsbluff, NE
Trinidad State Junior College 1	L vs.	Otero Junior College 7 W	7:00 PM Trinidad, Colorado
Friday, October 4, 2013			
Sheridan College	VS.	Western Nebraska Community College	1:00 PM Sheridan, Wyoming
Northwest College	VS.	Northeastern Junior College	4:00 PM Powell, Wyoming
Trinidad State Junior College	VS.	Western Wyoming Community College	6:30 PM Trinidad, Colorado
Otero Junior College	VS.	Laramie County Community College	7:00 PM La Junta, Colorado
Saturday, October 5, 2013			
Sheridan College	VS.	Northeastern Junior College	11:00 AMSheridan, Wyoming
Northwest College	VS.	Western Nebraska Community College	2:00 PM Powell, Wyoming
Otero Junior College	VS.	Western Wyoming Community College	3:00 PM La Junta, Colorado
Trinidad State Junior College	VS.	Laramie County Community College	3:30 PM Trinidad, Colorado
Monday, October 7, 2013			
Johnson & Wales	VS.	Northeastern Junior College	7:00 PM Denver, Colorado
Wednesday, October 9, 2013			
Western Wyoming CC	VS.	Laramie County Community College	5:00 PM Rock Springs, Wyoming
Sheridan College	VS.	Northwest College	5:00 PM Sheridan, Wyoming
Friday, October 11, 2013			
Laramie County CC	VS.	Western Nebraska Community College	1:30 PM Cheyenne, Wyoming
Sheridan College	VS.	Otero Junior College	3:00 PM
Western Wyoming CC	VS.	Northeastern Junior College	3:00 PM Rock Springs, Wyoming
Northwest College	VS.	Trinidad State Junior College	5:00 PM Powell, Wyoming
Saturday, October 12, 2013			
Western Wyoming CC	VS.	Western Nebraska Community College	1:30 PM Rock Springs, Wyoming
Northeastern Junior College	VS.	Laramie County Community College	2:00 PM Sterling, Colorado
Northwest College	VS.	Otero Junior College	3:00 PM Powell, Wyoming
Sheridan College	VS.	Trinidad State Junior College	3:00 PM Sheridan, Wyoming

Region IX Women's Soccer Standings

	Conference							Overall					Last
Team R	ecord (W-L-T)	Win %	Home	Away	GB	GF	GAI	Record (W-L-T)	Win %	Home	Away	GF	GA 10
Laramie County CC	5-0-1	.917	4-0-1	1-0-0	-	25	4	10-1-1	.875	6-0-1	4-1-0	36	10 9-0-1
Otero Jr. College	5-1-1	.786	3-0-0	2-1-1	0.5	17	8	6-2-1	.722	3-0-0	3-2-1	27	14 6-2-1
Trinidad State JC	4-3-0	.571	2-1-0	2-2-0	2	18	15	7-3-0	.700	4-1-0	3-2-0	29	20 7-3-0
Northwest College	3-3-0	.500	0-0-0	3-3-0	2.5	9	9	4-5-1	.450	0-1-1	4-4-0	14	15 4-5-1
Western Wyoming C	CC 2-4-0	.333	1-3-0	1-1-0	3.5	6	18	7-5-0	.583	2-4-0	5-1-0	24	28 5-5-0
Western Nebraska C	CC 2-4-0	.333	2-4-0	0-0-0	3.5	8	11	4-4-0	.500	2-4-0	2-0-0	13	12 4-4-0
Sheridan College	0-6-0	.000	0-1-0	0-5-0	5.5	1	19	0-7-0	.000	0-1-0	0-6-0	2	22 0-7-0

Women's Soccer Scores and Schedule

Friday, September 27, 2013				
Western Nebraska CC 0 L	VS.	Trinidad State Junior College 3 W	1:30 PM Sc	ottsbluff, NE
Laramie County CC 5 W	VS.	Northwest College 1 L	4:00 PM Ch	neyenne, Wyoming
Western Wyoming CC 1 W	VS.	Sheridan College 0 L	5:00 PM Ro	ock Springs, Wyoming
Saturday, September 28, 2013		<u> </u>		
Western Nebraska CC 1 L	VS.	Otero Jr. College 3 W	1:30 PM Sc	ottsbluff, NE
Western Wyoming CC 0 L	VS.	Northwest College 4 W	2:00 PM Ro	ock Springs, Wyoming
Laramie County CC 4 W	VS.	Sheridan College 1 L		neyenne, Wyoming
Johnson & Wales 1 L	VS.	Trinidad State Junior College 2 W	7:30 PM De	enver, Colorado
Sunday, September 29, 2013				
Laramie County CC 1	VS.	Otero Jr. College 1	2:00 PM Ch	neyenne, Wyoming
Wednesday, October 2, 2013				
Trinidad State Junior College 2	Wvs.	Otero Jr. College 1 L	5:00 PM Tri	inidad, Colorado
Friday, October 4, 2013				
Sheridan College	VS.	Western Nebraska Community College		eridan, Wyoming
Otero Jr. College	VS.	Laramie County Community College		Junta, Colorado
Trinidad State Junior College	VS.	Western Wyoming Community College	4:00 PM Tri	inidad, Colorado
Saturday, October 5, 2013				
Northwest College	VS.	Western Nebraska Community College		well, Wyoming
Trinidad State Junior College	VS.	Laramie County Community College		inidad, Colorado
Otero Jr. College	VS.	Western Wyoming Community College	6:00 PM La	Junta, Colorado
Wednesday, October 9, 2013				
Sheridan College	VS.	Northwest College		eridan, Wyoming
Western Wyoming CCollege	VS.	Laramie County Community College	3:00 PM Ro	ock Springs, Wyoming
Friday, October 11, 2013				
Sheridan College	VS.	Otero Jr. College		eridan, Wyoming
Northwest College	VS.	Trinidad State Junior College		well, Wyoming
Laramie County CC	VS.	Western Nebraska Community College	4:00 PM Ch	neyenne, Wyoming
Saturday, October 12, 2013				
Sheridan College	VS.	Trinidad State Junior College		eridan, Wyoming
Northwest College	VS.	Otero Jr. College		well, Wyoming
Western Wyoming CC	VS.	Western Nebraska Community College	4:00 PM Ro	ock Springs, Wyoming
Friday, October 18, 2013		_		
Sheridan College	VS.	Laramie County Community College		eridan, Wyoming
Trinidad State Junior College	VS.	Western Nebraska Community College		inidad, Colorado
Northwest College	VS.	Western Wyoming Community College	3:00 PM Po	well, Wyoming
Saturday, October 19, 2013				
Northwest College	VS.	Laramie County Community College		well, Wyoming
Sheridan College	VS.	Western Wyoming Community College		eridan, Wyoming
Otero Jr. College	VS.	Western Nebraska Community College	3:00 PM La	Junta, Colorado

Lots of exciting matches in Region IX

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North leaders. Western Wyoming was led by Ashley Hills and Cindy Davis.

Casper College was led by Sydney Marchant with eight kills and five digs, while Rahne Jackson had 10 digs, and Viven Rechlin had 21 set assists.

The win moved the Mustangs to 19-4 on the season after a week that saw Western Wyoming top Salt Lake Community College, Eastern Wyoming College and Laramie Community College. The Mustangs will have two home contests this week when they host Central Wyoming on Saturday and then the College of Southern Idaho on Monday.

The South volleyball division is deadlocked between Western Nebraska and Northeastern Junior College at 4-0. WNCC is 25-1 on the season and have won 19 straight matches, while NJC is 14-5 and have five straight.

The Cougars will get a test this weekend when they compete in the Tyler, Texas, Tournament where they will face four ranked teams, including Division II No. 1 Cowley County Community College, Division I No. 1 Blinn College, No. 5 Tyler Junior College, and No. 12 College of Central Florida.

NJC has just two contests where they host Colorado Christian junior varsity on Thursday, before traveling to North Platte on Monday.

As far as this week's polls, four Region IX teams are ranked in Division I volley-ball poll. WNCC is No. 2, Western Wyoming No. 6, Northeastern JC is No. 20, and Casper College is honorable mention.

On the Division II side, Central-Columbus is still No. 11 in the poll. North Platte received votes. Central is 17-7 on the season while North Platte is 15-7.

The women's soccer polls saw some shuffling. Laramie County dropped from No. 2 to No. 3 after their tie with Otero. The Golden Eagles are 10-1-1 on the season.

Men's soccer polls saw the LCCC men jump into the rankings for the first time at No. 20. The Golden Eagles are 8-3-1 and have won eight straight.

The Golden Eagle me have a firm lead in the conference race with a 7-0 record. The Golden Eagles have outscored their opponents 18 to 2. Otero Junior College is second in the standings at 5-3, while Trinidad State and Northeastern JC are tied for third at 4-4.



Laramie County's Rory McCloy set the ball during a match in the Wyo-Braska Invite last month.

Think Pink Breast Cancer Awareness Nights

Host school of the October celebrations is first and opponent is second

Oct. 3 -- Dawson C.C. vs. Lake Region

Oct. 7 -- North Platte vs. Northeastern J.C.

Oct. 10 -- Western Nebraska vs. Otero J.C.

Oct. 18 -- Central Wyoming College "Central Wants A Cure Night' vs. Sheridan

Oct. 25 -- Laramie County vs. Sheridan

If your school is doing something for Breast Cancer Awareness month, please let me know. You can also send photos of the event as well.