

Seadogs Journey to New Bern Tonight for Court Doubleheader

Beaufort's Seadogs journey to New Bern tonight for a basketball doubleheader with starting time set at 7:30 p.m.

For both squads it will be the second games of the season. Beaufort played at Swansboro and New Bern played at Jones Central last night.

Neither Coach Tom McQuaid of the defending State

Class A champions nor Coach J. F. Hockaday of New Bern, would go out on a limb concerning tonight's game.

Sports Editor Andrew Grady of the New Bern Sun-Journal says the Bears wouldn't offer too much opposition, but Coach McQuaid has stated that his club lacks experience, and it may well be that the contest will wind up a really hard-fought affair.

Coach McQuaid is expected to start an all-senior crew. Jimmy Davis and Jimmy Owens will be at forwards, Terry Nance at center and Ed Willis and Jamie Norris at the guards.

Davis was a first-stringer last season with the championship team, and Ed Willis was the sixth man on that squad. The other boys are all sorely needing experience.

Among those who will also make the trip to New Bern tonight for the Seadogs will be Raymond Gillikin, Dickie Moore, Larry Kirk, Danny Willis, Charles Smith, Ken Swain, Alex Copeland and Frank Carter.

Bears Have 12-Man Squad

Coach Hockaday has a 12-man squad selected, including four seniors, five juniors, and three sophomores, two of whom may get starting assignments in tonight's fray.

The full squad of the Bears is as follows:

Chris Bremer, James Lancaster, Richard Verrone and Dick Quick, forwards; Durwood Hancock and Bobby McLawhorn, centers; and Verlin Bass, Eddie Stallings, John Meadows, Russell Hoke, Jon Burwell and Robert Gillikin, guards.

In the preliminary contest Coach Hugh Gordon has all of his starting forwards back for this season. They are Peggy Williams, Shirley Piner, and Gerri Bodiford, the Mighty Mite.

Miss Frances Fischel is the coach of the Bears sextet and her girls are ready for tonight's encounter.

County Basketball Teams Will Clash Tonight

Newport's Hawks invade Smyrna tonight for the outstanding twin bill in county and conference play. In six outings this season the Hawks have a 5-1 won and lost record.

Atlantic's Pirates will play host to Dixon in a doubleheader tonight, and other conference contests find White Oak at Panlico and Jones Central at Camp Lejeune.

Jasper Bell To MC Grid Dinner Dec. 7

Jasper Bell, former president of the Morehead City Jaycees, will act as master of ceremonies for the annual football banquet at 7:30 Wednesday night at the Moose Lodge.

Principal speaker at the banquet will be Owen Hale, member of the football coaching staff at North Carolina State College.

It is expected that Mr. Hale will show films of the Wolfpack in action.

Members of THE NEWS-TIMES All-Seashore Conference team will be given their awards at the banquet, and the coach-of-the-year plaque will be presented to Coach Norman Clark.

Coaches of the boys selected for the All-Seashore Conference first team will also be guests of THE NEWS-TIMES at the banquet.

James Macy, chairman of the dinner, has announced that any football fan of this area is invited. Tickets for the event may be obtained from members of the Morehead City Jaycees.

New Hoop Loop Having Troubles

Everything is up in the air with the Carteret Independent Basketball League.

President Bill (Bull) Durham has announced that Atlantic has made application to join the other five quintets already signed up.

The hopes at present are for the league to play Monday night at Atlantic and on Saturday at Smyrna.

In the near future it is also hoped that the loop will have a basketball court at the recreation building in Morehead City where they'll be able to play on another night of the week.

Plans for obtaining the recreation building for a court were brought up before the recreation commission at their meeting Tuesday night.

Fred Lewis, director of recreation, was optimistic about the league having the court provided they erect the backboards and put up the goals, as well as line off the court.

President Durham stated that he hoped a doubleheader would be played in Atlantic Monday night.

Newport Wins Twin-Bill From White Oak Tuesday

By FAYE KELLY

Newport's Hawks swept a double-header Tuesday night at the White Oak court as the boys won the feature game, 76-50, and the girls won a hard-fought 43-44 decision.

With the starters having a hot night, the Hawks moved out to a 21-8 lead at the end of the first quarter and then enjoyed a 39-16 advantage at halftime.

Although second stringers played most of the second half, the Hawks still outscored their opponents and wound up on the long end of the 76-50 score.

Gillikin High Man

Leston Gillikin had one of his best nights as he popped in 29 points to lead the Hawks to victory. Every player on the Newport bench saw action and scored. Runner-up honors for the winners went to Eugene Edwards with 12 markers.

Dixon was high pointmaker for the losers with 17. Teammates Gerry Riggs 10, and Banks 11, were the other double figure scorers.

The preliminary contest saw Newport enjoy a 10-8 lead at the end of the first quarter and a 25-21 advantage at halftime. At the three-quarter mark Newport's sextet led 38-30, and it was in the final quarter that the White Oak girls outscored the Newport team, but to no avail as Newport waltzed off with the 48-44 decision.

Mann High for Victors

Virginia Mann was high for the winners with 24 points as Ann Dennis hit the nets for 19 markers.

Ann Pittman was high scorer for the losers with 30 counters.

The lineups: Newport boys (76)—Temple 8, Small 4, Mason 4, Edwards 12, Gillikin 29, Garner 8, Lilly 4, Hardison 2, A. Wallace 3, L. Wallace 2.

White Oak boys (50)—Coston, Jones 6, Dixon 17, Collins 1, G. Riggs 10, J. Riggs 3, Davis 2, Banks 11.

The score by quarters: Total Newport 21 18 25 12—76 White Oak 8 8 15 19—50.

The lineups: Newport girls (48)—Dennis 19, D. Garner 5, C. Mann, V. Mann 24, Chadwick, Small, Duggee, Wallace and B. Garner.

White Oak girls (44)—A. Pittman 30, Godwin 6, Melville 6, Parker 2, Bean, Madread, Bright, Stroud and A. Godwin.

The score by quarters: Total Newport 10 15 13 10—48 White Oak 8 13 9 14—44

Monarchs Host Southport Team Saturday Night

W. S. King School's Monarchs open the 1955-56 court campaign Saturday when they host the always formidable Southport five. Game time for the preliminary contest is set at 7:30 p.m.

Coach J. R. Thompson of the Monarchs stated that he has a better rounded team this season than last. He said the boys show promise of better outside shooting and have speed to burn.

Carrying the major part of the load for the Monarchs are Ike Williams, 6 foot 6 inch forward, and Robert Hester, 6 foot 4 inch center. Other starters for the Monarchs will include players 5 foot 7 inches or shorter. They include guards Ralph Wilson and Charles Collins and either William Adams or Henry Dudley at the other forward slot.

The girls lineup will feature Captain Doris Tootle at center, Doris Dudley and Betty Hester at forwards and Emma Pickett, Sudie Dunn and Lillian Harkley as guards.

The preliminary contest also is expected to be a good game since the King Street girls are ear'nt for the opening whistle.