

SPORTS



Basketball Tournament

Chaparral High School stopped the top scorer in Nevada last Thursday in the semi-finals of the Rancho Holiday Classic. Chaparral reached these finals by overthrowing Rancho 103-71, and holding the state's No. 1 scorer, Hal Welch, to a season low of 15 points.

This brought Chaparral to face Crescenta Valley, the tournament winners of last year.

The top scorer for Crescenta Valley is Greg Goorjian, the son of the coach, Ed Goorjian. They might be the best father-son basketball combination since Press and "Pistol" Pete Maravich formed a father-son and coach-player combination at LSU. The younger Goorjian scored 125 points in three games, giving him a 40.5 average.

Chaparral won over Rancho for the second time this year and took advantage of early Ram turnovers to control the game. They had to play without starting forward Donnie Love who was ill.

Love started out on Wednesday evening but had to be taken out of the game. Thursday morning, he was taken to the hospital, where he passed away on Friday. Love is the son of the owner of Love's Cocktail Lounge on Jackson street.

Love's teammates voted to go ahead and play the final game of the Holiday Classic because they felt "Donnie would want us to." Chaparral coach Booth says, "I am

more concerned with the Love family than a basketball game. I'm glad I'm not playing tonight. Younger people take this in stride better than older people."

Chaparral beat Crescenta Valley 92-74 in an emotional game which followed a standing ovation for Love by a crowd of 3,000.

An autopsy performed, showed Love died from "acute heart failure brought on by a viral infection." The heart failure stemmed from viral myocarditis, a viral blood infection.

Chaparral is the new champion of the Tournament. The team seemed to be playing for Love.

Lady Rebels

The Lady Rebels are keeping up with the Rebels by claiming a 7-0 record this season.

When the Lady Rebels went against the University of Mexico in the opening round of the "Tournament of Champions" in the UNLV South Gym on Tuesday night, they walked away with a score of 105-55.

Games involving the University of Mexico are billed as exhibitions, and not part of the tournament.

During the game with the University of Mexico, Jane Fincher scored 24 points; Belinda Candler added another 22 points and 4 rebounds; and Cindy Perkins put in another 21 points; while Sherri Hudlow got in 12 points.

Jane Fincher sparked UNLV with 32 points to lead the Lady Rebels to a 93-69 win over Cal State Fullerton during the second Tournament of Champions Wednesday night.

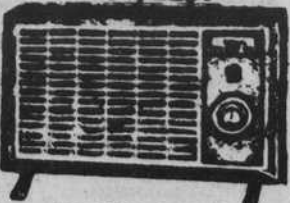
This gives the Lady Rebels an 8-0 record.

Belinda Candler added 23 points and 15 rebounds and Sherri Hudlow had 15 points and 10 rebounds.

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FOOTBALL BOWL GAMES

New Year's Day is a day of football. There are four bowl games during the day - Sugar Bowl; Orange Bowl; Rose Bowl; and Cotton Bowl. Then there is the Super Bowl on January 16.

Well, on New Year's Day - rather January 2, this year, the Bowl games were: SUGAR BOWL, Alabama beat Ohio State 35-6; COTTON BOWL, Notre Dame beat Texas 38-10; ROSE BOWL, Washington over Michigan 27-20; and ORANGE BOWL, Arkansas over Oklahoma 31-6.

Sugar Bowl: Alabama is third ranking and Ohio State was No. 9. Quarterback Jeff Rutledge of Alabama, won the Most Valuable Player Award in the game after connecting on 8 of 11 passes for 109 yards, two touchdowns, and a two-point conversion.

Rutledge, a junior, stole the show from the two coaching legends, who had dominated the pregame publicity - Bear Bryant of Alabama and Woody Hayes of Ohio State, who had entered the game with a combined victory total of 503.

Cotton Bowl: Texas is ranked as the No. 1 team, yet Notre Dame beat them in the Cotton Bowl. Notre Dame coach says, "I feel we should be No. 1. Will we? I don't know. I wouldn't care to guess. I think we beat the No. 1 team when they were healthy and at home, and at this point I don't believe anybody could beat our team. We beat No. 1. What does that make us?"

Before this win Notre Dame was ranked No. 5.

Rose Bowl: Washington quarterback Warren Moon says, "I think we finally won the respect we deserve. Some people didn't even think we belonged in the Rose Bowl. They thought we would come down here and just lie down. We never lost faith in ourselves."

As Michigan rallied Moon said, "All I could think of out there at the last were the games we lost to Syracuse and Minnesota. I was thinking 'Oh, no!'"

Orange Bowl: Arkansas is sixth ranked and rose to National Champions.

Arkansas became the first team all season to hold Oklahoma scoreless for a half.

Arkansas and Oklahoma were the only two teams who lost to Texas all season.

Super Bowl on January 16 will see the Dallas Cowboys and Denver Broncos.

Tickets went on sale Tuesday A.M., and on Monday at least 2,000 persons were already line up to buy the 10,000 tickets available.

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