

SPORTS

Lady Rebels

Despite an incredible 56-point effort by 6-5 Cougar center, Tina Gunn, the University of Nevada, Las Vegas, Lady Rebels squeezed out a 98-90 decision over Brigham Young University Saturday (January 27) night at the Las Vegas Convention Center.

With the win, the Lady Rebels improved their regular season record to 17-0, extended their home game win streak to 54, and remained one of just four (including Old Dominion, Cheyney State and Oregon) women's college basketball teams in the country with a perfect mark.

Once again, 5-9 junior forward Teresa Endicott Willis (Jennings, Oklahoma-Olive HS) led UNLV with 34 points. The All-America candidate also grabbed a game high 16 rebounds in the contest, which saw the lead change sides several times. Willis' performance upped her season averages to 27.1 points and 13.9 rebounds a game. She also is now second on the team in steals (24) and third in assists (39).

Other Lady Rebels who tallied in double figures were freshmen Tina Glover (Pittsburg, CA-Pittsburg HS), with 21 points, and Sandra Hamilton (Las Vegas-Chaparral HS), 17 points, and junior Paula Odnaha (Midwest City, Oklahoma-Choctaw HS), with 12. Glover also dished out six assists while intercepting three Cougar passes.

As a team, coach Dan Ayala's 10th ranked squad out-rebounded the much taller Cougars.

50-45, while forcing them into 39 miscues.

The Lady Rebels will remain in Las Vegas to host San Diego State University at 7:30 p.m. Friday (February 2) in the UNLV South Gym and Cal State, Fullerton Sunday (February 4) at 5:30 p.m. at the Las Vegas Convention Center.

NEWS OF SPORTS

Family Ski Contest

Family skiing is getting a lift from the Equitable Family Ski Challenge, which for the third straight year is bringing family teams from all over the country into competition with each other.



WARMING THE HEARTS of family skiers is the Equitable Family Ski Challenge — a national event for parent/child teams.

In the Family Ski Challenge, father-daughter, father/son, mother/daughter, mother/son teams race against the clock in a modified giant slalom race.

This year the competitions, which are sponsored by the Equitable Life Assurance Society in cooperation with the United States Ski Team, will be conducted at 53 areas in 23 states. The winners at the local levels will advance to one of the nine regional events which begin on March 3.

Then, 36 winners—one from each region in each of the four family categories—will receive all-expense-paid trips to compete in the National Finals at Snowbird Utah, April 7 to 11, 1979.

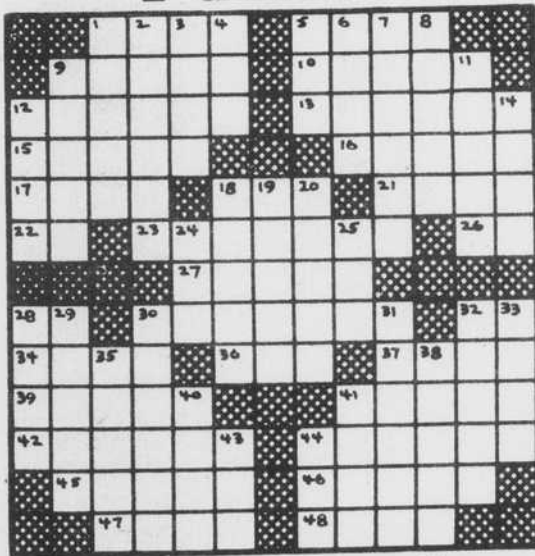
Both parent and child must be amateurs, and the child cannot turn 22 before April 15, 1979. A family team may participate in more than one category.

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 18. Mineral spring
 21. Step
 22. Printer's measure
 23. Prominent
 26. Tantalum: chem.
 27. Pungently
 28. Jewish month
 30. Small beards
 32. Pound: abbr.
 34. Roseate
 36. Norse war-god
 37. Russian ruler
- DOWN**
1. Blow marks
 2. Apportion
 3. Nights before
 4. Marry
 5. Turkish title
 6. Enraptured
 7. Continent
 8. Greek assembly
 9. Flax cloth
 11. Decree
 12. Narrow strip
 14. African tree
 18. Ermine
 19. Little pie
 20. More capable
 24. Exclamation
 25. Strong alkaline
 28. Greek war god
 29. Pugilist
 30. Whirl
 31. Tried hard
 32. Mark with a name
 33. Brought up
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