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GYMNASTICS – The Girls won their League Meet at Central Valley last week scoring a season high 174,950 team points. Dezlyn Lundquist placed 1st in all 4 events and was the All-Around Champion while Tabitha Pierce was 2nd in each event and 2nd All-Around. The weather postponed their Invitational in Vancouver Saturday, but it has been rescheduled for this weekend. If you have not seen our Girls compete, you can come support them tomorrow (Tuesday) at the Mead Gymnastics Center as they host NC, Ferris, LC, Rogers and University.

DANCE – Our Mead Dance Team was in Selah this weekend for their first competition of the year and placed 1st in Hip Hop, 2nd in Dance and 3rd in Pom. Mackenzie Ediger was 1st in Drill downs and Audrey Loft was 4th.

CHEER – Mead’s Blue Team placed 2nd at the WSCCA JV State Championships held at Tahoma High School. The Girls recorded their highest score of the season.

GI S S BASKETBALL – The Girls picked up League wins over Cheney and University last week. Tuesday at Mead, three players scored in double-figures as the Panthers defeated the Blackhawks, 67-31. Teryn Gardner had 26 points, Reese Frederick 14 points and Addison Wells-Morrison had 10. Friday against the Titans, Gardner had 19, Gracie Wenkerman 15, Frederick 13 and Morrison 12 in the 72-34 win.

BOYS BASKETBALL – The Boys won one and lost one last week. Tuesday against Cheney, Bryce Lyud’s three pointer with 1-second left was the game winner in the Panthers 71-68 win over the Blackhawks. Jaden Ghoreishi led Mead with 20 points, Nash Dunham hit 5 threes and scored 19, Karson Maze had 13 points and Lyud finished with 9 points. Friday at University, a slow start in the first quarter had the Boys playing from behind all game and the Titans got the win, 54-48. Karson Maze (15 pts) and Jaden Ghoreishi (10 points) led the Panthers.

WRESTLING – Our match at Cheney was canceled Wednesday and rescheduled for tomorrow (Tuesday) at Cheney. Match times have been moved up – with JV starting at 4:00 and Varsity matches getting under way at 6:00 pm. Last Thursday Mead defeated Ridgeline, 60-7. Ben Jaime, Jeroen Smith, Logan Ullah, Cole Schumacher and Austin Frederick all had pins. The Panthers were at Lewis & Clark Saturday at the Tiger JV Dual Meet and went 4-0 defeating Ferris(64-12), West Valley (64-12), Coeur d’Alene(57-24) and University(57-7) to win the Team Championship.

GIRLS WRESTLING – The Girls were in Othello for the Lady Huskie Invitational and placed 13th as a Team. Raenah Smith was the Champion at 120 lbs. and Baylie Conner placed 6th at 190 lbs.

Sneak Peak @ Post Season Dates... Wrestling wraps up their regular season with Thursday’s match at Mt. Spokane. then both the Boys & Girls move on to their respective Sub Regional Tournaments. The Girls are at Hanford High School – February 2 and the Boys are at the Spokane Convention Center February 2 & 3. Regional Tournaments are the following weekend – Boys at University and Girls at Sunnyside. Mat Classic XXXV is February 16 & 17 at the Tacoma Dome. Gymnastics has their last regular season meet next Tuesday (1/30). JV Districts are February 3 and the Mead Gymnastics Center will host the 2A/3A Regionals on February 13. The State Meet is at Sammamish High School February 22-24. February 6 (CatMania) is the end of the regular season for Boys & Girls Basketball. The District 8 Tournament begins February 10 and the Opening Round of State games are set for February 20.