Cavs are perfect 10-0 on dream season!!

Ron Hicks (14) was a major key to victory for the 10-0 Highland Cavaliers.

Ron Hicks, Thomas's and fullback Ralph Carter's running got the ball down to the Pioneer's 6 yardline. Ralph Carter had 100 yards on 8 carries.

Hicks found wide receiver Anthony Richards in the back of the endzone for the score. The point after failed, but the Cavs had a 13-3 lead going into the locker room.

The Highland Cavaliers increased the lead on their first possession in the second half. CVC went 43 yards on 6 plays for the score following a very short Tusculum punt.

Thomas capped off the scoring drive by following the offensive line into the endzone from 5 yards out. The run for two failed, but the Cavs had a 19-3 lead with 11:43 left in the third quarter.

Thomas finished the game with 248 yards rushing on 35 carries.

Thomas finished his regular season Cavalier career in a flurry of fakes, slashes, power running, and class.

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Purpose student center may increase activity fees

Amy Howard
News Editor

Clinch Valley College student activity fees may rise in Fall 1997 to fund a proposed 34,000 square foot Student Center. Plans were unveiled during a University of Virginia Advisory Council meeting on October 25.

The proposed center will include an expanded student lounge and cafe area. The cafe area is a 3000 square foot performance room and a fitness center with racquet ball and weight room facilities.

Gary Juhun, Vice Chancellor for student affairs at Clinch Valley College, said the student center is badly needed as Clinch Valley prepares to move into the 21st century.

In order to compete with larger schools like Radford and Virginia Tech, Clinch Valley must have the facilities to attract students from outside Southwest Virginia, Juhun said.

"We have been a successful recruiter with students from this region and we will continue to be. But the number of high school students bound for college from this area will go down with the population," Juhun said.

"If we want to grow, we are going to have to attract students from out of this area. When high school students look at Virginia Tech or Radford, those colleges all have facilities that we don't. We need to have those facilities to attract and retain students," Juhun said.

But Juhun added that along with growth comes some type of student financial commitment. The preliminary cost for the center is $8 million, and student activity fees may be increased by $100 to $125 to help finance the center.

The financing cost may go down if the college receives private donations and completes financing payments for Castrell Hall in 2002.

Juhun said the money allocated for paying off Castrell Hall from student activity fees may be used to finance the student activity center, therefore eliminating the need to raise activity fees.

Juhun also stressed that although students who pay for the center starting in the fall of 1997 may never get to use the facility, it is important for students to realize that someone must support this growth.

The center will be located between Smiddy Hall and John Wylie Cook library on the slope of the hill.

Juhun noted the location of the center is crucial because it will connect both upper and lower campus and create a campus "living room."

"Hopefully the center will serve as an integration point for a variety of students. It will help bridge the gap between upper and lower campus and overcome the dreaded hill with an elevator connecting both levels of campus," Juhun said.

The Advisory Council passed a resolution to support plans for the proposed center and gave approval for Clinch Valley to pursue financing on the project.

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The game will begin at 7:30 pm, and it is anticipated that it will be a high-energy competition. It will be a test of skill and strategy as both teams strive to secure victory. The fans are encouraged to come out, cheer for their favorite team, and enjoy the game.

By attending, you will be a part of the excitement and support for the Cavaliers, and you will have the opportunity to witness a thrilling contest. So, mark your calendars, and be there to witness the excitement of the game. Let’s get ready to rumble! The Cavaliers await your support and encouragement.

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Our journey begins with a look at last weeks extra-competitive tournaments between CVC teams. The hard court, and Mountain Empire Conference. The teams featured four CVC games, of which Clinch Valley won three. Our next new team DPLLL, the Frankforts, dropped a heartbreaker to the Stone Dogs, 21-22. Despite the loss in the final game, Clinch Valley remained the champions of the conference.

To continue our trip down the lane, the Clinch Valley College Intramural 5 on 5 Basketball season continued next week. All of the participating teams will then be set up in a new tournament. This will be set up in the standard, "You lose and you get to go home", elimination fashion.

This was the first ever undefeated season for the Clinch Valley Clinch Pioneers. After weeks of hard-fought victories, the Clinch Valley Clinch Pioneers claimed the number 4 spot in the nation. The Clinch Valley Clinch Pioneers' impressive run is a testament to their hard work and dedication.

Recently, Todd Oambil's office in Cantrell Hall, 3B, has released a statement that their main goal in life is the advancement of the Intramural Report. They continue to work tirelessly to ensure that the report is a reflection of the students' interests and needs.

On November 19, the Clinch Valley College versus Westminster game was held. The Clinch Valley Clinch Pioneers came out on top, winning by a score of 79-40. The Clinch Valley Clinch Pioneers' victory was a testament to their hard work and dedication.

The game was a battle for both teams, with Westminster's offensively and the Clinch Valley Clinch Pioneers' defensively powerful. The Clinch Valley Clinch Pioneers' efforts were a great one, especially for the first game of the season.

In the next game, the Clinch Valley Clinch Pioneers looked to redeem themselves on Tuesday, November 21. The Clinch Valley Clinch Pioneers faced off against Westminster College again, and they were determined to take the victory. The Clinch Valley Clinch Pioneers showed their determination by fighting hard and ultimately securing the win.

The Lady Cavs also will travel to the Bennett Forest School. The Lady Cavs have been practicing hard and are determined to take the victory.

Finally, we see the continued action throughout the intramural season. We hope that you aren't confused by the constant schedule changes, and that you continue to follow along.

“I Do It fot the Lady Cavs”

When asked why they continue to participate in the Intramural Report, the Lady Cavs responded, “It is a way to stay active and healthy. We love playing with our teammates and enjoying the competition.”

The Lady Cavs have shown their commitment to the Intramural Report, and their dedication to their sport. They are a shining example of what intramural sports can bring to a community.
Book giveaway a success

David Grimes
Staff Writer

Clinch Valley College’s Alumni Hall has been temporarily transformed into a book store as some 40,000 books were delivered to be given away beginning November 11.

The books are free to all students and faculty courtesy of Joe Chadwell, an alumni of Clinch Valley College. Chadwell helped organize a donation of books by Penguin Publishing Company to go to Clinch Valley College. The book giveaway is part of a Southwest Virginia book distribution reading program.

The books are damaged, and instead of throwing them away they were donated to the program. Some 40,000 books were donated, half of which are still in storage.

The give away started out slow, but by Wednesday, word had circulated around campus, said Director of Alumni Relations Valerie Lawson. Soon, Alumni Hall was buzzing with students. Out of the 20,000 books there, some estimated 18,000 were given away during a one week span.

Lawson originally thought that more faculty, rather than students, would pick up books, but the large student turnout really impressed her. “The whole purpose is to get people interested in reading,” Lawson said.

For students that missed the first give away, a second give-away will take place on Dec. 11, in Alumni Hall.

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With the 248 yards rushing, Thomas set a new school record for single game rushing. The record was previously held by Ernest Starker. A very fitting end to Greg Thomas’ regular season career.

During the Pioneer’s next possession, disaster struck. With a third and ten situation, quarterback Craig Harvey was picked off by cornerback Rod Burnett.

Burnette went 40 yards the other way untouched for the score. Withrow’s extra point was good. With 11:16 left in the third quarter, the Highland Cavaliers were in command 26-3.

The perfect season now seemed to be a lock, and it was up to the defense to secure the game.

As they have all year, the Cavs defense continued to play outstanding football by forcing the Pioneers to turn the ball over on downs at the Cavs’ two yard line.

The Cavalier’s offense then took the field and went 98 yards on 10 plays. The Tuscmah defense tightened which forced the Cavs to settle for a 20 yard field goal by Withrow to make the final score 29-3.

Tuscmah finished their season with a 1-9 record. Next week, the Cavs will host Westminster, PA in the first round of the NAIA National Playoffs.

Come out and support the team as they begin their quest for a National Championship. Game time is set for 1:30 Saturday at Coeburn High School.

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CVC must now submit the proposal to Virginia state legislators. If the proposal is accepted, the college will begin financial planning to fund the center.

Christmas classic to come to Wise

Everyone’s favorite holiday ballet, The Nutcracker, is coming to Wise December 10.

The Christmas fantasy, presented by Pro-Art Association and performed by Ballet Theatre Pennsylvania, will begin a 7:30 p.m. at J.J. Kelly High School.

It is co-sponsored by Piggly Wiggly and is part of the W. Campbell Edmonds Memorial Concert Series.

For more than a hundred years, The Nutcracker has delighted people of all ages. Its enchanting music, created by Peter Ilyich Tchaikovsky with the magical story by E.T.A. Hoffman, combined to produce a favorite holiday tradition.

The exquisite ballet opens at a Christmas party given by Dr. Stahlbaum and his wife.

Clara, her brother Fritz, and other children anxiously await the arrival of Herr Drosselmeyer, Clara’s godfather.

When Herr Drosselmeyer arrives, he has toys for all the children, but he gives Clara the best present of all—a toy nutcracker soldier.

At bedtime, Clara falls asleep and dreams that Drosselmeyer’s toys all come to life. Her dream turns to a nightmare, as the Christmas tree grows to an enormous size, and giant mice come out to battle soldiers in the living room.

Clara’s nutcracker doll battles the Mouse King, and the battle is won.

The Mouse King’s death breaks a magic spell and the Nutcracker turns into a handsome prince. Clara has grown up and they voyage through the Land of Snow to the Kingdom of Sweets.

All too soon, however, Drosselmeyer appears. He escorts Clara home, and her wonderful dream is over.

Talented award-winning dancers from Russia and the United States are directed by Vladimir Shumelkin in the production.

Originally from the Ukraine, Shumelkin received his training at the Kiev Ballet Academy.

He was Premier Danseur of the Lvov Opera and Ballet Theatre, then of the Odessa Opera and Ballet Theatre.

Admission is free for Clinch Valley College students who show a valid ID card at the door.

For more information or assistance for persons with a handicap, call (540) 328-2174 or TDD (540) 328-0191.

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