



# Lady Huskies defeated by tough Southern Valley team

The Northern Valley High School girls basketball team lost 66-41 to Southern Valley on Tuesday in Almena.

The Lady Huskies fell behind in the first quarter and couldn't catch up during the rest of the game: 18-2, 35-12, 49-27, 66-41.

Kelli Cole led scoring for Northern Valley with 17 points, followed by Serena Woodside, 15 points; Andrea Lowry, 3; Kylene Hager, 2; Alysia Shearer, 2; Joni

Hilburn, 1; and Kelsey Kinderknecht, 1.

Northern Valley will host Logan tonight in Almena, beginning at 4:30 p.m.

**Southern Valley 66, Northern Valley 41**

Score by quarters:  
N. Valley 2 10 15 14 — 41  
S. Valley 18 17 14 17 — 66

**Northern Valley**  
Cole 2 3 4-4 17, Woodside 5 0

5-5 15, Lowry 0 1 0-0 3, Hager 1 0 0-2, Shearer 1 0 0-2, Hilburn 0 0 3-1 1, Kinderknecht 0 0 3-1 1, Jena Jessup 0 0 1-0 0. Totals 94 16-11 41.

**Southern Valley**  
M. Murdoch 3 2 3-2 14, M. Becker 6 0 4-1 13, A. Strickland 6 0 0-0 12, J. Perkins 3 1 2-1 10, A. Steeb 3 0 0-0 6, T. Siebels 1 0 6-3 5, C. Brooks 2 0 0-0 4, C. Gustafson 1 0 0-0 2, E. Witte 0 0 1-0 0. Totals 25 3 16-7 66.



Northern Valley Lady Husky Kelli Cole (above left) jars the ball loose from a Southern Valley player and it is picked up by a teammate in the game on Tuesday. Cole led all scorers in the game with 17 points. Kelsey Kinderknecht (above) attempts a three-point basket.

— Telegram photo by Susie Marble



Cole Kinderknecht puts up a shot for the Huskies in the game against Southern Valley Tuesday evening in Almena. No. 32 Joey Copper is ready for a rebound.

— Telegram photo by Susie Marble

# Northern Valley boys lose at home to Southern Valley

The Northern Valley boys basketball team was defeated 61-48 by Southern Valley Tuesday night in Almena.

The Huskies trailed in every quarter: 16-9, 31-18, 38-30, 61-48.

Joey Copper led scoring for the green team with 27 points, followed by Avery Thalheim, 11; Cody Lowry, 5; and Cole

Kinderknecht, 5.

The Huskies will host Logan tonight in Almena, beginning at 4:30 p.m.

**Southern Valley 61, Northern Valley 48**

Score by quarters:  
N. Valley 9 9 12 18 — 48  
S. Valley 16 15 17 13 — 61

**Northern Valley**  
Copper 11 0 5-5 27, Thalheim 1

3 0-0 11, Lowry 1 1 0-0 5, Kinderknecht 1 0 4-3 5. Totals 14 4 9-8 48.

**Southern Valley**  
Winscot 4 0 5-5 13, Moruhn 6 0 2-1 13, Fults 3 1 3-2 11, Bergen 1 1 0-0 5, Hoxmeier 2 0 0-0 4, Otte 1 0 2-2 4, Nielsen 1 0 2-2 4, Lueking 1 0 2-2 4, Bergen 1 0 0-0 2, Einspfer 0 0 2-1 1. Totals 20 2 18-15 61.

# NWK Snooker League played matches Wednesday

**NWK Snooker League**  
Snooker League match results of Wednesday's action shows the following:

Home/Longshot, 10, Visitor/Golden Q, 2; Home/Office 7, Visitor/Websters, 5.

League Standing, to include in order — Team, Matches Played,

Matches Won, Matches Lost, Games Won, Games Lost, Percent of Games Won:

Longshot, 10-8-2-83-39-68.03 percent  
Office, 10-7-3-80-48 = 62.50 percent  
Golden Q, 10-5-5-58-68 = 46.03 percent

Websters, 10-0-10-27-93 = 22.50 percent.

Bob Hoover and Danny Heller, both of Norton, are on the Longshot Bar and Grill team of Phillipsburg. The other teams are from the following towns: The Golden Q, Hays and The Office and Websters, both of Stockton.

# Northern Valley wins two games in Hill City C-team Tournament

The Northern Valley boys C-team lost to Hill City, but then beat Plainville and Phillipsburg in the Hill City C-team Basketball Tournament.

**Hill City**  
The Huskies lost 68-18 to Hill City on Dec. 29.

They trailed in every quarter: 22-0, 35-6, 53-12, 68-18.

Drew Britt led scoring for the green team with 8 points, followed by Tanner Jessup, 6; Cody Callaway, 2; and Eric Woodside, 2.

**Plainville**  
Northern Valley defeated Plainville 38-31 on Dec. 30.

The Huskies took the lead in the first quarter, and then kept it to win the game: 10-1, 27-17, 31-23, 38-31.

Jessup led scoring with 19 points, followed by Britt, 5; Woodside, 5; Callaway, 4; Ethan Hays, 3; and Blake Johnson, 2.

**Phillipsburg**  
The Huskies beat Phillipsburg

31-27 on Dec. 31.

Northern Valley trailed by two at the end of the first quarter, but then took the lead in the second and third to win the game in the fourth: 8-6, 19-16, 26-24, 31-27.

Britt and Jessup led with 11 points each, followed by Callaway with 5, Woodside with 3, and Hays with 1.

**Hill City 68, Northern Valley 18**

Score by quarters:  
N. Valley 0 6 6 6 — 18  
Hill City 22 13 18 15 — 68

**Northern Valley**  
Britt 4 0 0-0 8, Jessup 2 0 4-2 6, Callaway 0 0 4-2 2, Woodside 1 0 0-0 2. Totals 7 0 8-4 18.

**Hill City**  
Vap 5 2 1-1 17, Breese 6 0 0-0 12, Pfeifer 5 0 0-0 10, Van Loenen 2 2 0-0 10, Miller 3 0 4-3 9, Robinson 4 0 2-1 9, Born 0 0 3-1 1. Totals 25 4 10-6 68.

**Northern Valley 38, Plainville 31**

Score by quarters:

N. Valley 10 17 4 7 — 38  
Plainville 1 16 6 8 — 31

**Northern Valley**  
Jessup 7 0 13-5 19, Britt 2 0 2-1 5, Woodside 1 1 0-0 5, Callaway 2 0 1-0 4, Hays 0 1 0-0 3, Johnson 1 0 0-0 2. Totals 13 2 16-6 38.

**Plainville**  
Copeland 2 1 0-0 7, Gehring 3 0 2-0 6, Claridge 1 0 6-3 5, Sears 2 0 3-1 5, Lynch 1 0 4-2 4, David 2 0 1-0 4, McCune 0 0 2-0 0. Totals 11 1 18-6 31.

**Northern Valley 31, Phillipsburg 27**

Score by quarters:  
N. Valley 6 13 7 5 — 31  
P-burg 8 8 8 3 — 27

**Northern Valley**  
Britt 4 1 0-0 11, Jessup 5 0 4-1 11, Callaway 2 0 3-1 5, Woodside 0 1 0-0 3, Hays 0 0 2-1 1. Totals 11 2 9-3 31.

**Phillipsburg**  
Keiswetter 5 0 0-0 10, Oliva 3 0 2-1 7, Horn 2 0 0-0 4, Van Der Wege 2 0 0-0 4, T. Jarvis 1 0 0-0 2. Totals 13 0 2-1 27.

# Logan girls overcome slow start to defeat Palco 55-41 in Logan

The Logan High School girls basketball team defeated Palco 55-41 on Tuesday in Logan.

"We started off slowly and our intensity level was not where we like it to be," said Coach Linda Nighswonger. "Things improved as the game progressed. Palco did a good job of using their height advantage early in the game."

"We did a good job of hitting our outside shots and moving the ball against Palco's zone defense."

Megan Brumbaugh led scoring for Logan's ladies with 17 points,

followed by Shelley Kemper, 15; Jenny Noel, 10; Anne Hartman, 9; Bethany Clements, 2; and Shaley Van Loenen, 2.

Out of the Lady Trojans' 31 rebounds, honors went to Noel and Kemper with 6 each.

Kemper, Clements, Hartman and Brumbaugh led steals with 2 each.

Leading assists were Clements, Brumbaugh and Noel, each with 3. The team totaled 13.

Logan will travel to Almena tonight where they will play North-

ern Valley, beginning at 4:30 p.m.

**Logan 55, Palco 41**

Score by quarters:  
Logan 13 11 17 14 — 55  
Palco 11 14 5 11 — 41

**Logan**  
Brumbaugh 3 3 4-2 17, Kemper 4 1 6-4 15, Noel 2 2 0-0 10, Hartman 4 0 2-1 9, Clements 1 0 0-0 2, Van Loenen 1 0 0-0 2. Totals 15 6 10-7 55.

**Palco**  
Wilke 8 0 3-2 18, Keller 6 0 2-1 3, Gehring 1 2 1-0 8, Benoit 1 0 0-0 2. Totals 16 2 6-3 41.

# Logan boys defeat Palco on Tuesday

The Logan High School boys basketball team beat Palco 71-54 Tuesday in Logan.

The Trojans led in every quarter: 20-12, 43-27, 58-40, 71-54.

Bryant Reese led scoring for Logan with 20 points, followed by Zach Long, 18; Kyle Brobst, 13; Tim McElroy, 10; Lee Van Loenen, 6; Kevin Burge, 2; and Ethan Gottschalk, 2.

Logan will travel to Almena where they will play Northern Valley tonight beginning at 4:30 p.m.

**Logan 71, Palco 54**

Score by quarters:  
Logan 20 23 15 13 — 71  
Palco 12 15 13 14 — 54

**Logan**  
Reese 7 2 2-0 20, Long 6 1 6-3 18, Brobst 2 3 0-0 13, McElroy 2

0 8-6 10, Van Loenen 3 0 0-0 6, Burge 0 0 2-2 2, Gottschalk 1 0 2-0 2. Totals 21 6 20-11 71.

**Palco**  
S. Simoneau 2 2 3-3 13, M. Belisle 6 0 1-0 12, B. Hamel 1 3 0-0 11, A. Knipp 3 0 8-5 11, J. Steeples 1 0 2-1 3, T. Desbien 1 0 0-0 2, E. Belisle 1 0 0-0 2. Totals 15 5 14-9 54.