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Jackets travel to Woodford for second scrimmage

By Jack Shephard of the Staff
The Carlisle Blue Jackets... JACKETS... If you counted last Saturday, the Bluejackets scored less than Woodford County through four quarters, but not much less. In game terms, the contest would have been called a nail biter.

While the team consistently outscored the Jackets, it was never by much. This was made a factor in part because of the Jackets' solid inside defense.

Head Coach Chris O'Hearn wanted it. First, instead, were treated to four mini-games while the Bluejackets only took one quarter. The fourth, there was a great deal to be said for how far the Bluejackets have come prior to the commencement of the regular season last Tuesday against Anderson County.



The 1992-93 Nicholas County Varsity Pep Band. In order, Flutes: Sandy Damper, Susan Irvin, Beth Dunn, Holly Becker, Melinda Jolly, Darra Boom, Kass Tubo, Rhonda Wilcoxson, Clarine Kane, Lawrence Megan Denton, Jan Hilton, Melissa Joy, Megan Metcalfe, Adolpha Mensinger, Crystal Livengood, Jennifer Lintville, Jennifer McCord, Crystal King, Shasha Clark, Shannon Myers, Stephanie Lee, Trudy, Joanne Bantz, Glennia Thacker, Lana Busser, Michael Mathew, Trumpet: Andy Schaninger, Derek Anderson, David Tischer, Ursha Mitchell, Jimmy Betz, Trombone: Kyle Sneed, Matt Hill, Curtis Compton, Bartmore Jason Day, Mark Harmon, Tuba: Paul Sparks, Percussion: Ernest Smith, Brad Torral, Charlie Warner, Jake Denton, Kerry Brumagen, Aaron Dunn, Crystal Hill, Flags: Amanda Clapp, Jeff Anderson, Devocha Heche, one hit, Crystal Hill, Theresa Wilcoxson, Diana Gray, Crystal Hill, Corey Gass, Jana McCarty.

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But the Jackets also improved their defense of the perimeter, O'Hearn said. "I was impressed with as much in practice. The team went out and they played tough. They made mistakes, but most were done because they played hard," O'Hearn said.

Forward Bradley Brown hit from the charity stripe for one and John Brown stripped the net for two points. Israel Stacy also lent two points to the effort. But it was, again, O'Hearn on the sidelines for seven which formed

"It always better to play against another team than against ourselves day after day. The intensity is just not as much in practice. The team went out and they played tough. They made mistakes, but most were done because they played hard," O'Hearn said.

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Jackets lose opener against experienced Bearcat team

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In the third, the Jackets' perimeter defense forced the Bears into a second half. Unfortunately, the Yellow Jackets sank three from beyond the three-point line. But the Woodford game continued, and to slip as the Jackets continued to move on.

John Brown headed up the effort with four points, followed by O'Hearn with three and Stacy and Broderick ending the effort with two apiece. The fourth found the Jackets gathering steam and forcing a 17-13 effort to win, technically. The strength for the Jackets, however, came from different sources.

They were good in spots, especially from the free throw line. I think on foul shots we may have actually performed better. But they faced the pressure well against good athletes. As far as how this loss will affect them, this is the first game of the season. In December first, not March, so we have the time now to improve," O'Hearn said.

But in that same time the Bears had doubled the Jackets. Finally the field goals came from the perimeter as Stacy nailed two three-pointers. Bradley Brown finished the half with a third try with 15 seconds left to enter half time, 21-27.

The Jackets court play improved somewhat in the third quarter. They were good in spots, especially from the free throw line. I think on foul shots we may have actually performed better. But they faced the pressure well against good athletes.

They were 25 of 32 from the foul line with Israel Stacy and Broderick Trussell leading the effort. Stacy hit six of eight, Trussell had eight of 11. The Bears led 27-19 from the Bearcats, the Jackets finally broke a drought shooting from the field as Israel Stacy found the mark for two on a drive.

Through a full half of the second quarter, the Jackets scored only from the charity stripe, hitting eight of ten to top up on the scoreboard.

Broderick picked up his fifth foul midway through the fourth quarter. Chris Sexton completed the Jackets scoring with two more from the foul line as the Bears stepped short of triple figures, finished with the most scoring. Sexton, Stacy, 16; Trussell, 13; Bradley Brown, 7; John Brown, 6; Broderick, Adams, and Sexton had two points each.



Mark Adams finds room between White and Carlton for a field goal. Brad Trussell looks for a rebound.

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