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Sunapee's Alex Elder goes up for two during the season last year.

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A special cause

Sunapee boys hoop team to host Coaches vs. Cancer preseason jamboree Dec. 6

By **JEFF MILLER**

Lake Sunapee Champion Sports

SUNAPEE - Tim LaTorra wants his team to know the meaning of giving back.

The second year Sunapee boys basketball coach and the Lakers will hold their first-ever Coaches vs. Cancer Preseason Jamboree to raise money for the Jimmy V Foundation.

"Cancer is something in my family that's hit home recently," LaTorra said. "It is an important issue that affects a lot of people and we want to do what we can

to help. All of the money will go to the Jimmy V Foundation."

The V Foundation for Cancer Research was founded by former North Carolina State men's basketball coach and broadcaster Jimmy Valvano before he lost his battle with cancer in 1993. The V Foundation has raised more than \$80 million in 15 years and awarded research grants in 38 states.

"We were asked to go to a preseason tournament like this near where I grew up in Enfield, Conn.," said LaTorra, who grew up in Windsor Locks, Conn. "We decided to have our own."

The jamboree will feature eight teams on Dec. 6.

"We've got a nice mix of teams," LaTorra said. "There are four M teams and four S teams, so we don't have to play any teams we'll play during the season."

Besides the host Lakers, the jamboree will be highlighted by Class M contender Stevens.

"I'm glad we'll get a chance to play Stevens," LaTorra said. "They should be one of the better teams in Class M this year."

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Sunapee Varsity Schedules

Boys Soccer (11-4-1)

Coach: Jack Iacopino

Sept. 9 Nute **W 6-0**

Sept. 13 @ Pittsfield **W 4-3**

Sept. 15 @ Mount Zion **W 2-1**

Sept. 19 @ Hinsdale **W 2-1**

Sept. 23 Concord Christian **W 6-0**

Oct. 2 @ Derryfield L 2-1

Oct. 4 Pittsfield **W 1-0**

Oct. 6 @ Concord Christian **W 4-0**

Oct. 8 Calvary Christian **W 5-1**

Oct. 10 @ Nashua Christian **W 2-1**

Oct. 11 Wilton-Lyndeboro L 1-0

Oct. 14 Moultonborough L 2-1

Oct. 16 @ Portsmouth Christ. **W5-0**

Oct. 17 Hinsdale **W 2-1**

Oct. 20 @ Wilton-Lyndeboro L 2-1

Oct. 23 Derryfield **T 0-0**

Girls Soccer (11-4-1)

Coach: Myles Cooney

Sept. 5 Calvary Christian **W 8-0**

Sept. 10 @ Newport **W 4-1**

Sept. 13 @ Pittsfield **W 4-0**

Sept. 15 @ Mount Zion **W 12-0**

Sept. 19 @ Hinsdale **W 7-0**

Sept. 23 Newport **W 2-1**

Oct. 2 @ Derryfield L 4-0

Oct. 4 Pittsfield **T 1-1**

Oct. 8 @ Calvary Christian **W 8-0**

Oct. 10 @ Nashua Christian L 1-0

Oct. 11 Wilton-Lyndeboro L 1-0

Oct. 14 Moultonborough **W 5-0**

Oct. 16 @ Portsmouth Christ. **W 3-0**

Oct. 17 Hinsdale **W 5-0**

Oct. 21 @ Wilton-Lyndeboro **W 2-1**

Oct. 23 Derryfield L 6-1

Golf (9-11)

Coach: Michael Kennedy

Sept. 5 @ Belmont 1-1

Sept. 8 Inter-Lakes 1-1

Sept. 9 @ Hillsboro-Deering 1-1

Sept. 12 @ Winnisquam 1-1

Sept. 15 Derryfield 1-1

Sept. 17 @ Hopkinton 1-1

Sept. 19 @ Conant 1-1

Sept. 23 @ Derryfield 0-2

Sept. 24 @ Stevens 0-2

Sept. 25 @ Winnisquam 2-0

Volleyball (14-4)

Coaches: Tom & Faith Reney

Sept. 8 Prospect Mountain **W 3-0**

Sept. 10 Franklin **W 3-0**

Sept. 12 @ Belmont **W 3-0**

Sept. 13 @ Mascoma **W 3-0**

Sept. 15 Newfound **W 3-1**

Sept. 19 Moultonborough L 3-1

Sept. 22 @ Wilton-Lyndeboro **W 3-0**

Sept. 24 Pittsfield **W 3-0**

Sept. 26 @ Newfound **W 3-0**

Oct. 1 @ Pittsfield **W 3-0**

Oct. 3 Inter-Lakes L 3-2

Oct. 6 @ Prospect Mountain **W 3-2**

Oct. 8 @ Franklin **W 3-0**

Oct. 10 Mascoma **W 3-0**

Oct. 15 Belmont **W 3-1**

Oct. 17 @ Moultonborough L 3-0

Oct. 20 Wilton-Lyndeboro **W 3-0**

Oct. 22 @ Inter-Lakes L 3-0

Athletes of the Week



Olivia Richardson
Volleyball



Hannah Preston
Volleyball

Division III Volleyball All-Staters



Sunapee had two players make the Division III all-state team. Top, Olivia Richardson was a second team selection. Left, Hannah Preston was tabbed for the first team.

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The other Class M teams are Fall Mountain, Hillsboro-Deering and Mascenic. The other three Class S teams along with Sunapee are Derryfield, Wilton-Lyndeborough and Newmarket.

The jamboree will run from 9 a.m. to 4 p.m. at both Sunapee Middle High School and Sherburne Gymnasium. Teams will play three games. Each game will have two, 20-minute running time halves.

“It should be a fun day,” LaTorra said. “All teams will play three games, interact with the kids from the other teams and give back.”

All teams will go to the Sunapee Middle High School Gym for a presentation of Jim Valvano's famous ESPY speech from 1:15 to 1:45 p.m.

Sunapee will be looking to make a move into the top eight in Class S in LaTorra's second season.

“We have a chance to be pretty good,” LaTorra said. “The step this year is to learn how to win games. We need to believe in ourselves.”

Last year the Lakers were in the middle of the pack in Class S qualifying for the tournament.

“If we want to be mediocre, we can be mediocre,” LaTorra said. “If we want to be better than that it's up to us.”

Sunapee will play Hillsboro-Deering, Stevens and Mascenic in the jamboree.

The Lakers will also play at another high-quality jamboree at Class M Hopkinton Dec. 13. In addition to the host Hawks, Sunapee will have the chance to play Class M teams Berlin, Campbell and Newfound.



MARTY MCAULIFF Photo

Sunapee senior guard Dean Gioldassis takes the ball to the bucket in a game last season. Gioldassis and the Lakers would like to improve last season's record.

Sunapee will open the regular season at Pittsfield Dec. 17.

Wilton-Lyndeborough vs. Hillsboro-Deering, 3 p.m.

Sherburne Gym

Sunapee vs. Hillsboro-Deering, 9 a.m.

Newmarket vs. Mascenic, 10 a.m.

Sunapee vs. Stevens, 11 a.m.

Wilton-Lyndeborough vs. Mascenic, noon

Newmarket vs. Stevens, 2 p.m.

Sunapee vs. Mascenic, 3 p.m.

Schedule**Sunapee Middle High School Gym**

Derryfield vs. Stevens, 9 a.m.

Wilton-Lyndeborough vs. Fall Mountain, 10 a.m.

Derryfield vs. Hillsboro-Deering, 11 a.m.

Newmarket vs. Fall Mountain, noon

Derryfield vs. Fall Mountain, 2 p.m.



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NHIAA Tournament Pairings

Class S Boys Soccer

Preliminary Round, Oct. 28

No. 1 Lisbon 5, No. 16 Hinsdale 0
 No. 8 Groveton 3, No. 9 Pittsfield 1
 No. 4 Colebrook 4, No. 13 Woodsville 0
 No. 5 Moultonboro 2, No. 12 Lin-Wood 1
 No. 2 Derryfield 5, No. 15 Portsmouth Christ. 0
 No. 7 Newmarket 1, No. 10 Mt. Zion 0
 No. 14 Gorham 4, No. 3 Wilton-Lynde. 3
 No. 11 Profile 3, **No. 6 Sunapee 1**

Quarterfinals, Oct. 31, 3 p.m.

No. 1 Lisbon 6, No. 8 Groveton 0
 No. 4 Colebrook 2, No. 5 Moultonboro 0
 No. 2 Derryfield 3, No. 7 Newmarket 1
 No. 14 Gorham 2, No. 11 Profile 1

Semifinals, Nov. 4 @ Mills Field, Laconia

No. 1 Lisbon 1, No. 4 Colebrook 0
 No. 2 Derryfield 2, No. 14 Gorham 1

Finals, Nov. 8, Laconia, 3 p.m.

No. 1 Lisbon 2, No. 2 Derryfield 1

Class S Girls Soccer

Preliminary Round, Oct. 29

No. 1 Wilton-Lynde. 3, No. 16 Lin-Wood 0
 No. 8 Colebrook 7, No. 9 Newmarket 0
 No. 4 Littleton 5, No. 13 Portsmouth Chr. 0
 No. 12 Gorham 1, **No. 5 Sunapee 0**
 No. 2 Woodsville 4, No. 15 Hinsdale 1
 No. 7 Groveton 6, No. 10 Moultonboro 0
 No. 3 Derryfield 6, No. 14 Nashua Chr. 0
 No. 6 Pittsfield 1, No. 11 Lisbon 0

Quarterfinals, Nov. 1, 2 p.m.

No. 1 Wilton-Lynde. 3, No. 8 Colebrook 0
 No. 4 Littleton 4, No. 12 Gorham 1
 No. 2 Woodsville 2, No. 7 Groveton 1
 No. 3 Derryfield 4, No. 6 Pittsfield 0

Semifinals, Nov. 5, Laconia

No. 1 Wilton-Lynde. 3, No. 4 Littleton 2
 No. 3 Derryfield 2, No. 2 Woodsville 0

Finals, Nov. 8, Laconia, 1 p.m.

No. 3 Derryfield 2, No. 1 Wilton-Lynde. 1

Division III Volleyball

Preliminary Round, Oct. 30, 6 p.m.

No. 1 Nute 3, No. 16 Franklin 0
 No. 9 Campbell 3, No. 8 Prospect Mtn. 0
 No. 4 Moultonboro 3, No. 13 Epping 0
No. 5 Sunapee 3, No. 12 Mascoma 0
 No. 2 Inter-Lakes 3, No. 15 Hillsboro-Deer. 0
 No. 7 Mascenic 3, No. 10 Belmont 1
 No. 3 Farmington 3, No. 14 Newfound 0
 No. 6 Portsmouth Chr. 3, No. 11 Raymond 2

Quarterfinals, Nov. 1, 6 p.m.

No. 1 Nute 3, No. 9 Campbell 0
 No. 4 Moultonboro 3, No. 5 Sunapee 2
 No. 2 Inter-Lakes 3, No. 7 Mascenic 1
 No. 3 Farmington 3, No. 2 Portsmouth Chr. 2

Semifinals, Nov. 5, Plymouth State

No. 1 Nute 3, No. 4 Moultonboro 1
 No. 3 Farmington 3, No. 2 Inter-Lakes 0

Finals, Nov. 7 @ Plymouth State

No. 1 Nute 3, No. 3 Farmington 0



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Division III Volleyball All-State Team

Player of the Year - Maria Kuehl,

Farmington

Coach of the Year - Randy Mattson,

Inter-Lakes

First Team

Maria Kuehl, Farmington

Mary McGourty, Inter-Lakes

Rachel Stanley, Mascenic

Tawnya Calzada, Moultonborough

Caitlin Wilson, Nute

Julia Cerniauskas, Nute

Katie Veno, Portsmouth Christian

Kelsey Hopper, Prospect Mountain

Hannah Preston, Sunapee

Second Team

Hannah Olstad, Farmington

Shannon Vaughn, Farmington

Erica Dickie, Farmington

Sarah Gould, Hillsboro-Deering

Amanda Parks, Inter-Lakes

Liz Veracka, Moultonborough

Aleta Johnson, Nute

Samantha Poirier, Portsmouth Christian

Olivia Richardson, Sunapee

Honorable Mention

Megan Fecteau, Belmont

Karena Lozeau, Campbell

Chanton Khounkhamtan, Newfound

Lauren Steed, Raymond

Allyson Hayden, Wilton-Lyndeborough



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