

BAHS basketball teams win four

by Debbie Marmor

The Cubs basketball team was back in business Friday and Saturday when the USDESEA sports program was reinstated. BAHS hosted the Wuerzburg Wolves at the Sports Center Gymnasium. Berlin, Wuerzburg, and Baumholder are tied for first place.

Varsity had a tough time both nights. Bobby Todd hurt his arm in the first three minutes of the game but was back with 4½ minutes left in the first quarter. The Cubs led by 2 points at the end of the first period, 15—13, but trailed 23—28 at the half. The Cubs came back to lead 41—37 at the end of the third quarter and stayed ahead to win the game 56—50. Randy Smith was the high scorer with 20 points. Mike Marshall had 14 and Joe Morasco 12.

Saturday the Wolves held the Cubs back. Though the Cubs were ahead 38—34 at the half they were tied at the end of the last period 51—51 and were forced into a three minute overtime. The Wolves won 54—52. Alex Cole led this time with 15 points, but Smith was right behind him with 14 and Morasco with 12.

The varsity girls had a relatively easy time, winning the first night 53—13 and the second night 55—29. The girls were scoring as high as the boys. Even though Janet Virgilio fouled out in the third quarter she managed to put in 19 points. Diane Malloy was in there too, with 12 points. The second day went just as well. Janet Virgilio and Becky Branam both scored 15, Cheryl Dennis 12 and Malloy 10.

The J. V.'s had as tough a time as the Varsity Boys. They went into overtime the first night. They were tied at 52. Marvin Kelker scored the winning field goal to get the Cubs a 64—63 victory over the Wolves. Bill Lovelace scored 14 points, Mike Magnor 15 and Billy McGlockton 11. The second night was a heartbreaker after the excitement of the preceding evening. The J. V.'s lost 55—59. Allan Coe was the only player in double figures, scoring 16 points.

The Cubs travel to Munich this weekend. The Munich Mustangs are tied with the Cubs also, so it will be another "tuffy."

The wrestling team will be home for the first and only time all season. They will be wrestling at the BAHS gym on Friday and Saturday.