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The Boise High JV Girls' Basketball Team capped off their season with three games against tough opponents. On Tuesday, the Brave hosted Capital for their final regular season home game. The game got off to a fast start as Boise jumped out to a commanding 9-3 lead behind strong, early scoring from freshman guard/forward Anya Devlin and freshman guards Caroline Tuman and Brooklyn White. In the second quarter, Brooklyn White knocked down a three-pointer, and sophomore guard/forward Molly Walker came up with two huge and-1 plays to give the Brave momentum going into halftime, and they led the Eagles 16-15. Capital briefly took the lead after halftime, but the Brave responded with timely buckets and never looked back. Clutch free throws at the end of the game sealed the win as the Brave edged the Eagles 32-23. The Brave were led by Anya Devlin with 11 points and 8 rebounds and Brooklyn White with 9 points, going 2-6 from 3-point range.

On Thursday, the Brave traveled to Borah to face their cross-town rivals in a highly-anticipated SIC matchup. It was the final regular season game for both teams, and the Lions were a perfect 11-0 in conference. The Brave opened the first quarter with buckets from freshman guard/forward Anya

Devlin and freshman guard Caroline Tuman. Borah responded with a 6-point streak of their own, taking their first lead at 8-5. Timely baskets from Devlin and freshman guard Jayla Judkins gave the Brave a 10-8 first quarter lead. The second quarter proved challenging as Borah mounted an impressive 12-point scoring run that stretched their lead to 20-13 at halftime. The Brave surged back in the third quarter, behind 8 points from Devlin, cutting the deficit 25-23 going into the fourth. Tuman scored a timely layup late in the fourth quarter, giving the Brave a 31-27 lead. Borah never went away, and tied the game up as the clock expired in regulation. The Lions pulled away in the extra period, outscoring Boise 6-1 in overtime, and sealing the victory 37-32. Despite a tough shooting night, the Brave fought to the very end and gave the #1 seeded Lions a near-upset.

On Saturday, Boise hosted the first round of the Girls JV SIC District Tournament. The #3 Brave faced the #6 Owyhee Storm, a familiar foe they had seen twice during the regular season. Boise jumped out to an early 4-0 lead thanks to freshman guard/forward Anya Devlin, who opened the scoring with back-to-back field goals to set the tone. The Brave built their largest advantage at 13-5 in the second quarter, sparked by strong contributions from both Devlin and junior guard Kestrel Butler. Owyhee responded with an impressive 9-point scoring streak to close out the first half, taking a narrow 14-13 lead into the break. The third quarter saw the teams battle to a 22-22 tie, highlighted by a clutch

three-pointer from Devlin that knotted the score at 16-16, followed by free throws from Brooklyn White who sank three attempts to help keep the game even. The Storm's full court pressure proved too much for the Brave, forcing turnovers and leading to quick transition buckets. Owyhee came away with the 37-30 win, ending the Brave's season. Devlin led the scoring effort with 9 points on 4-of-9 shooting and 9 rebounds, and Butler provided support with 8 points and 11 rebounds.

Although this marked the end of the season, the BHS Girls JV team boasted a tremendous season, finishing third in SIC conference play going 9-4, and 14-7 overall. After starting the season 2-5, they went on a 12-game mid-season win streak. A huge thanks to anyone that supported the team this season, it truly doesn't go unnoticed!

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