

Sports

College Names Winners in Track Meet Sponsored for Youngsters

George Carr of Alondra Park and Steve Verry of Manhattan Beach emerged winners in the first El Camino College track meet sponsored Thursday for youngsters participating in the college summer recreational program.

Carr was the over-all point winner in the classification for boys from 10-4 years of age, while Verry captured honors in competition with boys and girls of 9 and under.

Winning first place in the standing broad jump and softball throw events, Carr placed first in the 50-yard dash, second in the 330-yard run, third in the 330-yard dash, and fourth in the 330-yard run in his age group.

Two girls in the nine-year and under competition blasted the theory of male superiority as Sue Curtin of Alondra Park took first place in the 330-yard run and second in the standing broad jump event and Perry Gretan of Gardena placed third in the broad jump.

Supervising the track event were two representatives of the college physical education department, Larry Baakham-

mer, star pitcher for Serge Freeman's varsity baseball nine last spring, and Wayne Atkins varsity football half-back and wrestler.

In the nine-year and under competition, Dick Wheeler and Ed Greisen of Gardena placed second and third respectively in the 50-yard dash. Sue Curtin and Patty Grate, places in the standstill broad man took third places in the standing broad jump and Sue Curtin and Greisen nabbed first and second respectively in the 330 yard run. Vick Moore of Manhattan Beach won top honors in the softball throw, Steve Mathews placed third.

Richard Stowasser took first place in the 50-yard dash event for those ten and over; George Adelman ran third.

Behind Carr in the standing broad jump for the older division were Stowasser, who placed second, and Jim Cutts of Gardena, who placed third. Nick Stowasser and David Rabuse of Gardena took second and third places in the softball throw behind Carr. Jim Evans, Adelman, and Carr ran one-two-three in the 330-yard run.

News About Little League

Playoff bracketing and playing sites for Little League District 27 was announced this week by Director Walt Butler. The district is divided into four areas and two sub-areas to include teams from Pacific Coast, Torrance American, South Bellflower, Torrance Central, Riviera, Harbor City, Los Altos, Bellflower, North Torrance and Torrance National Leagues.

Sub-district playoff today at North Torrance high school will feature Area 1 winner vs. Area 2 winner. Friday will see the winner of Area 3 meeting the winner of Area 4. Both games will start at 5:30 p.m.

District finals will have the winners of the area games meeting in a doubleheader to start at 1 p.m. Saturday at North Torrance.

District 27 winner will host the winner of District 28 Monday 5:30 p.m. at North Torrance in the bi-district playoffs.

Sectional playoffs will be held at La Mesa August 1, with the State Tournament to be played at San Bernardino, August 7, 8 and 9. Section 1 will meet Section 2 and Section 3 will meet Section 4 on August 7, with the losers meeting on August 8.

City Softball Play

BLUE (SLO-PITCH)

Torrance Civitan Club held their cellar position when they dropped a 6 to 7 game at Torrance Park Thursday night to the Legion nine. Both teams scored on eleven hits.

Bill Millard, Fire Dept. "B" second sacker led the winners in scoring three of their 13 runs in a game played Friday at Walters Park. The visiting Elks Club earned 10 runs.

The National Blues forfeited to the Torrance Teachers in a game slated for Friday night at Walters Park leaving the Elks Club in top league position with nine won and one lost.

BLACK (SLO-PITCH)

Columbia ERA stopped the Christian Men, 9 to 4, to hold their lead position in the Black League. Scoring was evenly distributed among players for winners in the game played Friday night at Torrance Park.

BATTING PRACTICE . . . Steve Bilko, home-run king for the Los Angeles Dodgers shows George Vico, former major leaguer, his famous batting form during a baseball clinic held for 500 local youngsters at Torrance Park last Saturday. Batting practice was a highlight of the event.



MAKES PITCH . . . Autographed baseballs were tossed to young fans by Steve Bilko, Los Angeles Dodger, during a baseball clinic held Saturday at Torrance Park.

Rod and Gun Club

Local anglers looking for a break on the abacore scene as Pacific Sportfishing Landings Fisherman Two connected off San Clemente Monday. Brought to gaff four, topper 53 pounds. Still quite aways, six to seven hours but a good indication that schools of the elusive king-fish are moving up and will be within range of local fleet by the first of the week. Channel alive with activity. Huge schools of mackerel and small bait, hundreds of black birds, south-east swell left miles of dirty water, which put a damper on fishing in general. Upon clearing, deep sea addicts looking for the long awaited abacore run mixed with touchie blue-fin tuna.

Catalina waters have been yielding steady takes of scrappy yellowtail, big bonheads and barracuda. Coastal areas fell into a slump due to the stirred up condition, expected to bounce right back when settled.

Second period the annual San Diego Yellowtail Derby ended Saturday with tackles busting abacore jumping the minimum qualifying weight to a record breaking high of 35 1/2 pounds. The 150 qualifiers battle it out on the 25th for top honors and new station wagon. Third and final period got under way Sunday, meaning only eight weeks left of the 12th annual affair.

POPULATION GAIN
Mexico's population gained 30 percent from 1930 to 1950.

game set of 978. Judy Beki came through with a 961 swisher to seize the No. 2 money position, followed by Dottie Crouch in for third with her 953 tossed together during the all-star studded Singles Classic opening week end of competition. Gwen Hyde e claiming fourth with 900, followed by Merle Mathews at 873.

Bowl-O-Drome's first annual affair is slated to run three more week ends. Squads moving into position 8-10-12 p.m. Fridays; 4-6-8-10-12 p.m. Saturdays and 1-3-5-7-9-11 p.m. Sundays.

Bowlers Settle Down During Second Week of Annual Meet

Arnie Winakur eased across Bowl-O-Drome's first 10 lanes during the 2nd big week-end of Schwab's number two house. First Annual Singles Classic latching onto the lead in the race for the \$1000 pot in the over-all handicap division totaling a powerful 1158 for five. Jim Buckley, leading the pack at the kick-off with 1140 retains 2nd spot, followed by Jack Moore with 1125. Rudy Schad one pin down at 1124 and Clinton Peterson at 1103.

Averaging a potent 226, Bud Horn clobbered Bowl-O-Drome's wood, connecting his five across 10 for a blistering 1135 to take possession of the top notch in the men's \$500 scratch pot. Russ Fazio moved from the opener's second spot in the handicap column to the No. 2 money position in the scratch with his original week-end attack of 1113. Steve Nagy breezed through the Classic's paces riding in third with his 220 plus, 1109, followed by Don Gliniski, coming in with 1096, and Bob Prince at 1091. 91inski pounded the old 1-3 for a whopping 367 solo during his fifth game, setting himself up as the one to beat for individual high game green-back.

Joan Hamilton held fast to her classic performance following 1952 scoring the opening week end of play to share the top position in the Ladies' Handicap section with Wilma Guillery who whipped up her 1052 along with a sizzling 235 single to cop the high game spot. Betty Phillips produced a corking 1047 for third followed by Hope Myers with 1042 and Myrtle Kilgore at 1010.

Chuyo Tashima took over the females' scratch division winding with a powerful five-

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