



OUTDOORS WITH MEL

BY MEL SALTZMAN

After many inquiries as to why the bass are hitting the black jigs of various types with such regularity, groups of fishermen I know discussed it over a card game last week. Many theorys were introduced and lots of talk wasted we came up with several ideas. Some of the plastic artificials have a scent which is unusual and could have something to do with their catching ability. Another thought is the action of the flexible porkind or plastic which teases the fish into a frenzy. This could be true but lots of other plugs do the same. I brought up the fact that the lure has got to resemble something in the water which is a natural food. We tried to think what a black pork strip looks like and after losing 2 hands of poker I thought of a tadpole. This could be the answer. In almost all the lakes where the bass are taken on black eel strips there's a good frog population. We know that tadpoles are found in the shallow waters of lakes and streams and are a favorite food of all game fish. We can't be sure but it's an interesting theory and as long as the bass continue to gobble up black jigs we fishermen are happy. Since this is a costly type of fishing we at Sportsville U.S.A. have put in molds and hooks so these jigs can be made very inexpensively. Stop in and see us.

Lets go fishing.

Salt water has been great for barracuda and bass as well as bonito with a few yellows showing locally but few caught. San Diego has finally really broken loose with fish counts over 1000 every day. Ensenada is good for log barracuda with some yellows and a few white sea bass taken. Bait has been good for a change. The Redondo bay has been full of halibut ranging in size from 1 pound to 20 pounds. Glad to see them back after so many years of few flaties.

Fresh water fishing has been good with lots of people casting in on local fishing. Big Bear Lake is producing better than it has in many years. The trout have averaged a pound or better with lots of 2 and 3 pound fish being caught. Hemet is producing lots of big firm trout up to 18 inches. Irvine catches center on the weekly plants of trout which are up to 3 pounds in weight some of the bass fishermen that know the lake report good bass fishing. Isabella is the hot bass lake with crappie fishing picking up all the time. The wind is a problem and is heavy one day and still the next. Sherwood is producing its best fishing in many years with bass up to 4 1/2 pounds and large crappie and bluegill, you can fish poppers in the shallow water or eel jigs in the deep, both with good results. This is a good time to try Mead as the weather is good, not too hot and fishing has been good. Bass are being caught on hellbenders and Bombers and crappie on go-getters and small spinners.

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June 11, Braves vs. Indians; Senators vs. Red Sox.

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June 15, Athletics vs. Yankees.

June 16, Indians vs. Senators.

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June 21, Athletics vs. Senators.

June 22, Indians vs. Yankees.

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June 24, Yankees vs. Indians.

June 25, Senators vs. Athletics; Braves vs. Orioles.

June 26, Tigers vs. Red Sox; Yankees vs. Indians.

June 27, Senators vs. Athletics.

June 28, Braves vs. Orioles.

June 29, Athletics vs. Yankees.

June 30, Tigers vs. Red Sox.

July 1, Bye.

July 2, Bye.

July 3, Bye.

July 4, Bye.

July 5, Indians vs. Senators.

July 6, Orioles vs. Tigers.

July 7, Red Sox vs. Braves.

July 8, Athletics vs. Indians.

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Harbor City LL Results

By M. L. JARETT

Monday May 9th Union Oil Dodgers vs. L & M Equipment Braves. Dodgers winning 23 to 5. Home runs were hit by John Kopchick, Steven Fukuzaki and a grand slam by Norman Giffen. Pat Schleibaum, John Meenan and Steve Kegley teamed up to pitch 2 innings apiece for the winning team and Don Graham was the winning catcher. Losing pitcher Michael Thomas and Fred Castleman the losing catcher.

Tuesday May 10th. Gonzales Giants vs. Rossman Lumber Phillies. The Giants were hitting strongly to win 16 to 5. Tim Hillis of the Giants hit 2 home runs in the 2nd and 5th. Stefan Jarrett and Carl Umbenhower pitched 3 innings each and Mark Milburn caught for the Giants. Losing pitchers were Dennis Heffner and Arthur Price with Bobby Dean catching.

Wednesday May 11th. Lion's Club Cubs vs. the 7 Up Pirates. The Cubs downed the Pirates 8 to 3 with Ronnie White the winning pitcher helping his own cause by hitting 2 home runs, one in the 1st and one in the 6th. Catching for him was Michael Cunningham. Losing pitcher was Dennis Jepson losing catcher Mel Williams.

Friday May 13th. L & M Equipment Braves vs. Union Oil Dodgers. The Braves blamed the date for their loss to the Dodgers of 15 to 4. The Dodgers claimed it was their hitting, plus 2 home runs by Steve Kegley and John Meenan. Winning pitcher John Kopchick winning catcher Don Graham. Losing pitcher Mike Elias, losing catcher Fred Castleman.

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July 22, Orioles vs. Senators.

July 23, Tigers vs. Yankees.

Saturday May 14th. Rossman Lumber Phillies vs. Gonzales Giants. In a close game the Giants edged out the Phillies 8 to 7. Winning pitcher was Gary Osborne with Mark Milburn catching. Losing pitcher was Bobby Hennon with Bobby Dean catching.

Sunday May 15th. The 7 Up Pirates vs. Lion's Club Cubs. The Pirates winning 13 to 9 with John Dalton hitting a home run in the 5th inning. Winning pitcher was Michael Percy with Steve Perry catching. Losing pitcher was Larry Ray with Michael Cunningham.

STANDINGS

	W	L
CUBS	4	1
GIANTS	4	1
DODGERS	4	0
PIRATES	1	4
PHILLIES	1	4
BRAVES	0	5

MINORS

Beavers 23 Seals 7. Herrera & Hatzenbuehler Gonzales & Lewis. Angels 28, Beavers 1. McClellan & Richie. Cowles & Hatzenbuehler. Seals 7, Stars 24. Graham & Smith. Cheek & Cunningham.

STANDINGS

	W	L
ANGELS	3	1
STARS	2	2
SEALS	2	2
BEAVERS	1	3

Polly Donuts, Team 8 Tied for First Place

Polly Donut Shop and Team 8 are knotted for first place in the Mixed Five Handicap 14-team league at Palos Verdes Bowl.

Pin Wheels with 2808 lead the series shooters while Adli Swim Schools hit 1011 for high game honors. For the ladies, J. Bray, knocked down the pins for 638 and P. Forrester, 249. K. Mayo tops the men with 657 and J. Jack, 264.

Bowling News

The Southlands female addicts continued their invasion of Bowl-O-Drome for the second big week-end of the popular Annual Queen's Handicap Singles Classic. Prize pot guaranteed at \$2100, with \$260 going to the gal chalking up the high five game tally with handicap in both the 170 and under, and the 171 and over division. High scratch for both topped by \$110 for first.

Madelyn Smith took over the number one slot with handicap of those entering in the 171 and over division, scattering Bowl-O-Drome wood for a whopping 1039 on the scoreboard as Noama K-pack hit a rousing 1027 as did Doris Rudell for second and third, while Helen Trejo slipped into fourth spot with her 1014 five game set.

Torr. Central

(Continued from Page C-2) Batteries: Castillo and Morgan. Baron, Adams (4) and Languios.

On Sunday the League played a double header with the Cards trouncing the White Sox 14-5 and the Yanks and Tigers tied at 10-10. The latter game was called because of regulation time and played off Saturday, May 21.

Cards 402 305 0-14 10 3
White Sox 201 001 1-5 7 1
Batteries: Hadley and Stienhaus. Kealy, Garrison (6) and T. Harris, Graybhel. Yanks 202 411-10 5 3
Tigers 235 000-10 7 2
Batteries: Patten, Marjalo (3) and McCray, Murray. Goldsmith (4), and Muncy.

Games scheduled today and Saturday are: Thursday, Indians vs. Red Sox and Saturday, playoff between Yanks and Tigers and White Sox vs. Indians.

League Standings

	W	L	T
Yanks	4	1	1
Tigers	3	1	1
Cards	2	3	0
Indians	2	3	0
Red Sox	2	3	0
White Sox	1	4	0

PRESS Sports

na Barrett came up with 1011 for fourth.

High scratch whipped up by Marcella Meyers, breezing through the classics paces for a powerful 900 for her five. Jean Mathers rests in second only nine sticks short with 891, with Rose Gelb in for third place loot with her 887. Shirley Cuthbert cut loose with a 223 single to claim high game out of the money.

Still two more week-ends of Bowl-O-Drome's all girl action. Five games across ten took over third spot as Bray-

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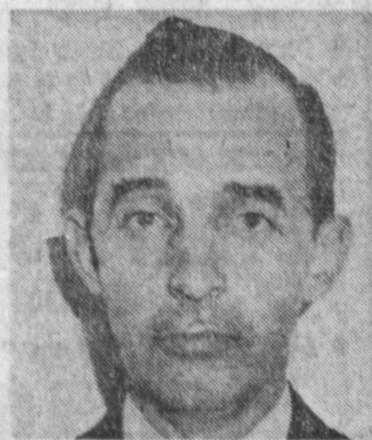
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