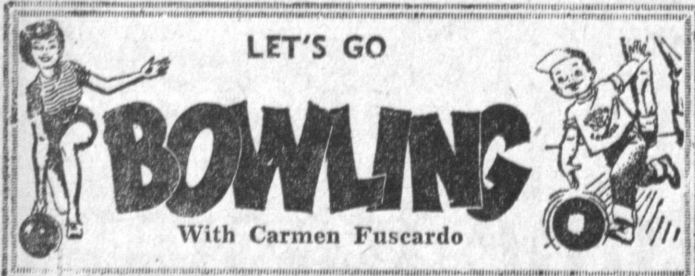


PRESS Sports



The Summer leagues will take the spotlight for this week with many leagues starting. Many of the housewives have graduated from the beginners league to the more advanced league. The Gable House is looking forward to many top scores from the ladies.

The Soaring 60's, Tuesday Toots, "Its Up to You." Are just a few of the leagues to usher in the new season. "A big welcome ladies!"

"LEAGUE CHAMPS"

The Winter leagues will continue to close their chapter on the season. The Guys and Dolls will hold sweepstakes this weekend, at that time they will present the winning team, Team No. 3, Hot Quads, trophies for taking first place with 75 wins and 37 losses. Bowling for the Quads are ladies, V. Jenno, 145; M. Launderville, 138; men, L. Launderville, 172; L. Jenno, 168. Season high series was taken by L. Perrson with a 690. High game honors went to B. Hall's 265. In women's division, U. Richards corralled the series high with a 634, and Ruth Caudle copped high single game with 241.

"TOP SCORERS"

The juniors bowling in the junior championship, lead the high scoring again this week. Marc Bozeman, Rising Suns, rolled 236 and 277. Lee Jeberjahn, also Rising Suns, shot 233. Lloyd Mobley had a 632 series. In open play C. Isobe rolled a nice 247 game and Patrick O'Rourke shot 206.

For the men, Fred Warren scored a trouncing 276 and Maynard Howes of the Thursday Mixed 4, 202. Two women made the honor role with V. Menick of the Thursday Mixed 4 converting the 4-6-10, and Allene West shot a 202.

On Sunday, May 20 at 12:45 p.m., the Gable House Bowling Association (GHBA) will sponsor the Bowler of the Year elimination tournament. Winners will reign as King and Queen. Consolation winners will become prince and princess. Many awards will be presented for high series, 200 and 225 games. Royalty will add to the many accomplishments of the GHBA.

Men, would you like to enter in the Pro-Am Tournament? For \$3.50 you may win a paid entry to this great classic. More information is available at the desk.

"PORTRAIT OF A BOWLER"

What Swedish import just purchased a new ball? When asked how he was bowling, answered, "How can I bowl good scores? They have the wrong initials on the ball!" Instead of BBC he wanted BBE. He added, "It rolls over C and just quits working!"

Top College Gymnasts Will Meet Fri. at Santa Monica

Putting the capper on its 1962 gymnastic season, the best team in El Camino College history treks to Santa Monica City College Friday night at 7:30 for the Metropolitan Conference finals.

Eight Warriors have filled 16 places in the meet. To qualify, a gymnast must have finished third in an event in at least two Metro dual meets.

Although the Tribe beat only one team during the conference dual meet campaign, Coach Don Jurk is optimistic about Friday night.

Jurk believes this year's team is the best one he has ever had.

"We qualified twice as many men for the finals as we ever have before," Jurk explained.

Jim Blacic and Earl Terao have qualified in the rope climb for the Warriors. Blacic stands a good chance of placing high in the meet, according to Jurk, with a time under four seconds for the event this year.

Dennis Oliver will be eligible for All-Round honors in the meet by qualifying in free exercise, the parallel bars, long horse and rings.

ELIGIBLE
Don Dewey will also be eligible in the All-Round category after qualifying on the high bar, side horse, parallel bars and rings.

Minnie Inouye will go on the rings and long horse for El Camino, while the Warriors will be represented in tumbling by Pete Russell.

Doug Campbell and Dave Werner will both compete on the side horse for ECC, and Werner will also try for top honors on the rings.

The top five finishers in each event will continue into the Southern California meet.

In their final Metro meet of the season, the Warriors dropped a 104½-53½ decision to third-place Harbor.

With the loss, El Camino settled into sixth place in the loop. Valley finished first, with Long Beach, Harbor, East Los Angeles and Santa Monica trailing. Bakersfield finished in the cellar.

Only one first place fell to ECC against the Seahawks, as Inouye grabbed a first in the rings with Werner third and Oliver fifth.

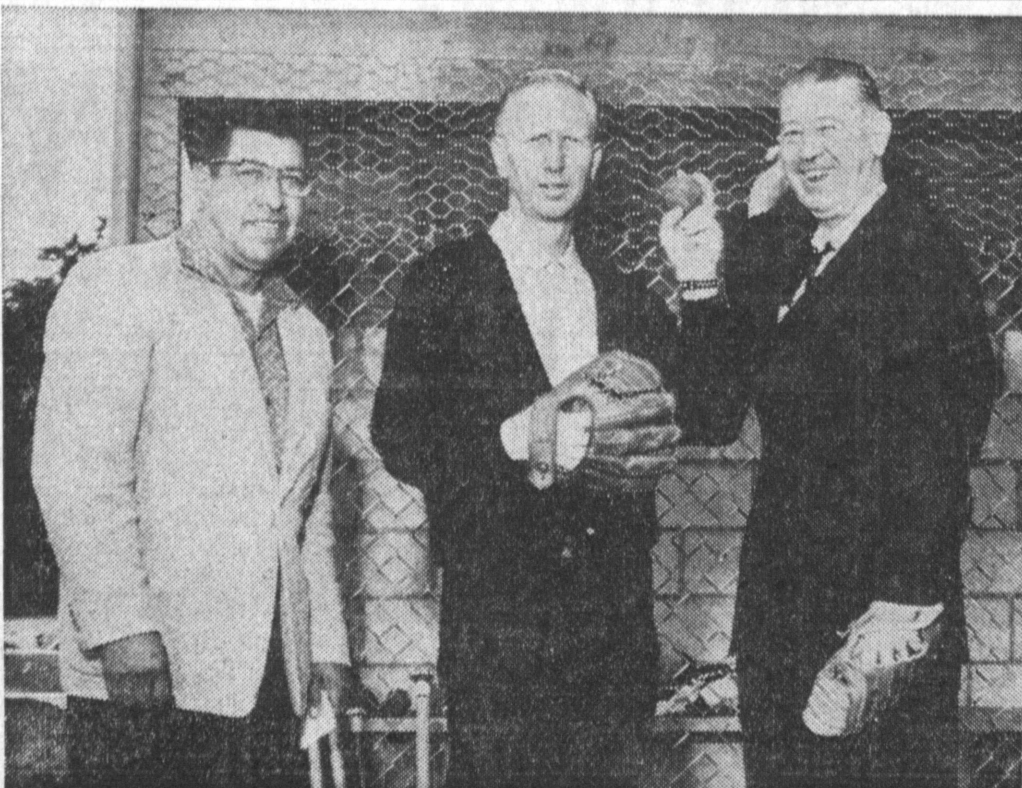
On the rope, Blacic climbed 4.4 seconds for second as Terao tied for third. Russell and Oliver deadlocked for fourth in free exercise.

On the horizontal bar, Dewey took a second, with Inouye finishing fifth.

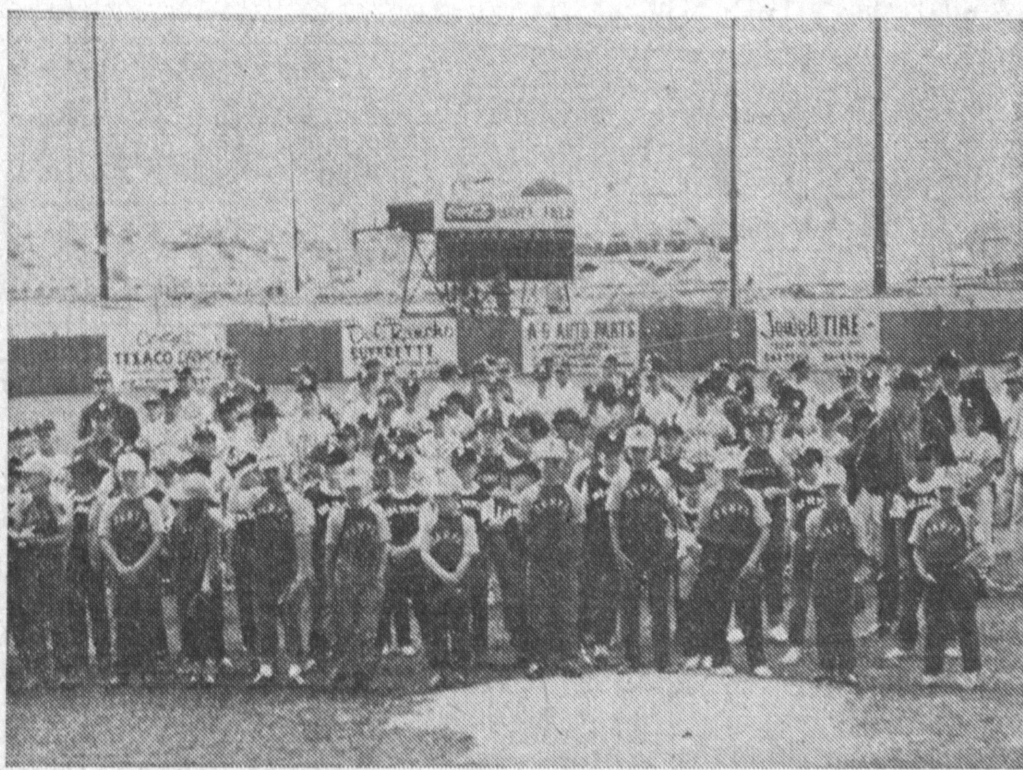
Campbell wound up third on the sidehorse, with Dewey and Werner taking fourth and fifth.

Oliver tied for second on the parallel bars while Dewey managed a fifth. Oliver, Inouye and Blacic finished third, fourth and fifth on the long horse.

Russell and Oliver took third and fourth in tumbling. While Inouye grabbed a fourth on the tampoline. In the All-Round division, Oliver earned a fourth and Dewey a fifth.



FIRST BALL—First ball of the season for the Fre-Way Little League was thrown out Saturday afternoon at Harvey Field, corner of 186th and Western, following opening day ceremonies. Shown are John Garcia, president of the league, Chuck Stevens and John S. Gibson, Los Angeles City Councilman.



READY FOR SEASON—Young members of the Fre-Way Little League pose for an opening day photograph at home plate. Harvey Field, home of the little leaguers was donated to the league last year by Harvey Aluminum of Torrance. One of the areas outstanding leagues last season, coaches are predicting a better showing this year.

ECC To Host Swim Champs

State Swimming Finals Start Tomorrow; Top Teams Vie for Title

Top junior college swimming teams from the Siskiyou to Baja, California will be represented tomorrow, Friday and Saturday as El Camino College hosts State Swimming Finals.

Three Metropolitan Conference teams, Long Beach, Santa Monica and Valley will be favored along with northern power, Foothill College, from Los Altos, to walk off with the state title.

Long Beach, winner of seven state championships laid strong claim to crown with a convincing victory in the Southern California Championships over the weekend at Santa Ana.

Finishing second behind Valley in Metro dual meet campaign and third in the conference meet behind the Monarchs and Santa Monica, the Vikings were counted out of the Southern Cal title picture.

"TOUGH"

"The Vikes have a reputation for being tough in the 'money' meets, and lived up to their reputation in running up 93 points to second place Santa Monica's 76½. Valley finished a disappointing third with Orange Coast finally breaking through the Metro domination with a fourth.

El Camino, behind its triple-threat trio of Cappy Sheeley, Bob Allred and Tom Vren, chalked up 20 points in finishing seventh.

Three national records were erased from the books as Valley's Jim McGrath grabbed the spotlight by setting new standards in both the 50 and 100-yard freestyle events.

McGrath knocked two-tenths of a second off the old record in the 50-free, clocking a 22.3 and clipped one-tenth second from the 100 mark with a 50.0 time.

Terry Humphries, Long Beach breaststroker, turned in a 1:04.2 in his pet event to shave three-tenths second off the previous mark.

IMPRESSIVE

Sheeley was the most impressive of the Warrior finners, placing in three events. A fourth in the 200-yard individual medley fell to Sheeley as he stopped the watches in 2:14.3 and a 2:14.4 clocking in the 200-yard butterfly also netting from a fourth.

Sheeley's other place came in the 100-yard freestyle.

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El Camino Spikers Trek to Metro Conference Sat.

Competing in the Metropolitan Conference Track and Field Championship finals at Bakersfield this Saturday, El Camino College spikers approach a cherished steppingstone to the State Championship.

Eight junior colleges will be striving to set new marks in the annual Metro challenge and to take the coveted first-place team trophy home.

Valley College has the edge over Long Beach in power, but both remain top choices for the Metro crown. Bakersfield seems a possible third, but will be pushed hotly by El Camino, East Los Angeles and San Diego, who, in turn, could be threatened by Santa Monica and Harbor.

Individuals from each of these teams will make competition grueling, shattering records where they might fall.

Among the string of choice athletes who will vie for individual championships are El Camino distance men, Mike Thornton, with times of 1:54.4 in the 880 yard run and 4:15.5 in the mile, and Richard Fernandez, a 9:31.6 two-miler. Warrior sprint ace Dennis Jett holds El Camino school records in the 100-yard dash with a 9.8 clocking, the 220-yard dash in 21.7 and the 220-yard hurdles at 23.7 seconds.

ECC broad jumper Floyd Schmidt has leaped 23'10½", while Warrior pole vaulter Dave Vogt has cleared 13'6" often. The thorn in El Camino's side is its lack of depth in field events, sprints and short distances.

Ladies' Day
The Los Angeles Angels have set every Thursday as Ladies Day for games played at their new home in Chavez Ravine, it was announced this week by General Manager Fred Haney. The policy applies for both day and night games. Ladies will pay fifty cents for general admission tickets instead of the usual \$1.50.

'Camino Pool Will Be Closed
Swimming pools at El Camino College will be closed for recreational use on May 3-5, Merl F. Sloan, director of student personnel, announced this week.

Closing of the pools is necessitated because the college will host the California State Swimming Meet on the days involved.

The El Camino swimming facilities will open for regularly scheduled community use during the week of May 7.

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Warrior Diamond Aces to Meet Long Beach Friday

With its pitching staff back in high gear, El Camino College will travel to Long Beach Friday for the last of a three-game baseball junket and the final road game of the season.

With but four games remaining, Coach Chuck Freeman's crew must make a clean sweep to remain in contention for a first division berth.

El Camino stands at 4-5 thus far in conference play. It was Brave twirler John Torok's play Friday as he hurled five hit ball while downing rival Harbor, 5-2.

The Seahawks jumped a short-lived lead in the fourth inning as they pushed a run across on a double and an error.

The Tribe countered in the fifth with three runs.

SCORES
John Ranslem opened the inning with a walk and scored on a three-bog blow by Bob Withers.

Ken Proctor continued the string when he drew a walk, and pitcher John Torok put the Indians ahead with a scoring fly ball to right.

Young Torrance Cyclist in 2-Day Desert Run

Bud Wain, 2109 W. 178th St., Torrance, of the Cavaliers Club, participated in the Second Annual 29 Palms Run of the Southern California Road Riders Committee this past Saturday and Sunday (April 28-29).

Sponsored by the Road Riders and the 29 Palms American Legion Post No. 334, the two-day event attracted motorcycle enthusiasts from Nevada, Arizona and California.

Highlights of the activities were the famed Victor McLaglen Drill Team and an aerial parachute demonstration by the 29 Palms Sky Divers.

Starting point of the run was Banning, California

Lonnie Patterson Sets Fast Time

Saturday at Little Indy quarter midget track, 190th and Normandie, was a day of roaring excitement as fans watched Lonnie Patterson set fast time in the "B" class and win the main event.

Second and third in the main were Chris Ricks and Carmen Lachet while trophy dash winner was Chris Ricks. Semi-main went to Allen Johncox, Richie Westlake and Robbie Velez and heat winners were Chris Ricks, Rick Hamilton and Allen Johncox.

"A" class fast time was set by Lee Leonard and the trophy dash went to Kenny Golder. Tex Girdner was bunt, a single and a fielder's choice. The Indians' final run came easier on a double by Torok and a single by Nick Fuscardo.

Harbor coach Floyd Rhea played the game under protest when, in the sixth inning, Warrior coach Chuck Freeman made two trips to the field.

Rhea maintained that under rules governing Metropolitan Conference play, a coach must remove his pitcher after his second journey to the diamond in an inning, and the special.

Fast time in the stock class was set by Dick Crook and the trophy dash went to David Estey. Eugene Elfler won the main and Fritz Hupp took the semi-main and the special.

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