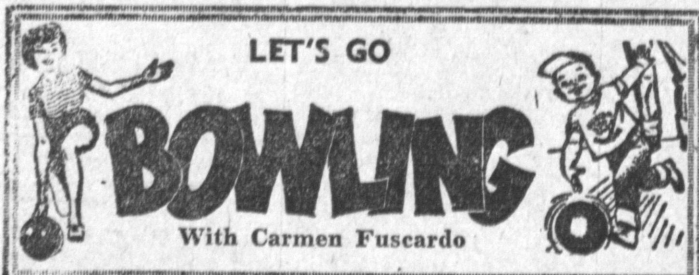


Rams Star Speaker at Awards Dinner

PRESS Sports



The second in a series of Oscanette tournaments was held Tuesday afternoon at 1 p.m. Twenty lanes were humming with strikes and spares. After three exciting games Clara Judge emerged the victor with high series of 644 plus handicap. Joan McClard topped the pins for a 208 scratch game, 240 with her handicap, for the high single game of the afternoon. The winners were awarded lovely Oscanettes. Be sure to sign up for Tuesday event if you haven't done so already.

This week we would like to welcome the Palos Verdes Peninsula PTA. Every Monday morning these ladies with the able leadership of Lucille Ruemmler report to Gable House for practice sessions. On Monday after Labor Day the winter league begin. Any member is eligible to join. As Lucille was quoted. . . "The more the merrier." . . . "always room for one more."

TOP SCORES

Lady pinsters once again set the pace for the top scores. Inga Banchousky rolled a 239 in open play, Edith Arnold with a 204 and Opal Williams had a 203. Incidentally that was Opal's second 200 on the same day. Margie Burke bowling for It's Up to You had a wonderful 182 all spare game. More conversions of the 6-7-10 split seemed to be the trend. In the Tri-Cities Nisei Emma Nakaoki, Kita Yoshiko and Darlene Gnehm were gals who performed this feat.

For the men Dave Rosen and Lee Jennings both fired 258.

LEAGUE OF THE WEEK

The Methodist Church League gets top billing for this week. This league is made up of six teams, three members to a team. Going into the fourth week of play, Team No. 4 is leading the league. They also hold team high series with 1510. Team No. 5 boast high single game with a 471. Season high series are held by William O'Brian with a 505. For the ladies Jan Sykes has high series of 484. Men's high game honors belong to D. Coshov with 221. For the ladies Helen Welsh garnered a high of 189. Don Morgan is holder of the high average with a 166. Ed Martin is second with a 159, for the women Jan Sykes has a 147 average.

How about a night out for the little girl? Saturday night enjoy a delicious dinner in the Rik Sha Room. Top it off with Moonlite Bowling. You will have fun and you are also entitled to win a year's free bowling or many other fine prizes. . . See you there!"

Three Top Pilots Will Head Today's Races at Western

"Tiger" Jim Roessler of San Bernardino; Jack Austin of Downey; and Ed Van Eyk of Bellflower will lead a star studded field of racing drivers in this afternoon's nine event CJA super-modified car racing feature at Gardena's Western Speedway, 139th St. at So. Western Ave.

Roessler, 1960-61 CJA champion, wheeled his Corvette powered car to his first super-modified main event win of the year on his last outing there. He will be shooting for win number two in today's 40-lap feature over the one-third mile clay oval, where racing begins at 2:30 p.m. preceded by time trials at 1 p.m.

Austin, the number one man in the battle for the 1962 championship, piloted his Buick V8 powered car to a second place finish last time out, and will also be going for his second main event triumph of the year in today's feature.

Van Eyk, winner of two main events this year at Western, set a new one lap track record of 15.70 or 76.433 miles per hour over the one third mile clay oval. It erased the old standard of 15.83 set by Roessler just three weeks earlier. Van Eyk will drive the same Corvette powered car he piloted to the new record.

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Tigers Ahead in Local Babe Ruth League Standings

In the Pacific American Babe Ruth League, Tigers continued their five game winning streak Sunday afternoon by defeating the Indians 4 to 1 and held on to first place.

Red Sox over ran the Braves 13 to 7, and beat the Yankees 6 to 4, to take a solid second place in the standings. Athletics and the Yankees battled to a 5 to 5 tie in a hard fought game which had to be called in the eighth inning for lack of playing time.

Indians beat the Orioles 11 to 1 to capture third spot, followed by the Athletics, Yankees, Braves and Orioles. Marty and Matthew Harris, identical twins, who play for the Tigers, often cause the opposing pitchers to do a double take. In a recent game when Matthew followed Marty to bat, the pitcher took a long look at him and finally yelled down to the catcher, "Hey, what's going on here?! I just struck that guy out!"

SIDEWALK SIDE

The Automobile Club of Southern California says that both the driver and the passengers in his car always should leave the automobile from the sidewalk side. Opening your car door in the face of traffic could cause a passing car to hit you or your car.



AWARDS BANQUET—A professional football player with the Los Angeles Rams for the past seven years, Lindon Crow, was guest speaker at the annual Bishop Montgomery High School awards banquet last week.

Shown above at the Hacienda Hotel, where the banquet was held, are Crow; Louis Markert, winner of the Sportsmanship Award; Joseph Gardner, Athlete of the Year; and the Rev. Joseph Pekarcik, school principal.

Mike Thornton, ECC Miler, Wins Calif. Championship

Mike Thornton, El Camino College cross country and track ace, ran off with the state championship in the mile, cruising over the finish line in 4:10.1 at the Modesto classic Saturday.

No one could keep up with the distance great, who had control of the race from the very beginning. At the completion of the first quarter, Thornton had been clocked at a pace-setting 60.0. The half mile was 2:03.1, and at the three-quarter mark, a 3:07.1 was clocked. If Thornton were to break his best time of 4:08.4, also the National JC mile record, the last quarter was the place to put everything he had left into it, but there was no one around to push him. His last lap was a 60.3 second glide-to-the-tape finish, his nearest competitors being more than two seconds behind.

Thornton recently received both the coveted Athlete-of-the-Year and the Outstanding Performance awards at the El Camino Athletic Awards Banquet.

Dennis Jett, another mainstay of the El Camino cinder squad who finished fourth in a dead heat in the 220-yard low hurdles in the state competition was clocked at 23.5. First place



MIKE THORNTON . . . ECC Top Performer

winner, Sid Nicholas of Valjeo, won in 23.3.

El Camino, entering only two spikers in the State Finals, finished in a three-way tie for tenth place with Fullerton and Santa Ana, each scoring 14 points. Mt. San Antonio College, paced by high jumper Joe Faust (6-9 in JC and 7-1 in open division), won the state junior college track and field meet by scoring 35½ points, 4½ ahead of runner-up Long Beach.



SQUARED OFF for a bunt is All-Metro star Frank Van Patten. Sparking all year as El Camino's lead-off man, the fleetfooted centerfielder compiled a season batting average of .420 to lead the squad and make first team on the conference squad.

Young Tordondo Little Leaguer Pitches Memorial Day 'No-Hitter'

Marina Federal Savings Tigers won a 4 to 1 ball game over the Hap Byers Photography Dodgers as Lenny Herschler pitched a no-hitter Memorial Day.

Dodgers scored one unearned run on an error, Craig Lane and George Sharp pitched for the Dodgers while Mike Mannion and Mike Peterson did the catching. Johnny McGuire caught for the Tigers. Both sides showed fine fielding as the Tigers scored three runs in the second inning and one in the fifth.

Tigers came back to lose a close one to the Record Brothers Carpets Indians, 3 to 1. Tommy Lee pitched a one hitter for the Indians with Jon Walker doing the catching. Donnie Cowden, the Tiger pitcher allowed only two hits only to see the Indians score all three runs on errors in the fourth inning.

Indians won another ball game, outitting and outscoring the Bill Salby Mobil Senators, 10 to 6. Jim Mullens a 10-year old making his major pitching debut went the distance for the Indians. Mike Weatherman did the receiving. Joe Sullivan went the distance for the Senators with Ronnie Kimes and Neil Sorenson catching. Two home run leaders of the league hit homers in this one, as Mike Mahaffey hit his third for the Senators to take the lead while Tommy Lee hit his second to tie for second place. The Indians have now won four in a row and established themselves as the comeback kids after having lost their first five games.

SHUTOUT The 7-Up Yankees shutout the Quinn's Dairy Braves, 6 to 0 as Joe Savage, the Yankee hurler went the route. Savage pitched his team to first place via a fourteen strikeout victory.

Craig Marshall hit his second home run in this game. Dominguez Water Com-



LENNY HERSCHLER . . . No-Hitter

pany Cubs edged the Dodgers, 5 to 3. Tom M. Fischer went the distance for the winners with brother Tim catching. Ronnie Garrett struck out eleven Cubs, the Dodgers outit the Cubs, seven hits to three, but all to no avail. David Boyd hit a double to score two runs in the first inning. Then when Tom R. Fischer got on first, he and Boyd pulled a double steal, forced a wild throw and two more runs scored.

Redondo Recreation Bowl White Sox beat the Senators, 7 to 5, with Bill Cooper going the distance for the White Sox. Frankie Stewart and Corky Griffith shared the pitching for the Senators. Bill Cooper aided his victory with a triple while Corkey Arneson went three for three with a double and two singles. Joe Sullivan's double and single was the big bat for the Senators.

HITTING STREAK

Leon Wagner, the Los Angeles Angels slugging outfielder, owns the longest hitting streak of the year. His ten-game skein from April 24 to May 6 is tops for the season thus far. However, it fell short by four games of the club record of 14 set by Steve Bilko last year. Leon has been among the league's home run leaders all season.

Bishop Montgomery High Stages Annual Dinner

More than 300 students and guests of Bishop Montgomery High School attended the annual Athletic Awards Banquet last week at the Hacienda Hotel.

Guest speaker for the evening was Lindon Crow, a member of the Los Angeles Rams and professional football player for the past seven years.

Highlight of the evening was the presentation of the Athlete of the Year award to Joe Gardner, and the Sportsmanship trophy to Lou Market.

Letter awards totalling 128 were given out plus 30 trophies.

Father Joseph Pekarcik, principal of the school, noted the addition this year of two new sports in the Montgomery schedule, golf and tennis.

This, he said, rounds out the athletic program which already includes football, basketball, baseball, track and swimming.

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