

# Free Throws Give Tartars 83-73 Win



**BOB HULTGREN**  
Umpire Consultant

## Tordondo Umpire Promoted

Bob Hultgren, former Tordondo Little League volunteer umpire, has been appointed District 26 Umpire Consultant.

Hultgren succeeds Robert Sullivan who recently moved to New York. Sullivan served as umpire consultant five years.

Hultgren, 906 Firmona, Redondo Beach, first joined Central Redondo Little League in 1955. When Tordondo Little League was founded he became player agent and a year later was chief umpire.

During the nine years Bob umpired with Tordondo, he had assignments in Little League regional, divisional and sectional tournaments. He was a member of the Southern California Umpiring Association.

Hultgren has been a team manager or coach throughout his Little League career and was named tournament manager for Tordondo in 1961 and 1962.

Hultgren was assigned umpire consultant by Henry Burke, district administrator. Bob and his wife, Priscilla, have three sons, Alan, 18, Jon, 16, and Carl, 15.

## Sports Group To Hear Hoyem

Lynn Hoyem, former Redondo High School, El Camino, and Long Beach State football player will be guest speaker at the South Bay Athletic Club Friday at 12:15 p.m.

The luncheon-meeting is open to sports-minded males and takes place at the Plush Horse in Redondo.

Hoyem is an offensive lineman for the Philadelphia Eagles.

## Autos Primed For NASCAR

American Motors will soon announce a 401 cubic inch engine option for the Marlin, qualifying it for NASCAR rules for 1966.

The company is also expected to introduce a light-weight V-8 of 250 cubic inches.

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## Tarbabes Capture Sky League Title

The Sky League Class B basketball championship was won by Torrance with an 8-2 record. The Tarbabes won five games in the second half to overcome pace setters Culver City (6-4) and Beverly Hills (7-3).

The Torrance team, coached by Gary Stewart, ended its season with a 62-44 win over Rolling Hills. Don Lucarelli scored 17 points in the game.

The Torrance Cees tied Leuzinger (5-5) for second place, beating Rolling Hills Friday, 31-15. Culver City had a 10-0 record.

For the Bees the leading scorers for the year were Jack Hase, sophomore, 296 points; Bill Hearne, soph., 268; Lucarelli, junior, 245; Bob Fernley, freshman, 139; and Bob Gloyd, soph., 100.

The team's season record was 16-7.

Torrance (62)	Roll. Hills (44)
Lucarelli (17)	F Wright (6)
Floyd (4)	P Tomlinson (15)
Hearne (9)	C Butler (3)
Hase (2)	C Bennett (7)
Lucarelli (12)	C G Ryerson (0)
Fernley (12)	C G Ryerson (0)

Torrance (31)	Roll. Hills (15)
Jasper (4)	F Bowker (9)
Fox (0)	P McDowell (2)
Adams (2)	C Schenk (0)
Ramsey (7)	G McAllister (4)
Brooks (13)	C Shaw (0)

Rolling Hills (2)	Roll. Hills (15)
Torrance (2)	F Wright (6)
Rolling Hills (2)	P Tomlinson (15)
Rolling Hills (2)	C Butler (3)
Rolling Hills (2)	C Bennett (7)
Rolling Hills (2)	C G Ryerson (0)

Score by Quarters  
Torrance.....17 7 22 16-62  
Rolling Hills.....10 13 9 12-44

Scoring subs: Torrance - Lucarelli (2), Conry (2), Dahlen (1), G. Waters (2), Rolling Hills, G. Schmidt (2), Owens (1), Didakt (2), Myers (4), Keating (2), McNeer (2)

Rolling Hills.....2 11 6 12-31  
Torrance.....7 7 1-16

Scoring Subs: Torrance - McGuire (2), Souza (3)



**THIS CHARMER . . .** From Ventura High isn't afraid of the Cougar in the background, and neither were the Torrance Tartars who beat the Cougars, 83-73, in first round CIF basketball game last night.



**HAPPY LANDING . . .** Bart Johnson (11) of Torrance tries to control basketball while Ventura's Tony Bartholomew (41) sits in on the act. Other Ventura players are George Valenzuela (31) and Bob Alvarado (21), and No. 43 is Rich Kruel of Torrance. The Tartars won, 83-73, in CIF playoff game. (Press-Herald Photo by Rich Norman)

## Wrestling Meet Set For Camino

The El Camino College wrestling team will be host to the Southern district regional qualifying tournament Saturday at 12 noon in the Warriors' spacious gym.

Teams from the Metropolitan, Western State and Pacific Southwest conferences will participate in the event. A trip to the state finals for four qualifiers in each weight division will follow March 11-12 at Fresno City College.

The Warrior wrestlers continued to prepare for the all important district tournament by winning the Metropolitan Conference tournament championship Friday in Bakersfield with 86 points.

Dave Hengstler's hustling Warriors won four championships, four second places and two third spots enroute to their second Metro title of the season.

The Warriors were led by team captain Kent Wyatt, 145 class; followed by Chuck Hovartos, 160 division; Dwight Fritz, 191 class; and Nick Carroll, heavyweight.

Second-place finishers included Dan Guevara, 115; Curt Alder, 137; Don Apodaca, 167; and Glen Engle, 177.

The Tribe is gunning for its third straight Southern District title as well as third consecutive state championship.

**ANNIVERSARY**  
Eleanor Flagg, long-time executive secretary for Western Harness Racing Assn., the corporation that leases Santa Anita and Hollywood Park for the two annual harness racing seasons, celebrates her 20th anniversary with the company Wednesday.

Of 22 players out for the team at Santa Monica, 20 are freshmen.

"We have a fair defense and we are hitting the ball well," says Del Nuzum. "However, the pitching hasn't come along as well as I'd hoped it would."

At Long Beach, Bill Hatch lost heavily through graduation, especially behind the plate where four players checked out, but the Vikings have a lot of speed plus top-flight pitcher Paul de Metropolis.

Valley's Bruno Cicotti will count on excellent pitching to make the Monarchs tough. In camp are Bob Blackford, Chips Swanson, Dave Smith, Dave Shotland, and Gary Kelly.

## Second Round Of Playoffs Set for Friday

By HENRY BURKE  
Press-Herald Sports Editor

Bart Johnson completed 8-for-8 at the free throw line and Robin Fisher was 8-for-9 in last night's CIF basketball opener with Ventura. As a team Torrance went 25-for-32 in free throws to beat the Cougars, 83-73, before a full house in the Torrance gym.

Both teams tallied 29 field goals, leading Coach Will Boerger to announce to his team after the game that the free throws won it.

Torrance committed only three fewer infractions than the Cougars, and outscored them from the line, 25-15.

Another factor in the outcome was Torrance's half court press defense which took Ventura out of its set attack and lessened the opponents scoring opportunities.

Except for six layups by 6'6" Center Tony Bartholomew, the Cougars relied on shooting from the field, scoring 20 goals at range. Dan Roberts got 7 of his 8 goals from the corner and Gary Sullivan got 7-for-7 from outside the key. Their shooting kept Ventura within four points until late in the third quarter when Torrance pulled away by 10.

Both teams were torrid in the first quarter, battling 25-23. The Cougars had 11 goals and 3-for-4 free throws and led most of the period.

But Torrance scored eight straight points to start the second quarter. Ventura came back with eight of its own. It wasn't until Richard Thompson got his two free throws (2-2) near the end of the half that Torrance took the lead for keeps.

The score was 40-36 at the half and went to 50-42 midway through the third period.

The closest Ventura came was 69-67 in the fourth period on George Valenzuela's looper, but a 5-point play by Bill Doyle, Johnson and Fisher created a new spread.

Torrance was in foul trouble throughout the fourth quarter when Kruel, Doyle and Fred Carpenter had four each.

But Ventura's big center got two quick fouls near the final 2:19 mark to leave the game and give Torrance a sigh of relief. Roberts also fouled out before it was over, although there was no doubt about the outcome.

Although Kruel didn't get a foul shot, he was the leader from the field with nine goals. He had five in the third quarter. Johnson got 11 of his team's 23 points in the first quarter. He didn't miss a deep shot in five tries and one was a desperation shot with one second to go in the third period.

Carpenter scored but four points. His rebounding was superb, however.

In playing a running game, Torrance had several turnovers, but so did Ventura.

The site of Friday's second round game was to be announced later today. Torrance's opponent is Pasadena which won a home game against Montebello, 81-76.

Redondo beat Sky League runner-up Morning-side, 70-55, and will play Warren High which beat Notre Dame, 71-65.

Compton upset Mira Costa, 58-53, and favorite Long Beach Poly routed Rancho Alamitos, 101-60.

Torrance (83)	FG	FT	PF	TP
Johnson	8	8	4	24
Kruel	9	0	1	21
Thompson	1	2	4	7
Carpenter	1	2	4	7
Fisher	5	8	2	15
Doyle	8	5	4	17
Crockett	0	0	0	0
Totals	29	25	17	83

Ventura (73)	FG	FT	PF	TP
Valenzuela	2	4	3	19
Watson	2	5	1	9
Roberts	3	3	5	15
Bartholomew	7	1	5	15
Anderson	0	1	0	0
Sullivan	7	1	3	15
Alvarado	0	0	3	6
Totals	29	15	20	73

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**Bishop Loses To Mt. Carmel In Baseball**  
Mt. Carmel overcame a second inning grand slam home run by Gary Nensonson of Bishop Montgomery for a 9-6 baseball victory yesterday at Manchester Playground.

The Crusaders scored three runs in the third and fourth innings on homers by Bob Martinez and Jim Roberts. Roberts' came with two aboard.

**Pair of Games**  
A two-run homer by Hoagy Wong gave Harbor its first win of the season over Orange Coast, 10-6. Long Beach limited the Hawks to three hits for a 12-1 win.



**METRO CHAMPION . . .** Dwight Fritz, 191-pound wrestler from El Camino, will compete in the Southern California junior college regional meet at the college gym Friday and Saturday. Fritz is pictured about to pin a Valley opponent. El Camino won Conference title at Bakersfield last week with 86 points.

## Cerritos Picked in Baseball

A year ago, Cerritos paralyzed its Metropolitan Conference baseball opposition by winning 18 games for an undefeated championship.

This season, the Falcons have compiled a perfect 8-0 mark in pre-conference action. They open defense of their championship Friday at Long Beach.

The total Metro pre-conference stats show: Cerritos (8-0), Bakersfield (5-1), El Camino (5-2-1), Long Beach (4-3), Santa Monica (3-2), Valley (4-8-2), and East L.A. (2-5).

Coach Wally Kincaid of Cerritos lost a glittering array of first-rate ball players, but he has another contender abuilding in Norwalk. Back-

bone of the pitching corps is Bobby Vaughn, all-conference and 3-0 to date.

The Falcon defense and pitching has been superb so far. In their eight games, the baseballers have shut out three foes and given up a total of eight runs.

El Camino's chief weakness last year was pitching, but Coach Chuck Freeman may have depth this season. Fighting for starting jobs are Ray Allen, Hugh Reynolds, Steve Wright, Pete Espinosa, and Pat Knutzen.

Now the main problem area for Freeman may shift to lack of power. "We need more hitting," he says.

Defensively, the Warriors should be better balanced and stronger.

Bakersfield's only defeat was suffered in the finals of the Sequoias Tournament, 4-2. The Renegades, who finished second to Cerritos last year, figure to be improved, according to coach Gerry Collins.

East Los Angeles coach Bob Hertel lost all his good pitchers of a year ago, but his biggest worry is defense. "If our infield gets tough, we could go places," he said.

Despite his mound losses, Hertel has some good prospects in school. Top men are John Wilson (right), John Angeles, and Rich Chval. So far despite the 2-5 Husky record, only one pitcher on the team is over 2.00 ERA. Defense has opened the door for the de-

feats.

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