

Little Leaguers Engage In Sudden-Death Series

Three Little League fields will be occupied with tournament play this week. District 27 games begin tonight at Harbor City Perry Field between North Torrance West and Torrance National at 5:45 p.m. Torrance National is one of the favorites to capture the District 27 tournament.

Playing at Harbor City tomorrow are perennial powerhouse Torrance American and Dominguez.

A single game Friday pits North Torrance East against Victoria Park. Saturday, Lomita and Fre-Way oppose each other. The field is off Pacific Coast Highway on Frampton Avenue.

District 26 also launches its campaign tonight at 6 p.m. with South Redondo taking on Pacific at North Redondo Little League.

The field is at Ernest and Rindge in North Redondo.

Thursday the scene shifts to Silver Spur Field at Crest Road near Highridge for a game between strong Rolling Hills and Riviera.

The district will have two doubleheaders at both fields Saturday. At North Redondo Sunset plays Central Redondo at 1:30 and North Redondo battles Southwood at 4 p.m. First game at Silver Spur is between Lunada Bay and Malaga Cove. Second games is between Eastview and host Silver Spur.

Torrando, having drawn a bye, breaks into competition Monday at North Redondo.

Drawing byes in District 27 were Carson, Pacific Coast of Torrance, Central Torrance at Harbor City.

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SPORTS

North Torrance Holds Tourney

North Torrance Pony League will hold the District 1 Tournament at Garrett Field, 190th St. and Van Ness Ave., starting Saturday. Games will begin at 5:15 p.m. weekdays and 1:30 p.m. and 4 p.m. weekends through July 31.

Teams participating in the tournament are Gardena, North Torrance, Rolling Hills, San Pedro, Torrance Central and West Torrance.

Game schedule for the first

Pacific Coast Little League Has Banquet

The Pacific Coast Little League will present awards to championship teams and tournament team members tomorrow during a banquet at the TRW Space Systems cafeteria in Redondo Beach.

Fathers and sons of 17 teams will be in attendance. The league's women's board and team sponsor will be present.

The J. A. Beasley perpetual trophy will be given to outgoing president Tom Conity.

More than 50 boys are graduating from the P.C.L.L. as 12-year-olds this year.

"The increasing number of graduating boys each year has brought about possibilities of adding Senior Little League to the P.C.L.L.," it was announced. Further details may be made available at the awards banquet.

President-elect of Pacific Coast Little League is Jack O'Brien.

Leaders Told For Hackers Golf Event

Leaders in the Hackers Haven junior golf tournament have been announced by Tony Masciola, club pro.

In the 8-18 age group are Steve Sansom and Buster Coast with par 54 and Verry Britton with a 3 over par 57.

Leaders in the senior tournament are Tony Frye with a 9 under par 45, Al Coast with a 4 under 50 and Chet Bush with a 3 under 51.

Frontrunners in the Jack 'n Jill event are Eleanor and Bill Man is with a 13 under 95, followed by Vee and Chet Palmer (101), and Fran and Dave Armstrong (107).

Steeplechase To Be Held

The richest steeplechase motorcycle race in the nation — the \$6,000 National Championship — is set for Ascot Park in Gardena next Saturday night at 8:30 p.m.

Preliminary action on Friday night includes qualifying runs for Saturday's 50-lap National, plus a full schedule of novice races.

TORRANCE KAYOED BY GARDENA

Gardena all but eliminated Tappa Keggas from the West Coast Slo-Pitch League race Friday with a 4-3 victory in the 11th inning of the nightcap at Rowley Park.

The Torrance team won the first game, 5-3, and attempted to turn the second half into a 3-way tie in the second game. Tappa scored twice in the seventh for a 2-2 tie and went ahead, 3-2, in the ninth, but Gardena tied it in the bottom of the inning and won in the 11th.

Gardena, winner of the first half, leads Round 2 with a 7-1 record. El Segundo is 6-2 and Tappa Keggas is 5-3.

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Bill Sharman Recalls Life In Baseball

San Francisco's new basketball coach, Bill Sharman, the former Boston Celtics great, recalls that he was probably the only basketball player in major league history who never played in a major league game and still was thrown out of a ball game.

This circumstance came about in 1951 — the year the Brooklyn Dodgers blew a 12-game lead to the New York Giants. With a month left in the season, Dodger general manager Buzz Bavasi brought Sharman up from the minors and told him, "Bill, we're going to give you every chance to see what you can do. We're so far ahead, we plan to give Duke Snider a rest going down the stretch."

Tumble Wind, a handsome Florida-bred son of Restless Wind, has been invincible thus far in his career. After breaking his maiden by eight lengths, the Charley Whittingham-trained sensation set time records in both the Westchester and Haggin Stakes. He won the Westchester by one and one-half lengths in :57 1/5, then took the Higgin by four and three-quarter lengths in 1:03 2/5.

Whittingham probably also will send out two highly-regarded stablemates of Tumble Wind, Oxford Stable's Title Game, who won the Howard Stakes, and Restless Song, also owned by Rock Spring Farm Stables, who won the Cabrillo Stakes.

Other prospects are Old Adobe, Wilbur Clark, Fleet



TERRY TIEDEMAN . . . Will be among the East All-stars attending photo day at Narbonne High School as the team begins practice for the Lions Club Football Game at El Camino Thursday, Aug. 4. Tiedeman played halfback for Torrance High School last year.

Babe Ruth Playoffs Scheduled

North Torrance Babe Ruth will be host to the 13-year-old tournament games at Guenser Park, 17800 S. Gramercy Place, Torrance.

The first game of nine games will be Friday night at 5:30 between North Torrance and Palos Verdes. Other games are Saturday, doubleheader at 1 and 4 p.m., Sunday, doubleheader, 1 and 4 p.m., Monday, Tuesday, Wednesday, and Thursday at 5:30 p.m. The 13-year-old final game to be played July 29, at 5:30 o'clock at El Segundo.

Teams participating in the tournament are Huntington Park, Bell Gardens, El Segundo, Westchester, two teams from Los Angeles, Central Torrance, Pacific American, North Torrance, and Palos Verdes.

The winner from district will participate at the state level at Sherman Oaks. The 13 year old tournament stops at state level.

Members of the North Torrance 13-year-old tournament team are Rick Albertson, Gary Bernstein, Dan Campbell, Ray Ferrell, Gary Galbreath, Tom Gaudi, Jeff Grubbs, Tim Harasti, Daryl Hatfield, Steve Johnson, Jay Jones, Gil Jurado, Dan Martinez, Ken Mitchell, Keith Rodriguez, Mike Tahash, Steve Thomas, Larry Thompson, Terry Uchida.

DALE GORDON TAKES FIRST IN TOURNEY

Junior golfers from the Palos Verdes Peninsula and South Bay area are participating in the national Lifetime Sports Foundation Program, aimed at improving the physical fitness of Americans of all ages.

More than 180 boys and girls from 9 through 17 years of age took part in the Los Verdes Junior Golf Championships under the direction of resident professional Len Kennett.

First-place winner of the Palos Verdes Properties Cup in the tournament for boys 9 through 13 years, was Dale Gordon of Torrance. Randy Anderson of Redondo Beach, was second and Frank Merchat of Palos Verdes was third.

Palos Verdes competitors took top honors in the boys 14 through 17 events. Dave Gill won the Transamerica Development Company Cup for first place; Jim Green was second; and Kit Ashley was third.

Karla Anderson of Redondo Beach carded lowest scores in girls' competition to take first-place Monte-Verdes Properties Cup. Kathy Saunders of Palos Verdes was second, and Pam Lindberg of San Pedro was third.

'East' Names Players for Tournament

John Mangiagli, the 5-year president of North Torrance East Little League, has announced the league's 1966 tournament team.

Players are Tommy Desmond, Ted Mitchell, Dennis McMahon, Henry Wayne, Nicky Giglio, Jimmy Morrison, Robbie Schmidt, Pete Belanto, Mark Stevens, Tom Berkovich, Clark Cronin, Mike Johnson, Mike Russell, Phil Manahan. Alternates are Ricky Whittaker, Louie Vega, Brian Cleland, Charlie Jones and Randy Tracey.

Manager of the team is Joe Belanto and the coach is Dick Whittaker.

North Torrance East, runner up in last year's District 27 finals, will oppose Walteria Park Friday at 5:30 p.m. at Harbor City Perry Field.

Big Guys Play Out Of Town

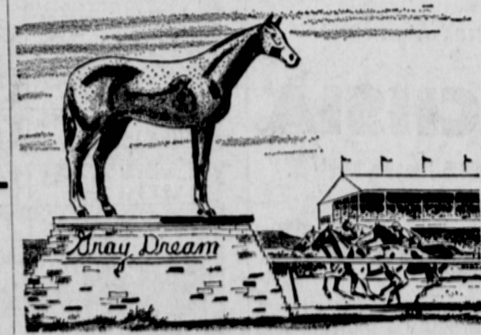
All games for the major Babe Ruth League 1966 tournament teams will be at El Segundo Recreational Park, and Loyola University in Westchester.

There will be a game at each location beginning Friday night at 5:30.

North Torrance Babe Ruth plays Palos Verdes at El Segundo, Saturday at 4 p.m. The major finals will be held July 30, at 1 p.m. at Westchester.

The winner of the District will go to state, regional and national finals.

North Torrance major tournament players are Charlie Boone, Randy Carron, Rick Galbreath, Roger Harris, Tom Issacson, Danny Jurado, Steve Kadoich, Bob Kubbishige, Steve Lockwood, John Motta, Dave Obbards, Gary Prior, Pat Saraceno, Dave Skaggs, Brian Smith, Dave Smith, Bill Taylor, Gene Thomas. The manager is John Motta. His coaches are Gene Thomas and Roy Masuyama.



Monument Erected For Gray Phenomenon

In the infield at Raton, he did win stakes at Church-ill Downs, Detroit and Thistle-stands a better-than-life-sized statue marking the grave of a horse that never raced there.

Mrs. Eric (Bobbie Jo) Culver, La Mesa's publicity director explains: "While Gray Dream's get were just good useful horses at the track so many of his sons and daughters raced here that when he died in 1964 the directors thought it fitting to memorialize him here and so did his owner, Guy Rorick."

A son of Gino-Dark Love, foaled in 1939, Gray Dream became something of a phenomenon and a legend in his own time. He made no head-lines as a race horse although

Red Devils Run Streak To 15 Games

The Torrance Red Devils ran their Connie Mack League winning streak to 15 games last weekend by defeating Inglewood, 9-0, and 11-0, and Long Beach, 12-1.

Tordena remained a game and a half off the pace by tripping Hawthorne, 7-0; San Pedro, 13-2; and Hawthorne, 7-0; San Pedro, 13-2; and Hawthorne, 13-6, and losing to San Pedro, 7-6.

L.A. City Initiates Gridfest

If it is true "success breeds success" the first annual Los Angeles City All-Star Football Classic on Friday evening, Aug. 26, at East Los Angeles College Stadium is a surefire smash.

The game, pitting 30-man squads of recently graduated high school seniors from schools in the Los Angeles City Schools District is for the benefit of the Youth Counseling Project of the Rotary Club of Hollywood Foundation.

Coaches of the Blue (North) squad, whose roster is comprised of players who formerly performed for teams in the East Valley, West Valley, Western, and Northern Leagues, are Harold Lambert of Taft, and Winston Tucker of Van Nuys High, and Ray O'Connor, also of Taft.

Youthful coaching staff for the Golds (South) are head-man Jim Pendleton (36) of Los Angeles High, assistants Jack Bobinette (37) of Narbonne High and Joe Goldin (30) of Los Angeles. Bobinette is also coach of the Lions all-star game Aug. 4 at El Camino college.

Pendleton, an L. A. High grad, has been coaching at his alma mater since 1958 and most recently has achieved singular heights — an 11-0 record and the city championship in 1965.

Bobinette, a former teammate of Pendleton at L.A. High, parlayed an outstanding college grid career at Occidental College to assignments as assistant at Huntington Park for six years and headman at Narbonne for two. Huntington Park won the Eastern League three times and annexed the city crown in 1959 behind the quarterbacking of Craig Fertig, later an SC star and now an assistant coach at Troy. At Narbonne, Bobinette's teams have finished second twice to Gardena's juggernauts.

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Connie Mack Standings

	W	L	Pct.	GB
Torrance	15	2	.882	
Tordena	14	4	.767	1 1/2
Riddle & Ross	12	6	.667	3 1/2
Hawthorne	11	7	.611	4 1/2
San Pedro	10	8	.556	5 1/2
Westchester	6	12	.333	9 1/2
Inglewood	3	16	.158	13
Long Beach	1	17	.056	14 1/2

Games Saturday
Riddle and Ross vs. Tordena Bulls at Torrance Park, 2 p.m.
Westchester vs. Torrance Red Devils at Torrance Park, 7:30 p.m.
Hawthorne at San Pedro, 1 p.m.

Games Sunday
Torrance Red Devils vs. Tordena Bulls at Torrance Park, 2 p.m.
San Pedro vs. Riddle & Ross at El Camino, 1 p.m.
Hawthorne at Inglewood.
Long Beach at Westchester.

Friday's Results
Torrance Bulls 7, Hawthorne 0.
Saturday's Results
Red Devils 9, Inglewood 0 (forfeit).
Red Devils 11, Inglewood 0.
Bulls 13, San Pedro 2.
San Pedro 7, Tordena Bulls 6.
Riddle & Ross 5, Long Beach 3.
Hawthorne 8, Westchester 5.
Hawthorne 7, Westchester 0.

Sunday's Results
Red Devils 12, Long Beach 1.
Bulls 13, Hawthorne 6.
Riddle & Ross 9, Westchester 0 (forfeit).
San Pedro 13, Inglewood 6.

Indians Win Playoff in Little League

In a playoff game to decide the North Torrance West Little League championships, the Indians defeated the Red Sox, 7-2, at Dominguez.

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Slo-Pitch Set For Redondo Aug. 12, 13, 14

The West Coast Slo-Pitch double elimination tournament is scheduled for Redondo's Perry Park Aug. 12, 13 and 14. League President Ken Miller has announced.

A maximum of 12 teams will constitute the field for the tournament. Participants will include Tappa Keggas, a past champion of the event.

who got to the "big time" in California and won over \$100,000 in five seasons of racing. For ten of his 19 seasons Gray Dream ranked among the top ten sires in the country according to races won by their get.