

Entries Closed For the Torrance Herald's Big Marble Tournament

Application for entry into the second and third divisions will have to power-house their shooting laws across a ten-foot circle. Twenty-one marble targets will be placed in the center; seven in a circle measuring one foot from the ring's center while the remainder are to be placed in a circle two feet from the center of the ring.

In each game, the first boy knocking 11 of the 21 marbles out of the ring, will be declared the winner of that contest. Eliminations deciding the champions of each of the four service clubs will compete in the finals which will be conducted March 15.

Twenty-four contestants will compete in the finals, where three first-place champions and three second place winners will be determined.

Shooting laws are not to measure more than seven-eighths of an inch in diameter and "steelies" will be barred from the contest. Each player will be required to knock down to the ring's outside edge.

Contestants will lag to a line 20 feet distant to determine the first one to shoot.

Riflemen Form Committee To Secure Range

More than 65 riflemen gathered in the Moose Lodge hall last week after being notified of the meeting by Dale Riley, Torrance Recreation director, who acted as chairman and outlined a proposed rifle club for this district.

Riley aided in setting up a committee from those attending, whose functions will be to locate a site for the project and estimate cost of building. Following the findings of this committee, another meeting will be called to determine ways and means for establishing the organization.

If the committee's report is favorable, Riley said, the group then will nominate and elect officers. Some 200 potential members of the gun club are expected to attend the next meeting, riflemen here declare.

Committee members now include Carl Blymiller, county fireman, living at 10340 S. Gentry ave., Clarence Lynfield, 130 E. Hillcrest, Ingelwood fireman; George Craft, 2225 Gramercy ave., engineer; E. J. Shook, 5882 Linden ave., Long Beach; H. C. Callahan, 24232 Ocean ave., contractor; B. J. Michels, 3417 Newton St., manager of Torrance Electric; Frank Daniels, Redondo Beach, owner of Daniels Sport Shop; Bo Suter, 629 S. Catalina ave., Redondo Beach and C. M. Gilbert, 1412 Fern ave., Torrance City councilman.

Beehawks Spank L.B. Jordan Cagers 49-25

Union High school Beehawk bucketeers remained in a deadlock with Santa Monica for the Bay League top spot last week in the Hawks' gymnasium by thrashing a scrappy Long Beach Jordan quint, 49-25.

While the locals were pounding out their win Santa Monica whipped the El Segundo lightweights by a 48-21 figure. The Beehawks and Samohi have 10 wins and one loss apiece.

Morgan Moore couldn't miss the hoop in winning the scrap. The sparkling "vowhead" spotted the rims for 17 points to take home high-scoring honors of the day. He was followed by Jordan's Dick Wilson who had 12. RUHS forward Buddy Waller and Center Seco Torres piled up nine apiece.

Bob Graff, the lad who played the leading roles in C and D championships for Redondo this year, hit the skids and was only able to hang up four points. Up until this time his appearances with the B team have been remarkable.

At the end of the first half the Redondo lightweights were not quite sure as to what the final outcome would be because the underrated visitors held Redondo to a 17-14 lead. Backboard play by Roger Bacon and Jim Foxworthy paved the way for the second half runaway.

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 Moore (17) F. Killingsworth (12)
 Waller (8) C. Medhoun (12)
 Torres (5) G. Seco (12)
 Bacon (4) B. Foxworthy (4)
 Graff (4) G. Craft (4)
 Scoring by quarters: 13 13 13 9-25
 Matthews (1) Long Beach-Berkshire (4)
 Jordan (12) 8 6 6 5-25
 Redondo (13) 4 23 9-49

Revolver Scores

The Torrance Police Revolver club scores for the week ending Feb. 23 are the following:

38 Caliber—Police Course

Name	Strings	Average
L. Berry	4	282.75
O. Medicus	4	276.25
E. Hoyer	3	254.00
J. Gerer	2	241.00

38 caliber statistics:
 High slow fire: Berry, 97.
 High time fire: Berry, 97.
 High rapid fire: Berry, 97.
 High individual score: Medicus, 280.00.

STRIPES
 Some stripes are being taken above the Rio Vista bridge and around Ryer Island in the Sacramento river, Solano County.

BASS FISHING
 Bass fishing is picking up on Hayasu Lake at Needles boat landing, fisherman report.

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T.H.S. Gym Team Downed In First Meet Meeting

By BILL TOLSON

The newly organized Tartar gym squad was defeated in the first meet by a strong Verdugo Hills team and a mediocre Gardena band.

The Tartars were not in full strength due to the loss of such valuable muscle men as Tom Faren, Bill Wood and Bill Dominguez, who have suffered injuries. Even some of the boys who did compete were not in top form.

But all was not sad for Tony Van Kralingen raked up a total of ten points in the three events he entered. He was far above the field in the high bar, showing magnificent form and a large assortment of moves. He also scampared up the 25-foot rope in a rapid 8.7, to squeeze out a second place, and four more points, and he added another point to his total with his fifth place in the long horse.

Little Bob Wathen totaled five points with his second place in the rings and his fifth in the parallel bars.

Jim Webb and Jim Quinn also scored for the Tartars with fourth and fifth in the high bar.

For the first league meet with Bell and Gardena it is expected that the Tartars will be out in full force.

The final score was Verdugo Hills, 11 1/3; Gardena, 3 1/2 and Torrance 17 1/3.



"WHAT? YOU WERE LEFT-HANDED TOO?" ... Yipes Rosey Gilhousen, Southern California's most popular semi-pro baseball star who recently was named to pilot Idaho Falls in the Pioneer league, as he watches Hal Jackson lean to port for the purpose of affixing his signature to an Idaho Falls contract. That's Hal's younger brother, Gerald, between the hair-tearing Rosey and the elder Jackson. The brothers signed the baseball contracts in the Torrance Herald office last week. Gilhousen will start his club's spring training March 1 in Whittier. Pioneer League season play will begin April 1, Gilhousen said. (Torrance Herald photo)

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Bay League Cage Crown Cinch For Redondo High

The third Bay League basketball crown came to rest in the trophy case at Redondo Union High School last week as the Seahawk vastly easily disposed of Long Beach Jordan—the team that was rated "the team to beat" in the circuit—by a smashing 55 to 24 margin. The win was the 11th straight for the Red and White and kept their hoop record unmarred. Other titles won by RUHS casabans this year were captured by the C and D squads.

Again it was Clarence Witt showing his mates the victory path as he continually eluded the two men assigned to guard him and racked up 22 points. This gives him a total of 205 for the season and a game average of 18.6.

The Panthers displayed the snappiest, surest, and trickiest ball handling of any club the 'Hawks have met all season, but were unable to penetrate the tight defense thrown up by the hometowners.

The locals started off on top and remained on the long end of the count right down to the last whistle, constantly increasing their margin. They led 8-3 at the quarter, 20-9 at the half, 43-18 at the three-quarters mark, and finished still going away.

Bob Hammond, whose accurate passes set up numerous Seahawk baskets and whose work on picking up rebounds was nothing short of terrific, tied with reserve Don Davis, playing his best game to date, for second scoring honors with eight.

Jordan had a taller lineup than the 'Hawks, but Redondo coach Mel Seifert nullified this advantage by inserting lanky Stu Black into the lineup to outstretch the visitors, who were paced in the scoring parade by Dick Entorf, who accounted for six, while Bob Hobbs nabbed five.

The champs closed out the season against El Segundo Tuesday. They will compete in the Beverley Hills varsity tournament and CIF playoffs.

Redondo (55) Jordan (24)
 Witt (22) F. Weyrich (11)
 Jacob (8) F. Towell (2)
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 Hammond (8) G. Lew (2)
 Stutaman (4) G. Entorf (6)
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Score by quarters: 8 9 8 24
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Swartz To Hold Baseball School In Park Sunday

Art Swartz, manager of the Torrance Signal Oilers, Sunday at 10 a. m., will conduct a baseball school in Torrance ball park for the purpose of bolstering his present club and establishing a second team for double headers here this summer.

Swartz announced that he would personally supervise the school and would be on the alert for exceptional talent in the area. Players are urged to come prepared to play ball.

Rosey Gilhousen, new manager of the Idaho Falls ball club in the Pioneer League, is slated to be on hand to grab good material for his own team. Both Swartz and Gilhousen expressed a desire to see the elusive Pete Dodds, 1946 Tartar second baseman, in action for a possible contract.

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Last week end the race horse Compton five topped San Diego J.C., 71-35, in a non-conference engagement on Friday night and returned to Metro conference play on Saturday by edging Los Angeles City college, 54-49. Through its two latest conquests, Compton maintained its current win streak, which now lists 17 consecutive victims and boosted its season record to 31 wins and three defeats.

Jalopies To Burn Fifth-Mile Huntington Oval

For the first time in the history of hot-rod racing on the Pacific coast, the speedy souped-up jalopies will cavort on a fifth-mile track when more than 50 of the hot-rod daredevils of Southern California tangle in a 100-lap thrill show on the new Huntington Beach Speedway track Sunday.

The hot-ros have never raced over the latter saucer distance before, having concentrated on the quarter and half-mile tracks in this area—but racing big cars, which have also introduced the inverted start (the fastest cars starting last) to the program, feel that it has big thrill possibilities.

All of the leading drivers have signed with co-promoters Bob Ware and Harold Matheson, including the Pacific coast kingpin of 1946, Connie Wiedell of Los Angeles, and the State champion Manuel Ayula, of Santa Monica.

Other leading drivers in the prospective field will be Jack McGrath, Fred Rymess, Gordon Reed, who is leading the point standings for 1947; Bud Van Maanen and others.

A 40-lap main event will climax the program, which begins with qualifying trials at 12:30 p.m.; the first race, the Trophy Dash for the two fastest qualifying cars, at 2 p.m.

Hotrod Races

SUNDAY, MARCH 2 — 2 P.M.

HUNTINGTON BEACH SPEEDWAY

(Just off Highway 101, South of H. Beach)

FIRST MAJOR SPEED SHOW WITH BIG CARS ON A FIFTH-MILE TRACK.

QUALIFYING BEGINS 12:30 P.M.

AMPLE PARKING SEATS FOR 17,000

100 THRILL LAPS 40-LAP MAIN EVENT

Bankers Defeat Appliance Men In Hoop Encounter

The Torrance National Bank basketball team stole the show in last week's Torrance Recreation play by taking the measure of the fast National Home Appliance five by the narrow margin of 21-18.

George Post sank three field goals to lead the bankers to victory.

Klink's Cabrillo Mart, following a first period 7-0 tie, won over the Bear A.C. m-7on tossers by a 32-21 score. Neal Robertson, George Lee and Don Robertson each contributed seven points to the Mart's tally to share scoring honors.

Fenwick's Shoe Repair edged the Goodyear Shoeshooters 34-32 in the closest game of the evening.

Bud Smith, of the winners, led the attack for the second consecutive week, swishing 10 counters through the hoop.

Woody Coleman, of the losers, scored 12 to run his league total up to 90, which is 18 ahead of his nearest competitor, Bud Smith, who has totaled 72.

These games are a Torrance Recreation department activity and are free to the public. Three games are held each Tuesday night in the high school's gymnasium. First game starts at 7 p.m.