

Tartar Freshman Lowers Boom on School Sprint Mark

Organization of Adult Baseball League Here Gets Slow Response

Nothing but trouble is developing in the efforts of a group of baseball lovers to recognize the game here and set up playing leagues for adults. Whether it is pressure or just apathy is not quite clear, but the organization of a league to include Torrance is moving very, very slow.

A meeting called for last Tuesday evening in Lynwood was finally postponed when representatives of teams in the area failed to show up, according to Elmer Moon, who is trying to organize such a team here.

Another meeting has been scheduled for Lynwood next Tuesday night in the hopes of getting the league set up. The move would be no precedent, Moon says. San Diego has such leagues, San Bernardino, Long Beach, and Santa Ana also have broken away from the Southern California Baseball Managers Association and set up leagues of play which offer competition.

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STRONG FINISH . . . Bill Kudlemeyer, left, and Dick Armend, center, finish strong in the 100-yard dash in the three-way meet last Friday with Downey, Excelsior, and Torrance. The Tartars failed to garner enough points to take the fray. (Herald photo)

Robert Brow Sets New Mark for 180

A new name went into the Torrance High record book this week following Freshman Robert Brow's smashing win in the 180-yard dash. Brow's time of 19.2 seconds to beat the previous school record set last year by Harry Bayliss at 19.7 seconds.

Brow still has quite a bit of running to do, however, if he is going to clip any league or CIF records in the 180. The Bay League record is 18.88 and the CIF Southern Section record is 18.64.

In other events of the meet, Aramis Dandy won the varsity broad jump and placed third in the high jump ahead of Buddy Powers who was fourth. Jack O' Cain tied for first in the pole vault.

Ted Ruth was second in the varsity 120 high hurdles, and Burt Smith won the 100-yard dash. Joe Lafferty was third in the 100. Smith also won the 100 yard dash.

The varsity relay team, made up of Dandy, Dick Armend, Bill Kudlemeyer, and Ted Marcoux was barely nosed out of a win in the thrilling climax of the meet.

Cindermen Head for Inglewood Relays

Seven of the Southland's strongest track teams will clash during the next two days in the annual Inglewood Relays which get under way with the field events this afternoon at 2:30 on Sentinel field in Inglewood.

Hosting six other CIF schools in the annual meet, Inglewood Sentinels rate no better than a second to the long and strong El Monte team. Other teams slated to attend the relays include Leuzinger, Santa Monica, Beverly Hills, Long Beach, and Torrance.

The Tartars have only one strong hope. Coach Rex Welch has a better-than-average Cee squad, and this bunch could knock off some relay points.

Above that, however, the Tartars have a shallow Bee squad, and the varsity is not deep enough to field top-flight four-man teams in the relay events.

Teams lined up for the meet include:

- Varsity**
Mile—Garcia, Marcoux, Downing and Montem. Dandy and Kudlemeyer will be alternates.
High Jump—Kelley, Groves, Powers, Dandy, Ruth and Amy will be alternates.
Broadjump—Kelley, Groves, Powers, Dandy, Amy alternate.
- Bee**
Shotput—Carroll, Ostrom, Bennett, and Bingham.
- CEP**
440—Smith, Lafferty, Kasten, Brow.
Mile—Fernandez, Kulp, Guerra, Lindenberg.
880—Smith, Lafferty, Kasten.

Junior Baseball League to Open Loop Play Here

Play in the newly organized baseball league for boys will open in Torrance Park next Memorial Day afternoon in a gala six-team round robin game with each of the teams of the league pairing off for three inning battles.

Formation of the league was completed last week when representatives from Lynwood, Gardena, Culver City, Hawthorne, Torrance and the Harvard Play-ground met here and pledged their entry into a league under the Golden State Junior Baseball Association.

Heading the slate of officers for the new league is E. S. Moon, the city's director of athletics. Jack Crabtree, of Hawthorne, is vice-president, and O. N. Mitchell, of Culver City is secretary-treasurer.

Members of the league voted last week to open the league in Torrance with all the teams of the league participating in the baseball jamboree. Pairings of teams will be decided by drawing just before the game starts.

Y. T. Vandervoort has been named to organize a Torrance team for entry into the league, Moon said.

Walterian Named Head Of Plant Softball Club

Members of the Northrop Aircraft Recreation Club have elected Walterian as head of the club's new softball team. Walterian, 24466 Winlock drive, to the position of commissioner of the softball club, according to announcement by Ash Dunning, Northrop Recreation Club president.

Wheeler, a Northrop Aircraft photographer, has been named to organize a Torrance team for entry into the league, Moon said.

Wolfhounds Clout Apple To Beat Mira Costa Nine

Coach Vern Wolfe's horseholders got back into the win column of the league Tuesday afternoon by taking an 11-3 victory from Mira Costa on the loser's diamond. Bouncing back from their 11th inning defeat at the hands of the Seahawks here Friday night, the Wolfhounds blasted Mustang pitchers for a total of 13 hits for their busiest afternoon of the spring.

First baseman Jim Nady led the hit parade as he clouted the pill for three singles in four trips to the plate. Second baseman Jim Murphy tagged the Mustangs for two singles and a double in five trips.

BELTS PELET
Murphy started the game by belting the third pitch for a single. He advanced to second on Nady's sacrifice, to third when the Mustang left fielder bobbled a fly hit by Vic Ordaz, then scored on Bill Crawford's single.

The Tartars really got organized in the second inning after two were out when Nady, Ordaz, and Crawford singled after a couple of walks to push five runs across the plate.

The third inning was a repeat performance of the first with Al Knappenberger and Murphy doubling, Nady and Ordaz singling, Crawford walking, then Charlie Camou getting the inning's third double. Five more runs scored to wind up Tartar scoring for the game. The Mustangs could never overcome the sizeable lead.

Larry Roy started on the mound for the Tartars and piled up an 11-1 lead in the first three innings only to see it whittled away on walks. Wolfe hoisted Roy in the last of the third and put Duane Mittan on the mound. Mittan started the Mustangs around the circuit again in the fourth on walks and Bill Crawford was moved in from short to put out the fire. He pitched hitless ball the rest of the game to stop the Mira Costans.

The Tartars moved to the top of the league again with the win as the Inglewood Sentinels were handed their first defeat.

Camino Golfers Wax Glendale CC 27 to 3

Bob Chase fired a 37-38-75 to lead Coach George Watt's El Camino College golf battalion to a 27-3 massacre of Glendale City College last Friday on the Alondra Park links.

SCHOLARSHIP AWARDED

Paul Muller, president of the El Camino College Alpha Gamma Sigma scholarship society, has been awarded a \$200 scholarship by the South Bay Sandpipers Club.

National Paint Cops Tough Kegling League

After 28 weeks of stiff bowling competition in the Torrance 875 Classic, the National Paint Team came out on top of the league last week four games ahead of their nearest contender, Vurp's Cafe.

The National Paint keggers blasted a total of 69,979 sticks in the 50-won, 28-lost season. The winners also came through with the high team game for the league with 1046 and a high series of 2943.

The battle for the second spot in the league went right down to the last pin with Vurp's winning the spot over Torrance Tee Vee although both wound up with a 46-32 win-loss record. Vurp's got the spot by bowling over a season's total of 68,278 pins while the Torrance Tee Vee could add up their total to 68,276—a difference of two pins in the 78 games.

Ace Vaughan led the league with a 191 average while Ray Comerkeski was second with 168. Both bowled for National Paint.

Two Mayfair Milkmen, bowling with the Torrance Tee Vee, took the individual honors. John McKee rolled a 682 series, and Joe Kasko took the high game honors with 265.

Members of the championship team included Nick Comerkeski,

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