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FAIRWAY CHAMPS . . . Bob Sachse, golf instructor at Sea-Aire municipal course, presents Bob Cook with first place trophy. Dennis Drury and Lloyd Lessor also received awards for placing in Southern California Junior Par 3 Golf Tournament held Monday and Tuesday in Lions Club meet held in Arcadia. (Herald photo)

Esabs, Vandals Score Wins in Girls' Softball

The Esabs and the Vandals continued their winning ways in the Girls' Softball League at McMaster Park Tuesday night. The way things are going now it looks like a two-team race for the championship. The Esabs easily handled the Spartettes 23-2. The Esabs had a total of 13 hits, 6 of them for extra bases. Having a big night at the plate was the left fielder, Millie Dryer. Millie had a single, a triple, a home run, and scored three times in 4 appearances at the plate. The winning pitcher was Judy Clements, who allowed only two hits. The losing pitcher was Marie Acosta.

In the second half of the double header, the Vandals had absolutely no trouble in handling the Teens their 5th straight loss. The pitcher, Gaynell McGee had a no-hitter going until the bottom of the 4th when the third baseman banged out a double. Meanwhile, her teammates were collecting a total of 13 hits off Shirley Flyod. Having her biggest night of the year at the plate was the center fielder for the Vandals, Dolores Pevoviach. Dolores had 3 singles, a home run, and scored three times in her four trips to the plate.

TWO CLOSE games were played Thursday night at Walteria Park. In the opener, the Challengers had to come from behind to defeat the Pythons 8 to 5. The Pythons were leading until the bottom of the fourth. At that time the Challengers scored four runs, and added two more in the fifth. When the Pythons batted in the top of the sixth, they were unable to push across any runs, although one runner reached second. The winning pitcher was the Challenger manager, Evelyn Owings, and the loss was charged to Leslie Ross.

The Spartettes lost a heart breaker in the second game at Walteria Park on Thursday night. But, the Mishaps won a thriller at the same time, defeating the SSpartettes 8 to 7 in the bottom of the fourth inning. Up until that time the Spartettes were leading 7 to 1, and then the roof caved in. The losing pitcher, Marie Acosta, gave up four hits, and her teammates committed



RIDE 'EM COWBOY . . . Tom Downey is shown here on Rainbow during last year's Torrance Ranchero Days Rodeo in the bronc riding contest. Downey will return for this year's event. The rodeo, an R.C.A. sanctioned event, will

be counted towards the final standings when the first Finals Rodeo gets under way this fall to decide the world's champion rodeo riders.

The Eleventh Frame

By DONNA BARKDULL

Friday nights Men's Industrial completed the 8th week of their summer meet with league leading Vogue Cleaners hanging onto the top notch by a narrow one game margin. Don's Drive-In rides in second, followed one down by the Ajax Boiler quintet. J. Amichero posted the first round individual series high by connecting his three game set for a sizzling 582&96-678 while game high was whipped up by J. McQueen of the Terrors and Moose Jokers' representative R. Evans. Both recorded whopping 256 efforts, McQueen with his powerful 225&31-256 and Evans with 256 scratch.

Sunday Late Birds loop led by the Four X's one over Medical Arts Pharmacy with the Brown and Taylor squad riding in third. Individual men's series high for the seven weeks of play held by L. Holtz and his impressive 619&75-694 set as Rigby's hurler, M. Swinden, tops the gals with her potent 560&81-641 tallies. H. De-Castro of the Team #8 mob whipped up a blistering 225&19-244 single to claim the top notch in the high game column for the men while Medical Arts' V. Furguivele pitched the female high, 211&36-247.

The Stingers hold a one game lead in Bowl-O-Drama's Tuesday night Mixed Four after completing the 9th week of their summer session. The Splits ride in second followed two down by the Torrance Heater Service, Fickle Four and the Sliits & Hamms bunched in third. D. Adams, of the Wild Ones, and his power-packed 626&42-668 set holds down the men's individual season series honors while one of the Fearsome Foursomes, G. Walton, and her 478&138-616 three game effort tops the female honor roll. Season's high game posted by H. Costanzo, Shakers kiegler, who topped the pins for a mighty 224&46-270 pitch, and D. Albright, gal member of the league leading Stingers, scoring with an impressive 221&19-240.

Three crucial errors, allowing the winning run to score. The Mishaps suddenly came to life and gave their pitcher, Aggie Eschief some backing.

STANDINGS	Won	Lost
Esabs	5	0
Vandals	4	1
Challengers	3	2
Pythons	2	3
Mishaps	2	1
Spartettes	1	4
Teens	0	5

Other games saw the Cardinals defeat the St. Catherine team, 9-3, with Richard Owens and Roger Ellis leading the Cardinals on. Paul Macias slugged out a triple to break a 5-5 tie and then looked on as teammates continued the rally to produce a 19-5 win for the Tigers over the Pirates. Joe Grimm scored four RBI's for the winners.

Ron Scott hit two home runs during the evening as the Lomita Little League Indians posted an 8-6 win over the Stars. The win put the Indians in a tie for first place with the Yankees. Bob Patten was credited with the win while the loss was charged to Frank Grosch.

In a Sunday afternoon game, the Tigers defeated the Yanks, 11-10 in a close battle. Mike Peace was the winner and Bob Rigs was the loser. The loss put the Yankees back into second place, one game out from the Indians.

North Torrance Little League will hold its "Season Wrap-Up Dance" Saturday, July 11, 1959. The dance will be held at the Gardena Elks Hall, 1735 Market St., Gardena, from 9 p.m. to 1 a.m. Jack Kenning and his "Night Cappers" will provide the dance music.

Ranchero Days Rodeo May Decide Eligibility for National Finals

Eligibility for the first National Finals Rodeo—rodeo's world series—may be decided for several cowboy contestants here at the Torrance Rodeo.

Contestants in the first Finals Rodeo, which will wind up the 1959 rodeo season with a five-day run-off to decide the world's championships in each event, will be the top 15 men in the championship standings at the end of the regular season.

The standings are based on the amount of prize money won through the year. The most money at rodeos approved by the Rodeo Cowboys Association will go to the Finals.

The rodeo here, approved by the R.C.A., is in the sport's major league and its prize money payoff will be counted in the championship standings.

In the standard events last year, the dollar difference between the season winners of the fifteenth man—who will compete in the Finals—and the sixteenth, who will not be eligible—averaged less than \$80.

The National Finals will be held December 26-30 at Dallas, Texas.

AS AN R. C. A. rodeo, the Torrance Rodeo will be open to the entry of all the top professional contestants in the country, including all past and present world's champions.

Counting towards the championships will be prize money of \$1,000 put up by the rodeo, with \$200 up in each standard event. To this will be added the entry fee of the contestants, expected to hit a total of \$800.

The Torrance Rodeo will feature two contest performances next Saturday and Sunday.

First Round Results Given In Tournament

Results of the first round of tournaments held in conjunction with the current community recreational program of El Camino College were announced today by Instructor Al Greenleaf.

The program, which will run through August 28, is free of charge to children six years of age and over. No prior enrollment is necessary for children wishing to participate in the program, Greenleaf said.

The instructor noted, however, that registration is required for the summer swimming program, for which a charge of \$1 per two-week period is made. Next registration date for this program will be August 1. Further information regarding the schedule and registration is available in the foyer of the Administration building on the El Camino campus, 16007 So. Crenshaw Blvd.

Carrom, bowling and checkers tournament results were announced by Greenleaf.

- Winners in the Bowling Tournament were:
- Age 7: 1. Jan Essick, Palos Verdes; 2. Kerrie Greenleaf, Torrance; 3. Teri Struble, Torrance.
 - Age 8-9: 1. Carol Averitt, Gardena; 2. Tommy Smith, Torrance; 3. Robert Lemberger, Torrance.
 - Age 10: 1. Eddie Greterman, Gardena; 2. Patti Greterman, Gardena; 3. Debbie Struble, Torrance.
 - Age 11: 1. Carol Southstone, Rolling Hills; 2. Paul Heigo, Lawndale; 3. Allen Doane, Torrance.
 - Age 12: 1. Lex Potts, Manhattan Beach; 2. Wayne Johnson, Torrance; 3. Bill Frame, Inglewood.
- Carrom Tourney Winners were:
- Age 6-8: 1. Kerrie Greenleaf, Torrance; 2. Kristie Greenleaf, Torrance; 3. Judy Southstone, Rolling Hills.
 - Age 9-10: 1. Jerry Dunn, Gardena; 2. Allen Long, Torrance; 3. Eddie Greterman, Gardena.
 - Age 11: 1. Dave Walsh, Torrance; 2. Sean Keene, Torrance; 3. Bill Frame, Inglewood.
 - Age 12: 1. Lex Potts, Manhattan Beach; 2. Dennis Ford, Torrance; 3. Bill Frame, Inglewood.
- Winners of the Checkers Tournament were:
- Age 6-8: 1. Jan Essick, Palos Verdes; 2. Judy Southstone, Rolling Hills; 3. Kerrie Greenleaf, Torrance; 4. Kristie Greenleaf, Torrance.
 - Age 9-10: 1. Eddie Greterman, Gardena; 2. Bruce Hofius; 3. Patti Greterman, Gardena; 4. Glenn Hellyer, Torrance.
 - Age 11: 1. Joe Dunn, Gardena; 2. Carol Southstone, Rolling Hills.
 - Age 12: 1. Bill Frame, Inglewood; 2. Lex Potts, Manhattan Beach; 3. Thomas Rocchi, Gardena.

Tickets for Shrine Game On Sale Now

Sale of reserved seat tickets for the eighth annual Shrine Football Classic, which will be held at the Memorial Coliseum, Friday night, August 7, is currently being handled at two locations.

FISHING LAKES Kentucky has approximately 550 lakes for fishing. Game director Elmer P. Bromley announced that tickets may be purchased at the Shrine Football Office, 655 West Jefferson Blvd., or at the Coliseum office. Tickets are priced at \$5, \$3, \$1.50 and \$1.

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Little League

Three games provided a full slate of action in the McMasters Park Ivy league last week. The league leading Braves soundly trounced the Indians, 25-2, as Ricky Schwartz and David Erlandsen belted home runs to run up the highest score of the season in local little league action.

Other games saw the Cardinals defeat the St. Catherine team, 9-3, with Richard Owens and Roger Ellis leading the Cardinals on. Paul Macias slugged out a triple to break a 5-5 tie and then looked on as teammates continued the rally to produce a 19-5 win for the Tigers over the Pirates. Joe Grimm scored four RBI's for the winners.

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North Torrance Little League supports two divisions, the East and the West, which includes 10 major and 10 minor teams. Since this doubles their equipment needs, the League has asked for everyone to support the dance, and wishes to extend their warm appreciation for the cooperation received during the entire baseball season.

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