

S. Redondo Wins District 26 Title

LaRoche Sparks 5-0 Win

Lefty Dave LaRoche homered and pitched a two-hitter in his first mound start of the season yesterday as South Redondo won its third straight District 26 championship, 5-0 over Riviera's all-stars.

Dana Clyde also homered as South Redondo scored its 4th tourney win to advance to the Section 6 playoffs at Hawthorne this week.

S. Redondo 220 010-5
Riviera 000 000-0

Riviera's pesky Little League all-stars tackled heavily favored South Redondo yesterday for the District 26 championship after eliminating another top-heavy choice on Thursday—Rolling Hills—5-3, at Tordondo Field.

The Riviera nine was to go with Ed Holmes on the mound against South Redondo, which was seeking its third straight District 26 championship.

THURSDAY Riviera came through with a four-run third inning uprising off fastballing Joe Ferguson to ignite the 5-3 win as Greg Linnemeyer, Steve Parker, Brian Grady, Holmes and Jim Brown delivered clutch singles for a lead the locals never relinquished.

Both South Redondo and Riviera had three wins each going into yesterday's playoffs—with the winner qualifying for the Section 6 playoffs at Hawthorne this week.

Riviera had eliminated Malaga Cove 5-4, Sunset 8-0, and Rolling Hills.

SOUTH REDONDO has dumped Lunada Bay, Pacific and Tordondo.

Curve-ball artist Bruce Lotz gained credit for his second tourney win as he struck out nine and allowed but five hits in Thursday's victory.

Rolling Hills (3)	AB	R	H	RBI
York, ss	3	0	0	0
Arinstein, 2b	1	0	0	0
J. Ryerson	0	0	0	0
Anderson, lf	0	0	0	0
LaTorre, rf	1	1	1	1
Daigh, cf, p	1	1	1	1
Holden, rf, cf	0	0	0	0
St. John, cf	0	0	0	0
Thompson, c	0	0	0	0
G. Ryerson, 1b	0	0	0	0
Meagher, 3b	0	0	0	0
Ferguson, p, cf	0	0	0	0
Maloney, rf	0	0	0	0
Totals	24	3	5	3

Riviera (5)
Parker, c
Grady, 3b
Holmes, 2b
Brown, cf
Steiner, ss
Lotz, p
Adkins, rf
Paulin, 1b
Linnemeyer, lf
Haxelton, lf

Rolling Hills 100 011 3 5 2
Riviera 004 010 5 7 3
SUMMARY: HR—Linnemeyer, SO—Lotz, 9; Ferguson 5; Daigh 2, RB; Lotz 4; Ferguson 1; Daigh 5, LOB—Rolling Hills 8, Riviera 5.

Softball Standings

SLO-PITCH			
Blue League			
W	L	GBL	
Tappa Keggas	12	0	
Fire Dept. B	6	6	6
Old Pros	6	6	6
City Employees	5	7	7
RB Post Office	4	3	8
Torrance Tigers	3	9	9

RED LEAGUE
W L GBL
Just For Fun 9 1 —
Ron's Landscapers 8 2 1
Inglewood Farms 7 3 2
St. James Church 5 5 4
St. Lawrence 4 6 5
Columbia ERA 4 6 5
SB Church of God 2 8 7
Pacific Perforating 1 9 8



HOT CORNER . . . Rolling Hills third baseman Marty Meagher tags Riviera's sliding Karl Steiner on helmet for putout during hot action at hot corner in second inning of Thursday's game at Tordondo Field. Meagher took throw from centerfielder after base hit, but Riviera went on to win anyway, 5-3. (Herald photo)

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WATCH THE CURVE BALL . . . Rolling Hills manager cautions slugging star Gary Ryerson to watch the ball carefully against Riviera's Bruce Lotz during critical point in Thursday's game at Tordondo, won by Riviera 5-3. Locals went against South Redondo yesterday for District 27 title. (Herald Photo)

Name 75 Teams For Anaheim Tournament

D. Patrick Ahern, general chairman of the 15th Annual Anaheim American Legion baseball tournament to day named the 75 teams that will compete for the 1960 Anaheim Legion championship. Tournament will start with a doubleheader at 7 p.m. and 9 p.m. on Friday night, August 5, at Anaheim's La Palma Park Stadium.

1960 teams entered are: Anaheim 2 teams; Altadena; Arcadia; Allamogosa; Bellflower; Bakersfield; Bell Gardens; Chino; Covina; Glendale; E. Douglas Park; Corona Park; Downey; Monte 2 teams; El Segundo; Fontana; Fullerton; Flors; Long Beach; Gardena; Valley; Glendora; Garden Grove 2 teams; Huntington Beach; Hawthorne; Hollywood; Inglewood; Arthur L. Peterson; Long Beach; Lakewood; Lynwood; Long Beach; Mirada; La Mirada; Samuel C. Mats; Los Angeles; Montebello; Morningstar Park; Monterey Park; Redondo Beach; San Gabriel; Newport Beach; Oxnard; Orange; Placentia; Pomona 2 teams; Pioneer Park; Los Angeles; Paso Robles; Placentia; Pacific Palisades; Redondo Beach; Revier Astoria; San Gabriel; Santa Monica Bay Cities; Sunbina Acres; Whittier; Santa Ana 2 teams; San Bernardino; Highland 2 teams; South Gate; San Pedro; South Los Angeles; Tulelake; Torrance 2 teams; Torrance City 2nd Century; Fox Studio Post; Los Angeles; Upland; Van Nuys 2 teams; Wilmington; Whittier; Westchester; and West Covina.

Americans Win District 27 Championship

Jim Foster's 6th inning homer broke a 1-1 tie and gave the Torrance American League all-stars a 2-1 victory over North Torrance East yesterday for the District 27 title.

Dick White provided the winners with their first run in the 1st inning with a homer. The East's lone tally off John Schnepf came in the 3rd on a homer by Ron Olguin.

American 100 001-2 3 2
N. Torr East 001 000-1 4 0
Schnepf and Holmes; Taylor and Liken.

Surprising everybody but themselves, the North Torrance East Little League all-stars found themselves playing for the District 27 championship yesterday afternoon against the Torrance American League after upsetting the Torrance Nationals Thursday, 3-1 at Riviera Kissel Field.

The North Torrance nine got only three hits but posted its third victory in the single elimination tournament as Art Espinosa and Bill Thomas smashed home runs.

'Skin Boosters Boom Guglielmi As Next Baugh

Eastern sportswriters are looking to August 19 as the date of the beginning of a new "era" for the once-feared Washington Redskins.

They're saying that that's the night—when the Redskins and the Los Angeles Rams stage their 18th annual spectacular at Memorial Coliseum—that the 'Skins will once again become one of the leading pigskin teams in the nation.

AND THE MAN most responsible for the delight of the Washington backers is quarterback Ralph Guglielmi—former all-American great from Notre Dame.

They're counting on Guglielmi to step in and fill the void left by diminutive Eddie Lobar, who was flashy at times but who never quite brought back the golden years of the incomparable Slingin' Sammy Baugh regime.

But the Eastern sportswriters are saying that Aug. 19 will be Guglielmi's—and subsequently Washington's—"coming of age night."

They're harkening back to the past—when Baugh led the Skins on the gridiron warpath for so many years as he rewrote the NFL's passing record book time and again.

ON ONE November day in 1947 Sammy startled the football world by heaving six touchdown passes in routing the world champion Chicago Cardinals 45-21.

Now Guglielmi steps in, and he makes his starting debut against another all-time QB great—the Rams' head coach, Bob Waterfield.

So for the Redskins, Aug. 19 figures to be one of the most important dates of their football lives—the night that Ralph Guglielmi assumes the post as "Heap Big Chief."

Can he emulate Baugh and Waterfield? There are those that say he not only can, but will.

ONE GAME doesn't make a season, but with the intense Ram-Redskins rivalry don't be surprised to see Notre Dame's Guglielmi strike the match to set off a new explosion in the pro football world.

First Lutheran Downs Evangel Temple, 8-2 For Area Church Title

Although outthit 8 to 4, Torrance First Lutheran downed Evangel Temple 8-2 Thursday to win the Torrance Area Church League championship at Harbor Park.

Don Staude had two of the winners' four hits, while Bob Whitton had 3-4 and Gene May 2-4 in a losing effort.

Lutheran . . . 000 205 1-8 4 2
Temple . . . 101 000 0-2 8 1
Griffen and Swanson; May and E. Whitson.

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According to Neil McDermott, Regional Director, Blair Field, called by many "The finest in California," will be used to determine the Western Representative to the Connie Mack Pacific South-west Regionals at Blair Field, starting on Aug. 24th.

Four teams will engage for the one spot in the finals. Arizona will field a champion, Northern California and Southern California both will hold tournaments to find their representative. Long Beach, as host city, will automatically receive a bid in the playoffs.

Blair Field with its ultra modern facilities that include good lighting, resort town atmosphere and fair advantage to the hitters—347 down both right and left field lines and 400 to dead center—is located in Southeastern Long Beach on 10th and Park.

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Nationals (4) AB R H RBI
Bartley, ss 3 0 0 0
Snyder, p 1 0 0 1
Maynard, c 0 0 0 0
Cusson, rf 0 0 0 0
Fulton, 2b 0 0 0 0
Horton, 3b 0 0 0 0
Chaykowski, lf 0 0 0 0
Malone, cf 0 0 0 0
Kling, cf 0 0 0 0
Moton, 1b 0 0 0 0
Totals 25 0 0 1

East (3) AB R H RBI
Triffey, rf 0 0 0 0
Liken, c 0 0 0 0
DeLuca, ss 1 0 0 0
Shearer, 2b 0 0 0 0
Espinosa, 3b 1 2 2 2
Wadel, lf 0 0 0 0
Stots, 1b 0 0 0 0
Thomas, cf 1 1 1 1
Olguin, p 0 0 0 0
Totals 15 0 0 0

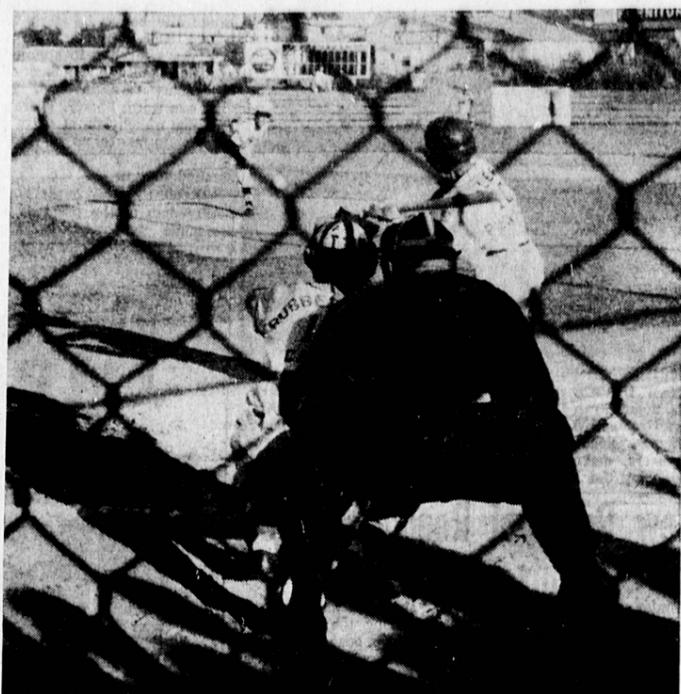
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N. Torr East 010 115 3 3 0
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