

Sports News

Varsity Gains Shattering Victory Over Leuzinger

By DAVE SCHOLL

The Leuzinger Varsity is still wondering just what happened when they met Torrance last Friday evening. The Torrance Varsity was so hot they made the high scoring record so far this year. They defeated Leuzinger 62-40, a thrilling victory for Torrance.

Bill Baron of Torrance, star forward and center, drove Leuzinger absolutely crazy. Every time they turned around Bill put in two points or took a rebound. Bill set a scoring record of 31 points. This is a Bay League record as yet this year. Coach Cliff Graybehl said that no other boy on any of his teams has ever scored as many points.

The Varsity will meet El Segundo at El Segundo for the next game. Game time is 8 p.m.

Schedule For Torrance City-County Basketball Schedule

Schedule for the second round of play of the Torrance City-L.A. County Basketball Leagues was announced this week by Elmer "Red" Moon, Torrance athletic director.

Teams are reclassified for the second round of league play, according to comparative abilities and won and lost records while playing all games up to and including the first four league games.

All games are played on Wednesdays. The schedule is as follows:

GAMES AT TORRANCE HIGH GYM
2200 Carson Street
JANUARY 24

Torrance Teachers vs. Fenwick's Shoe Repair 6:45 p.m.
Harbor Hospital vs. Col. Emp. Rec. Assn. 8:00 p.m.
Torrance Merchants vs. Fierman's 9:15 p.m.

JANUARY 31

Lloyd Denece Gunga Din vs. Banner Drugs 6:45 p.m.
Robertson's Ins. Agency vs. Redondo Eagles 8:00 p.m.
Hawthorne Merchants vs. South Bay A.C. 9:15 p.m.

FEBRUARY 7

Fenwick's Shoe Repair vs. Fierman's 6:45 p.m.
Torrance Merchants vs. Columbia Steel 8:00 p.m.
Harbor Hospital vs. Torrance Teachers 9:15 p.m.

FEBRUARY 14

Redondo Eagles vs. Banner Drugs 6:45 p.m.
Hawthorne Merchants vs. L. Denece's Gunga Din 8:00 p.m.
South Bay A.C. vs. Robertson's Ins. Agency 9:15 p.m.

FEBRUARY 21

Harbor Hospital vs. Fierman's 6:45 p.m.
Torrance Teachers vs. Columbia Steel 8:00 p.m.
Fenwick's Shoe Repair vs. Torrance Merchants 9:15 p.m.

GAMES AT ALONDRA PARK
3535 Redondo Beach Blvd., Gardena
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El Camino To Clash With Two Tough Foes

Cosch Doug Esstiek's El Camino basketballers will run into two tough foes next weekend as they continue their crusade for the Metropolitan Conference hoop crown.

The Warriors will journey to Santa Monica Friday night, January 26, to take on their traditional cage rivals in what should prove to be a rip-roaring affair. The following evening, will find the Blue and Grey casabans returning home to face a rugged Harbor quintet. Game time for both tilts is 8 p.m.

The Santa Monica Corsairs, coached by Sanger Crumpacker, have been the jinx team delux for the Warriors during the past two hoop seasons. In the 1948-49 campaign they knocked off the Warriors 55 to 47 to ruin their championship aspirations. Last year the beach city crew drubbed the Caminitos twice, including a heart-breaking 60 to 59 decision, to again erase any hopes for a conference title.

This year's edition of the Corsairs is again sparked by diminutive Gordon Hein who was All-Conference forward last season. Hein is teamed with Don Jones and Dusty Rhodes in the Santa Monica front line. Rhodes is a towering 6'4" center who gives opponents plenty of trouble on the backboards. The starting guard slots are filled by Bob Oldham and Lloyd Hooper, who give coach Crumpacker a pair of fast charging defensive stalwarts.

Cosch Selwyn Yancey's Harbor contingent is a seasoned bunch with a wealth of returning lettermen. The Seahawks are spearheaded by Bob Fresenius, lanky pivotman, who has averaged 17 points per game, and guard Gene Stockwell, who has hit the mesh for 14 markers per tilt. Other stars are forwards Sheldon Madison and Bob Gatzely, and guards Tony Salcido and Ian Nesbit. A tough struggle should be in the offing, since the Harbor melon pushers are the upset specialists of the conference.

As usual, Bob Chambers, Jim Cline, and Jack Turner will lead the Warriors' offensive, with Willy Shea and "Flip" Flanagan contributing a goodly share of points also. A double win for the Camino basketballers would keep them right in the thick of the fight for the league crown, but there is still a long road to hoe before any squad in the circuit can definitely nail down top honors.

Team Standings Of Basketball League Released

Team standings at the end of the first round of play of the Torrance City-L.A. County Basketball were released this week by Elmer "Red" Moon, Torrance athletic director.

Standings are as follows:

LEAGUE I

Hawthorne Merchants	5	0	2	4	5
Robertson's Ins. Agency	3	0	2	4	5
Fenwick's Shoe Repair	3	0	2	4	5
Columbia Emp. Rec. Ass'n	1	0	2	4	5
Harbor Hospital	1	0	2	4	5

LEAGUE II

Redondo Eagles	5	0	2	4	5
South Bay Athletic Club	4	0	2	4	5
Fierman's	3	0	2	4	5
Torrance Teachers	2	0	2	4	5
Torrance Merchants	1	0	2	4	5

For the second round of play, teams have been reclassified so that the first three teams of League I will play the first three teams of League II, thus forming new leagues.

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Realty Board To Hear Talk By Appraiser

The Torrance-Lomita Realty Board, at their regular meeting Friday, January 26th, will have as their guest speaker, Leonard S. Dyste, who is with the Bank of America, in the main office of the appraisal department.

President C. J. "Paddy" Ryan arranged for the speaker through T. R. Eagan of the Torrance Branch of Bank of America.

Dyste's subject will be "Real Estate Trends." This lecture will be the first of a series of educational lectures planned by President Ryan to keep the realtor "up to date."

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Basketball Schedule For Eighth Grade Boys League

Schedule for local youths by the Torrance Recreation Department for each Saturday morning at the Torrance High School is the 1951 Boy's Saturday Basketball League boys in the 8th grade or below, announced Elmer "Red" Moon, Torrance Athletic director.

With the first round of games having been played, three more weeks of play are scheduled.

JANUARY 27

9 A.M. VIKINGS vs. Shoestring Gray-SEAGULLS APACHES
10 A.M. 5 Stars vs. VIKINGS
11 A.M. WALTERIA vs. SHOESTRING GRAY-SEAGULLS

FEBRUARY 3

9 A.M. 5 STARS vs. SHOESTRING GRAY-SEAGULLS
10 A.M. APACHES vs. VIKINGS
11 A.M. SEAGULLS vs. WALTERIA

FEBRUARY 10

9 A.M. 5 STARS vs. VIKINGS
10 A.M. WALTERIA vs. SHOESTRING GRAY-SEAGULLS
11 A.M. APACHES vs. SEAGULLS

All players should be at the gym, 15 minutes before their team is scheduled to play, and should wear tennis shoes, announced Moon. He also said that a 10 minute grace period will be allowed to field a team of at least 4 regular players of that team, before a forfeit occurs. (With the consent of the opposing captain, one player may be picked up to start a game.)

Team captains are: Apaches—Gus Sanchez; 5 Stars—Dennis Hester; Seagulls—James Lawrence; Shoestring Gray—Gilbert Pike; Vikings—Tom Vanderpool; and Walteria—Don Iwata.

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