

1960 TORRANCE AREA

Baseball Directory

The baseball aggregation statistics listed below have been compiled by staffers of the PRESS to better acquaint readers with the make-up of LITTLE, PONY and Babe Ruth Leagues of the Greater Torrance Area. If your team is not listed write to Sports Editor, Torrance Press, 3238 W. Sepulveda Blvd., with information.

LITTLE LEAGUE

Little League baseball is for boys born between July 31, 1952 and Aug. 1, 1947.

TORRANCE CENTRAL LITTLE LEAGUE
President—Russell Haynes (FA 8-1162)
Players Agent—Jim Wray (FA 8-0176)

Boundaries—Hawthorne Blvd. on the west; 190th St. on the north; Crenshaw Blvd. on the east; and Carson St. on the south.

Registration—Completed
Tryouts—Completed

League Dates—March 27 at 9 p.m. at Torrance American Legion Hall.

Opening Day—Undecided
Location of Ballpark—Jaball Park, south of entrance at 3400 190th St. (northwest corner of General Petroleum refinery); Shinoda Field (minor field), 182nd St. at Crenshaw Blvd.

LOMITA LITTLE LEAGUE
President—Ted Cogina (DA 6-2735)
Players Agent—Mrs. Bill Stowell (DA 4-5921)

Boundaries—Torrance city limits on the north; Walnut to the end of Ocean View Ave. on the east; end of Ocean Ave. to back of Pennsylvania Dr. on the south; Pennsylvania to Pacific Coast Hwy. to Crenshaw to 241st St. on the west.

Registration—Completed (135 boys to date)
League Dates—Saturday, May 14

Opening Day—Saturday, May 14
Location of Ballpark—Chandler Field, Narbonne Ave., north of Palos Verdes Drive North.

NORTH TORRANCE LITTLE LEAGUE
President—Bob Simons (DA 9-1363)
Players Agent—Sam Johnson (west), FR 9-5877; John Miller (east) DA 4-5349

Boundaries—(west league) Hawthorne Blvd. to the west between Redondo Beach Blvd. and 190th St.; south boundary Redondo Beach Blvd.; south boundary 190th St.; east and west bisected by Glenburn; 182nd St. to the east; east city limits form boundary between Redondo Beach Blvd. and 190th.

Tryouts—Completed (84 boys)
Get Acquainted Dance—March 26, Gardens Elms Club.

Opening Day—Sunday, April 24
Mixed Yippy Party—May 6
Pancake Breakfast—May 14
Hard Times Dance—June 18, Gardens VFW Hall.

Location of Ballpark—Dominguez Park, 190th and Bervi St., Torrance. (Redondo Beach city limits).

RIVIERA LITTLE LEAGUE
President—Jack Holmes (FR 5-5915)
Players Agent—Fran Andrews (FR 5-4954)

Boundaries—Pacific Coast Hwy. on the north; Torrance city limits on the south; Nancy Lee through the center of Via El Sereno on the east and the Pacific Ocean on the west.

Tryouts—Completed
League Dates—March 26 and April 2 at lower Kiesel Field.

Location of Ballpark—Lower Kiesel Field, Pacific Coast Hwy., one half mile west of Hawthorne Blvd.

ROLLING HILLS LITTLE LEAGUE
President—Jack Palmer (FR 7-2522)
Players Agent—Jack Rathwell (FR 5-7344)

Boundaries—Miraflosta area, Rolling Hills area, Dapplegay area; Larca Vista area; City of Rolling Hills, Strawberry Lane area, Westfield area.

Registration—Completed
Start of Practice—March 27

League Dates—April 23
Opening Day—April 24

Location of Ballpark—Rolling Hills Little League field, entrance off Rolling Hills Road, north of Palos Verdes Drive North.

LITTLE LEAGUE (Cont.)

SOUTHWOOD LITTLE LEAGUE
President—Walter Virgil (FR 4-6048)

Boundaries—Hawthorne Blvd. on the east; Sepulveda Blvd. on the south; Torrance city limits to Del Amo on the west; Del Amo to Hawthorne Blvd. on the north.

Tryouts—Completed
Location of Ballpark—To be developed at Emerald St. between Anza and Victor St.

TORRANCE AMERICAN LITTLE LEAGUE
President—Carl Binford (FR 5-5159)

Boundaries—Redondo city limits on the west; Sepulveda Blvd. on the north; Madrona Ave. to Lomita Blvd., Hawthorne Blvd. on the east; Pacific Coast Hwy. on the south.

Registration—Continued during first two tryouts.
Tryouts—Completed

General Meetings—Wed., March 23 at 7:30 p.m. at Calle Mayor School to announce teams.

Opening Day—May 7
Location of Ballpark—Del Amo Field, Plaza Del Amo, one block west of Western Ave.

TORRANCE NATIONAL LITTLE LEAGUE
President—George Cole (FA 8-5079)

Players Agent—Ralph Schaefer (FA 8-3500)

Boundaries—Carson St. on the north; Western Ave. on the east; southern Torrance city limits to Crenshaw to Sepulveda to Hawthorne to Carson on the south on the west.

Registration—Completed
Tryouts—Completed

Opening Day—May 7, Saturday
Location of Ballpark—Del Amo Field at Plaza del Amo, one block west of Western Ave. and Barrat Field, one block southeast of Carson and Crenshaw.

PONY LEAGUE

Pony League is a baseball program for 13 and 14-year-old boys born between the dates Aug. 1, 1945 and July 31, 1948.

PACIFIC-RIVIERA PONY LEAGUE
President—John Minech (FR 5-2225)

Players Agent—Leo La Porte (FR 5-7973)

Boundaries—Starting at the ocean, Torrance city limits on the south to Torrance city limits on the east. North on Crenshaw & Lomita, west on Lomita to Hawthorne, south on Hawthorne to Pacific Coast Hwy.; west on Pacific Coast Hwy. to Avenue 1; south to Camino del Campo and west to the ocean.

Registration—Throughout tryout date.
Tryouts—Completed

Location of Ballpark—Kiesel Field, 4000 Pacific Coast Hwy. just west of Fish Shanty.

NORTH TORRANCE PONY LEAGUE
President—Ronald Miner (FR 4-5913)

Players Agent—Slim Whelms (DA 4-0879)

Boundaries—Redondo Beach Blvd. on the north; Torrance city boundaries on the east; 190th St. and the south; Hawthorne Blvd. on the west.

Registration—Being continued until tryouts at president and players agent's homes.

Activities—Dance, April 9; Mixed Yippy Party
Tryouts—Completed

Location of Ballpark—El Nido Park, Kingsdale Ave. near 182nd St. and Hawthorne Blvd.

PONY LEAGUE (Cont.)

ROLLING HILLS PONY LEAGUE
President—Milt Harrington (FR 5-4457)

Boundaries—Palos Verdes Estates school district. Registration—13 and 14 year old boys can contact league president.

Location of Ballpark—Landfill No. 2 on east side of Crenshaw Blvd. between Palos Verdes Drive North and Rolling Hills Road.

WEST TORRANCE PONY LEAGUE
President—Bob Myers (FR 5-4757)

Players Agent—Bob White (FR 5-4123)

League boundaries—Redondo city limits of the west between Torrance Blvd. and Pacific Coast Hwy.; north boundary follow Torrance Blvd., Hawthorne, Del Amo; east boundary follows Hawthorne Blvd., Sepulveda, Crenshaw, Lomita Blvd., Hawthorne to south boundary along Pacific Coast Hwy.

Registration—Evenings at the homes of G. A. Wells, 2433 229th Place; J. D. Johnston, 2201 Anza; R. S. Addison, 2124 Ocean Ave.; Richard Martin, 2176 Tallman St. (\$2 registration fee required).

Tryouts—Completed
Location of Ballpark—Ryan Aircraft Co.

TORRANCE CENTRAL PONY LEAGUE
President—Edwin Friborg (FA 8-3323)

Players Agent—Carl Meadows

Boundaries—Hawthorne Blvd. on the west; 190th St. on the north; Western Ave. on the east; Torrance city limits on the south.

Activities—General Meeting, Monday, March 28, 7:30 p.m. at Torrance Elementary School Auditorium.

BABE RUTH LEAGUE

Babe Ruth League baseball is for 13, 14 and 15-year-old boys born since Sept. 1, 1944.

Registration—Completed
Tryouts—Completed

Opening Day—May 7, Saturday
Location of Ballpark—Plaza Del Amo, west of Western Ave. (Del Amo Field).

NORTH TORRANCE BABE RUTH
President—Richard Aggen (DA 9-2734)

Players Agent—Wes Foth (DA 8-5324)

Boundaries—City limits of Torrance north of 190th St.

Registration and Tryouts—Completed
Opening Day—Tentatively May 7 or 16

Location of Ballpark—Babe Ruth Ball Park at 177th St. and Gramercy Place.

PACIFIC AMERICAN BABE RUTH
President—Ralph Brodton (FR 5-1955)

Players Agent—Joe Burden (FR 5-0950)

Boundaries—Torrance city area south of Pacific Coast Hwy., bounded by Redondo city limits on the west; Sepulveda Blvd. on the north; Madrona Ave., Lomita Blvd. and Hawthorne Blvd. on the east, including Hollywood Riviera.

Registration—Completed
Tryouts—Completed

Location of Ballpark—South High School diamond.

TORDONDO LITTLE LEAGUE
President—Leo Fischer (FR 3-1536)

Players Agent—Frank Harvey (FR 9-2240)

Boundaries—Ralton Lane on North, Hawthorne Blvd. on East, Del Amo on South, Flagger St. on West.

Registration—Completed—401 boys to date
Tryouts—Mandatory for minors; option players and new players. Saturday, March 26, starting at 9 a.m. at Carl Steele School, 19300 Inglewood Ave., Torrance.

Opening Day—Tentatively May 7
Location of Ballpark—Under construction at Entradero Sump. Help needed. Entrance 5499 Hallison St. Pancake Breakfast—April 23, Baker's Market 190th and Inglewood.

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Outdoors with Mel

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Many big trout up to 5 pounds taken and stocking will continue. The lake is very low and I doubt that it will stay open thru the summer unless they get some rain. Bass is now rated poor. Crappie slow with most of the crappie in the deep water. Best bait for the trout is cheese and worms with the B and B red cheese on a small treble hook working out best.

My Fish and Game report show that San Vicente Reservoir produced catfish as large as 12 pounds which were stocked as 3 to 5 inch fingerlings in 1957. Piru trout recently checked were found to be feeding on the threadfin shad which are 1 1/2 to 2 1/2 inches in length. One trout had 40 of these little shad in its stomach. More proof that Fish and Game policies are paying off. The Colorado river area is producing good catches of bass many of them hitting surface plugs. The weather is warm and this is a good time to visit the river for a weekend.

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