

Basketball Event Set for Camino

George Stanich, El Camino basketball coach, has announced the creation of an annual basketball tournament to be named in honor of the late coach Norman Verry.

Four teams will participate in the tourney next Tuesday and Wednesday at the new El Camino Men's Gym. Participants are Harbor, Citrus, Pasadena and El Camino.



PAUL MANAHAN

Manahan Named to Committee

Olympic Committeeman Paul Manahan, president of the wrestling commission of the Southern Pacific Amateur Athletic Union, will serve for the next four years as a member of the United States Olympic Games Committee for wrestling.

The appointment places Manahan on the wrestling committees for the Pan-American and Olympic Games. Committee members assist in the selection sites for the games and trials for the selection of a team to represent the United States.

Coach Manahan will attend both the Pan-American Games in 1967 in South America, and the Olympic Games in Mexico City in 1968. Manahan is a tennis coach at El Camino College.

Wrestlers Tangle at Tartarville

The second annual Torrance Invitational Wrestling Tournament will be at Torrance High Friday afternoon and evening.

In charge of the event is the new coach of the Tartars, Glenn Bittner, formerly of Colorado.

Participating in the meet are Aviation, Dominguez, Lawndale, Harvard, North, South, West and Torrance.

Quarter-final matches will begin at 3 p.m., followed in the afternoon by the semifinals. The consolation competition will be at 8 p.m. followed by the championship finals.

Three bouts in each of the 13 weight divisions will be held simultaneously.

The team championships are based on collective points for individual decisions and for each bout.

In four non-league meets the host Torrance team defeated Santa Monica, 34-22, but lost to Redondo, 27-18; Lennox, 13-18; and West, 34-18.

Warriors Beat Torrance, 44-43

West High's jayvee basketball team ran its record to 3-0 for the season with a 44-43 victory over Torrance High last week.

The victory came on a last-second field goal by West's Jim Morgan. Doug Bell was high-point man for the Warriors, getting 24 points. He scored 10 in the second quarter when West built up a 25-17 lead.

Prudhomme To Head Dragster Field

Drag racing's Don Prudhomme will head the 200-m.p.h. fuel dragster field for Sunday's National Jackpot Pro Drag Circuit event at Riverside International Raceway.

Prudhomme, driving Roland Leong's "Hawaiian" dragster, stands to win \$1,600, a purse that includes a \$1,100 bonus for three victories in a row on the circuit.

Stanich said the tournament is planned for eight colleges in the future. Coach Verry was the college's football coach from 1952-61.

Prior to the tournament the unbeaten El Camino Warriors have a game scheduled Friday at Los Angeles City College at 3:30 p.m.

Pairings for the tournament Tuesday are El Camino versus Pasadena at 7 p.m., followed by Citrus and Harbor at 9 p.m.

The second night the third place game will be at 7 p.m. followed by the championship game at 9 p.m.

Winner of its first six games, El Camino went over the 100-point barrier Friday for a 102-87 victory over Ventura Saturday at the University of Santa Barbara. Frosh, 76-69.

El Camino (102) Wright (23) F (5) Norman Lloyd (21) F (8) Jones (15) F (8) Myers (11) G (10) Osborn Brennan (14) G (13) Torres Ostrink (8) G (13) Torres

Halftime score: El Camino 51, Ventura 39.

El Camino subs: Palmquist (4), Oakley (5), Troglin (5), Fenn (2); Ventura subs: Patterson (3), Dinkin (2), Williams (2), Crum (2), Barrett (16), Terrano (2), Hill (2).

El Camino (76) s. Barbara (69) Wright (23) F (5) Norman Lloyd (21) F (8) Jones (15) F (8) Myers (11) G (10) Osborn Brennan (14) G (13) Torres Ostrink (8) G (13) Torres

Halftime score: El Camino 43, UCSB 33.

El Camino subs: Palmquist (4), Oakley (5), Troglin (5), Stotzel (2); Santa Barbara subs: Gottesman (6) and Starthen (5).

Volleyball Planned at West High

The Torrance Recreation Department has announced the formation of a six-man volleyball league. Practice is under way at West High Boys' Gym, 20401 Victor St., continuing each Tuesday from 6:45 to 10 p.m.

All interested parties are invited to a league organizational meeting next Tuesday at 8 p.m. when rules and qualifications will be established. League play will start after Jan. 1.

For additional information, contact Bob Cook at the Recreation Department Office, 328-5310, ext. 263.

West High Bees Defeat Tartars

Jack Gill scored a field goal in the final second of play to give West High a 68-67 victory over Torrance in a Class Bee basketball game.

Gill scored 18 points in the game. West's Dan Guest was high-point man with 20.

West High 18 14 23 13-68
Torrance 13 22 14 18-67

Blades Take Trip North

The L.A. Blades tackle Seattle Saturday; Portland, Sunday; Vancouver, Christmas Day, and Seattle, Sunday, Dec. 26, before returning home to face San Francisco in a New Year's Eve clash at the Sports Arena.

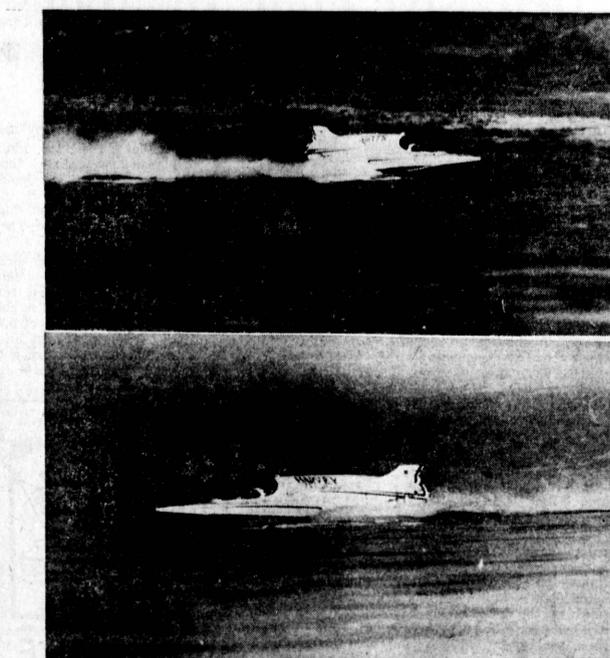
The Blades will be bolstered on the present trip by the addition of Jerry Toppazini, 12-year veteran of National Hockey League wars, and young Bernie Deschamps, a winger obtained from Providence of the American League.

Pairings Set For Hawthorne

Pairings for the first round of the Hawthorne Basketball Tournament Thursday have been announced by Ernie Woods and are:

South vs. Leuzinger, 7 p.m.; Long Beach Jordan vs. Savannah, 5:30; Lennox vs. Santa Clara, 4 p.m.; and Lawndale vs. Hawthorne, 8:30.

Games will continue Friday and Saturday with each school competing for positions from first to eighth place.



HARVEY HUSTLER... Aluminum jet speedboat will be tested on Lake Mead in January for a crack at the 250 miles per hour race barrier. Lee Taylor



(upper right) will also pilot the j-46 powered hydroplane in the spring in an attempt to break the world record of 276.34 mph. Members of the jet crew in

the lower right photo are Paul Pribble, Rich Hallett, Lee Taylor, and Bob Stipp.

Spartans Put Stop To Bishop

South High put an abrupt end to Bishop Montgomery's four-game win streak in basketball Monday, 87-67, but Coach Jim Hanny of the Spartans wasn't particularly satisfied with the winning effort.

Comparing his present club with last year's second place Bay League squad leaves a lot to be desired. Only last Friday the Spartans were humbled by Culver City, 78-50, the same team they beat in the Pacific Shores Tournament, 64-52.

The big difference in the two games with Culver City is Steve Kuchenbecker's ankle injury. It occurred during the first meeting with Culver. Without the 6-6 All-Bay League center, South lost three in a row.

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The bulk of the scoring in the Montgomery victory was by Ed Holmes (26) and Bruce Hazelton (20). Holmes got 22 in the second half.

South will compete in the Hawthorne Tournament Thursday, Friday and Saturday. Bishop Montgomery is entered in the St. Monica's Tournament during the three days.

South, 87-67

South (87) FG FT PF TP
Sleeth 5 2 1 12
Auckland 1 2 1 4
Simon 0 0 0 0
Holmes 12 2 1 26
Hazelton 20 10 2 40
Hanson 5 4 1 20
Miller 2 0 3 4
Conroy 1 0 1 2
Kuchenbecker 4 5 1 18
Totals 36 75 17 87

Montgomery (67) FG FT PF TP
Sleeth 10 2 0 20
Saboisky 4 3 5 16
Simon 0 0 0 0
Yarmolovich 7 2 2 16
Graham 2 0 2 4
Bergantini 1 7 1 14
Graham 1 1 7 3
Worm 0 0 1 0
Ronzard 0 0 1 0
Schirra 5 0 1 10
Rozic 0 0 1 0
Totals 26 55 22 67

Score by Quarters
South 18 22 22 25
Montgomery 12 18 24 13

Culver City, 78-50

Culver City (78) FG FT PF TP
Culver City 10 2 0 20
Hill 7 2 1 14
Simon 0 0 0 0
Cuttis 3 2 1 8
Smith 3 4 3 10
Musselman 0 0 0 0
J. Victor 0 2 1 2
Totals 26 55 22 67

Score by Quarters
South 18 22 22 25
Montgomery 12 18 24 13

Torrance, 78-71

Torrance (78) FG FT PF TP
Kreul 8 4 1 20
Doyle 1 0 3 2
Thompson 6 0 5 12
Carpenter 0 2 0 10
Fisher 3 1 1 7
Crockett 1 1 2 3
Totals 20 16 12 56

Score by Quarters
North 14 23 20 26
West 13 18 12 15-66

ALL-AMERICANS

Michigan State grid stars Clinton Jones and Ron Govert were selected to the 1965 Football Writers' All-America team.

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RICH KREUL Scores 20 Points
ROBIN FISHER Peppery Tartar
CRAIG WENNSTROM North High Scorer

TORRANCE TRIUMPHS

El Segundo Scores 13 Within Minute

By HENRY BURKE
Press-Herald Sports Editor
In how little span of time can a basketball team score 13 points?

El Segundo scored 13 within one minute against Torrance Saturday night, chopping a huge chunk of the Tartars' momentum 69-43 lead over the Eagles.

Torrance went on to win the game, 78-71, for its sixth straight victory without a loss—and without Bart Johnson.

In the second game of a doubleheader at the North gym, the host Saxons bombarded West, 83-56.

For the second night in a row Torrance's high scoring Bart Johnson was sidelined with an ankle injury. The Tartars went on to hand top-ranked El Segundo its third defeat in six games.

El Segundo's performance was lack lustre, except for a fourth quarter spurt when

John Plick, Bill Sliger and Dana Paget troubled the Tartars with four quick field goals and five free throws.

It all happened as Plick scored two back-to-back layup shots and was fouled on the second one. Plick missed the free throw, grabbed the rebound and was fouled again.

This time John made both of them. After Torrance put the ball in play in the forecourt, Bill Sliger was fouled by Mike Troup and two more free throws were made.

Almost immediately Paget stole the ball for 'Gundo and passed it in to Plick who made another 3-point play.

Bill Doyle got a chance to put Torrance back on the scoreboard again with a 1-and-1 foul situation, but El Segundo got a rebound on the first foul shot. Moving to the other end of the court Plick got a tip in on a Kem Brett shot.

As the game reached the final 4-minute stage, Plick fouled out, and El Segundo could do no better than pull within seven points of the victors.

The Tartar combination of Robin Fisher, Fred Carpenter, Rich Kreul, Richard Thompson and Doyle had the Eagles pretty well outplayed until Thompson fouled out with five minutes to play with the 23-point advantage.

The game was completely dominated by layup shots.

Kreul, up from the jayvees, scored 20 points for the first time with the varsity. Plick had 21 and Paget 20 for the losers.

In the North-West game, Craig Wennstrom hit his career high of 24 points. Dave LaRoche continued to top the 20-point mark for the losers with 21 points.

West has a non-league game today at Rolling Hills. North, Torrance and El Segundo are competing this week in the Beverly Hills Tournament.

North, 83-56

North (83) FG FT PF TP
Recker 6 3 3 18
Sibley 2 0 1 4
Nielsen 5 1 4 13
Richardson 2 0 2 10
Albin 5 2 4 16
Wennstrom 9 6 4 24
Guthrie 0 0 0 0
Workman 0 0 1 0
Totals 34 15 20 83

Score by Quarters
North 14 23 20 26
West 13 18 12 15-66

Athletic Club To Have Party

A Christmas party will be featured at Friday's luncheon meeting of the South Bay Athletic Club at the Plush Horse Restaurant in Redondo.

A prime rib dinner will be served. The weekly luncheon is \$2.50.

Harvey Speedboat Aims for Record

A goal of 250 miles per hour has been set for the next running of the jet speedboat Harvey Aluminum Hustler in January.

High speed runs on Lake Mead last month saw driver Lee Taylor attain speed approaching 200 miles per hour with all systems functioning perfectly.

Paul Anderson, director of research and development for Harvey, said, "If January's 250 mph is successful, a world record attempt will be planned for March."

Taylor, 31, of Downey, California, is seeking to better the world mark set by England's Donald Campbell on Lake Dumbleyung, Australia, Dec. 31, 1964.

The Hustler's record will be held on Lake Mead, with the Hotel Thunderbird in Las Vegas serving as headquarters for the jet crew, and officials.

"The boat handles exceptionally well," said Taylor. "We've discarded the idea of a water rudder to supplement the titanium steering deflector in the thrust area."

"One modification that's proving out is the addition of a wider water fin. At slower speeds, the new fin lifts the stern quicker, and at faster speeds, it counters the possibility of bow lift."

"As a result of the tests to date, the only other major change made in the boat has been the installation of a more advanced hydraulic system to control the thrust deflector."

Designed by Rich Hallett, the 30½-foot hydroplane is powered by a J-46 turbojet engine with an output of 10,000 horsepower converted from thrust. Weight of the craft with fuel and driver is 5,000 pounds.

The company's efforts to bring Campbell's speed record to the United States have already proven productive. On Nov. 12, the Golden-

The standings are:
Panthers W L T Pts. GF GA
Firefighters 4 1 0 8 18 6
Bullfrogs 1 1 0 2 13 4
Hornets 2 3 0 4 13 24
Comets 0 0 0 0 0 0
Blue Jets 0 0 0 0 0 0

Leading the league in scoring at the holidays break are Danny Kay with 12 goals, David Adair, 9; Stan Drysdale, 8; and John Parolen, 8.

The league will return to action Jan. 8 with the Blue Jets meeting the Panthers and the Bulldogs versus the Hornets.

Michigan State Squad Announced

A squad of 44 players—12 seniors, 16 juniors and 16 sophomores—has been named by Head Coach Duffy Daugherty to represent Michigan State against UCLA in the Rose Bowl Jan. 1.

Daugherty notified the players to assemble for practice Thursday and Friday.

The team will fly to California on Saturday morning, establish headquarters at the Huntington-Sheraton Hotel in Pasadena, and open practices at Brookside Park near the Rose Bowl the following day.

The on-campus drills will be held in Spartan stadium if weather permits, or in the dirt arena of the Men's Intra-mural Building in case of inclemency. Preliminary plans call for one scrimmage at

quarters—Steve Juday, Jim Rays, John Mullen, Halbacks—Dwight Lee, Clinton Jones, George Webster, Don Japine, Jim Summers, Jess Phillips, Mitch Pruetz, Drake Garrett, Bierling, Fred Conventini, Mike Bradley, Tony Conli.
Centers—Boris Dimitroff, Walt Forman.
Quarterbacks—Steve Juday, Jim Rays, John Mullen.
Halfbacks—Dwight Lee, Clinton Jones, George Webster, Don Japine, Jim Summers, Jess Phillips, Mitch Pruetz, Drake Garrett, Bierling, Fred Conventini, Mike Bradley, Tony Conli.
Fullbacks—Bob Aplis, Eddie Cotton.
Kicking specialist—Dick Kenney.