

WEISS TOPS TEAMMATES IN SCORING

Bob Weiss, El Camino's high scoring forward, was the only Warrior listed in final individual scoring statistics released this week by the Metropolitan Conference office.

Weiss potted 196 points during the 14-game Metro League season, for an even 14.0 per game average. Harbor JC's Jim Lowman took league scoring honors. He whipped in 287 points in 14 games for a 20.5 average per outing.

Valley JC won the conference crown and the right to represent the fast Metropolitan league in the California State JC cage tourney which opens today in Fresno.

The Valley five, which put an end to Long Beach City College's three-year reign as conference champion by winning the crown, will meet rugged Fresno JC this afternoon in an opening round game.

El Camino came last in the final conference standings, one game out of seventh place. The Warriors won three and dropped 11 league battles during the regular league season.

FINAL STANDINGS

W	L
Valley JC	12 2
Bakersfield	10 4
San Diego JC	10 4
Long Beach CC	8 6
Harbor JC	4 10
Santa Monica CC	4 10
East LAJC	4 10
El Camino	3 11

Camino Swim, Net Squads In Action

El Camino College's tennis and swimming schedules were announced this week, with the Warriors meeting a full slate of Metropolitan Conference opponents in both sports.

The tennis squad takes on Compton College's netters tomorrow in their final tune-up before taking on league foes.

TENNIS—March 4, Compton; March 15, East LAJC; March 18, at Bakersfield; March 23, at Long Beach; March 25, at Santa Monica; March 29, at LA Valley; April 1, at East LAJC; April 15, Long Beach; April 16, Bakersfield; April 21-23, Ojai Tournament; April 27, Santa Monica; April 29, LA Valley; May 6-7, Metropolitan Conference finals at Long Beach; May 13, Southern California finals.

The Warrior swimmers will meet five conference opponents prior to entering the conference meet.

SWIMMING—March 11, Bakersfield; March 18, at Long Beach; March 25, Santa Monica; April 1, at LA Valley; April 15, East LAJC; April 22, Metropolitan Conference meet at Santa Monica; April 28-30, Southern California JC meet; May 5-7, California State meet at Orange Coast College.

KRATKA RIDGE OPENS SKI LIFT

Booming business was reported by Kratka Ridge since opening of operation of its brand new 2000-foot chair lift, last week.

The new Southern California area, located only 50 miles from the heart of Los Angeles up the Angeles Crest Highway, has attracted top week-end throngs as well as a goodly number during the week.

The new lift, which was erected and machined by the nine original members of the Kratka organization, has 70 single chairs. Its capacity is 650 chairs an hour, and the lift has a vertical rise of 700 feet.

Devils Top Canvasbacks, 48-18, In Feature of Boys' Cage Slate

The anticipated big battle between the undefeated Red Devils and Canvasback cage teams last Saturday didn't come off as the Devils had little trouble in disposing of the 'Backs, 48-18.

In posting the win, the Red Devils climbed to the top of the Elementary School boys' League, with a record of seven wins and no losses. The Canvasbacks now have a 6 and 1 mark.

Center Albert Wickler had 14 points to lead the winners. He was closely followed by the Devils' Ron Veres, who contributed 13 markers to the winner's cause.

Denny Hanson topped the loser's scoring with eight points. LeRoy Van Valkenburg pumped in 11 points for the Cadets, but the output wasn't enough as his squad dropped a close one to the Fireballs, 34-28.

Stan Cona and Bob Keller each had nine points to lead the Fireballs to their second league win.

The Wildcats overcame an eight-point deficit to whip the Hawks, 27-22.

For Pirates had 13 points to lead the winners, while Mike Kirkpatrick led the Hawks with 10 points.

The Nortorians showed latent power in downing the Seagulls by a 36-18 count. Ed Jareguli collected 12 for the winners and Jeff Paterson was high man for the 'Gulls. He potted 10.

In the final game, the Hornets edged the Mudhens, 24-22. Center Bob Farrington scored nine points for the Hornets to take game scoring honors, while Jim Zack had eight for the 'Hens.

An All-Star five squeaked by the Nativity team, 20-19, in a close contest, staged as an exhibition match. Gorry Sherburne swished six counters for the winners, while Bill Snyder had the same number of points for the Nativity crew.

SUMMARIES:

Red Devils (19)	All-Stars (20)
Snyder	F Gonta 4
Geltz	F Church 4
Snyder	C Veres 4
Johnson	G Sherburne 6
Lally	G Smalley 2
Reserves: Warriors	Holmstead All-Stars
Warrors	6 4 6 3-19
All-Stars	6 4 4 6-20
Nortorians (36)	Seagulls (18)
Stokard	F Miller 4
Clayton	F Maust
Jareguli	C Patterson 10
McTeer	C Berry 2
Harris	G Watkins 2
Reserves: Nortorians	Norman, Rogers, Tarney, Kemp, Wegener, 4. Seagulls—Wood, Nauman, Cohan, Dunlap, Page, Breedlov.
Nortorians	6 6 16 8-36
Seagulls	10 0 4 4-18
Fireballs (48)	Red Devils (48)
Richie	F Gonta 2
Gresham	F Johnson 2
Hester	C Wickler 14
Hanson	C Church 8
Hanon	G Veres 13
Reserves: Canvasbacks	O. Ford, 2. Montgomery, Schmidt.
Red Devils	48 18 48-18
Canvasbacks	8 4 2 4-18
Wildcats (24)	Mudhens (22)
Hill	F Zack 8
Wayt	F Miles
Farrington	C Hunter 4
Owens	G Martin 2
Kling	G Hall 6
Reserves: Hornets	Rusk.
Mudhens	Harvey, 2.
Hornets	4 5 10 5-24
Mudhens	8 2 8 4-22

STANDINGS:

Red Devils	7 0
Canvasbacks	6 1
Wildcats	6 1
Hornets	4 3
Nortorians	4 3
Hayward	3 4
Fireballs	2 4
Seagulls	2 5
Mudhens	1 6
Cadets	0 7

SCHEDULE, Saturday, March 12

10:00 a.m.—Wildcats vs Cadets.
11:00 a.m.—Canvasbacks vs. Hawks, 1:00 p.m.—Nortorians vs. Fireballs, 2:00 p.m.—Hornets vs. Red Devils, 3:00 p.m.—Mudhens vs. Seagulls.

THURSDAY WOMAN'S HANDICAP

Thor. Hobby Shop	55	38
Allen's Burgers	55	42
Tor. Furniture	55	40
Star Furniture	50	44
Tor. Plumbing	40	55
LeRoy Cleaners	36	60
Tor. Torrance TV	36	17
THS-Extracts	203	203
THS-K. Shon	534	534

SHILL CHEMICAL LEAGUE

Technical	19	15
Mechanics	19	17
Maintenance	18	18
Laboratory	17	19
Engineering	16	19
Shop	16	20
THS-Extracts	203	203
THS-C. Hahn	221	221
THS-Extracts	221	221
THS-C. Hahn	553	553

THURSDAY HARVEY MACHINE

Full House	42	18
Beer Francis	36	24
Alley Kats	32	26
Team 3	31	29
Woodchoppers	30	30
Lazy 5	24	36
Jupers	24	36
Chip Pickers	21	35
THS-Full House	735	735
THS-Full House	800	800
JHG-Men: S. Bryan	187	187
JHG-Women: M. Smith	170	170
JHG-Men: S. Bryan	543	543
JHG-Women: P. Moon	410	410

FRIDAY MEN'S 875

Manor Poultry	28	20
Manor Poultry	50	34
Calif. Pin Service	33	34
Team 2	32	37
Albert's Furniture	32	37
THS-Manor Poultry	811	811
THS-Manor Poultry	860	860
JHG-E. Slabotsky	587	587
JHG-E. Slabotsky	308	308

MONDAY MEN'S HANDICAP

Rancho Beverage	56	28
OVC	50	34
Maples Ford	49	35
Van-Storage	45	36
Mayfair Creamery	45	39
Team 4	33	61

WARRIORS (19) Snyder 4, Geltz 2, Snyder 6, Johnson 5, Lally 2. Reserves: Warriors—Holmstead All-Stars: Peralas. Warriors 6 4 6 3-19. All-Stars 6 4 4 6-20. Nortorians (36) Stokard 2, Clayton 4, Jareguli 12, McTeer 2, Harris 10. Reserves: Nortorians—Norman, Rogers, Tarney, Kemp, Wegener, 4. Seagulls—Wood, Nauman, Cohan, Dunlap, Page, Breedlov. Nortorians 6 6 16 8-36. Seagulls 10 0 4 4-18. Fireballs (48) Richie 2, Gresham F, Hester 6, Hanson 8, Hanon G. Reserves: Canvasbacks—O. Ford, 2. Montgomery, Schmidt. Red Devils—Chase, 4. Canvasbacks 8 4 2 4-18. Red Devils 12 10 13 13-48. Hornets (24) Hill 4, Wayt F, Farrington 9, Owens 3, Kling 4. Reserves: Hornets—Rusk. Mudhens—Harvey, 2. Hornets 4 5 10 5-24. Mudhens 8 2 8 4-22.

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Corona Rod and Gun Club Has Trapshoot

The annual Girl Scout benefit trapshoot of the Corona Rod and Gun club will be held Sunday beginning at 9 a.m. at the Lakeside Clubhouse in Corona.

An experimental merchandising order system of prizes will be used, in addition to the usual prizes consisting of chickens and groceries.

CYO Leagues Wind Up Cage Play Tomorrow

CYO Parochial School Basketball Leagues will wind up play tomorrow under sponsorship of the Catholic Youth Organization.

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THS-Extracts	203	203
THS-K. Shon	534	534
THS-Extracts	221	221
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TARTARS WIN FIRST BALL GAME

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For further information concerning the North Torrance Little League, interested persons are asked to call Joe Setting, DA 4-1062; Ken McVey, DA 9-8206; Jack Langedorfer, DA 9-0447; Bob Nelson, FR 9-1186, or John Miller, DA 4-5849.



GOING UP... Construction is speeding along on the Torrance Little League and Babe Ruth diamonds, which will be the playing fields for the American and National loops of the Torrance Little League and the Torrance Babe Ruth League. Field is located on Plaza Del Arco between Western and Cabrillo Aves.

San Juan Handicap Will End Season

Greatest grass racing attraction ever presented in California will be the \$100,000 added San Juan Capistrano Handicap on Saturday at Santa Anita over the full furlong and infield distance of the Camino Real Turf Course, about 1 1/8 miles.

Artie Way, a 4-year-old starting an air flight over the Atlantic Ocean from Ireland on Sunday, followed by the transcontinental plane trip to Santa Anita after a stop-over in New York, to run in the race, will provide international lustre.

Faddy McGrath, son of one of Ireland's leading horsemen, will accompany his colt and do the training here.

Opposing the foreign challenger will be America's top handicap stars, along with other imported Thoroughbreds that have established themselves in the six turf course stakes already contested at Santa Anita.

Expected in the starting field will be the contenders in last Saturday's running of the Santa Anita Handicap. These include Determine, America's money-winning champion of 1954; Rejected, Poona II, Star of the Forest, Joe Jones, Correspondent, Novarullah, Porterhouse, Gigantic, Cyclotron and others.

It is possible that Calumet's Mark-Ye-Well, Odgen Phipps' Great Captain, George Gardiner's St. Vincent, and King Ranch's High Bound, will join the grass circuit.

Los Angeles Turf Club, Inc., anticipating a record attendance, will open the Santa Anita gates at 10:30 a.m., one-half hour earlier than usual. Last season when the San Juan Capistrano was run on the grass at 1 1/8 miles to close the meeting, there was a gathering of 61,000. This year Santa Anita will run three extra days on Tuesday, Wednesday and Thursday of next week. Two additional \$25,000 stakes, in the Camino Real Handicap and the Santa Barbara Handicap are on the program.



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Torrance Bowlers in Match Win

A team of keglers from the Torrance Bowl downed a group from the 20th Century Bowling Alley Saturday night in a match game at Torrance.

The locals knocked over 2739 pins while the 20th Century fiveome had 2544 pins to their credit.

Gi Bennett, Torrance kegler, took individual high game honors as he checked in with a 265 mark in his second line. Bert Bach had a 206 for the locals, while John McKee had a 202 score, also for Torrance.

Danny Schwarzenbach topped the 20th Century team in scoring. He had a 213 score on his final line. Bob Cameron of 20th Century had an even 200 score.

The two squads are planning a return match, which has been set for Saturday, March 12, at 20th Century Bowl.

Car Hits 112 MPH In Trials

A strictly stock, 1955 De Soto Firefly Four-Door Sedan has established a new high speed record for the measured mile at the NASCAR National Speed Trials held Feb. 22, at Daytona Beach, Florida.

Facing a field of American built stock cars, in the 250 to 299 displacement class, a 1955 De Soto Firefly established a new high speed record with a scorching average of 112.295 MPH over the famed Daytona "Flying Mile." The former record for this event, set only last year, was 96.655 MPH.

At the wheel of his De Soto Firefly was Owner-Driver Don MacDonald, Detroit editor of Motor Trend Magazine, making his first start in the annual race classic. Hitting the measured mile at full throttle, MacDonald recorded a sensational 112.295 MPH for his record-shattering average.

The winning De Soto was powered by a 200 horsepower Firefly V-8 engine with a four-barrel carburetor and dual exhausts.

WARRIORS TRIP LAYOYLA LIONS, 5-4

A home run by Jim Royer in the final frame gave the El Camino Warriors a 5-4 win over Loyola University's baseball team Tuesday at El Camino.

It was the first win of the season for the Warriors. They have lost four times.

Loyola 1 1 0 0 0 1-4 5 3. El Cam. 0 2 1 1 0 1-5 6 8.

ROD & GUN Chatter

By DONNA BARKDULL

Surf enthusiasts still hitting Second St. in Hermosa hoping for another run of the big ones. Several have been taken, but nothing comparable to the January run. Good chance of anglers turning gray trying to figure what's what with this particular feed ground. Seems the deep holes close in that the perch like are always moving around, besides the perch delight in feeding differently, throwing the angler into moods where he is about ready to pitch his rod. Best bet is to stake out a hole at low tide and remain for twenty four hours.

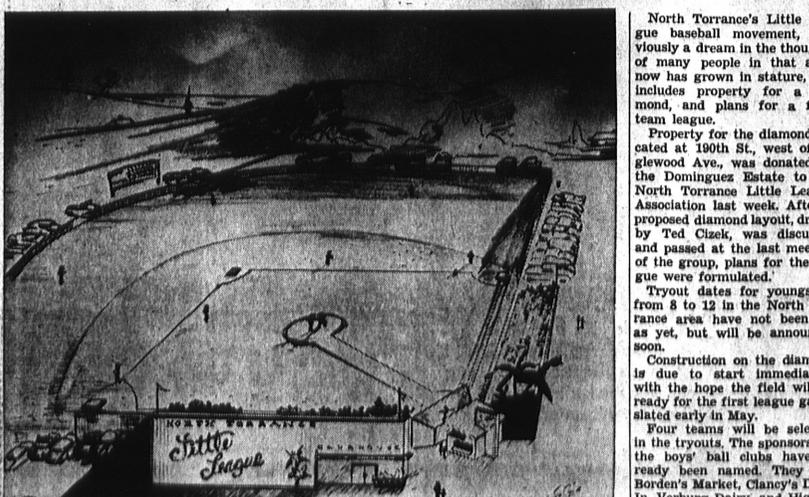
On the deep-sea side, which is improving weekly, Paradise Cove reports the first white sea bass of the season along with the usual run of kelp fish and nice halibut. In fact, most boats are taking halibut runs now, with some really big ones being checked in. Had a 35-pounder checked into Ocean Park last week off the afternoon run, and a topper hitting 83 pounds at Santa Monica. San Diego boats still fishing rock cod, awaiting the opening of the yellowtail derby next month. Hot dog!

As usual the Torrance Rod and Gun continues to gain wide spread fame. Ah-hummi! This time due acknowledgment was given from the Button Award Association last Friday eve at their annual award banquet. Six members of our local club were awarded trophies for the most outstanding catches among all members of sport clubs in Southern California, belonging to the Button Award Association. Morris Maloy registered the largest cat-fish, 14 pounds, 3 ounces; Paul Smith had the largest barred perch, hitting 3 pounds, 14 ounces, naturally it was taken at Second St., and by the way, has already been beaten this year by his sister, Helen—remember, she's the gal who nabbed a 4 pounder the last of January. (Know of a few that would like to forget.) Ray Hawkes took top honors for his 4 pound 5 ounce opal eye taken last year right off the Redondo breakwater. Jeff Cox, for his 16" golden trout; Martha Campbell for a 20 pound silverside salmon; and Harry Seeman for his 33" steelhead. Doubly proud of Martha, she was the only female angler receiving a trophy, besides setting a record in the association of silversides. This was the first time they ever offered a silverside trophy, and she will always be known as the gal that got the first one, and setting the first mark.

Last week's \$5 purchase order from the Torrance Rod and Sport Shop went to Carl Hanni for his 2 pound, 9 ounce barred perch, taken at Second St. Wonder he wasn't beaten. It weighed closer to 3 pounds when first taken, but he kept it on ice for four days. Been so long since he had landed one that he had to keep looking at it. Remember, anyone is eligible for the \$5 worth of merchandise of their own choosing, only catch is that the perch must be weighed in at the shop.

THE WINNERS... Six members of the Torrance Rod and Gun Club pose with trophies awarded them at the recent Button Award Assn. meeting. Left to right, Paul Smith, Harry Seeman, Jeff Cox, Martha Campbell, Morris Maloy and Ray Hawkes hold awards given them for outstanding catches among all members of Southern California sports clubs belonging to the group. (Photo by Seeman).

NO. TORRANCE BACKS L'IL LEAGUE



PROPOSED PARK... Here is artist's view of North Torrance Little League baseball field. The diamond, complete with scoreboard, refreshment stand and bleachers, is located on 190th St. west of Inglewood Ave., in North Torrance. Ted Cizek drew the sketch of the park, which is due to be completed before start of the Little League season.