

Hardtop Track Season Opening Eyed May 25

Members of the Roseburg Hardtop Racing Assn. met in an organizational meeting for the 1957 racing season recently and selected Saturday night, May 25, as a tentative starting date for an every-other-weekend racing season.

Under present plans, the cars will race locally on alternating Saturday nights through the summer. And on alternating weekends they will race at Coos Bay, which will provide its racers here on Saturday nights.

Agreement Reached

The Coos Bay races will be held Sundays. Agreement on the present plan was reached after the Coos Bay Hardtop Racing Assn. agreed to raise its engine specifications up to the 279-cubic-inch Roseburg standard.

Engines prior to overhead valves must be modified to meet the specifications, while the late overheads may be run in stock conditions.

Eugene and Cottage Grove cars, the majority of which have a 238-cubic inch engine, are also expected to take part in local races. Local officials hope for about 30 local cars each weekend and 45 or more counting all competition.

Re-elected president of the association at its meeting was John Decker. Other officers elected were: Whitey Dage, vice-president; Ford Plant, secretary; Leonard Kress, treasurer and Jim Cummins Sr., board member.

Jim Standley, the defending local hardtop race champion, will be back to defend his title at the one-quarter-mile track located at Highway 99 Business Route South. Darrell Wade, track owner, is rapidly shaping the track up for the season's start and facilities are expected to be about the same as last year.

The Boy Scouts will again handle the concession stand and the grandstand will seat about 2,000 people.

BOWLING

JUNIOR BOWLING LEAGUE			
Team	W	L	Pts.
Sportsman's Tr.	45	11	
News-Review	44	12	
Ideal Concrete	40	16	
Team 1	36	20	
Team 10	35	21	
Quant Realty	28 1/2	23 1/2	
Team 14	27	25	
Team 4	26	26	
SAMCO	23	33	
Team 11	22	34	
Team 2	20 1/2	35 1/2	
Team 18	19	33	
Short Rily	16	40	
Modern Beauty	8	48	
Team 15	6	46	
High series: Lewis McAllister 487, Paul Yundt 481, Don Horton 475. (Girls): JoAnne Freeman 423, Pat Dodge 373, Angela Crowser 349.			
High game: Gene Rogers 200, Paul Yundt 184, Lewis McAllister 185. (Girls): JoAnne Freeman 158, Pat Dodge 136, Angela Crowser 134.			
INDUSTRIAL LEAGUE			
Team	W	L	Pts.
Fair'n Clnrs.	32	16	44 1/2
City Drive In	29	19	40
Erv's Flying A	31	17	40
Hanna Nickel	26 1/2	21 1/2	38 1/2
Jovin Brake	29	19	38 1/2
P.C. Briggs	28	20	38
American Lin.	26	22	36 1/2
Elks	25	23	32
Pal Motors	21 1/2	28 1/2	24 1/2
Evans Prod.	19	29	24
Lenour El.	16	32	21
Eagles	6	42	7
High series: Dick Meek 589—(215-211-173).			
High game: Jim Donnelly 223. Other high games: Pete Bray 212, 204; Arlo Jacklin 211, Adam Hipp 211, Vern Jeffries 206, Earl Wiley 201, Doyle Presnall 201, Bill George 201.			



WHIPPING INTO SHAPE—Sugar Ray Robinson, former middleweight champ, works on the punching bag in Chicago as he opened boxing drills in Joe Louis' gym. He's getting into shape for his attempt to regain the world title from Gene Fullmer in a return bout at Chicago May 1.

Flanagan Dumps Gavilan Handily

ST. PAUL — Del Flanagan had the choicest victory of his welterweight comeback and the fastest check of his career rolled into a neat package Thursday — and Kid Gavilan had a mild apology.

Flanagan outmaneuvered the onetime champion from start to finish Wednesday night for a remarkably simple 10-round decision before a crowd of 9,434 that paid a record Minnesota gate of \$43,796.

It earned the St. Paul Irishman some \$9,400, or 25 per cent of the net. Gavilan, who failed to win a round on any of the three official scorecards, netted about \$10,400 on 27 1/2 per cent.

Gavilan, acknowledging that Flanagan was "one of the smartest" fighters he ever met in his long career, said he was sorry he couldn't make a better fight of it before the big crowd.

But he couldn't agree that he didn't win so much as a round. Referee Billy McCabe had it 100-91, Judge John Stanton 100-92 and Judge Dick Delaney 100-93.

Minor Leagues

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INTERNATIONAL LEAGUE
Buffalo 4, Havana 2 (12 innings)
Rochester 8, Miami 4
Columbus 5, Montreal 0
Toronto at Richmond, postponed

AMERICAN ASSN.
SOUTHERN ASSN.
Little Rock 2, Mobile 1
Chattanooga 5, Birmingham 1
Memphis 3, New Orleans 0
Atlanta 6, Nashville 5

TEXAS LEAGUE
Oklahoma City 6-3, Fort Worth 1-4
Houston 7, San Antonio 1
Other games postponed

College Scores

COLLEGE BASEBALL
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Oregon 5, Washington State 4
Oregon State 9, Linfield 7
JVS 1
Willamette 6-6, Oregon Education 2-19

Day Bowling Loop For Women Slated

Formation of a women's day bowling league at the Roseburg Bowling Lanes has been announced by organizers.

The league will begin operating Thursday, May 2 at 10 a.m. and will bowl each Thursday thereafter, at least through the summer months. Registration to participate may still be made through the local alleys, but the deadline is next Thursday, the starting date.

Six teams have been organized so far, according to league President Thelma Andrews of Riddle, but none of them have been named yet. There is room for more teams, she added.

Other officers elected include Jewel Pritt, Myrtle Creek, vice president and Dorothy Jacklin, Roseburg, secretary.

Bailey Schedules First 1957 Mile

EUGENE — Jim Bailey, first man ever to run the mile under four minutes in the United States, will run against Idaho here Saturday at that distance. It will be his first competition mile this season.

Coach Bill Bowerman said Bailey, who has had some trouble with a sore foot, has been coming along well. He will be opposed by Idaho's Ray Hutton.

Bowerman said that he would switch Jim Greile, who won the mile last week against Washington, to 880, for the dual track meet.

In another switch, Steve Anderson, who ran the 100 in .09.5 last weekend, will be in the high hurdles.

Paul Robinson Edges To Rifle Club Victory

Paul Robinson edged out Bill Brickey as the top shooter this week in the Roseburg Senior Rifle Club with a 387 against 382 in matches held at Winchester Wednesday.

Deane Paulson and Bill Bailey tied for third with 278s followed by Roy Hill with 374 and Mildred Comfort with 373.

Other top shooters for the week included Lee Eaton with 371, Barbara McAllister 370, Chuck Wright 366 and George McClure 364.

In stage six of the team matches, the team of Pete Serafin leads the team of Paul Robinson 2,601 to 2,593. The team of Bill Jones is in the number three spot with 2,554.

Douglas Sweeps To Win; Javelin Hurlled 167 Feet

Taking 10 first places and yielding four of the field event firsts to Glendale, Douglas' strong track forces rolled up 96 points Wednesday in outscoring two foes on the Trojan track. Glendale placed second with 39, and Riddle had 20.

The Trojans took all the running event firsts and won the broad jump and discus throw, but they also gave up the individual spotlight to Glendale when Layton Brown turned in one of the top javelin throws of the season in Douglas County with a throw of 167 ft.

Brown also took the shot put, Gary Miller won the pole vault, and Jim Mosley took first in the high jump for the other Pirate first places.

Personal Shifted

Coach Russ Hawk of the Trojans shifted much of his personnel around, giving them a chance at trying their skill at events other than their usual ones. They still came up with at least average winning performances.

Russell Prock came up with a pair of noteworthy firsts in the hurdles and state champion distance man Cliff Thomson was a winner in the 220-yard dash in the time of 23.1 Thomson also ran a 220 leg on the winning Douglas relay team which negotiated the distance in 1:40.5.

Final score: Douglas 96, Glendale 39, Riddle 20.

120-yard high hurdles: 1. Russ Prock, D. 2. Stack, D. 3. Mullerkey, G. 4. Rose, R. 16.8.

100-yard dash: 1. Bill Helms, D. 2. Mills, D. 3. Gilman, D. 4. Hedberg, R. 11.0.

One mile run: 1. Fred Myers, D. 2. Safarik, R. 3. Williams, R. 4. Roberts, D. 5:07.3.

440-yard dash: 1. Gary Strom, D. 2. Stack, D. 3. Myers, D. 4. Perron, D. 60.2.

180-yard low hurdles: 1. Prock, D. 2. Counts, D. 3. Rose, R. 4. Mullerkey, G. 3.0.

220-Yard Dash: 1. Cliff Thompson, D. 2. Mills, D. 3. Clark, G. 4. Hedberg, R. 25.1.

880-yard run: 1. Dave Burt, D. 2. Safarik, R. 3. Chuck Myers, D. 4. Vaughn, R. 2:14.5.

880-yard relay: 1. Douglas (Elmer Mills, Terry Counts, Prock, Thomson), 2. Glendale, 1:40.5.

Broad jump: 1. Fred Newton, D. 2. Gilman, D. 3. Clark, G. 4. Hedberg, R. 19.2.

High jump: 1. Jim Mosley, G. 2. Three-way tie among Kadzie, G. Miller, G. Newton, D. 5-4.

Pole vault: 1. Gary Miller, G. 2. Wiley, D. 3. Johnson, D. 4. Mimmnaugh, R. 10-0.

Shot put: Layton Brown, G. 2. Grass, D. 3. Newcomb, R. 4. Jacoby, D. 38-8.

Javelin throw: 1. Brown, G. 2. Counts, D. 3. Hill, D. 4. Montleon, G. 167-8.

Discus throw: 1. Bob Carlson, D. 2. Grass, D. 3. Newcomb, R. 4. Fisher, D. 127-5.

Sports Northwest Loop Opens Tonight

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The Northwest Baseball League flag chase gets under way Thursday night with the defending champion Yakima Bears mixing it up with Salem's Senators at the Oregon city.

Other opening games have the Eugene Emeralds at Wenatchee and the Lewiston Broncs at Kennewick to play the Tri-City Braves.

The loop operated with seven teams last year but Spokane dropped out because of financial problems. The first half of the split season ends June 30 and the second half Sept. 2.

OREGON WINS

EUGENE, Ore. — Ron Dodge poked out a three-run homer in the third inning Wednesday as the University of Oregon eased by Washington State, 5-4, in a Northern Division baseball contest.



TIED UP—James D. Norris, president of the International Boxing Club, makes phone calls from his home in Coral Gables, Fla. after the Government filed a restraining order on the IBC. The Government is seeking to dissolve the sprawling IBC empire as an illegal monopoly. Their petition asks that the IBC be restrained from promoting bouts at Madison Square Garden and other arenas throughout the country.

Mederos Scores Portland Victory

PORTLAND, Ore. — Cuban Julio Mederos staggered Benny Thomas in the first and seventh rounds Wednesday night to gain a unanimous 10-round decision over the Chicagoan in a heavy-weight scrap.

Mederos, 198, used bulldog rushes and a punishing body attack to pile up points over the nimble Thomas, who scored well with a flicking left jab during the middle rounds. Thomas weighed 182.

Judges Louie Sauer and Dick Wagner both had Mederos on top by a 57-53 margin. Referee George Robinson gave it to the Cuban 57 1/2-53.

In preliminary bouts: Sonny Ray, 176 1/2, Chicago, stopped Sonny Hett, 171, Salem, Ore., at 1:42 of the third round of a scheduled six-rounder.

Tommy Thomas, 145, Portland, outpointed Buddy McDonald, 141, Vancouver, B.C., 6.

Kel Wayne, 166, Vancouver, Wash., outpointed Freddie Mack, 164, Seattle, 6.

Ellsworth (Spider) Webb, Los Angeles middleweight, competed in track, football and boxing at Idaho State College.

Fourteen members of Clarkson's 19-man hockey squad came from Canada.

Tebbetts Begins Smiling As Redlegs Win

AMERICAN LEAGUE				By THE ASSOCIATED PRESS
	W	L	Pct. GB	
Chicago	4	1	.800	So have figure birds; bets finally got around to smiling at himself in the mirror when shaved this morning.
New York	5	2	.714	It's been a tough first week the season for the chubby Cincinnati manager with the pennant potential.
Kansas City	5	3	.625 1/2	And power, losing their first two games; Ted Kluszewski benched with a bad back; Frank Robinson coming up with a new sore arm.
Boston	4	3	.571 1	Johnny Temple giving in to a sore throat; and the pinch hitters living only three times in 15 bats.
Baltimore	3	5	.375 2 1/2	But things looked great today. The Redlegs have won three in a row.
Washington	3	5	.375 2 1/2	
Cleveland	2	4	.333 3	
Detroit	2	5	.286 3	
NATIONAL LEAGUE				
	W	L	Pct. GB	
Brooklyn	6	1	.857	
Milwaukee	6	1	.857	
New York	4	4	.500 2 1/2	
Chicago	3	4	.429 3	
Cincinnati	3	4	.429 3	
Philadelphia	3	4	.429 3	
St. Louis	2	5	.286 4	
Pittsburgh	2	6	.250 4 1/2	



ALL FOR NAUGHT—Elston Howard of the Yanks slides into home in the second inning of game with Washington in Washington. He beat out Roy Sievers' left field throw to Ed Fitzgerald at the plate. The play came after Jerry Coleman singled and Howard raced for home. The joker in the whole thing was third base umpire Paparella ruling that Howard did not touch third, nullifying the run. Plate umpire Hurley is at left with an unidentified Yankee.

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COACH PICKED
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