

# Ramrods Divide In Friday Games

Local basketball fans were treated to two fast-stepping contests last Friday evening when Smith River Independents locked horns with the "Ramrods." The second game was between the B squad of the Ramrods and the local high school.

Paced by Bill Reagan with 12 tallies, the Ramrods lead the visitors throughout the melee. However, if basketball could be scored like boxing, by rounds, Smith River would have won at least one round, for in the third quarter they scored 14 while the Ramrods were able to collect only 10. The game ended with the Ramrods coming out on the long end of a 48 to 33 score. The Ramrods lineup was bolstered by the presence of Art Guthrie whose generalship was the deciding factor in the victory.

In the curtain-raiser, the high school nosed out the B squad, 20 to 18 in a thriller. Jack Myers who scored in the last seconds of the game, broke the 18-18 tie.

Noteworthy in the contest was the older men trying to recapture their old stamina against the youth whose fast-breaking game was just "too fast."

This Friday both the high school and Ramrods will play Ophir at Ophir. Ophir always has been top-notch in basketball, and if reports are true, this year is no exception. The box score, Friday:

Ramrods—48		fg	ft	pf	tp
Matson	3	0	0	6	
Carson	0	0	2	0	
Reagan	6	0	2	12	
Guthrie	4	1	0	9	
Barton	1	0	0	2	
Musser	4	1	4	9	
Benson	1	0	0	2	
Miller	4	0	1	8	
Total	23	2	9	48	
Smith River—33		fg	ft	pf	tp
Sarina	0	0	1	0	
Bowie	1	0	0	2	
Maris	2	0	1	4	
Bertolini	5	0	0	10	
Jepson	3	3	2	9	
Nelson	0	0	0	0	
Hollis	3	0	0	6	
Heberlein	0	0	0	0	
Mello	1	0	0	2	
Rhodes	0	0	0	0	
Hocking	0	0	0	0	
Totals	15	3	5	33	

## About The Town

By Gene

The new slogan about town is "A Tree Grows in Brookings". Why just the other day I heard a couple of citizens discussing the probabilities of whether or not it had sprouted. Tourists driving through remark: "My! what a nice tree. How long has it been growing there?" So I think the people of Brookings should thank the

volunteer firemen for such a good job of landscaping.

It really is a shame that a few people can cause others so much discomfort, merely through their disrespect of others privileges. Lately someone has been dumping garbage in the vicinity of the mill pond on private property belonging to Mr. Bankus, the very person who donated almost five acres of land to the city for the purpose of building a public garbage dump. It was stated last week-end that until these outrages were stopped the road to the Mill Beach would not be opened. And further more that if the party responsible were caught, prosecution would be brought to the fullest extent.

Come, people of Brookings, let's remedy this situation. If the road to the public dump is not satisfactory, get it fixed but under no circumstances is it permissible to dump your garbage on private property.

On the brighter side, The Pine Cone Theatre has really improved in the last few weeks. As Mr. Kemp advertises, "No Finer Projection Anywhere." It really is good to. Also the furnace which formerly had not worked properly surprised the show-goers Sunday evening with an almost too warm temperature. So now you can go to the show and enjoy a clear, picture and excellent sound in a comfortably heated building.

The High School paper is scheduled to appear this week-end but due to the six-weeks test also falling during this week it may be postponed until next week.

The Baptist Community Youth Fellowship installed officers for the coming year.

Last Sunday evening this organization presented an installation ceremony for friends and relatives. The program was a candle-light ceremony and was held at the Baptist Community Church.

New officers installed were: Don Redfield: re-elected president.

Jim Carson: vice-president.

Ruth Rau: secretary.

Margaret Byrne: treasurer.

Ethel Pierce: chairman of the devotional committee.

Nielan Abbott: chairman of the recreational committee.

This organization is the only up and going young peoples club in town. Consisting of about thirty members and an active membership of about twenty, it has a definite purpose in mind, that of giving the young people of the community a place where they can go and enjoy themselves with organized leaders and sponsors.

Through the efforts of this club more young people have become interested in the work of the than in any other way. The club is absolutely undenominational. Everyone is welcome, don't wait to be invited, just come to the chudch any Sunday evening at 6:30. We guarantee some of your friends will be there.

Plans are now being made to provide this area with a first class camera club. This club will be for the purpose of helping those who enjoy photography but who need a little instruction. There will be an adults division and a

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