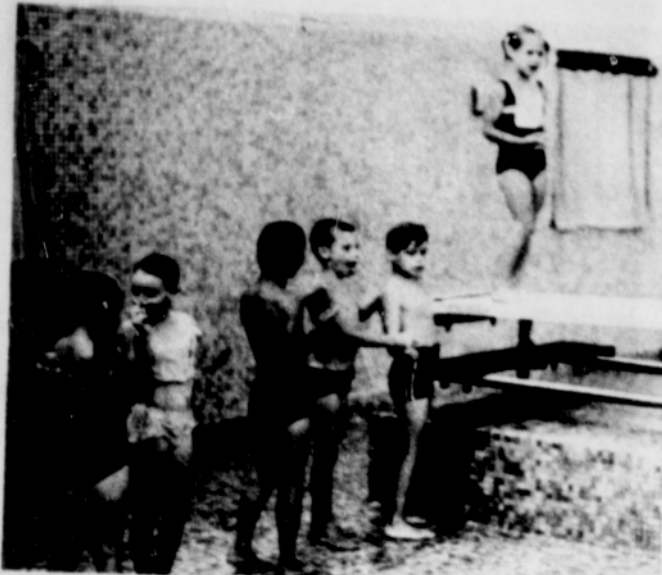


Y-Riders serve youth



The YMCA Y-Riders is a program designed to bring youth and adults together. For the YMCA youth worker, the mini-bike becomes a tool to reach the "hard-to-reach" youth. Each Y-Rider club is kept small so that the youth worker gets to know each club member personally as an individual. The worker's only job is his mini-bike club, so all his working time is spent relating to his club members, their families, their schools, and all the other people and institutions who occupy a place in the youth's life. So, in whatever direction, the youth worker knows what's going on with his club members and can step into any situation with a helping hand.

The Y-Riders program emphasizes safety, mechanics, citizenship, and self-confidence. The young members of the club plan and carry out their own activities. Riding is also a large part of the program, but racing is not. Rather, the emphasis is on drills, formations, obstacle courses, and teamwork. Each club member can tear down and rebuild his bike and within a short period of time, knows every nut, bolt and spoke intimately.

The Y-Riders program takes a non-membership approach. While each club member is "signed-up" on a roster, he does not have to join the Y. There are no membership fees or program monies requested from the club members.

The mini-bike club coordinators are trained Y youth workers, and the YMCA is lending its facilities, resources, and support to the Y-Riders program. But, the



ultimate success of the program depends on the volunteers and sponsors who give their time and resources. In January alone volunteers working with the Y-Riders logged close to 200 hours. We've also had a lot of help from companies and organizations who have donated equipment and money. Honda Corporation of Japan gave the National YMCA's 10,000 mini-bikes to be distributed through Honda of America dealers. Honda of Gresham provided Portland's mini-bikes and has been very generous with parts and labor. Wheel Sports gave us riding helmets. Burns Brothers gives us gas on an on-going basis. Wynn Oil provided the club members

with jackets. Pacific Northwest Bell gave us a van truck. Chuck's Arco Station in Beaverton helps us with truck repairs. Mike Smith Automotive helps keep our equipment going. Friendly Chevrolet loans us trucks when we need them. Mt. Scott Fuel gave us bark dust for our Southeast Portland riding field. Lake Oswego Elks Club gave us riding space for the bikes in that area. Brown Oldsmobile gave us money which we used to make some very necessary repairs to the truck. Portland Linen & Towel Co. gave us money, which we used for mini-bike program expense. POLC provides the riding space in North/Northeast Portland.

North Branch Y sets goal

The North Portland YMCA, 5430 N. Moore, this month is organizing their annual Partner-Membership Campaign for 1972. A Branch goal of \$6,500 from residents, businessmen and friends in North and Northeast Portland has been set. The first report of the Campaign shows \$2,007.50 pledged to help youth in the YMCA program, according to Robert Hesseltine, Campaign Chairman, and North Portland architect.

Mr. Hesseltine also announced a \$45,000 grant from the Metropolitan YMCA Association to run the North YMCA program for 1972. The balance of the operating budget for the year will be raised during the Campaign for contributing members and through pro-

gram fees assessed from participants during the year. Mr. Hesseltine stressed the importance of the Campaign to the total North Portland YMCA program since fees assessed program participants pay only a part of the total cost of running the programs.

The North Portland YMCA is currently involved in a variety of programs providing youth opportunities for involvement in group situations. The major emphasis at the North Branch is the aquatic program in the building facility, and the club program in the schools and the community.

Anyone wishing to contribute or subscribe to the North Portland YMCA's community effort may do so by calling Ray or Leslie at the Y, 282-5517.



TO CATCH A THIEF -- "Sports Challenge" guests Wes Parker, Frank Robinson and Maury Wills, members of the Los Angeles Dodgers, view a film clip of Maury Wills stealing his 104th base in 1962, an all-time major league record. Maury views the action intently. "Sports Challenge" airs in 127 markets and awards \$1500 worth of AMF-VOIT sports equipment to deserving youth groups across the country every week.



LITTLE BIG MEN -- "Sports Challenge" trio of jockey greats Willie Shoemaker, Eddie Arcaro and Johnny Longden ponder a question tossed out by host Dick Enberg. The fabulous horse-men have combined to win over 17,000 races in their careers and have amassed purses totalling over \$100 million. "Sports Challenge" currently airs in 127 cities and awards \$1500 worth of sports equipment to deserving youth groups in the nation each week.



READY TO MATCH WITS -- "Sports Challenge" host Dick Enberg (far left) introduces this week's teams, a trio of Los Angeles Dodgers, Wes Parker, Frank Robinson and Maury Wills pitted against Kansas City Chief footballers Len Dawson, Willie Lanier and Otis Taylor. "Sports Challenge" awards \$1500 worth of athletic equipment to deserving youth groups across the nation each week.



CHIEFS ON CHALLENGE -- Kansas City Chief footballers Len Dawson, Willie Lanier and Otis Taylor compete on "Sports Challenge," the syndicated show now airing in 127 cities. "Sports Challenge" awards \$1500 worth of AMF-VOIT sports equipment to deserving youth groups across the nation each week.

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