



Ashe presents sports calendar

Throughout history, there have been great Black boxers to whom no one could hold a glove, Black baseball players who were world series hits, Black track and field stars who ran circles around their opponents, Black tennis pros who served up victories, and Black football heroes who consistently reached their goals.

Now everyone can re-live the great historic moments by Afro-American men and women athletes with the *Afro-American Sports History Calendar*. This beautifully illustrated full-color 1986 calendar is an exciting and educational reference for sports trivia fans and history buffs. It contains facts documenting the major achievements of Afro-American athletes in baseball, basketball, boxing, football, track and field, tennis and more in both college and professional sports.

Each month is introduced with a montage of photographs and illustrations that captures some of the achievements in the careers of great Afro-American athletes. Week after week, the calendar gives highlights of sports history—including birthdays, important events and dates—of memorable record breakers. The illustrations are original prints, suitable for framing, created especially

for the calendar by award-winning graphic artist Kenneth Brown. Brown is also responsible for the design of the calendar.

The calendar of legendary Afro-American sports heroes was guided and supervised by Arthur Ashe, internationally renowned tennis champion and sports commentator. On July 13, 1985, Ashe was the first Black man ever to be inducted into the 31-year-old International Tennis Hall of Fame. Ashe is completing his book, *A Hard Road to Glory: A History of the Afro-American Athlete*, to be published next year by Howard University Press under the direction of Charles Harris. Ashe's research for this volume inspired the creation of the calendar.

"The contributions of Afro-American athletes have still not been fully documented in the history of sports in America," said Ashe. "I hope this calendar will remind all of us every day about the significant role they have played as champions and the pride we felt for their struggles and achievements."

The *Arthur Ashe Afro-American Sports History Calendar* is available for \$9.95 by mail from AA Publishing, 369 Lexington Avenue, New York, NY 10017. Checks should be made payable

to AA Publishing, and purchasers should allow two to three weeks for delivery.

World Series update

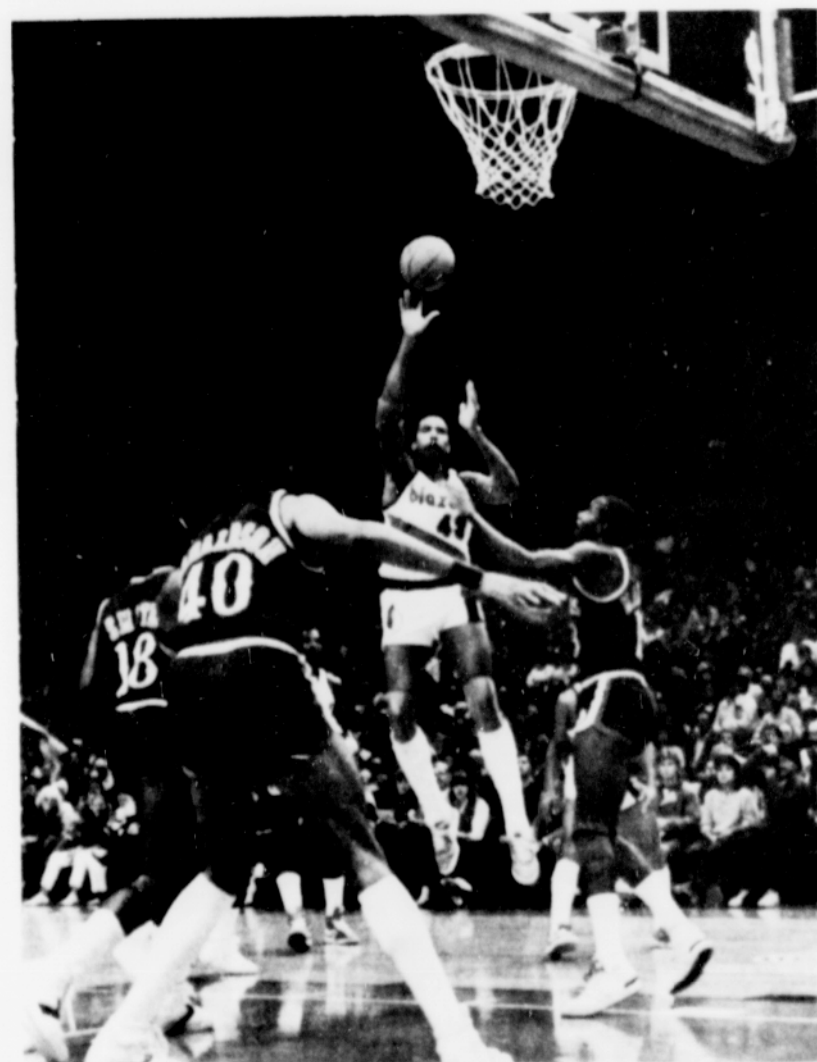
The "1-70" World Series between the St. Louis Cardinals and the Kansas City Royals started last Saturday in Kansas City. The last time there was an all-Missouri World Series was in 1944 between the Cardinals and the St. Louis Browns.

The Cardinals just need two more victories to become baseball champs. The Cardinals won the first game 3-1 and the second game 4-2. Game three will be played Tuesday in St. Louis.

Madison, Benson remain undefeated

Last Saturday Madison trounced Roosevelt 61-20 to remain one of the only two unbeaten teams in the PFL. The victory over Roosevelt improved Madison's record to 7-0 in PFL play.

Benson also improved its season record to 7-0 with a 19-0 win over Wilson. In that game, Techman Paul Jackson ran for two touchdowns bringing his season totals to 17, a total that is leading the state.



Mychal Thompson leaves the Clippers on the floor as the TrailBlazers stormed over Los Angeles 139-89 raising the exhibition record to 6-1 Saturday night. (Photo: Richard J. Brown)

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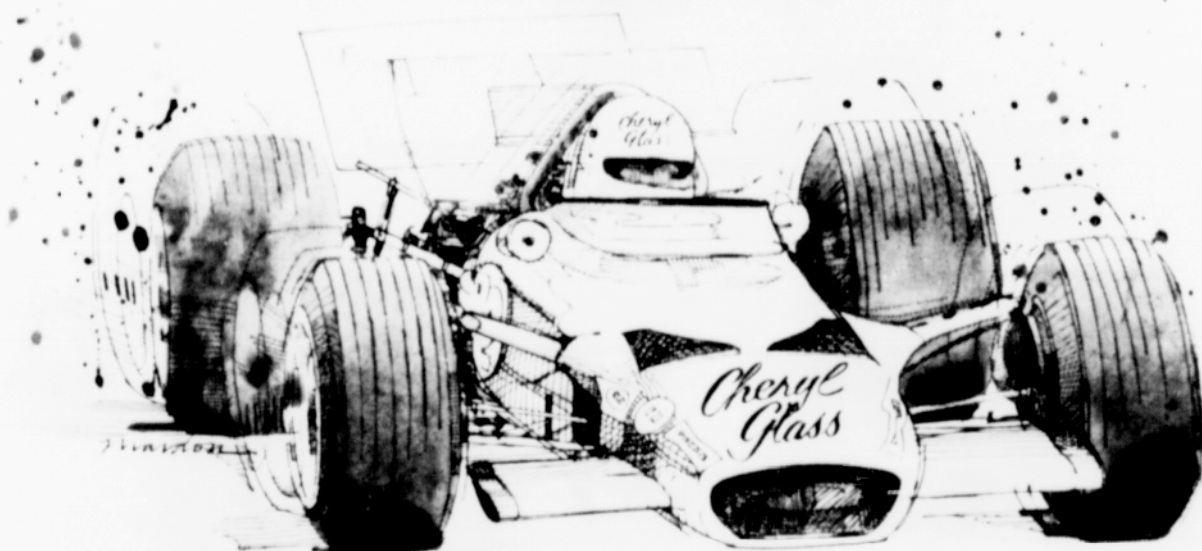
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