

# Cascade All-Star Series Opens Sunday

## Giustina Reds Oppose Stars

### 3000 Fans May See Stadium Mound Duel

The Cascade baseball league's annual All-Star series opens at Civic Stadium Sunday at 2:15 p.m. when the champion Giustina Reds will meet a squad selected from four other league clubs—Miller Lumbermen, Snellstrom Braves, Hills Creek Hillbillies, and Springfield Cardinals.

Expected to be the best baseball exhibition of the season, the opening game is due to attract a crowd of close to 3000 baseball-hungry Lane county fans. The second game of the series will be played next Wednesday night, starting at 8:30 o'clock, and the final next Sunday afternoon.

Manager Ed Brauner's Giustina club, one of the best-balanced aggregations in league history, will be only a slight favorite over the star-studded opposition which will be handicapped only by lack of practice as a unit.

Two ace pitchers are scheduled to hook up in a mound duel—Giustina's southpaw sensation, Archie Hayes, who is the property of the Cincinnati Reds of the National League, and Bud Brewer, Miller Lumberman righthander who has been in organized baseball with Portland in the Coast and Salem in the W. I. league, for the past six or eight seasons.

Hayes will have a fine defensive club behind him, and the probable starting lineup has an aggregate batting average of .300 even, led by first-baseman Allie Cooper, league batting champion who hit .441 for the season.

Brauner has a versatile club, with Cooper capable of playing short, Bob Caviness, another southpaw pitcher and unbeaten in league play, rated an excellent first-baseman and outfielder; Elvan Pitney, equally good in the outfield and at short; Kenny King, short or third; Johnny Dunn, regular third-baseman a talented pitcher. He also has added strength in the return of Capt. Howard "Hooks" Robertson, a hard-hitting outfielder who recently returned from 30 missions as a bomber pilot in Europe.

The Stars, who have seven left-handed hitters, also have a versatile club—with most of the power in the outfield, Dutch White and Virg Gross of Hills Creek, Bud Nurra and Jack Walton of Miller, Charley Mickelson and Bill Shear of Snellstrom—and any of the pitchers capable of playing the gardens.

White could also replace Elbert Dixon at first, Mickelson could relieve Bill Moyer at second, and Grover Kelsay could give way to George Fischer at third for either pitching or catching duties. The catchers, Del Hoff and Norv Libby, could fill in at second or on the mound, respectively.

Chet Simpson, the Miller pitcher who is slated to hurl Wednesday's game, may be in the day's outfield Sunday because of his good hitting record against Hayes. Earl Kennell, the big Miller righthander, will be used only as a relief pitcher Wednesday, according to present plans. Ranny Smith, the fast-developing young shortstop who has gone hitless in only one of 16 league games, is not expected to need an alternate, but Moyer is ready to make the shift if necessary.

## Meet Reds



JACK WALTON In Center Field



ELBERT DIXON At First Base



BUD BREWER On All-Star Mound

GIUSTINA	G	AB	R	H	Per.
Cooper	18	59	17	26	.441
Caviness	6	18	4	7	.388
Taylor	11	26	5	10	.385
Stevenson	14	50	10	18	.350
King	16	63	9	19	.300
Warren	5	7	1	2	.286
Avery	16	57	18	18	.281
Dunn	15	56	10	15	.268
Paubion	15	42	5	11	.262
Hayes	8	17	2	4	.235
Walls	9	12	3	3	.231
Stines	16	51	6	9	.176
Mohler	14	34	4	6	.176
Lewis	4	8	0	1	.125
Bailey	4	8	0	0	.000
Edwards	6	8	1	0	.000
Wilson	6	8	1	0	.000
Totals	16	510	91	145	.284

HILLS CREEK	G	AB	R	H	Per.
Parks	1	4	2	2	.500
Hoff	16	52	9	24	.460
Gross	13	40	8	15	.375
Fretwell	2	3	0	1	.333
White	14	49	6	16	.327
B. Kelsay	12	38	9	12	.316
Wright	11	48	10	13	.283
Cox	11	39	6	10	.258
Lane	12	31	2	2	.064
Koer	10	21	3	5	.238
Roberts	6	13	2	3	.231
Eider	14	38	5	12	.316
Mauney	26	36	3	5	.139
Mauney	12	24	1	4	.167
Granger	6	8	1	1	.125
Lane	12	31	2	2	.064
Dowdy	1	2	0	0	.000
Phillips	1	3	0	0	.000
Thalson	1	3	0	0	.000
Buckingham	3	3	0	0	.000
Kimball	7	14	0	0	.000
Totals	16	520	67	137	.263

MILLER	G	AB	R	H	Per.
Kennell	1	3	2	2	.667
Nurra	15	51	10	18	.353
Walton	16	53	13	18	.340
Moran	12	39	5	12	.308
Dunn	6	10	2	3	.300
Simpson	15	34	3	9	.265
Moye	16	56	8	12	.214
Brewer	15	48	11	11	.229
Baxter	12	44	3	10	.227
Reeves	11	33	3	7	.212
Younger	12	37	4	8	.216
Brewer	5	17	3	3	.176
Murray	15	43	8	6	.140
Merrill	15	48	1	1	.021
Edwards	2	2	0	0	.000
Miller	2	2	0	0	.000
Totals	16	478	66	120	.251

## Ice Arena Opens New Season September 1

The Eugene Ice Arena, well-established but one of the city's most recent sports and recreation units, will open its third year of operation September 1, according to an announcement made by Geary Worth, manager.

Many improvements have been made in the arena since the close of the 1944 season last spring, including the insulation of walls and ceilings to assure drier ice on warm days. Many of the rooms in the arena and the spectators' balcony have been renovated—and quantities of paint has brightened the inside of the rink.

## Statistics For Season Listed

### Champions Capture Most of Loop Honors

Final Standings For Season	W	L	Per.
Giustina Reds	13	3	.813
Miller Lumbermen	11	3	.786
Snellstrom Braves	9	7	.563
Hills Creek Hillies	5	11	.313
Springfield Cards	2	14	.125

Final statistics for the 1944 Cascade baseball season definitely shows why the Giustina Reds captured the pennant last year by the Hills Creek Hillbillies—and will be favored in the three-game series against the league All-Stars, opening Sunday afternoon at Civic Stadium.

The Reds showed complete dominance in the pitching records announced earlier in the week, and in the batting and base-stealing departments listed today. Manager Ed Brauner's Reds copped most of the laurels.

In team batting, the Reds had a .284 average, 19 percentage points more than the second-place Snellstrom Braves who had a .265 team average, followed by Hills Creek with .263, Miller Lumbermen with .251, and Springfield with .182.

Allie Cooper, Giustina first-baseman, announced earlier in the week as the league batting champion with a .441 average, was also tops in total bases, with 43, and tied for the lead in home runs, triples and doubles. Burt Avery, the Giustina second-baseman, had the most runs batted in with 18. Two Reds tied with 5 sacrifice bunts, tops for the league—Johnny Dunn and Elvan Pitney. And Kenny King, shortstop for the Giustina club, was the leading base-stealer with 12.

Cooper's .441 batting average spread-eagled the field, with Del Hoff of Hills Creek next with .400. The mark, however, was 9 percentage points under the winning mark of .450 made by Dunn last season. His total-base mark was six under the 49 registered by Dale Thomas of Springfield last year.

Cooper, Jack Walton and Bud Nurra of Miller Lumber were tied in total homers with two, one less than Thomas in 1943. Cooper and Dutch White tied with three triples, one less than Juel Faubion of Giustina in 1943. The five doubles marked up by Cooper and Dutch White of Hills Creek were one more than the four scored by Cooper and Bud Brewer, then of Springfield, last season.

Avery's 18 RBI's tied the 1943 mark of Norv Libby, then with Hills Creek. The five sacrifices by Dunn and Pitney were one more than Libby's winning four for 1943. King's dozen steals best the mark of 11 set by Cooper last season.

The leaders in all departments, and the batting averages of all league players for the 1944 season, by teams, follow:

BUNS BATTED IN	Player	Runs
Burt Avery, Giustina	18	
Allie Cooper, Giustina	17	
Del Hoff, Hills Creek	13	
Carl Stevenson, Giustina	13	
Johnny Dunn, Giustina; Charley Mickelson and Ranny Smith, Snellstrom	12	
Dick Wright, Hills Creek; Del Hoff and Virg Gross, Hills Creek; Bill Moyer, Miller; Cliff Raish, Springfield, 8 each	8	
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TOTAL BASES	Player	Bases
Allie Cooper, Giustina	43	
Del Hoff, Hills Creek	34	
Bill Shear, Snellstrom	29	
Jack Walton, Miller	28	
Bud Nurra, Miller; 27 Kenny King, Giustina; 25 Dutch White, Hills Creek; 24 Ranny Smith, Snellstrom; Johnny Dunn, Giustina; Cliff Raish, Springfield, 22 each	22	

HOME RUNS	Player	Runs
Jack Walton, Miller	2	
Bud Nurra, Miller	2	
Allie Cooper, Giustina	2	
Bill Shear, Dick Sprick, Snellstrom; Del Hoff, Glen Cox, Dick Wright, Hills Creek; Cliff Raish, Springfield; Johnny Dunn, Juel Faubion, Giustina; Chet Simpson, Miller, one each	1	

THREE-BAGGERS	Player	Times
Dutch White, Hills Creek	3	
Allie Cooper, Hills Creek	3	
Bill Shear, Snellstrom	3	
Cliff Raish, Springfield	3	
Johnny Dunn, Giustina	3	
Elbert Dixon, Miller	3	
Freeman Squires, Springfield	2	
Kenny King, Giustina	2	

TWO-BAGGERS	Player	Times
Del Hoff, Hills Creek	5	
Allie Cooper, Giustina	5	
Bill Shear, Snellstrom	4	

SACRIFICE HITS	Player	Hits
Elvan Pitney, Giustina	5	
Johnny Dunn, Giustina	5	
Grover Kelsay, Hills Creek	4	
Kenny King, Giustina	4	
Elbert Dixon, Miller	4	

STOLEN BASES	Player	Bases
Kenny King, Giustina	12	
Allie Cooper, Giustina	10	
Johnny Dunn, Giustina	9	
Bill Shear, Snellstrom	9	
Juel Faubion, Giustina	9	
Del Hoff, Hills Creek; Earl Torgerson, Snellstrom, 8 each; Zed Merrill, Elbert Dixon, Miller; Grover Kelsay, Dick Wright, Hills Creek; Burt Avery, Giustina, 7 each	7	

## Lead League



KENNY KING Steals Most Bases



JOHNNY DUNN Hits Most Sacrifices



BURT AVERY Leads in RBI's

SNELLSTROM	G	AB	R	H	Per.
Douglass	1	0	1	0	.000
Torgerson	6	21	3	8	.381
Sprick	5	19	2	7	.368
Shear	12	50	8	18	.360
Kralovich	2	6	2	2	.333
Mickelson	11	40	10	13	.325
Fischer	13	27	6	12	.324
Osake	8	16	3	5	.313
Smith	18	60	10	18	.300
Libby	16	57	8	17	.298
Harvey	10	26	2	7	.269
Burton	5	9	0	3	.222
Greenfield	9	28	2	6	.214
Rodger	15	1	3	0	.000
Moore	2	8	0	0	.000
Well	7	26	3	5	.192
Fassett	6	12	1	2	.167
Dabner	2	6	0	1	.167
Humphrey	10	27	3	4	.148
Mercer	4	15	2	2	.133
Horne	3	8	0	1	.125
Baker	3	0	0	0	.000
Gibson	3	0	0	0	.000
Clontinger	2	8	1	0	.000
Wichser	2	7	0	0	.000
Walker	2	8	0	0	.000
Totals	16	509	67	135	.265

SPRINGFIELD	G	AB	R	H	Per.
Stonberg	1	3	0	1	.333
Corbett	5	21	1	6	.286
Baish	16	58	5	15	.258
Thomas	16	56	3	14	.250
Leibrecht	2	5	0	1	.200
Montgomery	4	9	4	2	.222
Boquis	7	23	4	5	.217
Thelwell	15	41	3	8	.200
Wester	5	21	1	6	.286
Mansell	16	41	1	9	.197
Hale	10	20	2	4	.180
Wagner	3	7	0	1	.143
Warberg	9	23	0	4	.174
Stenchoel	4	8	0	1	.125
Pulps	5	21	1	2	.095
Brewer	5	12	1	1	.083
Hedland	1	1	0	0	.000
Voss	1	0	0	0	.000
Price	2	4	0	0	.000
Taylor	3	4	0	0	.000
O'Hearn	6	14	0	0	.000
Totals	16	477	41	87	.182

## Browns Batter Yankees, 8-3

NATIONAL	W	L	Per.
St. Louis	25	27	.730
Cincinnati	27	25	.559
Pittsburgh	26	24	.550
Chicago	25	25	.500
New York	20	30	.400
Boston	20	30	.400
Brooklyn	19	31	.380
Philadelphia	18	32	.360

By CARL LUNDQUIST  
NEW YORK, Aug. 12.—(AP)—George McQuinn, once passed on by the New York Yankee farm system as a player who had no future, came back to plague them today by hitting two home runs to pace the St. Louis Browns to an 8 to 3 victory over the world champions.

It was McQuinn's ball game, both at bat and off. He started the Browns off to a 2 to 0 lead when he hit a home run in the first inning and added another homer in the ninth to account for five of the Browns' eight runs.

In addition, he made two brilliant stops from his fielding post, saving second baseman Don Gutteridge from an error in one instance, and stopping a Yankee threat with another.

Pitcher Jack Kramer, though shaky at times, weathered two Yankee rallies and improved toward the finish, scattering eight hits effectively.

The Boston Red Sox maintained their six-and-a-half game margin in second place in the American league by defeating the Chicago White Sox 5 to 4. Jim Tabor's homer in the eighth inning broke up a tied ball game. Eddie Lopat allowed only one hit after the fifth inning and that was Tabor's (Red) Barrett received credit for the Boston victory.

The Philadelphia A's took their second game in a row over the Cleveland Indians, putting across three runs in the fifth inning to win 4 to 3. Pitcher Luman Harris won his 10th game, although he was in trouble on several occasions.

The Brooklyn Dodgers, after winning three games in a row at Chicago, lost to the Cubs 2 to 0, with Japhet (Red) Lynn holding them to five hits for his second victory since joining the Chicagoans a month ago.

The victory put the Cubs in fourth place. The Pittsburgh Pirates defeated the New York Giants for the fourth straight time, winning 8 to 0 on Max Butcher's six-hit pitching. The Cubs clinched the issue with a three run rally off Bill Voiselle in the third.

The Cincinnati Reds defeated the Boston Braves 5 to 4 in 10 innings, Ray Mueller driving home the winning run with a single. Frank McCormick staked the Reds to an early lead with his second homer in as many days and his 13th of the season. Charley (Red) Barrett of the Braves, seeking his second victory in the series, relieved Ira Hutchinson in the ninth and was debited with the defeat. Arnold Carter, who lost an earlier game in the series to the Braves, was the winner, chalking up his fourth victory over Boston this year.

Detroit at Washington in the American and Philadelphia at St. Louis in the National were night games.

## Dot Germain Wins Tourney

LAKE FOREST, Ill., Aug. 12.—(AP)—Pretty Dorothy Germain of Philadelphia, presenting one of the greatest driving games women's golf has seen, smashed the fight out of Phyllis Otto of Omaha, Neb., today to win the women's Western amateur golf championship by a 5 and 4 margin for the second successive year.

Sinking a 9-foot putt on the 32nd hole for victory, the 20-year-old brunette became the seventh woman in 44-year history of this Western tournament to capture the title two years running.

## Beavers Shut Out San Francisco, 3-0

COAST	W	L	Per.
Los Angeles	12	13	.481
Hollywood	10	15	.400
San Francisco	6	22	.273
Portland	4	18	.220
Oakland	6	14	.300
Seattle	6	15	.286
Sacramento	6	18	.250
San Diego	5	17	.227

SAN FRANCISCO, Aug. 12.—(AP)—The sizzling Portland pitching staff blanked the San Francisco Seals again today—the fourth time in a row—to score a 3-0 victory and run the string of innings in which the Seals have been unable to score to 36.

The victory was the fifth straight for the northerners and the second in the series for Roy Helsar, who beat the local club in the opener, 7-2. The win was Helsar's 17th against 10 losses for the season.

Sparkling pitching by Johnnie Intlekofer in recording his 10th victory of the season against three defeats gave the Hollywood Stars a 6 to 0 shutout over the Seattle Rainiers today and boosted the Stars into second place.

Intlekofer gave up five hits in the first four innings but yielded only one after that, all time getting brilliant fielding support. The triumph gave Hollywood a 3 to 2 series edge.

Meanwhile Ken Richardson, with four hits, and Roy Younker, with three, were leading a 11 hit attack on Al Turpin and Johnny Babich.