

Added Attraction Slated For Speedway Race Menu

Hardtop racing fans will get their chance to get into the act this Sunday night, as the track management has scheduled an added attraction to the regular weekly hardtop racing program.

Track manager Sam Neslin has announced that a watermelon eating contest will be held Sunday night and anyone interested is invited to join in the fun.

Everyone over the age of 18 is eligible to enter the contest, and a special prize will be awarded to the contestant eating the most melon in a certain amount of time.

So far the entry list includes two fairly well known basin residents, Buck Davidson and Tiny Peck, both of whom should be able to eat their share.

Entry in the contest can be made by leaving your name at the Oregon Woolen Store, Eighth and Main or by calling Neslin at the store.

Last week was filled with another top racing menu, with some of the best driving ever seen on the quarter mile clay track taking place before a good crowd of racing fans.

Allen Bousman won his first main event of the season, in what turned out to be a surprising race for the fans. The full 25 lap distance was run off without a single restart.

According to track officials, this is the first time that the hardtop drivers have been able to complete the A-main without a restart occurring.

Johnny Hilson, who won the main event at Medford last week, also became the first local driver to cop the top prize of the valley track, still leading the Gem Speedway point totals so far this year.

Hilson's K-7 is in the top spot with 279 points, while second place Bob Crawley with 235 counters is being hard pushed by Benny Morrison, who has registered an even 230 points so far this year. The remaining two positions in the top five belong to Matt Christian with 224 and Rusty Phillips, who has a 202 point total.



PRACTICING UP for Sunday night's special watermelon eating contest at the Gem Speedway hardtop races is Buck Davidson. Davidson is one of the contestants that has already signed up for the event. More entries are needed, and anyone over 18 years of age is invited to enter the contest by contacting Sam Neslin.

Hollywood Gains As Padres Split Twin Bill

By THE ASSOCIATED PRESS

Hollywood gained ground in the Pacific Coast League race Wednesday while the runner-up San Diego Padres were splitting a pair with Seattle.

Hollywood thumped San Francisco for the third night in a row, taking a 5-2 decision behind Red Munger's seven-inning.

Seattle stretched its win streak to four straight by winning the opener at Seattle 4-3, but San Diego took the afterpiece 3-2.

The margin by which Seattle won the curtain raiser was a third inning homer by catcher Ray Orteg, who helped Tommy Byrne in his three-hit pitching performance.

In the finale, the Padres won the game in the third frame by parlaying four successive singles into two runs.

Walt Judnich hit a two run homer in the seventh inning to give Portland a 4-2 victory over Sacramento. Dick Waibel held the Sacs to seven hits while Marino Pieretti, although touched for 11 hits, was effective in all but the second and seventh innings. Judnich's homer was his 15th of the season and he drove in all Portland's runs, his single in the third accounting for two. Sacramento's runs were produced by a double by Bob Dillinger, Merrill Combs' single and Nanny Fernandez' double.

A series of injuries to key men is putting a crimp in Charley Dreesen's hope of making it a three-team race. His Oakland club is 15 games behind Hollywood, and right now some of his power hitters, Sam Chapman among them, are riding the bench or at home recuperating.

The Oaks blew another Wednesday night to Los Angeles, 3-2, as big John Pramesa, Angel catcher, smashed an eighth inning home run with Bobby Usher on base.

Qualifying Round Tough For Sam Snead

ST. PAUL (AP)—Sam Snead, maneuvering with a sharp list to starboard and a grouchy look that was the natural result of a stiff neck, had to climb a tree on the 15th hole to make a reasonably good score in the first qualifying round of the 36th PGA championship.

Ed "Porky" Oliver, suffering from a painful kidney ailment that has forced him to drop out of several recent tournaments, holed putts from all over the course for a five-under-par 69.

And 28 players shot 71 or better over the barren, un-hardened Keller course to turn the opening round of the nation's toughest test of professional golf into a race against par for the 64 available places in the match play bracket.

That was the story as 133 of America's leading pro golfers headed into today's qualifying second round of the PGA tournament with the prospect that a 36-hole total of 146 or better would be needed to get into the showdown stage of the tournament, but he decided to give it a try and until he hit the 225-yard 15th, Snead was doing very well.

There his tee shot drifted and the ball lodged in the fork of a tree, some 15 feet above the ground. Sammy, stiff neck and all, had to go up there after it. He knocked it out and got a five on the par three hole for a creditable score of 35-38-73.

The real business of the tournament begins tomorrow when 64 golfers buckle down to head-to-head matches. There'll be two rounds of 18 hole duels Friday.

Two strokes behind Oliver were a trio of tournament toughened players: Gary Middlecoff, the 1949 U.S. Open champion; startled Johnny Revolta, a 42-year-old veteran who is rated as one of the nation's top teaching pros; and 47-year-old Orville White of Aiken, S.C.

Three Washington State golfers were still in the running. Joe Greer of Yakima carded 38-54-72; Dick Haskell of Seattle, had 35-40-75; and Ray Hunsberger, another Seattleite, fired 38-39-77.

BOWLING SCORES

MEN'S TRIO

Lucky Trio	201 7 1/2
Specialized Service	17 1/2 10 1/2
C.M.C.	15 13
Alleyhogs	14 14
Gutter Sweepers	14 14
Shout Circus	11 1/2 16 1/2
A and N Paint	11 1/2 16 1/2
Devils Trio	11 17
Three Angels	10 18
Tom Cats	9 19

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INTERNATIONAL LEAGUE

Montreal 1-2, Richmond 0-1
Toronto 5-10, Buffalo 4-6
Havana 5-2, Ottawa 1-1
Syracuse 1, Rochester 0

AMERICAN ASSOCIATION

Toledo 4, Indianapolis 2
Kansas City 9, Louisville 0
Minneapolis 3-2, Columbus 1-3
St. Paul at Charleston, postponed

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Herald and News SPORTS

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Flyway Proposals Adopted

KLAMATH FALLS (AP)—There would be little change for duck hunters under proposals adopted by the Pacific Flyway Council here for consideration by the national council Aug. 4.

The Pacific council, composed of representatives of seven states, adopted eight suggestions. The national council will consider the proposals in formulating recommendations to the Fish and Wildlife Service, which will make decisions and announce regulations later.

The proposals:

1. A season 75 days or longer, each state picking its own dates within set limits.
2. No change in last year's bag limits.
3. A special pintail season of not more than 15 days in September because of the pintails' earlier flight.
4. Not more than a 5 per cent penalty for states which choose to take a split season if such a season is permitted.
5. Shooting hours a half hour before sunrise until sunset—same as last year.
6. A clear Fish and Wildlife Service definition of policy on regulated feeding of waterfowl.
7. Give states the right to determine possession limits, either daily bag and possession the same, or double the daily bag in possession.
8. Simplify geese regulations by setting the daily bag limit at six of all species but not more than three of the dark varieties.

TIME OUT



"But, Ruth, if I play this batter shallow I'm standing right out in the sun... I freckle!"

Gino's Lodge, Oregon Woolen Win Girl's Games

Gino's Motor Lodge continued to roll up the victories in the Girl's Softball league as they dumped Midland by a 15-5 score last night at Conger Field.

Two home runs, both by pitchers, highlighted the first game of the evening's schedule. Mickey Hayman collected one for Gino's and Sally Urbans hit a round trip for Midland.

In the other game of last night's program, home runs were plentiful in Oregon Woolen Store's 16-13 win over Malin.

Pearl Mason, Dee Henninger and Maxine Johansen each poked out circuit smashes for Oregon Woolen and Beverly Scott collected two four baggers for the losing Malin team.

Bill's Place, Suburban Win

Suburban and Bill's Place, the number one and two teams in the Men's Softball League both posted wins in last night's league action at Conger Field.

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BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS

PITCHING—Carl Erskine, Brooklyn Dodgers, retired the last 23 men in order and gave up only two hits while striking out 10 as Brooklyn beat Cincinnati 5-1.

BATTING—Minnie Mino and Johnny Groth, Chicago White Sox, each collected four hits in Chicago's 15-3 rout of the New York Yankees.

Manager Doubts Apology

MILWAUKEE (AP)—There seemed to be some doubt in the mind of Philadelphia Phillies' manager Terry Moore last night about the sincerity of the sugar-and-cream apology made the other day by manager Eddie Stanky of the St. Louis Cardinals.

"He said the same thing in 1952, right after he got the job, but the reform didn't last long," said Moore, who was involved in the fracas last Sunday at Busch Stadium in St. Louis. Moore, a Cardinal coach in '52, was released a short time later by Stanky and the two haven't been exactly friendly since then.

Moore chuckled when someone mentioned that the Cardinals had beaten the Phillies, 5-1, Monday night under the direction of coach Johnny Riddle while Stanky was under suspension.

"Yeah," said Moore, "and things were a lot different in the dugout the boys tell me. Why, they said some of the Cardinals were even smiling and I heard somebody say it was too bad Stanky didn't get the whole season off."

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BOXSCORES

Elks	0	0	4
Suburban	7	4	1
Ashby and Kelly; Young and Harris.			

Bill's Place	17	10	2
Chevron	5	6	8
Bonney and Derrah; Bates and Jones.			

Alturas Slated To Meet Eldorado

This weekend the Eldorado Lumberjacks return to Recreation Park for Oregon-California League semi-pro baseball action as the Alturas Tigers invade Klamath Falls.

This will be the final meeting of the two teams, and will have no bearing on the top spot of the league standings, but could very well determine which of the two teams will finish in the league's cellar this season.



Prizes will be given this week for the women golfers in each group who receive the most 3s, 4s and 5s on their score cards.

Pairings for the Friday matches are as follows:

8:30 Moschar, Masekell, Horn; 8:37 Anderson, M. Drew, Farrena; 8:44 McCulloch, Nerseth, Robertson, Swanson; 8:51 Grove, Merryman, Soukup; 8:58 Farley, Miller, Steiger; 9:05 Smith, Hooper, Egger; 9:12 F. Drew, Hopson, Sharp; 9:19 Bechen, Lawler, Larkin; 9:26 O'Neill, Reeder, Schuss; 9:33 Adams, P. Drew, Ashley, Meid; 9:40 Brosterhouse, Shive, Stephens; 9:47 Hancock, Macartney, Tarr, Robinson.

Last week the Lumberjacks traveled to Alturas to meet the Tigers, who won the league game by a close 11-10 score. This was the third straight game that the Lumberjacks have dropped by a single run.

Alturas' playing manager Bob Poote, who plays either in the outfield or sometimes holds down the mound duties, will lead the Tigers into Sunday afternoon's game.

Other Alturas players, who have proven tough for the Eldorado nine, are Gordy Robertson, a heavy hitting pitcher and Paul Art, the Tigers' shortstop.

Hi Hatfield, manager of the local semi-pros will probably start Fran Miller or JoJo George on the mound against the Tigers, while Art Westhouse or Hatfield will don the catching equipment.

Art Raymond and Irv Whitt will hold down the corner positions at first and third respectively, while Don Smitich and Ron Owings will work at second and short to round-out the Lumberjack infield.

Willie Dunster will probably open in left field; while Dick Lundsten and Hatfield or Westhouse will fill the remaining positions.

Moses Ward Upsets Pompey

CHICAGO (AP)—Upset by tank-like Moses Ward of Detroit in his American debut, British middleweight and light heavyweight champion Yolande Pompey still feels he's the new blood this country's televised boxing is seeking.

"I just couldn't get started," said the powerful but somewhat slow puncher from Trinidad after dropping the 10-round decision before National TV cameras in Chicago Stadium Wednesday night.

Ward, who posted his 19th victory in 26 fights, came out of the free-swinging scrap with ample respect for the West Indian.

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