

District One Babe Ruth Tourney Begins At Gem Stadium Wednesday Night



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McKeen, Rick Lynn, Doug Zarosinski, Jim Phillips, John Crawford, Jim Meyers, Rich Krizo, Charles Miles, Steve Runge, Irwin Miller, Ruben Aldinger, Jim Bridges and Alan Mitchell. Joe Hagler, manager of winning Fluhrer's, will pilot the team.

Nationals Favored

The District One Oregon Babe Ruth Tournament will be held at Gem Stadium, beginning Wednesday night, with four local teams and an All-Star team from California-Oregon as the five competing teams.

The winner of this district tournament will gain a berth in the state tournament in The Dalles Monday, July 29. The District One winner will meet Northeast Portland in a 7 p.m. game Monday.

The pairings here for this Wednesday, Thursday, Friday and Saturday tournament will have the Basin's National All-Stars, the tournament favorites, taking on the West All-Stars of the South Suburban League. The West is one of the dark horses in the league. That game will begin at 7 p.m. Wednesday.

The second game on Wednesday night has the American League All-Stars of the Basin League taking on the Cal-Ore League Stars which is made up primarily of players from Lakeview and Alturas. The Thursday games will find the loser of game one playing loser of game two. The second game will find the South Suburban East All-Stars taking on the winner of the first game at 9 p.m.

Friday's action will find the loser of game four taking on the winner of the game between loser of game one and two. The other game Friday will have the winner of the East-first game winner taking on the victor of the American-Cal-Ore clash at 9 p.m.

Saturday's slate will find the winner of the East Stars-first game winner taking on the winner of the Cal-Ore-American clash. That winner takes on the losers' bracket winner which has the loser of game six taking on the winner between loser of game four and the winner of game three.

The National League All-Stars, with one of the strongest teams since the forming of Babe Ruth here, is the favorite of the tournament. Should they get past this tournament, they could be one of the better teams in the state. That team is composed of Bob Moore, Bob Williams, Rick and Greg Brostehous, Ken Gray, Dave Lyman, Larry Robertson, Ken Pound, Mike McNery, Arie DeGroot, Alan Mezger, Mike North, Russ Smith, Kim Badley and Steve Huettl.

The American All-Star team is made up of Jim Drew, Gene Harp, Sam McKeen, Rick Lynn, Doug Zarosinski, Jim Phillips, John Crawford, Jim Meyers, Rich Krizo, Charles Miles, Steve Runge, Irwin Miller, Ruben Aldinger, Jim Bridges and Alan Mitchell.

West will have Randy Simonsen, John Ferrell, Gary Fanning, Steve Hammil, Mike Milligan, Sam Hill, Larry Edge, Jim Goodman, Larry Ward, Tom Osa, Mike Long, Barry Hackler, Perry Hackler, Norman Ferrell and John Barnes.

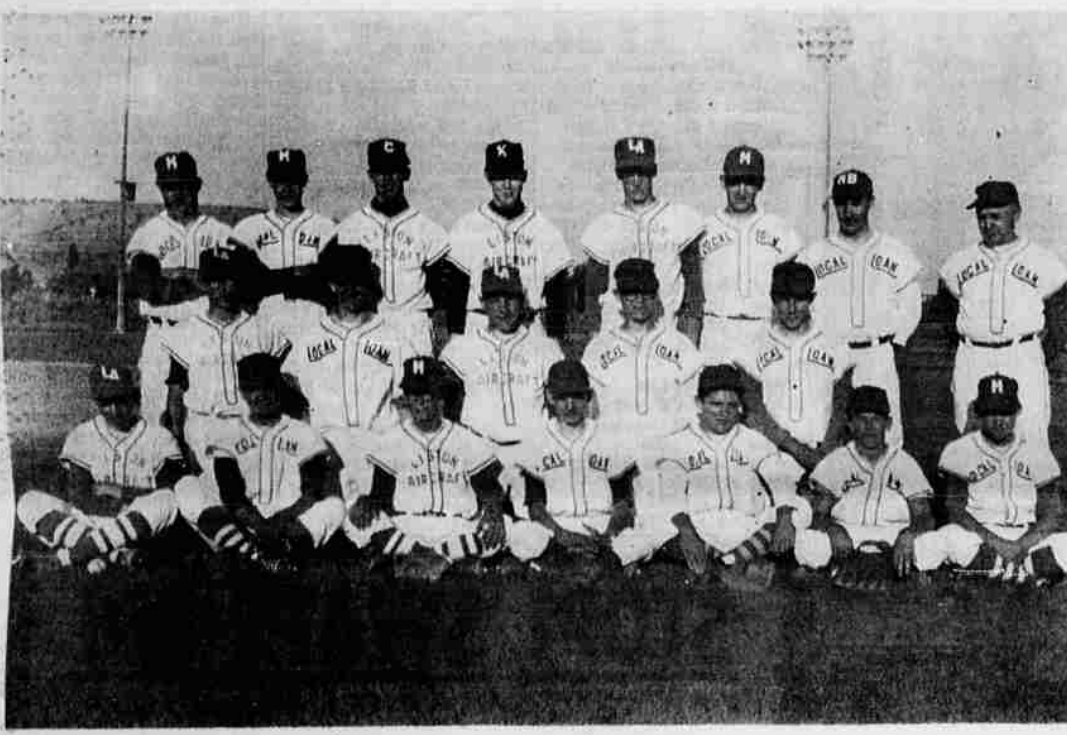
The East Stars are composed of Rod Clinton, Terry Metler, Paul Lattin, Kim Coon, Greg Cromwell, Tom Hall, Eldon Cook, Mike Carlson, Ron Steinbock, Don Allen, Ron Murphy, Dorran McBride, Ron Nealy, Art Warren and Billy Ryan. The Cal-Ore Stars' names are not yet known.

Bob Moore, Harold Howard and Dave Saks will head the National Stars while Joe Hagler heads the Americans. Joe O'Hara, Ed Hammil and Joe O'Brien are the West mentors and Don Thomas, Gene Metler and Don Gourley head the East.



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Eldon Cook, Mike Carlson, Ron Steinbock, Don Allen, Ron Murphy, Dorran McBride, Ron Nealy, Art Warren and Billy Ryan. The pilots are Don Thomas, Don Gourley and Gene Metler. Barry Gourley and Jim Cook are the bat boys.



WEST ALL-STAR TEAM — These are the West All-Stars of the South Suburban Babe Ruth League. This team will compete with four other clubs in the District One Babe Ruth Tournament at Gem Stadium beginning Wednesday. They are (not in order) Randy Simonsen, John Ferrell, Gary Fanning, Steve Hammil,

Mike Milligan, Sam Hill, Larry Edge, Jim Goodman, Larry Ward, Tom Osa, Mike Long, Barry Hackler, Perry Hackler, Norman Ferrell, John Barnes and the managers are Joe O'Hara, Joe O'Brien and Ed Hammil. The bat boy is Steve Cornell.

PGA Up In Arms About Trio's Exhibition During Denver Open

By OSCAR FRALEY
UPI Sports Writer
DALLAS (UPI) — Fearless Frayley's fairway facts and figures from the PGA golf championship: The PGA is up in arms against a Sept. 1-2 exhibition by the big three—Arnold Palmer, Jack Nicklaus and Gary Player—which is going to kill off the Denver Open. Denver last year ran into the televised "World Series of Golf" and now loses the big three, although their \$50,000 exhibition—with a 20-16-14 split—will not be aired from Glen Flora C.C. at Waukegan, Ill. But Denver has "had it."

"We have some clubs and we're going to have to use them," said one PGA official. "We can't have this type of thing killing off our events and it's a problem which will be tackled this winter."

Nothing Can Be Done
There's nothing the PGA can do about this exhibition, however. It gives touring pros five periods a year in which they can play exhibitions even in conflict to a tournament. And this one, despite the \$50,000 payoff, gets listed as an "exhibition" even though it's a two-day medal play event.

"When three guys are offered this kind of money for two days work," said Mark McCormack, the big three's legal beagle, "it's hard to turn it down. At Denver the whole field works four days for

like Chi Chi Rodriguez or Caryl Middlecoff. They can hit it with the best of them and look like a good win would blow them over."

Palmer, although he has set a new record by winning \$35,545 this year and figures to go well over the \$100,000 mark, calls this "my most disappointing year in golf."

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D. Moyer Signs For Rodriguez

MIAMI BEACH, Fla. (UPI) — Denny Moyer of Portland and Luis Rodriguez of Miami Beach, Fla., Friday were signed to meet in a 10-round middleweight fight here Aug. 17. The bout will be nationally televised.

Wingler Had Problem

Bo Wingler had a problem when he went to the locker room boy to get his golf shoes. There were three pairs of shoes there in size, color and condition. Bo found his right shoe because one heel spike is longer than the others... So he just settled for one of the three left shoes which "felt fairly comfortable."

Speaking of shoes, Nick Wilcox

of Footjoy says that only a few of the heavier players still stick with the old style double soled jobs. Most of the others, including not so anemic Jack Nicklaus, have switched to the lightweight cushioned innersole models with the plastic spikes because they're a half pound lighter....

Gary Player uses weights and does one-legged bends to increase his strength.

Frank Stranahan always carried weights along in his car and Jerry Barber squeezes a rubber ball to strengthen his hands but Tony Lema doesn't "buy" any of that. "I think it's a little haywire," he asserted. "You get enough exercise just playing. Take a little



SOUTH SUBURBAN EAST CHAMPION — Metler Brothers, by virtue of a flip of the coin, became the East champions of the South Suburban Babe Ruth League last week. The Metler team was tied with Town and Country and won the flip for the title. The players

shown in the picture here are Bill Ryan, Paul Lattin, Pat Davidson, Terry Metler, Barry Gourley, John Sowell, Mike Christy, Dave Martisak and Tom Miller. Dale Ragaloski and Scott Smelcer were missing from the photo. The managers are Gene Metler and Don Gourley.

Oakland Raiders Ready For Fourth Season In AFL Despite Monetary Loss

By HAL WOOD
SAN FRANCISCO (UPI) — Saturday's shorts:
The Oakland Raiders by all standards should have been a dead duck after their first year of competition in the American Football League.

They were a jerry-built club, put together at the last minute to fill out an eight-team league.

Nobody thought the team could survive. But here they are, getting ready for their fourth straight campaign with that old "hope springs eternal" phrase still keeping them going.

More Red Ink
The owners have lost well over

a million dollars. They'll lose some more this year. The team will be playing again on a converted playground that has a seating capacity of less than 20,000. But the owners firmly believe they are on the road to success. All they need is a place to play and a football team that will win a few games.

If construction ever is completed on a new multi-million dollar sports complex, then the Raiders will be "in" and will become valuable property. If the complex is rejected, then it's goodbye, Raiders—and a bundle of cash...

Every coach in the west predicts that University of Southern California's football team will completely dominate all play in college circles on the Pacific slope this fall. Only team with a chance to upend the Trojans is UCLA.

Jim Ray Hart, the rookie infielder of the San Francisco Giants who was sidelined by a bean-ball in his first day in the majors, still has his arm in a sling and won't be ready for action for another six weeks...

Kilmer Loss
Coach Red Hickey of the San Francisco Forty Niners speaking: "Our biggest problem this year is to find a replacement for Bill Kilmer." Kilmer is the talented back who was injured in an auto-

accident during the winter and won't be able to play before 1964—if then...

And speaking of injuries, Coach Len Casanova of University of Oregon has something to worry about. His great "Animal," Mel Renfro, All-America halfback in 1962, injured a leg in the NCAA track meet. He is supposed to be ready for the football campaign, but those injuries have a way of repeating...

Portland, Ore., draws 1,400 of the country's top amateur roller skaters for the North American Championships July 28-Aug. 3... They are the survivors of an original field of 25,000 skaters who placed at state and regional meets. And you never knew there were that many roller skaters. did you?

The men to watch in west coast college football this year are: Renfro of Oregon; Junior Coffey, Washington; Carl Jones, UCLA; Hal Bedsole, Pete Beathard, Damon Rame and Willie Brown, USC; Craig Morton, California; and Sophomore Ray Handley, Stanford. Just keep them in mind.

And we saw the all-time low in golfing form the other day on the San Mateo Municipal links: a cross-handed, left-handed golfer, back who was injured in an auto-

Just try that swing sometime!

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