

SPORTS SHORTS

Items for the Sports Roundup should be submitted by 5 p.m. Tuesday (for the Thursday edition) and 5 p.m. Friday (for the Monday edition).

JAM CITY PLAYERS

Farmington has three players on the Jam City basketball team competing July 22-29 in Salt Lake City (Utah) for the AAU 12-and-under boys national championship.

Garin Gilchrist II of Farmington and Matthew Mikal and Mark Green Jr. of Farmington Hills are among the 13 players on the team. Jam City began pool play Saturday against the Milwaukee Playground Warriors, Palm Bay (Fla.) Sonics, Anderson Wilson (Ind.) Warriors and Edmond (Okla.) Rebels. Sixty-three teams are entered overall.

OLYMPIC PROGRAM

The Farmington Soccer Club is hosting the 1996 Girls Michigan Olympic Development open outdoor tryouts at Founders Sports Park from 9 a.m. to 6 p.m. on Saturday and Sunday, Aug. 12 and 13, for birth years 1982/83, 1981, 1980, 1979 and 1978/77.

The Michigan Olympic Development program is open to all Michigan youth. The goal is to develop soccer athletes capable of competing at the Olympic and international levels. Spectators are invited.

For information call Assistant Program Administrator Steve Dawson at (810) 305-6090.

BLAZERS WITH KLITCH

Coached by Livonia's Steven W. Barrett, the Birmingham Blazers captured the boys under-15 first division in the Little Caesars Premier Soccer League.

The 1994 Michigan State Youth Soccer Association Cup champions also finished second in the under-16 state tournament. Ryan Mack was the team's league scorer, while Jeff Beeler was the team's MVP in the State Cup.

Other members include Paul Yeskey, Paul Kanczewski, John Irimac, Mike Healy, Nick Lardo, Jason Hoffmeyer, Erik Nelson, Chris Kogut, Joe Tyler, Scott LeMay, Brian Murphy, Zach Kadro, Scott Johnson and Miles Olson.

Eight Blazers are also members of the state Olympic Development pool, including '79 players Mack, Hoffman, Healy and Johnson; along with '80 players Beeler, Kogut, Murphy and Nelson.

SANTELLO LAUDED

Bob Santello, Redford Catholic Central's longtime athletic director, has been selected the 1995 Ed Lauer "Person of the Year" by the Catholic League Hall of Fame and Coaches Association.

Santello will begin his 20th year as CC's athletic director this fall. In that time, the Shamrocks have claimed 14 state titles and 59 Catholic League championships.

In 1992, he was named the Michigan Athletic Director Association's Athletic Director of the Year for non-public schools. He has served eight terms on the

SWIMMING

NORTHWEST SWIMMING LEAGUE (continues from July 18)

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Catholic League executive board.

Since he became AD, CC has added lacrosse, skiing and soccer to its interscholastic offerings and has five other extensive intramural programs.

HIGHLAND GAMES

The St. Andrew's Society of Detroit will host the 148th Annual Highland Games on Saturday, Aug. 5, at the Edsel and Eleanor Ford house in Green Pointe Shores.

The Highland Games offer a day full of Scottish revelry, including food, music, athletics and dance. Twenty bands, 160 dancers and 40 clans will participate. A special guest will be Allan Wells of Edinburgh, gold (100-meter dash) and silver (200-meter dash) medalist for the 1980 British Olympic Team.

Tickets can be obtained in advance (prior to July 28) for \$5 by calling the St. Andrew's Society at (313) 832-1849. Tickets are \$8 at the gate. Parking is \$2.

UNDER-13 CHAMPS

Posting a record of 8-0-2, the Livonia V Michigan Hawks under-13 girls soccer team recently defeated the Birmingham Blazers, 3-2, to win the Division I title in the Little Caesars League.

Members of the Hawks include: Susan Bear, Kristin Leszczynski, Renee Kaushaw, Deanna McGrath, Brianna Roy, Andi Seid, Stacy Supanich and Megan Urbata, all of Livonia; Abi and Anne Morrell, both of Plymouth; Christen Shull and Suzi Towne, both of Canton; Nicole Berger and Laura Grode, both of Sterling Heights; and Cassie Teeple, South Lyon.

John Buchanan is the head coach. His assistant is Shannon Loper. The team manager is Bill Bear and the trainer is Jerry Belger.

KED U-11 PLAYERS

The Michigan Hawks, an under-11 girls soccer team, needs players for the fall season.

If interested, call Amy Trunk at (810) 478-6692.

GOLF OUTING

The Detroit Sports Broadcasters Association will stage a charity tournament beginning with a 9

a.m. shotgun start Monday, Aug. 21 at the Woodlands of Van Buren, one-quarter mile east of I-275 at Ecorse Road.

The cost is \$15 per player or \$300 per foursome.

The entry fee includes a round of golf (Texas Scramble), steak or fish dinner afterward, clubhouse open bar and prizes.

For more information, call (810) 948-7077.

TIGERS CLINIC

Children 14 and under are invited to a free youth baseball clinic presented by Tigers players and coaches from 11:30 a.m. to 12:30 p.m. prior to the Detroit-Oakland game Thursday, July 27 at Tiger Stadium.

Tips on pitching, catching, hitting, infield and outfield play will be featured. Youngsters need a ticket to enter and should arrive at 11:15 a.m.

Game time is 1:15 p.m. For tickets, call 1-800-730-4FUN or visit the Tiger Stadium Box Office, 10 a.m. to 6 p.m.

Monday through Saturday. Tickets are also available at Sports Authority stores.

FALL BASEBALL

A fall baseball league, featuring a 12- to 14-game schedule for high school players (incoming grades 9-12), will be held Aug. 19 through Oct. 9 at Henry Ford Community College. Practices start Aug. 12. Umpires will be provided.

The cost is \$95 per player (team fees are \$80 per player).

The teams will be managed by college players.

For more information, call Stu Rose at (810) 350-0800.

COACHING POSITIONS

Farmington Hills Mercy High School needs coaches for the following positions: assistant varsity cheerleading, junior varsity field hockey, and assistant varsity swimming. Candidates should send resumes to Mercy High School Athletics, 29300 Eleven Mile Road, Farmington Hills, MI 48335.

The University of Detroit-Mercy is seeking a part-time track and field coach specializing in throwing events.

All applicants should call Assistant Athletic Director Jeff Eisen at (313) 993-1700.

Barons from page 1C

Barons did what needed to be done.

Dave Hensel pitched a one-hitter through four innings to get the win, striking out three and walking two.

"He threw strikes and did a wonderful job," Wilk said. "I wish the weather had cooperated, so we could get a few more innings and a few more pitchers out there."

The game was played despite an early evening rain shower, but the overcast skies hastened the onset of darkness and helped to shorten the game.

The Barons scored seven runs with only two hits but took advantage of eight walks by Bloomfield starter Chris Walton, who struck out four.

In the first inning, South Farmington's Nick Letra and Nick James walked and scored on Dan McLaughlin's groundout and Marty Wilk's single, respectively.

Walton looked like he had settled down for a good performance when he fanned the last batter in the first inning and the second-inning slide.

But the Barons scored five runs on four walks, two errors and Letra's RBI single in the third. Garet Burch also had an RBI with a bases-loaded fielder's choice.

The Bulls threatened in the fourth when Hensel gave up a two-out single to Blake Fraser and Mike Shannon reached on an error. Walton walked to load the bases but was forced at second to

end the inning.

Chris Karney pitched the fifth inning for South Farmington, walking the leadoff batter before retiring the next three.

Letra pitched a complete game Friday against Tecumseh, giving up 10 hits but suffering little damage. He struck out three and walked three.

Nick James of Westland, the leading hitter with a .400 season average, hit a two-run shot and Mike Dagnanno a solo homer.

James had two hits and scored three runs. Hensel was on base four times with three walks and a hit and also scored three runs.

The Barons played their best game of the year Wednesday, according to coach Dick Miller, while dominating CSU.

Wilk hit a three-run homer and James, who had two hits and three RBIs, another two-run blast.

Angelo Palazeti helped his pitching cause with a two-run single, and Dagnanno and Garet Burch had two hits each.

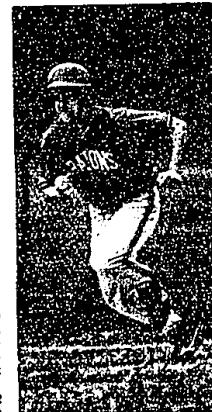
Palazeti, the only pitcher to beat both Concealed teams, worked four innings in the six-inning contest (darkness) and allowed only three hits. He struck out six.

South Farmington is 22-13-2 overall and the only team to beat the top seven federation teams this year.

In addition to average, James leads the Barons in home runs (six) and RBI (31). Dagnanno is

second in average (.333) and RBI (26).

Palazeti was undefeated in Little Caesars play and 6-1 overall. Letra has a 6-0 pitching record and Hensel 3-1 with one save.



Homeward bound: Nick Letra heads for home plate in the first inning.

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bulldog (Butler and Steve Williams).

Winning pitcher Craig Benedict, who plays for George at Madonna University, scattered 10 hits for Hines Park in going the distance.

Decision jumped out to a 2-0 lead on RBIs by Brian Hixson and Aaron Jones in the first inning. Jones walked with the bases loaded in the third to make it 3-0, but Hines Park got a run back in the fourth when Howell scored on an infield error.

In the first game Friday at Madonna University Park, Hicks, a catcher at Toledo and Redford Catholic Central High product, drilled a solo homer in the bottom

of the eighth to give DCI a dramatic 5-4 victory.

Hicks' shot, coming off ex-CC teammate Brian Paluk, caromed off the foul pole near the 307-foot sign in right field.

Pydyn, who pitched the final two innings in relief of starter Joel Hillebrand, gained the victory.

Paluk, the tall right-hander from Saginaw Valley State, settled down after giving up four runs in the first. In seven innings, he gave up eight hits and fanned seven. Paluk did not walk a batter.

A costly infield fielding and throwing error opened the gates for four DCI runs in the first.

With two outs, Craig Peterson belted a two-run homer and Doug Gaughan added an RBI double.

Hines Park got three back in the sixth to tie the lead to 4-3.

Dave Kapla and Kalcynski were each hit by a pitch.

Jeff Lance doubled home both runners. Derek Besco then singled and Bryan Besco scored Lance with a sacrifice fly.

In the seventh, Hillebrand walked Dan Wise to start the inning.

Pydyn, the right-hander, then came on and retired Dino Revincelli on a pop-out. Dave Knight struck out, but Kapla kept Hines Park alive with a single, scoring Wise who had advanced to second on a wild pitch.

ALL AMERICAN JULY 4th VALUES!

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