

NF-WB Little League
Into 4th Week

The National League Minors completed their third week of competition with seven scheduled games. Tuesday's only contest was a 5-2 victory by the Dodgers over the Astros, called for darkness after four innings.

Resting until Friday, the Minors then returned to the diamonds with eight teams seeking a boost in the standings. The Giants defeated the Braves 11-4, using Ben Bailey, who pitched a no-hitter for three innings, and Danny Scott on the mound. Jim McKay and Tom Benning were the Giant catchers. The Braves, suffering their first loss of the season, had Glen Alter, Erik Paus and Doug Johnson pitching, and Mike Alter as back-up man.

The Cardinals bested the Mets 6-3, with the battery of Don Slaas and Nicky Nicolay, backed up by Brian Standley. The Mets used Jim Carthy and Joey D'Agostino as pitchers, with Dennis McCarthy and Mike Benning behind the plate.

Playing at Ward-Eagle, the Pirates downed the Cubs 11-2. Mark Mageau, Mark Collier and Mike Seppen were the Cub hurlers. The winning pitchers were John Soeterlin and Mike Majeski, and the catcher Erik Rogstad.

The Redlegs out-hit the Phillies 7-1, with homers by Bruce Goodwin and Bruce McClellan. Redleg pitchers Bruce Goodwin, Rain Sena and Tim Thayer held the Phillies to only one hit, backed by catchers Tim Thayer and Alan Burch. Phillies on the mound were Mike Comber and Bill Wick, caught by Steven DeLaan.

Saturday produced the heaviest scoring in a single game to date as no Giants touched the Astros 31-3. The Giant battery was Chuck DeClacke and Steven Hindscopt, with Jim McKay, Tom Benning, and Ben Bailey. The Astros tried Kevin Madigan, Dave Amperse, Kevin Lahey, and Tom Shaw on the mound. The winning pitcher was Mitchell as catcher throughout the game. A highlight came in the 11th inning, as Giant center fielder Bill Warner caught a well-hit long ball with the bases loaded, preventing the Astros from scoring.

The final game of the week was won 10-0 victory by the Dodgers over the Braves, giving the Braves their second loss.

National Majors
Run Tight Race

The National Major League teams have completed the first two weeks of their schedule and indications are for a tight race. Tuesday, May 21, the Redlegs handed the Pirates their first defeat of the young season behind the no-hit pitching of Dave Sanford, who was helped by excellent defensive plays of "Trea" Roberts and Dan Hickey.

In other action on Tuesday, the Giants defeated the Cubs 12-3, with Jim Landberg and Tom Young hitting home runs. This was Tom's third home run of the young season. The Cardinals defeated the Braves 25-6.

In a closely fought contest Saturday, June 4, the Giants came out victorious over the Cardinals 6-3. The Cards jumped off to a 2-0 lead, but the Giants tied it at 2-2. The Cards scored again to lead 3-2 only to see the lead vanish to a 3-3 tie and then the Giants went on to score 3 more runs to take the victory in extra innings.

In other games Saturday, the Pirates defeated the Cubs and the Red Legs defeated the Pirates behind the right pitching performance of "Trea" Roberts and three doubles by "Joey" Johnson. This makes 3 wins in a row for "Trea" Roberts.

Craig Dow of the Pirates has had three home runs and has won three games with his pitching to help the Pirate team on their winning ways.

STANDINGS
Table with 3 columns: Team, Won, Lost



OUR LADY OF SORROWS held an athletic awards banquet at which trophies were presented for excellence in track performance. Holding the school trophy (far left) is Paul Murphy, next to him and winner of the outstanding track man statuette is Michael Christopher, to his left is Bill Hibern, captain of the team, and at the far right is Coach Wayne Christopher holding a symbol of appreciation for his excellence in coaching.

NF Nets Close Second In
Tennis Conference Meet

The tennis team, placing second at the end of regular play, came to the conference meet, May 27-28 at John Glenn High School, in hopes of gaining the championship. It turned out to be a three-way battle between Oak Park, Thurston and N.F., with Oak Park gaining first and N.F., a close second.

North Farmington had two singles players and two doubles teams place in the finals of their respective flights. At second singles, Bill Orr was soundly defeated 6-1, 6-3, while Mike McGee, at third singles, won easily 6-1, 6-0.

Dick Strong and Larry Pederson, at first doubles, easily overcame their Oak Park opponents 6-1, 7-5. The third doubles team of Bengt Hansen and Gary Jones ran into a tough team from Groves and succumbed to a 9-11, 4-6 defeat.

On Wednesday, Thursday, and Friday of the following week, North Farmington took part in the Wall Lake Invitational. In a field of ten teams N.F. took six out of the seven possible flights, running away with the championship.

Capturing their flights were Dick Strong at first singles, Bill Orr at the second spot, Mike McGee at third singles and Mats Alberts at the fourth position.

Dan McCort and Ken Phair captured the second doubles flight, and Bengt Hansen and Gary Jones won at third doubles. Larry Pedersen and David McGee, at first doubles, were the only two not to go all the way, being eliminated in the semi-final round.

Raiders Net 24
NW Meet Points

In the Northwest Suburban Conference meet, the track team could gain only a tie for fourth place in the team standings while winning only one event. The Raiders finished with 24 points in the meet, which was held at Bentley High on May 25.

The lone NF victory came in the 880-meter where the team of Whetter, Ware, August and Dhuze ran 1:30.8. Dhuze overcame a lead of about four yards to gain victory, which was a new school record. In the 440, however, the State champion was upset, finishing second in 50.5.

Brian Vianing took second in the mile in 4:39.8, about three seconds off the school record. Third places were taken by Larry August (low hurdles in 20.8) and Mike Bensinger (pole vaulting 10'7"). Greg Cleveland took fourth in the 100 and fifth in the 220.

The standings closed with Groves, 1st; Franklin, 2nd; North Farmington, 3rd; Thurston, 4th; Oak Park, 5th; and John Glenn placing 6th.

Last Tuesday, we placed 1st in the Oak Park (172), Thurston (174), North Farmington (170), tri-meet. Jim Palmer brought us a low of 41.

At that time NF was in 2nd place, just 1/4 point behind Groves in the standings.

STANDINGS
FARMINGTON SOFTBALL LEAGUE

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LELAND G. CLIFFORD, president of the Farmington Board of Education (extreme left) and James Geiger, principal of Farmington High School, (far right) are shown with two of the school's star athletes at the June 1 awards program when Ron Shortt (center left) and Al Kilika (center right) received their trophies for superior achievement in the field of athletics.

Jaycees Honor
Year's Sparkettes

At the recent Jaycees awards banquet held at the American Legion Hall on Grand River, many awards were given out to the auxiliary. The auxiliary awards are called Sparkettes. The members honored with this award were, First Year Sparkette: Jean Boston, Judy Decker, Barb Hay, Pat Hill, Ann Marie Kennedy, Mary Sue Kuhnlein, Carol Kurth, Karen Lancia, Mary Louise Lorenz, Dottie Loreth, Sue Nemeske, Kay Noren, DeDe Nowak, Pat Reigle, Rae Rockefeller, Carolyn Stittich, Mary Ann Tuller, Rae Williams, Judy Wilson.

Second Year Sparkette: Gloria Burton. Fourth Year Sparkette: Ruth Pawlik, Shirley Johnson, Donna Tupper, Elaine Wendrich, Sally Witt.

Also recognized were Bobbie Montgomery for her assistance to the Jaycees on their reports and Gloria Kiehl for her loyalty to the auxiliary.

Area Grads Get
U of M Degrees

Regents of the University of Michigan conferred 3,733 degrees upon students who fulfilled graduation requirements for the 122nd spring commencement, 1964.

Farmingtonites receiving degrees were: Shelia Jo Berger, 60224 Paddock Rd., Bachelor of Arts; Diana Kay Carlson, 21615 Oxford, Bachelor of Arts in Education; Thomas Raymond Conroy, 2203 Hawthorn, Bachelor of Arts; Shirley Jean Hallgren, 36445 Quakertown Lane, Master of Arts; Guy William Heller, 28500 Edin Road, Master of Arts; Barbara Joan Lord, 25200 Westmoreland, Master of Arts in Library Science; Eugene Loy Macasao, 34057 Banbury, Bachelor of Business Administration; Judith Anne Salisbury, 31748 Stamen Circle Dr., Bachelor of Arts; Robert E. Waddell, 25135 Wildwood Trail, Bachelor of Arts; Mary Margaret Weber, 22220 Wildwood, Master of Arts.

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OLD HOMESTEAD

SHIRLEY BERGER
Indian Guides of the Creek tribe spent the past week-end at Camp Nishekone near Osceola. Dads and sons who participated in the outing were the Latimers, Shobes, Masseys, McFauls, Benos, Switzers, Nankervilles, and Gaines. A trip to Wurtmish Air Force Base was on the agenda for Saturday and the day was climaxed with a pow-wow around the campfire that evening when the boys received their feathers for achievements of the past year.

Brad Shobe had his ninth birthday and took his pal, John Primeau, fishing at the Livonia Mall (of all places). John took his catch home in a plastic bag and presented it to his delighted (?) mother.

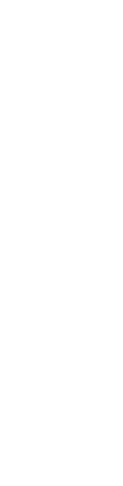
Kathy Shobe was confirmed at Prince of Peace Lutheran Church and her grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Peters of Shawassaw Ave., held an open house for 45 relatives and friends that afternoon. Jay Brack and Nancy North were in the same class, and they, too, were honored with family parties.

Susan and Ruth Shobe, Kathy Susan and Bradley will be moving to their new home near Rochester, a move necessitated by Al's job transfer, on the 15th. They are the original Old Homesteaders, and their many friends and neighbors will be very sorry to see them depart. The mantle of oldest residents now falls upon the Barth family.

Peggy Long celebrated her birthday recently with a visit to her married sister in Lansing. Peggy is now the proud possessor of a pretty new pink and white bike complete with flower-budded Bermuda basket. She marched in the Memorial Day parade with her Brownie troop.

Cynthia Ziegler's second birthday was shared with some little subdivision friends of that age and again the following Sunday with the relatives at a family dinner. Lorrie Ziegler invited an energetic group over on her birthday for a pool and barbecue party. Her guests were: Kathy McGraw, Nancy Girakis, Rita Giegling, Patty Page, Deb Gibbs, Julie Thomas, Mary Orr, Jane Toomey, and Bambi Wack.

Triple tonnellometers were in order at the Antark household last week when Pam, Paula, and Kim all came with their fragment of their anatomy. Ouch!



WOOD CREEK FARMS VILLAGE

ANNE M. PHILLIPS
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The Conrad Lams have just returned from a memorable trip to Texas. The occasion was a family reunion honoring eight graduates—some receiving high school, some college, and some honorary degrees. The weekend was spent at Possum Kingdom, a resort area in central Texas.

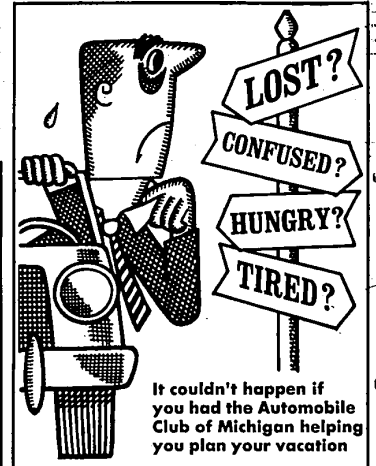
Activities were scheduled for every minute and included boating, fishing, water skiing, story telling, amateur night, and skill games. Eight of grandmother Lam's ten families of grandchildren were represented. (Doug received the trophy for the largest fish caught.) Conrad was honored at the commencement ceremony of Hardin-Simmons University where he received an honorary Doctor of Science degree.

Maury Tygum came home from the hospital Monday. He is glad to be able to putter around his place while he completes his recovery from the eye surgery.

Barbara and Susie Reader drove on to Brown University, in Providence, R.I., to bring Zar home for the summer. Zar made the dean's list at Brown. They left here last week Sunday and went home again Wednesday—a quick trip as it is over 700 miles each way.

Barbara and Zar went up to Boyne Mt. Thursday where the R. W. Bunting Group, associated with the U. of Michigan, was meeting for a series of lectures. Zar is a past president of this group and is now on its board.

They returned Sunday. As I drove about Wood Creek Monday I had a good opportunity to find out how many of you read my column. In it I said there would be no rubbish pick up 'til this weekend. But, of course, you probably put your rubbish before you had time to read the column as it was a day late last week.



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