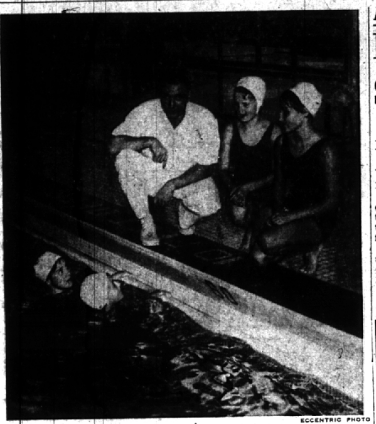


Birmingham Ends Season By Edging Southfield, 27-21



Coach Jim Glaser gives a few timely pointers to Nancy Nudal (left) and Sue Henney in the water while Jenny Jackson (center) and Mary Heller listen in. The divers and swimmers of the Birmingham swim club are well coached and each girl receives individual instruction from either Glaser or Jackie Daley sometime during session.

New Birmingham Club Offers Girls Chance To Show Swim Talent

If you should happen to pass Derby junior high school one of these days and see the pool being churned up by what appears to be hundreds of girls—don't be alarmed.

Those "hundreds" will turn out to be only about 30 and all are members of the Birmingham swim club—one of five such clubs in the state.

Head Coach Jim Glaser and diving coach Jackie Daley volunteer their time and energy to the coaching of these girls who joined the club because it offers them an opportunity to swim competitively.

The girls, who range in age from eight to 18, are divided into a variety club and a reserve team and work out two or three days each week.

THERE ARE no letters awarded and no prizes to be won, but the girls turn out faithfully for every practice session.

The local swim club participants in meets against the Women's city club and the American Turner's club, both of Detroit; the Ann Arbor swim club and the Grand Rapids club.

Although the girls have already concluded the league season, they are continuing practice for the state championship meet to be held in March.

Glaser, a teacher at Derby, graduated from Eastern Michigan college in 1953 and Miss Daley is a graduate of the 1956 class at the University of Michigan.

BOTH GIVE four days a week to their volunteer swim club and the girls variety respond by coming in three days a week and the reserves come in one day a week.

Why all this time and energy to something that offers little return?

"Swimming is one of the few sports that is ideal to teach a girl to compete as a lady," Glaser said. Some of the girls have become outstanding swimmers, according to Glaser.

END SEASON WITH 5-3 RECORD Bloomfield's Defense Shows Big Improvement

Bloomfield Hills is moving up in the Wayne-Oakland League.

The Barons finished off the 1958 campaign with a 13-0 whitewashing of Oak Park Friday to boost their record to a respectable 5-3 slate and ended the season in fourth place.

After the mediocre 3-4-1 record of 1957, Coach Don Hoff is looking toward next year with more hope than ever before. His team finished fifth in '57.

A few comparative statistics show that Bloomfield Hills scored only 64 points in '57 while allowing the opposition 121 markers.

THE BIG improvement this season was the defensive effort of the Barons as they allowed only 74 points per game to be scored against them.

The offense also picked up slightly and scored 10 points in the eight-game campaign just concluded.

While looking at the bright side of the picture, it was also discovered that Hoff will lose 10 of his 15 centers used in the Hills two-plateau system.

Four backs, three tackles, two centers and an end will have graduated by the time next September rolls around.

IT WAS the defensive effort of the Barons that enabled them to finish with a winning mark.

Doug Danziger found his favorite target again in the Oak Park game and tossed a 15-yard aerial to Johnny Paige who went 25 yards for the touchdown.

The winning tally came with only two minutes left to go in the half.

BLOOMFIELD Hills, with a few breaks, could have easily finished the season in second place, but lost to W. Bloomfield by two points and to Brighton by 13.

OVER IN the East's Birds league, the Warblers held onto their slim lead of three games over the Peacocks and Larks, currently tied for second place.

The Warblers have a 25-11 record and the two second-place squads own 22-14 slates.

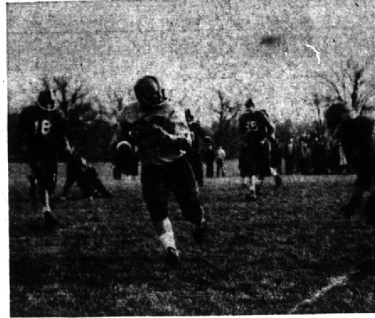
THE CLERKS and Mashies are crowding each other in the first place slot of the Birmingham country club league with 24-12 marks.

Any Williams took all honors at the last meeting by posting a 195 high singles and a 536 series.

Whitmer Insurance took four (See BOWLERS, Page 7-E)

Area Youth's Dog Takes Top Prize At Detroit Show

A 14-year-old Birmingham youth walked away with everything but the exhibition hall when he showed his standard poodle at the recent Motor City Dog Show.



Detroit Country Day quarterback Jim Kramer (37) legs the ball for another gain against Lutheran East Friday when the Yellowjackets' last-half slump cost them the Central-Suburban title. After holding a 12-0 halftime edge, DCD collapsed and bowed, 26-12. Kramer is being chased by Al Frankowiak (18) and Bob Willason (52) while another unidentified Lutheran tackler moves in. Dave Derleth (30) heads downfield to deliver another block, but Kramer fumbled to the two in front.

DCD Gridders, Coach Rest For Upcoming Cage Campaign

Detroit Country Day coach Don Halling will give his charges a few days of rest before calling basketball practice next Monday.

After last Friday's championship game with Lutheran East, which the Yellowjackets lost 26-12, Halling himself probably needs a few days of rest.

Friday was the most frustrating day ever suffered by any coach.

COUNTRY DAY'S tiny squad of 19 players had moved all the way through the season without suffering any injuries and were all set for the title game when it lost both first-string ends.

Halling changed his offense to a winged-T and built up a 12-0 halftime lead against the Lutherans on the basis of a strong running attack.

The new offense threw the opposition off-stride during the first half, but came back during the last two quarters with a few tricks of its own.

Country Day started off the third period the same as the first two and were stopped cold by an eight man line with two line-backers.

TWO SHORT completed passes worked temporarily, but another was intercepted and killed the Yellowjackets' passing attack. Ed moved in for the title.

John Seely set up both touchdowns on runs of 50 and 60 yards, but Jim Kramer and Jerry Jaffe pushed the ball over.

Seely took the ball down to the two-yard line on the first long dash in the opening period and Kramer punched it over from there. The same thing happened in the second quarter and Jaffe took it over from five yards out.

Lutheran scored its last two tallies as a direct result of intercepted passes in the final period as Country Day tried to get back in the game.

MANY observers noted that the score would have been worse had it not been for the defensive play of Bill Jones.

Three Country Day players were elected to the first string Central-Suburban All-Conference team and a fourth was placed on the second squad after last week's balling by loop coaches.

Jim Kramer, Dave Derleth and Jamie Martin earned first team honors and Bill Jones, a Junior, was placed on the second team.

Three Fast TD's Save Maple '11'

By TOM KERSHNER Sports Correspondent

Striking for three quick touchdowns in the second period and then fighting off a late Southfield rally, the Birmingham football team ended its season on a winning note by defeating the visiting Bluejays 27-21 Friday.

The win, number five for the locals this season, gave them their first winning record since 1956.

The game was played in perfect football weather and turned into an offensive battle from the start. Both teams displayed fine running attacks and were ready to capitalize on any defensive lapses.

IN A Birmingham pep assembly before the game, Principal Ross Wagner voiced the opinion of many close observers when he stated that the potential of this year's team measured up to the standards of some of the best previous Maple squads and added that he hoped they would live up to that potential in the wrap-up for this season.

SOUTHFIELD took the opening kickoff and lost no time in marching down the field. Led by halfback Cliff Soborg, they carried down to the Birmingham 20 before they fumbled.

Two plays after they got the ball, the Maples' Phil Russell ripped off a 52-yard run before he was tripped up on the Bluejay 30. The Maples were finally stalled on the three.

Cracking off a fast first down, quarterback Ed moved in for an option play to Soborg, who went 83 yards for the score. Flyer converted to hand Southfield a 7-0 lead.

BIRMINGHAM came right back and scored on a five-yard jaunt by Sam Reese, a Junior (See TD's, Page 7-E)

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Recreation Round-Up

SLIM TRIM
Come on gals, be slim and trim just the way be likes to see you! Easy to do, just join the slim trim class the B'ham recreation department is offering for your benefit at the Torry school, Thursday evenings, 7 to 8 p.m., for a 10 week period, beginning December 4, at a fee of \$10. Pre-registration is necessary since we have had so many calls demanding this program. You may mail in your registration or come in person to the Recreation Office, Municipal Bldg. With the holidays coming, there will be just enough time to take off a few extra pounds.

SENIOR MEN
The Senior Men were honored to have Peter C. Kaline talk about conditions in Russia. Kaline is a newspaper correspondent who was captured in Prague by the Russians and held prisoner in a labor camp for five years.

At the meeting to be held November 21, Reverend Robert W. Gibson, Jr. of the First Presbyterian Church of B'ham, will deliver a Thanksgiving message.

FAMILY SWIMMING
All the family can splash now! Family swimming begins Thursday, November 20, at Derby pool, 7 to 10 p.m., with a fee of 25¢ for children and 75¢ for adults. Child (See RECREATION, Page 7-E)

Presbyterian Club Holds Sports Night

The men's club of the First Presbyterian Church will hold its annual Sports Night tonight at the church beginning at 6:45.

Dinner will start off the evening that will feature many sports stars from the professional teams in Detroit.

DETROIT News sportswriter Watson Spolter has arranged the program that will headline Jack Adams of the Red Wings; Edwin Anderson, of the Lions; Jack McInnis of the Tigers; Red Roche of the Pistons; a basketball game of the Lions and Billy Pierce of the White Sox.

Retiring From the Little Leagues

These seven "oldsters" are retiring from the Birmingham Little League football after four years of action. They are required to hang up their cleats because they've passed the age limit, but all will probably see action on their school teams. Standing are, from left, Mike Lindquist, Stan Cutter and Kirk Quillian, all of the Wolverine squad. Kneeling are Bill Fuller, Jack Pollis, Jacobson and Ron Mattson, of the Tigers football team.

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