

ADDITIONAL SPORTS

Recreation Round-Up

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TEEN CENTER: In keeping with its policy to present the best in teen-age talent, the Center will again feature and introduce a new combo on the night of Jan. 13, from 9:30-12. This three piece group features Ken Pool at the piano; Jerry Stone at the electric guitar; and John Weston at the drums. All of the boys attend Seaham High School.

On the evening of Jan. 27, the Center will feature a popular Bloomfield group called the Electras, a five piece combo. This band includes Jim Scott and Ty Cool of Bloomfield Hills at the guitar; Leo DeJullo, Ferndale; piano; Dave Schultz of Cranbrook at the saxophone; and Mike Cenchino, Ferndale, at the drums.

The Center will NOT be open the night of Dec. 23 because of Christmas holiday.

BIRMINGHAM SENIOR MEN'S CLUB: Fifty-seven members of the Birmingham Senior Men's Club were royally entertained on Friday, Dec. 16 by Mrs. Fred Gould at her home at 5270 Monterey court, Wine Lake. Assisting were Mrs. C. L. Bouchard, Mrs. Nell Hollingshead, Mrs. David Babson, Mrs. Edgar Thorne, Mrs. David Dietz, Mrs. Walter Wengren, Mrs. Donald E. McGau and Mrs. Ewald E. Schaffer. An appropriate acknowledgment of the year-round service to the club by these and other ladies was delivered by Gus Ziegler.

One of the features of this 4th Annual Christmas Party was the hearing of gifts by the club which

Looking Back In Sports

A YEAR AGO — Birmingham's Groves High recorded 16 first basketball victories in history with a 41-83 triumph over Country Day.

TWO YEARS AGO — Dec. 13, 1948 — Seaham's swimming team won the 12th annual Cereol Bowl Invitational meet at Battle Creek, edging Battle Creek High, 49-41.

FIVE YEARS AGO — Dec. 16, 1945 — Birmingham's swim squad set a national high school record—its first—in the 200-yard breastroke relay at the Cereol Bowl Relays in Battle Creek. Jay Levin, Wayne Geggie, Dave Cook and Tom Hizar made up the record-smashing unit.

TEN YEARS AGO — Dec. 21-22, 1940 — The Maple cove team traveled cross-state and split in two games, losing to Grand Rapids Union, 53-45, and then winning over Greenview High, 67-53, the next day. Barry Wall, Birmingham's 6-6 center, scored 32 points in the two contests.

Barons Drive to First League Victory, 60-52

Sharpshooting Bruce Billings scored 27 points to lead the Bloomfield Hills Barons to their first Wayne-Oakland League victory, beating Clarenceville, 60-52.

The Barons' basketball record now stands at 2 wins and 2 losses. Friday nights game at Clarenceville was the first league contest for either team.

After the opening tip-off, the Barons jumped to a quick lead. But, Clarenceville never got too far behind. At the half, Bloomfield Hills led by eight points.

IN THE FIRST few seconds of the second half, the Barons added two more points increasing their lead to ten points.

But, as coach Ed Wichert observed: "The next time I looked up, the lead had dwindled to two points, and we were in trouble."

The two teams exchanged the

lead many times until the last few minutes of the game.

THEN, THE STAGE was set for '1940' guard Billings. He got hot and scored six baskets in eight attempts to help the Barons pull away with the lead.

Art Trzeglusa added 15 points for the Barons, while Tony Giacobazzi led Clarenceville with 18.

In the preliminary game, the Hills' Junior Varsity whalloped their counterparts from Clarenceville, 66-32. Twelve players scored for the Junior Barons.

Bloomfield Hills	Clarenceville	pts.
Dale	Wheeler	4
Brewer	Yates	4
Joyner	Giacobazzi	18
Greenway	Blavel	12
Billings	Dewey	9
	Trzeglusa	15
Total		60
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 2-1 record. All their games thus far have been against non-league opponents. Last year the squad had a 3-7 league record for a total of 10 wins and 10 losses and a 5-11 season record.

COUNTRY DAY is a Class D school playing in a Class B league. When they joined the league five years ago, a class D league didn't exist. So, according to the Yellow-jacket mentor, the team finds itself matched against some "pretty tough opponents."

Next game on tap for the Yellow-jackets will be the Alumni game at 4 p.m., Thursday, Dec. 28. In that contest, last year's alumni will be pitted against this year's crop of cagers.

How is Country Day progressing this year? "Speaking of individuals, they are coming along pretty well," said Anderson. But the squad hasn't jelled as a team.

"THE PLAYERS aren't playing collectively as well as they should. Our top eight players are all good guys, but usually only one or two of them registers in the double-figure scoring column in a game," said Anderson.

COUNTRY DAY	MAUMEE									
Kramer	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10
Parish	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10
Burking	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10
Guillette	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10
Jake	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10
Poole	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10
Totals	18	16	9	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
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Name New Officers At Tam O'Shanter

John Sklar has been elected president for 1951 at Tam O'Shanter Country Club, head pro Warren Orisk announced.

Other new officers include: William Caplan, executive vice president; A. J. Etkin, vice president;

Coach

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 coach, football line coach and tennis coach.

THE FALCONS are officially breaking in their new gym with a basketball season. "Having your own gym, said Carson, "means a lot."

Without a gym last year, Groves had no physical education program and the basketball squad played an 11-game schedule with only eight cagers. "The interest just wasn't there," said Carson. This season Carson has 20 vibrant players out for the squad.

"Although you can't expect to excel against class A and B clubs with a sophomore and junior squad," said Carson, "we'll more than hold our own among the new schools."

THE FALCONS big test will be coming up as Groves is on the threshold of having its own sports league and the Tri River conference. League competition will begin with football in the fall against Cherry Hill, Riverside, Hastings and Farmington's new school.

"The new league should offer some real interesting competition with all new schools in the running," said Carson.

"You've got to love the work or the long hours and threatening ulcers can make it pretty rough," he said.

"Ever get tired of the routine and running around? "Not a chance," he said with a satisfied grin.

Although Carson insists that an athlete give his all, there's plenty of room for understanding. Each player is different, he said, having his own individual obstacles to overcome.

Although Carson believes this understanding is a key factor in putting together any team, "You've got to be a firm disciplinarian while being fair and just in all your dealings."

"I NEVER SAY or do anything I can't back up," said Carson. This practice, which is almost a creed with Carson, eventually instills a respect for the coach in the athlete and leads to love of the game.

Developing a deep-rooted interest in a sport is the toughest job in athletics today, said Carson. "But, if the coach has a lot of drive and is enthusiastic about the game, chances are much better that it will rub off on the players."

Carson claims no one becomes a good sportsman overnight. It takes constant practice and devotion to the game, he said.

This is where Carson feels many athletes, compared to those 20 years ago, are falling down on the job.

IN THE OLD days spirit was very meaningful and most players know how to give, he said. But today a decreasing percentage of youths is interested in sports.

"A growing number of players lack that one major requirement—the heart to play," said Carson. "You'd be surprised how many boys come out for a sport and aren't the least disappointed in being cut from the squad."

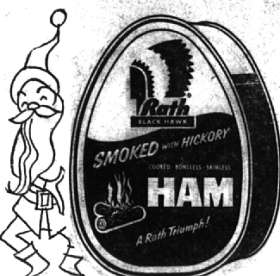
"Being able to say I tried but I was cut," said Carson, "gives some players an excuse for outside pressures and overriding interests."

MOST YOUTHS nowadays just have too many outside interests to occupy their time to consider sports very seriously, he said.

A resident of Detroit, Carson is looking for a home in the Birmingham area with the hope of having more time to develop some of his ideas for Groves athletic program.

GREETINGS

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