

ASTROS, METS, REDS SET PACE FOR MINOR LEAGUERS

Reds Play Second Tie Of Season With Astros 7-7

Action continues that and Astros with some outstanding play being shown by the Eagle Lake Minor Leaguers as the Astros, Mets, Braves, Reds and Giants all recorded wins in early play in the Pioneer League.

On Wednesday night of this week, May 18th, the Astros (twice) with the Reds at 6 p.m. and the Astros beat the Mets at 8 p.m. Thursday night, the Astros beat the Giants in the opener at the Braves at 6 p.m. There will not be any Pioneer play on Thursday, May 19th due to the fact that the Astros are in the Pioneer League.

Monday night of next week, the Astros take on the Tigers and the Braves meet the Mets. Tuesday night, the Astros meet the Mets at 6 p.m. and the Braves at 8 p.m. Wednesday night, the Astros meet the Mets at 6 p.m. and the Braves at 8 p.m. Thursday night, the Astros meet the Mets at 6 p.m. and the Braves at 8 p.m. Friday night, the Astros meet the Mets at 6 p.m. and the Braves at 8 p.m. Saturday night, the Astros meet the Mets at 6 p.m. and the Braves at 8 p.m. Sunday night, the Astros meet the Mets at 6 p.m. and the Braves at 8 p.m.

MAJOR LEAGUE

Team	W	L	T
ASTROS	2	1	0
METS	1	2	0
REDS	1	2	0
BRVES	1	2	0
GIANTS	1	2	0
TIGERS	0	3	0

Reds Tie For 2nd Week Highlighting the action on Monday night of last week, the Reds played their second tie in as many games when they came from behind with a two-run rally in the sixth to tie the Astros 7 to 7 in the second game of play. The Astros scored five times on six hits in a big third inning to tie the game at 3-3. The Reds tied the game at 4-4 in the fifth on a single by Juan Lopez and a triple by Juan Lopez and a triple by Juan Lopez. The Reds tied the game at 4-4 in the fifth on a single by Juan Lopez and a triple by Juan Lopez. The Reds tied the game at 4-4 in the fifth on a single by Juan Lopez and a triple by Juan Lopez.

CVLL Opened Play Tues. With 4 Teams

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Winners In Junior High Tennis Tourney



First place winners in the Eagle Lake Middle School junior high tennis tournament last Saturday were: front row, left to right, Judy Dunge and Pam Kallins of Garwood, girls' singles; Jim Havel of Seely, boys' doubles; and Beverly Zapale of Seely, girls' singles.

The Eagle Lake Middle School held its first Tennis Tournament sponsored by the ELMS Student Council last Saturday, May 14. Schools which participated in the tournament included junior high tennis teams from Columbus, Garwood, Seely and Eagle Lake.

Winning the boys' singles was Ted Teague of Seely. Second place went to David Kiel of Columbus and third was won by Ted Teague of Seely. In the boys' doubles, Kirk Jurecka and Jim Havel of Seely won first place. Second place went to Ted Teague and Scott Holden of Eagle Lake and third place went to Chuck Tomlinson and Stephen Cherry of Seely.

In the girls' singles, Beverly Zapale of Seely won first place. Second place was won by Ruth Semundorf of Columbus and third went to Lynn Clay of Seely. The girls' doubles were won by Judy Dunge and Pam Kallins of Garwood. Second place in girls' doubles went to Leah Wittenberg and Laurie Pavelska of Seely. Third place was won by Kay Swann and Susan Allison of Seely.

The Rattler athletes of St. Mary's University were honored at the annual athletic banquet Thursday, April 28 on the San Antonio campus.

Among those athletes honored was varsity softball letterman Carol Schoellmann, who was named Outstanding Scholar Athlete for achieving the highest grade-point average of the female varsity athletes. The recipient of an engraved plaque for her accomplishment.

Min Schoellmann, a 1975 graduate of Rice Consolidated High School, is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Walter Schoellmann of Nada.

Notaries To Qualify Fri. Colorado County Clerk Lester Schneider will qualify Notary Publics in the Council room of the Municipal Building in Eagle Lake from 9 to 10 a.m. this Friday, May 20th. Notaries may also qualify in the Clerk's office in Columbus anytime up to June 1, 1977. Fee for qualifying is \$4.00.

EL Babe Ruth Teens Open Play Mon. Nite

The Eagle Lake Lakers teenage baseball team will open its 1977 summer season on Monday night when Coach Jim Havel takes the Lakers to Florida for their opening game.

On Thursday, May 26th the Lakers will host Florida in their first home game beginning at 7:30 p.m. at the City Ball Park in the Rice Mill area.

Baseball fans are invited to support the 13, 14, and 15 year old players as they compete in their Tri-County Teenage League schedule.

Draper Stephens, chairman of the Eagle Lake Little League, announced that the sale of candy by the Little Leaguers in this community has been extended through this Friday.

Twenty-five young boys and girls from area high schools qualified for the State Championship High School Rodeo June 14-18 held in the Rocking W Arena on the campus of Wharton County Junior College in Wharton.

Among the qualifiers were Tommy Halsek of Garwood and Gary Garrett of Lenoir who split fourth place in Daily Team Roping.

Steve Bales, a member of the Rice Consolidated Independent School District Board of Education, will make a short address and will present the Certificates of Promotion to the eighth grade students at the assembly. Parents and other interested parties are invited to attend. Principal James Crabbs.

Eight grade candidates for promotion include: Teresa Annand, Lori Ann Ash, Patricia Ann Banks, Robert Barron, Sam Betancourt, Barbara Bernette Black, Michael Andreas Black, Wayne James Brown, Diana Lavette Brewer, Victor Alan Brewer, Trula Beatrice Brown, Leigh Ann Bryant, Lanny Ray Butler, Dianna Cardenas, Jaime Carrasco, Pearl Marie Castile, Heidi Lee Cavens, Joyce Marie Clayton, Jane Louise Clipp, Emily Contreras, Johnny DeWayne Cooper, Michael Anthony Cordova, Ralph Jewel Cordova, Rosemary Cordova, Carol Sue Crabbs, Victor B. Crabbs, Yolanda Diaz, Vickie Sue Eberhart, Bret Anderson Ellis, James English, Larry Felt, Melinda Fernandez, Ernest Lee Fields, Jr., Robert Lee Frasier, Jr., Roger Wendell Fry, Dennis Fredrick, Johnnie Wayne Gonzales, Julia Gonzalez, David Phillip Grammer, Jenny Lee Griffith, Ernest Troy Grounds, Letitia Faylene Henderson, Scott David Holden, Annette Hotz, Karl Steven Hurd, Daniel Craig Hulse, Judith Ann

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SPORTS CORNER

Entries Being Taken For Rec. Center Membership Golf Tour.

The Eagle Lake Recreation Center tournament committee reminds members that Monday, May 23rd is the deadline for entry in the annual membership golf tournament to be held Saturday and Sunday, May 28th and 29th.

Competition will be for men and ladies and will be a two-day tournament with a total of 36 holes of medal play. Trophies will be awarded to flight winners at the annual meeting to be held Sunday evening, May 29th.

The \$15.00 entry fee will include a barbecue lunch and a dinner Sunday evening. Extra meal tickets will be available for \$1.00 each. Participants may tee off at 8:00 a.m. to 1:00 p.m. on Saturday, May 28th, but all will tee off at 1:00 p.m. on Sunday, May 29th.

Entry fee of \$15 will accompany entry. Mail entries to Richard Clifton, 1200 premier shooters in the National Golf Association. Cowens is a star for the Houston Astros, also a top team in the NBA.

A fee of \$105 has been set for retirees who wish to include room and meals at the school; there will be a fee of \$100 for those who might wish to commute to and from their homes in this area.

The brochure for the school notes that "Any student who attends a special athletic training camp in football or basketball shall be ineligible for a period of one year from the date he enrolls in the camp for any varsity athletic competition." This rule does not apply to junior varsity competition.

Persons interested in the school may contact Grammar for a brochure and further information.

Keep up with all activities of the Rice School District by reading the Headlight.

S&W Parts had 1133 and J's Trojans 1126.

Top Individuals: The league with the high individual handicap series with a 729, Ben Castillo was second with 728 and Al Norwood third with a 726. The individual game, handicap, went to Michael Appelt with 292 and Mickey Knapp with 281. Appelt tied for second with 280s.

High individual scratch series winner was Jerome Kanak with a 696 and high scratch game went to Ben Castillo with a 258.

Kanak was the most improved player in the league with a 16 pt increase, from 155 to 171. Three bowlers tied for the honor of scoring most points, David Ebert, Paul Mac, and Doyle Waldrop with 511 1/2 each while Larry Appelt was fourth with 51.

The Dodgers picked up right where they left off at the end of the 1976 Little League season, at the top of the Eagle Lake Little League. The Dodgers are now 4-0 for the season, the Cubs and Yanks are tied for second with 3-2. The Pirates are still looking for their first win in four starts. Last year the Dodgers edged the Yanks 6-5 in the final game of the season to win the league title.

Outstanding Football, Track Athletes



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350 Attend RHS All-Sports Banquet, Honor Top Athletes



Baylor Assistant Cites Athletes' Leadership Qualities

Rice High School athletes in all sports were honored at the annual All-Sports Banquet held last Friday evening in the Rice High School Commons under the sponsorship of the Outriders, the pep organization for the school. Outstanding athletes were cited for their accomplishments in the year of 1976-77 and the 350 athletes and guests present for the occasion heard a challenging talk by Ron Harris, assistant football coach and offensive coordinator for the Baylor Bears.

"People look up to the athletes for leadership," Harris commented and added, "You are going to teach something to someone and you have an obligation to lead people down the right path."

He commended the athletes for their emotional stability and stated that good attitudes and discipline do not begin in any sport but in the home and church. "Coaches only have the players for a short time and by the time they are in high school athletics they have learned or not learned, these principles that are so important in life."

He concluded by urging the athletes to "have fun in playing the game." The speaker interpreted the meaning of the word "fun" in his talk and was given a standing ovation of applause at the conclusion of his address. Mrs. Harris and her family were guests of honor.

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Twenty-four lettermen in the spring sports have been named at Southwest Texas State University. The group includes 13 in track, five in golf and six of the 1977 Lone Star Conference championship tennis team.

Only one senior is listed among the track lettermen, and tennis coach Neil Kinlund, loses two seniors, captain Tom Deavenport and Kurt Thomas, off his tennis team.

The Southwest Texas Bobcat netters won the Lone Star Conference and then knocked off St. Mary's of San Antonio for the right to enter the national competition to begin May 29th in Kansas City.

Kurt will be making the trip with the Bobcat team to the national competition.

Joe Fligg, Mr. and Mrs. Gene Walker, Mr. and Mrs. Henry Dostal and Terry Teague.

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