

Ball Park Music-Your Choice

By Elson Armstrong, Jr.
Following a recent Durham Bulls home stand, a fan approached me as I emerged from the press box and said "I love coming to these ball games but I have one minor complaint, don't the people in charge of playing the music on the PA system realize that Durham is a city of over 100,000 people and our tastes in music are varied. We're not all fans of Country and Western Music."

they change up the music a little? I'd like to hear a little Kool and the Gang sometimes."
Members of the media covering the game have asked PA announcer Eric Brooks similar questions. He says the music is a decision of the Bulls' front office.

The management of the Bulls is usually responsive to the needs and concerns of the Bulls' fans and maybe they should take some sort of poll to determine what kind of pre-game music the fans would like to hear.

Since the Bulls arrived in 1980, the pre-game music has consisted of pre-taped country and Western oriented songs, plus "Take Me Out To The Ball Game" (7th inning stretch) and "Na Na Hey Hey, Kiss Him Good-Bye", the 1969 No. 1 hit by Steam which is played after a Bulls win.

One fan said, "I used to really like 'Thank God, I'm A Country Boy', but they played it so much (also during the 7th inning stretch) that I

got sick of it!"
Personally, I've always had a wide variety of tastes in popular music. I like Soul, pop-jazz (George Benson), 1960's Rock (which consists of the Supremes, Beatles, Beach Boys, Temptations, etc.)

I can agree with what the fans and media people are saying. I have nothing against country music (I like Johnny Cash, Oak Ridge Boys, Charlie Pride, and the Gattlin Brothers), but I would like to see some variety in the Ball Park.

Beach music (not the California Surfing sound, but the Carolina Beach sounds by such groups as the Drifters, Chairmen of the Board, Embers, etc.) is very big in this region during the summer. It couldn't help but be a hit with the fans because it already bridges the infamous generation gap. People in the Carolinas from pre-teen to late 40's love Beach Music.

Two summertime songs from 1966 that I also think would go over big with the Athletic

Park crowd are "Summer in the City" by the Lovin Spoonful and Billy Stewart's rocking version of "Summertime".
"On Broadway", by George Benson, is often played at football and basketball games and there's no reason that Bulls' fans should object to this either.

Some have said that they would like for the Bulls to hire a live organist. If that's feasible, I can agree with this sentiment, too. Live organs are a true baseball tradition.

Since the Bulls fans are of varied backgrounds, then it's only right that the ball park music should be varied, too.

No one is saying that they should dump the Country and Western oriented music. We just want a little variety at the Durham Athletic Park.

One way to get your suggestions regarding music heard is to contact Miles Wolff or Ricky May at the Durham Athletic Park. The Bulls' office phone number is 688-8211.

NBA Finals

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shots by "All-Universer" Dr. J. (Julius Erving).
The 76ers, who got numerous critics off their backs when they beat the Celtics in Boston in the seventh and deciding game in the Eastern Finals are attempting to win the NBA crown that has eluded them since they won it in 1967.

In 1977, the 76ers seemed to be on their way to No. 1 in the finals when they took a 2-0 lead in games over Portland, but the Philly team fell apart and lost four straight. The following year, billboards appeared all over the City of Brotherly Love sponsored by the club in which they promised their fans that "We owe you one!"

Despite possessing one of the most awesome lineups of talent ever assembled on one team, the Sixers have yet to deliver on that promise.

The seasons of 1980 and 1981 were especially humiliating because in '80 in the NBA Finals, the Lakers defeated Philly in six, the last in Philly's own Spectrum when "Magic" Johnson filled in for Kareem and picked the Sixers apart.

Last year Philly held a 3-1 game lead over Boston in the Eastern Finals and just plain choked.

The Lakers have had a long layoff because of their playoff sweeps while the Sixers are coming off two grueling playoff series.
Elson's Prediction:
It should be a well played spectacular playoff finals. Both teams have awesome talent. They both pay well together, but the Lakers seem to possess more of a team concept. Kareem, "Magic", McAdoo, and company should be too much for "DR." J and his mates. I'll pick the Lakers in six.

You should remember my predictions for other teams this season: I picked Southern Cal. No. 1 for collegiate football and Virginia to win the National Collegiate Basketball Title. That should make Philly a shoo-in to win it all!

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Jordan Receives Hamer Award

ATLANTA—Vernon E. Jordan received the Fannie Lou Hamer Freedom award recently at the Eighth Annual Convention of the National Conference of Black Mayors, Inc. (NCBM) in Birmingham, Alabama.

The award, named for the famous civil rights worker, is merited through unselfish service to the community and to mankind. Coca-Cola USA sponsored the awards luncheon.

Scout

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church.
Going places is much a part of the troop's agenda.

Most recently, the scouts traveled to Raleigh to participate in a regional "Scout-O-Rama" contest, where they placed third in a 300-unit field. Scout-O-Ramas feature scout troops competing in outdoor sports such as mountain climbing and camp building.

Other recent trips included scouting trips at Hanging Rock in Danbury, N.C., campgrounds near the Raleigh-Durham Airport, in Henderson, and on the coast near Topsail Beach.

Most of the fifteen scouts in Troop 55 agree that being a scout enables them to learn more about life a lot earlier than most young people their age, as scouting above all teaches one respect and responsibility.

Some of the troop's expenses are paid by its sponsor, White Rock Baptist Church, where a troop committee has been formed.

Lawton, the scoutmaster, who has the job of scheduling trips, arranging financing, transportation and le-

ading guidance, says he has a tight knit group.
"Of the fifteen scouts," he says, "four are eagles. Only one per cent of all boys who become scouts make eagles. We have a group that is dedicated and hardworking."
He views the future as bright.

"We are going places and winning awards," Lawton said, "and we're representing the community and having fun, too."

mission and Selective Service. American Revolution Bicentennial Commission and the Advisory Council of Social Security.

With a B.A. from DePauw University, Jordan subsequently was graduated from Howard University Law School. He was also a Fellow at the Institute of Politics in the John F. Kennedy School of Government at Harvard University.

A native of Atlanta, Jordan resides with his wife and daughter

Last Shift Bowling Scores

The Last Shift Bowling League scores for May 27:
Ladies high game: 201-Florence Roberson, 191-Eva McKay.
Ladies' high series: 533-Eva McKay, 525-Florence Roberson.
Men's high game: 197-Eric Roberson, 192-Clifton Parker, 191-Ken Snipes.
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