

**Baseball Roundup**

**East All-Stars**

**Wallop West, 23-2**

A traffic jam occurred Sunday afternoon at Harding High School's Athletic Field when the East All-Stars turned what was expected to be a close baseball contest into a 23-2 rout of the West All-Stars.

It was the annual Mecklenburg County Semipro Baseball League's All-Star Attraction, but it turned out to be lopsided tussle as the Easterns outclassed the top players from the three teams in the west division.

Randy Falls led the slaughter with four base hits, including three singles and a double. The star third baseman of the Morris Field Rangers received ample support from Palmer Gilmore of the Charlotte Hawks, Nate Lewis of the Stein Hall Jets and Joe Graham, Edward Thompson Jr., Harold Adams and Billy Whitmore of the Rangers.

All together the East team roughed up a quartet of West pitchers for 21 base hits, including six for extra bases.

In the meantime, Londell McClary, Raymond Blackmon, Randy Falls and Johnny Davis were limiting the East All-Stars to a mere three safeties, including a double by Tom Withers and singles by Bobby Jones and Floyd McDowell, all of the Hoskins Giants.

Gilmore contributed two singles and Joe Graham smashed a triple and a double while Nate Lewis was hitting two singles, Edward Thompson Jr., a home run, Harold Adams, a double and a single and Billy Whitmore a double and a single.

Manager Herman Thomas of the victorious East All-Stars said his squad gave the fans a real treat with explosive offensive baseball.

"It was one of those days when everything we hit fell for a basehit," Thomas explained.

It was a bitter defeat for manager James "Sonny" Berry to accept. His powerful squad, in addition to being

held to three hits, played poorly afield, committing seven costly errors.

McClary, who allowed one hit and fanned three, was the winning hurler and Willie Dixon of Hoskins, who was toughed up for six hits and eight runs, was the loser.

**WHERE THEY PLAY**  
SATURDAY, June 28  
Gunn Colts at Royal Bums  
Morris Field at Hoskins  
Charlotte Hawks at Stein Hall

**HOW THEY STAND**

| West Teams     | W  | L  |
|----------------|----|----|
| Hoskins Giants | 11 | 2  |
| Gunn Colts     | 4  | 9  |
| Royal Bums     | 3  | 10 |

| East Teams           | W  | L |
|----------------------|----|---|
| Morris Field Rangers | 11 | 2 |
| Charlotte Hawks      | 5  | 7 |
| Stein Hall Jets      | 4  | 9 |

**Cheerleader**

**Tryouts Set**

Cheerleading Tryouts will be held for the Charlotte Hornets football team Sunday at the Freedom Park Bandshell at 2 p.m.

According to Christine Smith, a spokesman for the Booster Club which is handling the tryouts, 20 to 25 cheerleaders will be chosen and girls and boys are both welcome.

The cheerleaders will be judged numerically on certain skills and stunts. Ms. Smith requests that anyone trying out should have had previous cheerleading experience.

Cheerleaders for the Hornets will get in all the nine home games free.

To aid the cheerleaders, Ms. Smith said at each game area college squads will be invited.



Photo By Jim Black

Some of the action seen each Tuesday and Thursday afternoon at Revolution Park is with intensed action.

**Brookhill Captures Early Lead In Adam-2 League**

The Charlotte area may be minus a professional baseball team, but it now has the next best thing. Little League baseball has made it big in the form of a police sponsored Adam-2 competition.

The only negative thing is that the games, played in Revolution Park, are watched by so many people that many of them have to stand because of shortage of bleacher seats.

But no one complained. And how could they? The games were played on Tuesday and Thursday and all six were packed with excitement.

The results were:  
**TUESDAY**  
Bethlehem Center 12  
Keyway Apts. 2  
Winning Pitcher Tendergrass  
Dalton Village 5  
Boulevard Homes 1  
(W.P.) Steve Taylor  
Brookhill 13

Little Rock Apts 9  
(W.P.) Ricky Melvin

**THURSDAY**  
Dalton Village 2  
Brookhill 11  
(W.P.) Robert Davis  
Little Rock 6  
Bethlehem Center 5  
(W.P.) S. Williams  
Keyway Apts. 8  
Boulevard Home 5

**HOW THEY STAND**

| Team              | W | L |
|-------------------|---|---|
| Brookhill         | 2 | 0 |
| Keyway Apts.      | 1 | 1 |
| Bethlehem Center  | 1 | 1 |
| Dalton Village    | 1 | 1 |
| Little Rock Apts. | 1 | 1 |
| Boulevard Homes   | 0 | 2 |

**Motorists Must Report Change Of Address**

Raleigh...Motor Vehicles Commissioner Edward L. Powell reminds motorists that effective 1 July, 1975, legislation was enacted by the 1975 General Assembly which will affect North Carolina drivers applying for a change of address.

The new legislation requires persons holding North Caro-

lina driver's license to notify the Division of Motor Vehicles of any address change within 60 days after such a change is made. Commissioner Powell advised that for drivers with an address change, it will be necessary to appear in person at any driver license office to obtain a duplicate license showing the change of address.

**10 Mecklenburg 4-H'ers Honored**

Ten Mecklenburg 4-H'ers were honored last week at the annual Southwest District 4-H Activity Day held at North Gaston High School in Dallas, North Carolina.

The five winners were Ken Featherstone of 467 Cathey Road in the archery competition, Robin Stacy of 1123 Lynbrook Drive in artistic arrangement competition, Wayne Wilson of Mallard

Creek in the dairy bowl competition, Lynn Stephens Huntersville in the diary Page competition and Rick Page of Huntersville in the election competition.

The alternate winners were Ollie Reid of 201 E. 18th St. in Forestry, Tami Todd of 1 in the open class, John Miller of 1926 Townsend Avenue in public speaking, Mary C. well of 2521 Pitts Drive in Public Speaking and Jack Scruggs of R. 9 in poultry barbecue.

Karen Pearce won a ballot award for a ballet talent performance. In all 75 Mecklenburg 4-H'ers, leaders, and parents attended the day-long activity.

**Clinton Downs Mt. Pisgah, 10-7**

The Clinton Braves defeated the Mount Pisgah baseball team, 10-7, last week in the top contest in the Ridgeview Church League.

Clinton got its runs of three Pisgah errors, six bases on balls, a hit batter and only one hit.

A. Johnson clouted a double and a triple for the losers, who outhit the winners by 11-1.

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**JOHNSON INKS WITH CHARLOTTE HORNETS** - Former Fayetteville State University linebacker Arnold Johnson, a 1975 physical education graduate, has signed a pro contract with the World Football League Hornets of Charlotte, North Carolina. Johnson, a native of Miami, Florida, stands 6-2 and tips the scales at 225 pounds. He played middle linebacker and was named ALL-NAIA his sophomore year. (FSU Photo by John B. Henderson).

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