

LEAGUE I, AREA 4 JUNIOR BASEBALL (STANDINGS MORNING OF JULY 2)

Table with columns for teams (Shelby, Cherryville, Gastonia, Mooresville, Hickory, Charlotte, Marion, Kings Mtn., Lincolnton), W, L, Pct, and Games to play.

Little League All-Star Team Named; District Play To Begin On July 24

Twenty Little League baseball players have been picked by ballot of coaches for places on the loop all-star team...

LITTLE LEAGUE ALL STAR TEAM 1952

Table listing Little League All-Star Team 1952 players, coaches, and statistics.

Coaches picked for the all-star team are David Neill, of the Kiwanis entry, and Jimmy Dickey, of Park Grace.

All district elimination games are to be played at Todd Field.

TO DRILL MONDAY The 20 Little League all-stars are scheduled to start practice sessions under Coaches Dave Neill and Jimmy Dickey at City Stadium Monday afternoon at 4:30 p. m.

on Second avenue, in Gastonia. Playoffs will be of the "sudden death" variety, one loss and out.

Eight leagues are entered in the Gastonia district and each will enter a team in the playoff tournament, to be directed by Ralph Johnson. The leagues are Kings Mountain, Cherryville, Lou Gehrig, A. L. Suddeth, United Service, Little Southern, Bur-Mil and Textiles, Inc.

District winner will advance to the state tournament.

ALL-STARS Commissioner Red Layton has announced that miniature gold baseballs will be presented to the 20 all-stars.

The Kings Mountain all-stars represent the coaches' choices of the best in the loop. Fifteen of the players were chosen by unanimous vote, with the other five receiving three votes each.

Most of the all-stars are 12 years old and graduate from LL ball after this season. Many of the younger players, who will be eligible to play next season, show great promise in the first season of Little League baseball here.

No games were played in the loop this week, with play to be resumed on Tuesday. The schedule follows:

Tuesday, July 8—(Games of May 30) Burlington at Jaycee; Park Grace at Kiwanis.

Friday, July 11—Burlington at Park Grace; Jaycees at Kiwanis.

Tuesday, July 15—Kiwanis at Park Grace; Jaycees at Burlington.

Friday, July 18—Kiwanis at Burlington; Jaycees at Park Grace.

MORE ABOUT Belk's Continued From Page One that it ran well into five figures.

Harris, Metzger, Moss Pace Juniors To 11th Inning Win Over Hickory

Ollie Harris singled with the bases loaded and two out in the bottom of the 11th here at City Mountain Stadium Monday night for a 3-2 victory for Kings Mountain over Hickory's juniors.

Southpaw Darwin Moss pitched a brilliant game for Coach Jack Sink's Legion nine but went into the last of the ninth trailing by two runs. Hickory scored in the eighth on a walk, an error on a pickoff throw by Moss and a single by Bob Helton.

In the ninth, the visitors, coached by Lenoir-Rhyne's Troy Washam and Hickory high's Frank

Barger, tallied another run on singles by Jim Robinette, a sacrifice by Duke Little and a single by Vernon Sigmon.

Pitcher Billy Wells peaked a pinch-hit single leading off the Kings Mountain ninth, a short infield bloop that went over the pitcher's head, and Metzger poled the first pitch deep into the centerfield corner.

On the throw in an attempt to catch Wells, the toss was high but Hickory pitcher Bill Baird took it and threw high over the third baseman's head trying to catch Metzger off base and the little Bessemer City centerfielder romped home with the tying run.

In the 11th, James Abernathy led off with a single, Metzger struck out and Ken Roberts and Jimmy Matthews drew walks to load the sacks. Junior Daniels forced Abernathy at home for the second out to set up Harris' game-winning knock.

Don McCarter had two hits to top the Kings Mountain 8-hit attack.

Moss allowed seven hits, with Bob Campbell getting a fluke infield double and two singles and Robinette cracking out two singles. The Mountaineer lefty struck out eight and walked two over the route. Baird had 12 strike outs, but walked six and hit one.

Wells lost a tough one to Marion here last Friday night 6-3 when Kings Mountain ninth inning rally fell short.

At Hickory on June 25, Moss was touched for 10 hits with the Catawba County nine winning 6-1.

Kings Mountain was scheduled to play in Charlotte last night (Wednesday) in the last game of the season. Going into that game, the Sinkmen had a record of 5 wins, 10 losses.

Coach Sink will retire from the coaching ranks on July 14, having received notice from the Thomasville draft board.

Eleven Kings Mountain players graduate from the junior ranks. They are Dean Champion, Ollie Harris, Clyde Fals, James Cook, Darwin Moss, Ken Metzger, Junior Daniels, Don McCarter, Bobby Ford, Frank Platt and Jimmy Matthews.

Players on the team this season eligible for the 1953 team are Dean Huskey, Albert Anderson, James Abernathy, Ken Roberts, Giles Bell, Billy Wells, Fred Hager, Earl Marlowe and Milton Hope.

Shelby (12-2) continues to pace league one, area four play, with Cherryville (11-4) running a close second.

Gastonia with a 9-6 record and one game to play (against Shelby), Mooresville, with a final record of 9-7, Hickory, with 8-7 and one to go (at Charlotte) and Charlotte, with 6-7 and three to go (against Kings Mountain, Hickory and Shelby) are all in the running for the two other second round slots.

In league two, Asheville and Waynesville have clinched the two second round berths over Franklin and Cherokee.

Three Accidents Occur In City

Three accidents have been reported occurring last week by investigating officers, Ed Martin and W. G. Ellison.

On Monday at 10 o'clock a. m. William Wood of Shelby was traveling north on highway 74. As he entered the light at the overhead bridge, Shirley June Falls was making a left turn into Highway 29. Her car hit the front fender of the Wood car. Thomas Mitchem was in the car with Miss Falls. Damage was estimated at \$200.

At 6:08 p. m. on the same day, Clarence E. Hodge stopped for a stop light. Another car driven by Elmer Allen Parker, of Hazelwood, hit the Hodge car in the rear. Cause of this collision was defective brakes on the Parker car.

On Saturday June 28, Kenneth Edward Morrison, of Grover, was traveling west on King Street and collided with the right side of a car driven by James Herbert Wright, of the Phenix Mill community. This accident occurred at 5:22 in the afternoon as Mr. Wright was pulling across the intersection.

Last Inning Foote Rally Nips Guard Foote Mineral Company scored in the bottom of the seventh to edge National Guard 10-9 in a Mens Softball league game played June 24.

Rudi Wuennenberg and Breakfield each had 3 for 4 for the winners and Bert Chandler and Red Fite had 2 for 4's. Leroy Styers went the route for the win, dishing up 12 hits.

Cash had 3 for 5 to pace the losers. Sanders went the route on the mound, giving up 12 hits.

The line score: Nat Guard 3 0 0 5 1 0 9; Foote 7 0 0 2 0 0 1-10

Cooler Weather Aid Vacationers The weather man collaborated with area holiday-takers this week to cool off the hot, humid heat spell and to provide July Fourth week vacationers more pleasant temperatures.

Many industrial and service plants closed for the week, and

Precautions Against Polio Listed As Total Of County Cases Mounts

Cleveland county health officials are alarmed over the current incidence of new cases of infantile paralysis in the county and have indicated a general county quarantine will be ordered if many more cases develop.

Of 10 cases reported in the past two months, five have occurred in Grover and this community is already under quarantine.

The Health department has listed the following suggestions to prevent possible spread of polio:

Do keep children away from new people, especially in close daily living of a home.

Do wash hands carefully before eating and always after using the toilet - especially important when polio is around. Also keep food clean and covered.

Do put a sick person to bed at once, away from others, and call the doctor. Quick action may lessen crippling.

Do telephone the health department if help is needed. No patient need go without care for lack of money. Money comes from the Cleveland County chapter of National Foundation for Infantile Paralysis. The law requires all cases of polio be reported at once.

Do control flies by keeping surroundings as sanitary as possible and all garbage cans covered. A Shelby ordinance requires all garbage cans to be covered with a tight-fitting lid.

Do remember - at least half of all polio patients get well without any crippling.

THE DON'T'S DON'T get overtired by hard play, exercise, work or travel. This means men, women or children.

DON'T get chilled. Don't bathe or swim long in cold water, or sit around in wet clothes.

DON'T have mouth or throat operations during a polio outbreak.

majority of the city's retail stores will be closed on July 4.

The First National Bank will be closed both Friday and Saturday, and two firms, Herald Publishing House and Kings Mountain Laundry, were to close Wednesday night for the remainder of the week.

Temperatures had approached record heights prior to Monday night's heavy rains.

NEW RECORD

A total of 181 patients were admitted to Kings Mountain hospital during the month of June, according to report of Joe Dixon, business manager. The patient load for the month set a new record, Mr. Dixon said.

Patton said, "the problem of accessibility to the small boat owner is growing every year."

"The trend during the past few years has been toward the purchase of lands surrounding public fishing waters by private individuals. This trend is increasing and it has worked a hardship on license buyers who must either trespass or pay a fee to gain access to such waters."

The Wildlife Commission plans to employ a fisheries expert who will canvass the public fishing waters of the state and who will be empowered to negotiate for the purchase of small tracts of land which will connect public highways or roads with bodies of water. The Commission plans to develop such access areas so that adequate parking space will be provided and ramps will be constructed to permit the launching of boats.

Fishing Areas To Be Acquired

In setting up its budget for the 1952-53 fiscal year, the Wildlife Resources Commission has earmarked funds which will make possible the purchase of tracts of land to give public access to fishing areas, Clyde P. Patton, Executive Director of the Commission, announced today.

"Although North Carolina ranks fourth in the nation in the amount of public fishing water,"

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