



St. Matthews, Kentucky Area History



St. Matthews Area Sports 1964 to 1965

This is one of many sections that contain information, photos, newspaper articles, internet items, etc. of the St. Matthews area. Many of the items came from Al Ring's personal collections but many people have helped and I have tried to give credit where I can.

The purpose of this "collection" was to create the history of St. Matthews, Kentucky. Being retired I now have time to do many of the things I have always wanted, this project is just one of them.

All graphics have been improved to make the resolution as good as possible, but the reader should remember that many came from copies of old newspaper articles and photos. Credit to the source of the photos, etc. is provided whenever it was available. We realize that many items are not identified and regret that we weren't able to provide this information. As far as the newspaper articles that are not identified, 99% of them would have to be from one of three possible sources. *The Courier-Journal*, *The Louisville Times* or one of the *Voice* publications. Books that we have used for some information include, *Randy*, *Cactus*, *Uncle*, *Ed and the Golden age of Louisville Television*, *Waggener High School Alumni Directory 1996*, *Waggener Traditional High School Alumni Directory 2007*, *Memories of Fontaine Ferry Park*, *St. Matthews The Crossroads of Beargrass* by Samuel W. Thomas, *St. Matthews, 25 Years a City Two Centuries a Community*, *St. Matthews 1960-1995*, *Waggener Lair's 1958 to 1962*, *The Holy Warrior*, *Muhammad Ali*, *Louisville's Own (An Illustrated Encyclopedia Of Louisville Area Recorded Pop Music From 1953 to 1983)*.

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Courtesy The Voice Of St. Matthews:

Bauer heads gridders; league cost \$140.22

Elmer Bauer, 9107 Bristol, Jeffersontown, will head the 1964 season of St. Matthews Football League, and Dick Deutsch, 415 Springwood Ln., will be vice president. Deutsch was president of Little League Baseball last season.

Charles Skinner, 29 Pawnee Trail, will be secretary and William D. Pickering, 3619 Hycliffe Ave., will continue as treasurer.

The league lost \$140.22 in its 1963 season and will start the new year off with \$1,171.79 in assets, according to a statement out this week.

Total disbursements for the season were \$2,818.60. Two hundred dollars were transferred to the banking account from savings and along with the \$112.01, less the deficit, the league has \$171.79 to check on.

Among the disbursements this year--not figured in previous years--was one-fourth the cost of the concession stand improvements amounting to \$365 of the league's share.

Other big items among disbursements were insurance, \$593.75; trophies and awards, \$286.87; officials, \$315; concession stand supplies, \$526.22.

Collection brought in \$727.28 and team receipts, were \$797.50. Concessions brought in \$1,109.00, or a profit of \$433.38.

January 9, 1963

February 27, 1964



Area within black lines is where Little Leaguers must reside for the St. Matthews league.

Little League gets another playing field

St. Matthews Little League baseball got a big boost last week with additional facilities.

R. W. Marshall gave the league permission to use some four acres of land at the rear of Howard Johnson Motel for a playing field for at least a five year period.

The land adjoins Community Center property on which the league has two fields.

League officials said plans are already being made to get a third playing field in operation for this year's season. They said it probably will be used primarily by the minor leagues and to relieve conflicts in schedules caused by rained-out games.

The league officials said Mr. Marshall offered use of the land for five years and would give six months notice thereafter when he wanted to terminate the agreement.

The land recently was a subject in a court suit between St. Matthews and Beechwood Village. The Court of Appeals ruled the land, annexed by both cities, was properly annexed by St. Matthews.

January 30, 1964

Registration set for St.M. Little League

Spring officially is only a month away and if spring comes can Little League Baseball be far away?

At least Little League officials are thinking along those lines, for they have scheduled registration of nine-year-old ball players this Saturday and next Saturday.

The players, who must have their birth certificates and be accompanied by at least one parent, can register from 9 a.m. to 1 p.m. on both days.

Little Leaguers again will be accepted from within the same geographical boundaries as in the past (see map showing Little League area outlined).

Courtesy The Voice Of St. Matthews:

Only 96 sign for baseball; more sought

Only 96 boys signed up last Saturday for the Little League baseball this year and the call is out for a bigger turn out this Saturday.

The National League boys from the north side of Shelbyville Road out "batted" the American League who came from the south side, by two to one--64 signing in the Nationals and 32 in the American.

Registration will again be held from 9 a.m. to 1 p.m. this Saturday at the Community Center. Those eligible are nine years old through 12.

League tryouts will be held on March 28 and April 24.

March 5, 1964

Babe Ruth to register March 19

Walter Butler, president of the St. Matthews Babe Ruth League, announced today that registration for the 1964 season will be held at 7 p.m. a week from tonight March 19 at the St. Matthews Community Center.

Butler invited all 13-to-15-year-old boys in the eastern part of Jefferson County to register.

Specifically, any boy who never has played in the St. Matthews program's major league must register in order to be eligible for this season.

Birth certificates must be presented at time of registration by all boys entering the program for the first time.

Butler said additional registrations will be accepted at the time of tryouts--April 4 and April 11--but he urged all interested boys to register early so that league officials may have time to set up tryout times.

Next Thursday night--the registration night--also is the league's annual meeting for parents of boys in the program and those who are interested in having their sons play.

March 13, 1964

300 sign up for baseball

Approximately 300 boys 9 through 12 have signed up for Little Baseball this summer. Mal Mickler, Little League President, said the registrations for last Saturday have not been counted but they were much heavier than the previous Saturday's.

Tryouts will be held on Saturdays, March 28 and April 4 at the St. Matthews Community Center. Hours will be set up according to age groups. Mr. Mickler said boys who missed the two registration dates and want to play in Little League Baseball this summer may still register at the time of tryouts.

March 13, 1963

Courtesy The Voice Of St. Matthews:

Babe Ruth seeks two managers

A manhunt is underway in the St. Matthews area.

Officers of the St. Matthews Babe Ruth League are on the prowl for two men who are willing to give up some of their leisure time so that 30 boys may play baseball this summer.

The 10-team league for 13 to 15-year-old boys is in dire need of two team managers, men who are interested in baseball—but primarily interested in boys.

Walter Butler, president of the league, said today that time is running out. He expressed fear that 30 boys will not be able to participate in the program unless managers are found quickly.

Butler said any men interested should apply in writing to Frank Hartley, chairman.

March 26, 1964

Little League tryouts set

Tryouts for St. Matthews Little League Baseball will be held Saturday, March 28 and Saturday, April 4 at the St. Matthews Community Center.

Tryouts for boys 9 and 10 will be held at 10:30 a.m. and for boys 11 and 12 at 3 p.m. Those who have not registered may do so at the time of tryouts.

March 26, 1964

Babe Ruth will tryout Saturday

Tryouts for the St. Matthews Babe Ruth League are scheduled to begin Saturday, April 4 at the St. Matthews Community Center.

League President Walter Butler said today that trials for 13-year-olds will be held at 10 a.m., while 14 and 15-year-old candidates are to report at 1 p.m.

The tryouts also will be held the following Saturday, April 11, at the same hours and in case of rain a third Saturday, April 18, has been set aside for the trials.

Butler said that boys who have not yet registered for the 1964 season may do so at the tryouts. He said youths who never before have participated in the St. Matthews program must present a birth certificate upon registration.

The 10-team league will open its season May 16.

April 2, 1963

Little League tryouts Saturday

Tryouts for St. Matthews Little League Baseball will be held again this Saturday at the St. Matthews Community Center. Boys 11 and 12 will tryout at 10 a.m., and the 9 and 10 year olds at 2 p.m.

Boys 9 through 12, living in the St. Matthews Little League area who wish to play in the league and have not registered, may do so at the time of tryouts.

Approximately 250 boys took part in the first tryouts held last Saturday. Mal Mickler, league president, said selections are to be made Sunday and those selected to a team will probably be notified Sunday evening.

April 2, 1963

Babe Ruth field being filled in

Babe Ruth playing field was being filled in with dirt and leveled to facilitate drainage this week, and league officials were keeping their fingers crossed for fear the players might have to tryout in a field of mud Saturday.

St. Matthews Works Department hauled dirt from a drainage pond under construction at 127 St. Matthews Avenue to fill in the field, where surface water has been a problem.

April 2, 1963

Courtesy *The Voice Of St. Matthews:*



If apprehension shows on the faces of these Little Leaguers there is a reason. They are waiting their turn to try for the major league. Left is Stephen Salee, 3813 Washington, and Peter Klebba, 608 Yancy Ln.

360 to play in St. M. Little League

About 360 boys will be playing in St. Matthews Little League baseball this summer in the 12 major and 12 minor teams. The final tryouts were held Saturday with about 300 more boys turning out. About 250 turned out at the first tryouts the previous Saturday.

Practice sessions are beginning immediately at the discretion of the team managers.

League President Mal Mickler has asked all boys and their parents to take part in the work days held each Saturday and Sunday during this month to get the playing fields ready for summer play.

Babe Ruth tryouts reset

Tryouts for the St. Matthews Babe Ruth Baseball League have been rescheduled for Saturday, April 11 and April 18.

Cold, windy weather forced postponement of the opening tryouts last Saturday.

League President Walter Butler said today that 13-year-old candidates should report to the St. Matthews Community Center at 10 a.m. Saturday, with 14 and 15-year-olds scheduled to tryout at 1 p.m.

Boys 13 to 15 who live in the east end of Jefferson County and who have not yet registered may register at the start of tryouts.

April 9, 1963

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St. M.: exporter of baseball talent

St. Matthews is proving to be a training ground for baseball talent, which larger teams are benefiting from.

Among those teams which are benefiting is the University of Kentucky. Walter Bales, an avid follower of St. Matthews baseball leagues, discovered this recently when in Atlanta, where U. K. had just played.

Names on the UK roster were familiar, and,

checking with UK Coach Harry Lancaster, he discovered that the UK team was well represented with St. Matthews talent.

The players from St. Matthews are:

Tuffy Horne -- field captain, starting second baseman and lead-off man. He played in St. Matthews Little League, Babe Ruth League, Conno Mack and M.A.B.A.

Kenny Lewis -- starting pitcher. He played in all St. Matthews base-

ball programs.

Charlie Casper, regular left fielder. He played in the M.A.B.A.

Kenny Gravetta -- starting pitcher. He played in M.A.B.A.

Bruce Martin -- first string catcher. He played in all St. Matthews leagues.

Ken Nally -- regular first baseman. He played in the M.A.B.A., and Andy Rose League.

Coleman Howlett -- relief pitcher. He played in the Andy Rose League.

Of the large export of baseball talent from St. Matthews, Mr. Bales observed:

"This should give a sense of satisfaction to the many people who in the past, have given of their time, talents and material resources to insure the success of the St. Matthews programs."

April 9, 1964

Courtesy *The Voice Of St. Matthews:*



The test that comes for all Little Leaguers when he moves into majors. Here is a Little Leaguer making the supreme, hitting the ball and running to first. The tryouts were last Saturday.

April 9, 1964

Bales can still bang out homers

Corky Bales, former St. Matthews Little League and Babe Ruth Star, is starting his second season with Western Michigan and is turning in his usual performance.

Corky banged out a 400-foot homer in a recent spring practice game at Jonesboro, Ark., to pace his team to victory.

April 9, 1963

Connie Mack registering

Registrations for the St. Matthews Connie Mack League are being taken now until May 16. Boys 18 and under may register at the Kentucky Model Shop, Wilmington Avenue during store hours.

May 7, 1963

100 turn out for Babe Ruth

Approximately 100 boys turned out Saturday for the first tryouts for St. Matthews Babe Ruth Baseball held at the St. Matthews Community Center.

Seventy-seven boys in the 13 year old group had registered and approximately 65 of these were in the tryouts Saturday. Twenty 14-year olds have registered and tried out and 15 registered and tried out in the 15-year olds.

Try outs will be held again Saturday at the Community Center with the 13 year olds at 10 a.m., and the 14 and 15 year olds at 1 p.m. Boys who have not registered may do so at the time of tryouts.

April 16, 1964

Little League fields ready

St. Matthews Little League fields are ready, after extensive repairs, for play which will begin Monday.

The Little Leaguers will take to the fields Monday in regularly scheduled games, but the official opening of the season will not get off before Saturday, May 9.

The opening was delayed so as not to coincide with the Derby. League President Mal Mickler said, however, they wanted the boys to get started a week earlier.

About 70 fathers and as many boys have worked on the fields, and the City of St. Matthews also provided manpower and use of heavy machinery.

Repairs have been made to bleachers, dugouts, press boxes, as well as seeding and sodding. Raking the ground and spreading rocks were to have been completed last Saturday.

April 30, 1963

Civic-minded volunteers are sought

St. Matthews Community Center is looking for some civic minded person or organization.

The Center's Board is asking for some organization to take over spring house cleaning of the building and grounds.

The Center is supported by various organizations in the area, and among them are Bethel E & R Church which just recently donated \$201.26. Also Harvey Browne Memorial Presbyterian Church has given \$200, and the St. Matthews Jaycees \$25.

April 30, 1963

Courtesy *The Voice Of St. Matthews:*

Parade will officially open Little League

The Little League season will get underway Saturday with the usual parade down Shelbyville Road to the playing fields at the Community Center, where ceremonies will be held about 11 a.m.

May 7, 1964



What one on-hit pitcher says to another. Mike Ridge shows Steve Gault (glasses) a slogan their team (Citizens Fidelity) will try to live up to this season with their teammates looking on. Both Mike and Steve have each pitched a one-hit game already.

May 14, 1963

Babe Ruth to open season Saturday

The St. Matthews Babe Ruth League will open its baseball season at the St. Matthews Community Center at 10 a.m. Saturday.

Mayor Bernard Bowling and members of the City Council are expected to be on hand for pre-season festivities.

League President Walter Butler said today that 10 teams will be playing regularly between Saturday and the closing date, July 19.

This is the second season for the league to have 10 teams--made up of 150 youths between the ages of 13 and 15.

Six of the teams are in the major league division and the other four in the farm system.

Butler predicted that the league again will be strong and that St. Matthews, as usual, will be the Jefferson County representative in the State tournament in August.

Sponsors of the 10 teams this season are:

Cooke-Pontiac, Lincoln Income, Mario's Pizzeria, Jim Booher Chevrolet, Standard Oil, Gateway Supermarkets, Liberty National Bank, Elks Club of St. Matthews, Reynolds Metals, and Rotary Club of St. Matthews.

Three new managers will be directing major league clubs this season as will three holdovers.

The new managers in the majors are:

Ed Ballard, Jim Booher Chevrolet; Jim Snider, Mario's Pizzeria, and Bob Weygant; Standard Oil.

Holdover managers are:

Ray Roederer, Gateway Supermarkets, which won last season's championship; Howard Camnitz, Cooke-Pontiac, and Jack Jones, Lincoln Income.

There is only one hold-over manager in the farm system. That is Ray Phillips, manager of Rotary Club of St. Matthews.

New farm club managers are:

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George Turnbull, Elks Club of St. Matthews; Tom Budniak, Liberty National Bank, and Walter Koren, Reynolds Metals.

Five opening-day games will get the season under way. After pre-season ceremonies with Mayor Bowling throwing out the first ball, Liberty National Bank and Elks Club will meet at 10:30 a.m.

The rest of the day's schedule:

1 p.m. -- Reynolds Metals vs. Rotary Club; 3:30 p.m. -- Standard Oil vs. Gateway Markets; 6 p.m.

-- Mario's vs. Jim Booher Chevrolet; 8 p.m. Lincoln Income vs Cooke-Pontiac.

All major league teams will be in action again Sunday, with the first of three games starting at 1 p.m. In the first game Sunday, Booher will oppose Gateway Markets. At 3 p.m. Standard Oil will meet Lincoln Income, and at 5 p.m. it will be Cooke-Pontiac against Mario's.

During May, games will be played only on Friday nights, Saturday afternoon and nights, and Sunday afternoons in order that the boys will not be kept up late on a school night.

Butler said that an enlarged concession stand will be in operation for all games this season. The concession stand, which helps pay the league's expenses, will be operated by the mothers of the players and directed by Mrs. Ray Roederer and Mrs. Pearl Bryan.

May 14, 1963

Courtesy *The Voice Of St. Matthews:*

Little League may be fine--but we remember another day

Those hot, humid and lazy days of summer are here, and of course they mean, among other things, the time for the great game of baseball that seems to thrive year after year despite the lack of contrived promotions from Madison Avenue.

While the majors have always had their share of the limelight, the big interest in baseball in St. Matthews is in the Little League, Babe Ruth, Connie Mack, Jefferson, and dozens of other independently organized games. The fact is that just about any boy who wants to play baseball can—even if he can't quite measure up to the terrifically high standards of Little League.

But there may be some consolation for those boys in the independently-organized leagues, who get little or no public recognition. They can still put their heart and soul in their game without having to undergo many of the frustrations and agonies often faced by the Little Leaguers, who have to measure up to preconceived standards. These boys always have to play to a very partisan crowd which can, and often does, make winning a "do or die" process.

We do not underestimate the value of Little League training. There are

every day examples of it paying off in the number of boys who have cut their baseball teeth here and are giving a good credit of themselves in college ball. Our envy, however, goes to those boys in lesser organized leagues who can more freely just play the game.

It may be that we are doting on our childhood with overdrawn memories of sandlot baseball. We just gathered a few old and torn gloves, balls and bats, and played. And quit when we wanted to.

But we have heard many adults lament those bygone days. They wonder, too, if present day Little Leaguers aren't missing something by having to play the game in almost as a regimented fashion as do the big leaguers, who don't play the game for fun at all, but as a means of making a living.

Those days are long ago—and like many memories, we tend to magnify the good. We surmise that had we been subjected to such adult regimentation, we would have told the "big guys" to find something else to do and let us fellers play the game according to our rules.

However, times do change. It maybe that present day Little Leaguers wouldn't have it any other way.

May 14, 1964



Bill Compton of Citizens Fidelity beats the ball to first after a hit against Ashbury-Berman last Saturday.



Susan Willis, 3718 Edmond E.N., finds the dugout of Citizens Fidelity team amusing but the boys, from left, Robert Dorsey, Joe Stamper and Ricky Deutsch are indifferent to her presence. If Susan has a favorite team, it is Citizens for her brother Cam is on the team.

May 14, 1964

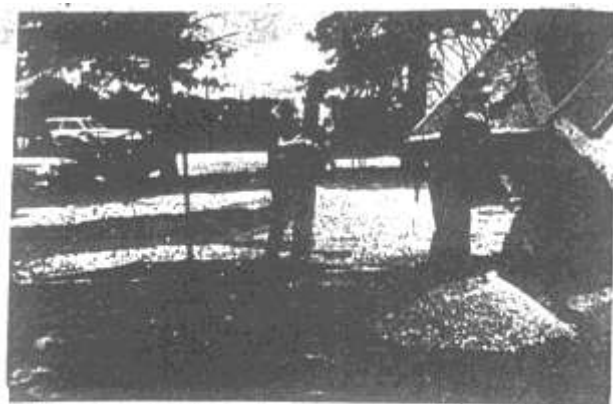
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Courtesy The Voice Of St. Matthews:



May 14, 1964



St. Matthews Works Department place rock over ditch before it was closed last winter between the Community Center and Bowling Alley. The work eliminates a hazard and permits more parking. The Department also recently cleared two acres behind Little League playing fields to provide more picnic area and an Little Leaguers can find lost balls. Also 50 loads of dirt were hauled to the base ball field, which was called St. Highways and Highways.

May 21, 1963

Courtesy The Voice Of St. Matthews:

Booher, Pizzeria tied as Ruthers near finish of first round play

A tight race is shaping up in the St. Matthews Babe Ruth League as the six major league teams prepare to wind up first-round games this weekend.

Jim Booher Chevrolet and Mario's Pizzeria are tied for the lead, each with a record of 3-1. Lincoln Income and Gateway Marketa are in a second-place tie with 2-2 records. Standard Oil and Cooke Pontiac are at the bottom with 1-3 records.

In games at the St. Matthews Community Center last weekend, Booher Chevrolet split into two outings. The Booher's defeated Cooke Pontiac 4-3, on Saturday, but lost to Standard Oil in a nine-inning game on Sunday by 4-3.

Mario's won two games to pull into a tie for the lead. The Pizzeria boys clubbed Standard Oil in a nine-inning game on Sunday by 4-3.

Mario's won two games to pull into a tie for the lead. The Pizzeria boys clubbed Standard Oil, 12-2, on Saturday, then came back on Sunday to atop Lincoln Income, 6-2.

For the Lincoln team the loss on Sunday was its second of the weekend. Gateway handed Lincoln its first defeat Saturday night by a score of 8-7. Gateway faltered on Sunday, losing to Cooke Pontiac, 4-3.

Glenn Sparks was the winning pitcher in Booher's victory over Cooke Pontiac, with Wesley Black taking the loss. Chuck Mower had a home run and a double for the losers.

Cubby Horlander had four hits in five times at bat as Standard Oil snapped Booher's victory streak on Sunday. Mike Fievers also stood out as a hitter for the Oilers, getting three hits in three times up. Mike Mickler was the winning pitcher, beating Ed Wolf.

Mario's slammed 13 hits in blasting Standard Oil, with Terry McMahon driving in three tallies. Doug Ahrens was the win-

ning pitcher with Larry Butler taking the loss. Against Lincoln Income, the Mario's team was never in serious trouble. Ahrens collected three hits, two of which were doubles. Chuck Skinner was the winner, Randy Northcut the loser. Jim Schoenbachler was the big noise for Lincoln with a home run.

Frank Hartley limited Lincoln Income to five hits and struck out 12 in pitching Gateway to victory Saturday night. Hartley hit a home run and collected two of Gateway's nine hits off pitcher Schoenbachler, who helped his own cause by smacking a homer.

Bill Sherman and Hartley each had two hits for Gateway in the losing effort to Cooke Pontiac. Pitcher Jim Adams set the pace for Cooke as he struck out nine Gateway batters and didn't issue a walk.

In games last weekend, Rotary Club romped over Elks, 15-4. Tony Omer allowed only three hits and received able assistance from Mike Hurt, who hit a grand-slam homer for Rotary. Bobby Card was the losing pitcher.

In another high-scoring game, Reynolds smacked Liberty, 15-8, as Walt Koren banged out three hits to help himself as the winning pitcher. Jim Skaggs was the loser.

Action resumes at the Community Center tomorrow night with Reynolds meeting Elks at 6 o'clock and Rotary and Liberty squaring off at 8 p.m.

For Memorial Day, a full day of baseball is scheduled for the Babe Ruthers. At 10:30 a.m. Saturday, Liberty meets Reynolds. In a 1 p.m. game, Elks and Rotary are scheduled.

The major leagues will be back in action later in the day. Mario's opposes Gateway at 3:30 p.m., while Lincoln and Booher meet at 6 p.m., with Cooke-Pontiac and Standard Oil winding up the long day in an 8 p.m. game.



Tim Turner of Rotary pegs one home from third in a pre-game warm-up.

May 28, 1964

Courtesy The Voice Of St. Matthews:

Group proposes City purchase Arterburn tract

Purchase of the Arterburn tract leased by the Community Center was recommended to the city of St. Matthews by the directors of the St. Matthews Business Association Tuesday morning after a breakfast meeting.

The tract of land now consists of approximately 17 acres. It has been under lease since 1952, when development of the

property for playground was started. The old St. Matthews Potato Festivals in 1949-50-51-52 provided the financial backing to get it started. The present lease has 15 years to run.

The Association advised that the City start condemnation proceedings through court action to make the purchase of the property possible. Legal opinion held that that would be the only way the City of St. Matthews could be sure of acquiring title to the land.

The land is believed to have a present value of about \$4,000. per acre, or \$68,000., based on the sale price of adjacent land at the rear of the East Drive In theatre.

The playground has an entrance from Shelbyville Road but no frontage on the highway. In fact, a doubletler of commercial property lies between it and the highway.

Developed building lots with streets and utilities directly east of the playground, but across the Watterson Expressway, are also priced to gross about \$4,000. per acre in the subdivision containing Harris, Marquette, Virginia, and Ken-

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June 4, 1964

Group proposes City purchase Arterburn tract

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In condemnation proceedings the price is set by a jury. The Association made no recommendation concerning a price limit but asked the City of St. Matthews to keep the membership informed.

Similar action was undertaken sometime ago by the Community Center Committee, which is made up of one member of most of the civic organizations in St. Matthews. This is the body which operates the Center.

Improvements on the property have been recently appraised at \$50,000, it was reported. They include the Reynolds Building, three lighted baseball diamonds, a wading pool, picnic grounds, horse shoe and tennis courts, and miscellaneous recreation equipment.

June 4, 1963

*Connie Mack will start play Sunday

The Connie Mack League will open its season this Sunday at 6 p.m. on the Babe Ruth field. Brief ceremonies will precede the first game. The nightcap will start at 8 p.m.

June 11, 1963

Courtesy The Voice Of St. Matthews:

Ruthers stage slugfest, Booher takes over first

Hitters in the St. Matthews Babe Ruth League celebrated the Memorial Day weekend by slapping the ball freely in most of the 10 games played at the St. Matthews Community Center.

The result was high scores.

Jim Booher Chevrolet has taken sole possession of first place with a four and two record. Four teams, Cooke-Pontiac, Mario's Pizzeria, Gateway Markets and Lincoln Income, are tied for second, each with a record of three and three. Standard Oil trails with a two and four mark.

Booher, although losing to Lincoln by 9-3 on Saturday, came back to defeat Mario's, 5-1, last Sunday.

Cooke jumped from a tie for last place to share the No. 2 position by downing Standard, 7-0, and Lincoln, 14-12.

Gateway handed Mario its second defeat of the weekend in a 10-inning game which favored the Marketmen, 7-3. However, Gateway, playing its second extra-inning game in as many days, lost to Standard, 5-3, in eight frames on Sunday.

Bill Schmitz was the big hitter for Booher in each of its victories. Against Lincoln, he rapped three hits in four times

at bat. One was a home run and he had two runs batted in. Butch Baird was the power man for Lincoln with a grand slam homer and two singles. Mike Kuzunus had two runs batted in. Jeff Huskamp was the winner for Lincoln with Glen Sparks leading.

Against Mario's, Schmitz's triple and four runs batted in broke the game wide open, giving Buzzy Giannini the victory and Doug Ahrens the loss. Chuck Skinner led the Pizza boys with two hits.

Bob Gamage's two hits and two runs batted in were all Cooke needed to defeat Standard Oil on Saturday. Eddie Lampert also had two hits for Cooke. Wesley Black was the winner, throwing a nifty three-hitter against Larry Butler, the loser.

Chuck Moser's home run in the bottom of the seventh inning gave pitcher Jim Adams the victory against Lincoln as Cooke and Lincoln squared off in the 26-run slugfest Sunday. Butch Baird was the losing pitcher.

Moser and Tierney Sullivan, also of Cooke, each had two hits. Baird and Jim Schoenbachler were Lincoln's big men in the hit-and-run game. Baird had four hits and four runs batted in, while Schoenbachler had a pair

of hits and two runs batted in.

Frank Hartley pitched and batted Gateway over Mario's on Saturday. Hartley pitched a four-hitter, striking out 13. He helped his own cause by slapping out three hits, including a home run which was good for two runs batted in. Jackie Charley, pitching for Mario's, fanned six batters in the six innings he worked, while Jim Noland struck out five in four frames. Noland took the loss.

Standard Oil's Mike Mickler held Gateway to four hits on Sunday as he struck out 12 and walked only four. Cubby Horlander slapped three hits for the Oilers with Larry Butler getting two and driving in the winning run. L. J. Panther paced Gateway with two hits. Tom Reverman was the losing pitcher.

In the farm system, Rotary Club took two games in defeating Liberty National, 3-4, and Elks Club 18-2.

Liberty came back to defeat Reynolds Metals, 7-6, in eight frames. Reynolds, like Liberty, split over the weekend by hand-

ing the Elks another loss, 11-1.

Tony Omer of Rotary and Jim Skaggs of Liberty each allowed only four hits, but wildness plagued Skaggs as he walked four batters in a row--the fourth walk shoving in the winning run. Dennis Thomas had two hits for Rotary.

Hitting was Rotary's strong point against Elks as seven batters had two hits apiece. Steve Messinger and Tim Turner each knocked in four runs and Steve Phillips had three. Greg Youngblood was the winning pitcher

with Buck Turnbull taking the loss.

Ken Green led Liberty over Reynolds with two hits and two runs batted in. Larry Colson and losing pitcher Walt Koren paced Reynolds in hitting. Colson slugged a homer and Koren hammered out three hits. Jim Richardson was the winning hurler.

Against the Elks, Mike Smith and Pete Clark were the big sticks for Reynolds. Each picked up two hits. Jim Williamson twirled a two-hitter against losing pitcher Tom Sims.

June 4, 1964

Baseball March set for June 18 for recreation

Baseball players in both the Little League and Babe Ruth League will make their annual call at homes in the area next Thursday night for contributions to the Community Center.

It will be the annual Baseball March from which the Center obtains most of the

money to finance its summer recreation programs.

There will be players, in uniforms from 34 teams ringing door bells for donations between 6 p.m. and 8 p.m.

In the past the March has brought in from \$1,300 to \$2,000, and March chairman Millard French said it is hoped this year's contributions will far exceed those in previous years.

Though baseball players will do the collecting, the money will go for the Center's entire recreational program, that will include numerous games for individuals, ranging from tots to adults, under supervisors provided by the County Playground and Recreation Board.

The City of St. Matthews and private citizens have contributed to the improvements of the Center in recent months.

Improved parking facilities and additional ground for picnics are among the improvements.

June 11, 1964



They will be using a big container in the annual Baseball March. Maybe not a 20 gallon can but Mike McCord (left) and Mark Koenig try one out for size.

June 11, 1964

Courtesy *The Voice Of St. Matthews:*

Booher still team to beat, Mario's, Lincoln chief threats

Jim Booher Chevrolet continued to be the team to beat in the St. Matthews Babe Ruth Baseball League with Mario's and Lincoln Income appearing the chief threats.

Those three teams were winners in games played last weekend at the St. Matthews Community Center.

However, Mario's missed a chance to add to its victory total in losing to Standard Oil, 3-0, Monday night.

In the league's featured game last Saturday night, Booher hung on to beat Gateway Marketa, 11-8, despite a seventh-inning rally by the losers.

On Friday night, Mario's clobbered Cooke-Pontiac, 11-8, and Lincoln edged Standard Oil, 4-3.

Ed Wolf and Buzz Giannini were the sluggers in Booher's victory over Gateway. Each had two hits and three runs batted in. Bill Schmidt also chipped in with two hits and two runs batted in. Vic Ballisell helped Gateway with two hits in three times at bat. Gene Sparks was the winner, handing Frank Hartley his first loss after three straight victories.

Three runs in the fourth inning, two in the fifth, and three in the sixth were more than enough to give Mario's Jackie Charley the victory over Cooke's Wesley Black. Mario's hitting was provided by Terry McMahon, who was two-for-two, which was good for two runs batted in, and Jim Noland, who had two hits in three tries and two runs batted in. Jim Adams of Cooke had a good hitting night with three hits in three tries. Ed Lampert, also of Cooke, was two for three, including a double.

Lincoln's Jeff Huskamp picked up his third victory of the season in defeating Standard Oil's Larry Butler. Handy Northcutt drove in two of the four Lincoln runs. Dave Zollner of Standard had two of the seven hits off Huskamp and Mike Devers drove in two runs.

A three-run homer by Phil Roberts in the first inning was all Mike Mickler needed in Monday night's game as Standard Oil defeated Mario's. Larry Butler had a triple for the winners and Chuck Skinner doubled for Mario's. Jim Noland took the loss. The victory for Standard was only its third against five losses, while the loss put Mario's at 4-4.

Reynolds Metals, the leading team in the farm system, decimated Rotary Club, 7-4, on Saturday and came back with a 18-9 victory over Elks Club on Monday.

Also on Saturday, Liberty slapped Elks, 10-0, as Jim Shaggs pitched a one-hitter for Liberty.

Walt Koren struck out 14 Rotary batters as he bested Greg Youngblood. Larry Colson had two runs batted in for Reynolds.

In Liberty's victory over Elks, a single by Don Armstrong in the fourth inning was the only hit off Shaggs. Jim Richardson gave Shaggs support with three hits, including a triple, and three runs batted in. Skip Tadlock was the loser.

In a single game on Tuesday, June 2, Rotary blasted Liberty, 14-3, with Tony Omer pitching a three-hitter to beat Jim Richardson. Tim Turner of Rotary had three hits in three attempts, including a double, good for two runs batted in.

Jim Williamson was the winning pitcher for Reynolds in Monday's game. He also shared hitting honors with three hits and three runs batted in. Dave Brunderman also had three hits for Reynolds and drove in one run. Buck Turnbull took the loss as the Elks pitcher.

TOP HITTERS, PITCHERS Through June 7

Player	Team	AB	H	Avg.
J. Scheenbecher	Lincoln In.	16	9	.563
E. Lampert	Cooke Pont.	13	6	.461
B. Baird	Lincoln In.	25	11	.440
T. Sullivan	Cooke Pont.	16	7	.438
J. Huskamp	Lincoln In.	14	6	.429

HOME RUN LEADERS

J. Scheenbecher	Lincoln Income	2
F. Hartley	Gateway Marketa	2
C. Messer	Cooke Pontiac	2

PITCHING LEADERS

J. Huskamp	Lincoln Income	W. 3	L. 0
J. Charley	Memo's	2	0
B. Giannini	Booher	2	0

BABE RUTH LEAGUE STANDINGS Through June 7

MAJOR LEAGUE

Team	W	L	Games Behind
Jim Booher	5	2	
Memo's	4	3	1
Lincoln In.	4	3	1
Gateway Mkt.	3	4	2
Cooke Pont.	3	4	2
Standard Oil	2	5	3

FARM CLUBS

Reynolds Met.	4	1	
Rotary Club	4	2	1/2
Liberty M.	3	3	1 1/2
Elks Club	0	5	4

June 11, 1964

Citizens takes over first

Citizens Fidelity, by winning two regularly scheduled games plus one rained out game this past week, took over undisputed possession of first place of the National League.

On Wednesday, Citizens Fidelity's pitcher, Cam Willis (1-0 record) in his first starting role, limited Kwanis team to one hit, a two-out last inning bust single, in posting a 7-0 victory. J. Rosenberg, B. Compton, R. Lampert, and Bud Mattingly, of Citizens, got two hits each in the game.

Thursday, Citizens Fidelity pitcher, Bud Mattingly (4-0 record) limited the Lincoln team to three hits in posting an 8-1 victory. T. Frents and R. Lampert, of Citizens, got two hits apiece and Bud Mattingly, of Citizens, hit a

home run with two men on base in the six-run fourth inning.

Saturday's game was a pitching duel between Tom Frents (4-1 record) of Citizens Fidelity (2 hits) and Kim Tuell (4 hits) of Showers Shop with Citizens Fidelity the winner 3-3.

Citizens scored the first run in the first inning on two errors, a stolen base, and a passed ball. Showers bounced right back in their half of the

first with two runs on a walk and a home run by Kim Tuell. The score remained 2-1 Showers until the fourth when Citizens scored a run on hits by Mattingly and B. Compton. In the sixth inning Citizens scored the winning run on a hit batsman (J. Johnson).

A single by J. Rosenberg, and an infield out by M. Thierney.

Magic is the only language in which you cannot say a mean or unkind thing.

JUNE 3

Citizens	1	0	0	2	4	6	7	10	1
Kwanis	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	1
Wp Willis	La Tessa								

JUNE 4

Lincoln	0	0	0	0	1	1	3	4
Citizens	2	0	0	4	0	5	8	10
Wp Mattingly	La Allen							

JUNE 5

Citizens	1	0	5	1	0	1	2	4
Showers	2	0	0	0	0	0	2	4
Wp Frents	La Tuell							

Nothing around smartly from Wood of unaccountable much.

June 11, 1963

Courtesy *The Voice Of St. Matthews:*



Andy Drauth of Kentucky Model Shop slides in home and scores the 17th run against the hapless Jim Boohera who were having pitching troubles last Saturday. Kandy Rainey, relief pitcher, tries to tag Andy out. Boohera were yet to score.



Moment of decision with the score 17-0 against them and facing a shortage of pitchers, Jim Booher Little Leaguers huddle.

June 11, 1964

March Nets Center \$1,600

The Baseball March last Friday night brought in over \$1,600 but there was one team Tuesday which had not reported its collection.

Of those reported, the Lions collected the most (\$136) and in second place was Model Shop with \$103. Each team received new baseballs.

June 25, 1964

Cooke, Standard move up, Ruth race still wide open

The race for the loop championship in the St. Matthews Babe Ruth League remained wide open this week as the team a hit the halfway point of their season.

Not a team can be counted out of the six-club race because two "sleepers" suddenly have awakened to bring headaches to the others. The "sleepers" are Cooke-Postle and Standard Oil, each of which won twice last week to become strong contenders.

Cooke forged into a three-way tie for the lead after last weekend's games, standing at 5 wins against four losses—the same as Jim Booher Chevrolet and Mario's.

Gateway Markets, defending champions, and Lincoln Income were knotted for second with Standard Oil, each with a record of 4 wins and 3 losses.

Cooke trounced Gateway, 12-3, on Saturday after Standard had won its second game of the week on Friday by topping Jim Booher, 13-3. Also on Friday, Mario edged Lincoln, 8-7. However, on Monday Lincoln made up for its loss by slamming Booher, 22-9.

The big bats of Chuck Moser, Ed Lampert, and Tierney Sullivan were too much for the Gateway pitchers as each of the three hitters picked up two safeties and drove in a combined total of seven runs.

One of Moser's hits was his fourth homer of the year and it made life easier for Wesley Black and Steve Ridge as the two righthanders teamed up to pitch a four-hitter against the Marketboys. Steve Kaiser took the loss.

Larry Butler of Standard Oil held Booher's heavy hitters in check in allowing only four hits. Mike Devers of the Oilers lashed out three hits in four times at bat and drove in three runs. Butler helped his own cause by getting two doubles and driving in three runs. Gene Sparks was the losing hurler.

Although Lincoln scored seven runs against Mario's Pizzaria, pitcher Doug Ahrens did not allow a hit until Bill Giannini poked a grand slam home run with two out in the seventh and last frame. Ahrens and Jackie Charley were the big hitters off losing pitcher Jeff Husknap. Ahrens had three hits in four

times at bat, including a double, and Charley had two hits in two attempts.

Jim Schoenbachler and Butch Baird each had three hits in three times at bat as Lincoln walloped Booher—the third straight loss for the automob. Schoenbachler's hits included a triple and a grand slam homer. He was the winning pitcher in relief of Baird. Butty Giannini took the loss.

In the farm system, Rotary Club blasted 11 runs in the first inning and went on to rout Elks Club, 20-4, on Saturday. Jim Taylor bested the Elks' Bobby Card by twirling a three-hitter. Steve Phillips and Gary Youngblood were Rotary's big sticks. Phillips pounded out three hits and drove in three runs, while Youngblood had two hits and two runs batted in.

Liberty National, with Jim Shaggs and Mike McIntosh showing the way, defeated league-leading Reynolds Metals, 13-4, on Saturday. Shaggs had a perfect night at the plate

in going three-for-three, while McIntosh was two-for-two and had three runs batted in. Mike Stich was Reynolds' only hitting star, getting two-for-three and batting in two runs. Kenny Smith hurled a masterful four-hitter over Reynolds' Walt Korman.

June 18, 1964

Citizens retains first, wins over Lincoln 6-3

Citizens Fidelity, by winning two games this past week, held on to first place in the National League of St. Matthews Little League.

Tuesday, June 9, Bud Mattingly (5-0 record), pitched the Citizens team to a 6-2 win over Lincoln Income. Bud Mattingly and J. Rosenberg each had two hits for Citizens, while Mike Ridge helped Lincoln with two hits.

Lincoln Income scored first in the second inning on a 2-base hit by M. Ridge and a single by D. Allen. Citizens put together 6 runs in the third inning, the first run scoring on R. Lampert's sacrifice fly after an error, a hit batsman (Willis), and a walk had filled the bases. Bud Mattingly's single drove in the second run.

A hit batsman (J. Johnson) again loaded the bases which were cleared by J. Rosenberg's double. He later scored on an error.

Lincoln Income scored again in the last of the third on a hit batsman (Gault), an error, and a single by M. Ridge. The last run of the game came in the fifth with Lynch of Lincoln Income scoring on a walk, an error, and two infielders.

LINE SCORE R H E

Citizens 004000 4 4 2

Lincoln 011010 3 4 2

WP Mattingly LP Gault

2BH Ridge, Wmault,

Rosenberg 1D

On Saturday, June 13, Cam Willis (2-0 record) pitched the Citizens team to a 7-2 win over Kiwanis. G. Tessaar of Kiwanis had a perfect day at the plate getting 2 hits, one of which was a home run.

Citizens Fidelity scored two runs in the first inning on a walk to T. Frenst and a single by Bud Mattingly. The runs came in when Frenst stole home and Mattingly also came home before the play was completed.

In the second inning, Citizens made it 3-0 on a walk to C. Willis and three singles by J. Johnson, D. Dorsey, and M. Tierney.

Citizens tallied another run in the third on walks to L. Merrifield and B. Mattingly, a hit batsman (Compton) and singles by J. Rosenberg and J. Johnson.

In the top of the fourth, Kiwanis narrowed the gap to two runs by scoring twice on singles by R. Bush, M. McCord, and a home run by G. Tessaar.

Citizens completed the scoring with three runs in the last of the fourth on walks to M. Tierney and T. Frenst, a single by J. Johnson, and a 2-base hit by Bud Mattingly.

LINE SCORE R H E

Kiwanis 000200 2 5 2

Citizens 21130 7 8 0

WP C. Willis LP Hyland

2BH Tessaar, Mattingly

HR Tessaar

National League standings through June 12, 1964.

STANDINGS

Team	W	L
Citizens	11	1
Shawnee Shop	8	4
Lincoln Club	6	6
Lincoln In.	5	7
Ashbury-Bar.	3	9
Kiwanis	3	9

June 18, 1964

Courtesy The Voice Of St. Matthews:

Falcons lead Connie; Bellucci has no-hitter

BY JERRY LYNCH

After one full week of play the Falcons, last years state champs, are again in first place in the St. Matthews Connie Mack League.

The Falcons have a perfect 3-0 record while the Pirates, Mustangs, and Wildcats are all 1-2.

The Falcons came from behind to win the opening game of the fifth season of play from the Mustangs by a 6 to 3 score. The Mustangs scored all of their runs in the top of third on two singles followed by a walk, an error and a double.

Tom Bellucci came in as relief giving up one hit the rest of the way. Trailing 3-1, the Falcons came up with three runs in the bottom of the third and two in the bottom of the fourth when the game was stopped on account of the two hour time limit.

The Pirates romped the Wildcats in the next game 14-2 scoring in every inning. Big Jim Helm went all the way for the Pirates as he gave up his two runs on two hits, both of them in the fifth; he struck out 13 and gave up no walks. Terry Rogers took the loss for the Wildcats.

The Pirates had only three hits but received 14 walks plus six errors made by the Wildcats to account for their runs.

In Wednesday nights action, it was the Falcons leading the best of the Wildcats, Dutch Riley went all the way for the Wildcats, pitching good ball and carrying a 2-0 advantage into the final two innings when he fired and gave up all nine runs and nine of his 12 hits.

Bob Downart took the win in relief of Howell. He received support at the plate from Hal Bronson who went 3 for 4, Tim Brian 2 for 4, and Chuck Huker 2 for 3.

In the second game of the night the Mustangs won their first and the Pirates lost their first. As they had in the first game, the Mustangs scored all their runs in one inning but this time it was enough to give them a 4-3 victory.

Mayer, the winning pitcher, had given up one hit going into the last inning. He walked the first man that inning and Terry Holloway blasted the first homer of the season over the centerfield fence. Mayer struck out the next two, then gave up a single and needed relief help from Brian Elliot. Durlin took the loss for the Pirates, he was greeted by Helms in the top of the second who gave up one hit the rest of the way.

Thursday night was rained out. When action resumed Sunday night the Wildcats won their first game of the young season. Terry Rogers and Dutch Riley combined for the victory with the record win going to the starter Rogers. Brian Elliot started for the Mustangs took the loss. He was lifted for a pinch hitter in the fifth and Mayer finished the game. The Wildcats were outlasted by the Mustangs 7-3 but came out on top in June 3-3.

In the next game, Bellucci

pitched a no-hit no-run game in which the Falcons downed the Pirates 11-0. Bellucci faced 24 men in a six inning game shortened because of a time limit. He struck out 13 and walked four and contributed to his own cause by scoring two runs.

Jim Bunnell went two for three for the Falcons as they

collected nine hits off Pirate pitchers Helm and Durlin. Starting pitcher Helm took the loss.

The games in the Connie Mack League for boys in the 16-18 year old bracket are played on Wednesdays, Thursdays and Sunday nights with the first game beginning at 6:30.



Buddy Mantigly scores by sliding home for the Citizens Fidelity against Ashbury-Berman which knocked off the league leading Citizens 4-3 last Saturday. Catcher Bruce Kanner looks in on where Bruce is.

June 25, 1964

We're Still Waiting

The Voice has been unable to carry accounts of the American League baseball games due to the lack of availability of records. More than ample news space is available.

Reporters have been assigned to work with the leagues but have quit in disgust over the lack of a publicity staff which in the past has been provided by Little League.

At least part of the National games have been carried due to perseverance of interested individuals who have helped to report the games.

We still hope to work something out for coverage of the American League.



Tim Houston gets a hero's welcome from his Ashbury-Berman mates after knocking a home run in the top of the last inning with two men on, winning the game 4-3 against Citizens Fidelity.

National tightens, Citizens, Kiwanis lose

The National League of St. Matthews Little League tightened this week with league leading Citizens Fidelity and Kiwanis losing two games, Showers 5th and Lincoln Income splitting two games, and Lions Club and Ashbury-Berman winning a pair. Citizens Fidelity remains on top by two games.

Citizens Fidelity lost its second game of the season to Showers Shop on Tuesday,

June 16, by 8-0. In the second inning, Showers scored two runs on singles by R. Mc Dermont and R. Bauer, and a 2-base hit by Wayne Moore.

Showers collected three more runs in the third inning on singles by D. Boone, K. Toshi, Bob Elliott, and a home run by Wayne Moore over the center field fence. Showers finished the scoring in the sixth inning with three more runs on a single by D. Boone, doubles by P. Bailey and Bob Bauer, and a walk to L. Friedrich. Kim Tuell pitched the shutout for Showers.

On Wednesday, June 17, the Lions Club edged Lincoln Income in a close game with a score of 3-2.

Lions scored in the top half of the first on a walk to R. Walker who moved to second on a passed ball and scored on an error. In the second inning, Lions tallied two more runs on a walk to Lewis; Paul Mischick was safe on an error. Herb Walker drove in both runs with a double.

Lincoln Income got back one run in the bottom of the second on a home run by E. Allen

on a 3 and 1 pitch. Lincoln Income edged closer in the third inning by scoring another run on a bases empty home run by S. Gault on the first ball pitched. Neither team scored in the remaining innings in this tense game which ended 3-2 Lions.

Saturday, June 20, the Lions Club won its second game of the week, defeating Kiwanis 6-2.

Lions moved on top in the last of the first scoring two runs on a walk to J. Gardner, who went to second on a passed ball, and scored on a double by G. Upton. Upton scored on a single by Pow.

Kiwanis bounced back with a run in the second on a hit batsman (Hurguly), moved to third on an error on a ball hit by Wilhelmus, and scored on a passed ball.

In the third inning, Kiwanis knotted the score at 2-2 by scoring one run on singles by G. Teaser and M. McCord, with Teaser scoring on a passed ball.

The game remained tied until the last of the fifth when Lions completed the scoring with four big runs. From a spot two men on for Lions and they scored on J. Gardner's single. Gardner, himself, scored on a home run by G. Upton.

Showers 023003 8 12 3
Citizens 006060 0 3 0
Wp K. Tuell Lp T. Powers
2 BH P. Bailey, W. Moore,
J. Friedrich HR M. Moore

Lions 120060 2 2 1
Lincoln 011000 2 6 1
Wp McGee Lp M. Ridge
2BH R. Walker, Johnson
HR D. Allen, S. Gault

Kiwanis 011000 2 4 2
Lions 22006 6 8 4
Wp G. Upton Lp G. Powers
BH Pow. Upton, HR G. Upton

Citizens 000210 3 2 0
Ashbury 10003 4 3 8
Wp M. Wessner Lp B. Mantigly
2BH R. Compton, M. Wessner
HR T. Houston

Lincoln 000300 1 2 3
Showers 000101 2 3 2
Wp S. Gault Lp B. Elliott
HR Bailey, 2BH Tuell

STANDINGS
Citizens 11 3
Showers Shop 9 5
Lions Club 8 4
Lincoln Income 6 8
Ashbury-Berman 5 9
Kiwanis Club 3 11

Last Saturday, Lincoln Income prevented Showers Shop from gaining on Citizens Fidelity by defeating Showers in a closely played game, 3-2.

Both teams were working until the top of the fourth inning when Lincoln broke through with three runs. S. Jones hit a single, moving to second on a ball hit by S. Gault. A single by G. Allen drove in the first run. A walk to M. Wilmatt filled the bases.

A home out at the plate was the second out and the third to third base for a possible double play resulted in an error which allowed the second and third runs

June 125 1964

Courtesy The Voice Of St. Matthews:

Mario's finding role in Ruthers a tough one

Mario's Pizzeria, pre-season choice of most managers in the St. Matthews Babe Ruth League to win the championship, is finding the favorite's role a tough one.

After battling almost on even terms through the first half of the season with Jim Booher Chevrolet, the Pizzamen finally shook the Chevies only to have Cooke-Pontiac present a stern challenge.

Cooke, winner of six of its last seven games through last weekend, went into this week knotted with Mario's for the

STANDINGS
(through June 21)

MAJORS

	W-L	Per.
Mario's	7-4	.636
Cooke	7-4	.636
Booher	5-6	.455
Lincoln	5-6	.455
Gateway	5-6	.455
Standard	4-7	.364

MINORS STANDINGS

Reynolds	6-2	.750
Hooty	5-3	.625
Liberty	5-3	.625
Elks	0-8	.000

BATTING AVERAGES

		AB	H	Ave.
Beird	Lin.	24	16	.471
Schuenbacher	Lin	26	12	.429
Sullivan	Cooke	28	12	.429
Davies	Stand.	32	13	.406
Giannini	Booher	28	11	.393

RBI

Moser	Cooke	18
Beird	Lincoln	14
Giannini	"	13
Hooty	Gateway	12
Schuenbacher	Lin.	11

HOME RUNS

Moser	Cooke	5
Hooty	Gateway	3
Schuenbacher	Lin.	1

PITCHING

	W	L	E.R.A.
Charles	3	0	4.11
Hooty	4	1	2.40
Adams	4	1	2.58
Ahrens	2	2	2.01
Huckamp	1	2	3.58

lead, each with a 7-4 record.

Cooke's victory last weekend was over Lincoln Income, 6-1, while Mario was defeating Booher, 6-5 and Gateway Markets was winning from Standard Oil, 10-2.

Cook defeated Lincoln on the strong pitching of Wesley Black, who scattered six hits and fanned nine. Jim Adams and Mike Stonestreet gave Black support in getting two hits each. Butch Baird and Bill Giannini combined for four of the Lincoln hits. Jeff Huckamp was the losing pitcher.

Dave Finley led Mario's to its first victory of the season over Booher by getting two hits in three times at bat. One of Finley's blows was a two-run homer. Booher's Buster Slesser led the attack against winning pitcher Doug Ahrens by pounding out two hits. Gene Sparks took the loss.

Booher stopped a three-game skid on Monday night by edging Gateway, 4-3, as Buzz Giannini hung on for the victory over Frank Hartley.

In Gateway's weekend romp over Standard Oil, Tom Revoorman twirled a six-hitter and struck out eight in making his first start of the season a winning one. Frank Hartley had two hits, including a two-run double, for the Markkettys. Mike Davers was the others' top man with two hits. Larry Butler took the loss.

Among the farm clubs, Reynolds Metals retained first place with a 10-7 victory over Rotary Club on Saturday and a 12-7 victory over Elks Club on Monday. Against Rotary Club, Walt Kuten heated Tony Omer in tossing a three-hitter. Kuten also was Reynolds' heavy hitter, getting two hits and driving in two runs.

Also in the farm system, Liberty National scored heavily, but picked up only three hits in defeating Elks, 17-7. Eric George was the winner and Skip Tadlock was the losing pitcher. Jim Skaggs of Liberty had two of the three hits off Tadlock. Glen Knight poked a triple to drive in two runs for Elks.

June 25, 1964



THIS IS GETTING serious Tommy Fritz appears to reveal his thoughts as he studies the results of his team's (Citizens Fidelity) record. Though still leading the league, his team took a hard loss, so maybe Tommy can come up with some answers. His dad is team manager.

Collections in Baseball March given

June 25, 1964

Final tabulation of the annual Baseball March shows the entire Little League and Babe Ruth teams collected \$1,673.58--down from last year when \$1,733.80 was collected.

The collection for each team (L.L.) for Little League and (BH) for Babe Ruth is: Henderson Electric (L.L.), \$56.63; Cuba (L.L.), \$52.50; Dairy Queen (L.L.), \$56; Tusley Gun & Marine (L.L.), \$65.13; Ashbury Herman (L.L.), \$64.57; Commonwealth Life (L.L.), \$48.10; Zachary Taylor (L.L.), \$44.60; St. Matthews Kiwanis (L.L.), \$44.97; Moss Franck, Inc., (L.L.), \$45.67; Model Shop, (L.L.), \$103.85; Joe Brown Ford (L.L.), \$71.73; Fairmeade Pharmacy (L.L.), \$41.55; Citizens Fidelity Bank (L.L.), \$36.85; St. Matthews Lions Club, (L.L.), \$136; Showers Shop (L.L.), \$66.20; Elks Club (BH), \$67.21; Boston Shoe (L.L.), \$28.66; Mario's (BH), \$59.20; St. Matthews Rotary (BH), \$56.71; Thornbury Toys (L.L.), \$33.10; Pryors (L.L.), \$50.07; Standard Oil (BH), \$28.11; Lincoln Income (L.L.), \$48.30; Jim Booher (L.L.), \$26.02; Lincoln Income (BH), \$26.16; Gateway Market (BH), \$51.71; Jim Booher (BH), \$28.30; Reynolds Metal (L.L.), \$11.30; Bank of Louisville (L.L.), \$75.32; Indiana (L.L.), Duncan Motors, (L.L.), \$18.00; Cooke (BH), \$56.73; Standard Oil (L.L.), \$55.16; Liberty Bank (BH), \$42.09.

Babe Ruth to hold fry for funds

The St. Matthews Babe Ruth League announced today that it will hold a fish fry at the St. Matthews Community Center, Friday, July 10.

The fund-raising event is open to the public and there will be carry-out service.

League President Walter Butler said both dinners and sandwiches will be offered, beginning at 4:30 p.m. and continuing to 8 p.m. The price will be \$1 for each adult, 50 cents for children.

Kiddie rides also will be set up on the Community Center grounds during the hours of the fish fry, and the ball-players will be playing two games--at 6 p.m. and 8 p.m.

Money netted from the fish fry will be used to help finance the league, which sponsors baseball for St. Matthews-area youths from 13-18 years old.

July 2, 1964

July 2, 1963

Courtesy The Voice Of St. Matthews:

Bob Elliott, Dan Allen hurl no-hitters

The National League witnessed two no-hit games this week in the pennant race which saw the Citizens Fidelity, Showers Shop, and Lincoln Income teams each win a pair.

Monday, June 22 Citizens Fidelity, with Tom Frenz (5-2 record) pitching, defeated the Lions Club in a close game, 3-2.

Citizens scored first with one run in the bottom of the

second on a hit batsman (M. Tierney) who was forced at second by C. Willis. A single by T. Frenz moved Willis to second. He went to third on a wild pitch and scored on a passed ball.

The game was tied in the top of the third by Lions on a single by C. McGee. He moved to second on an infield out, to third on a single by P. Minkus, and scored on an error. In the last of the second, Citizens scored the lead run on a home run by B. Mattingly.

Citizens made it 3-1 in the last of the fifth on a hit batsman (T. Frenz) who moved to second on a single by B. Compton. The bases were filled on a walk to B. Mattingly. Then a walk to J. Johnson forced in one run before the side was retired. The lead run for Lions, G. Upton, narrowed the lead in the top of the sixth to 3-2 on a home run over the left field fence. Tom Frenz bore down and retired the next three batters to preserve the victory.

Allen defeats

Lincoln Income

Danny Allen, a 12-year old fastballer, pitched and baffled Lincoln Income to a no-hit victory over St. Matthews Kiwanis on June 23.

After retiring the first three men to face him, Allen came to bat in the bottom of the first after Steve Gault had singled and Mike Ridge had been hit by a pitched ball. Danny hit the first pitch over the center field fence scoring Steve Gault and Charlie Gault, who had replaced Ridge.

In the Kiwanis half of the second, Keesing walked, M. Gault, singled on an error and Willardson filled the bases with a walk.

Catcher Mike Wimsatt threw to first in an attempted pick-off at Willardson, keeping then broke for home and was safe on a throwing error, scoring Keesing's one run. Allen retired the side without further damage.

Tuelli picked up another win for the third on a double by Inman and a single by Steve Gault. Two more runs were added in the fourth inning on a single by Bob Tuelli. Mike McDermott singled on an error. Inman then singled scoring Curran and Steve Gault doubled scoring McDermott.

Lincoln completed the scoring in the fifth with three runs on a single by Allen, walk to Inman, single by McDermott, and a base stealing single by 10-year old Mark Bellucci.

Allen, pitching for the first season of a two season Little League career, has pitched 28 innings, struck out 55, and issued only 14 walks while compiling a 3 and 1 win loss record.

Hitting stars for Lincoln were Steve Inman and Steve Gault who went 3 for 4. Dan Allen 2 for 3 and Mark Bellucci 1 for 1 and 3 runs batted in.

Showers wins

Wednesday, June 24 Bob Elliott of Showers Shop pitched a brilliant no-hit victory over Ashbury-Berman to keep his team in close contention for the National League Pennant. The final score was 17-0. Only four Ashbury men got on base (3 with walks and one on an error).

He was supported with an 11-hit attack by his teammates which included home runs by G. Inman, P. Bailey, and K. Tuell. Elliott, although his record is only 4-4, has pitched very well as indicated by his Earned Run Average of 1.75 per game.

In pitching 48 innings, he has given up 25 runs of which only 14 were earned, allowed 29 hits, and struck out 67 opposing batters, and walked 21.

The Ashbury-Berman pitcher, B. Rhodes, had pitched a no-hit game himself earlier in the season but contributed to his own downfall in this game with too many walks. Showers received eight walks from three Ashbury pitchers, Rhodes, Perle, and Davis.

In the first inning, Showers scored one run without benefit of a hit. Paul Bailey was hit by the pitcher, stole ahead, and went to third on an infield out. He scored on a throwing error by the first baseman.

Showers' unbacked fielders heavy guns and took advantage of three walks in the second inning for five big runs. The first three men (G. Moore, B. Bailey, and B. Samer) walked to fill the bases.

B. Rhodes, the Ashbury pitcher, settled down and struck out the next two men and had two strikes on the third man when, on the next pitch, B. Inman hit his grand slam homer, Paul Bailey, the next batter, also hit a home run, and K. Tuell got a single before the inning was over.

Two more runs came in for Showers in the third inning on walks to McDermott, W. Moore, and McDermott, and singles by B. Samer, T. E. Rott, and Paul Bailey. The scoring was completed in the last of the fifth with three more runs on three Ashbury errors and singles by McDermott and Davis.

Citizens wins second game

Saturday, June 27 Citizens Fidelity won its second game of the week with Bob Mattingly (6-1 record) pitching a five hit shut-out over the Lions Club, 11-0. He was supported by his team's 14

hit attack.

In the first inning, a single by T. Frenz and a home run by B. Mattingly produced two runs for Citizens.

Two more runs in the second inning resulted from a single by Merrifield and a home run by T. Frenz. In the fourth inning, the Citizens team unloaded 8 hits and scored 4 runs on singles by T. Frenz, B. Compton, B. Lampert, J. Johnson, L. Merrifield, and S. Bachman.

Two more runs were added in the fifth on a single by B. Dorsey and a walk to Cam Willis. They both moved up on stolen bases and scored on a two base hit by B. Mattingly.

The fifth run came in the sixth with a walk to J. Rosenbortg who moved to second on a wild pitch and to third on a passed ball. He scored on an infield out by T. Frenz.

Saturday, June 27 Kim Tuell of Showers Shop and M. Wessner of Ashbury-Berman made a pitchers' duel of their game Saturday with Tuell pitching and bailing his team to a 1-0 victory. The score came in the fourth inning when Tuell hit his sixth home run of the season over the center field fence. Tuell leads the league in home runs. The only other hits in the game were singles by B. McDermott and P. Bailey of Showers. A single by M. Mudd of Ashbury spoiled the no-hit game for Tuell.

having won the Eastern District championship last Friday in the 13-and under age group. With her trophy for winning the 10-year old girls' division is Jan Dawson, 3510 Hillside Ct.

STANDINGS

National League, June 27

	W	L
Citizens Fidelity	12	2
Showers Shop	11	3
Lincoln Income	8	8
Lions Club	8	8
Ashbury-Berman	3	11
Kiwanis Club	3	13

who struck out 12 and walked one, M. Wessner struck out 5 and walked none.

Lions 00100 3 4 2
Citizens 01101 3 4 2
Wp T. Frenz, Lp G. Upton
HR B. Mattingly, G. Upton
JRM B. Mattingly

Kiwanis 01000 1 0 3
Lincoln 30123 9 11 3
Wp D. Allen
Lp M. McGee

Ashbury 00000 0 0 4
Showers 15263 17 11 1
Wp B. Elliott, Lp C. Rhodes
HR D. Samer, P. Bailey, K. Tuell

Citizens 22042 11 14 1
Lions 00000 0 5 2
Wp B. Mattingly, Lp C. McGee
HR T. Frenz, G. Mattingly
JRM B. Mattingly

Showers 00010 1 0 0
Ashbury 00000 0 1 1
Wp K. Tuell, Lp M. Wessner
HR Tuell



TWO REASONS why third place Showers Shop is giving other teams in the National League trouble are Kim Tuell, left, and Bobby Elliott, who have pitched three no-hit, no-run games this season. Bobby threw a no-hitter against Ashbury-Berman last week, winning 17-0. Earlier in the season Kim pitched two no-hit no-run games, including a perfect game in which he faced a minimum of 18 batters and allowed no one to reach first.

July 2, 1963

July 2, 1964

Courtesy *The Voice Of St. Matthews:*



George Kirwan comes home to a welcome from his Dairy Queen teammates after knocking a homer that also brought home Kevin Hill and put the Queens ahead 5-3 of Jim Booher Chevrolet last Saturday. The Queens won 7-3.

DANNY ALLEN
Pitches no-hitter

Tonia Champe, Jennifer Jones (center) surprises her father, Vernon Jones, supervisor at St. Matthews playground, with her table tennis prowess, having won the Eastern District championship last Friday in the 13-and under age group. With her trophy for winning the 16-year old girls' division is Jan Dawson, 3510 Hillsboro Ct.

July 2, 1964

Baseball game also set for Ruthers' 'fry

A baseball bonus is in store for persons attending a fish-fry to be given tomorrow at the St. Matthews Community Center by the Babe Ruth League.

The fish fry is scheduled to raise funds to help pay for the operation of the league.

But it also comes at a time when what could be the feature game of the 1964 Babe Ruth season comes up.

At 6 p.m.,--right in the middle of the fish fry hours--Cooke-Pontiac and Mario's Pizzeria, the teams battling for the lead in the season's race, meet head-on.

The fish fry will begin at 4:30 p.m. and continue until 8 p.m. There will be carry-out service and the prices are \$1 for adults and 50 cents for children.

Youngsters who might not be interested in the baseball games--there will be a second one at 8 p.m. between Lincoln Income and Standard Oil--will be able to occupy themselves with the rides scheduled to be on hand.

July 9, 1964

Falcons drop first, Riley has no-hitter

By Jerry Lynch

The Falcons lost their first game of the season last Wednesday as the Pirates topped them five to four. The Falcons two previous wins over the Pirates had both been no-hitters by Tony Bellucci.

This time though the Pirates banged starter Bob Dorwart for five runs on five hits in the first two innings. Bellucci relieved in the second and he shut the Pirates out for the rest of the game though they touched him for their first two hits from him this year.

Jim Helm went all the way for the win, he had no trouble until the top of the fifth when the Falcons four run rally fell short. In the other action that night, the Mustangs trounced the Wildcats 14-1. The Wildcats had three pitchers but, each to no avail as the Mustangs banged out 14

hits, starter Gray took the loss.

Greg Spald went all the way for the Mustangs giving up four hits, striking out eight and walking two.

The Falcons had to come from behind the next night to top the Mustangs 5-4 in an eight inning thriller. Hal Brozman came in to assist starter Howell in the second inning pitching 5 1/3 innings of no-hit ball to take the win. The Mustangs were one out away from victory when an error allowed what should have been the final out to reach first, three walks, a double and another error allowed the Falcons to tie. They won in the next inning on four straight walks.

In the next game that night Dutch Riley threw the third no-hitter of the year all pitched against the Pirates. The Wildcats won 6-0 as Riley struck out eight, walked three,

allowed only four baserunners as the Pirates could manage to hit the ball out of the infield only three times. Joe Schmidt, starter for the Pirates, took the loss.

The Cooke Mack League is set up on a split season basis this year with the winner from the first half playing the second half winner for the pennant. The next night with a 5-3 victory over the Wildcats the Falcons clinched the first half season of play.

Tony Bellucci chalked up his fourth win of the season but for the first time needed relief help as he allowed his first earned run of the year.

Don Howell came in and relieved Mike Simpson and Dutch Riley of the Wildcats, no easy task as both are hitting well above .300. Terry Rogers took the loss for the Wildcats, he was relieved by Gray in the seventh but not before he

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had struck eight out, Bellucci struck out eleven before he came out.

The Mustangs won their third game in four outings Sunday night as they trounced the Pirates 7-1. Brian Elliot went

all the way for the win giving up two hits, striking out 11 and walking three. It was his first win of the year. Fred Helms was the loser for the Pirates as he received relief help from Joe Schmidt in the second.

The Falcons lost the season with an 8-1 record. The Pirates dropped their last two games to go into a tie with the fast coming Mustangs for second with 4-5 records. The Wildcats 2-7 record puts them in the cellar.

July 9, 1963

Ruthers select all-stars

An All-Star team which combines power hitting with speed will represent St. Matthews in the annual district Babe Ruth Tournament to be held at the St. Matthews Community Center July 23-24-25.

Managers of the six major league clubs in the St. Matthews Babe Ruth League have selected these 15 boys, each of whom is 15 years old:

Butch Baird and Jim Schoenbachler, from Lincoln Income; Frank Hartley and Kenny Roederer of Gateway Supermarket; Jim Adams, Merrill Barnett, Chuck Moser and Tierney Sullivan of Cooke-Pontiac; Doug Ahrens, Gayle Cox and Terry McMahon, from Mario's Pizzeria; Carl Slesser and Ed Wolf of Jim Booher Chevrolet, and Larry Butler and Cubby Horlander, from Standard Oil.

The All-Stars have a team batting average of .311.

Through last weekend's games the players who will carry St. Matthews' hopes had hammered out 14 home runs--exactly one-half of the total hit in the league which has 90 boys participating.

The Stars also had accounted for six of the league's eight

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Football tryouts set August 1

Little League football officers will meet Sunday night to draw up this season's schedule and other administrative chores to get the season underway next fall.

The first tryouts will be held at 9 a.m., Saturday, August 1 at the Community Center for boys 9 through 13 years old. Another tryout will be held later.

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Ruthers select all-stars

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triples; 35 of the 101 doubles recorded this season in league play, and together the 15 Stars had plated 55 percent of the league's total of 442 runs batted in, and scored 57 percent of the runs failed in the league for the season.

Statistics also indicate that Manager Howard Camnitz has a team that can run. Of 516 stolen bases recorded through last weekend, the Stars had snatched 101 of them--or 47 percent of the total.

In the pitching department, the Stars include five hurlers who have worked more than 30 innings each in league competition. They have a combined won-lost record of 21 victories against 14 losses through 49 games.

The five pitchers--Schoenbachler, Hartley, Adams, Ahrens and Butler--also have struck out a total of 297 batters, or 41 percent of the league's 730 strikeouts.

Hartley, Adams and Ahrens all have seen service this season against teams from other leagues that will participate in the district tournament.

They were successful in leading Cooke-Pontiac to a July Fourth victory in an invitational tournament at Pleasure Valley.

Tournament teams besides St. Matthews will include two from Pleasure Valley, one from Rangeland and one from Okolona. The draw has not yet been made.

Schoenbachler is the top hitter among the Stars with a season average of .413. Moser is the top home run hitter, with five, and he also leads in runs batted in with 23. Ahrens has five doubles to be the leader in that department, while Barnett is the stolen-base leader with 12.

Among the pitchers, Hartley has set the pace in throwing strikes. He has averaged slightly more than 11 strikeouts for each seven-inning game and has a total of 78 whiffs to his credit. Ahrens has the best earned-run average, a fine 1.97, and Adams has the best won-lost record at 6-2.

For the first time this year the Babe Ruth program also will include an all-star game for 13-year-olds. The district tournament in that category will be played at the St. Matthews Community Center July 26-27 and the winner--along with the older Stars--will go to Owensboro for a state meet the following weekend.

For the 13-year-old All-Star team, which will be directed by Jim Snider, St. Matthews managers named:

Mike Belanger, Charles Lotze, Henry McCoy of Lincoln Income; Mark Hamm and Nick Weber of Gateway Super Market; Alan Abo, Jim Mauck and Steve Ridge, of Cooke-Pontiac; James Roland, Gary Snider and Steve Zeh of Mario's; Mike Cole, Bobby Hook, Kevin Hogan of Jim Booher Chevrolet, and Marty Minogue and Ed Rosenberg of Standard Oil.

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Falcons win first half of Connie Mack season

BY JERRY LYNN

The Falcons became the official winners of the first half of the Connie Mack Season in this last rain disturbed week. Though only one night's play was allowed because of the rain, no one could have caught the Falcons, so the second half of the season will continue regularly.

The Falcons, even though they had already clinched the title, showed no signs of letting up by beating the Mustangs 5-1 last Wednesday night.

Ken Howell went all the way for the Falcons as he gave up only two hits. Howell struck out 12 and walked four in taking his second win from the Mustangs this year.

Matt Bellucci, starting pitcher for the Mustangs, went only two and one-third innings but took the loss. Dick Mayer came in to relieve Bellucci

in the third inning of the first half of the season.

In other action last night the Wildcats took the arm of Bill Gray to a 6-0 victory over the Pirates. Their third this year. Gray threw but six pitches in his two hit shut out. He struck out five and one ball was a fly to center field; all the other outs were infield grounders. The Pirates used three pitchers, Jim Helm, Roy Durbin and Barney Meel. Barter Helm took the loss.

Much of the Falcons' success in sustaining their 5-1 record can be credited to their .300 team batting average, compared to .183 for the Mustangs, .182 for the Wildcats, and .189 for the Pirates.

The Falcons also have many of the leading hitters in the league: Chuck Roberts - .500, Tim Mappin - .440, Tim Brian - .400, Jim Bunnell - .360, and Hal Brozman - .345. Finally they have a strong pitching staff with Ken Howell, Bob Lurward, and Tony Bell-

ucci leading the way with two wins and a 1-1 record.

YOUNG BATTERS

Based on 15 official at bats:

Chuck Roberts	Falcons	.500
Tim Mappin	Falcons	.440
Tim Brian	Falcons	.400
Jim Bunnell	Falcons	.360
Mike Simpson	Wildcats	.360
Boch Rife	Wildcats	.348
Hal Brozman	Falcons	.345
Terry Holloway	Pirates	.302
Mike Gowan	Mustangs	.278
Tony Bellucci	Falcons	.268

New summer brightness can be added to the interior of the home with a few simple and easy touches. Drawers of unfinished chests can be done in bright colors. Bathroom accessories can be made vivid red or blue. The mantelpiece can be painted a favorite color and have its whole complexion changed with decorative tiles which pick up colors in the room.

July 16, 1964

Cooke takes one-game lead in Babe Ruth play

Cooke-Pontiac, loser of its first three games, moved into a one-game lead this week in the St. Matthews Babe Ruth League after Mario's Pizzeria lost two straight decisions.

Cooke took over sole possession of first place at a time when each of the league's six teams had only three games left in the regular season.

The leaders made their big move last Friday in defeating Mario's who had led most of the season 3-1, on the one-hit pitching of 13-year-old Steve Hodge.

Then on Monday night in a marathon game which lasted until after midnight, Standard Oil handed Mario's its second loss in a row. The Oilers won, 9-8, in eight innings, one frame more than regulation.

In other weekend games, Lincoln Income stopped Standard Oil, 6-1, on Saturday and Jim Booher's Chevrolet trounced Gateway Supermarkets, 15-2.

Among the farm clubs, Reynolds Metals defeated Liberty National, 6-1, while Rotary Club beat Elks, 12-4, and came back on Monday to whip Liberty, 9-2.

In Cooke's victory over Mario's, Hodge took the pitching victory when Chuck Meyer drove in the winning run in the top of the eighth inning and later added an insurance run by scoring himself. Gayle Cox had the only hit off Hodge, Doug Ahrens was the losing pitcher, despite striking out 11 Cooke batters.

Oilers win

Mike Miekler of Standard Oil and Jackie Charley of Mario's

each went the full eight innings on Monday as the Oilers dimmed Mario's chances of winning the pennant.

Dugie Morris and Mike Devers each had three hits in four times at bat for Standard, with Morris driving in three runs. For Mario's, Jim Noland had three hits, including a double.

Standard's Cubby Horlander allowed the Lincoln batters only three hits in the Oilers' loss on Friday, but sloppy fielding behind him turned victory into defeat.

Lincoln opened the game by scoring four runs, all unearned, in the first inning. Bill Giannini later poked a two-run homer to end the Lincoln scoring. Horlander led the Standard team at the plate, with two of the four hits allowed by Lincoln pitchers Hutch Baird and Jim Schoenbachler, who took the win in relief of Baird.

Jim Booher exploded for 11 hits and 15 runs in its biggest hitting output of the season in mauling Gateway. Leading the attack were Ed Wolf and Jeff Stamper. Wolf collected three hits in four tries, including a triple. He drove in five of the Booher runs. Stamper had two hits in three times up.

Frank Hartley's last inning double plated the only two runs scored off Booher's Huzzy Giannini. Ken Roederer was tagged with the Gateway loss.

Reynolds win

In the farm system, Reynolds' victory over Liberty was its first in four attempts--

despite the fact that Reynolds has led the league almost all the way. Reynolds relied on the strong pitching of Walt Koren to pull them to victory. Koren allowed only one hit, a second-inning single by Ken Smith. The Reynolds hitting was evenly distributed with eight of the Metalmen getting safeties off losing pitcher Jim Richardson.

Rotary and Elks each pounded out five hits in their game, but Rotary was on the heavy

end of the run-scoring. Jim Taylor pitched and batted Rotary to victory in collecting a double and three runs batted in. Steve Phillips chipped in with a double, good for two runs. Benny McDonald paced the Elks with one hit in two times at bat.

On Monday, Rotary's Tony Omer was credited with the victory over Liberty's Ken Smith. Dennis Thomas had two hits for Rotary as did Jim Richardson for Liberty.

Little League tourney starts

The Little League District Tournament will begin this Wednesday for some 5,000 boys in the Louisville area, Joe G. Rapp, district commissioner, announced this week.

Valley Village and Marydale will start the play at Marydale. Next Thursday play will move to St. Matthews where the St. Matthews Nationals will meet Jeffersontown at 6 p.m. On Friday will find St. Matthews American meeting Black Mud on the latter's field.

Saturday, while Beuchel American will be playing the winner of Valley Village at the Village field, the winner of the St. M. National-Jeffersontown game will play the winner of the St. M. American-Black Mud game. Both games will start at 2 p.m.

Other teams in the tournament will be Shawnee, Valley Sports, Camp Taylor (North and South), Valley Sports National, Brandenburg and Okolona.

The championship game will be played at Black Mud July 28.

July 16, 1963

Courtesy The Voice Of St. Matthews:

Citizens wins National League pennant

Mattingly, Compton, Frenz lead batters

On Monday evening, July 6, Citizens Fidelity won their second straight National League Pennant. The win over Kiwanis Club made their record 16 wins against 3 losses and put them 2 games ahead with only 1 game to play.

This year, again, the strong point of the Citizens team was their good defensive play. The leading batters on the team were Bud Mattingly .529 and 7 home runs, Bill Compton .375, and Tom Frenz .299. The pitchers and their records were Bud Mattingly 7-1, Tom Frenz 7-2, and Cam Willis 2-0.

In beating Kiwanis for the pennant, Frenz allowed only one hit.

Editor's note: Coverage of the National League through the season has been possible through personal sacrifices of Mrs. E. A. Rosenberg and her family. Ed, who was injured last fall, followed the League and did a double duty.

Citizens scored the run in the fifth inning on a single by Bill Compton, who scored on an error on a double by Bud Mattingly. That made home for the second time.

In the third, a hitless inning, the Lions scored two runs on a double run by Mattingly. Another run was added in a sacrifice bunt by

in lining on a single by Jim Rosenberg and a double by Jody Johnson.

The fifth inning saw Citizens score two runs on a walk to R. Langer who was brought home by Mattingly's second home run of the game. The final Citizens run was scored in the sixth by Rosenberg who got on base on an error and scored on a single by R. Dorsey.

Kiwanis Club got their only run in the last of the sixth on a walk to R. Hyland, who was trotted at second by J. Hogan. Jay went to second on a wild pitch and scored on an error on a ball hit to Mike McCord. The only

hit of the game for Kiwanis was made in the first inning by Mike McCord.

Showers wins

Tuesday July 7 - Showers Shop, with R. Elliott pitching, beat Lions Club 8-2.

In the top half of the first inning, R. Elliott hit a streak of wildness and the Lions Club scored two runs on walks to P. Miltack, J. Fox, G. Upton, and M. Johnson, and a fielder's choice on a ball hit by R. Walker.

In the last of the first, Showers narrowed the gap to 2-1 by scoring one run on an error on a ball hit by D. Boone, walks to K. Tuell, J. McRimmon filled the bases, Boone scored on a fly ball by W. Moore.

In the second, Showers Shop went ahead 4-2 by scoring three runs on a double by R. Wimmer, single by D. Boone, a walk to Robinson and a home run by P. Bailey.

The final two runs were scored in the fourth inning by Showers on a walk to Frederick and Paul Bailey's second home run of the game. Other hits in the game were singles by J. Gardner, Paul Miltack, and Joe Fox.

Ashbury-Berman

Wednesday, July 8 - Ashbury-Berman, with Bob Deats and R. Rhodes pitching, beat the Lions 10-0. The Lions' home team 14-6.

The first inning was wild with Ashbury scoring 9 runs and Lincoln 6. Ashbury scored three runs on walks to D. Rhodes, M. Mott (2), R. Skirrow, B. Deats and singles by D. Rhodes and B. Deats (2). Mark Wimmer hit a home run with the bases loaded.

Lincoln became narrow in the gap by scoring 6 runs on a walk to M. Hellich, interference by the catcher on M. McDermott and singles by S. Kimes, D. Allen, M. Heger, and B. Curran. Both teams scored another run in the second inning.

Ashbury scored on M. Wimmer's singles as Mark went to second on a stolen base and he tried on a wild pitch and scored on a single by D. Rhodes. Lincoln scored on a home run by D. Allen.

In the fourth inning, both teams scored again. Ashbury scored 4 runs on walks to Hager, Anas, T. Hinson, and D. Rhodes, and M. Mott's single. An error allowed three runs to score.

Lincoln scored once more when D. Allen reached first on an error, stole second, went to third on a wild pitch and then scored. The game was called because of darkness in the top of the fifth inning with Ashbury at bat.

Kiwanis falls

Thursday, July 11 - R. Rhodes pitched Ashbury-Berman to a 6-3 victory over Kiwanis. Kiwanis scored first in the first inning on a double by R. Tenny, but went to third on a stolen base and scored on a wild pitch on a ball hit by R. Dorsey.

In the top of the second, Kiwanis scored two runs on an error and a hit by W. Rosenberg. Mott was forced by the ball, forcing Walker putting back on second, Rhodes and he tried on a wild pitch, and scored on a fielder's choice.

In the last of the second, Kiwanis tied the game by scoring two runs on a walk to R. Skirrow. Price went to second on a passed ball, and scored on a single by R. Wimmer. Mark scored on an error on a ball hit by T. Heger.



PENNANT WINNERS—Front row—Bob Dorsey, Larry Merrifield, Mike Tierney, Jim Rosenberg, Rick Deutsch and Joe Stamper. Rear are Rob Lampert, assistant manager Ed Rosenberg, Bud Mattingly, Bill Compton, Steve Bachman, Cam Willis, Jody Johnson and Tom Frenz and Manager Sam Frenz.

The fourth inning saw Ashbury score one run on a single by M. Wimmer. Mark stole second and third and scored on an error on the throw to third base.

Ashbury completed their scoring in the fifth with three runs on a walk to D. Rhodes, a single by Anas, a double by M. Wimmer, and a fielder's choice on a ball hit by R. Rhodes.

Kiwanis came within one run of tying the game in the sixth by scoring 3 runs without a hit on walks to Kiele, Kotars, Buckley, Bargo, Tassar, and McLeod. The 16th hit of the game was Mark Wimmer who went 3 for 3.

Citizens loses

Saturday, July 11 - having won the pennant earlier, Citizens' managers allowed the boys to play positions of their choice and were beaten by Showers Shop 7-0. Kim Tuell pitched for Showers.

Showers Shop scored three runs in the first inning on singles by P. Bailey, K. Tuell, W. Moore, and R. Elliott.

The next scoring came in the fourth when Showers scored 4 more runs on a double by Robinson and singles by D. Boone, T. Elliott, K. Tuell, and Frederick.

In the fifth inning Showers scored 5 runs before the game was called with the score reversing to the fourth inning. Walks to B. Sauer, Frederick, Hennes, and J. Tuoh, plus singles by D. Boone, W. Moore, and P. Bailey, and a home run by K. Tuell scored the runs.

The leading hitter of the game was K. Tuell who went 5 for 5.

beats Lincoln

Saturday, July 11 - the Lions Club, with John Kaster pitching a 2-hitter, outscored the Lincoln Income 3-1. D. Allen of Lincoln, also, allowed only two hits.

Lions broke into the scoring column in the second inning with one run. G. Upton walked and went to second and then in third on passed balls. Gary scored on a fielder's choice on a ball hit by Joe Fox. Mike Johnson singled

but D. Allen retired the side with no further runs scored.

The score was tied 1-1 by Lincoln Income in the third with walks to P. Wimsatt, M. Belchick, and Schilling and a single by S. Jenson scoring the run.

The game remained deadlocked until the fifth when Lions regained the lead with two runs. J. Kaster walked. An error on a ball hit by M. Johnson put runners on first and second base.

A walk to J. Lewis filled the bases. A single by P. Miltack scored J. Kaster, and a fielder's choice on a ball hit by K. Walker scored M. Johnson with the second run.

Other hits in the game included a single by M. Wimsatt.

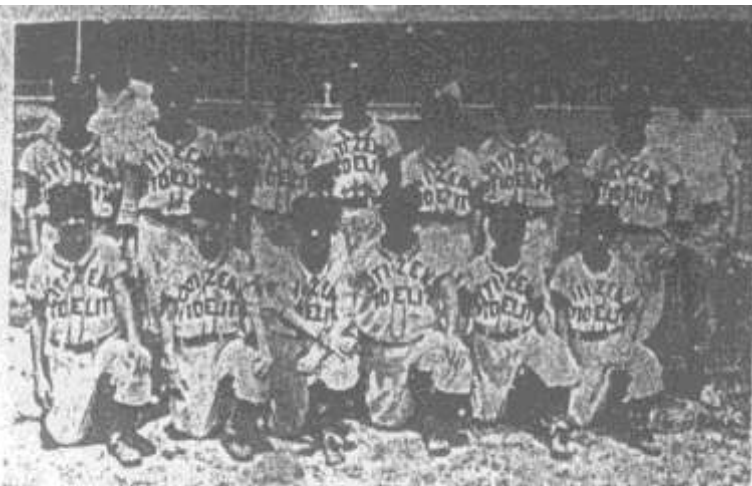
Final Standings

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Citizens 201121 271	16	4
Kiwanis 00001 112	13	7
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MR B. Mattingly (2)		
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Football tryouts set Aug. 1, 8

Tryouts for St. Matthews Football League will be held Saturday Aug. 1 and Aug. 8 at 9 a.m. at the St. Matthews Community Center. Boys ages 9 through 13 are eligible to try out. Boys attending the tryouts are required to be accompanied by a parent and to bring a birth certificate.

July 23, 1963



PENNANT WINNERS—Front row—Bob Dorsey, Larry Merrifield, Mike Tierney, Jim Rosenberg, Rick Deutsch and Joe Stamper. Rear are Rob Lampert, assistant manager Ed Rosenberg, Bud Mattingly, Bill Compton, Steve Bachman, Cam Willis, Jody Johnson and Tom Frenz and Manager Sam Frenz.

Courtesy *The Voice Of St. Matthews:*

Little League All-Stars play first game tonight

The St. Matthews Little League, American and National Leagues have selected their All-Star teams and are ready for the District Meet scheduled for this weekend.

The National League All-Stars of St. Matthews will play this evening at 6 p.m. against the Jeffersontown All-Stars.

The American League will play the Black Mudd All-Stars tomorrow at Black Mudd at 6 p.m. The winner of that game will play the winner of the Jeffersontown-St. Matthews National League game on Saturday, July 25 at St. Matthews Community Center at 2 p.m.

American League All-Stars and their batting averages are: Jim Booher Chevrolet--Paddy Elaner .346.

Kentucky Model Shop--Brad Burlew .442; Mike McDermott .497.

Bank of Louisville--Steve Doolittle .254; John Davis .441; Jim Hill .390.

Dairy Queen -- Steve Daub .342; Bill Northcutt .424; Tommy Townsend .235.

Pryors -- Bill Halsay .188; Todd Mickler .389; Tony Scherer .490.

Commonwealth -- John Lewis .250.

American League Alternates are: Steve Caulfield of Bank of Louisville .299; Andy Hallacre of Jim Booher .200; Doug

Martin of Commonwealth .417; and Mike Scherer .360.

Bill Doolittle of the Champion Bank of Louisville team is team manager. Dick McDermott who managed the Kentucky Model Shop team is team coach. He is being assisted by Leo Broering who was coach on the Model Shop team during the regular season.

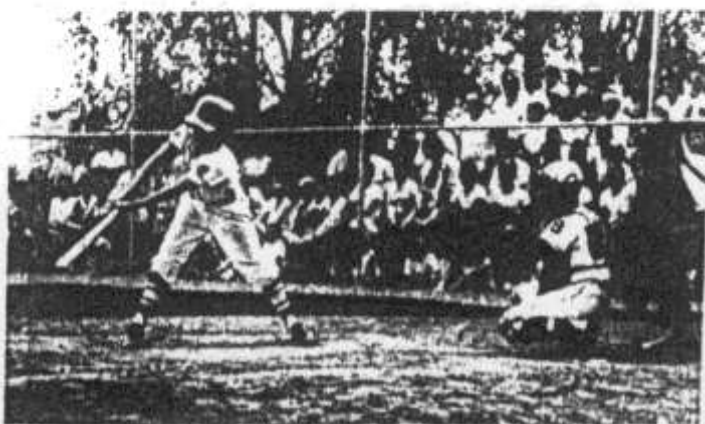
The National League of St. Matthews Little League has chosen the following boys to represent the league in All-Star play:

Tom Frenz, Bud Mattingly, Bill Compton, Bob Lampert from Citizens Fidelity; Kim Tuel, Paul Bailey from Showers Shop; Paul Misback, Gary Upton from Lions Club; Steve Inman, Steve Ridge from Lincoln Income; Jay Hogan, Gary Tassar from Kiwanis Club; and Bruce Skinner, Mark Wiesner from Ashbury-Ber-

This team shows great promise with its power hitting and strong, dependable pitching. During regular season play Kim Tuel lead the league in home runs with 10, Buddy Mattingly and Paul Bailey chalked up 7 apiece and Mark Wiesner put 5 over the fence. In the pitching department, Kim Tuel hurled two no-hitters and Buddy Mattingly one.



The winning combination of masterful pitching, two home runs and excellent team play led the way to victory. First baseman Bill Compton, left, polled one homer; pitcher Kim Tuel pitched this ball and also homered. Manager Sam Frenz gives them the victory hug!



Although Buddy Mattingly laid down a perfect drag bunt along first base, the alert Jeffersontown pitcher threw him out at first.

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AMERICAN LEAGUE ALL-STARS: Front row--Bradley Burlew, John Lewis, Todd Mickler, Tom Townsend, Bill Northcutt, Jim Hill. Second row--Steve Doolittle, Mike McDermott, Bill Halsay, Paddy Elaner, Steve Daub, Steve Caulfield, Tony Scherer. Back row--Bill Doolittle, manager, Andy Hallacre, Mike Scherer, Doug Martin, Steve Chappell, John Davis, Dick McDermott, coach.



NATIONAL LEAGUE ALL-STARS: Front row, left to right--Jay Hagan, Paul Misback, Steve Inman, Paul Bailey, Tom Frenz. Second row--Gary Tassar, Mike Ridge, Bob Lampert, Bruce Skinner, Gary Upton. Top row--Mr. Tuel, assistant manager, Kim Tuel, Mark Wiesner, Bud Mattingly, Bill Compton, Mr. Frenz, manager.

July 23, 1964

Courtesy *The Voice Of St. Matthews:*

Mario's team wins two, ties for league pennant

Mario's Pizzeria, winner twice last weekend, has clinched at least a tie for the pennant in the St. Matthews Babe Ruth League.

While its nearest rival, Cooke-Pontiac, was splitting a pair of games, Mario's edged Lincoln Income, 4-3, on Saturday and came back strong on Sunday to roll over Gateway Supermarkets, 10-1.

Cooke-Pontiac, which had been leading going into the final weekend games, squeezed by Gateway, 6-5, on Saturday but was defeated by Standard Oil, 6-4, on Sunday to have its hopes of a championship all but eliminated.

Mario's and Jim Booher Chevrolet still have a rubber-out game to be played at some future date. The only way Cooke could get a tie for the lead would be for Mario's to lose the makeup game.

In other major league weekend play, Standard also defeated Jim Booher Chevrolet, 3-1.

Gayle Cox slapped a sixth-inning single for Mario's to break a 1-1 tie with Lincoln Income and drive in two runs. Cox scored later when his single went through the legs of the center fielder and rolled to the fence.

Lincoln rallied in the bottom of the seventh and last frame for two runs and had the bases loaded when the final out was made. The 13th-inning run was cut down at the plate on an attempted squeeze bunt.

Mike Kazunas led the Income's at the plate with two hits in two times at bat. Doug Atkins took the victory over hunch Bald.

The Pizzaboy's came back on Sunday, after watching Cooke lose, knowing that a victory would clinch a tie. Mario's trailed after three innings, 1-0, on the strength of a double by Frank Hartley and a single by Tommy Reverman. However, Mario's exploded in the fourth, with the help of five Gateway errors, for 10 runs.

Jim Noland, Chuck Skinner, and Dave Hines each had

two hits to pace Mario's. Tom Heverman and Mark Hamm each had two-for-three at the plate for the losers. Noland, relieving Jackie Charley, took the pitching victory over Ken Hoedeler.

In the game between Cooke and Gateway, the teams traded the lead until the bottom of the seventh when Cooke pitcher Wesley Black laid down a squeeze bunt to score Bob Gammage with the winning run.

Jim Adam's single in the first inning drove in two of the Cooke runs after Gateway had gotten away to a one-run lead.

Bill Sherman and Frank Hartley each poked a double for Gateway with Sherman adding a single. Black took the pitching decision over Hartley.

Pitchers Mike Mickler of Standard and Jim Adams of Cooke were locked in a tight mound duel until the fourth inning when the Oilers bombed Adams for seven hits and four tag runs. Cubby Horlander and Phil Roberts each had two hits to lead the Standard attack. Bob Gammage smacked a double in three times at bat to drive in two of the four Cooke runs.

Standard pitcher Larry Butler and Booher hurler Gene Sparks each allowed four hits in the Standard-Booher game. However, the Oilers managed to get their hits at the right times. Phil Roberts led the Oilers with two hits. Ed Wolf was the big gun for Booher with two hits in four times at bat.

In the farm system over the weekend, Reynolds Metals split a pair of games but still held onto the lead and the Farm Club championship. Steve Phillips led Rotary Club over the champions in a 12-1 slugfest. Phillips had two hits in four times at bat. He also drove in three runs. Larry Culson matched Phillips' performance with two-for-four and three runs batted in for Reynolds. Tony Omer beat Jim Williamson on the mound.

Reynolds then sowed up its league title by clobbering Elks Club, 20-8. The Reynolds boys sent a total of 22 batters to the plate in the first inning as they scored 18 runs.

Larry Ebersold, with three hits in four times at the plate and four runs batted in, was the batting leader for Reynolds. For the Elks, Tom Sims had two hits, including a double.

He also drove in two runs. Mike Smith was the winner over the Elks' Buck Turnbull.

July 23, 1964

Little League grid parents to meet

A meeting for parents of boys participating in the St. Matthews Football League is called for 7:30 p.m. Sunday at the Mall. The year's program will be explained and there will be displays of equipment.

Parents of the boys in the league were urged to attend.

August 13, 1963



Southern Association Champs. Pictured above is the winning Howard Johnson team, who had a season record of 11 wins and 1 loss. Seating left to right in the front row is: Ricky Clem, John Swisher, Bobby Detherage, Mark McAdams (bat boy) and Joe Osborne; second row - Terry Walker, Bobby Allister, Mike Korza, Chip Anthony and Barth Adams; back row Gene McAdams, Mgr., Chris Stapleton, Jim Haddock, Dan Barth, Bobby Stupper, Alan Anthony, Asst. Mgr., and Dallas Hudson, Manager of the sponsoring Howard Johnson restaurant and motor lodge.

August 13, 1963

St. M. Football League names coaches

The St. Matthews Football League is making plans for its fall season. The first try-outs are scheduled for Saturday, Aug. 1 at 9 a.m. at the St. Matthews Community Center. Boys are to bring their birth certificates and one parent.

The league is made up of five-member teams with boys ranging from 9 through 13. A boy must be 9 on or before Sept. 1 and not have reached his 14th birthday by Sept. 1 in order to play. The maximum weight is 130 pounds.

Each boy will be placed on a team. The amount of time he will play depends on his ability and experience. Boys 9 through 11 will play on the "Little" team unless an 11 year old should weigh over 100 pounds, in which case he will be required to play on the "Big" team. Each boy plays a total of eight games in the season.

Another tryout will be held Aug. 8 at the Community Center.

Coaches for the big teams are Gene Fagin, Bears; J. W. Duke, Browns; Sid Fraizer, Colts; Don Schmidt, Lions, and Harry Frye, Rams.

Little team coaches are Buddy Ridge, Bears; John Hyland, Browns; Don Colbert, Colts; Pete Van Note, Lions. Coach for the Rams Little Team has not been selected.

Larry Bauer, of Jefferson-town, is president of the Football League this year. Other league officers are Dick Duesch, vice president; Charles Skinner, secretary; and Bill Pickering, treasurer.

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Babe Ruth players begin play today for state crown

St. Matthews All-Stars
compete in Owensboro
after winning district title

A trip to the State Babe Ruth tournament is something which all local All Star teams look forward to. Each year it seems, one of these teams dominates the district II tournament, the team—St. Matthews.

Today the St. Matthews Babe Ruth All Stars begin play for the State crown at Owensboro. The Ruthers won the tourney 2 years ago at Campbellville, and last year runners up at Bowling Green.

Nats trip Valley 4-3

St. Matthews Nationals All Stars won the District title with a 4 to 3 win over Valley Sports Tuesday night at Black Mud, and will go on to Owensboro next week. Pairings there had not been announced.

In the bottom of the first inning, St. Matthews took one run on singles by Tom Frenz, Bud Mattingly, and Mark Wiesner.

In the second, Valley scored two runs, taking the lead, on a single by Miller and a home run by Bullard. In the third, they got another home run by McGrath.

Although St. Matthews threatened, they trailed 2 to 1 going into the last of the sixth, when they scored three runs to win the game.

Lead off batter in the sixth, Bill Compton, was hit by a pitched ball, a double by Gary Weaver put runners on second and third. The next man struck out. Tom Frenz hit a single to drive in Bill Compton. Weaver held at third and Frenz moved to second on the throw in. Neal then up struck out, making two out. Kim Tuck hit a home run over the left field wall scoring Frenz and Weaver.

Winning pitcher was Tom Frenz; losing was Danoff. St. Matthews tallied two runs, nine hits, no errors; Valley sports had eight hits.

July 30, 1963

Americans lose to Black Mud

The long-awaited play-off between the American and National Little League All-Stars of St. Matthews will have to wait for another year. Friday night the American League All-Stars invaded the fair of the Black-Mud Little League only to be repulsed by a score of 7 to 4.

For the first two innings the American's appeared to be headed for victory that would have set up the game they have all been waiting, however after leading 1-0 at the end of two innings the game became an ugly battle. Black-Mud scored 4 in the third - two hits of the barrage being home-runs. Veteran Little-League spectators

perceived that one of these home runs was about the highest hit ball they had seen for a long time. It appeared to be staying in the ball park but it dropped over the center field fence with feet to spare.

The fourth inning brought on another barrage of 3 runs for Black Mud and it appeared to be all over for the gallant American League.

St. Matthews' half of the fourth inning started off with a single by Chappel followed by a home run by Northcut. The rally was short lived and the inning ended -- Black Mud 7, American All Stars 3.

The sixth inning started off like a blood transfusion - McDermott beat out a bunt. Hill was put on first after being hit by a pitched ball. Scherer made first on a fielders choice error. With the bases loaded and no outs it looks like we were on our way. (false impression) The next two batters struck out followed by a walk to Mickler that forced in a run. The game ended on a sharp hit to the second baseman and a good throw to first.

Against the Americans, Hartley struck out 15 of the 22 possible outs and walked only three. Jim Schoenacker was the Matthe's heavy hitter with a two-run homer and a double good for four runs tallied in.

In defeating Okolona, Doug Atkins won the game for St. Matthews. In allowing only five hits, The Matthe's defense collected only 3 hits. Ed Wolf lead the way by picking a home run and a double.

In other All-Star games, Pleasure Valley West beat Okolona 3-0 but then found out they had lost 11-2. Pleasure Valley North beat 12-1 and the same Okolona team 11-2.

An all star attraction this year was the 15 year old All Star Reuter. In this two day affair the St. Matthews 15 year old followed in the footsteps of their fathers as they topped Pleasure Valley 11-2 and Okolona 11-1.

Jim Scherger pitched and struck out 10. Scherger and Steve Scherger had doubles for St. Matthews.

Blake was the winning batter in the nightcap giving St. Matthews 7 hits to the Matthe's 2. Nick Weber with a double and a single and 3 R.B.I.'s was the games hitting star.

The 11 year olds play today in the first round of the State which is also played at Owensboro.

Falcons in Connie Mack lead; three-way tie seen

By Jerry Lynch

For the first time this half of the season the Falcons are in the lead they had a lock on in the first half of the year in the Connie Mack League. The Falcons were in a two way tie with the Mustangs going into Thursday night's action. The previous 10 games of a four-game week schedule had been rained out.

The Wildcats topped the Falcons in that game putting those two teams tied with 3-3 records. The Wildcats won 6-3 as Butch Riley went all the way for the win. Riley gave up five hits struck out nine and walked three.

The game was tied 3-3 going into the sixth. With the bases loaded an outfield error on a

ball hit by Riley allowed three runs to score to end the game. Tony Bellucci took the loss - his first of the year.

In the second game, the Pirates topped the Mustangs to throw the league into a four-way tie with all three teams sporting 3-3 records. Jim Nolin went all the way for the win in a game shortened to four innings because of time.

Helm have up two hits, struck out 10, and walked four. Bruce Mayer, the starting pitcher, took the loss. He was relieved by Greg Spald in the third.

When the Mustangs met the Wildcats the next night the first five Mustang batters hit safely in the beginning of a 13 hit attack. The final score Continued to page 11.

Little League football pleads for more boys

Only 63 boys came out last Saturday for Little League football tryouts and League officials are pleading for more boys, and hoping for enough to fill the ranks this Saturday when another tryout will be held at 9 a.m. at the Community Center.

Pete Van Nole, League publicity chairman, said the League needs 150 more boys, age 9 through 13, for the 10 teams. There have always been vacancies for boys in the

League, Van Nole said, but added that double sessions at Westport High School adds to the League's recruiting problems this year.

The League plays its games each Friday night, starting about 6:30, and during those hours boys within the Little League age brackets are in school.

Each team which is divided into a little and big division now have only about 20 boys in each division. "That isn't enough boys, Van Nole said, for nearly every boy will get to play at least some."

The small division are ages 9-11 years old and the large division are from 11-through 13, with 100 pounds the dividing line in the 11 year olds. The weight limit in the large division is 130 pounds which over-weight boys have until September 3 to reduce to that figure.

While this Saturday will be the last official tryout, boys will be accepted until September 11, the night of the second games. Boys are being accepted from this entire Eastland area.

Players held over from last year and new recruits will start their first two-hour practice session late in the afternoon August 17 on Seneca field. The sessions will be held three times each week until the first game on September 4, at the Community Center.

Players furnish their own gear which they may get at discount prices through at least two local sporting goods stores. The gear is approved according to safety factors by Little League officials.



Tony Blatz, 426 Breckinridge Ln., gives the old college try in Little League football tryouts last Saturday. Tryouts also be again this Saturday at 9 a.m. at the Community Center.

FINAL SCORE

BLACK MUD 7
ST. MATTHEWS 4

Starting lineup:
Davis and Mickler
McDermott and Mickler
In relief, Haley for
McDermott as catcher

STARTING LINE UP

Chappel RF
Northcut 3rd
Mickler C
Elaner CP
Scherger 1st
Davis P
McDermott 2nd
Deedline LP
Lewis SS
Gherard

Duck
Hill
Haley

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Grid league still needs 100 players

St. Matthews Little League desperately needs 100 more boys.

The last two tryouts only acquired 60 boys and another tryout is scheduled at 9 a.m. this Saturday at the Community Center.

Also a workday is scheduled at that time by the player's parents to bring the field in shape—marking off, erecting goal post and cutting grass, among other things.

There are vacancies for more than a dozen on each team.

Pete Van Note, League official, this week noted that the league "is a building one" for the area's high school

teams. They are accepted for the league from this entire east end area.

The teams began practice Monday afternoon and will continue through September 4, when the season opens.

Until school begins the teams may practice two hours a day as many days as they choose. When school begins they will be limited to three days each week.

August 20, 1963

Connie Mack begins play for world series crown

St. Matthews Connie Mack League has again upheld the area's baseball reputation this year, after both the Babe Ruth and Little League dropped out of national attention.

The Cougars captured the Great Lakes Regional championship Monday night in Fort Wayne, Ind., and yesterday were to begin play in the Connie Mack World Series at Springfield, Ill.

They will be competing against eight teams.

St. Matthews captured the regional title by defeating Terre Haute, Ind., 11-4 and Racine, Wis., 3-0.

They dropped Terre Haute in the morning, after getting off a 3-0 lead and gradually increasing it. They put over six runs in the seventh to clinch the game.

Jim Helm, Bob Dorwart and Mike Mills batted for St. Matthews, and gave up seven hits to Terre Haute.

In the zone 2 title game against Racine Monday night, Ronnie Howell struck out 11 while giving up only four hits. St. Matthews scored twice in the third on singles by Terry Holloway, Tim Brian and Tim Mappin. Also a fielder's choice aided their cause.

They scored their other run in the sixth when Cape Henderson walked, went to third on Larry Muttall's single and came home on a double-play,

defeating Detroit.

St. Matthews reached the region finals Saturday by defeating Detroit, which had been undefeated in three games, 7-4.

The locals batted from behind as Detroit put over three runs in the first inning. The Falcons came back with three runs in their half and added two in each of the third and

fourth.

Helm, who took over for Howell, turned in a good performance as reliever, striking out 11 and walking only two.

St. Matthews got 11 hits to Detroit's 5. Dutch Howell contributed three of the sacrifices, one of them a double, and Jim Howell and Cape Henderson each provided two runs.

August 27, 1963



Jay Hogan shows his kicking form for the Big Lions as the season gets underway tomorrow night.

Little League gridders ready, but need players

Tomorrow night the Little League will take to the grid. Iron here is a wide-open season that last year was dominated by the Lions.

Though there'll be 250 boys, from age 9 through 13, the league will be about 50 boys short, largely due to double sessions at Westport High School which will prevent some of the boys in the 12-13 year-old bracket from playing.

It's anybody's guess as to who will emerge the winners this year, with the Lions as defending champions. But they are not as optimal as formerly, for gone are Ricky Jackman and L. J. Panther

by the over-age route.

Those two players gave the Lions last year a double scoring punch.

Meaning the loss, Lions Coach Don Schmitt said his ranks are short.

Play, however, is scheduled to get underway at 6:30 p.m. on the Community Center grounds, following speeches and other ceremonies.

Mayor Bernard Bowling and Trinity Coach Paulie Miller are expected to help send the boys ceremonially off. The speeches will begin at 5:45.

The league officials and players will be introduced.

The usual schedule where the large and small divisions will play a half each and then

rest for a half will be followed.

Opening will be the Lions against the Browns and at 8:30 will be the Bears against the Rams.

The league will be open to players until game time next Friday night, September 11.

League officials who will be on hand are Elmer Bauer, president; Dick Deutsch, vice president; Charles Skinner, secretary; and Bill Pickering, treasurer.

Dems register more than GOP

September 3, 1964

Courtesy *The Voice Of St. Matthews:*

National, American All-Stars split in Jefferson League

After the first inning there was never any doubt. The National League All-Stars romped to a 13-6 win over the Americans last Saturday in upper age group in the Jefferson League.

Pat O'Leary, the first National batter, laced out a single, and Bryon Slaughter followed with another and Murray Howe brought them home with a double.

Greg Ellerkamp then got the fourth straight hit, and John McIntyre added another before the inning was over and five runs crossed the plate.

Tom Smith was the winning pitcher, going all six for the Nationals. John Cameron went the route for the Americans. Ellerkamp's homer helped the National cause.

For the Americans, Russ Mercke had 2 for 4 including a double, John Lavelle had a double and John Cameron, Dave Vincent and Frank Beaver hit safeties.

In the 8-9 year olds' games played Friday, the American League made a clean sweep of both games.

In one game, American Leaguers Bob Schinder, Glen Roney and Perry Johnson gave up a scattered 5 hits in winning 11-9.

National League pitchers Joe Elder and Dan Minogue only gave up 4 hits but three of these were in the second and third innings when the Americans scored 9 runs. Schinder had 3 for 3, including two doubles while Charles Moore had a double. Paul Cox had 2 for 4 for the Nationals while Joe Elder and Dan Walsh had doubles.

In the other game, the Nationals had a 4-1 lead in the third. The Americans tied it up at 6-6 in the fifth and then slammed in 4 more runs in the sixth to win 10-6.

For the Americans Henry Semple had a single and then a double, and, with the help of National errors, scored. Russ Mercke had a double and Patterson a single.

American pitchers were Steve Dixon and John McDermott. For the Nationals were John Murphy, Jeffery Shaw, Charles Moore, and Kevin O'Brien. Charles Moore and Keith Kugler had the only hits for the Nationals.

Giants get pennant

Prior to the All-Star games, the Giants swept up the Jefferson League pennant in two straight games against the Indians.

The Giants jumped to a 7-0 lead at the end of the second behind a home run by Greg Ellerkamp, doubles by Jake Author and Gary Benasing and singles by Ellerkamp, Benasing, Murray Howe and Billy

Paula.

Doubles by Author and Benasing added four more scores. In the fourth, Ellerkamp's single, Dave Wagner's double and Jack Winter's single added three more scores in the sixth and the end of the game, win-

ning 14-5.

Ellerkamp went the route for the Giants while Tom Johnson and Paul Klein were on the mound for the Indians. Klein's home run with three men on in the fifth was the Indians' big play.



Little Bears Coach Buddy Ridge gives instructions to his recruits to the team who were chosen last Saturday in tryouts. Clockwise from Buddy are Ward Plancher, Wayne Farria, Bill Burnley and Tommy Wiley.

August 13, 1963

Courtesy *The Voice Of St. Matthews:*

Connie Mack reach finals fall to California 4 to 0



Connie Mack--World Series runner-up-- Back Row: Left to right-Richard Palmer, Coach, Terry Holloway, Joe Cooper, "Burch" Reverman, Chuck Roberts, Paul Scott, Tony Bellucci, Cape Henderson, Larry Nuttall, Bruce Harrison. Front Row: Left to right-Tim Mappin, Bob Dorwart, Jim Bunnell, Ronnie Howell, Jim Helm, Mike Sills, Tim Brian, Hugh "Sketch" Henderson, Manager, Robin Henderson, Rat Boy. (See story P-1).

Hit 3 home runs against Atlanta, Ga.

St. Matthews Connie Mack surprised many of their followers and brought back the second best trophy in the World Series last Sunday.

They couldn't get by Torrance-Gardena, Cal., the second time, losing the championship 4-0. The Matties dropped their first game in the double elimination play to the California nine.

St. Matthews knocked off Atlanta, Ga., in the opening 1-0 before bowing in the finals, the nightcap.

Winners of the Region I and II, the Connie Mack's, after losing their first world series game in Springdale, Ill., to California, they then retained Colorado 8-1, New York 3-1, Atlanta, Ga., twice, 2-1 and 1-0, and a gain fell to California.



Walter. Last of the Little Lions tries to run the ball in a practice session against a mare, Steve Bauer. Walter, one of the smallest players on the squad, almost pulled a successful reverse last year.

Witnesses say St. Matthews' most spectacular play came against Colorado when Bruce Harrison, Mike Sills and Jim Bunnell hit home runs back to back, 325 feet over a 10-foot fence.

St. Matthews got its lone run, but enough, against Atlanta, from Jim Bunnell's triple and a sacrifice fly by Dutch Reverman in the second inning.

But Mike Sills on the mound for St. Matthews allowed the Georgians only three hits while striking out eight.

Starting shakily, Sills walked the first two batters in the first inning and then settled down to fan the next two and the fifth batter grounded out.

In the title game, Terry Holloway got the only hit, a single, for St. Matthews in the third inning.

Ronnie Howell allowed the Californians two runs in the fourth, and Jim Helm came in to the fifth after California doubled in their third run. A wild pitch in the seventh allowed the fourth run.

Going into the finals, all three teams had undefeated records. St. Matthews, which had lost to California, now lost to Atlanta twice and Atlanta defeated the champions once.

Having gone the route, St. Matthews brought home a bag full of trophies, and many of the players had hardly enough time to drop their gear in departing for college.

Those going to college are Harrison, who will attend Bellarmine on a baseball scholarship; Tony Bellucci will go to U. of C. on a scholarship; Cape Henderson will attend Western State; Larry Nuttall will go to Montana on a Fine Arts Scholarship; Jim Bunnell will attend West; Jim Helm will attend Florida State on a baseball scholarship; Mike Sills and Tim Brian will attend U. of N. on a great-in-and baseball scholarship.



Gary Thomas of the Big Browns is in trouble on his own 43 yard line as a Big Lion runs him out of bounds in their opener last Friday night.

Big Lions, Bears win league openers

Mike Shane

The Big Lions and the Big Bears became the first teams to taste victory as the 1964 St. Matthews Little League football season opened last Friday Sept. 4 at the Community Center field. The Lions beat the Big Browns 19-6 and the Bears defeated the Big Rams 20-0.

The little Lions and Browns fought to a draw, and the Bears beat the Rams 6-0 on a recovered fumble.

In the Big Lions-Big Browns game the Browns drew first blood. On a good punt by Mark Southard the Browns had the Lions deep in Lions territory, and on third down the Lions fumbled and Andy Gordon of the Browns recovered in the end zone for the score.

The Lions were not to be stopped, however. Their running attack began to click and from there on it was Pat Jones, the Lions quarter back who paced the play. Jones ran for several long gains including the Lions three touchdowns. Kevin Hogan added the Lions only conversion on a run.

Interceptions and runs by Paulie Monroe keyed the Big Bears victory over the

Big Rams. The Bears kicked off but the first time the Bears got the ball they marched 40 yards on a recovered fumble and a final run by Monroe for the score.

The Rams threatened several times but interceptions by Monroe put an end to the Rams drives. Monroe intercepted first in his own territory and ran back 23 yards. In five plays the Bears drove the remaining 30 yards, with Monroe guiding over from the 5 for the goal. The Bears final tally came in the third quarter when Monroe intercepted on the Rams 50 and went in for the touchdown. Monroe also added half of the Bears conversions on runs.

The Little Lions and the Little Bears struggled back and forth across the midstrip for the four quarters as the game ended in a draw. Both teams made drives but neither could keep it up long enough to score.

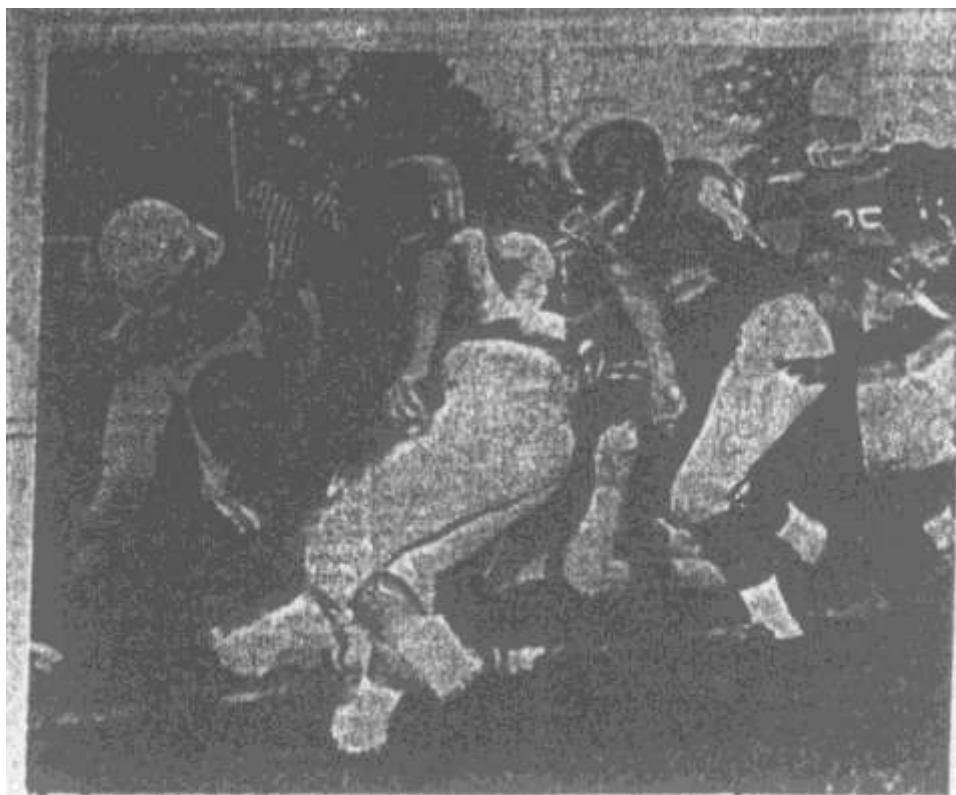
The Little Bears and the Little Rams also had a hard fought game but luck was with the Bears. The Bears fumbled on first down after taking over from the Rams on downs, and when the ball bounced in to the end zone it was pounced on by a host of Bears.

August 10, 1964



Little Lions get high holy work, under 80-degree weather, this week in preparation of their opening season.

September 3, 1964



GETTING INTO TROUBLE is Mike Winset of the Little Browns on his own 30-yard line as a group of Little Lions move in to bring him down. Opening the season last Friday night, the two teams went scoreless. However, the Big Lions won against the Big Browns 19-6.

September 10, 1964

Rams win, Lions, Bears go scoreless

By Mike Shane

The Big Rams dropped a close one to the Big Colts 12 to 6 and the Big Bears and Big Lions fought to a scoreless tie in the Little League football season Friday night at the community center field.

Passing and good defense were the things to watch in the Big Colts - Big Rams game. Neither team scored in the first quarter as the rugged defenses held back drives by both teams, but early in the second quarter the Colts' Steve Dietche, loomed

yards and the score. Trailing 6-0 at the half the Rams decided to put on their own aerial show, and in the fourth quarter John Carnes threw a pass to Charles Gutterman. Gutterman decided that the only safe place was the end zone and when the dust cleared he had gone 40 yards and tied the score. The Colts weren't giving up though, and so, with a minute remaining Dietche hit Blanton for 40 yards and the winning touchdown. Other standards for the Colts were John Lewis, Jim Gardineer, and Mark Boone, and those for the Rams were Skip Tadlock, Howard Klein, and Turner.

The Big Bears and the Big Lions, both of whom were victorious in their openers, played to a tie in a game that showed strong offense and defense. The Bears moved the ball well with Paulie Monroe, Paul Feagan, and Steve Ridge standing out on offense. The defense led by Monroe, Mark Hamm, and Feagan succeeded in stopping the Lions before they reached pay dirt.

The Lions looked good too. Bob Jones, Doug Apel, Richard Brown, and Kevin Hogan were the leading ground-gainers for the Lions offense. Jones, Brown, and end Steve McGuire headed the Lions defense. McGuire made several key tackles and recovered a fumble. Jones and Brown made many tackles as well as working the pass defense. Brown's interception of a Bear pass stopped a drive in the fourth quarter.

September 17, 1964

Big Lions on top, beat Rams, Browns, Colts tie

By Mike Shane

The Big Lions moved into the lead in the senior division of the St. Matthews Little League football games as they triumphed over the Big Rams 16 to 0 in the action Friday night.

In other games the Big Browns and Colts fought to a 6-6 tie, the Little Colts beat the Little Browns 17-7 and the Little Rams held the Little Lions to a scoreless game.

A blocked punt, a long pass, and a Ram fumble were the key plays in the Senior Lions victory. Late in the first quar-

ter the Lions blocked a Ram punt and recovered on the Rams' 2 yard line.

Bob Jones went over for the score and Kevin Hogan added the extra point. In the second quarter Jones passed from his own 30 to Steve McQuire for 25 yards. Then on 10 and 12 yard runs by Kevin Hogan and Jay Hogan the ball was on the Rams' 3 yard line.

Fullback Rich Brown took it over the score and Kevin Hogan added the conversion. The Lions' other 2 points came late in the second quarter when the Lions forced the

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Tugging hard to bring down, Dick Crosser of the Little Lions is Ram Randy Martin. Crosser moved to the Rams' 15 yard line, before Martin nailed him.

Big Lions on top, beat Rams 16-0

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Ram into their own end zone for a safety.

In the second half the Ram defense, lead by Skip Tadlock, Charles Sutterman, and George Turner, tightened and did not allow the Lions to score.

In the Big Browns - Big Colts game the Browns took an early lead as Mark Southard ran 25 yards early in the second quarter to set up Gary Thomas 5 yard plunge for the touchdown. The game then became a see-saw battle as both sides threatened.

The Little Colts, spearheaded by the running of Steve King and the passing of Larry LaMasters, rolled to an easy victory over the Little Browns. The Colts scored early by catching the Browns' kick and went for the score on LaMasters' pass to Chip Block. Kings 2 yard run, and a final drive by King. LaMasters then added the extra point.

In the second period the Colts added another safety as LaMasters tackled Skip Bethune in the Browns' endzone. The Colts' final tally came in the closing minutes of the game. LaMasters passed to Block

for 5 yards and the touchdown. With only a minute to go the Browns still didn't give up, however. On the second play from scrimmage after the kickoff the Browns' Scott Childress went 50 yards for six points and then went on to add the extra point.

The Little Lions and the Little Rams fought to a scoreless game as alert defenses stopped the offensive moves of both teams. The Rams, lead by Armond Judah, Randy Martin, William Sprigg and Gary Carnea held the Lions and never let them get a drive started. Standouts for the Lions included Bill Leavell, Dick Crosser, Mark Bauer, and Tim Hogan.

After three weeks of play the League standings are:

Senior division				
	won	lost	tied	
Lions	2	0	1	
Bears	1	0	1	
Colts	1	0	1	
Browns	0	1	1	
Rams	0	3	0	
Little division				
Colts	2	0	0	
Lions	1	0	2	
Bears	1	1	0	
Rams	0	2	1	
Browns	0	2	0	

September 24, 1964

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Big Browns beat Rams, Bears nudge Big Colts

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Play was fast and furious in the Little League football action Friday night. The Big Browns slipped past the Big Rams 20-14, and the Big Bears nudged the Big Colts 14-12.

For the first three quarters it looked as if the Big Rams were rolling to an easy victory and their first win of the year. Midway in the first quarter Stan Black intercepted and ran the ball back 50 yards for a score. Chris Kauffman added the extra point.

In the second quarter John Carnes pitched out to George Turner and Turner went 55 Yards for the Rams second touchdown. Carnes ran for the conversion, and the Rams led 14-0 at the half.

In the third quarter the Browns came back for six points when Charles Speth went three yards for the T.D. The Brown's drive in the fourth quarter ended when Gary Thomas threw to Andy Gordon for 8 yards. Speth added the extra point. Then with a few minutes remaining the Rams center adjusted the ball as he got ready to hike.

The Brown line pounced on the ball and the officials ruled it the Brown's ball. Mark Koenig, the Brown's quarterback took the ball in from the Rams 10 for the score and then added the extra point to make the final score, Browns 20, Rams 14.

Actually, it was the pass catching of Andy Gordon in the second half that broke the Rams back. Gordon pulled in six passes for a total of 93 yards and one touchdown.

In The Big Bears - Big Colts game the lead changed hands 3 times before the Bears pulled it out 14-12. The Colts took the opening kickoff and ran 38 yards for a touchdown.

Steve Deulish passed to Bob Blanton for 10 yards to get the score. The Bears bounced

right back and ran 40 yards for their first score with Paul Feagan going over from about the one yard line for the score and Steve Ridge added the extra point. The Bears actually scored twice in the drive but Ridge's 40 yard pass play to Jim Alexander was called back on a penalty.

In the second half Deutch again passed to Blanton and the Colts led 12-7 as Blanton went 18 yards for the touchdown. The Bears came back with another 40 yard Ridge to Alexander touchdown pass and Mark Hamm added the extra point.

Hamm was also instrumental in setting up the Bear scores. Hamm, a replacement for the Bears starback, Paulie Monroe, who sustained a broken collar bone in practice, ground out several first downs to keep the Bear's alive. The win pushed the Bears into a first place tie with the Lions who were inactive.

The hard play in the Big games were carried on in the Little division as the Browns defeated the Rams and the Colts rolled over the Bears 18-6.

The Rams - Browns game was close all the way. The Brown's jumped out to an early lead when David Anderson went over from the 8 for the touchdown. The Brown's held their 6-0 lead until the closing minutes. Then Jim Elbert ran around and for 15 yards and a Brown touchdown.

The Little Colts, again led by the running of Steve King,

swept over the Little Bears. King went over from the one for the first Colt score. In the second half John Spring went 10 yards for the Colts second score. Jim Elbert finished the Colt scoring on a two yard plunge for the third touchdown. The bears weren't to be denied a little vengeance, however, and Jim Gruba ran for 7 yards and the Bears only score.

October 1, 1964

Courtesy *The Voice Of St. Matthews:*

Big Lions lead again; Little Colts undefeated

MIKE SHANE

The Big Lions regained first place in Little League football Friday night as they stormed over the Colts 33-0 and the Browns moved into a second place tie with the Bears by upsetting the Bears 6-0.

In the Big Lions - Colts game the Lions capitalized on Colt fumbles for 3 touchdowns. The Lions first scored late in the first quarter when Jay Hogan pounced on a Colt fumble on the Colts' 4-yard line. Kevin Hogan took the ball in for the score and Doug Apel ran the extra point.

Late in the second quarter Steve McQuire recovered another Colt fumble on the Colt 25. In seven plays the Lions had another score, Apel taking honors this time with Dick Brown adding the conversion. The Lions final tally in the first half came when Dan Jackman recovered a fumble in the end zone.

In the second half the Lions reopened the scoring early as Doug Apel picked up his second T.D., on a 30 yard gallop. Then in the fourth quarter Kevin Hogan added another score on a 48 yard sprint and Dick Brown closed the scoring with the run for the conversion.

Bears plagued by injuries

The Big Bears, hampered by injuries, fell to the Browns in a close defensive battle. On the second play of the game the Brown's Charles Speth running behind an unbalanced line to the left on a fast snap, caught the Bears napping and raced 55 yards for the games only score.

Then on the game was an even match as each team's drives were frustrated.

The passing combination of Steve Hodge and Jim Alexander of the Bears, which has been effective of late, failed to click as a cool wind played havoc with passes. The Brown's were in the same shape. Andy Gordon, their star receiver saw little action,

Steve Deutsch of the Colts, who had hit paydirt with a pass in every game, was also stymied.

Little Colts win

In the Little division the Colts were again the big story as they swept to their fourth straight win in as many starts, making them the only undefeated, untied team in either division.

It was Steve King, the Colts' versatile back, who took the honors. King picked up a total of 14 points in the 20-0 victory with Larry LaMaster's adding the other six. King was also a standout on defense as he ran back punts to set

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up scores and intercepted a pass.

The Little Brown's managed to move into second place, however, as they triumphed over the Bears 13-0. David Anderson was the key man in the Brown's attack. Until the fourth quarter, neither team had scored. On the first play of the period David Anderson swept downfield for 50 yards and the score. Skip Bethune ran the extra point. Anderson didn't stop, however, and on the last play of the game went 30 yards for the final six points.

With the season half over the standings are:

Big Team

	Won	Lost	Tied
Lion	3	0	1
Bears	2	1	1
Browns	2	1	1
Colts	1	2	1
Roms	0	4	0

Little Team

	Won	Loss	Tied
Colts	4	0	0
Browns	2	1	1
Lions	1	1	2
Bears	1	3	0
Roms	0	3	1

October 8, 1964

Big Browns fall to Lions; Big Bears win

The league leading Big Lions added another victory to their slate by dumping the Browns 19-0, and the Big Bears handed the Rams their fifth setback 17-6 in the Little League football action Friday night.

On a night that was very cold long run-backs were not unusual as the runners managed to elude the frozen fingers of the tacklers. As a rule the passing games of all teams were hurt and fumbles were also common.

In the first half of the Lions-Browns encounter neither team could move the ball, but in the second half the Lions roared out for a quick lead. Jay Hogan took the Browns kickoff and scrambled downfield for a score.

After the Lions got the extra point the Browns tried the same thing as Andy Gordon returned the Lions kick scoring took place in the first half and not the second.

The Rams-Bears game was really a seesaw battle all the way, with all of the scoring coming within one minute. The Bears scored first. Pete Mickler recovered a Ram fumble on the 5-yard line. In two plays Chris Gault picked up the T.D.

The Bears glory was short lived. When they kicked off, Andy Servi, a lineman, grabbed the kick and threaded his way upfield for 40 yards.

The play was called back on a penalty, however, and on the Bears' first play Jay Hogan intercepted. In two plays the Lions had another touchdown, with Kevin Hogan doing the running this time.

After the fast start the second half became as slow as the first. Finally in the fourth quarter Rick Brown went over from the four for the Lions final tally. This was the second win for the Lions against the Browns and the last time the teams will meet in regular competition this season.

The Bears-Rams game was much like the Lions and Browns. In the first half there was no score. When the second half opened Steve Ridge ran the Rams kick back for 60 yards and a Bear touchdown. Early in the fourth quarter the Bears scored again. Danny Allen took the ball in from the six.

The Rams score came in the late stages of the game when John Carnes intercepted Ridge's pass and returned it 30 yards to the Bear's 13 yard line. After several futile attempts to gain the Rams fumbled, but luck was on their side and when the ball bounced into the endzone Sam Black fell on it for the T.D.

In the Little division the Rams revenge their loss to the Bears in their first meeting by edging them 7-6 and the Browns shut out the Lions 14-0.

Play in the Little division was much like that of the Big teams, except that all the the Ram tally. When the Rams added the point after they took the lead and held it.

The Browns win over the Lions was not any tamer than any of the other games. The Browns started by marching back with the opening for their first score. They went 40 yards in six plays, with Gary Willis doing the scoring and Skip Bethune adding the extra point.

The Lions then started to move. After the Browns kicked the Lions worked their way down to the 3 yard line where it was first down and goal to go. There the Lion drive was stopped.

Quarterback Bill Leavell couldn't get his team to move the two yards. On fourth down Leavell attempted to pass. The pass was grabbed by Dale Anderson of the Browns, and Anderson promptly turned the interception into the longest run-back of the evening.

October 15, 1964

Courtesy *The Voice Of St. Matthews:*

Big Lions eye crown against Big Rams tomorrow night

By Mike Shane

The Big Lions with their 48-0 win over the second-place Bears, have clinched at least a tie for first place in the senior division of the Little League football program. If the Lions win their game against the Rams tomorrow night they will have clinched the championship.

In the other games the Big Colts downed the winless Rams 18-6. The Little Colts increased their string of victories to five by beating the

Rams 20-0 and the Little Lions edged the Little Bears 7-0. In the Lions 48-0 romp over the Bears everyone in the Lions backfield had a field-day. Quarterback Bob Jones picked up three T.D.'s and an extra point. Kevin Hogan scored twice and also added a conversion. Dick Brown had a touchdown and also ran for two extra points. Doug Apel gave the Lions their other two extra points.

The Lions scored nearly every time they handled the ball. They had it nine times during the game and hit pay-dirt 7 times. The first quarter saw Jones and Hogan pick up their first tallies. In the second quarter Jones picked up his other two to finish his scoring and to give the Lions a half time advantage of 27-0.

When the second half got underway the Lions were still on the move and Hogan ran the Bear kick back 45 yards for his second touchdown. As play proceeded Brown and Jones added their scores and when the game ended the Lions had the ball on the Bears 20, driving for another touchdown.

In the Big Colts - Rams game Mark Bothwell was the star as he picked up all three of the Colt tallies. Until late in the first half the game was deadlocked, but on first down the Colts fumbled deep in their own territory and Steve Chappell of the Rams recovered the fumble and went in for the Rams only score. The Rams glory was short-lived for Bothwell ran the kickoff 65 yards for his first touchdown.

In the second half it was all the Colts. The first time they got the ball they drove 57 yards for the touchdown, with Bothwell going in from the seven yard line. Bothwell soon got the ball back for the Colts after the kickoff when he intercepted a Ram pass. In a few plays Bothwell had his final touchdown on a four yard run. Assisting Bothwell in the Colts effort were Steve Deutsch and Bob Blanton. Deutsch and Blanton teamed up on passes or several key gains which set up the Colt scores.

As usual in the Little Colts - Rams game it was Steve King the Colt fullback who provided the impetus. The Colts got the ball on the Ram five yard line early in the game when the center for the punt was bad and in two plays King picked up the touchdown and then added the conversion. The Colts scored once again during the first half when King raced 20 yards for the score. When King ran the extra point the Colts lead 13-0.

In the second half it was Larry LaMaster the Colts quarterback who got the Colts final tally when he went for

5 yards and the T.D. Also vital to the Colt effort were Mark Campagnano and John Sperring, both of whom ran for good yardage.

In the Little Lions-Bears game the two teams fought back and forth the whole time. The Lions had the luck, however, and when Donald Baumann recovered a fumble deep in Bear territory, Bill Leavell the Lion quarterback was able to score and Mark Baur added the extra point.

Big Lions, Little Colts win championships

By Mike Shane

The Big Lions clinched the championship in the senior division and the Little Colts did the same in the junior division as they each emerged victorious after Friday's Little League football contests.

The Lions victory came at the expense of the winless Rams 35-0, and the Colts achieved their sixth win in beating the Browns 32-6.

In the other games played Friday the Big Browns defeated the Big Colts 19-6 and the Little Lions beat the Little Rams 20-0.

In their second big win in as many weeks the Lions played for half control and did not attempt a pass all evening.

Again it was the running of Lions backfield which gave them the edge. The Lions scored early in the game when Dick Brown plunged over from the one yard line. T.D. Bob Jones

and Kevin Hogan, who are one-two in the Big teams in rushing for the year each picked up two scores.

Jones first came on a 11 yard gallop in the second quarter and his second came in the final period when he swept out for 17 yards. Hogan's two tallies came in the third quarter on runs of five and ten yards. The Lions converted on each extra point. Hogan picked up one and Doug Apel ran for the other four. The Little Colts, the only undefeated, untied team in their division also struck paydirt earlier in the game as they took the opening kickoff and marched 45 yards in plays with Steve King going one from the 3 for the score. This was but the first of Kings three touchdowns. King, the rushing and scoring leader of the Little division, scored on runs of 10 and two yards.

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In the second and third quarters.

Chap Block was another effective runner for the Colts. He picked up two T.D.'s. His first came on a 10 yard run in the third period.

His second came in the final moments of the game as he snugged a pass from Ricky Deutsch and went into the end zone from 20 yards out. John Spring added two extra points to complete the Colts' scoring.

The Browns' only retaliation came at the beginning of the second half when David Anderson ran the kickoff back 70 yards for a touchdown.

In the first half of the Big Browns-Colts game the Colts looked like they were well on their way to their third victory. They were moving well and when Bob Blanton picked up a fumble and returned it 71 yards for a touchdown the Colts had the edge they needed. But the Browns had other ideas and in the second half they exploded for three touchdowns.

The big men in the Browns' second half thrust were Mark Southard and Scott Duke. Southard ran for two scores on runs of 13 and 10 yards. After an interception by Andy Gordon the Browns had the ball deep in Colt territory. Duke picked up the remaining 11 yards in 3 carries. When Southard added the conversion the Browns' triumph was assured as time ran out.

The Little Lions and Rams played a closer game than the score indicated. The Lions scored first when Tony Gentile took the ball into the end zone from the four. The Rams bounced right back and tied the score when William Sprigg tossed a pass to Jodie Burgin that was good for 20 yards and the touchdown.

As play progressed the Lions tried aerial tactics of their own and on the last play of the half Bill Leavell completed a pass to Sammy Blustein for 12 yards. When Gentile added the point after the Lions had a halftime advantage of 13-6.

In the second half play was slower as both teams tried to move without luck and it was not until late in the final period that Mark Baur plunged over from the 2 yard line for the Lions final touchdown. Gentile closed the scoring with the extra point.

League still strong

Big Colts hold off Bears

By Mike Shane

Even though there is just one week of regular competition left and the championship of each division has been decided the play, in the Little League football program Friday was still as strong as ever. The Big Colts held off a late rally by the Bears to win by a score of 12-7, and the Browns defeated the Rams 14-7.

The Big Colts were first on the scoreboard in their game with the Bears by virtue of Mark Bothwell's 30 yard touchdown run early in the second quarter. After the half the Colts scored again when Steve Deutsch grabbed a Bear pass and streaked 40 yards down the sideline for the Colts final touchdown.

The Bears soon began to fight back. The Bears favorite play in their attack, and one which was very effective, was a pass by Steve Ridge, quarterback, to either Jim Alexander or Mike Ridge, the ends. The ends would in turn lateral back to fullback Danny Allen and block for him. The play gained the Bears valuable yardage and put them within striking range of the Colts. Finally, Allen went over from the two for the score.

When Steve and Mike Ridge teamed up on a pass for the extra point the Bears needed only a touchdown to go ahead. After they had stopped the Colts they began marching down field. The Bears had the ball on the Colt 20 with a few seconds to go when Tom Frenks of the Colts intercepted a pass.

The Big Browns controlled the ball most of the time in their victory over the Rams, and it was not until the Rams opened up their passing attack that they began to move against

the Browns. The Browns first score came early in the second quarter when Charles Speith plunged in from the two yard line. Speith added the extra point on a run.

The Browns final score came when Mark Southard cracked over from the four in the last quarter. Southard hauled in a pass from Gary Thomas for the conversion. The Rams were not to be denied, however, and with a few minutes left they began to move as Ricky Hascal passed alternately to Charles Gutterman and Skip Tadlock.

The Rams score came on a 15-yard pass play to Gutterman. John Carnes became the first person to kick an extra point this year when his kick, practically blocked by a Brown

player, hit the crossbar and fell over.

In the little division the Colts and the Browns added decisive victories to their records as the Colts beat the Bears 20-0 and the Browns handed the Rams a 20-6 setback.

The Little Colts jumped off to an early lead when Ricky Deutsch passed to Mike Bryant for 30 yards and a touchdown on the third play of the game. As the second half opened, Steve King, the Colts fullback ran the kick-off back 50 yards for a touchdown. The Colts final score came when Bryant pulled in another pass, this time from Chip Block, for 20 yards. Mark Campiano and John

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Spring gave the Colts their two extra points on runs.

For most of the game it looked as if the Browns would shut out the Rams. The Browns scored first on a 4-yard run by David Anderson. The Browns scored once more before the half when Skip Beathune plunged over from the 1 and Bob Schindler added the extra point on a run.

In the third period Larry Urban closed the Brown scoring with a 4-yard run for the final tally. Schindler again ran for the conversion. The Rams fought back, however, and with just a few moments remaining Randy Martin took the ball over from the three for the T.D.

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In the second half the Lions tightened and it was not until the last few minutes of the game that King was able to spring loose from 60 yards and the final Colt touchdown. Bill Hoback gave the Colts their only extra point on a run.

Until the middle of the final period the Little Browns - Bear game was a real deadlock. Each team gained only to become stalled in their drives. Finally, the Browns fullback, David Anderson, managed to break away from Bear tacklers and went 35

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New building under way for apothecary

A new building now under construction for the Middletown Apothecary is expected to be completed within the next three or four months, according to O. E. Mayer, manager.

The new store at 11714 Main St., Middletown, across from the First Baptist Church, will be of colonial style, with concrete block and brick, and will have 2,400 square feet of floor space. There will be a large glass window in front and an overhang above a seven-foot sidewalk. There will be parking spaces at the front and at the side.

Mr. Mayer said the store will carry the same services in the regular drug store lines and hospital equipment rentals that it now has at the present location at 11715 Main St. He said plans are to increase the line of greeting cards and to have small gift items.



Rake and burn is the job these young folk, members of Church on Shelbyville Road church. From left are R



The Little League Football Colts got vocal support from their cheerleaders, organized by Mrs. Charles King. The cheerleaders, Ronie Puerbach, Marlon Sternberg, Sally Scott Hoback, Sherry King and (front) Luann Huback, made their own pennants and sweaters.

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Browns	5	2	1
Lions	3	3	2
Rams	1	6	1
Bears	1	7	0

November 12, 1964

November 19, 1964

All-Stars edge Lions 6-0, Little Colts breeze to win

Mike Shane
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With the playing of the all-star games last Friday, the St. Matthews Little League football season of 1964 came to a close. In these final games the Big Stars pulled out a 6-0 decision over the Lions, champions of the Big division, and the Little Colts, champions of the Little division, defeated the Little All-Stars 20-6.

The Big division teams, where a boy must be 13 years of age or less and weigh not over 130 pounds to participate, fought a very close battle. In the first half neither team could move the ball closer than the 25-yard line and there were only three first downs with the stars getting two of these. The Stars gave the fans a thrill as the half ended when on the last play Steve Ridge passed to Bob Blanton for 50 yards. The alert Lions defense, headed by Bob Jones and Kevin Hogan stopped Blanton before he could get away.

In the second half the tough play continued but the Stars managed to pick up their winning margin. Steve Ridge passed to Andy Gorden twice in a row for 27 yards to set up the score. Mark Southard was credited with the T.D. on an 8-yard run. The Lions fought back but the Stars defense held through the fourth quarter to clinch the victory.

In the Little division, where the boys are 11 years old or younger and weigh a 100 pounds or less, the Little Colts proved themselves champions once again as they added a 20-6 win over the All-stars to complete a perfect season.

The Colts opened a good lead over the Stars in the first half as they outpointed the Stars

14-0. Their first score came when the Colts drove for a safety and 2 points. When the Stars kicked from the 20 Steve King returned the kick for a touchdown. A few minutes later as the half drew to a close King looped a pass to Mike Bryant for 45 yards and the Colt's second score.

On the opening kick of the second half, the Colts picked up their final tally when King again ran the ball all the way back for a score. After this the All star defense tightened and the All stars began to move the ball. Finally, as the third quarter ended Skip Be-
thune carried in from the one
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part line and David Anderson picked up the extra point to seal the scoring for the game.

After the All stars games had been played presentation of awards took place. Each boy who was a member of either All-star team received an award. (See story on All Stars in other part of paper). Also, the boys from each championship team, the Little Colts and the Big Lions, received an award and the championship trophies which they will keep for a year.

The coaches of the championship teams, Don Covert for the Little Colts and Don Schmidt of the Big Lions, also got an award. The leading scorers, Bob Jones in the Big division and Steve King of the Little division, were given trophies. Finally, all the boys who are 13 and ineligible to play next year received a souvenir award.

All stars

The All Stars in the Big division were:

Lions - Bob Jones, quarterback; Kevin Hogan, fullback; Mark Brown, fullback; Paul Jennings, tackle; Don Jackson, tackle; Jay Hogan, center; Tom Brown, guard; Doug Apel, fullback; Steve Brundage, end; Gary Jennings, end; Ed Bellamy, safety; and Tom Adams, guard.

Bears - Don Alexander, end; Bill Walker, guard; Larry Brown, center; Danny Allen, center; Mark Brown, tackle; Paul Ferguson, tackle; Steve Ridge, quarterback; and Paul Thomas, fullback.

Colts - Bob Schmidt, end; Larry Price, tackle; Stewart Temple, guard; Steve Smith, fullback; Tom Brown, fullback; and Mark Jackson, tackle.

Bears - Charles Gatterman, end; Jim Price, tackle; Tom and Klein, guard; John Carney, and Skip Talbot, quarterback; and George Turner, fullback.

Browns - Andy Gorden, end; Earl Smith, tackle; Mike Chapman, tackle; Scott Duke, guard; Arch Curran, guard; Mark Southard, back and Charles Speth, back.

The Little All Stars are: Colts - Steve King, Mike Bryant, John Spelling, Mark Caplanato, Earl Fry, Larry Lamaster, John Koenig, Chip Block, Steve Blanton and Mark Wilson.

Lions - Tony Gentry, Mark Bauer, Steve Bauer, Bob Elshup, Don Brown and David Branson.

Bears - Chip Spelling, Harry Martin, Mark Miller, John Miller and John Burgess.

Browns - Gary Ridge, Pete Miller, Doug Miller, Don Duke and Dave Van Meter.

Browns - Billy Lantill, Donny Brown, Mike Smith, David Anderson, David Duke, Larry Brown, David Thompson, Gary Miller, and Skip Be-
thune.



They're not dancing to a rock-n-roll number, but trying to grab a pass intended for Big Lion Bob Jones (55) while All-Star Jim Alexander (12) makes a try for the ball, which goes over their heads and out of bounds. The Big Lions won 6-0. (Story on page 1).



All-Star players Larry Urban of the Browns picks up 10 yards before being nabbed by Steve Blanton of the Colts in the little division. The colts won 13-7.

November 19, 1964

Veech named president of Community Center

Robert Veech, newly-elected police judge of the city of Plantation, will head up the St. Matthews Community Center next year.

He was named president of the center last week from the traditional vice president's post. J. W. Coombs is the new secretary and Bill Pickering was re-named treasurer. The vice president's post is yet to be filled.

Mr. Veech, 40, has been on the City of Plantation's ruling body since it was incorporated in 1960, serving most of the time as mayor of the sixth class city. Last February he was appointed by Governor Breathitt to an unexpired term of police judge and he was elected to the post on November 3.

An attorney, he still has an active role in most affairs of the sixth class city.

Mr. Veech also has been active in the St. Matthews Lions Club, and presently is the club's secretary. He was president last year of the Louisville Claims Men's Association, and is a trustee and on the Official Board of Watkins Memorial Methodist.

In business life, he is claims manager of the Great American Insurance Company for Kentucky. His office is in the Marks Building.

He is a Mason and a Kentucky Colonel.

Mr. Veech is a native of Shelbyville, and came to Louisville from the army following World War II. He graduated from the University of Louisville with a law degree in 1962. He was employed for a while with U. S. Fidelity & Guaranty Insurance Company.

He and Mrs. Veech have two

children, Larry, 8, and Michael, 6. They live at 2525 Hermitage Way.



VEECH

December 3, 1964

Connie Mack to be honored

Connie Mack Baseball National runnerups will be honored at a banquet Monday, Dec. 28, at 6:30 p.m. at the Continental House.

The St. Matthews Falcons, who played 17 tournament games to reach the finals of the World Series at Springfield, Ill., will be honored by families and friends. One thousand teams competed in the tournament.

Judge Marlow Cook, Mayor Bernard Bowling, Joe Brown, team sponsor; Pee Wee House and Al LaCombe, guest speaker, have been invited to attend. Movies of some of the state, regional and national tournaments will be shown by James Helm.

Reservations may be had by calling Mrs. Ruth Neversman, 896-6693, or Mrs. Mildred Bellucci, 893-7541.

December 10, 1964

St. M. to seek Federal grant to purchase land May file suit to condemn land

St. Matthews Council Tuesday night proposed to ask for a federal grant of \$27,720 to apply toward purchase of land on which the Community Center is located and also an adjacent tract.

The City, in a resolution, said it proposes to pay \$92,400 for the property, or an average of \$5,000 per acre. It is asking a grant of 30 percent of the estimated total cost.

The grant will be sought through the Federal Housing and Home Financing Administration which offers such grants to urban areas seeking land for open-space purposes.

The application for the grant is being made for the maximum, or 30 percent of the cost. The other alternative is 20 percent, or the minimum offered by the federal agency.

If the 30 percent grant is approved, St. Matthews' share will be \$64,680. If allowed only a 20 percent grant, the City will have to pay \$93,920.

However, the price of the property is proposed by St. Matthews, since the owners have not as yet agreed to sell, according to a St. Matthews official.

The city is reported willing to file a condemnation suit in County Court to obtain the property under its rights of public domain.

In event a suit is filed, City Attorney J. W. Jones said the court will appoint three commissioners to appraise the

value of the property, and each party has recourse to appeal the court's decision in the Court of Appeals.

Mr. Jones said the law is very clear that the city has right to condemn the property for public use.

The tract which the Community Center now uses contains 14.63 acres. It is owned by Shelton Arterburn from whom the City has had a long term lease on the property.

The other tract, adjacent to the Community Center on the north and just south of Blenheim Road, is owned by Frank Garlove, an attorney. That tract contains 3.85 acres.

A source close to the City Father's said Mr. Garlove had offered the tract to the city on a long term lease basis, and said that Mr. Arterburn also had declined to sell the property now used by the Community Center.

Doug Taylor of the City Urban Renewal Agency, who is making the application for the federal grant, said that it may take several months for a definite answer to the request.

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20 years—from potato patch to Center

Nearly 20 years ago the some 14 acres of land now occupied by the St. Matthews Community Center was a potato patch, which has been transformed gradually into recreational facilities which have accommodated thousands of people.

The present facilities, which now consist primarily of three major baseball fields, a large playground area, a building, and parking lot, came about through work of numerous dedicated citizens, despite setbacks and indecisions.

For a time there was a doubt whether the community's only recreation facilities would be only at Waggener High School. But dedicated citizens prevailed and the present facilities began to develop.

Many people close to the Center's operations and growth attribute the success of the Center largely to the need for baseball programs, from which began Little League, Babe Ruth and eventually Connie Mack.

There is no method of determining how many boys have been accommodated through the baseball programs which started at least 15 years ago, but the best estimates are that thousands have benefited some or all the programs.

Little League alone is now accommodating 360 boys each season, Babe Ruth has 150 boys and Connie Mack is using 60 boys. Also 50 to 60 youths are being taught baseball each summer through the County-City sponsored recreation program.

Those who have been close to the baseball programs over the years can't place a value on the programs, other than point out that there are numerous boys who went through the leagues went on to play college baseball and a few to the professional leagues.

All leagues, even the Connie Mack, a relative late comer, have made remarkable records in state and regional play.

Both the Little League and Babe Ruth League have gone to the regionals, having won the state crown, at least twice. Babe Ruth has nearly always gone to the state as winner of the district.

Connie Mack, however, probably topped the highest honor this past season by taking runner-up honors by a small margin in the Little World Series, losing to California.

While baseball has been a major activity at the Center, football has been almost equally an active sport, though accommodating fewer boys.

While there is no official count of the number of families who use the picnic area during the summer, Center officials say the area is nearly always in use. A tot lot, swings, a wading pool and two tennis courts are among recreation facilities there.

The major building has been a focal point of numerous activities, such as dances and club meetings. For many seasons it was used as a community little theatre, and other cultural programs.

Each year improvements are added to the Center's facilities--something usually to improve the over-all recreation program.

January 28, 1965

Courtesy *The Voice Of St. Matthews:*

St. M. Center ended year with money

St. Matthews Community Center ended the year with \$2,253.78 in its checking account and an additional \$2,000 in savings.

Treasurer William D. Pickering, in a financial statement this week, said the Center collected \$7,046.24 in receipts, and with \$2,295 on hand at the beginning of the year brought the total to \$9,341.24. The Center spent \$5,098.46,

The \$2,000 added to the savings brought the account up to \$4,000 which is being held for capital improvements.

The Center is debt free other than two \$1,000 notes against the Babe Ruth League, one due this July 1 and the other due July 1 next year.

However, this is partly offset by nearly \$700 due from pledges and commitments.

Contributions accounted for the largest single source of income, totaling \$3,360.26. Of this the City of St. Matthews contributed \$2,200, and the

other came from civic clubs and churches.

The Baseball March brought in \$1,634.58, and rentals \$205. Leases from the concession stands accounted for another \$1,000, the soft drink machine, \$291.05, and the outdoor telephone \$25.25. Fees from field lights from the Babe Ruth League and football league accounted for \$467.15.

On the debit side, gas and electric service cost \$1,324.81. Maintenance and repairs cost \$518.72. Labor cost \$816.25, and insurance, \$506.12.

Rent on the grounds to S. B. Arterburn for nine months period cost \$540, or \$60 a month.

Recreation equipment cost the Center \$340.54 and taxes \$122.52 -- \$113.95 to the county and state on the land and \$8.57 in sales taxes.

Voll named V.P. of center

Ray Voll, owner of Frankfort Avenue Hardware, has been named vice president of the Community Center and chairman of the Recreation Committee.

The vice president's post puts Mr. Voll in line for president of the Center next year. He has been active in Center activities for more than a dozen years.

Robert B. Veech, Center president, said Joe Neal has been named chairman of the Grounds and Building Committee, and Bill Pickering, treasurer, chairman of the finance committee of which Mr. Voll is also a member.

Mr. Veech said other committee chairman will be announced soon.



The present sign at the Community Center which will be reused. Take note of shape and fit your design accordingly.

February 4, 1965

Talented Youth

- Earn \$10 for best design,
- and pride in its display

You kids with artistic talents have a chance to earn \$10 and also have the pleasure in seeing your work or ideas displayed on busy Shelbyville Road.

Here's the pitch:

The St. Matthews Community Center, which has been dressing it self up more each year, is intending to hang out a newly decorated sign at the entrance on Shelbyville Road.

The Center wants ideas or designs to best advertise activities at the Center, and is offering \$10 to the student, either in elementary school

or high school, who submits the best design no later than March 4.

Entries must be on paper not more than 11 by 9 inches, and must be submitted to George Mauch, 4427 Shelbyville Rd., who is president of the Babe Ruth League.

A good tip is: make the design so it can be used on the sign now at the entrance, as the sign will be re-painted.

Your entry (or entries, there is no limit to the number one may submit) must be postmarked no later than midnight March 4. The winner will be announced March 18.

February 4, 1965

Courtesy *The Voice Of St. Matthews:*

Little League prepares early for season

Even though the icy blasts of winter are still here, there are dozens of men and hundreds of boys in the St. Matthews area whose thoughts are turning to sunshiny days with baseballs. Instead of snowflakes, floating through the air. Plans are already well under way for the 1965 Little League baseball season. Meeting last week, the St. Matthews Little League Board of Directors made final plans for registration, tryouts, and opening day ceremonies for the 1965 season.

Registration is scheduled for two successive Saturdays--February 27 and March 6. All boys, 9 through 12 years of age (as of August 1), who did not play on a major league team last year, should bring one parent and his birth certificate to the St. Matthews Community Center on one of these days between 9 a.m. and 1 p.m.

Tryouts also are slated for two successive Saturdays--March 20 and March 27. In this case, the boys will need to attend both sessions. One

tryout date will be devoted to batting, and the other to fielding.

Opening day of the 1965 Little League season is to be May 8. Starting with a parade in which all of the players will ride, a full schedule of events is planned.

During the ceremonies at the Community Center, all of the teams, players, and sponsors will be introduced. Ed Kallay, of WAVE sports, is to be one of the main attractions, and will talk to the boys and their parents about their duties and responsibilities.

From the time the first ball is thrown at 11 a.m. on May 8, until the last ball floats through the early dusk of the final day of the regular season on July 21, some 750 boys will have had their chance to play. In the 15 years since its founding, many thousands of boys have thrilled to the shout of "Play Ball" in the St. Matthews Little League. Chartered by Little League Baseball, Inc., of Williams-

port, Pa., the St. Matthews program is part of a national effort to give every boy an opportunity to participate in this national pastime. Working under the very close supervision of trained adults, these boys forget barriers of color, race, and creed. Some may make their way to the professional baseball leagues, but the main purpose is to help each boy develop his own talents for baseball and for being a good member of the team.

The Little League program is supported by the team sponsors, through special projects, and through donations. No fees are required of the boys as a basis for participation. Uniforms and equipment are furnished by the league.

Adult leadership is provided on a strictly volunteer basis, often at a very real sacrifice of time and money. They come from a wide variety of occupations, having only one thing in common, a real desire to help young boys

grow into fine young men.

The 1965 president of the St. Matthews Little League is Craig Walker, who lives at 1751 Sulgrave Rd. In his spare time this year, he will double as president of the Walker Bag Company. One of the vice presidents is A. J. Osborne, 605 Yancy Ln., who works at Dupont. The other vice president is Art Draut, 4306 Churchill Rd., assistant principal at Waggoner High School.

The secretary of the league is Hunter Look, 3643 Warner, who operates the Kentucky Model Shop, and who has been a long-time supporter of Little League activities in St. Matthews. Treasurer is Julian Evans, 4025 Plymouth Rd., a soybean grain buyer for Purina.

One important adjunct to the program is the Little League Auxiliary, which includes all of the mothers of the players. This year's Auxiliary president is the wife of one of the vice presidents, Mrs. Pat Draut.

Babe Ruth to sign up, set meeting

The St. Matthews Babe Ruth League will hold registration for the 1965 season on Thursday, March 18 at 6:30 p.m. at the St. Matthews Community Center.

Any 13, 14, or 15 year old boy who lives in eastern Jefferson County and who never has played on a major league in the St. Matthews' program should register.

All boys who played on the farm teams last year must also register. Every boy must present his birth certificate to verify his age.

Also on March 18 the league's 9th annual parent's meeting will be held at 7:30 p.m. at the Community Center. All parents of boys now participating in the program, and the parents of those who are interested should attend.

Films of the 1964 Babe Ruth World Series will be shown.

The new officers of the league are George Mauck, president; Howard Camnitz, first vice president; Jim Morris, second vice president; Hunter Look, secretary, and Mrs. Mildred Clary, treasurer.

February 11, 1965

Little League will continue to benefit by Mrs. Nancy Siegel

No one is more deserving of the top Little League post in the Louisville area than is Mrs. Nancy Siegel. Little League could not be served better by any other one, for already the game owes much to Mrs. Siegel and her late husband for its rapid growth and improvements.

The hundreds of boys in the game and their parents must welcome with a great deal of satisfaction Mrs. Siegel to the top position which her husband held at the time of his untimely death three years ago.

Since then Mrs. Siegel has performed numerous tasks in Little League as she must have during her husband's untiring efforts to establish the League in St. Matthews. Little League in this area is synonymous with the name "Siegel," as baseball officials appropriately recognized in naming one of the three local playing fields Siegel Field in honor of Charles Siegel, who spearheaded organization of the leagues.

Many boys have graduated to bigger leagues and owe much to Little League in St. Matthews. Other boys and their parents must appreciate the continued efforts of Mrs. Siegel in the League.

February 11, 1965 February 11, 1965

Vandals still pose problem

There's just no end to vandalism to the St. Matthews Community Center, so Center officials believe. The automobile has posed their biggest headache.

The officials thought they had partially solved the problem when the parking lot was paved, for it appeared that auto drivers delighted in driving through the loose gravel.

But drivers now have found another outlet. They are reported driving between the Babe Ruth stands and the fence where there is soft dirt and marking the grounds.

Using the auto to pull out the drinking fountain also has been one of the latest acts.

While most damage is deliberate, officials say, there are some instances of damage which is not but just as damaging. Among them was the observance of a small youngster who found a muddy baseball infield a delightful place to play, tramping through the mud and leaving holes in the dirt.

February 18, 1965

Saturday big day for Little Leaguers

The St. Matthews Community Center is scheduled to wake up this Saturday from its long winter's nap. Excited shouts of young boys, serious questions by concerned parents, and the shuffling of cards and papers by community leaders will break the quiet which has existed there for the past several months.

The occasion is the formal beginning of the 1965 baseball season by the St. Matthews Little League. No baseballs will be thrown, except for a few old discolored ones that some of the boys couldn't resist bringing along. (Some manager might see them throwing it around and be impressed.) Only the paper work will actually be started.

Craig Walker, president of the league, has announced that registration will take place from 9 a.m. to 1 p.m. on both this coming Saturday (Feb. 27) and the following Saturday (March 6). Each boy who wishes to register must bring with him his birth certificate and one of his parents, to one of these registration periods.

The name of this activity is "Registration." However, it is more than that to the men and women and the boys involved. To Little League officials it is the culmination of a winter full of planning. To the boys it is the beginning of an opportunity that they have seen older brothers and friends achieve, and about

which they have dreamed. To the parents, it is a "turning loose," a realization that their boy will be "on his own," with his success depending largely on his own efforts and ability.

The area covered by the St. Matthews Little League extends far to the east and north of the city of St. Matthews. Boys living as far east as Dorsey Lane and Boone Lake, and as far north as Goose Creek and the Ohio River, are eligible to participate. Posters showing the exact boundaries, as prescribed by the league's national charter, have been posted in schools and businesses throughout the area.

The only other limitation to participation is age. At one end of the scale are the boys who will celebrate their 20th birthday before August 1. At the other end are the 12-year-olds who will not reach their 13th birthday before August 1. All boys these ages, and those in between, can register.

Once he has registered, the boy will need to attend the tryouts on both March 20 and March 27. On one of these occasions he will have the chance to show his skill at fielding and throwing the baseball. At the other session he will try his hand at batting and running bases.

As was true last year, there will be two six-team "major" leagues, plus two other six-team "minor" leagues. With this arrangement more than 350 boys can be accommodated in the program.

Each team is "sponsored" by a community-minded organization or business. In the National League this year there will be one new sponsor, Duncan Mercury, joining with five other groups continuing last year's sponsorship: Showers Shop, Citizens Fidelity Bank & Trust Co., the St. Matthews Lions Club, Lincoln Income Life Insurance Co., and the St. Matthews Kiwanis Club.

In the American League, the other "major" league, Jim Hooker Chevrolet, the Model Shop, Bank of Louisville-Royal, and Commonwealth Life Insurance Co. will continue as sponsors. League officials are in search of two other organizations or businesses to sponsor the other teams.

In the Southern Association (a "minor" league) two new sponsors provide a complete roster. They are Stouffer's Louisville Inn and Jimmy Lynn's in Middletown. Continuing their sponsorship are Henderson Electric, Standard Oil Co., Howard Johnson Restaurant, and Rodas in the Mall.

In the other "minor" league, the AAA, Fairmade Pharmacy, Boston Shoe Store, and Muse Franck Inc., will continue to sponsor a team. The other team sponsorships are still in a process of being negotiated.

The first games of the 1965 Little League season will be played at the Community Center on May 8.

February 25, 1965

Committees named to Center

Robert Veech, president of the St. Matthews Community Center, Tuesday announced other committee appointments for the Center this year.

Ray Voll, who also is vice president and a member of the financial committee with Bill Pickering, treasurer, heads both the Recreation and Publicity post.

Ray Roederer is chairman of the Insurance Committee; George Walker, chairman of Ways and Means; Millard French, Legislative, and J. W. Coombs, Attendance.

Bill Booher and Mr. Walker are co-chairmen of Extension Membership, and Mrs. Pat Draught and Mr. Pickering are co-chairmen of Youth and Safety. Mrs. Dorothy Evans heads Programming.

Earlier, Joe Neal was named to head the Grounds and Building Committee.

February 25, 1965

Deadline in contest extended

The deadline for submitting entries in the best design of a sign for the St. Matthews Community Center has been extended from March 4 to March 19.

George Mauck, chairman of the contest and president of the Babe Ruth League, said the deadline has been extended in order to give all youths in schools a chance to enter.

He explained that particulars about the contest have been given school principals now, and added that the first deadline was "a little too short notice."

The deadline can not be extended beyond the March 19 date, however.

The entry which the judges say will best explain Community Center activities will get the owner \$10. The sign will hang on Shelbyville Road at the entrance to the Community Center.

February 25, 1965

Babe Ruth to register

The Babe Ruth League will start registering players at 6:30 tonight at the St. Matthews Community Center.

Registration will remain open until sufficient time for those attending double sessions to sign up, George Mauck, president said.

Any boy born on or after August 1, 1949 and prior to August 1, 1952 is eligible to register. Players must present their birth certificates at the time of registering. Parents may attend.

March 11, 1965

BABE RUTH PARENTS MEET TONIGHT, SEE FILM

Parents of players in Babe Ruth Baseball will meet at 7:30 tonight at the Community Center, following registration of players at 6:30.

The winner of a poster contest held for designing a new sign for the Community Center will be announced. The winner will receive \$10.

George Mauck, Babe Ruth president, said parents will be briefed on the year's program, told of their part in the program and introduced to the officers and managers.

A film of a Babe Ruth World Series game last year will be shown.

Replacements registering in the league will be expected to have their birth certificates.

There will be two tryouts - April 3 and April 10. League play among the 10 teams consisting of 15 players each will start May 8.

The field was renovated last year. However, three light poles are now being replaced with new poles.

March 4, 1965

March 11, 1965



Getting their names on the list early to play in the St. Matthews Little League (minor league) are (from left) Kevin and Herbie Brown, 318 North Bonner, John Martin, 2103 Japonica Way and Mike Wilson, 2101 Japonica Way.

Courtesy The Voice Of St. Matthews:

Little League to try out Saturday; still openings

Next Saturday is tryout day for Little League baseball in St. Matthews. Over 200 boys, nine through 12 years of age, will be showing off their baseball abilities. Eventually, most of them will be assigned to one of the 24 teams in four leagues to play organized baseball this summer.

Eleven and 12-year-old boys will demonstrate their skills at fielding, throwing, and hitting the baseball beginning at 10:30 a.m. at the Community Center. Nine and ten-year-olds will have their chance at 1:30 p.m. They are to bring their own fielders' gloves; the St. Matthews Little League will provide bats and balls.

and other needed equipment. In case inclement weather should cause a postponement of the tryout, an announcement will be made at the field at the time it is scheduled to begin.

Registration was held on February 27 and March 6. However, if there were some boys unable to attend at that

time, league officials will be present at the tryout sessions to register them.

League President Craig Walker has announced that there is room for a few more boys in each league. They must bring their birth certificate and one parent with them to register.

Walker also has noticed that several of the boys who played in one of the "minor" leagues last year have failed to register this year. He reminds all such boys that they must register and try out again

if they expect to play Little League baseball this year.

Preliminary work and plans for opening the Little League season on May 8 have almost all been completed. Opening games at 11:00 a.m. on that date will have the Citizens Fidelity Bank team, winner of last year's title in the National League, pitted against the team sponsored by the Lions Club. At the same time, last year's American League winner, sponsored by Bank of Louisville-Royal, will play the team sponsored by Jim Booher Chevrolet.

March 18, 1965

Connie Mack to register

Registrations are now being taken for the 1965 Connie Mack Baseball League. Boys 16 through 19 who wish to play in the league may sign up at the Kentucky Model Shop.

The league will open Monday, June 13 with games on Wednesday, Thursday and Sunday nights at the St. Matthews Community Center. There will be four teams in the league with 16 boys to a team. Two games will be played each night, the first starting at 6:30 and the second at approximately 9 o'clock.

March 18, 1965

Connie Mack players urged to sign up early

Boys 16 through 18 wishing to play in the St. Matthews Connie Mack Baseball league may sign up now at the Kentucky Model Shop, giving name of school now being attended and position.

Picking of players will be May 23. Prospective players are urged to sign up early so that the managers will be able to observe them during high school play.

The Connie Mack Season begins June 13 with games on Wednesday, Thursday and Sunday nights.

March 25, 1965

Attends Little League conference

Mrs. Charles Siegel, of St. Matthews, who is district administrator of Little League Baseball, participated in a three-day series of meetings and panel discussions on rules and regulations for the season last week in Washington, D. C.

April 15, 1965

LITTLE LEAGUERS TO RAISE MONEY

St. Matthews Little League is organizing a campaign to put some money in its bank through selling new subscriptions for The Voice.

Mrs. E. A. Rosenberg, in charge, said the campaign will continue until May 14. An attempt will be made, she said, to contact every parent of Little Leaguers. The Voice carries all youth baseball news available and numerous pictures throughout the season.

April 22, 1965

Babe Ruthers slate final tryouts

The last tryouts for the St. Matthews Babe Ruth League will be this Saturday at the St. Matthews Community Center.

Tryouts for the 13 year old boys will be at 10 a.m. and the 14 and 15 year olds at 1 p.m.

April 8, 1965

Saturday is final workday to ready Little League field

The final workday for preparing the baseball field for the St. Matthews Little League season will be this Saturday. All parents and other interested people are invited to show up with rakes, hoes and shovels at 9 a.m.

April 22, 1965

More water

Thirsty Little Leaguers this summer will not have to wait for a few squirts of water from the fountain at the ball parks. They should be able to drink from a gusher.

The City of St. Matthews has contracted with the Louisville Water Company for laying about 650 feet of six-inch water line from near Ten Pin Lanes bowling establishment to near the wading pool.

St. Matthews will connect a four-inch line on to the six-inch line and carry it to the ball park area.

Mayor Bernard Bowling said the purpose is to increase the water pressure for entire Community Center area, and particularly to the ball park.

Cost of the six-inch line will be about \$3,000. Pipe for the four-inch line will cost about \$1,000 but the City will do the work.

Other improvements planned for the Center this year include a filtering system for the wading pool.

April 22 1965

Little Leagues ready to go

Little League parents, officials, and the players themselves are in the final days of preparation for the opening of the 1965 Little League baseball season on May 8.

Both of the Little League baseball fields at the St. Matthews Community Center have been spruced up with paint, new signs erected, the grass mowed, and the infield smoothed off. Ten of the teams will have new uniforms, and all of the old ones have been cleaned, repaired, and made ready for another year's hard use.

The rosters of all of the 24 teams has been filled as a result of the tryouts held earlier this month. There are two "major" leagues, and two "minor" leagues, each with 15 players.

The complete rosters are:

NATIONAL LEAGUE

Lincoln Income: Robert Curran, Michael Jones, William Leavell, Robert Schilling, Fred Williams, Mike Wimsatt, Bobby Allgeier, Joe Noland, Robert Lynch, William Wehner, Peter Wimsatt, Mark Bellucci, Stanley Gault, Mike Noland, and James Bryan. The manager is Ed Weatherby.

Showers Shop: Thomas Elliott, John Fredricks, Michael Hahn, Robert Heinze, David Hodge, Bob Sauer, Bruce Albe, Carey Davis, Robert McDermont, John Tush, Richard Hahn, Daniel Minogue, Greg Ridge, Robert Schumacher, and Daniel Smith. Buddy Hodge is the manager.

Duncan Motors: Mike Brundstetter, Bill Caudill, George Cristillis, Mike Mould, Raphael Peal, Ricky Rhodes, Dennis Stafford, David Rhodes, Billy Ross, Gregory Smith, Kevin Arave, Richard Deutz, Scott Phillips, Danny Glade, and Mike O'Connor. George D. Riggs is the manager.

Citizens Fidelity: Sidney Johnson, Larry Merrifield, Charles Muir, James Rosenberg, Robert Stopher, John Stroop, John Willis, Robert Dorsey, Mike Mansfield, Donald Meier, Andrew Servi, Joseph Stamper, David Thomson, Richard Deutsch, and David Merrifield. The manager is Ed Rosenberg.

Kiwanda: Roger Buckley, Jodie Burgin, Tony Koenig, Willie Koesters, Michael McCord, John Poole, John Rul-ketter, Harry Bush, David Perkins, Curt Scott, Stephen Bennisson, Gary Chafee, Don Hartley, Peter Klebba, and Duke Koenig. Manager is Luther Horn.

Lions Club: Steven Huelsman, Tony Kaellin, John Kaster, Gary Stigger, Reid Walker, Tim Bushnell, Bill Crawford, Joe Poe, Dick Crosser, Joe Kaellin, Kenneth Kallfleisch, Richard Burke, Thomas Newman, and James Stillman. The manager is John Kaster.

SOUTHERN ASSOCIATION MINOR LEAGUE

Henderson Electric: David Brown, Tom Bruenderman, John Key, John Miranda, Harry Blalock, Jim Bruenderman, Harry Burlew, Robert Spear, David Becker, Steven Breckenridge, Michael Bruenderman, Charles Dishman, David Lee, Thomas Lepping, and Tony Miranda. The manager is John Bruenderman.

Rodas: Anthony Gargotto, David Lee, William MacKenzie, Anthony Price, Stephen Archer, James Meagher, James Platt, Ernie Plock, James Kidwell, Mark Richter, Karl Stevers, Douglas MacKenzie, Gary Plock, Paul Stevers, and Thomas Smith. William MacKenzie is the manager.

Stouffer's: Richard Gray, Jimmy Hancock, Bruce An-

derson, John Cranford, Donald Hamilton, James Harrison, Keith Miner, Mark Porta, Herbert Brown, George Dick, Tom Kaellin, James Nazzaro, Kevin Brown, Stephen Gallagher, and Charles Spinneill. John Cranford is the manager.

Jerry's: Robin Elliott, Marvin Hill, Sam Bridgers, Garry Parrish, William Seelbach, Glenn Vitato, Barry Bryant, James Maynor, Jim Stroop, Terry Bryant, John Cross, Asa Hord, John Malone, Joseph Moore, and James Sullivan. The manager is Marvin Hill.

Heckman's: David Willey, Barth Adams, Ghes Brandon, Mike Koren, Joseph Osborne, Lee Reed, Terry Walker, Steven Willey, Richard Clem, Forrest Clem, Nicholas Koren, Paul Phillips, Mike Schramm, Wayne Taylor, Lawrence Williams, Walter Koren is the manager.

Standard Oil: Gary Barr, Henry Cunningham, Steve Harker, John Wiley, David Lindahl, Kenneth Norcross, Steven Sallee, Lex Shirliffe, Dean Vash, Dale Withur, Gary Cristillis, Phillip Grossman, David Harrod, Timothy Reuter, and Greg Shirliffe. The manager is Richard Sallee.

American League and

AAA rosters will be carried next week.

April 29, 1965

Little League roster

Little Leaguers who will play in the American League and its farm club this season (National League and farm club were listed last week) are:

American League

HOWARD JOHNSON'S - Michael Bryant, 1921 Fair Meadows Ln., Wilson Hills; 3418 Hyltona, Eric Schaefer; 4819 Church Rd., Bobby Taylor; 4208 Winchester Rd., John Baker; 2111 North Ave., Gary Carter; 813 Brampton Rd., and Aubrey Long, 1413 Military Ave., Paul Marks.

William O'Connor, 208 Northampton Rd.; Pat Bepko, 704 Dorsey Way; Christopher Burton, 2111 Haverhill Rd.; David Clay, 2118 Kensington Blvd.; Mark Holloway, 2020 Japonica Way; George Solter, 607 Lyndon Lane and William Grayson, 4214 Northbourne, Bob Jones is manager.

PHYCOS - Peter Mueller, 8904 Bedford Lane; Martin McNeill, 208 Northbourne Blvd.; James Hest, 3230 Winchester Rd.; Thomas Hest, 828 Harris Place; Henry Schaefer, 227 Monahan; Anthony Scherer, 3532 Haverhill Rd.; and James Adams, 1203 Gail Fox.

Robert Evans, 4025 Plymouth Rd.; Eddie Loney, 1107 Ridgeview Dr.; John Nichols, 308 Hillview; Denny Zacharias,

2121 Ogden Dr.; Patrick Hagan, 425 A. Harting; David Price, 4211 Allen Rd.; and Brown Abbott, 2077 Whipple Hill Rd. Manager is Tom Jordan.

JIM BOCHER-CREYNOLST - Gil King, 4213 Fairwood Rd.; Stanley Block, 209 Tangewood Tr.; Greg Giran, 4019 Greenway Dr.; Randy Haisey, 231 Monahan; Anthony Blais, 426 Beckleridge Ln.; Larry Dunbar, 3411 Westwood and Scott Childers, 8118 Kankook Dr.; Don Gatlaga, 116 Fairfax Ave.; Craig Hendry, 807 Dorsey Way; Stephen Parker, 8501 Houston Rd.; Mark Sullivan, 3718 Hillside Rd.; Mark Douglas, 211 Sage Rd.; Robert Landman, 3203 Erie Way; James O'Connor, 8908 Whipple Blvd. and Gary Schaefer, 228 Breckinridge Ln., and Strider, Theodore, 4307 Rogers Rd.

BANK OF LOUISVILLE - ROYAL - Bruce Dye, 2708 Grandview; James Dalton, 421 1323 Wickham Way; Scott Campbell, 7213 Marie Ave.; Lamont Coker, 2115 Winchester Rd.; Mike Gardner, 8213 Whipple Blvd. and Tony Gennie, 1404 Mill Park Rd. and Jeffery Kline, 1705 Cromley Ln.

Wesley Nelson, 3508 Hillside; Joseph Gifford, 4071 Manney Ave.; Patrick Jaggers, 8908 Whipple Hill Rd.; Jeff Johnson, 8908 Whipple Hill Rd.; Eric Nelson, 3408 Hillside Rd. and Jeffery Wilson, 4408 N. Hagle Ln.

Gene Gardner is manager.

COMMONWEALTH LVS - Thomas Healy, 4002 Blenheim Rd.; Hal Henderson, 208 Fairmead; Tim Hogan, 3403 Latrange Rd.; Stephen Johnston, 3716 Hyltona; Gary Kline, 409 Dorsey Way; John Lewis, 7611 Northbourne Blvd.; Richard Rosenbaum, 424 Virginia Ave. and Rodney Collins, 4010 Allen Rd.

John Cundiff, 4300 Winchester Rd.; Steve Fawcett, 2011 Hillside; Thomas McClure, 4254 Lyndonbrook Dr.; James T. Sims, 703 Rosemead; Harry Wall, 4603 Towner Rd.; David Hahn, 1003 Janssmead Ct.; and Fred Sims, 703 Rosemead, Jack Lewis is manager.

MICHEL STUP - Robert Dillworth, 2109 Dupont; Frank Cassidy, 2007 Browline Rd.; David Kaner, 4108 Hillside; Charles Kellin, 4218 Winchester; Harold Matlin, 120 Sherline Ave.; Curtis Bridges, 10135 Fensbury The Lodge, 3208 Forest Brook Dr. and Steve McDermott, 4557 Brylstra.

Greg Motter, 3525 Haverhill; Thomas Williamson, 218 Sage Rd.; Tim Dred, 4208 Cromley; III Rd.; William Hensch, 128 Sherrin; Mark Martin, 218 Sherrin; Howard Towner, 428 Washington and David Thibault, 208 Harrington Ct. Dick McDermott is manager.

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BOSTON RHODE - Cane, Ralph, 4225 Harbourside Golden, Timothy, 4204 Winchester Rd.; Parker, Owen, 3500 Whipple Blvd.; Reagan, Scott, 3508 Forest Brook Dr.; Fitzgerald, Christopher, 1708 Breckenridge; McGuire, Alan, 3225 Haverhill; Starr, Robert, 228 Breckinridge Ln. and Strider, Theodore, 4307 Rogers Rd.

Golden, James, 4204 Winchester Rd.; Harries, Edward, 8718 Haverhill Rd.; Spelling, William, 708 Breckenridge Rd.; Gipe, James, 2525 Warner Ave.; Hart, Raymond, 3402 Graham; Landers, Greg, 1802 House Ln. and Phillips, Stephen, 4201 Allen Rd. Study Harries is manager.

PLAYER POOL

- Kevin Gregory, 2104 Kensington Blvd.; Madden, Daniel, 1720 Wickham Way; Kewlin, Michael, 2114 Kensington Blvd.; Walsh, Francis, 9413 Washington Dr.; Mader, David, 3715 Hillside; Blakeslee, Gregory, 4108 Hillside; Gewart, Mark, 3501 Vale Circle; Madden, William, 1720 Wickham and Huey, Richard, 608 Paloma.

KEW CRUISE FOOD

- Shauls, Daniel, 2215 Aylesbury Dr.; Powers, Richard, 318 Lyndon Ln.; Bob, William, 3503 Janssmead Ct.; Cawell, Allen, 3723 Hillside Rd.; Elbert, James, 3508 Hyltona; Mayne, Robert, 418 Browne Ln. and Neal, Arthur, 308 Monahan Dr.

Backlund, John, 3500 Hughes Rd.; Bishop, David, 2103 Ogden Dr.; Stewart, Michael, 2416 Hyltona Ave.; Brown, Charles, 237 Chowan; Beckaria, Robert, 723 Michale Rd.; Stone, Stephen, 3418 Hyltona; Jones, William, 3208 Allen Rd.; and Miles, Kevin, 2007 Cedar Crest Dr.

Gerald Deak is manager.

MONIE FRANK HARDWARE

- McTague, Robert, 2417 Vinland Ave.; Barry, Kenneth, 218 Hyltona; Courtney, William, III, 41 Orion Road; Concho, Charles, 4022 Abund Rd.; Flakerty, Thomas, 4527 Gloucester; McQuady, Richard, 2703 Prince William Rd.; Henson, James, 4021B, Sherline Ln. and Cole, Michael, 3994 Gardens Ct.

Healy, Charles, 318 Brampton Rd.; Russell, Gregory, 218 Hyltona; Parker, John, 2101 Houston Rd.; Platter, Charles, 4108 Cromley Rd.; Reed, John, 327 Harris Pl.; Therp, Bradley, 3513 Whipple Hill Rd. and Williamson, Bradley, 4513 Fox Run Rd. Louis McQuady is manager.

FARMHEAD PHARMACY

- Davis, Carl, 2808 Hyltona; Shauls, Ryan, 1811 Whipple Hill; Hall, Donald, 4218 Northbourne; Hall, Donald, 4218 Northbourne; Patti, Ralph, 1718 Applewood Ln.; Rhodes, Richard, 4403 Justice Ct.; Dunbar, Hugh, 4232 Cordova; Martin, John, 2103 Japonica Way and Muhl, David, 3801 Grandview.

Smith, Terry, 4111 Gloucester; Kennedy, John, 3407 Hyltona; Childers, Blake, 2112 Kankook Ln.; Gye, David, 2708 Grandview; Stark, Patrick, 218 Monahan and Wilson, Michael, 2101 Japonica Way.

Harry Bellum is manager.

ZACHARY TAYLOR

- Martin, William, 801 Kankook Circle; Thompson, John, 3435 Warner Ave.; Wartin, Gary, 4617 Fox Run Rd.; Harder, Brown, 3104 Weddige Rd.; Hahn, Robert, 4203 Kankook Rd.; Hahn, 3518 Forest Brook Dr.; Williamson, William, 4613 Fox Run Rd.; Ingram, Matthew, 418 Marquette; and Rouse, William, 3209 Hahn.

Hollinger, Paul, 4018 Cromley Rd.; Boker, Samuel, Arden N. Glenview Branch; David, 4208 Winchester; Brown, John, 208 Fairmead.

Another success story of baseball

Jim Helm, who pitched Wagner last year in the 7th Baseball championship, is helping to pitch the Florida State University freshman baseball team to one of its most successful seasons.

Jim, who is on a scholarship at the University, has a 2-1 record of his own and the team has a 17-5 win-loss record. Last Saturday he pitched his team to a 4-3 win over Florida University, getting two hits himself and driving in the winning run.

The right-hander is another success story of the St. Matthews Little League and other baseball programs. He went the route through Little League, Babe Ruth and Connie Mack, and Wagner.

He started for the Connie Mack last summer in the World Series, reaching the finale but losing the championship game.

Jim, son of Mr. and Mrs. Jim Helm, 4802 Constance Trail, is now on spring vacation. He plans to spend most of the summer at the University working out with the varsity team.

Ceremonies to open Babe Ruth

Opening day ceremonies for Babe Ruth Baseball will be at 10:30 a.m. this Saturday at the Community Center, 30 minutes later than originally planned so as not to conflict with Little League Opening ceremonies.

There is to be a brief ceremony with Jim Veach, president of St. Matthews Community Center, Max Reed, as master of ceremonies, Rev. Father Willert, pastor of St. Albert the Great Church leading in the invocation, Mayor Howard Rowley of St. Matthews and the Wagner HS School Band participating in the music. The district director of the league office and the teams and their managers will be introduced.

There is to be a full day activities with the following schedule:

11 a.m. St. Luke Club vs. Reynolds Metal Co., 1 p.m. Liberty Bank vs. Rotary Club, 2:30 p.m. Standard Oil vs. Gateway, 4 p.m. Lincoln Income vs. Marlboro, 6 p.m. Jim Doherty vs. Cooke Practice.

A full schedule will be on tap again today, May 6.

1 p.m. Marlboro vs. Gateway, 2 p.m. Standard Oil vs. Jim Doherty and 3 p.m. Cooke Practice vs. Lincoln Income.

Marlin's - Jackie Charley, Jack Doyle, Jimmie Jewell, Steve Schouting, James Holland, Ed, Frank Higgs, Gary Holder, Steve Zah, Rocky Carr, John Davis, Bruce Skinner, Doug Martin, Rocky Larnier, Bill Harbort and David Scott.

Jim Snyder is the manager.

Lincoln Income - Tom Hotal, Bill Gaudet, Jr., Jeff Harbort, Mike Hurlinger, Donald French, Terry Kowling, Charles Lotze, Henry McCoy, Gary Wicks, Howard Terry, Mark Winkler, Herman Wilkins, Steve Gault, Steve Garcia and Andy Dwyer. Paul Winkler is the manager.

Jim Doherty Chevrolet - Larry Schaefer, Jeff Stanger, Mike Collo, Kevin Hagan, Bobby Bush, Dave E. Miles, John Howard, Jim Williamson, Nick Butler, Frank Padgett, Fred Shilton, Tom Martin, Bob Cassidy, Jay Ferguson and John Carter. Manager is Ed Hotal.

Standard Oil - Dan Allen, Bruce Bryan, Evan Fawcett, Tom Frost, Jim Hill, Mike Michler, Ted Michler, Martin Miron, Paul Miron, Unglow Morris, John Shaw, Ed Rosenburg, Bob Wygant, Dave Zeller and Bill Dill. Manager is Don Winkler.

Gateway Supermarkets - Tom Henderson, Eddie Hickey, Steve Baker, Mike Wicks, Mark Griffin, Mark Harris, Rick Water, Dave Fawcett, Tom Gaudet, John Gaudet, Paul Butler, Rocky Miron, Bill Miron, Bobby Elliott and his Tull.

Manager - Jerry Tull.

Cooke Practice - Wesley Hahn, Mike Patey, Eddie Langford, Mike Miron, Leo Clark, Mike A., Al Landier, Jim Mack, Steve Dicks, Dan Morris, Gerry Towner, Mike Hagan, John May, Mark Kowling and Steve Wilson.

Manager - Teddy Holloway.

Liberty National Bank - Ken Green, Louise Martin, Jim Wagg, John Fritschner, Chris Martin, Mike McDonald, Carl Thomas, Bobby Hagan, Mike Wilson, Steve Canfield, Steve Harkness, Steve Chapell, Dave Vlah, Howard Towner and Bruce Barker.

Manager - Tom Doherty.



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All alone and looking for the big one is Ken Kahlfleisch in left field for the Lions as they started the season against Citizens Fidelity Saturday. (Other photos on page 13).

Good pitching, homers opens Little League

Some good pitching, several home runs, and erratic fielding at times marked the opening games of the 1965 St. Matthews Little League baseball season. A total of 14 games were on tap, with each major league team involved in two of them plus two minor league games. All games were played last Saturday and Sunday, May 8 and 9.

A similar schedule is planned for next weekend on the two Little League fields at the St. Matthews Community Center.

Opening day ceremonies last Saturday included a parade through St. Matthews, the presentation of all of the teams, the introduction of the adult leaders in the program, and a brief talk by radio-television personality Ed Kallay. League President Craig Walker presided at the ceremonies and the first ball was tossed out by St. Matthews Mayor Bernard Bowling.

When the dust had subsided on Sunday evening, three major league teams had all-winning records, three others were in the all-losing category, and the other six had evened their won-lost records.

Last year Bank of Louisville and Citizens Fidelity were champions in their respective leagues. Today both rest at the bottom of the standings, having yet to win a game.

In sole possession of first place in the American League at the end of the first week of play was the Model Shop team. On Saturday, this group of 9 to 12-year-olds scored the winning run in overtime to defeat Howard Johnson's 6-5. Tight pitching by Roland

Molina (Model Shop) and Pat Shepler (Howard Johnson's) marked the first six innings. However, in the seventh inning, the Model Shop put together the winning run without the benefit of a hit. The two pitchers also sparked their teams' offense, hitting a total of three home runs.

In its Sunday game, Model Shop rode a fine pitching performance by Charlie Kolish to a 6-4 victory over Jim Booher's Chevrolet. Molina hit his second home run in as many games.

Howard Johnson's bounced back from its Saturday loss to overwhelm Pryor's on Sunday, 15-3. Pitcher Mike Bryant did not allow a hit until the fifth inning, and gave up only four all together. Pat Shepler hit his third home run of the young season in the first inning.

Jim Booher, playing in the first game on Saturday, opened up with a three-run rally in the first inning, and went on to defeat Bank of Louisville by a score of 11-0. Dan Gadlage allowed only two hits in a well-pitched game.

Commonwealth Life split its opening two games, losing to Pryor's on Saturday 5-0, and coming back to defeat Bank of Louisville on Sunday 11-1. In the Saturday game, Mike Scherer of Pryor's pitched a one-hitter and struck out 13 of the opposing batters. James Neal had a home run to pace the 8-hit assault.

The Sunday game was marked by a 9-run first inning for Commonwealth Life, climaxed by a bases-loaded home run by Harry Wall. Richard Rosenbaum and John Lewis also hit home runs, and Lewis allowed Bank of Louisville

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only one hit, a first-inning double by Pat Jagers.

Saturday games: Jim Booher 11 - Bank of Louisville 0.

Model Shop 6 - Howard Johnson's 5.

Pryor's 5 - Commonwealth Life 0.

Sunday games: Commonwealth Life 11 - Bank of Louisville 1.

Model Shop 6 - Jim Booher 4.

Howard Johnson's 15 - Pryor's 3.

NATIONAL LEAGUE

Two teams had to share the lead at the end of the first week's play in the National League. Both Lincoln Income and the Showers Shop came out with perfect winning records.

Lincoln Income squeaked by the Kiwanis Club team on Saturday, 4-3, on the basis of a two-run rally in the bottom of the sixth inning. Well-placed bunts put the winning runs on base, and a line drive double by Mike Jones drove them in. Both Fred Williams (Lincoln Income) and Mike McCord (Kiwanis) had well-pitched games.

In its Sunday game, Lincoln Income also came from behind with a two-run rally in the late innings to overcome a six-run lead held earlier in the game by the Lions' Club. The final score was 10-9, with Billy Wagner getting credit for the win after pitching three innings of three-hit relief ball.

The other perfect record is held by the Showers Shop, following a 4-3 win over Duncan Motors on Saturday and a 6-4 win over Citizens Fidelity on Sunday.

In the Saturday game, each pitcher gave up only three hits, but Helms for the winners and Ricky Rhodes for the losers. However, Rhodes kept the Duncan Motors team in the thick of the battle until the last inning by virtue of his two-run homer in the first inning.

In the Sunday game, Citizens Fidelity made a battle of it, knocking the score in the top of the sixth inning. But Showers Shop came back to win it in the bottom of that inning with a two-run homer by John Fredericks following a double by Bob Bauer. Winning pitcher Tommy Elliott struck out seven batters and issued not a single base on balls.

In the other two games of the weekend, Duncan Motors got into the winning column by downing the Kiwanis Club 16-9, while the Lions Club was topping Citizens Fidelity 4-0.

In a Saturday game, the Lions Club took a masterful one-hit pitching effort by Red Walker to the victory over Citizens Fidelity. John Kaster broke up the pitching duel between Walker and Cam Willis with a line single to center in the fifth inning, driving in the first two runs of the game.

In a Sunday game, Duncan Motors went on a 15-hit spree, including three home runs to down the Kiwanis Club. Two-year-old Richard Deitz was the winning pitcher, while Donald Blufford had a perfect day at the plate.

Saturday games: Lincoln Income 6 - Kiwanis Club 5, Showers Shop 4 - Duncan Motors 3.

Lions Club 4 - Citizens Fidelity 0.

Sunday games: Showers Shop 6 - Citizens Fidelity 4.

Lincoln Income 10 - Lions Club 9.

Duncan Motors 16 - Kiwanis Club 9.

MINOR LEAGUE ROUNDUP

Two games were played in minor league action on Saturday afternoon. Fairmeade topped Moose Franch by a score of 14-3 in the AAA League, while Henderson Electric bested Rodes in the Ball 14-8 in a Southern Association tilt.

Fairmeade pitcher Ron Hall had 15 strikeouts and allowed only three hits in posting his victory over Moose Franch.

Hitting honors went to the Hall twins, Ron and Don.

In the other game Henderson Electric parlayed 13 walks, six hits, and seven errors into 14 runs. Although allowing 11 hits, David Lee pitched a steady game while giving up only three walks.

Saturday games: Fairmeade Pharmacy 14 - Moose Franch 3.

Henderson Electric 14 - Rodes 9.

American League W L P

Model Shop 2 0 1.000

Howard Johnson's 1 1 .500

Jim Booher 1 1 .500

Commonwealth Life 1 1 .500

Pryor's 1 1 .500

Bank of Life 0 2 .000

Natl. League W L P

Lincoln Income 2 0 1.000

Showers Shop 2 0 1.000

Duncan Motors 1 1 .500

Lions Club 1 1 .500

Kiwanis Club 0 2 .000

Citizens Fidelity 0 2 .000

Booher, Lincoln Income take lead in Babe Ruth

A couple of also-rans in last season's St. Matthews Babe Ruth League have started this year's competition as if they don't intend to stage a repeat performance.

Jim Booher Chevrolet and Lincoln Income are off and running after the first weekend of play. Each has two victories to its credit. They are the only undefeated teams in the league for boys 15 and under.

Jim Booher's hustlers spanked Cooke-Pontiac 9-5 last Saturday as the 1965 season got underway. They came back strong the following day to whip Standard Oil 4-2 under the direction of their returning manager, Ed Ballard.

Lincoln Income, guided this season by Paul Wiesner, took on last season's two toughies in successive games and kayoed them both. In Lincoln's opener, it bumped last season's champion, Mario's Pizza 3-5 and on Sunday the Lincoln boys topped Cooke-Pontiac 7-4 in 10 innings.

Gateway Markets, with Jerry Teall at the helm this season, split two games. The Marketeers defeated Standard Oil

7-5 in 11 innings before bowing to Mario's 1-0.

Mario's is being managed again this year by last year's pennant-winning pilot, Jim Snider. Bob Weygant again is directing Standard Oil and Tandy Holloway is the new skipper of Cooke-Pontiac.

Dave Mills struck out 12 Cooke-Pontiac batters in the five innings he worked as Jim Booher got away to its winning start. Cooke's starter, Ed Lampert, was tagged with the loss. Booher's Jeff Stampert supplied the hitting punch with three hits in four times at the plate.

In Booher's second victory, Pitcher Johnny Howard twirled a nifty four-hitter and won his own ball game with a two-run double in the seventh and last inning. Dave Zoeller poked a home run for Standard Oil. Todd Mickler took the pitching loss in a relief roll.

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Lincoln's Bill Giannini broke up a 5-5 game in the bottom of the seventh inning with a three-run homer against Mario's. The towering blast brought a pitching victory to Jeff Huskamp, who had pitched a masterful game in striking out 15 Mario players while not issuing a single walk.

The lights at the St. Matthews Community Center improved this season-aided Lincoln in its Sunday night victory over Cooke-Pontiac. Cooke outfielders had trouble finding the baseball and in the 10th inning they allowed three fly balls to fall for base hits, thus breaking open a 4-4 game. Winning pitcher Henry McCoy received hitting support from Charles Lotze, who had three hits, and Terry Kuehling and Tom Brian, each with two safeties. Both Jim Mauck and losing pitcher Steve Ridge had two hits apiece for Cooke.

A home run by Gateway's Steve Kaiser plated two runs in the 11th inning to give the Marketeers their victory over Standard Oil. Buddy Mattingly of Gateway made his Babe Ruth League debut a successful one in hammering four hits in six trips to the plate. Tom Reverman took the victory, going 10 full innings--the league maximum for a pitcher. Mike Mickler was the loser.

Gateway's run production dwindled to nothing on Sunday as Mario pitcher Jackie Charley fashioned a two-hitter. Kim Tuell also pitched a nifty game and lost a heartbreaker. The Gateway flinger allowed only one hit and it did not figure in the scoring.

Among the farm clubs, Reynolds Metals and Rotary, a couple of strong teams last season, also showed signs of being threats again this season.

Reynolds, last season's farm-system champion, won its first game from hits 4-0 while Rotary (Chillicothe Liberty National 2-1).

Reynolds wasn't any power-house with the bat, getting only two hits off losing pitcher Walt Burger. But the stalman knew how to wait at the plate. By doing that they picked up 13 walks, which assisted them greatly. Darry Mattingly enjoyed the victory as the Reynolds pitcher.

Liberty pitcher Jim Skaggs fanned 14 Rotary batters, and was saddled with the defeat while Tony Choe was the winning pitcher. Jim Taylor was a sticky thumb in Skaggs' side, getting a two-run double to provide the victory margin.

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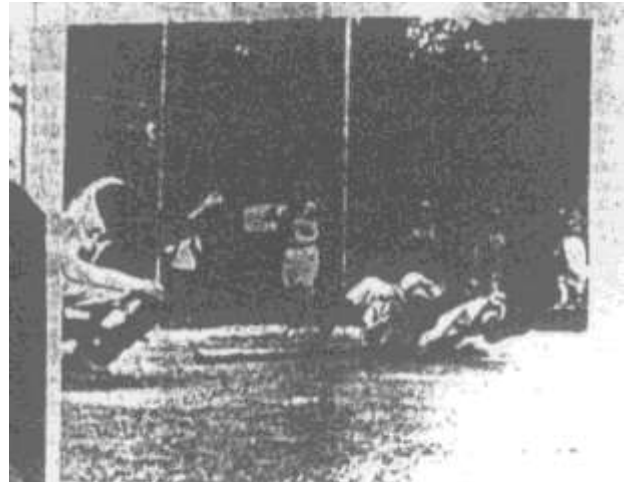
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Larry Merrifield of Citizena swings at the big one and flies out with two away against the Lions in a Little League opener Saturday.



Babe Ruthers brought out their usual fans Saturday as the League got underway. While the games were underway there were still chores to do. Note the boys in background with hose to water down dust.



Joe Gutterman finds the ground a good place to be when balls come too close. Joe is on the Bank of Louisville team and is facing Jim Booher Chevrolet in the Little League.

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Courtesy *The Voice Of St. Matthews:*

Americans are hitters, Nationals best on mound

As the St. Matthews Little League wound up its second week of play, it became obvious that the American League is a "hitting" league, and the National League is a "pitching" league.

In six games over the past weekend, the American League teams scored a total of 86 runs, while the National League in a like number of games scored only 31 runs.

Three of the National League games were decided by only one run, with three pitchers throwing shutouts. Only one home run was hit. On the pitcher was able to hold the opposition scoreless. However, three of these games also were decided by one run,

three games on Saturday with a 1-0 victory over Citizens Fidelity, Fred Williams (for Lincoln Income) and Cam Willis (for Citizens Fidelity) both pitched 4-hit ball, with Williams home run the only score. On Sunday, however, Showers Shop spoiled this perfect record with a 9-5 victory behind the steady pitching of Tom Elliott, Mike Hahn was the hitting star for Showers Shop with 3 singles and a double, Lincoln Income fielders pulled two double plays.

Earlier, Showers Shop had seen its winning streak broken by the Kiwanis Club's Mike McCord, who allowed only 2 hits in winning 1-0. Two bases on balls and two errors allowed the only run of the game to score without the benefit of a base hit. Bob Heinze was the losing pitcher even though he also allowed only two hits.

On Sunday, Kiwanis bested its Civic Club rival, Lions Club, 4-3. Willie Koester bested John Kaster as each allowed only 5 hits, with the winning run scoring in the top half of the last inning.

In the other weekend game in the National League, Citizens Fidelity scored 5 runs in the first two innings, and went on to defeat Duncan Motors 5-1. An oddity of this game came in the 5th inning when two Citizens Fidelity base runners successfully pulled a double steal, yet became the victims of an unassisted double play by the Duncan Motors third baseman when each over-ran the base.

American League

Model Shop continued its all-winning ways in the American League by defeating Bank of Louisville 16-8 on Saturday and Commonwealth Life on Sunday 9-8. In each game, the Model Shop players came from behind and won in extra innings.

Against Bank of Louisville they were behind 8 to 2 going into the fifth inning, tied it up in the sixth inning, and won with an eight-run outburst in the seventh inning.

Against Commonwealth Life, after the regulation game ended with a tie score, each team scored two runs in the 7th inning and three runs in the 8th inning.

Commonwealth scored one run in the top half of the 8th inning, but Ken Draut drove in the tying and winning runs with a bases loaded single. Roland Molina hit two home runs and Curtis Bridgett hit one for the winners to keep their team in contention.

Pryors Restaurant team won two games over the weekend also. On Saturday they outlasted Jim Booher Chevrolet 8-7 on the strength of Mike Sherer's pitching and batting. In four times at bat he had two doubles and a single with 4 runs batted in. Ten-year-old David Price had two hits in 3 times at bat to drive in two runs.

On Sunday, Pryors continued its own winning ways and stretched the Bank of Louisville string of losses to four. Getting off to an 8 run lead

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In the first two innings, Tommy Reinert out-pitched Bruce Dye the rest of the way to win 12-4. Reinert gave up only one walk.

The Howard Johnson team split its two games, losing to Commonwealth Life on Saturday, 3-2, on the basis of a two-run home run by Steve Fawbush in the last half of the 6th inning.

Hal Henderson was the winning pitcher, allowing only two hits, while Pat Shepler was the loser. Shepler was the hitting star the next day as he drove out a bases-loaded home run to lead Howard Johnson to a 7-3 verdict over Jim Booher Chevrolet. Two boys named O'Connor also homered, William for Howard Johnson and Jim for Jim Booher.

Minor Leagues

In the AAA League, Ken O'Keefe Ford defeated Zachary Taylor 6-5 on the strength of three-hit pitching by Allen Caswell and a double by John Sackfield to drive in the winning run in the last inning. Ralph Reiss also pitched three-hit ball and Billy Martin hit a bases loaded home run in a losing cause.

Boston Shoe overwhelmed Thornbury's 19-9 in the other AAA game. Wathin Spalding was the hittin hero with a double and two triples to his credit. Ten-year-old Jim Golden was the winning pitcher.

Over in the Southern Association each of the two games was decided by one run. Standard Oil nipped Stouffer's 8-7 with back-to-back doubles in the last half of the sixth inning.

After Stouffer's had scored 6 runs in the first two innings, Kenneth Norcross came in to pitch the last four innings and allowed only one run and two hits.

The other game also was decided in the last half of the sixth inning as Jerry's Drive-In nipped Heckman's Drive-In nipped Heckman's Orange Bar 9-8, as Gary Parrish hit a ball over the fence. Jim Stroop was the winning pitcher, and Terry Walker was credited with the loss.

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Ridge pitches first no-hitter in Ruth

By Frank Hartley, Jr.

A young pitcher with a tantalizing curve and a medium fastball is in the record books of the St. Matthews Babe Ruth League with the first no-hit game of this season.

However, life wasn't all over and skittles for 14-year-old Steve Ridge, the pitcher, and his Cooke-Pontiac teammates. They lost the no-hit performance to Gateway Supermarkets last Sunday by 3-1.

Eight Cooke errors and a balk by Ridge gave Gateway all the running room it needed and the Marketmen took advantage of the breaks.

Cooke, meanwhile, could muster only one run off John Caldwell despite four hits. The loss was Cooke's second in four games and the victory was Gateway's second in four outings.

On Saturday, Cooke defeated Mario Piazza 5-4, while Gateway was losing to Jim Booher Chevrolet 6-4.

In other Sunday games, Jim Booher outlasted Lincoln Income 16-15 in nine innings (two more than regulation) to take over undisputed first place in the league, while Standard Oil won its first game in four starts by beating Mario's 4-3.

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Standard Oil had lost its third straight game on Saturday when it bowed to Lincoln 6-2.

As the teams move into their third weekend of play with games Saturday and Sunday at the St. Matthews Community Center, Jim Booher is the leader of the six-team major league with four straight victories. Lincoln has a 3-1 record; Cooke and Gateway each stand at 2-2, and Mario's and Standard Oil each has a record of 1-3.

In Jim Booher's victory over Gateway, Pitcher Dave Miles neatly scattered five hits to pick up his second victory against no defeats. Larry Schooler and Frank Peddicord provided the batting punch as each of them socked a double and drove in two runs. Tom Reverman took the loss as the Gateway pitcher.

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ion by Lamont Coker, the Bank of Louisville team was ahead 2-0 in the sixth inning when a two-out, two-run homer by Gary Carnes tied the score. Errorless fielding, plus several spectacular fielding plays, provided the winning difference.

Howard Johnsons got back into the winning habit on Sunday with a free-hitting 13-10 victory over Pryors. These two teams drove out a total of 24 hits, and made 8 errors. Mike Bryant was the winning pitcher, and also went 3 for 4 at the plate, including 2 home runs. Bill O'Connor also was 3 for 4 for the winners, including 1 home run. For the losers, Pete Michler and Tony Scherer had home runs.

In the other league game, Jim Booher Chevrolet defeated Commonwealth Life in a well-pitched ball game, 4-3. Dan Gadiage (Booher) and Hal Henderson (Commonwealth) each held the opposing team scoreless in five of the six innings pitched. A double by Randy Rainey in the top of the second inning with two men on base drove in what proved to be the winning run.

STANDINGS

	Won	Lost	Per.
Model Shop	5	0	1.000
Pryors	3	3	.500
Howard Johnsons	3	3	.500
Commonwealth Life	2	3	.400

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Booher's climb into undisputed first place resulted from a come-from-behind effort by the Chevy players. After being down 10-2 in the third inning against Lincoln, Booher exploded for eight runs in the sixth--an explosion which was capped by Miles' second home run of the game. Each team then added a counter in the seventh to send the game into overtime.

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Center tables decision on auto club

Plans for constructing a building to house an Automobile Club at the St. Matthews Community Center have been set aside according to center officials.

Robert B. Veech, center president, said a decision to construct the building was tabled after a great deal of discussion at a meeting of the center's board of directors Monday night. He said the discussion came about through opposition by some of the participating leagues who did not feel it a desirable place for the building.

Mr. Veech said the matter will be brought up again only if enough interest is shown. The proposed club is to be modeled after the Trinity Auto Repair Club and will be limited to 200 students from Eastern, Trinity, Waggoner, Westport, Aquinas and Louisville Country Day High Schools.

May 20, 1965

Victory in Babe Ruth is 3rd for southpaw

By Frank Hartley, Jr.

A husky lefthander and a slender righthander are giving followers of the St. Matthews Babe Ruth League something to talk about early in the season.

The southpaw, Dave Miles, has twirled three of his undefeated Jim Booher team's five victories--although Miles is only a 14-year-old and in his second season of Babe Ruth Competition.

The righthander is 15-year-old Jeff Huskamp, a methodical flinger, who also has won three games without a loss for Lincoln Income.

It was Miles doing the pitching for Jim Booher Chevrolet last weekend as the league leaders boosted their record to 5-0 with a 4-2 victory over last season's champion, Mario's Pizza.

Also, it was Huskamp who was on the hill for Lincoln as the second-place team defeated Gateway Markets 5-1 on Saturday before bowing to Mario's 6-2 on Sunday.

In the only other major league game played between rainstorms at the St. Matthews Community Center last weekend, Standard Oil rolled over Cooke Pontiac 15-1.

Miles had the Mario batters swinging wildly as he fanned 11 while allowing only four hits. It was a performance which stamped the big southpaw as a comer not to be taken lightly.

His mound opponent, Jim Noland--a 14-year-old who was a part-time pitcher for high school district champion Wag-

ner--wasn't any slouch, even though he suffered the loss. Noland fanned 13 Booher boys. His big headache was Larry Schooler who collected three Booher hits in four times at bat.

Huskamp also was on the plate in hurling against Gateway. However, the Marketboys weren't taking the good pitches; they were hitting them for putouts.

The result was that Huskamp, although having allowed only one hit through five innings before Gateway clicked for three straight in the sixth, added only two strikeouts to his league-leading total to boost the figure to 25.

Charley Lotze banged out two of the five hits off loser Tom Reverman, a 15-year-old who is showing steady improvement.

Lincoln's losing effort against Mario's was a see-saw battle for five innings, with the score then tied at 3-3. Then the Pizza boys exploded for four big runs, with 13-year-old Bill Northcutt starting the fireworks with a single to center. He scored when the Lincoln catcher threw the ball into right field after fielding a sacrifice bunt laid down by Steve Shoening.

Mario's continued to bomb losing pitcher Henry McCoy for three straight hits and three more runs. Northcutt and Noland had two hits each for the winners to help Jackie Charley pick up the pitching decision. Huskamp slapped out two hits for Lincoln and Tom Brian had a run-producing double.

Mike Mickler and Dave Zoeller provided too much pitching and hitting zip, respectively, for Cooke-Pontiac as Standard Oil romped.

Pitcher Mickler limited Cooke to only two hits and walked only three batters, while Zoeller pounded out a home run in the fourth inning and again in the sixth. The game was called after six frames because of the rule which specifies that when one team is 10 runs ahead of another after five or more innings, the game ends.

Bob Weygant also was a Standard Oil hitter who won't soon be forgotten by Cooke. He clouted three hits in four times at bat and one of them was a double. Rocky Stonestreet's double and Ed Lampert's single were the only Cooke hits off Mickler.

Wesley Black was the losing pitcher, but the fielding behind him took the blame. Cooke committed 14 errors.

Among the farm clubs, last year's champion Reynolds Metals is finding the competition somewhat rougher this season. Reynolds split two games over the weekend, losing 9-5 to Liberty National before routing Rotary Club 13-3.

Liberty Pitcher Jim Skaggs allowed only a second-inning single to the Metalmen's Bill Rice. However, the losers were able to pick up three runs thanks to Skaggs' wildness. He walked 13. Bob Hancock paced Liberty at the plate with two hits.

Reynolds' pitcher Barry Mattingly almost equaled Skaggs' performance when he held Rotary to just two hits. Larry Coleon of Reynolds poked a double and a home run while Dave Hartlage chipped in with two hits for the Metalmen.



Corky Bales bange out a single in third inning for Western Michigan University baseball team, which is among the constant feats which brought Corky the Mid-American Conference scholar-athlete award. Corky, who went the route through the St. Matthews baseball program, is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Walter Bales, 436 Highfield Rd. (Photo by Kalamazoo Gazette).

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Dicky Crosser of the St. Matthews Lions almost lets a Kwanis player get to first in the Little League. The ball went up his arm before he latched on to it.

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Courtesy The Voice Of St. Matthews:

Rhodes pitches Nationals to season's first no-hitter

The season's first no-hitter was the feature of the third week's play in the St. Matthews Little League last Saturday and Sunday. In a rain-shortened schedule, one team continued its all-winning ways, and another won its first game of the season.

A summer downpour on Sunday afternoon washed out four games, after a Saturday shower had washed out one game.

NATIONAL LEAGUE

The feature game of the National League was a 2-0 shut-out pitched by Ricky Rhodes for Duncan Motors, in which he allowed the Lincoln Income team no hits. His team mates played errorless ball behind him, and parlayed three hits and seven errors into two runs. Fred Williams was the losing pitcher.

The Kiwanis Club team was the only one in either league to win two games over the weekend. On Saturday they defeated the Citizens Fidelity team in overtime, 4-3. Mike McCord (Kiwanis) hooked up with Cam Willis (Citizens) in a tight pitching duel that ended up tied, 3-3, at the end of the regulation six innings. McCord struck out 14

batters in his six-inning pitching stint, including 8 in a row, and drove in the winning run in the bottom of the 8th inning.

In their Sunday game, Kiwanis came back to defeat Duncan Motors 12-9. After spotting the losers all of their runs in the first two innings, Dave Perkins came on in relief to hold them scoreless for 4 and 2/3 innings. The game was marked by 9 hits by each team, and a total of 17 errors were recorded.

In the other game, Showers Shop took over sole possession of first place in the league with a 3-2 win over the Lions Club. After bunting 2 hits and 3 errors for 3 runs in the first inning, the Showers team combined steady pitching by Bob Heinze and a tight defense to hold off their op-

ponents. One of the key defensive plays came in the sixth inning when center-fielder Mike Hahn doubled a runner off first base after catching a fly ball.

STANDINGS

	Won	Lost	Pct.
Showers Shop	4	1	.800
Lincoln Income	3	2	.600
Kiwanis Club	3	2	.600
Duncan Motors	3	3	.500
Lions Club	1	4	.200
Citizens Fidelity	1	4	.200

AMERICAN LEAGUE

The Model Shop team continued to dominate play in the American League as they defeated Pryor's Restaurant, 9-6, on Saturday to remain undefeated. Roland Molina was the winning pitcher, and Mike Schorer was the loser, as each team gathered 6 hits, but committed 8 errors between them.

Bank of Louisville won its first game on Saturday by defeating the Howard Johnson team, 3-2, in eight innings. After a fine pitching exhibit-

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Peanut League registers Friday

Boys six and up interested in playing in the St. Matthews Peanut Baseball League this summer may sign up tomorrow from 9 to 5 at the St. Matthews Community Center with Vernon Jones, baseball manager. Games will start Monday.

A girls softball league for all ages is also being formed at the center. Those interested are asked to sign up next week with Pam Oliver.

Other day time activities at the center include arts and crafts, court games, wading pool for ages 12 and under and tennis courts. The playground is open with supervised recreation from 9 a.m. to 5 p.m. Supervisors are Vernon Jones, Pam Oliver and John Schmidt.

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Baseball March for center set

The annual baseball players march for the benefit of the St. Matthews Community Center has been set for Thursday night, June 24.

Joe Neal, chairman of this year's drive, said there will be about 400 boys ages 9 through 15 from both the Little League and Babe Ruth Leagues taking part in the march which will begin at 5:30 p.m. over the entire Little League and Babe Ruth League areas. He said the committee hopes to net from \$2,000 to \$2,500 from the drive.

Mr. Neal said the center has just completed black topping the basketball court at the center and has installed a complete new water system. He said the committee is working toward further black topping of the parking lot.

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St. Matthews Area Sports:

Courtesy The Voice Of St. Matthews:

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Jeff Kring of Bank of Louisville had time to spare but he hit the dirt at third base just the same to hear the ball which Mark Holloway of Howard Johnson faces off base to reach. The Bank won the game Saturday, 8-6.



Tony Gentile of Bank of Louisville-Royal Bank and Trust Company was caught off base but got back safely. Mark Holloway, Howard Johnson third baseman, has the ball in glove.



OUT AT HOME -- Wiley Koenigs of Kewanee (left) covers home plate for catcher Roger Buckley and catcher Ed Johnson of Citizens Fidelity, prone on right. Citizens won 2-1.

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DRESSED TO PLAY but two-year-old Eric Ballerstedt is busy at the moment eating a hot dog. Well, his bigger brother, John, is playing. Eric is the son of Mr. and Mrs. William Ballerstedt, 211 Sherrin Ave.

SAFE AT THIRD--Eric Schumer of Howard Johnsons slides in at third base against Bank of Louisville-Royal Bank and Trust Company. Third baseman Steve Nelson is posed to catch the ball. Bank won the Saturday game 8-6.

June 17, 1965

Courtesy *The Voice Of St. Matthews:*

Little League in tight race at mid-point

By Gerald Jaggars

During this past weekend the St. Matthews Little League passed the half-way point in its 10-week, 20-game season. In each of the two major leagues a tight race had developed, with no one team dominating play.

In fact, in the American League, only a game and a half separate the top and bottom clubs in the standing, while the gap in the National League between the top and the bottom is only three games.

In the National League, Showers Shop continues to lead with a record of 7 wins and three losses. In the American League, with the lead changing hands several times during the week, Pryor's Restaurant is on top with a record of 6 wins and 4 losses.

The most dramatic changes in standings have been achieved by the Bank of Lou-

isville and Model Shop teams in the American League. The former has won 5 out of its last 7 games, after going down to four straight defeats at the beginning of the season. The latter won its first five games, but now has lost six in a row to drop to a tie for the cellar position.

American League

At the midpoint in the season Pryor's Restaurant moved into the leadership spot in the American League by posting a single victory over the Model Shop team last Saturday. Mike Scherer pitched his team to an easy 10-5 victory as his team mates jumped off to a 4-run lead in the first inning.

Bank of Louisville was most effective during the week's play as these boys ended up on top in all three of the games they played. On Wednesday they defeated Model Shop 2-1 behind the strong pitching by Leson Coker and errorless play by the entire team. On Thursday they out-slugged the Commonwealth Life team 11-3, again using errorless fielding and a strong hitting attack including a home run by Bruce Dye. Then, on Saturday, they wound up a successful week with a free-hitting 8-6 victory over Howard Johnson's, including a 3-run homer by Dye.

Commonwealth Life won its other two games of the week. On Tuesday they beat Howard Johnson's 4-2 on the strength of Hal Henderson's two-run double in the top of the sixth inning. Then, on Saturday, Hal Henderson came back to pitch a one-hit 4-1 victory over Jim Docher.

National League

Showers Shop continues to lead the National League at the season's midpoint as it split its two games during last week to wind up with a 7 wins, 2 losses record. On Tuesday they lost to the Kiwanis Club 6-2 behind the 3-hit, 12-strikeout pitching of Mike McCord, who also hit a two-bagger and a home run to lead his mates in an errorless performance. Then, on Saturday, they wound up the week with a hard-earned 5-2 victory over Lions Club, parlaying two hits and 8 errors into their victory.

Every team in the league won one game during the week, with Lincoln Income achieving its victory on Wednesday by a score of 6-4 over Citizens Fidelity. They scored all of their runs in the first two innings, and pitcher Fred Williams was able to hold down the hosts' run production in the closing innings. However, Lincoln Income lost its other two starts during the week. Lions Club wound up a 6-4 victory on Thursday as Reid Walker hit a 3-run homer in the fifth inning and Gary Stigger followed with a 2-run homer in the sixth inning to provide the margin of victory.

Then, on Saturday, Ricky Rhodes pitched his third no-hitter of the season as Duncan Motors downed Lincoln Income 3-1, as home runs by Danny Stafford and Mike Mould accounted for all of the winner's runs.

The only other game of the week saw Citizens Fidelity squeak by Kiwanis Club on the strength of a seventh inning home run by Andy Serl to win 2-1 despite an earlier home run by Mike McCord for the losers.

Minor League

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In the Southern Association Jerry's scored in every inning to down Stouffer's by a score of 17-4. Some good relief pitching by Ron Norcross allowed Standard Oil to come from behind to defeat Henderson Electric 12-8, with the winners scoring 6 runs in the sixth inning. In the other game of the week, Rodes battered Heckman's by a score of 20-12 on the strength of two 7-run innings.

In the AAA League, steady 2-hit pitching by Ralph Reiss allowed Zachary Taylor to score a runaway 20-2 victory over the Mose Franck team. A seven-run scoring streak in the 4th inning allowed Fairmeade Pharmacy to coast to a 13-10 victory over Boston Shoe. Earlier in the week, Jimmy Elbert's 2-hit pitching allowed Ken O'Keefe Ford to coast to a 20-1 win over Thornberry's.

National League

Reid Walker (Lions Club)	.571
Dennis Stafford (Dun. Mtrs.)	.481
Tony Koenig (Kiwanis Club)	.409
Mike Mould (Duncan Motors)	.375
Gary Stigger (Lions Club)	.350
Mike Mohn (Showers Shop)	.350

Am. League Standings	W	L	Per.
Pryor's Restaurant	6	4	.600
Commonwealth Life	6	5	.545
Jim Booher Chev.	5	5	.500
Model Shop	5	6	.455
Bank of Louisville	5	6	.455
Howard Johnson's	5	6	.455

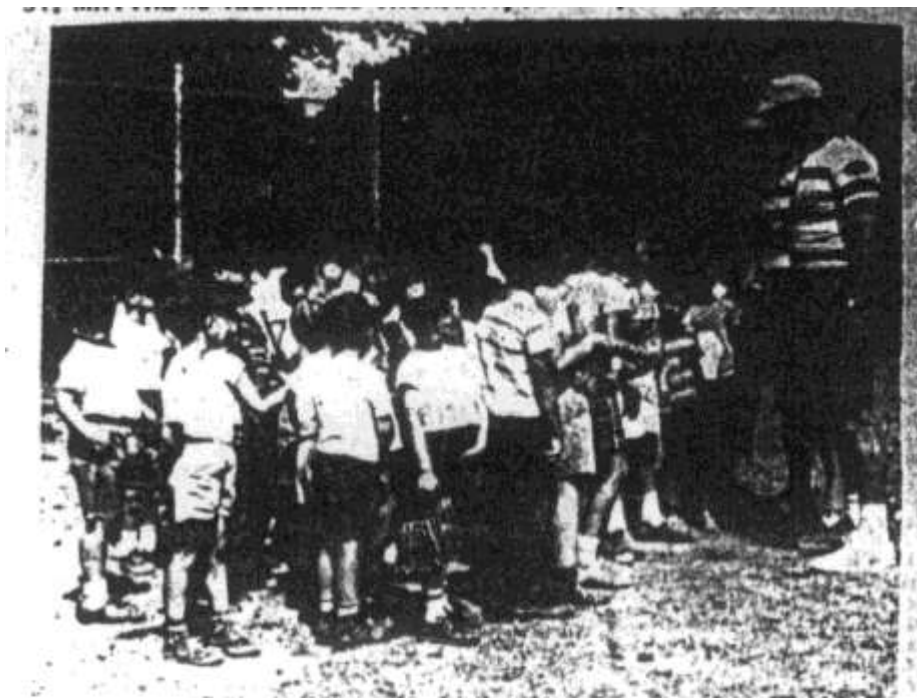
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Showers Shop	7	3	.700
Duncan Motors	6	4	.600
Kiwanis Club	6	5	.545
Lions Club	4	6	.400
Citizens Fidelity	4	6	.400
Lincoln Income	4	7	.364

American League

Bill O'Connor (How. Johnson)	.577
Curt Bridgett (Mod. Shop)	.464
David Kemer (Mod. Shop)	.444
Mike Scherer (Pryor's)	.406
Roland Molina (Model Shop)	.400
Gary Schaefer (Jim Booher)	.393

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About half of some 50 boys in a baseball training program at the St. Matthews Community Center get instructions from playground instructor Vernon Jones. The enrollment in the game this year is up considerably over last year.



GETTING THE wading pool ready for opening next week is Ronnie Voll, who applies paint to the surface. Ronnie is the son of Ray Voll, vice president of the Center, and visits the playground each morning. A new filtering system has been added to the pool.

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Swim pool at Center gains support from key officials

A brief survey among many old workers who have helped build the Community Center almost since its inception this week agreed that now is the time to set up machinery for an all-year swimming pool on the grounds.

The Voice raised the question of broadening the base of Community Center activities, among them a swimming pool, three weeks ago, in an editorial which has brought many comments from those within the Center program.

Among those who enthusiastically threw support behind constructing a swimming pool was Ray Voll, vice president of the Center, and who, at one time or another, has held

virtually every office, since the Center began.

"Let's get it (swimming pool project) going", commented Mr. Voll, who this week said he has found numerous Center supporters in favor of the project. He added, "No body was against it."

The closest comment against the project now came from baseball league supporters, who said they wanted a pool but not if it interferes with the baseball program.

However, Joe Neal, who has been one of the staunchest supporters of baseball (he is currently president of the Connie Mack League) said he favors the project, and agrees the program should be broadened. Mr. Neal, of course, doesn't want the baseball programs disrupted, but neither

does any others who have voiced their support.

Most agree that the baseball programs are well established, and are able to continue, and that a swimming pool, or any other activity, is simply intended as more recreation for more people.

Charley Vettner, superintendent of County Recreation and Playgrounds, provided the best answer when questioned as to the need of a swimming pool, and whether it was feasible in regard to cost.

Surprisingly, in view of today's high cost of construction, the cost of swimming pools are relatively low today compared to years ago, Mr. Vettner said. He cited the swimming pool at Valley Station as an example.

That pool was built in 1937 at a cost of \$20,000. Today it could be built cheaper since building materials have changed and cost less than concrete which pools formerly only used.

The clincher came when Mr. Vettner said the Valley pool has been showing a handsome profit for years, and the money has been going back into recreational facilities there, as the pool was paid for many years ago.

The Valley pool, including concessions and other small fees, grossed over \$25,000 last season--between Memorial Day and September, he said.

The County provides the administrative personnel, supervisors, and life guards for the Valley pool, including swim instructions each summer. Mr. Vettner said he could see no reason why County Recreation could not give similar assistance to a pool built at the Community Center.

Vettner noted that the immediate St. Matthews area is now behind recreation-wise. Though he noted that the current recreation program at the Community Center is as large as some other areas, he agreed that not enough children are taking advantage of what is offered, compared to the number of children in the area.

Mr. Vettner predicted that a swimming pool would stimulate use of other facilities there.

He also suggested that the pool be constructed as a year-around facility, as the additional cost would be only a little more. (After the football season, no other activity is carried on at the Center during the winter).

Among the biggest factors which indicate that a swimming pool is the best project--and most needed--is that a pool can pay for itself and be self-supporting as well, after a small outlay of initial financing. Later, it is believed, the pool, can help support other activities, or operate at a reduced entrance fee, which over the Center board advises.

Also giving personal support to a swimming pool project was Millard French, who has been a member of the Center Board for many years. Clyde Knappe, former president of the Little League, said he is "ready to help" with the program.

However, the entire Community Center Board has gone on record favoring construction of a swimming pool, but up to now such an undertaking wasn't feasible, since the future of the site was indefinite. Negotiations for purchase of the land now occupied by the Center, and additional land in the area are underway and are expected to be completed soon.

The question as to why not a public swimming pool in the area has been raised by several parents the past two or three summers.

A brief check among youths in ground today, who said they

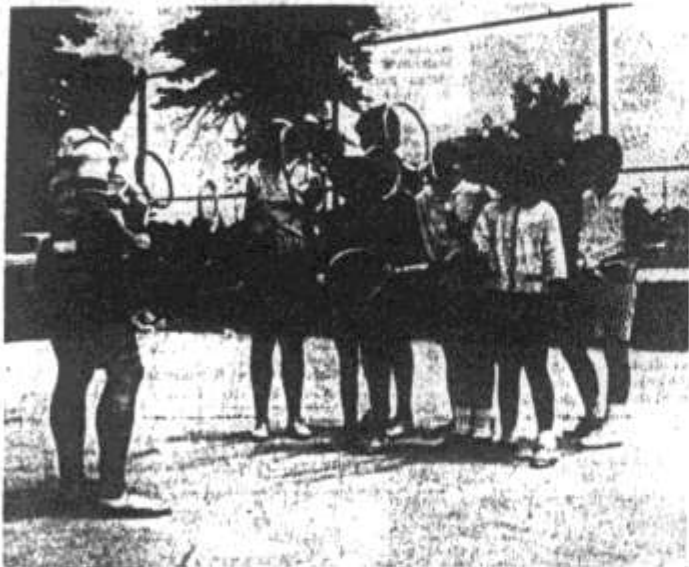
were just "tugging around" revealed the need of swimming facilities nearby.

Two youths, who said they were going to The Mall Tuesday "to kill time", gave a typical answer when asked, "why?" They said there wasn't anything else to do, that they liked to swim but there was no place for them.

If a swimming pool is to become a reality, the public should show it wants one, which may be done by a postal card to "Swim Pool" in care of The Voice.

The next step is the appointment of a Swimming Pool Committee by the Community Center Board to explore such things as public support, need, method of financing and costs.

A great many answers obviously are needed before dirt is moved.



Tennis instruction is among the activities underway at the Community Center recreation program. Here Pam Oliver shows part of a class of about 15 girls a swing. In front, from left, are Meredith Underwood, Barbara Galvin and Laura Underwood. Rear are Patty Derr, Marilyn Mauck, Rouanne Richwalaky and Ann Beczkowicz. The classes are for eight year olds and up, both boys and girls.

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BUCKET BRIGADE

Little League and Babe Ruth League players will be in uniform tonight with buckets in hand collecting for the annual baseball march for the benefit of the St. Matthews Community Center. The entire Babe Ruth and Little League areas will be covered beginning at 5:30 p.m.

March gets over \$1,800

The St. Matthews Community Center is over \$1,800 better off this week as result of the annual baseball March last Thursday.

The collection throughout the areas covered by the baseball leagues was up 10 percent over last year.

Baseball managers and others took groups of players into a designated area and the boys went from door to door.

The next big fund raiser for the Center will be the annual fish fry and picnic, which will include numerous other activities, slated later this year.

July 1, 1965

Pryors takes lead; Showers holds

By Gerald Jagers

As the St. Matthews Little League finished up another week of play, one team in each major league became the "team to beat" for the league title.

In the American League, the team sponsored by Pryors Restaurant and managed by Tom Haden, gained ground as it won all three of the games it played and moved two full games ahead of its nearest rivals.

At the same time, in the National League, the team coached by Buddy Ridge and sponsored by the Showers Shop won two out of the three games it played and saw its advantage over its nearest rival dwindle to one-half game.

No changes took place in the National League during the week in the relative standings. However, in the American League, Commonwealth Life lost both its games and dropped from second to fourth in the six-time league, while

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DIGGING FOR COMMUNITY CENTER -- Louis Smithers (of Smithers Food Market) reaches deep into his pocket for the annual Baseball March for the Community Center. Putting the "bite" on him are Little Leaguers Jim Elbert (left), pitcher for Ken O'Keefe Ford, and Sam Blustein, short stop.

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Pryors

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National League

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Support grows for swim pool

Support for a year-around public swimming pool at the Community Center gained momentum this week, both from the general public and from community center leadership.

As a result of last week's story, The Voice, received several letters, cards and telephone calls, which generally said, "We're in favor of a pool 100 percent." Some said a swimming pool for the area is long overdue.

The Community Center officers and board members expressed approval of the project, as they have in the past, Monday night, Ray Voll, vice president, who has been helping spearhead the drive, said the Community Center leadership feels the only problem is ownership of the land. He added, "we've got to obtain the land."

Mr. Voll said he would like to meet with Charlie Vettiner, superintendent of County recreation, to discuss plans for the project. Enthusiastic over the project was J. I. Goldstein, druggist (Fairmeade), who volunteered to head a finance committee to raise funds from among businessmen.

Also wanting to work on such a committee is Clyde Knoppe, who has been active in Community Center activities for years.

Noting that he sponsors a team in Little League, Mr. Goldstein said, "As a business man I am vitally interested in the community and believe a swimming pool is greatly needed for our youth."

Mr. Knoppe said he is and always has been interested in the community and a swimming pool is something needed."

Also among those who have voiced enthusiastic approval of a swimming pool is Albert Sanders, of Sanders Cleaners, who has always been a worker for community projects, ranging from St. Matthews Business Association activities down to recreation programs.

One community leader viewed a swimming pool with unlimited possibilities for recreation. He said, "We could even have steam baths."

July 1, 1965

Courtesy *The Voice Of St. Matthews:*

National in tight race for league crown

As the St. Matthews Little League entered its home stretch—only three weeks of the schedule remaining—at least one of the major leagues seemed likely to go down to the wire before deciding a champion.

The Duncan Motors team, managed by George Riggs, won its only game to move into first place in the National League with a 3-4 record. But the leaders are only 18 percentage points ahead of the team it replaced, Showers Shop, managed by Paul (Duddy) Mage. Showers Shop has a 10-5 record after winning a pair of games.

Still a mathematical possibility was Keweenaw Club with a 3-7 mark.

The Fryers Restaurant team, managed by Tom Haydon, occupied a more solid position in the American League with a 10-4 record, and with three games scheduled this week, could just about lock up the title. Fryers won its only game last week but was rained out of a game against the challenging Jim Booher club.

Jim Booher, with an 8-6 record, remained a threat and also had three games this week—two against Fryers, Kentucky Model Shop was third at 8-7.



STEVE PARKER of Jim Booher is surrounded by team mates and gets congratulations from his manager, Ted Lauderman, after slamming out a home run with two men on. Booher won the game against Model Shop, 10-3.

NATIONAL LEAGUE

Rained out of its game with Lions Club, Duncan Motors slipped into a fifth league lead by blanking Keweenaw Club 11-0 as Ricky Rhodes set the leaders down with only one hit and struck out 14. Duncan got 10 hits and played errorless ball.

Only hit off Rhodes was by Mike McCord in the sixth inning. McCord earlier in the week had nudged Showers Shop out of first place by pitching a two-hit 8-2 victory. McCord tossed 13 of the Showers players. Both hits off McCord were by Bob Sauer.

Showers came back to beat Citizens Fidelity, 4-1, as Bob Sauer, Tom Elliot and Carey Davis combined to pitch a two-hitter. Sauer had two hits, one a home run.

Lions became divided a pair for the week, trouncing Citizens Fidelity, 4-2, as Fred Williams pitched a two-hitter and Bob Carson contributed the tie-breaking three-run homer in the fifth to break up a 0-0 dual between Williams and Ed Johnson.

Lions bowed, 7-1, before the two-hit pitching of the Lions Club's Reid Walker. Walker struck out 13 and walked five and his team collected 10 hits.

AMERICAN LEAGUE

Fryers won its only start in the week by defeating Howard Johnson, 10-2, behind the one-hit pitching of Jeff Mike Scherer. After falling behind, 1-0, on Mike Bryant's first-inning home run, Fryers came back with four runs in the second to take over the game.

Marty McIntosh got the key hit of the inning, a two-run homer.

Jim Booher stayed in contention by winning its only game, 10-1, over Model Shop. Booher had 13 hits, scoring six runs in the third inning as Steve Parker and Greg Givan hit back-to-back homers. Don Cardage pitched out six hits, but pitched a two-run homer to Roland Mullin. Model Shop gained a split for the week by defeating Bank of Louisville, 11-5, behind Mullin's five innings of no-hit pitching. Bank of Louisville also split, beating Commonwealth Life, 5-1, with Bruce Dye pitching for the winners.

Commonwealth lost its other game, 5-1, to Howard Johnson as Mike Bryant pitched a four-hit to gain the victory.



GREG GIVAN followed Steve Parker with a homer and he too is swamped by his teammates in the Saturday game.

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Duncan	3	4	.492
Showers	10	5	.667
Citizens	8	7	.533
Lions Club	8	7	.461
Citizens Fidelity	5	10	.333
Keweenaw	3	10	.233

Bill O'Connor (H. John)	.477
Tom Scherer (Scherer)	.444
Rolland Mullin (Wad. L.)	.429
Tom Scherer (Fryers)	.429
Mike Scherer (Fryers)	.419
Bob Sauer (Showers)	.407
Carl Schepert (Wad. L.)	.400
Don Sauer (Wad. L.)	.375
Red Sauer (Fryers)	.364
Hal Henderson (Commonwealth)	.333

Reid Walker (Lions)	.323
Bob Henderson (Showers)	.313
Donald Sauer (Don. M.)	.300
Joe Sauer (Lions)	.286
Andy Sauer (Cit. Fid.)	.273
Bill Cardage (Don. M.)	.273
Mike Mullin (Don. M.)	.233
Tom Sauer (Keweenaw)	.200
Roger Sauer (Keweenaw)	.118
Greg Smith (Don. M.)	.000

Fryers	10	4	.714
Jim Booher	8	4	.571
Model Shop	6	7	.533
Commonwealth	6	8	.460
Bank of Louisville	6	8	.460
Howard Johnson	6	7	.460

Courtesy *The Voice Of St. Matthews:*

National League race gets a little tighter

Only slight changes took place last week in the standings of the clubs in the St. Matthews Little League. The tight National League race got a little tighter, and the not-so-tight American League race saw one team draw a little farther ahead of the others.

Present indications are that, in the National League, Duncan Motors and Showers Shop will go down to the wire before one of the other comes out on top. The Kiwanis Club team still is in contention and could make a run for the title in the final four games.

In the rival American League, Pryors Restaurant has built up a substantial lead with three games to go. However, Jim Booher and Model Shop have a mathematical chance to win out.

With the regular season play in both leagues drawing to a close (the last games are scheduled for July 14), interest is turning to the selection of all-star teams to represent each league in tournament play. All-star selections will be announced next week, with the first tournament games scheduled for July 21.

The league-leading Pryors team played three games during the past week, winning two

of them. They split two games with runner-up Jim Booher and downed the last-place Howard Johnson team.

On Wednesday, in a free-hitting game that included a home run by Tony Scherer, Pryors defeated Jim Booher by a score of 5-3. The next day, replaying a postponed game, the situation was reversed as they lost 10-6.

Against the Howard Johnson team on Saturday, 11-year-old Jimmy Adams spaced his hits well and got good hitting support from Pete Mickler to give Pryors a 5-2 win.

After splitting two games with Pryors, the Jim Booher team wound up the week by losing to the Model Shop team in an extra-inning game, 7-6. An excellent, four-inning relief stint by Dave Tinkle made the difference.

Earlier in the week, Model Shop had lost to the Bank of Louisville team by 6-4 on the basis of a well-pitched game by Lamont Coker.

In the only other game of the week, with each pitcher allowing only three hits, Commonwealth Life downed Bank of Louisville 6-1. Five errors allowed Hal Henderson to

come out on top over Bruce Dye.

ROUNDUP National League

Duncan Motors lost two of its three games during the week, and Showers Shop lost the only game it played, and the two ended the week tied for the league lead.

The Lions Club team split two games with Duncan Motors with the latter coming out on top, 6-5, on Wednesday, and the former winning 13-11 on Thursday. In the first of these games, Ricky Rhodes struck out 14 batters, while Reid Wal-

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Little League stars named

The St. Matthews Little League will be represented this year by 28 outstanding young baseball players in post-season tournament play. In both major leagues, the American and the National, 14-member all-star teams have been selected and have started practicing.

Limited to boys eleven or twelve years of age, each team was selected by the managers in that league. Ted Laudeman will manage the American League entry, assisted by Larry O'Connor. Buddy Ridge is the manager for the National League, assisted by George Riggs.

According to a schedule announced by League President Craig Walker, the American League team will open the post-season play on July 21, and the National League All-Stars will do battle on the following day.

American League All-Stars are: Curt Bridgett, Model Shop; Mike Bryant, Howard Johnson; Bruce Dye, Bank of Louisville; Dan Gadlage, Jim Booher; Greg Givan, Jim Booher; Hal Henderson, Commonwealth Life; Tim Logan, Model Shop; Rodney Neal, Pryors; Bill O'Connor, Howard Johnson; Steve Parker, Jim Booher; Mike Scherer, Pryors; Tony Scherer, Pryors and Eric Schuermer, Howard Johnson.

National League All-Stars are: John Fredericks, Showers Shop; John Kaster, Lions Club; Tony Koenig, Kiwanis Club; Mike McCord, Kiwanis Club; Bob McDermond, Showers Shop; Mike Mould, Duncan Motors; Ricky Rhodes, Duncan Motors; Bob Sauer, Showers Shop; Robert Schilling, Lincoln Income; Andy Servi, Citizens Fidelity; Dennis Stafford, Duncan Motors; Reid Walker, Lions Club; Cam Willis, Citizens Fidelity and Mike Wimsatt, Lincoln Income.

July 15, 1965

Courtesy *The Voice Of St. Matthews:*

Pryors clinch pennant, National undecided

The St. Matthews Little League Season is fast drawing to a close. In games through Monday, two major league teams had completed their regular season play, one major league race was decided, and all-star teams in both major leagues had been selected. Regular play in the two minor leagues will continue through July 23.

In the American League, Pryors Restaurant clinched the pennant as both runner-up teams lost one game during the week's play. Over in the National League, Duncan Motors and Kiwanis Clubs were tied for the lead although there is a mathematical possibility that either could be ousted.

Roundup

The Pryors Restaurant team clinched the American League pennant on Monday night as Howard Johnson downed Jim Booher in a wild last inning by a score of 13-12. After the Jim Booher team had jumped off to a 10-0 lead in the first two innings, including a grand-slam home run off the bat of Craig Hendry, the Howard Johnson boys pecked away until they had won.

Earlier, this same Howard Johnson team wrecked the hopes of the Model Shop team for a share in the league title, as they scored eight runs in the second inning and held on to win 8-4. Howard Johnson also won a third game during the week as they outslug-

ged the Bank of Louisville team 14-11, with a total of 15 hits.

Pryors lost both of the games it played during the week, and had to depend on losses by other teams to win the league title. Model Shop won out 3-4 as Bob Ballecci stole home with the winning run.

Later, Commonwealth capitalized on 10 errors to down the Pryors team 8-7 in overtime.

Jim Booher won his other two games during the week, defeating Commonwealth Life 1-0 on a fine, one-hit pitching effort by Greg Givan and Randy Rainey hit one.

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his double in the last half of the sixth inning to drive in the game's only run. In its other winning effort, the Jim Booher team swamped Bank of Louisville 10-4, as Greg Givan hit two home runs and Randy Rainey hit one.

National

Duncan Motors won three games during the past week to take a commanding lead in the race for the National League pennant. On the strength of two winning efforts, the Kiwanis Club team stayed in contention with a mathematical chance to tie for the league crown.

With only one game left to play in the league schedule, two teams are tied for the lead in the National League, with still a third team with a mathematical chance to tie for the pennant. Duncan Motors and Kiwanis Club have identical 12 and 7 records through Monday night games, and the early season leader, Showers Shop is one game back.

The Kiwanis Club team won three straight games to move into its tie for the league lead. First, they defeated Showers Shop 10-2 behind the one-hit, 15-strikeout performance of pitcher Mike McCord. Next they played errorless ball behind the 4-hit pitching of Willie Koesters to down the Lincoln Income team 6-1. Finally, on Monday evening against Lions Club, Mike McCord (13 strikeouts) faced Reid Walker (13 strikeouts), but neither was still pitching as Kiwanis won out in overtime by a score of 2-1.

Duncan Motors won two of its three games during the week. First, they downed Lincoln Income Life 8-5 as Ricky Rhodes hit a home run. Next, they lost to the Lions Club team 6-2 as Reid Walker outpitched Ricky Rhodes. They closed out the week on a winning note by downing Showers Shop 8-4 making full use of 7 errors by the losers.

American League Standings

	W	L	Pct.
Pryors Restaurant	12	7	.631
Jim Booher Chev.	11	9	.550
Model Shop	10	9	.524
Howard Johnson	9	10	.474
Commonwealth	8	10	.443
Bank of Louisville	7	12	.369

National League Standings

	W	L	Pct.
Duncan Motors	12	7	.631
Kiwanis Club	12	7	.631
Showers Shop	11	8	.579
Lions Club	10	10	.500
Citizens Fidelity	8	12	.333
Lincoln Income Life	13	13	.316

July 15, 1965

Babe Ruth to start tournament tomorrow

The Babe Ruth District Tournament for 13 year olds ALL STARS will begin tomorrow at St. Matthews Community Center at 8 p.m. This year there is only one other league entered in the tournament, that being Valley. This will be the two loss-and-out tournament under the direction of Max Reed.

Saturday the game will be played at Valley at 2 p.m., and then if a third game is necessary it will be played at St. Matthews Community Center Sunday at 2:30 p.m.

The 14 and 15 year old ALL STAR District tournament will begin Friday, July 23, at 5 p.m. at Valley, the only other entry in the District this year.

The second game is to be played at the Community Center on Saturday, July 24 at 2 p.m., and the third game, if

necessary, at Valley on Sunday, July 25 at 2:30 p.m.

The winners of both tournaments will earn a berth in the State Tournament at Elmhurst City beginning Thursday, July 29. The winner of the State Tournament will proceed to the Regional at Owensboro, Ky., on August 9.

A banquet for pennant winners of both the major and farm club teams will be given Wednesday, July 21, at 6:30 p.m. at the St. Matthews United Church of Christ, Hancock and St. Catherine Streets. It will be open to the public.

Advance reservations may be made at the press box at the Community Center up to Saturday July 17, or by calling George Mauck, president, 896-2760. A ticket will cost \$1.75.

Minor League

In the AAA League, Ken O'Keefe Ford continued its winning ways with a 17-0 route of the Zachary Taylor team behind the 5-inning, one-hit pitching of Leason Neal. Steve Nagle, pitching for Thornbury Toys, also allowed only one hit as his team mates downed Boston Shoe by a score of 7-1. In the third game of the week, Don Hall also allowed only one hit as Fairmeads Pharmacy downed Moose Franch Hardware 16-3.

In the rival Southern Association, fine pitching was the keynote also even though the scores were higher. Pitcher Herbie Brown got this accolade as Stouffer's Louisville Inn defeated Standard Oil 10-8. In the other game, as Rhodes downed Henderson Electric 8-7, Mark Richter allowed only one hit and one run in the last five innings.

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Swim pool an asset

Cards, letters and the specially prepared coupon favoring construction of a public year-around swimming pool at the Community Center are continuing to come into *The Voice*.

Generally most of the letters, written by parents, say they are "whole heartedly" in favor of such a pool, that another pool is badly needed."

Several families said that the Crescent Hill pool, the only public pool in this area, is over crowded and many people don't go there any more.

One family said they had just recently moved here from Illinois and their three children "badly miss" a pool, especially in the warm Kentucky weather.

Another recalled that when they moved here in 1954, they joined the St. Matthews Y.M.C.A., when the Y said it planned a pool. After realizing there would be no pool, the parents said, they stopped contributing to the local Y. He said though they have to depend on the Louisville Y for winter swimming it is "far too" inconvenient.

Many of the letters cited the need for swimming facilities for small children, and some noted their children either were just beginning to learn to swim or had no place to learn.

Most letters, representative of all sections of the greater St. Matthews area, said such a pool would be an asset to the community.

The proposal for a swimming pool actually has not met with any opposition from either the Community Center officials or the City of St. Matthews, which is negotiating for the Community Center land.

Conferences as to the best use of the land and recreational purposes are known to have been held with Charlie Vettner, superintendent of County recreation, who has voiced approval of a pool in the area.

A general opinion is that swimming facilities can be had on the grounds come next spring.

The people should continue to express themselves on the idea, and would like to have as many cards and letters possible within the next few weeks, commented Ray Voll, vice president of the Center who has been trying to get the project underway.

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These members of the St. Matthews Lions Club team display their baseballs they received as awards for collecting the largest amount in the Baseball March for the benefit of the St. Matthews Community Center. Front row—Rudy Kaster (left) bat boy, Toby Burke, Jimmy Silliman, Kenny Kalbfleisch, Terry Bryant. Second row—Tish Busnell, Joe Kaelin, Bill Crawford, Dick Crosser, Joe Poe, Tommy Newman. Back row—Steve Huelaman, Reid Walker, John Kaster manager, Joe Neal chairman of the Community Center, Dick Crosser, Sr., assistant manager, Gary Stigger, John Kaster, Jr., Tony Kaelin. The team collected \$137.

July 22, 1965

Football tryouts will be Saturday

Tryouts for the St. Matthews Football League will be held at 9:30 a.m. this Saturday at the St. Matthews Community Center Building on Shelbyville Road. The league, made up of two teams, is open to boys ages 9 through 13.

The little teams will be comprised of boys 9, 10 and 11, weighing less than 100 pounds. The 11-year-olds weighing over 100 pounds and the 12 and 13 year olds weighing up to but not over 130 pounds will play on the large teams. The league is in need of about 60 boys, 30 in each age group.

This will be tackle football played under rules of the Kentucky High School Athletic Association. Every boy that comes out and registers will be placed on a team and the amount of time of his play will depend on his ability. The season will begin Sept. 3.

The league will play a ten-game schedule on Friday nights at the St. Matthews Community Center, with two games each night at 6:30 and at 8:30. Practice will start Aug. 16 in a location in Seneca Park just off Cannons Ln. Practice sessions will be from 4:30 to 6:30 three days a week.

League officials say each boy will be closely supervised and given the best instructions. Equipment will be the latest and safest type and carefully previewed by the administration and coaches of

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the league to be sure each boy plays under the safest conditions. Each boy will play boys his own size, age and weight.

Each new boy registering is required to be accompanied by a parent and is to bring a document certifying his date of birth.

Coaches for the big teams are Sid Fraser, Colts; Gene Fagen, Bears; J. D. Dukes, Browns; Tony Gentile, Lions; and Harry Prys, Rams. Coaching the little teams will be Don Colbert, Colts; Bud Ridge, Bears; Jack Hyland, Browns; Pete Van Note, Lions. The league is still in need of a coach for the Little Rams team.

League officers are Dick Deutsch, president; R. Crosser, secretary; and William Pickering, treasurer.

Those desiring further information concerning the league may contact Mr. Van Note by calling 245-5142 and leaving their name and phone number.

July 29, 1965

Committee on swim pool being chosen Vettiner values Center facilities at \$100,500

The St. Matthews Community Center Board unanimously endorsed construction of a swimming pool at the Center, and Center Vice President Ray Voll is beginning to place together a small task force toward preliminary plans.

He said he is seeking a "working committee" with special talents or knowledge pertaining to the preliminary stages of such a project.

He said he expected to have the committee named by next week.

Last week, Charlie Vettiner, superintendent of County recreation, evaluated the community facilities at \$100,500 and commented that St. Matthews could not afford to turn lose the land which the facilities are on.

He valued the wadding pool alone at \$18,000, the tennis courts at \$27,000, and the building at \$40,000. He noted the need of land for recreation purposes in this area as one reason the community should hold on to the land.

Vettiner said additional land for recreation purposes in this area is being sought by his department, and if the City could locate additional land he believed Fiscal Court would purchase it.

Mayor Bernard Bowling is negotiating for title of the Community Center tract, which has been under a long term lease from the Arterburn family.

The owners are willing to extend the lease for an indefinite period, with several alternatives, among which are options to eventual out right purchase, but they decline to sell right now, Mayor Bowling said.

The City of St. Matthews, which is the legal agent for the Community Center, has had a condemnation suit prepared but has not filed it in court pending outcome of the negotiations.

The City wants title to the land, and most people connected with the Center say title to the land is necessary before a swimming pool is built on it.

The value of facilities and improvements the Center has made on the land is one factor which has promoted the City of St. Matthews to seek out-right ownership for the Center.

The proposed swimming pool

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has attracted broad attention from among residents through the area, and particularly those in swimming and recreation programs.

Target date for opening the year round pool is next spring. But the deciding factor as to when it is constructed and opened is how soon negotiations for the land can be completed.

August 5, 1965

Courtesy The Voice Of St. Matthews:

PANIC BUTTON

Little League football needs 100 new players

St. Matthews Little League Football League is pushing the panic button. The league is short of at least 100 boys from age 9 through 13.

What is putting the league in a lull is the short period of time remaining before the season gets off early next month. Practice is to start Monday.

Boys weighing up to 130 pounds in the age groups can register this Saturday starting at 9:30 a.m. at the St. Matthews Community Center, opposite the Mall Shopping Center.

A League official said there are openings in all positions on virtually all teams. Noticeably lacking are boys from the Highlands area, he said.

The league however takes boys virtually all over the Eastend area, extending from Bardstown Road and Zorn Avenue to Jefferson and Middletown areas.

At the first tryout two weeks ago, only 40 boys showed up for the normally 200-player league. However, players who have been in the league and still eligible are automatically retained and do not have to register.

The league officials emphasized that the boys are split into age groups and according to weight, with none going over 130 pounds.

The small division have boys age 9-10 and also 11-year olds under 100 pounds. Eleven year olds over 100 pounds go in the big division.

Each team consisting of both age groups plans to carry about 60 boys, 30 in each age group, enabling each age group to field 11 experienced boys while the younger boys gain experience and know-how.

The shortage of players is such that at least one team has only 20 players, hardly half its normal quota.

The league, under Kentucky High School rules, will start practice Monday in Seneca field, which is somewhat closer to boys in the Highlands than those in the Lyndon and Westport areas, a League official pointed out.

Practice will be from 4:30 to 6:30 on Mondays, Wednesdays and Thursdays. Games are played on Friday night at the Center.

August 12, 1965

Babe Ruth 13 year old All-Stars win Region

St. Matthews 13-year-old Babe Ruth All-Stars swept through a three-game series in Owensboro last week and captured the Regional Championship, which ends the season for the division.

St. Matthews knocked off Henderson 4-1 in the opener Thursday, and Saturday morning they outscored a hard hitting Cincinnati team 10-7 and downed Owensboro 7-5 in the finals.

Against Cincinnati, they jumped off to a six run lead in the first inning, but was in a tie game 7-7 going into the final inning. However St. Matthews came through with a three run blast to win.

The Maties played flawless ball in a pressure-packed game against Owensboro.

St. Matthews 13-year old All-Stars didn't fare so well in this year's tournament play. They were knocked off in the district.

The 13-year old All-Stars were Dan Allen, Paul Bailey, John Davis, Tom Franis, Jay Hogan, Terry Howard, Bud Mattingly, Todd Mickler, Bill Northcutt, Mike Nidge, Bob Staley, Fred Stillner, Gary Tesser, Kim Twell and Mark Wisener.

They were managed by Paul Wisener, and the coaches were Bob Gary and Taddy Holloway. Mark Koenig was equipment manager and Sam Franis, business manager.

August 19, 1965

One more grid tryout

The St. Matthews Football League will hold its last official tryouts this Saturday, beginning at 9 a.m. at the St. Matthews Community Center. About 150 boys have previously been signed up for the five teams, 50 to a team. League officials say 60 to a team is desired.

The league is now practicing in Seneca Park for the 1965 season. Parents and boys who want to register Saturday are invited to stop by the practice field and talk to any of the coaches.

League officials say registrations will be open to new boys after Aug. 21, however, the first league game will be Sept. 2. Boys who register later than this weekend will lose practice experience.

August 19, 1965

Swim pool committee shapes-up

A committee on a public swimming pool at the Community Center began to take form this week with about a half dozen members named. Others are to be added to the list.

Ray Voll, Center vice president who has been exploring the possibility of such a project, said Albert Sanders, Joe Neal, Millard French, Bill Pickering and Charlie Vettiner have agreed to serve on the committee.

He added that Center President Robert Veech is expected to serve on the committee by virtue of his office.

Sanders has always been a booster of civic community affairs. Vettiner is superintendent of county recreation and Neal, French and Pickering have been active in Center activities almost since its inception. They also are either on the board or an officer. In the meantime, Mr. Vettiner is obtaining several plans of modern pools for study.

August 12, 1965

Courtesy The Voice Of St. Matthews:

Kolish, promoter of Little League baseball, dies

Walter C. Kolish, 63, active in the St. Matthews Little League program for several years, died at 3:15 p.m. Sunday in Veterans Hospital. He lived at 4212 Winchester Rd.

Mr. Kolish had served with the league in one capacity or another for about seven years, until his health prevented his doing so, which was about a year and a half ago. He had served as publicity director and as official score keeper. He had worked with the program before his son Charles who now plays on the American League team, was old enough to play.

Hunter Look, secretary and past president of the league, stated that Mr. Kolish did a very fine job and was highly regarded by the league.

Mr. Look added that all were quite sure Mr. Kolish had performed these extracurricular duties at times when he did not

feel up to it.

Mr. Kolish was formerly secretary and public relations director of the old American Association baseball league, a post he held from 1948 to 1950 after retiring from the U. S. Army as a lieutenant colonel with 24 years of service. He was a veteran of World War II.

Mr. Kolish, a former New York Athletic Club track star, barely missed membership in the U. S. Olympic Team in the early 1920's. He was an officer in many athletic clubs and in the Amateur Athletic Union. He had served as public relations director for the Kentucky Society for Crippled Children and secretary of the American Association chapter of baseball writers.

He held many posts with lo-

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Kolish dies

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cal amateur and professional sports organizations. He was a member of the Zachary Taylor American Legion Post, the Crescent Hill Masonic Lodge, the Scottish Rite and the Elks.

Other survivors besides his son include his widow, the former Bess Arman, and his mother, Mrs. Louise Kolish of East Rockaway, N. Y.

The funeral was at 2 p.m. Tuesday at Pearson's, 149 Breckinridge Ln. Burial was in Graceland Cemetery, New Albany, Ind.

The family had requested that expressions of sympathy take the form of contributions to the General Post Fund for Recreation and Rehabilitation at the Veterans Hospital, Louisville.

September 2, 1965

Center may get lights to stem vandals

St. Matthews Community Center Board may decide to erect lights at the Center as a deterrent to vandalism which has been one of the Center's major problems since it was organized.

Lights are also being considered for the newly constructed basketball court, both to aid play there and to help keep down vandalism.

The Board discussed the erection of lights Monday night as some vandalism occurred at the Center recently.

No great damage occurred in the latest incident, but did require closing the wading pool for a couple of days and some clean-up. Trash, some of it glass, was thrown on the grounds and pools and concrete benches overturned.

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Federation; Don Merkley, the railroad tracks.

St. Matthews Football League 1965 SCHEDULE

1st Game - 6:30 p.m.

DATE	Home	Visitors
Sept. 3	Browns	vs. Rams
10	Bears	vs. Rams
17	Rams	vs. Lions
24	Bears	vs. Browns
Oct. 1	Browns	vs. Lions
8	Lions	vs. Bears
15	Lions	vs. Colts
22	Colts	vs. Browns
29	Rams	vs. Colts
Nov. 5	Colts	vs. Bears

2nd Game - 8:30 p.m.

DATE	Home	Visitors
Sept. 3	Bears	vs. Lions
10	Lions	vs. Colts
17	Browns	vs. Colts
24	Colts	vs. Rams
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15	Bears	vs. Rams
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Nov. 5	Lions	vs. Browns

The All-Star game will be played on Nov. 12 and the home team of the first game will be responsible for preparing the field. The home teams will also be responsible for furnishing an announcer for the public address system and the visiting team will furnish the head line-man.

Rams beat Bears, Lions stomp Colts

In the first of last week's games, the Rams' Little and Big Teams were victorious over the Bears, 26-0 and 7-6 respectively.

The Little Rams wasted little time in showing their power when Douglas ran the ball in from the 21 yd. line. There was no extra point scored. Recovering a Bear fumble, the Rams scored again on Snyder's pass to Douglas covering 31 yards. Phillips carried for the conversion. Phillips later scored from the 1 ft. line, but his extra point attempt was halted. Late in the fourth quarter, Snyder passed to Douglas for 13 yards and a T.D. Douglas ran over for the extra point.

The game ended on a 25 yard run by the Bears' Don Dunn.

In the Big Teams game, the first half saw the ball exchanging hands and the teams marching from one end of the field to the other with no one scoring.

The Rams started off the second half with Chapel intercepting Ridge's pass and

running it back for 16 yards. Lincoln then ran the ball 35 yards for the T.D., followed by Hascall's extra point which proved to be the deciding point.

The Bears took the ball on their 37 yard line and in six plays scored their T.D., climaxed by an 18 yard run by Stollings. The extra point attempt was stopped short.

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Rams beat Bears

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In the second game, the Lions stomped the Colts with the Little Lions winning 26-7, and the Big Lions 32-0.

Scoring highlights were:

Little game: Mark Bauer was the main scoring punch for the Lions with runs of 11, 2, and 24 yards. Gentile followed up two of the three touchdowns with the extra points. Albright then came back for the Colts to score on a 15 yard reverse play.

Deutsch passed for the extra point. Crosser ran the kickoff back 60 yards and the T.D.

Big game: Zoeller started the scoring off for the Lions on a 6 yard run followed by Stiltner's extra point. Hogan passed to McGuire for 6 yards and a T.D. Skinner ran over from the 3 for another T.D. Zoeller returned a punt 70 yards for a T.D. followed by Kitchen's extra point. Stiltner scored as time was running from the 9 yard line.

Big team, King (C) led all players for the night with 116 yards gained followed by Zoeller (L) 105; Faegan (B) and Chapel (R) 75 yards each.

Little team ground gainers were Bauer (L) 92; Douglas (R) 80; and Crosser (L) 65.

September 16, 1965

Browns, Lions victorious, hold opponents scoreless

By Larry Gillette

The Browns and the Lions were victorious this week as they held their opponents scoreless. Both the Lions' Big Team and Little Team were victorious over the Rams with scores of 19-0 and 13-0 respectively.

The Little Browns had a hard time holding the Colts as they edged out a 9-0 win. The Big Browns had no trouble at all as they handed the Colts a 41-0 defeat.

In the first game of the evening, the Little Lions, after a scoreless first half, showed their power as they scored in the waning minutes of the third quarter and once more in the last quarter.

Their first touchdown came about with the Lions' Ricky Blustein recovering Buddy Theobald's fumble on the Rams' 16-yard line. Six plays later, Tony Gentile carried the ball into pay dirt from the one-yard line.

The Lions' other touchdown came in the opening minutes of the fourth quarter. With

the Rams unable to move the ball, the Lions took over on their own 32-yard line and moved the ball to the Rams' 2-yard line, where Dick Crosser passed to Steve Friebert for the T.D. Crosser carried the ball over for the extra point. The touchdown drive was highlighted by Gentile's 38-yard gain to the Rams' 6-yard line.

The Big Lions, off to a slow start, powered their way over the Rams. Jay Hogan scored early in the second quarter on a run from the 3-yard line.

The Lions' second scoring opportunity came in the third quarter when Hogan recovered Hascall's fumble on the Rams' 11-yard line. Stillner scored from the four.

The Lions' last score came on a Rams' end zone fumble which was recovered by the Lions. Stillner scored the extra point.

The Little Browns were able to edge the Colts by a score of 9-0. With time running out in the first half, the Browns Urban raced 34 yards for the touchdown. Duke followed with

the extra point. The Browns' only other scoring opportunity came when the Colts' offense took over on their own 2-yard line after their defense had withheld the scoring drive of the Browns. With their backs to the wall, the Colts looked for running room, but Albright was caught behind the goal line by Jenkins and Bentley for a safety.

The Big Browns wasted little time in showing off their power as they scored on their first series of downs climaxed by Welsner's one-yard plunge for the T.D. Omer followed with the extra point.

The next time the Browns received the ball, they again scored on Welsner's 4-yard jaunt. Welsner scored again when he returned Temple's punt 20 yards and the T.D. Omer's boot was good.

Hutt scored next for the Browns from the five-yard line, followed again by Omer's kick.

Omer was again in on the scoring when he ran the ball in from the four for the T.D. followed by his kick for the extra point.

September 23, 1965

Browns' teams victorious, Little Rams down Colts 33-0

By Larry Gillette

Both 'Browns' Teams were victorious as Welsner sparked them over Bears 52-0, while the Little Browns came from behind to defeat the Rams 6-2 in a close opener last

Friday night.

In a game which saw some pretty good defensive plays by both teams the Little Browns edged their way past the Bears.

Behind at halftime 2-0, after the Browns' Schindler had been tackled behind the goal for a safety by the Bears' Kelly and Bush, the Browns started a touchdown drive that was climaxed by Childers' 28 yard run for the points needed for victory.

Meanwhile, the Big Browns had little trouble rolling over the Bears as the Browns' Welsner led them to touchdown after touchdown with scoring runs of 25, 25, 4, 26, and 42 yards plus assisting in two other scoring drives.

The Browns started off with Copley blocking Ridge's punt and recovering it in the end zone. Then started Welsner's parade of touchdowns. Welsner, also starred by passing to Koenig for 18 yards and another touchdown and also by taking Koenig's pass, then lateralling to Thomas who scored on a play that covered 78 yards. Welsner ended up with 127 yards gained and 31 points for the night.

The Little Rams wasted little time in showing the Colts that they were there to play football as they roared past the Colts 33-0.

Behind Don Douglas' running skill, the Rams were able to march play after play over the Colts defense. Douglas, who scored four of the five Rams' touchdowns, made scoring runs of 15, 12, 38, and 10 yards. Bullock passed to Harper for 5 yards and the only other touchdown scored.

The Big Rams, however, had their hands full as the Colts finally clicked and plowed the Rams under 19-0.

After a strong defensive first half, the Colts came back with King carrying Chapel's opening kickoff back 68 yards before being tackled by Lincoln. Lewis carried the ball in from 7 on the next play.

King shined later as he scored the second touchdown from 1 yard out. The final points were scored when La-Master passed to Durbin for 11 yards and the touchdown.

The Colts' King is leading all gainers with the Browns' Welsner and Thomas close behind.

September 30, 1965

9 nominated to fill Little League posts

Nine men have been nominated as 1966 officers and directors of the St. Matthews Little League.

The annual election meeting of the League will be held Monday at 8 p.m. at the St. Matthews Community Center.

This is the slate of officers and directors selected by a nominating committee: Dr. Ted Logan, president; Arthur Drant, vice president; American League; Robert Duda, vice president; National League; Hunter Cook, secretary; Julian Evans, treasurer; Directors at large: Harry Sullivan, Dr. James Childers, Frank Wimsatt, and William Crawford.

Additional nominations may be made from the floor the night of the meeting if public approval has been obtained from the members.

Anyone interested in nominating a Little League team next

year should contact Craig Walker, 459-1822, before the meeting, since applications for managers will be reviewed at a director's meeting at 2 o'clock preceding the election.

October 7, 1965

Big Browns win

By Larry Gillette

The Browns split last week's games with the Big Team beating the Lions 9-6 and the Little Team losing to the Lions, 14-0.

In a very good defensive game, the Big Browns outlasted the Lions with a field goal in the waning seconds of the game.

All of the scoring came in an action packed fourth quarter. The Browns' scoring drive started on their own 38-yard line climaxed by a pass from Thomas to Koenig for 22-yards and the touchdown. But the Lions came back with a 59-yard pass from Skinner to McGuire for the T.D.

The Browns' big break came when Copley recovered the Lions' fumble on the Lions 22-yard line. Walsner kicked the field goal as time seemed to be running out.

But it seemed all was not over as Stiltner took Thomas' kick on his own 25-yard line and ran it back to the Browns' 20-yard line before being forced out of bounds as time ran out.

In the Little game, it looked as if the Lions were really going to romp as they took the opening series of plays to score the touchdown climaxed by Bauer's 28-yard run over left tackle for the touchdown.

The game then turned into a defensive battle with both sides holding their opponents. But the Lions put together a scoring drive late in the fourth quarter with Bauer going over from the 2-yard line.

The Bears also split their game with the Little Bears winning 20-0, and the Big Colts winning also, 12-0.

The Bears wasted little time in taking over as they scored on the first play of the game with a pass from Gault to Bush for 58-yards and the touchdown. The Bears scored again the next time they got possession of the ball with Johnson taking it over from the 1-yard line, highlighted by a pass from Shoettner to Bush for 22-yards. Midway through the third quarter they scored again with Gault carrying it over from the three for the last T.D. The Colts' defense stopped the Bears from scoring late in the fourth quarter as they halted a drive on their own 2-yard line.

The Big Colts started off their scoring when King intercepted Ridge's pass early in the second quarter. They then scored on a pass from LaMaster to Durlin for 22 yards and the touchdown. The Colts scored again on the opening play of the fourth quarter with Lewis running up the middle for 32-yards and the final touchdown.

October 7, 1965

1966 Little League officers selected

Jeffersonstown Little League officers for 1966 have been selected.

The baseball president is William M. Sparks, of 9508 Garden Drive.

Other officers are Harry Jones, 10211 Barkley Drive, player agent; Bud Reid, 10605 Park Ave., chief umpire; Chester Wels, 9403 Shanna Drive, senior division vice president; Joseph Russell, 2905 Patti Lane, major-minor vice president.

Also, Joseph Smiley, 9503 Shanna Drive, Pee-Wee division vice president; Ross Roberts, 5609 Lisa Lane, grounds director; Ralph Sahlaton, 10701 Taylorsville Rd., secretary; Andy Conners, 12110 Taylorville Road, treasurer, and Robert Smith-er, 3308 Mardale Drive, sponsorship chairman.

October 21, 1965

Football winners

The names of the 18 winners in the pass, punt, and kick program, sponsored by the St. Matthews Jaycees and Ken O'Keefe Ford, were announced this week.

By age group, they are: Age 8: Eric Federapfel, 2109 Gerard Drive, first place; William R. Flock, 7311 Glen Arbor Road, second place, and Htek Adrio, 152 N. Keats, third place.

Age 9: Glen Flock, 7311 Glen Arbor Road, first place; John O'Connor, 3020 Curran Road, second place; Bradley Mudgeon, 1004 Williamsburg Ct., third place.

Age 10: Mark Bellucci, 216 Brown Ave., first place; David Rae Duke, 606 Wataga, second place; John N. Martin, 2103 Japonica Way, third place.

Age 11: Curt Bridgett, 10120 Foxboro Drive, first place; Robert Schindler, 309 Short Road, second place; Tom Waggoner, 10009 Whipps Mill Rd., third place.

Age 12: Bruce Able, 601 Indian Ridge Road, first place; Bill Leavell, 215 King Road, second place; Gary L. Parrish, 215 N. Hubbards Lane, third place.

Age 13: Greg Lord, 9312 Trenthan Lane, first place; Jim Mayer, 1734 Deer Park, second place, and Thomas F. Martin, 2103 Japonica, third place.

The winners received footballs and football equipment as prizes.

October 21, 1965

Little League selects officers and directors

Dr. Theodore Logan, 3506 Brook Dr., has been elected president of the St. Matthews Little League Baseball program for 1966.

Dr. Logan, 44, has lived in the area five years and was playing agent for the American League last year. He has a son Timmy, 11, who will

play on the Model Shop team next season.

Dr. Logan formerly lived in the South Louisville area where he managed a Little League team for eight years.

He is professor and chairman of the Department of Prosthodontics at the University of Louisville. He is a gradu-

ate of the University of Kentucky, received his D.M.D. degree from the University of Louisville School of Dentistry and had done graduate work at Ohio State University.

Dr. Logan and his wife Vivian have another son Teddy, 21, attending Indiana University on a baseball scholarship, and a daughter, Leslie, a senior at Waggener High School.

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vice president, American League; Robert Dentz, vice president, National League; Hunter Look, secretary; Julian Evans, treasurer. Directors at large are Harry Sullivan, Dr. James Childers, Frank Wimsatt and William Crawford.

Managers of the Major League teams were also announced at the meeting last week.

Managers of the American League teams are: Bob Jones, Howard Johnson; Tex Lau-

derman, Jim Boomer Chevrolet; Donald Martin, Model Shop; Gene Gardner, Bank of Louisville; Tom Hayden, Fryers Restaurant; and Gerald Inaba, Commonwealth Life Insurance.

Managing the National League teams will be: R. D. Croasser, St. Matthews Lions Club; Gene McAdams, Citizens Fidelity; Buddy Ridge, Showers Shop; George Riggs, Duncan Motors; Carl Porter, Lincoln Income Life Insurance; and Luther Horn, St. Matthews Kiwanis Club.

October 28, 1965

Big Browns down Colts

By Steve Deutsch

The Big Colts played one of their best games of the season in a 7-0 loss to the Big Browns. The only score of the game came in the second quarter on a 45-yard pass play from Thomas to Wiesner.

Ginar added the extra point. Wiesner gained 31 yards on the ground to pace the Browns' attack. Lewis led the Colts' attack with a net of 30 yards.

The Big Lions romped to an easy 21-0 victory over the Big Lions. The first score of the game came when Chappell's punt was blocked and then recovered in the end zone for a safety. The first Lion touchdown was scored by Nelson on an eight-yard run.

Zoller added six more points on a three-yard plunge. Skinner completed the scoring with a 28-yard end run. The Rams were never able to get their offense going and ended the game 18 yards from scrimmage.

The Little Browns handed the Little Colts their sixth straight defeat. Scoring touchdowns for the Browns were Urban on an 11-yard run and Schindler on a three-yard run.

The final Brown score was made by Jenkins when he carried an intercepted pass 30 yards for a touchdown. Duke scored the only extra point. The final score was 19-0.

The Little Lions continued their pursuit for the championship by defeating the Little Rams 12-0. Gentile scored both the Lions' touchdowns on runs of 4 and 37 yards. He paced the Lions' attack on a muddy field by gaining 104 yards.

October 28, 1965

Courtesy The Voice Of St. Matthews:

Browns and Colts romp to victories

By Steve Deutch

The Big Browns romped to an easy 44-0 victory over the Big Bears. The first Brown touchdown came on a 53-yard run by Thomas.

Wiesser then scored on a 12-yard run in the same quarter. A second quarter touchdown came on a 10-yard pass from St. Clair to Wiesser. The half time score was 20-0.

In the third quarter Mutt scored on a 23-yard touchdown run around left end. In the same quarter Wiesser hit Thomas with a 35-yard scoring strike. In the fourth quarter Wiesser again scored on a 22-yard touchdown run and an 18-yard field goal. Omar kicked 5 extra points for the Browns.

The Big Colts picked up an easy victory over the Big Hams 25-0. The first touchdown came on an 11-yard run by King in the third quarter. King scored again in the same quarter from 10 yards out. A pass from LeMaster to Bryant added the extra point making the score 13-0. In the fourth quarter Sipes scored on a two-yard run. King completed the scoring by recovering a fumble and running it back 20 yards. The final score 25-0.

The Little Hams had little difficulty in defeating the Little Colts. The first score came when a Ham recovered

a blocked punt in the end zone. Douglas added the extra point. In the third quarter Douglas ran the ball 81 yards around his left side for a touchdown. Phillips completed the scoring on a 2 yard run.

The Little Browns defeated the Little Bears by a 14-0 margin. Urban scored on a 35-yard run around the right side. In the fourth quarter Duke scored on a one-yard run. Urban added both extra points.

League play will be completed this Friday night. The Championships of both the big and little teams depend on the outcome of the final games of the season.

November 4, 1965

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Auction to be held Saturday to benefit Community Center

A public auction, with proceeds going to the Community Center, will be held in Jeffersonton at 11 a.m. Saturday, Nov. 6.

The auction will be held at the center.

Community Center President Herb Drane has asked members of each organization in Jeffersonton to donate at least one article to be sold at the auction.

Jaycees have volunteered to pick up articles that are donated. Arrangements for pick

up of a donation may be made by calling Jim Nutt at 267-5745 or Don Potts at 267-1845.

Lunch will be served at the auction, which will be conducted by Fred Weber.

Mr. Drane said: "The center is in need of financial help. With the backing of all members of organizations we hope this auction, together with projects sponsored by individual organizations, will put the Center on solid ground again."

Both Big, Little Brown teams win Little League crowns

Both the Big and Little Brown teams won the Little League Football Championships last Friday night at the Community Center. The Big Browns defeated the Big Lions 13-0, and the Little Browns won a hard fought 7-6 victory over the Little Lions.

The Big Browns took advantage of a Big Lions' mistake and won the championship. The Lions were forced into a punting situation on their 15-yard line.

A low snap from center caused McGuire to touch his knee on the three yard line before getting the punt off. The Browns took over at this point and in three plays sprung Thomas loose for the first score.

In the fourth quarter Wiesser intercepted a pass by Hogan and ran it back 51 yards for the second Browns' touchdown. The try for extra point failed.

The Little Browns pulled out a squeaker by defeating the Little Lions for the Little Division Championship. The Little Browns' only score came on a two-yard run by Urban in the second quarter. The Browns led at halftime 7-0. The second half saw the Lions come to life and control the ball the entire third quarter.

Early in the fourth quarter Crosser plunged one-yard for the Lions' only score. Their attempt for the extra point failed and the game ended 7-6 in favor of the Little Browns.

Urban was the leading ground gainer of the game with a net of 73 yards on 17 carries. Other outstanding players were Reed, Duke, and Schindler.

The Big Colts closed their season by defeating the Big Bears 40-0. Leading the way for the Colts was King who scored four touchdowns—one a 60-yard kickoff return on the opening play of the game. Lewis scored a touchdown in the fourth quarter with Temple blocking the extra point. Lewis, Sipes, and LeMaster scored extra points for the Colts. Durbin also scored by

returning a blocked punt 20 yards for a touchdown.

The Little Colts ended a disastrous season losing 20-7 to the Little Bears. All three Bear touchdowns came on passes by Schoettmer. His first covered 22 yards to Bush who ran in for the touchdown.

His second scoring pass was to Bush who lateraled to Gault for a 22-yard scoring play. His last scoring pass was on the same pass-lateral play with Gault taking the ball in for the touchdown. Hoback scored the Colts' only touchdown on a 16-yard run.

November 11, 1965

Annual Little League game to be tomorrow

The annual St. Matthews Little League Football game will be played this Friday evening, Nov. 12, at the Community Center.

Play will start at 6:30 p.m. with the Little Browns playing the Little Team All Stars. This game will be followed by the presentation of awards. The final game of the season

will see the Big Browns playing the Big Team All Stars.

November 11, 1965

Voll elected president of Community Center

Raymond A. Voll, 214 Heady Ave., has been elected president of the St. Matthews Community Center for the year beginning Jan. 1. He will succeed Robert B. Veech.

The election was held Monday night at a meeting of the center's board of directors.

George Walker, 411 Wallace Ave., was elected vice president, and officers re-elected were J. W. Coombs, secretary, and William H. Herring, treasurer.

Mr. Voll, currently serving as vice president and chairman of the recreation committee, has been active in the

center for a number of years. He served as president in 1962 and the year before that he was vice president in charge of supervisors.

He is also an active member of Bethel United Church of Christ where he was named "Father of the Year" on Father's Day in 1962.

Mr. Voll is owner of the Frankfort Avenue Hardware Store. He and his wife, the former Helen Hettinger, have three children, David Ray, Ronald Kenton and Lisa Maria.

You can't take it with you when you go. The tax collector will see to that.

November 25, 1965

St. Matthews Area Sports:

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Courtesy *John Redmon*, Facebook:

We think 1965 or 1966, Tigers



Rick Albers & John Redmon