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WILSON NOSES OUT LA JOLLA FOR GOLF TEAM CHAMPIONSHIP

By the narrow margin of a single stroke, Woodrow Wilson High School of Long Beach retained the 1953 Team Golf Championship played at the Recreation Park Golf Course in Long Beach May 29, barely edging out La Jolla High, 932 to 933. Beverly Hills High School was a close third with an aggregate score of 940.

Each team consisted of six boys, each of whom played 36 holes. The total number of strokes used by the entire team to negotiate the 36 holes determined the team scores. Mr. Rollin Davis of Wilson High School served as manager of this event, as he has for many years.

An analysis of the scores shows that the average score of the boys on the first and second place teams was 77.7 strokes per 18 holes; while Beverly Hills, finishing third, used only 78.3 strokes on the average. Par for the course is 72.

The best individual score for both 18 and 36 holes was turned in by Dave Diffenderfer of La Jolla with a 68-76 for a total of 144, even par for the day. Sherwyn Turbow of Beverly Hills played brilliantly to record a 73-72, 145. A total of 112 boys participated in the event. Of the 224 rounds of golf played, 59 rounds were played with scores of 79 or less. And 17 boys played both their rounds with scores of 79 or less each round.

Medalist honors for the day:

Dave Diffenderfer, La Jolla	68-76-144
Sherwyn Turbow, Beverly Hills	73-72-145
Dick Foote, Santa Ana	75-71-146
Keith Lopp, L.B. Polytechnic	72-76-148
Ray Echols, Santa Ana	72-76-148
Ted Jankowski, La Jolla	78-70-148
Bob Lewis, L.B. Wilson	76-72-148

OFFICIAL RESULTS, TEAM SCORING:

1. Wilson HS, L.B.	932
2. La Jolla HS	933
3. Beverly Hills HS	940
4. Polytechnic HS, L.B.	954
5. Riverside HS	966
6. Whittier HS	980
6. Jordan HS, L.B.	980
8. Monrovia HS	995
9. St. Augustine's HS	1039
10. Torrance HS	1053
11. Anaheim HS	1083
12. Morningside HS	1102
13. Huntington Beach HS	1135
14. Burroughs HS, Burb.	1143
15. El Rancho HS, Rivera	1252

TOMMY JACOBS FIVE UNDER PAR WINS GOLF CHAMPIONSHIP

Avalon High School's Frank Saldana shot a brilliant three under par 69 at the C.I.F., individual golf championships held June 5 at Montebello Municipal Golf Course, yet had to be content with runner-up honors as Tommy Jacobs of Montebello HS scored with a record breaking 67, five under par figure 72, to win the 1953 title. Jacobs, one of the finest high school golfers in C.I.F. history, placed second in the 1952 event,

and in amateur competition rates with the best golfers in the nation.

Competition was keen, with 6 boys shooting par or better. Whereas in the 1952 event 12 boys scored 79 or lower, 23 boys this year shot 79 or better.

Jacobs sensationally scored five birdies (one under par) in the first nine holes, but incurred a two stroke penalty for an out-of-bounds ball on the second hole to finish the first nine holes three under par. He gained another stroke over par with a birdie on the twelfth, but lost it back when he missed the thirteenth green by pulling his 8 iron approach shot. Tommy made certain no one would beat him when he birdied both the 17th and 18th holes to finish with a new C.I.F. Tournament record 67.

Saldana, only a sophomore, scored six birdies, but missed three holes to card his 69. Ray Swedo of Cantwell HS, Jim Kardas of Whittier HS, Jack Behner of Eliot Jr. HS in Pasadena, and Ed Langert of Montebello HS equalled or bettered par over the 6470 yard course. 76 boys entered the event.

LOW SCORERS

67 Tommy Jacobs, Montebello HS
69 Frank Saldana, Avalon HS
70 Ray Swedo, Cantwell HS
71 Jim Kardas, Whittier HS
72 Jack Behner, Eliot Jr. HS, Pasadena
72 Ed Langer, Montebello HS
74 Jerry Steelsmith, Glendale HS
74 Bob Ashman, Jordan HS, Long Beach
74 Dick Foote, Santa Ana HS
74 Deray Simon, Eliot Jr. HS, Pasadena
76 Frank Ceja, Riverside HS
76 David Bruce, Whittier HS
76 Bill Foote, Santa Ana HS
77 Barton Miller, Inglewood HS
77 Ronald Reif, Helix HS, La Mesa
78 Roger Clarkson, Arcadia HS
78 Cliff Crandall, El Monte HS
78 Don Boaz, Fullerton HS
79 Keith Lopp, Polytechnic HS, Long Beach
79 Ray Echols, Santa Ana HS
79 John Macis, Whittier HS
79 Ed Cowan, Riverside HS
79 Bill Laughlin, Glendale HS

1953 CLASSES B AND C TENNIS TOURNAMENTS LARGEST IN HISTORY

Despite the largest number of entries yet received for the annual Class B and Class C tennis tourneys, both the B and C singles champions in 1952 were able to retain their titles for the 1953 year, as Franklin Johnson of St. Augustine's HS and Ronnie Shoenberg of Loyola HS turned aside all singles competitors in the C and B divisions respectively.

Holmes and Heathcote, Mira Costa High School's first entries into this tournament since the school opened two years ago, made the Manhattan Beach school's debut an auspicious one by winning the C doubles title, defeating Monrovia's McKinley and Gerhardt 6-4; 6-1 in the final round. The Class B doubles title went to

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Alverson and Brooke of El Monte HS as they
downed Lab and Movido of St. Augustine 6-3;
6-1.

In 1950, there were 119 entrants in the B and
C Tennis Tourney. In 1951 and 1952 the num-
ber grew to 144 and 141. But this year's entries
totaled 190 boys, and the competition in the pre-
liminary rounds required the full use of Santa
Ana High School's battery of courts until early
evening on the first day, Saturday, May 9. With
such a large entry list, it seems feasible to
schedule the preliminary rounds at two locations
in some one community so as to prevent time
consuming delays for the competitors between
matches.

Mark Keppel HS of Alhambra and Chaffey
HS of Ontario tied for the Class C team title
by scoring 15 point each, to nose out St. Augus-
tine HS of San Diego with 13. The plaque for
the Class B championship went to St. Augustine
for their 20 points, 3 more than runners-up South
Pasadena and El Monte could score. Points are
awarded for matches won, and for entries made.
Each entrant is awarded one point. Each singles
match won scores an additional point, while
doubles matches won score two points.

RESULTS 1953 TENNIS CHAMPIONSHIPS

"B" and "C"

Santa Ana H.S., May 9-16

"C" SINGLES

3rd Round: Ronnie Shoenberg (Loyola) defeated Robt.
Ouwendyk (Torrance), 6-0; 6-0
Clyde Smith (Whittier) defeated Dale Mann (La-
guna), 6-4; 6-1
Bob Allen (Chaffey) defeated Bob Boag (Alham-
bra), 6-3; 6-0
Bill Hinderer (Santa Monica) defeated Mike
Bouck (Anaheim), 6-4; 6-1
Robt. Bowden (Brown Military) defeated Von La-
Mon (Rosemead), 6-1; 6-0
Ronald Pee (Orange) defeated Richard Malone
(Torrance), 5-7; 6-0; 6-2
Bob Goodman (Beverly Hills) defeated Ray Davis
(Chaffey), 8-6; 2-6; 6-4
Jerry London (Alhambra) defeated Billy Bornt
(Monrovia), 6-0; 6-3
4th Round: Schoenberg (Loyola) defeated Smith
(Whittier), 6-1; 6-2

Allen (Chaffey) defeated Hinderer (Santa Moni-
ca), 6-3; 3-6; 6-3
Bowden (Brown Military) defeated Pee (Orange),
6-0; 6-1
London (Alhambra) defeated Goodman (Beverly
Hills), 6-1; 6-1
Semi-Finals: Shoenberg (Loyola) defeated Allen (Chaf-
fey), 6-0; 6-1
Bowden and London withdrew from competition
Finals: Shoenberg (Loyola) winner

"B" SINGLES

3rd Round: Tom Freiberg (Beverly Hills) defeated
Bill Reed (Santa Ana), 6-2; 6-3
Fred Beck (Santa Monica) defeated Duane Van
Dyke (St. Augustine), 4-6; 6-1; 6-1
Ronnie Green (Citrus) defeated Gary Carr (Bur-
roughs), 6-1; 6-3
Jim Sobieski (So. Pasadena) defeated Steve Rals-
ton (Whittier), 6-1; 6-2
John Cranston (So. Pasadena) defeated Bill Fehrs
(Citrus), 7-5; 7-5
Roland Sanders (El Monte) defeated Floyd Baker
Anaheim), 9-7; 3-6; 6-2
Jimmy Hosaki (Oxnard) defeated Roger Behrstock
(Beverly Hills), 7-5; 0-6; 6-4
Franklin Johnson (St. Augustine) defeated Eddie
West (Santa Ana), 6-0; 6-2
4th Round: Freiberg (Beverly Hills) defeated Beck
(Santa Monica), 6-0; 6-0
Green (Citrus) defeated Sobieski (So. Pasadena),
6-3; 6-3
Cranston (So. Pasadena) defeated Sanders (El
Monte), 6-0; 6-1
Johnson (St. Augustine) defeated Hosaki (Ox-
nard), 6-1; 6-0
Semi-Finals: Freiberg (Beverly Hills) defeated Green
(Citrus), 6-4; 6-1
Johnson (St. Augustine) defeated Cranston (So.
Pasadena), 4-6; 6-4; 7-5
Finals: Johnson defeated Freiberg, 7-5; 6-3

"B" DOUBLES

3rd Round: Lab - Movido (St. Augustine) defeated
Olin - Warren (Monrovia), 6-4; 11-13; 6-2
Moore - Leonard (Santa Monica) defeated Ryan -
Lee (Anaheim), 7-5; 7-5
Alverson - Brooke (El Monte) defeated Edwards -
Knapp (Pomona), 6-2; 6-0
Barry - Cotton (So. Pasadena) defeated Waggoner -
Harris (L.B. Wilson), 7-5; 6-2
Semi-Finals: Lab - Movido defeated Moore - Leonard
6-4; 6-0
Alverson - Brooke defeated Barry - Cotton, 6-3; 6-1
Finals: Alverson - Brooke defeated Lab - Movido, 6-3;
6-1

"C" DOUBLES

3rd Round: Jack - O'Connell (St. Augustine) defeated
Lillywhite - Meyer (Anaheim), 6-3; 6-2
McKinley - Gerhardt (Monrovia) defeated Muller -
Weber (Keppel), 6-3; 7-5
Holmes - Heathcote (Mira Costa) defeated Mc-
Neil - Garner (Chaffey), 6-3; 6-2
Lahey - Wendling (Keppel) defeated Van Dyke -
Perreau (Loyola), 6-4; 6-1
Semi-Finals: McKinley - Gerhardt defeated Jack -
O'Connell, 6-1; 6-3
Holmes - Heathcote defeated Lahey - Wendling,
6-4; 6-2
Finals: Holmes - Heathcote defeated McKinley - Ger-
hardt, 6-4; 6-1

TEAM SCORING

CLASS B		CLASS C	
1 St. Augustine's	20	1 Mark Keppel	15
2 South Pasadena	17	2 Chaffey	15
3 El Monte	17	3 St. Augustine's	13
4 Santa Monica	15	4 Mira Costa	12
		4 Monrovia	12
		4 Loyola	12

TEAM TENNIS TROPHY TO SANTA MONICA H. S.

The beautiful hand-crafted sterling silver bowl,
the perpetual trophy for the C.I.F., Southern
Section Team Tennis Championship, will reside
in the trophy case at Santa Monica HS until

next May since the Vikings won their fourth
team tennis title by defeating South Pasadena
in the finals 16-12 played at the Los Angeles
Tennis Club June 5, 1953. The silver bowl,
fifteen inches in diameter, is presented by the
Southern California Tennis Patrons Association.

Santa Monica's win makes it five years in suc-
cession for the Bay League representative entry.
Beverly Hills won the title in 1951 and 1952,
while Santa Monica was champion previously in
1949, 1950, and 1936.

In C.I.F. team tennis matches, each school
fields a team of eight boys, four singles players
and two doubles teams. No boy can compete
in both singles and doubles. Each singles player
plays one set with each of his four singles op-
ponents; each doubles team plays two sets against
its two doubles opponents. Each set won in singles
scores one point and each doubles set won scores
one and one-half points for the school. In case
of a tie in points, the total number of games won
by each school in the dual match would determine
the winner.

Eighteen Leagues entered their league champ-
ions in the opening round of competition May 22.
Subsequent rounds were played May 26, May
28, June 3, and June 5.

PRELIMINARY ROUNDS

Compton def. Loyola, 16-12
St. Augustine def. Oceanside, 23-5
Santa Monica def. Ventura, 21½-6½
Monrovia def. Rosemead
Compton def. Santa Ana, 17-11
Santa Barbara def. Thacher, 23½-4½
South Pasadena def. Citrus, 25-3
Riverside def. Coachella
Barstow def. Laguna Beach, default
La Jolla def. St. Augustine's, 14½-13½

QUARTER FINALS

Santa Monica def. Monrovia, 21-7
Santa Barbara def. Compton, 21½-6½
South Pasadena def. Riverside, 20-8
La Jolla def. Barstow, 22-6

SEMI FINALS

Santa Monica def. Santa Barbara, 20-8
South Pasadena def. La Jolla, 14½-13½

FINALS

Santa Monica HS def. South Pasadena HS, 16-12

SWIMMING CHAMPIONSHIP MEETS PROVIDE KEEN COMPETITION

Continued improvement in the swimming pro-
gram in Southern California high schools is evi-
dent from the results of the C.I.F., Southern
Section Championship swimming meets held this
past May. Of the 21 swimming events in Classes
A, B, and C, seven records were tied or broken.
Each of the 4-man free style relay records was
equalled or bettered.

Wilson High School of Long Beach came up
with a powerful varsity squad that completely
overwhelmed the opposition, but the scoring was
evenly distributed in Class B and Class C, with
Whittier HS winning top honors in both of these
divisions.

The large number of entries required two
preliminary meets, held at Beverly Hills HS and
at Whittier HS on Friday night, May 7. Swim-
ming semi-finals and the championship meet were
held at El Segundo HS on Tuesday afternoon
and Friday night. Diving prelims were held
Wednesday afternoon, with the finals Friday

night, in the packed El Segundo plunge.

It is interesting to note that there are now
only two records still standing which were on
the books five years ago. The Class C Medley
Relay mark of 41.3 set by Santa Monica HS in
1946, and the 50 yard Freestyle Class A record
of Brown of Black Foxe made in 1947 are the
only marks which have stood the onslaught of
finer swimmers in recent years. Administration
of the swimming meets has kept pace with the
boys' performances. The host school manager
now provides an adequate number of judges
and timers with recently checked stop watches,
so that each boy is assured of competent timing
when he swims. And the interest in the meets
by spectators grows accordingly, for all the meets
this year were well attended.

BASEBALL TITLES TO MIRA COSTA, HEMET AND COMPTON

Three fine baseball playoffs were concluded
the first week in June when the Northern, South-
ern, and Central Groups of Leagues baseball
championships were won by Mira Costa HS of
Manhattan Beach, by Hemet HS, and by Comp-
ton HS respectively.

The Northern Group title game was most ex-
citing, and the hometown Needles crowd had
only admiration for the Beach City nine when the
game was over. With the score tied 6-6 at the
end of eight innings, Mira Costa rallied to put
across two runs in the ninth for the victory. Carl
Osterhaus of Mira Costa, who pitched two no-
hitters during the regular season play, came on
in relief in the third inning when Needles led
5-3, to set the Tri-State League champs down
with 14 strikeouts in six innings.

The Southern Group championship game was
a wild affair, with eleven runs being scored in
the ninth inning after the first eight had been
closely played. Trailing 4-2 going into the ninth
and having made only two hits off pitcher Bob
Fielder of El Centro, Hemet bats exploded for
7 hits and 7 runs for a 9-2 lead. But El Centro
didn't give up, rallying 4 runs but falling short
by one run to lose 8-9.

Compton HS defeated the fine La Jolla base-
ball team 5-2 at La Jolla on Saturday, June 6
to win the coveted Central Group championship,
defeating La Jolla's ace pitcher, Art Webber. Ed
Lundberg of Compton was the winning pitcher,
to complete a record of not losing a game the
entire season, and winning 14.

Compton got off to a one run lead in the top
of the first inning, but La Jolla tied it up in the
second, and went on to lead 2-1 in the fourth.
But Mickey Yeager put Compton out in front
for good with a two run homer in the seventh.
Compton added two insurance runs in the ninth
with two doubles and a squeeze play.

NORTHRN GROUP BASEBALL RESULTS FIRST ROUND

Pomona Catholic 6; Baldwin Park 5
Needles 7; Trona 5
San Luis Obispo 16; Santa Clara 5
Mira Costa 22; Avalon 2

SECOND ROUND

Needles 7; Pomona Catholic 3
Mira Costa defeated San Luis Obispo
CHAMPIONSHIP GAME
Mira Costa 8; Needles 6

SOUTHERN GROUP BASEBALL RESULTS

FIRST ROUND

Claremont 6; Valencia 2

SECOND ROUND

El Centro 6; Chula Vista 5

Claremont 0; Hemet 1

CHAMPIONSHIP GAME

Hemet 9; El Centro 8

CENTRAL GROUP BASEBALL RESULTS

FIRST ROUND

La Jolla 12; San Bernardino 6

Santa Barbara 12; Hoover of Glendale 3

Oxnard 19; Beverly Hills 8

SECOND ROUND

La Jolla 10; Fullerton 8

Compton 16; Oxnard 2

Santa Barbara 5; Loyola 4

Lynwood def. Pacific League by default

SEMI-FINALS

La Jolla 5; Lynwood 2

Compton 9; Santa Barbara 3

CHAMPIONSHIP GAME

Compton 5; La Jolla 2

OFFICIAL RESULTS OF C.I.F., SOUTHERN SECTION CHAMPIONSHIP SWIMMING

MEET 1953

May 15, 1953, El Segundo HS

CLASS A

Medley Relay		
1 Wilson HS	1:22.8*	
2 El Segundo		
3 Whittier		
4 Huntington Beach		
5 Muir		
6 Santa Ana		

*New Record; old record was 1:23.4

100 yd Backstroke		
1 Koster, El Segundo	1:03.2	
2 Farrell, Wilson		
3 Hope, El Segundo		
4 Armacost, Redlands		
5 Price, Wilson		
6 Rees, Inglewood		

100 yd Breaststroke		
1 Morner, Flintridge	1:04.4*	
2 Hall, Jordan		
3 Drum, Wilson		
4 Sanchis, Glendale		
5 Dishon, LB Polytechnic		
6 Clock, LB Polytechnic		

*New Record; old record was 1:05.6

50 yd Freestyle		
1 Steveson, Wilson	24.1	
2 D. Stimson, LB Polytechnic		
3 Cravens, El Segundo		
4 Volmer, Downey		
5 Baker, Beverly Hills		
6 Higgins, Black Foxe		

100 yd Freestyle		
1 Steveson, Wilson	52.6	
2 McNeas, Whittier		
3 D. Stimson, LB Polytechnic		
4 Cravens, El Segundo		
5 Volmer, Downey		
6 Baker, Beverly Hills		

200 yd Freestyle		
1 McNeas, Whittier	2:01.4*	
2 Belshe, Huntington Beach		
3 Webb, Wilson		
4 Holloway, Whittier		
5 Stuart, Whittier		
6 Colburn, Mt. Carmel		

*New Record; old record was 2:01.8

Individual Medley (150 yds)		
1 Belshe, Huntington Beach	1:40.6	
2 Holloway, Whittier		
3 Sanchis, Glendale		
4 Wills, Muir		
5 Koster, El Segundo		
6 Price, Wilson		

4 man Relay (4 x 50 yds)		
1 Wilson HS	1:38.9*	
2 El Segundo		
3 Beverly Hills		
4 LB Polytechnic		
5 Harvard		
6 Huntington Beach		

*New Record; old record was 1:39.6

Class A Diving		
1 Copeland, Beverly Hills	220.5	
2 Tobian, Black Foxe	204.9	
3 Reid, Whittier	197	
4 Riley, LB Polytechnic	171.2	
5 McCune, Whittier	169.3	
6 Swart, Whittier	141.7	

CLASS B

Medley Relay		
1 Black Foxe	1:27.5	
2 Newport Harbor		
3 Jordan		
4 El Segundo		
5 Huntington Beach		
6 Riverside		

100 yd Back Stroke		
1 Devine, Black Foxe	1:07.5	
2 Cole, Wilson		
3 Haggerman, Newport Harbor		
4 Bathgate, Whittier		
5 Whitney, El Segundo		
6 Stuart, El Segundo		

100 yd. Breast Stroke		
1 Petter, Inglewood	1:09.9	
2 Farquhar, Newport Harbor		
2 Denver, Jordan		
4 Elliott, Whittier		
5 Daniels, Beverly Hills		
6 Lynn, Redlands		

50 yd Freestyle		
1 Severa, Downey	25.0	
2 Haskell, Cantwell		
3 Williams, Riverside		
4 Bodenhoefer, Newport Harbor		
5 Bell, Santa Maria		
6 DeJesus, Palm Springs		

100 yd Freestyle		
1 Severa, Downey	55.7	
2 Haskell, Cantwell		
3 Guise, Black Foxe		
4 Newquist, Whittier		
5 DeJesus, Palm Springs		
6 Cook, Redlands		

200 yd Freestyle		
1 Frazier, Jordan	2:08.7	
2 Lenz, Santa Maria		
3 Bodenhoefer, Newport Harbor		
4 Kaeding, El Segundo		
5 Peters, Inglewood		
6 Cook, Redlands		

4 man Relay (4 x 50 yds)		
1 Whittier HS	1:43.5*	
2 Black Foxe		
3 Jordan		
4 Downey		
5 Riverside		
6 Wilson		

*Ties Record

Class B Diving		
1 Smith, Don, Whittier	149	
2 Smith, Gary, Whittier	145.4	
3 Millar, Downey	143.6	
4 Gove, Riverside	130	
5 Grubbs, Chaffey	122.7	
6 Bailey, Beverly Hills	110.8	

CLASS C

Medley Relay		
1 Wilson HS	41.3*	
2 Whittier		
3 Beverly Hills		
4 Flintridge		
5 Palm Springs		
6 Newport Harbor		

*Ties record

50 yd Back Stroke		
1 Worthy, Hunt. Beach HS	32.2	
2 Smith, Whittier		
3 Alexander, Harvard		
4 Hughes, LB Polytechnic		
5 Harris, Flintridge		
6 Diehl, Newport Harbor		

50 yd Breast Stroke		
1 Ravese, Palm Springs	32.3	
2 Byrd, Chaffey		
3 Kelsey, Wilson		
4 Olson, Whittier		
5 Sugarman, Beverly Hills		
6 Haigh, Black Foxe		

50 yd Free Style		
1 Lawton, Whittier HS	26.9	
2 Henry, Wilson		
3 Kohlman, Beverly Hills		
4 Murphy, Harvard		
5 Moe, Riverside		
6 Post, Harvard		

4 man Relay (4 x 25 yds)		
1 Whittier HS	48.2*	
2 Wilson		
3 Newport Harbor		
4 Beverly Hills		
5 Riverside		
6 Harvard		

*New Record; old record was 48.4

TEAM SCORES

CLASS A

1 Wilson HS, Long Beach	56
2 El Segundo	39
3 Whittier	35
4 Polytechnic HS, LB	21
5 Huntington Beach	19
6 Beverly Hills	18

CLASS B

1 Whittier HS	35
2 Black Foxe	33
3 Jordan HS, LB	26½
4 Newport Harbor	24½
5 Downey	24
6 Riverside	12

CLASS C

1 Whittier HS	38
2 Wilson HS, LB	31
3 Beverly Hills	19
4 Harvard	10
4 Palm Springs	10
4 Newport Harbor	10