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Arthur Hobson of Whittier Joins Executive Committee Ranks

One of the newest members of the Executive Committee, although no stranger to the CIF, is Art Hobson, assistant superintendent of the Whittier Union High School District, who began his first term on the committee in September.

A native of California, Hobson prepped at Orange High School where he took an active part in dramatics, journalism, athletics, and student government. After a year at Santa Ana College he matriculated at Whittier College where he earned his BA and MA degrees. Art received his administrative credential from Claremont Graduate School.

Equipped with an English major and a physical education minor, he accepted his first teaching position at Whittier High School in the fall of 1947. There he was assigned classes in social studies, English and physical education. In addition he found time at the close of the school day to coach

the Class C football and basketball teams. From 1950 to 1953 he added counseling to his duties.

In 1953 he was transferred to the newly activated California High School as teacher, counselor, department head, and basketball and football coach. After one and one-half years in these assignments, he was appointed principal in January, 1955, and served in that capacity until July 1 of this year when he was appointed to the position of Assistant Superintendent, Educational Services, of the Whittier Union High School District.

His CIF experience includes a year as Council President in 1961-62.

During the second World War, Art served in the Air Force for 39 months, spending 31 months in China and India as a S/Sgt. with the Army Airways Communication System.

Happily married, Art and his wife Barbara are the parents of three children, Dick 18, who attends the University of Redlands, Kathleen, 15, a sophomore at California High School and Patricia 11.



ART HOBSON
... Executive Committee

Post Season Poll Indicates Coaches Favor 220 on Curve

Southern Section track coaches voted 80-72 to conduct the 220 yard dash on a curve at all CIF, SS, championship meets, (prelims, semi-finals and finals) during the 1967 track season, it was announced this week.

It is recommended that leagues discuss the possibility of running their league finals on the curve also for this season.

The State CIF meet in San Diego's Balboa Stadium on June 2 and 3 has no straightaway and will utilize the curve for the 220 and 180 low hurdles events. The Southern Section has made no final decision as to whether or not the 180 lows will be on a curve or straightaway during CIF, SS, events.

Information will be sent to all coaches prior to the start of the season with further recommendations on this event.

District Attorney's Award for Sportsmanship Established

District Attorney Evelle Younger of Los Angeles County has established a special award for outstanding acts of good sportsmanship, it was announced this week.

The purpose of the award is to publicly recognize outstanding acts of sportsmanship over and beyond that normally expected in sports participation and administration.

Any participant, coach or administrator who is a resident of Los Angeles County will be eligible for consideration.

The award's selection committee is made up of: District Attorney Younger, Lynn Compton, assistant district attorney; William W. Russell, State CIF Commissioner; Paul Zimmerman, sports editor, Los Angeles Times; Guy Wrinkle, supervisor of Athletics, L.A. City Schools; Fred Hessler, president, Southern California Sports Broadcasters, Assn.; Bud Furillo, sports editor, Herald-Examiner; Ken Fagans, commissioner of athletics, CIF, SS, and Chairman Richard Llewellyn, director of athletics, Los Angeles Athletic Club.

Nominations for the award may be sent to any committee member.

Track Sites Established for CIF Championships

Mt. San Antonio College near Pomona has been selected as the site for the 1967 CIF, Southern Section, track and field finals, it was announced this week. The finals will be managed by Truck Lindsay, athletic director at Chaffey High, on Friday night, May 26.

In another change of format, one semi-final meet will be held at Cerritos College in Norwalk. This one meet will replace the two separate meets previously conducted.

The semi-final event is scheduled for Friday night, May 19, and will be managed by Ernst Hartmann.

Semi-final competition in one meet has been initiated for this year after many comments by track coaches suggesting a change from the two-meet format. The new system will allow all boys in semi-final competition to meet on one track, under the same weather conditions, under the same lighting, and with one set of judges.

Preliminary meets will be held on Saturday, May 13, at Lakewood, Newport, and Chaffey. A fourth location in the northern or Bay area, is still

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Eligibility Rules Covering Bowling

Commissioner's Corner

by J. Kenneth Fagans

An unusually large number of inquiries have been made of the Commissioner by parents, coaches and administrators relative to the effect that participation in bowling leagues would have on the eligibility of boys who desire to compete in interscholastic athletics. Because of the many misunderstandings concerning this matter, we feel it imperative at this time to attempt to clarify the issue.

At the present time CIF, SS rules prohibit high school athletes from competing on outside teams in the SAME sport, during the season of that sport. Since we have no recognized interscholastic bowling competition in the Southern Section, all high school athletes may compete on an outside bowling team, without loss of high school eligibility, provided there is no violation of the amateur rule.

The "amateur rule" provides that in order to compete in interscholastic athletics a boy must be an amateur. An amateur is defined as one who has not: (1) Coached or taught athletics for pay; (2) competed in any games or contests where any member or members of his team received a compensation. Solicitation of employment for gain of his athletic services automatically disqualifies such athlete from further amateur competition. When an athlete signs a contract for his services as an athlete, he automatically becomes ineligible for amateur competition; (3) Competed for cash, for merchandise, for any compensations, for a

MINUTES OF CIF, SOUTHERN SECTION, EXECUTIVE COMMITTEE MEETING—OCT. 26, 1966

The October meeting of the CIF, Southern Section, Executive Committee was called to order by Chairman Marion C. Hays at 2 p.m. on Wednesday, October 26, 1966, at the Southern Section office.

The following members were in attendance: Chairman Hays, vice principal, Harvard School; Harry L. Bigger, principal, Fillmore HS; Clair Franklin, principal, Trona HS; Steve Miletich, vice principal, Beverly Hills HS; Arthur H. North, assistant superintendent, Azusa USD; Arthur H. Hobson, assistant superintendent, Whittier UHSD; Alex Alexander, principal, Indio HS; Keith Gunn, principal, Victor Valley HS; Robert D. Ashton, assistant superintendent, Norwalk-La Mirada School District; Chester R. Shirk, principal, Anaheim HS; Keith J. Lee, principal, Dominguez HS, and Commissioner of Athletics J. Kenneth Fagans.

1. APPROVE MINUTES—It was moved, seconded and carried to approve personal prize over \$10.00 in value, or under an assumed name.

From the above rule it is quite evident that any boy who participates in a bowling league where prize money is distributed, or who receives a prize over \$10.00 in value, would forfeit his amateur standing and become ineligible for interscholastic athletics.

The Bowling Proprietors' Association of Southern California has formulated a code of rules which if followed will guarantee the amateur standing of all high school boys who participate in this fine sport. There are always a few establishments, however, where the management is not conversant with the rules or are not interested in seeing that they are enforced. This however will not be accepted as an excuse in a situation where a boy has violated the amateur rule.

It is up to the principal, athletic director and the coach of each individual or team expecting to compete in athletic competition in the CIF, Southern Section, to make certain that all of the boys under their jurisdiction are informed and fully understand not only the amateur rule, but all other regulations pertaining to the eligibility of boys for interscholastic athletics.

Boys need not be discouraged from competing in well established Junior bowling leagues or tournaments, but their participation in Senior or Adult Bowling Leagues where prize money is awarded to winners or to high scorers would make them ineligible for interscholastic athletics, even though they personally did not accept any money.

prove the minutes of the Executive Committee meeting of September 16, 1966, as published in the October Monthly Bulletin.

2. APPLICATIONS FOR MEMBERSHIP—It was moved, seconded and carried to recommend to the Council that Ontario HS of the Chaffey UHSD and Riverside Christian High School be admitted to regular membership in the CIF, SS, and that Griffin Junior HS of Downey be admitted to associate membership.

3. EVALUATE BASKETBALL SCHEDULES—a. It was moved, seconded and carried that in order to qualify for the "A" division basketball play-offs as a free lance entrant, Elmore N and M must win eight of the following 10 games: Dec. 2, Poway; Jan. 3, Twin Pines; Jan. 6, Ambassador; Jan. 13, Bailey; Jan. 17, at Twin Pines; Jan. 20, CSDR; Jan. 25, Desert Sun; Feb. 7, Bailey; Feb. 10, Twin Pines, and Feb. 14, CSDR.

b. It was moved, seconded and carried that in order to qualify for the "A" division basketball play-offs as a free lance entrant, Chaminade Preparatory must win eight of the following 10 games: Dec. 30, Crespi; Jan. 6, Black Foxe; Jan. 14, St. Bonaventure; Jan. 17, Paraclete; Jan. 18, Bell-Jeff; Jan. 20, Agoura; Jan. 21, St. Genevieve; Jan. 31, Montclair Prep; Feb. 3, St. Bonaventure, and Feb. 14, Agoura.

c. It was moved, seconded and carried that in order to qualify for the "A" division basketball play-offs as a free lance entrant, Agoura High School must win eight of the following 10 games: Jan. 3, Moorpark; Jan. 10, Villanova; Jan. 13, Carpinteria; Jan. 17, St. Bonaventure; Jan. 20, Chaminade; Jan. 24, Carpinteria; Jan. 27, St. Bonaventure; Jan. 31, Pacific Christian; Feb. 7, Brethren, and Feb. 14, Chaminade.

4. STATE REPRESENTATIVES ATTENDING NATIONAL FEDERATION MEETING—The committee discussed the present policy of the State CIF Council as it pertains to the designation of representatives to attend the annual meeting of the National Federation. The present policy was adopted a few years ago when membership on the Federated Council was more limited than it is at present. It was the feeling that present policy governing this matter should be reviewed in the hope that a more equitable arrangement could be worked out. It was moved, seconded and carried to direct the Commissioner to see that this item was included on the Agenda for the next State Federated Council meeting.

5. RELEAGUING—Present policy pertaining to the method of selecting members to serve on the Releaguings Committee was reviewed. Communications from San Marino HS and the Imperial Valley League referring to this matter was read to the group. After considerable discussion it was moved, seconded and carried to appoint a committee to study the problem and prepare recommendations to be presented to the Council at its January meeting. President Shirk appointed the following men to serve on this committee: Keith Lee, Dominguez HS, Roger Weeks of Sierra HS and Arthur Hobson, assistant superintendent of the Whittier Union High School District.

6. REVIEW JUNIOR HIGH SCHOOL MEMBERSHIP—The committee reviewed the membership of junior high schools in the CIF, Southern Section, particularly as it pertained to eligibility rules, services derived, and cost of membership. The committee reiterated its feeling that ALL member schools should abide by ALL rules concerning eligibility and that no individual league or school district should deviate from Blue Book regulations. The Commissioner was instructed to meet with Junior High League Representatives for the purpose of discussing a possible Junior High affiliate organization with special and separate regulations more specifically structured to the needs of the Junior High Schools.

7. PLAY-OFF COMMITTEE—Chairman Hays, Commissioner Fagans and Jesse Cone, president of the Southern California Interscholastic Football Coaches Assn., were named to the Football Play-off Committee for the 1966 play-offs. The committee is charged with the responsibility of selecting qualified teams to participate in the football play-offs should there exist openings in the play-off brackets for co-champions and second place teams.

8. PREP LEAGUE APPROVING USE OF INELIGIBLE BOYS—The Committee heard a report from the Commissioner which indicated that the Prep League had approved the use of ineligible boys for competition on the junior varsity level at Pacific Christian High School. After a thorough discussion of the case the Commissioner was instructed to write a letter severely reprimanding the Prep League pointing out that when these schools applied for membership in the CIF they did so with the understanding that ALL eligibility rules were to be followed to the letter. League principals will be asked to respond to the charges of the use of ineligible boys.

9. ELIGIBILITY CASES—a. Rio Hondo Academy—Mr. James McCal-

lum appeared before the committee to request waiver of the transfer rule to permit his boy to be eligible at Rio Hondo Academy. The request was denied and the boy will be ineligible for the remainder of the semester.

b. Muir—Mr. Charles Palmer appeared before the committee seeking waiver of the residence rule to make his boy eligible at Muir High. The request was denied.

c. Eisenhower—Ruled that Doug Neill would be ineligible this semester inasmuch as he was not passing in four subjects when he entered continuation school last spring. He will regain his eligibility if he passes four subjects of new work during the current semester.

d. Costa Mesa—Ruled Anthony Donaldson eligible at Costa Mesa.

e. Redlands—Ruled Brian Williams eligible at Redlands through waiver of the residence rule.

f. Santa Monica—Ruled that Michael Ridley be ineligible for athletics at Santa Monica High.

g. Upland—Ruled that Buddy Antunez be declared immediately eligible for interscholastic athletics at Upland High.

h. Beaumont—Ruled that Larry Barnett be declared eligible at Beaumont High.

i. San Gabriel—Approved waiver of the previous semester rule in the cases of Russell Johnson and Donn Hatcher to make them eligible at San Gabriel High.

j. Channel Islands—Approved waiver of the previous semester rule in the case of Nathan Hayes to make him eligible at Channel Islands High.

k. Pasadena—Approved waiver of the previous semester rule in the case of William Simmons to make him eligible at Pasadena High.

l. Los Altos—Approved waiver of the transfer rule in the case of Jeff Victor to make him eligible at Los Altos High.

m. Lompoc—Approved waiver of the transfer rule in the case of Don Ritter to permit him to be eligible at Lompoc High.

n. West Torrance—Denied a request for eligibility for James Ackerman, who is a full time student at the University of Southern California as well as being enrolled at West High School.

o. Beverly Hills—Ruled that student Sherwood would be eligible for interscholastic athletics during the spring semester.

There being no further business to come before the committee, the meeting was adjourned at 5:15 p.m.

Respectfully submitted,
J. Kenneth Fagans
Commissioner of Athletics

Added Sanctioned Events

Since the publication of the Member School Directory in which 1966-67 sanctioned events are printed, the following events have been approved by the CIF office.

BASEBALL

Mar. 20, 21, 22—Aviation HS Freshman Baseball Tournament

BASKETBALL

Dec. 19, 20, 21—Bell Gardens Booster Club "B" Basketball Tournament

SWIMMING

Mar. 21—Santa Maria Swim Invitational at Cal Poly, sponsored by Santa Maria HS

TRACK

Mar. 2, 3—Shorty Smith Relays at Santa Ana College, sponsored by Santa Ana HS

WRESTLING

Dec. 10—Novice Wrestling Tournament at Ramona HS

Long Beach Schools Again Host CIF, SS, Water Polo Tournament

Long Beach's five high schools will again host the CIF, SS, water polo championship competition which begins on November 22 and ends on December 1, it was announced this week.

Sixteen teams will qualify for the play-offs which begin with prelims on Nov. 22 at Lakewood, Millikan, Poly and Jordan high schools. The quarter-finals, on Nov. 23, are set for Wilson and Lakewood.

Semi-final competition and the finals will be held at Millikan on Nov. 29 and Dec. 1, respectively. Dick Miller of Millikan will manage the championship event.

Testimonial Dinner Honors Loyola's Father Shepherd

Former students, faculty associates, coaches and friends paid tribute to Father Robert H. Shepherd, S.J., who has been associated with Loyola High School and University since 1926, at a testimonial dinner given in his honor at the Rodger Young Auditorium on Oct. 26.

The occasion marked the Diamond Jubilee of Father Shepherd's becoming a member of the Society of Jesus.

More than 300 guests attended the dinner including CIF Commissioner Ken Fagans, who saluted Father Shepherd for his contributions to the athletic program at Loyola High where he has seen service as athletic director, Minister and Principal.

Sectional Cross Country Competition Set Nov. 22

Sectional cross-country meets are slated for Centinela Park in Inglewood, Sunny Hills High and Mt. San Antonio College on November 22. Meet managers for the three events are Gene Popko, coach at Inglewood High, Bill Lingenfelder of Sunny Hills and Don Ruh of Mt. SAC.

Cross-country finals will be held on Thursday, December 1, at Cal State—Long Beach under the direction of Dick Reese, head cross-country coach at the school.

Informational bulletins and entry blanks have been mailed to all Southern Section coaches.

PA Announcer Plays Important Role at Games

A public address system at athletic contests should be handled by a skilled and well trained individual. This person should be one who is impartial; he should be level-headed and have a cooperative attitude toward officials. He should have a "neighborly" spirit toward opponents.

DONT'S FOR THE ANNOUNCER

1. Never predict a play before it is run.
2. Never guess on an official's decision.
3. Never criticize an official's decision.
4. Never appear to be alarmed over an injury of a player.
5. Never try to give the little details of your play. Your audience is watching the game also.
6. Never second-guess a quarterback or coach.

DO'S FOR THE ANNOUNCER

1. Know the personnel of both teams.
2. Know the offensive and defensive formations of both teams.
3. Give only the essentials after each play is completed.
4. Give the down and yardage to gain before each play.
5. Keep statements short and to the point.
6. Accept some responsibility for seeing that the game goes off smoothly and that the contest is used to build good will between schools and communities.

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TRACK SITES ESTABLISHED

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to be selected.

State meet competition for the first five varsity finishers in the Southern Section finals will be at Balboa Stadium, San Diego, on June 2 and 3.

CALENDAR OF EVENTS

Nov.

- 22 Cross Country Prelims
Mt. SAC, Sunny Hills,
Centinela Park
- 22 Water Polo Prelims
at Lakewood, Millikan,
Poly, Jordan
- 23 Water Polo Quarter-finals
at Wilson and Lakewood
- 25 Football Play-offs Begin
- 29 Water Polo Semi-finals at
Millikan

Dec.

- 1 Cross Country Finals
at Cal State—Long Beach
- 1 Water Polo Finals
at Millikan

Free Lance Swim Meet Date

The CIF, SS, Free lance Swim Meet will be held on Thursday, April 20, 1967. This is one day earlier than originally listed in the Blue Book and other publications.

The meet is scheduled for Norwalk High School.

GAMES WANTED

FOOTBALL — 1967

- Torrance—Nov. 9 or 10, 1966 "C" only
- Elsinore, Sept. 29 "JV" only; Oct. 13 V/JV
- Quartz Hill—Sept. 29
- El Monte—Sept. 29 or 30
- Ramona—Sept. 22 A/B/JV
- Jordan—Oct. 13 A/JV/B
- Colton—Sept. 22
- Paramount—Sept. 22; Oct. 6 & 13
- Notre Dame, S.O.—Sept. 22 V; Sept. 21 JV/FR; Nov. 17 V; Nov. 16 JV/FR
- Huntington Beach—Sept. 22 V/JV/B/C
- Dominguez—Sept. 29; Oct. 6 V/JV/B
- El Segundo—Oct. 6 V/B/C
- Millikan—Oct. 6, 13
- Barstow—Sept. 29, Nov. 17
- Western—Sept. 28—"C" only
- Pomona Catholic—Sept. 21 C/JV only; Nov. 17 V/JV/C
- LB Poly—Oct. 13
- Palm Springs—Sept. 29 V/JV
- Marina—Sept. 22
- Hart—Nov. 17 V/JV
- Garey—Sept. 22, 29 A/B/JV
- Charter Oak—Sept. 29 "C" only
- Lakewood—Sept. 29, Oct. 6, 13
- St. Paul—Sept. 22, 29, Oct. 6, 13
- St. John Bosco—Sept. 29, Oct. 13
- Savanna—Sept. 22
- El Centro—Sept. 29, Oct. 6
- Boulder City—Oct. 6, 13, 20, 27, Nov. 3

Wrestling Coaches, Officials Clinic Scheduled November 11

Myron Roderick of Oklahoma State, NCAA wrestling coach of the year, will be the featured speaker during the Southern California Wrestling Coaches and Officials Assn., clinic on Friday, November 11, at Fullerton Junior College.

The clinic is open to all members of the association at no cost. Non-members may join (\$3.00) at the clinic registration table, which opens at 8 a.m., according to association president, Oran Breeland.

Also on the clinic program are lecture sessions featuring Vaughan Hitchcock, coach of the NCAA (college division) champion team from Cal Poly (San Luis Obispo) and Joe Seay, South Bakersfield High, Central California champions.

The CIF, Southern Section, is assisting to defray the cost of the clinic, said Breeland, who also announced that the afternoon portion of the program would include films and actual technique demonstrations.

A steak-fry luncheon will be held at noon at Hillcrest Park in Fullerton.

Santiago—Sept. 29 or 30 V/JV/B/C

El Dorado, Sept. 21, Oct. 5 "C" only

South—Sept. 22, Nov. 3

West—Sept. 22

CROSS COUNTRY

Quartz Hill—any dates

El Dorado—Sept. 28

GOLF

Rancho Alamitos—Mar. 21-23, 28-30, Apr. 4-6

WATER POLO

El Dorado—Scrimmage, or game during Sept. 1967

BASKETBALL

Northview—JV Dec. 9 or 22; C/D Dec. 9, 20, 22, 27 away

Notre Dame, Riv.—Jan. 3, Dec. 14 call Bill Jones (714) 382-3123 or MA 5-3731

Torrance—Jan. 24 or 25 V/JV/B/C

Quartz Hill—needs 2 teams for Dec. 20-23 tmnt.

Burbank—needs 1 team for V tmnt Dec. 14-16

Glenn—Feb. 5-9

Eisenhower—needs 1 team for Dec. 28-30 Tourney

WRESTLING

Bishop Amat—any dates

BASEBALL

Agoura—Mar. 21, 28, 31, Apr. 11, 18, 28, May 5

Notre Dame, Riv.—Mar. 10, 14, 21, Apr. 25, May 15 V only; May 9, 13, 16, 20 JV only

Harvard—Feb. 28, Mar. 14, 17, Apr. 4